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BRITAIN OFFICIALLY WELCOMES GREAT NEW ALLY AGAINST ENEMY

Resolution Stating Appreciation of Action of United States Passed Unanimously Amid Cheers in Commons; Turning Point, Says Bonar Law

London, April 18.—In the House of Commons to-day unanimous approval was given amid cheers to a resolution moved by Rt. Hon. HEAVY FIRING HEARD OFF CAPE COD; London, April 18.—In the House of Commons to-day unanimous Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and a member of the War Council, and seconded by Mr. Asquith, former Prime Minister, expressing appreciation of the action of the United States in joining the Entente Powers in the war on Germany.

In moving in the Commons this resolution, identical with one moved in the House of Lords, Mr. Bonar Law said:

"We deeply regret that the Prime Minister is unable to be pres ent himself to move this resolution. Not only the members of Parliament, but all the people of the British Empire and the other Entente Massachusetts Bay sent a thrill along the coast to-day. Three coastcountries welcome their new ally with heartfult sympathy.

war. The New World has been brought in, or has stepped in, to restore the balance in the Old.

"Being in, the United States already has shown that her enemies must be vare of her, and despite the fact that the path immediately before us is more ficult than ever before, I venture to ess the hope and belief that a change is coming-that the long night of sorrow and anguish which has desolated the world is drawing to a close," Text of Resolution.

The text of the resolution follows: This House desires to express to the Government and people of the United States of America its profound appreciation of the action of the Gov-

LONG FOR PEACE; STRAIN INCREASES

German Newspapers Continue to Exhort Hungry People of Country

ably than those who planned to starve them, not being menaced by a bad world crop and rapidly shrinking ship

Black Outlook,

If, however, the blockade of Germany should succeed through lack of economic resistance in Germany, the newspaper says, "our people word have not only a "out people word." economic resistance in Germany, the newspaper says, "our people would have not only a time of bitter hunger, but also a long period of the lowest wages and the most painful enfeeble-ment. Then while France, Italy and Russia carried off Alsace-Lorraine, Trieste, the Trentino, Constantinople

EVEN VON REVENTLOW AWARE HOHENZOLLERNS LOSING THEIR GRIP

Amsterdam, April 18.-Count voi Reventlow, writing in the Tages Zeiung, asserts that victory for Gernany-is necessary if the German ionarchy is to endure.

BERNHARDT SLIGHTLY **IMPROVED TO-DAY**

New York, April 18 .- A slight im rovement was evident this morning in he condition of Mme. Sarah Bern-ardt, her physicians said. She was perated upon last night for an affec-ion of the kidneys in an effort to save her life. The operation was deemed he only hope.

Madrid, April 18.—The Spanish steamship Tom has been torpedoed and sunk without warning. Eighteen lives

were lost.
It is expected that this occurrence will further inflame public feeling in Spain against Germany.

The Tom, of 2,499 tons gross, was

torpedoing without warning of the Spanish steamship San Fulgencio. The Spanish Government sent a protest to Germany and is reported to have de-manded an indemnity.

REPORTED BY COASTGUARD STATIONS; **ACTION WITH GERMANS OR SALUTES**

Boston, April 18, Reports of heavy gunfire off the entrance of guard stations on Cape Cod successively reported that they had counted distinct and repeated gun reports from the north and northeast of the tip of the cape. It was believed at the navy yard here that American ships were engaged with enemy craft. Inside the cape a heavy fog hung over the waters, but outside the weather was calm

warships were sighted by the three \$875,000,000 TOTAL stations, and after thirty minutes the iring ceased.

However, naval men could not under stand warships on active duty betray-ing their location through naval eti-quette. They believed that there was no saluting unless pre-arranged and of which there was no knowledge at the navy yard here,

In Quick Succession.

The firing apparently came from a point just outside of Massachusetts Bay at the end of Cape Cod, began at 9.15 and continued at intervals. Regularity Noted.

Provincetown, Mass., April 18.— Heavy firing was heard off the tip of Cape Cod to-day. The regularity of the shots led to the suggestion that it might have been an exchange of sa-lutes by naval vessels, although it was said that vessels on active war duty are not permitted thus to reveal their

ONE OFFICER SHOT **OVER FORTY GERMANS**

Enemy's Efforts in Region of Monchy-le-Preux Very Costly

small British party at a point which enfiladed the trench had an extraor-dinary experience, shooting continu-ously till the trench was practically heaped with dead. It is reported one officer shot more than 40 Germans

COULD NOT OVERTAKE FEAT OF FLOCK OF **BRITISH FREIGHTER**

Trieste, the Trentino, Constantinople and Austro-Hungarian provinces as the price of victory, Great Britain would undertake the long planned annexation of our economic riches. Bread would be dear and wages lower for our entire laboring people. Therefore we must muster all our strength, clench dur teeth and remembering the sacrifices and sufferings of our men folk in the field, hold out and take up this new food sacrifice."

New York, April 18.—A German subterned by the marine disguised as a sailing ship, carrying three masts, was sighted by the morning recently a big flock of aeroplanes, whose pilots had been training in England, made the trip by air to the front in France in three hours. The aviators then ate luncheon and again ture or destruction through her superior speed, according to officers of the Southern Down on arrival of the Southern Down on arrival of the serifices and surgerings of our men folk in the field, hold out and take up this new food sacrifice."

Germans Send Down Second Spanish Ship

Junior Member Gets in Part of His Attack Upon Successful Candidate SIX MONTHS' HOIST IS

Opposition With Government for Once

his afternoon during the last round of the debate on the second reading of the Vancouver Election Inquiry Bill. The junior member for Vancouver ORDERS TO CANADA who might be said in a sense to take the place of Joseph Martin, K.C., M.P. as the stormy petrel of provincial poli tics were it not that the former Premler would possibly not thank anyon for the comparison, was the cause of

Legislative Press Gallery

April 17.

VANCOUVER INQUIRY

GETS SECOND READING

the animated tone of the debate. He lost his opportunity to speak or the second reading under circum-stances which have been related in these columns, owing to his stubborn refusal to go on and his demand for a of the orders received by the Imperial division on his motion to adjourn. The

Stood Alone.

The opportunity was afforded to-day up in the Dominion with the financial by the moving of this amendment by assistance of the Government. The above total equals *the international trade of the Dominion for 1912.

The value of munitions shipped up to March 30 was \$470,000,000, the total disbursements to March 30 being \$543, 600,000.

The number of employees is divided as follows: Headquarters staff, \$00; thirty-eight members, the rest of the as follows: Headquarters staff, 800; thirty-eight members, the rest of the inspection, 4,000; workers, direct and Opposition voting with the Govern-

Little good came to the Vancouver member through the chance given him, for when he got to the point where he probably was beginning his intended speech he found himself confronted by the rule which confines a member who has spoken to the main motion, as he Even Locomotives.

The products covered by these orders include shells and their component parts, which represent an immense tone nage of steel, brass, copper, lead, etc. They include propellants and fuses, ships, locomotives and cars. An impression of the financial magnitude of the business is obtained from the fact that the cash disbursements for March.

were \$41,000,000, and for April will be TISZA AND AUSTRIAN \$43,000,000. MINISTERS RESIGN

Hungarian Premier and Two Austrian Cabinet Officials Step Down

London, April 18.-An Amsterdar dispatch to the Central News says that the Budapest Socialist paper Noweszavk announces the resignation of Coun Tisza, the Hungarian Premier.

German Pressure. Amsterdam, April 18.—The Vienna papers announce that Dr. Urban, Minister of Commerce, and Dr. Barenrather, Minister Without Portfolio, have resigned from the Austrian Cabinet. Dispatches from Germany connect the resignations with the conconnect the resignations with the convocation of the Austrian Parliament next month, which they say is consid-ered in Germany as Inoportune in view of political events abroad.

Occupied Villages of Chavonne and Chivy ther Progress by British

Paris, April 18.-Important progress was made last night by the French forces in their attack east of Soissons. The War Office announced this afternoon the capture of Chavonne and Chivy. French troops pushed on north of these points, reaching the vicinity of Brayeen-Laonnois.

Several fortified positions in the sector of Ville-au-Bois and the MOVED TO HELP HIM OUT wood east of Ville-au-Bois were taken by French troops, 400 prisoners being captured.

German troops made three desperate counter-attacks in the Three Divisions Taken; Bulk of Champagne last night. They were checked by the French, who inflicted heavy losses on the attacking troops.

FRENCH VICTORY A BRILLIANT ONE large calibre.

EAST OF SOISSONS FRENCH

WRESTED MORE GROUND FROM

GERMANS, PARIS ANNOUNCES

Nothing Left to Chance in Attack Made East of Rheims

rictory, while on a smaller scale than that of Monday, is an equally import-

planning the attack for several weeks and had left nothing to chance. Every-thing was provided for and the chiefs We took 400 prisoners.

instructions to the letter.

As soon as the result of the battle between Soissons and Rheims was known, the order was given to attack. Punctually at 4.45 the French infantry "went over," well supported by a pow-Functually at 4.45 the French infantry "went over," well supported by a powerful mass of artillery. They swept forward in magnificent style and in two hours the enemy's first line swept term had been supported by a powerful mass of artillery. They swept forward in magnificent style and in two hours the enemy's first line swepter for the first

From their new positions the French of these were taken on the Champagne front.

and Nauroy. This Moronvilliers chain of hills was regarded by all French soldiers who had ever been in the section as virtually impregnable, and its capture caused the liveliest satisfaction to everybody.

The "75's" followed up the infantry rapidly and were soon in action. They rapidly and were soon in action. They

rapidly and were soon in action. They caught large bodies of the enemy mass-ing with the object of making a di-version and decimated them. Accord-

rapidly and were soon in action. They caught large bodies of the enemy massing with the object of making a diversion and decimated them. According to onlookers such carnage had not been seen since the action of Charme Gap at the beginning of the war.

On the right wing the struggle was equally to the advantage of the French. Auberive, on which the left wing of the Champagne offensive of 1915 broke, fell speedily, as well as all the surrounding works. The French forces made especially good progress north of Auberive. In the section east of Vaudesincourt, Hill 112 was stormed, as well as a small wood east of the fill, which was a regular nest of German. which was a regular nest of German

nachine guns.
Substantial Advance. At certain points the advance was close upon four miles in depth. The latest news reaching Paris says the battle continued well into the night,

next month, which they say is considered in Germany as inopportune in view of political events abroad.

There have been several recent resignations from the Austrian Cabinet. Early in the present month the Ministers of Justice, War and Finance surrendered their portfolios as the result of a graft scandal in connection with army food supplies. The Emperor refused to accept the resignation of the Minister of Justice, von Schenk, Shorting at the specific and on Paris on the other. The westment of the Minister of Justice, von Schenk, Shorting afterwards General von Krobatin, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of War, resigned.

and Advanced to Suburbs of Braye-en-Laonnois; Over 14,000 Prisoners; Fur-

Since Monday the French have captured more than 14,000 unyounded Germans. In the Champagne

large numbers of machine guns and rench mortars have been captured and dso twelve cannon, including three of The text of the communication fol-

"In the region south of St. Quentin last night was characterized by great activity on the part of the opposing artillery forces, together with numerous encounters between patrols. Similar conditions prevailed south of the Oise, in the sector east of the lower Forest of Coucy.

Paris, April 18.—The latest French fack on the enemy lines north of Laftaux resulted in our bringing back 20 prisoners.

that of Monday, is an equally important success. Both of the sections attacked had been left alone hitherto on account of the exceptional natural strength of the German positions. The French command held that an assault could be successfully undertaken only when overwhelming resources had been accumulated and the general situation was favorable.

The general who commands the armies of the right centre had been planning the attack for several weeks.

More Ground.

"Between Soissons and Auberive French troops hest night conducted at various points on the front operations which brought us distinct advantages. A particularly brilliant movement resulted in our occupation of the village of Chivy. To the north of these locations we have taken possession of ground as far as the suburbs of Braye-en-Laonnois. Our patrols have gone into this village. We took here 250 prisoners.

"In the sector of Ville-au-Bois we captured several fortified positions, as

captured several fortified positions, as

two hours the enemy's first line system had been captured. Later news
territory taken by main force from
came that the French soldiers were
the enemy include a considerable numcarrying all before them and taking
prisoners by the score. They seized
Mont Carrillet, Hont Haut and all the
crests commanding that region.

High Ground.

**Nevertheless we captured 12 cannon.

Nevertheless we captured 12 cannon. From their new positions the French ow look down upon Moronvilliers these were taken on the Champagne

Progress by British.

Berlin, April 18.—The number of prisoners taken by the Germans on the French battlefront yesterday, according to a statement issued to-day by the War Office, was increased to more than 3,000 officers and men.

French attacks in the Champagne vesterday, over a twelve-mile front

battle continued well into the night, the Germans counter-attacking without success and the French reconstructing the trench systems under the cover of their artillery.

According to information from a reliable source, the double offensive of the British north of Arras and of the French on the Alsne disarranged the German plans. Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, it is declared, was previous en offensive against Piece and Counter of the word between Morton Hindenburg, it is declared, was previous en offensive against Piece and Counter of the Wenty-six of the numerous French arranged the continue of the provided of the counter of the word between Morton French colored divisions which bead reached there.

During the fighting on April 16 twenty-six of the numerous French arranged to the continue of the word between Morton French colored divisions which bead reached there.

Berlin, April 18.—German forces in Macedonia, an official statement issued to-day says, drove the French and for positions one kilometre wide on the Cryena Stena which had been captured by French troops last March.

THE UNITED STATES

Allies Will Find President Wilson Whole-Hearted, Says Correspondent

Portland, Ore., April 18,-The Washngton correspondent of the Portland

The first word which President Wilon will say to the Anglo-French com-nigsioners dispatched to Washington o hold conferences with the American rights of humanity against the gravest menace by which they ever have been faced."

American Flag.

The Government to-day gave instructions. Sir Alfred Mond told the House of Commons, that on Friday, when the entrance of the United States into the war is to be celebrated, the States into the war is to be celebrated, the Stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States into the war is to be celebrated. The stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States into the war is to be celebrated. The Stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States into the war is to be celebrated. The Stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States into the war is to be celebrated. The stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States into the war is to be celebrated. The stars and Stripes should be flown beside the United States will fight with Great Britain and France until the destruction of the Prussian autocracy has been achieved. This is the word Mr. Balfour, M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre will like best to hear. It is a message in the destruction of the Prussian autocracy has been achieved. This is the word Mr. Balfour, M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre will like best to hear. It is a message in the destruction of the Prussian autocracy has been scheed. This is the word Mr. Balfour, M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre will like best to hear. It is a message in the United States will fight with Great Britain and France until the destruction of the Prussian autocracy has been achieved. This is the word Mr. Balfour, M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre will like best to hear. It is a message in the destruction of the Prussian autocracy has been achieved. This is the word Mr. Balfour, M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre will like best to hear. It is a message in the first will be will discuss the star the United States will fight with Great first the United States will fig

are gone resented its phrasings of doubt now are jubilant. They say President Wilson will be as militant for war as he was for peace, and that he Entente plenipotentiaries will be told so before the first conference is a a minute old. Matters in connection with the loaning of the money to the Allies unquestionably will take second place in the interest of the visitors. What they will want to know is whether the memory of Lafayette and of Rocham-beau will be potent enough to move the American people to insist that an army

be sent to the line in France.

Well Trained. The Hague, April 18.—How urgent is the yearning for peace among the German people and how great is the increased strain just imposed on them in consequence of the reduction of the bread ration may be judged from the exhortations and the pictures of woeful alternatives published in provincial newspapers on the inaugura-French and British froops and to the operations in the field. In short, what the American army officers want to do strain a formy affects weather is still atroctous.

The sharpest fighting of the last

Without a Warning

owned in Bilbao.

Recent dispatches said much excitement had been caused in Spain by the

It was suggested that ships of the Allies which are constantly on hand might have come up with friendly war-ships and salutes been exchanged. Between 250,000 and 300,000

Boston, April 18.—Three coastguard stations, those at Race Point, Peaked Hill Bar and Highhead, reported that they heard heavy guns being fired at 19.41 a.n. to-day north of the stations in quick succession. These stations are off Provincetown.

British Headquarters in France

weeful alternatives published in provincial newspapers on the inauguration of the curtailment of the bread supply.

The Courier, of Hanover, for example, represents that a quicker but unsatisfactory peace would not lead to a better food supply. The people are told that Great Britain, France, Italy, and even the United States, are reckoning on a world famine for the gurrent year and that in case of a premature conclusion of peace the demands of these countries for their sown needs would prevent the supplying of Germany with foreign foodstuff.

The Courier portrays the British people as playing the highest grain prices of a century and declares that the Germans are situated more favorably than those who planned to starvethem, not being menaced by a bad world crop and rapidly shrinking ship.

In American army officers want to do is trained a farmy adequately and as the American army officers want to do is train a farmy adequately and as the American army officers want to do is train a farmy adequately and as the American army officers want to do is train a farmy adequately and as the roat to do the hart the heid of the train to do the train to the care that the heid of the train to do the train to do the sate three days has been in the neighbor-hood of which at the hood of the train to the care the hood of the train the nei

BRITISH AEROPLANES

Employed, Imperial Munitions Board Reports Ottawa, April 18.-The total value

Munitions Board in Canada is \$875,**
600,000, according to a statement furnished the Minister of Finance to-day
by J. W. Flavelle, head of the Coming is the six months' hoist. ssion. The statement shows the extent of the business in munitions built

indirect, 250,000 to 300,000. There are 630 factories, chemical and loading plants in operation carrying out the orders of the Board.

Even Locomotives.

that the cash disbursements for March

Contributed \$200,000,000. Towards the financing of this business the Dominion Government has contributed \$200,000,000. The Imperial Treasury arranged with the Canadia "The advances made," says Mr. Fla-

"The advances made," says Mr. Flavelle, "were not only of great value in themselves in assisting the Imperial Treasury to meet the ever present problem of exchange, but they gave evidence of so carnest a desire on the part of the Government and the people of Canada to co-operate and assist in bearing the burdens of the war that to an increasing extent those who had control of the placing of this business turned to Canada, first because they desired to give as much jusiness to us as possible and secondly because they knew they would receive immediate and tangible assistance in paying for the products ordered. Before orders are placed by the Ministry of Munitions the Treasury's approval of each transaction has to be secured. It may be understood, therefore, what a powtransaction has to be scarce. It may be understood, therefore, what a pow-erful ally there was in securing the business in the knowledge which the Treasury possessed that it would se-cure sustained support from the Gov-ernment of Canada in rendering assistance by providing funds to meet these added obligations."

GERMANS INTERNED AT SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, April 18.—Twenty Germans, members of crews of German ships seized by the United States near Seattle, arrived here to-day for

ECONOMY IS THE DUTY OF ALL

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GERMAN ATROCITIES **RECORDED BY FRENCH**

What Commission Found In Regions of Somme, Oise and Aisne

inted by the Government to investipleted its inquiry in the evacuated re-"Everything in this spectacle station disclosed a method of mplacable and striking uniformity hat it is impossible not to see in it he execution of a rigorously prepared lan," says the commission in its re-

ort.

"All this was done at the same time and with the same ferocity, in order bring about misery, inspire terror ad create desperation."

At the beginning of October, the re-ort affirms, inhabitants of Verpilliere were arrested on the pretext that they were communicating with the French triny. They were taken before a court-martial at Avricourt, and after inquiry twelve of them were mark-on the right check with a blue

"We have not yet been informed o

"Among persons compelled to leave their homes," the report continues,
"were paralytics and persons who were
on their death beds."

Specific details are given in the re regarding the pillage of cemeter Images of Christ in silver were

torn from crucifixes, and numerous tombs were violated.

On March 3 the deportations from the vicinity of Brouage were ordered. The ill and infirm were not exempt. The cold was intense, and the next day 27 persons died. Professor Benneke, an army doctor, was jabot the same evening.

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The report tells how soldiers of the German army seized food and other things, promising to pay for them, but the promises were not kept: Among those who seized commodities was the Grand Duke of Hesse, a hardware store at Ham being his victim.

Residents were even taken from their beds, not being given time to remove anything from their homes.

"Nowhere" the report concludes, "Nowhere" the report concludes, on the report concludes, who have the report concludes, who have the report concludes the report co

just undergone such severe trials any indication of discouragement. We have found no other feeling than that of patriotism and destern will to obtain by victory reparation for so many

INDICATES GERMAN MORALE IS BROKEN

Canadians Needed Medical Attention

Canadian Army Headquarters France, April 17.—Via London, April 18.—(By Stewart Lyon, Canadian Overseas Press Correspondent).—The Battle of Vimy was a disgraceful detrols on the Canadian front, when a whole brigade of that Gnard took the place of Bavarian units drawn ou after the battle. An officer who i dl-known in British Columbia, where has visited as a big game hunter vs that despite the intensity of the tent of the measures and mean

ly deprived his country of much war terial, but indicated demoralization the men who garrisoned the ridge. Medical returns as, to the wounder ptured Germans required surgica

iong the German infantry. ne snemy seems to be burning every-ning of value. The mines may be recked in the Lens district, but the

tiffened. Everybody on this front ha

en greatly encouraged by the good ws from the south of the Arras. During the recent scouting work of a Canadian cavalry, a young officer cealed machine gun opened fire on - The lieutenant fell ounded, but refused the rescue prot-ed by his sergeant, whom he ordered run back to the infantry lines with he important information gathered during the ride through the enemy's nd presumably is a prisoner. His selfacrifice had important results.

C.P.R.'S EARNINGS.

4 were \$2,833,000, an increase of \$256,-00 over the corresponding week last

THE NEWEST REMEDY Backache, Rheumatism and Dropsy.

Ridney, Bladder and Uric Acid trouoles bring misery to many. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the muscles and joints, it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to try "Anuric." Send 10c. for trial package. During digestion uric acid is absorbed into the system from meat eaten, and even from some vegetables. The poor kidneys get tired and backache begins. This is a good time to take "Anuric," the new discovery of Dr. Pierce for Kidney trouble and Backache. Neglected kidney trouble is responsible for many deaths, and Insurance Company examining doctors always test the water of an applicant before a policy will be issued. Have you ever set aside a bottle of water for, twenty-four hours? A heavy sediment or settling sometimes indicates kidney trouble. The true nature and character of diseases, especially those of the kidneys and urinary organs, can often be determined by a careful chemical an alysis and microscopical evamination—this is done by expert chemists of the Medical Staff of the Invalids' Hotel. If you wish to know your condition send a sample of your water to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Binfalo, N. Y., and describe your symptoms. It will be examined without any expense to you, and Doctor Pierce or his Staff of Assisting Physicians will inform you truthfully.

CANADIAN FIGHTERS BRAVE TO THE LAST

ons out here face death when it

cave brought to the Dominion by their courage in battle and their cheerful-cess and adaptability in camp and

What of the last and greatest test of manhood — the "inevitable" encounter that awaits all human beings, from which only the spirit can hope to em

Chaplains of the Canadian corp ofth whom I have spoken say without estation that Canada's sons who pass ot, in the field and in the ambulances and hospitals immediately behind the But 800 of 4,000 Captured by front, die as bravely as they fight.

Not One.

"I have yet to hear one of these mortally wounded men express fear of death," said a chaplain who has knelt in the field by the side of dying men wherever Canadians have fought—in the Ypres salient, on the Somme, at Festubert-and who wears the ribbon of the Military Cross, given for con-spicuous valor, "Most of them," he added, "have thought of the other side as men will who are confronted daily by death in many turns. In most cases mortfilly wounded men are mentally alert when they go out. I recall one young fellow with whom I was speak ing of spiritual things both of us knowing that he had but a few minutes to live saying in answer to my as-surance that it was into God's world he was passing and adding: 'It will be most interesting to me to compare,

"Many of the men have little knowl edge of creeds and religious observ-ances, but I have met but one who did not understand the significance of the e had never been to Sunday

They are not given to self pity. Thoughts of home and of the folk there, especially of the mother, are often the last in their co In one case I recall, a young chap was greatly distressed over the blank his death would leave in the life of his

"The general note is one of unfaltering acceptance of the inevitable." Instinct of Immortality.

Another chaplain, speaking of his inistrations to dying men, said: "We did not send over all the sainte in Canada to do our share of the light-ing. Some of our men have been hard cases-but I have yet to hear one avow himself an infidel or an unbeliever in a hereafter. The dying men have the in

stinct-of immortality."

The testimony of the Canadian field chapitains as to how the men face the king of terrors is that of much experi-The sixty-five chaplains present on duty represent all the im-portant branches of the church. They labor together in the most complete harmony-Protestant and Roman Ca tholic, Anglican and Methodist, Presby erian and Baptist. They hold service for the men in the field often under hellfire, comfort and pray for the dying, write letters to the relatives at home of those who pass out, and in ad-dition operate a system of canteens and cinema entertainments behind the lines a good deal like that of the Y. M. C. A., the chief difference being that the chaplains' system is officially re-cognized and its accounts audited by

The canteens, of course, are dry, and the things sold are largely supplemen-tary entables. The entertoiners at the cinemas and the men who operate them are so selected that there is is lungairment of the lighting strength. Men out on leave, or certified as temporar-ily unfit for the trenches, are utilized. ment of the lighting strength. Men Col. R. Danbury Davies.

out on leave, or certified as temporarMilitary Cross—Licut. George Albert
lly unfit for the trenches, are utilized. Allen, Lieut Thomas Brown Barrie.

No salaries are paid and the profits are
Licut. John Marshall Baker. Capt.

used to provide coffee behind the front
Douglas Carmichael, Lieut. W. Albert
during engagements and thermos flasks:
Dawe, Lieut, Wilfred Derbyshire, Lieut
of lack of faith in the value of the
profits the profits are being able to get the interests together.

The Voight property is a big group,
and some of the claim-owners would
not agree to the terms of the bond. during engagements and thermos flasks in which coffee and tea are conveyed. Andrew Duncan, Lieut. F. Charles to the wounded along the line of an advance and at the first-aid stations to which the ambulances cannot penetrate. Stationery, sporting supplies and similar things not provided under army regulations also are supplied free of cost from the cinema and canteen surplus. The total turnover of this remarkably useful social service department conducted by the Canadian chaplains was over \$100,000 in the three months ended December 31. The profits were about \$10,000, and all of that went back to the troops in the form of comforts.

Dawe, Lieut, Wilfred Derbyshire, Lieut. Heat. F. Charles Hill, which he stated many years ago, and supplied the charles the chains, which he staked many years ago, and upon which he has done a great deal of development work, and he also has partners in the group, evidently, whom he has not yet been able to bring into harmony when the question of a big deal is breached.

W. Symonds, Lieut. Maurice B. Thornstain was over \$100,000 in the three months ended December 31. The profits were about \$10,000, and all of that twent back to the troops in the form of comforts.

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Charitable Work.

The cinemas are used also in charitable work. On a recent Sunday at a small town behind the front over \$125 was raised by a cinema show for the war widows and orphans of the town

was raised by a chema show for the war widows and orphans of the town This on a five-cent admission fee was a remarkable result.

The canteens, sports, reading rooms and other recreations promoted and financed by the chaplains, the Y. M. C. A and various regimental agencies are of the greatest importance in combatting the pernicious influence of the "estaminets"—the equivalent of the "English" pub."—with which northern France is plentifully provided. The chema is plentifully provided. The chema is plentifully provided. The chema is more than a match for the estaminets, and anyone who could see the Canadians as they come off duty just now, wading through mud over their sheetops, toward their rest camps, would readily understand that a well lighted tent or room in which to read and write must be for the exhausted private soldler "the very gate of Heaven." In whatever other respects there may have been failures of organization in carrying on Canada's part in the



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thins and social service workers that they have done all that could be done to prevent the things of the spirit from

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being submerged and lost sight of.

New York, April 18.-War will soon cast a pall over the gay night life of New York City. An order issued by Mayor Mitchel, to take effect May 1, will stop the sale of liquor throughout he city at 1 o'clock in the morning All-night licenses held by saloons, he tels, roof gardens, restaurants and cabarets will be cancelled for the dura

Mayor Mitchel said that his action was called for by good taste and a proper sense of the present crisis; also by the necessity of conserving "our reources, national and personal, huma and-material."

CANADIANS HONORED.

London, April 18.-The award of the Distinguished Service Order to one and the Military Cross to twenty-two Canadian officers, was gazetted last night. Licut.-Col. R. D. Davies, of the infan-try, is the officer appointed to the Dis-tinguished Service Order.

An unusual award, also gazetted last night, is the decoration with the Military Cross of Sergt-Major. W. H. Marsden, of the infantry. The Military Cross hitherto has been almost exclusively an honor reserved for officers performing gallant or conspicuous services.

A list of those decorated follows: Distinguished Service Order Lieut.-cl. R. Danbury Davies.

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ficially announced now that the \$3,property, on Copper Mountain in the Princeton district, is off.

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EXTENSION OF LIFE OF

London, April 18.—Alt possibility of the country being disturbed in the near future by a general election was removed last night, when on a vote of 286 to 52 the louse of Commons passed on second reading the bill for the extension of the life of the present Parliament until November.

The Irish Nationalists

The Irish Nationalists were the chief the German organizations, and reduced appoints of the bill, on the ground elab-laciated sections where enemy groups orated by John Dillon, that no solution still resisted.

of Home Rule for Ireland had yet been "About 340 o'clock this afternoon a

EMBARGO PLACED.

Montreal, April 18.—In order that exporters who have not secured cargo
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feace in outgoing vessels may be deterred from shipping their consignments to Montreal, and to prevent the
serious freight congestion that would
occur otherwise, the railways have issued notices of an embargo concerning
such shipments. The embargo specifically excepts freights consigned to the
Imperial Government, and also excepts
cases where steamship space has been
forced as to depth. cases where steamship space has been forced as to depth.

FRENCH SWEPT ON EAST OF RHEIMS

Hurled German Troops Back in Extension of Great Attack.

Paris, April 18.—Continuing their terrific attack against the German positions between Solssons and Rheims and east of the latter place yesterday, the French carried German first line positions over many miles of front, captured many powerfully organized heights, occupied the important village of Auberive and on this part of the front, about two miles in extent, took more than 2,500 prisoners, the War Office announced last night in the following report:

"We enlarged our action to-day east of Rheims, and attacked the German lines between Prunay and the road

pound three times a day after meals, and on retiring at night. I always keep a bottle in the house."—Mrs. L. N. Burnham, 295 South St., Jamaica, N. Y. Women who recover their health naturally tell others what helped them. Some write and allow their names and photographs to be published with testimonials. Many more tell their friends.

Write Lydia E. Pinkham 25. In the district of Rheims, and attacked the German and attacked the German hines between Prunay and the road from St. Hilaire to St. Souplet. Not with the avertice of the standing violent guests of rain and saw, our troops proved themselves irresistible. They carried on a front of 15 kilometres (9 1-3 miles), despite the resistance of the enemy, all the first German positions south of Moron-villiers.

Line of Heights.

German Statement.

Berlin, April 18.—French forces failed, with heavy casualties, to break them with standing violent guests of rain and saw, our troops proved themselves irresistible. They carried on a front of 15 kilometres (9 1-3 miles), despite the Champagne, hard fighting was in progress throughout Thesday. The text of villiers.

Line of Heights.

Write Lydia E. Pinkham 25.

troops brilliantly carried on a front of 11 kilometres a line of heights, strongly organized, from Mont Carnil-let as far east as Vaudesincourt.

"Farther east a spirited action en-abled us to capture the village of Au-berive, and the powerfully fortified salient formed by the German line around that village on a front of three

still resisted.

"About 240 o'clock this afternoon a strong enemy counter-attack near the Hurtubise farm (west of Craonne) was repulsed. Another violent attempt in the sector of Courcy, occupied by the Russian troops, likewise failed.

"The losses suffered by the Germans \$50,000

were considerable, not only in the battle, but on the preceding days. On
the eye of the attack, an enemy division while engaged in goings to the
tellef of a neighboring division lost
under the violence of our artillery fre
the greater part of its effectives. The
number of unwounded prisoners taken
by us yesterday between Soissons and
Rheims has reached a total of 11,000."

Progress By British.

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London, April 18.—The following official report was issued last night:

"In the neighborhood of the Havrincourt wood we made further progress
forday north of Gouzeaucourt. Encounters occurred throughout the day
west and northwest of Lens, where
we continue to press the enemy. Hostile attempts to drive back our advaneed troops were unsuccessful.
"In spite of the exceedingly unfavor-

"In spite of the exceedingly unfavorable weather, much useful work was carried out by our aeroplanes yesterday. Three German machines were driven down damaged in the air fighting, but in most cases the enemy avoided combat. Five of our machines are missing."

After failure, with heavy losses, of the French attempt to break through our lines, they have renewed their at-tacks on the Aisne. "In Champagne bitter fighting pro-ceeded throughout the day on both sides of Auberive."

AN EXPORT DUTY ON COPPER FROM CHILE

Governor-General of Australia, congratulating the Canadian people on behalf of the Australian Government and people on the splendid achievement of the Canadian soldiers in France. He

THREE FIREMEN KILLED.

Troy, N. Y., April 18.—Battalion Chief Bailey and two other firemen were killed and eight, including Chief Patrick Byron, were seriously injured The property loss is estimated

CASUALTIES AMONG **CANADIAN SOLDIERS**

Ottawa, April 18.—The following cas

Killed in action-Mai. J. H. Sweet Victoria, B. C.; Maj. C. S. Chipman Winnipeg: Maj. Hallfax; Capt. W. T. Hooper, Winni-Patitax; Capt. W. T. Hooper, Winnipeg; Maj. D. Michael, Scotland; Lieut. J. F. Manley, Vancouver; Lieut. C. D. Hewson, Toronto; Lieut. R. F. Alken, Winnipeg; Lieut. A. G. Mackie, Scotland; Lieut. M. M. Townley, Burnaby Lake, B. C. Killed accidentally—Pte. C. Wilson, England.

Died-Pte. S. Elder, Port Granville, N. S.; Pte. N. Bunkley, Hanover, Ont.; Pte. J. Patterson, Dundas, Ont.; Pte. R. Read, London, Ont. England.

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Died of wounds—Pte. C. Brown,
Westmorland, N. B.; Pte. J. Lawson,
Chatham, N. B.; Pte. R. Thlekins,
Ashern, Man.; Pte. V. Heureux, Quebec; Pte. J. Struthers, Scotland; Pte.
A. Hughes, St. John, N. B.; Sgt. M.
Dodwell, Floriana, Alta; Pte. L. Webster, Toronto: Pte. J. J. McArthur,
Nanaimo, B. C.; Pte. J. McPhee, Calsteredonia, P. E. I.; Pte. W. Thorpe,
North Battleford, Sask; Pte. P. Chaham, Micksburg, Ont.; Pte. B. Nesbitt, m, Micksburg, Ont.; Pte. B. Nesbitt Halleybury, Ont.; Pte. G. Hines, Liverpool, N. S.; Pte. A. D., Calderwood, Regina; Lieut. N. Vickers, Benwick, Ont.; Pte. L. Yeo, Toronto.

Wounded and reported missing Lieut. P. F. Graham, England.

Missing-Lieut. I. H. Glasgow, Pres-cott, Ont.; Lieut. S. P. Benson, To

Thomas, St. Peters, Man.; Pte. C. Knigge, Winnipeg; Pte. G. McDonald, Winnipeg; Pte. B. Reed, Central Butte. Srsk.; Pte. W. F. Arrowsmith, England; Sgt.-Maj. J. H. Whitehouse, St. John, N. B.; Pte. G. C. Fisher, Truro, N. S.; Pte. W. Doyle, Kensington, P. E. I.; Pte. K. Mackay, Montreal; Pte. J. Johnston, Carp, Ont., Pte. J. Johnston, Toronto; Pte. G. Eagle, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. V. Willett, New Richmond, Que.; Pte. H. J. Jones, Toronto; Pte. F. Cool, Chatham, N. B.; Pte. M. Sheppard, Newfoundland; Pte. A. Archer, Winnipeg; Sgt. A. McLeod. Sottland; Pte. G. McKenzie, Scotland; Pte. G. McKenzie, Scotland; Pte. H. McKinnon, Coleman, P. E. I.; Pte. H. McKinnon, Coleman, P. E. I.; Pte. H. McKinnon, Coleman, P. E. I.; Pte J. Caudion, Channel Islands; Pte. A. W. Colman, Toronto; Pte. J. S. Dunn, To-ronto; Pte. W. J. Squire, Newton, Ont.; Pte. R. J. Fox, Amherstburg, Ont. Pte. E. Olsen, Toronta; Pte. J. D. Mc-Donald, West Saskatoon, Sask.; Pte. F. Hurley, St. John, N. B.; Pte. A. Honyust, Muncle, Ont.; Pte. R. S. Graham, Winnipeg; Pte. H. F. Huxtable, England; Pte. F. Wightman, England; Pte. J. Berwick, 2330 Trent St., Victoria, B. C.; Pte. A. Horn, England; Cpl. O. Woodward, England; Pte. H. Lecell, Winnipege, Pte. W. J. Taylor, D. S. W. J. Cpl. O. Woodward, England; Pte. H. Lacell, Winnipeg; Pte. W. J. Taylor, Ottawa; Pte. J. Mebb, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. W. J. Gamble, Measford, Ont.; Pte. T. J. Kline, Hallifax; Pte. W. Matheson. Sydney, N. S.; Lieut. C. M. Manning, St. John, N. B.; Lieut. H. T. M. Love, Vancouver; Pte. L. B. Nicholson, Collingwood. East, B. C.; Cpl. A. G. Heaven, Grand Forks, B. C.; Pte. J. Aston, Vancouver.

stock, Ont.; Cpl. N. M. Smith, Toronto; Pte. J. J. Pratt, Truro, N. S.; Pte. A. E. Turner, Winnipeg; Pte. S. Parker, England; Lieut.-Col. E. Jones, D. S. O. Brockville, Ont.; Cpl. P. H. Reville, England; Pte. R. C. Dubney, Picton, Ont.; Cpl. W. W. Samson, Philadel-phia, Pa.; Pte. A. G. Mcfe, Dunphia, Pa; Pte. A. G. Meñe, Dun-church, Ont.; Pte R. Thornton, Eng-land; Pte. W. J. Wilson, Princeton, Ont.; Pte. W. Baker, Orilla, Ont.; Pte. G. Connell, Chipman, N. B.; Pte. J. Rettie, Toronto; Pte. T. W. Mc-Aioney, River Hebert, N. S.; Pte. J. MacFarlane, Scotland; Cpl. W. H. Grabase, Physical Res. Al. Aresen land; Pte. W. J. Wilson, Princeton, Ont.; Pte. W. Baker, Orilia, Ont.; Pte. G. Connell, Chipman, N. B.; Pte. J. Rettle, Toronto; Pte. T. W. Mc-Aloney, River Hebert, N. S.; Pte. J. Marchard, Pte. W. Farrow, England; Pte. A. J. Aresenicau, Petit Roche, N. B.; Pte. F. L. Auriel, Metlakatia, B. C.; Pte. B. M. Dakin, St. John, N. B.; Pte. T. Andrews, Winnipeg; Pte. J. A. Reid, Scotland; Pte. J. A. Reid, Scotland; Pte. J. A. Reid, Scotland; Pte. F. Seriously ill—Pte. W. S. Arsenault, kirk, Man.; Pte. A. Hargraves, Winnipeg; Pte. J. A. Reid, Scotiand; Pte. F.
Goodland, England; Pte. M. Mathias,
Quebec; Pte. R. Spence, Poplar Point,
Man.; Pte. T. S. Eaden, England; Pte.
D. Irwin, Toronto; Pte. O. Lefler, Killbride, Ont.; Pte. W. Ovink, Hamilton,
Ont.; Pte. W. Gauthier, England; Pte.
L. Bevere, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. A. E.
Wounded, St. Mai, D. W. Patter-Dride, Ont.; Pte. W. Ovink, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. W. Gauthier, England; Pte. J. Sayers, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. A. E. Eccles, Gladstone, Man.; Pte. W. Henry, Toronto; Pte. H. Stratton, Hearst, Ont.; Pte. L. H. Hepburn, Lindsay, Ont.; Sgt. V. Klemenko, Russia; Pte. A. Neumenko, Russia; Pte. J. C. Miller, Ottawa; Pte. L. H. Saunders, North Bay, Ont.; Pte. A. Williamson, England; Pte. N. Craig, England; Pte. W. A. Clark, Bladworth, Sask.; Pte. H. W. Spooner, Taunton, Mass.; Pte. C. H. Wainman; Turbine, Ont.; Pte. G. Tout, Moose Jaw; Pte. D. W. Carmichael, Grand Banks, Nfd.; Pte. W. Finlay, Scotland; Pte. D. Gilbert, Yorkton, Sask.; Pte. T. Matte, St. Jean, Man.; Capt. G. A. Holman, Wlunipeg; Lieut. J. C. Burgess, Carleton Place, Ont.; Pte. J. Craadale, Basse, Pte. L. Simpson, Wipnipeg; Sapper W. Serlonsly ill and wounded—Sapper J. G. J. Simpson, Wipnipeg; Sapper W. Serlonsly ill and wounded—Sapper J. G. J. Simpson, Wipnipeg; Sapper J. Sapper J. Serlonsly ill and wounded—Sapper J. G. J. Simpson, Wipnipeg; Sapper J. Sapper J. Sapper J. Sapper J. J. C. Woods, England.

Killed in action—Lieut. J. Armstrong, Ottawa; Sapper J. Bochel, Scotland; Sapper T. G. Potter, Toronto; Sapper W. Robertson, Scotland; Sapper J. H. Sapper J. Bochel, Scotland; Wounded, remaining on duty—Lieut. H. S. Rytle, Toronto; Sapper S. A. Mindle, Coehill, Ont.; Sapper E. J. Brown, England; Sapper G. Dick, Oaksburn, Man. Jean, Man.; Capt. G. A. Holman, Winnipeg; Lieut. J. C. Burgess, Carleton Place, Ont.; Pte. J. Croasdale, Bagot, Man.; Pte. J. C. Morrow, Scotland; Pte. J. McCullough, Winnipeg; Pte. O. Piggott, Winnipeg; Pte. J. Laurent, St. Laurent, Man. Pte. A. Demkoff, Russla; Lieut. R. B. McCarthy, England; Lieut. J. E. Talt, Winnipeg; Pte. P. Cormier, Point Oro, N. S.; Pte. J. Cowsherd, Regina; Pte. G. Baragar, Gooding, Sask.; Major G. S. Thornton, Norwood, Man.; Lieut. T. F. Carruthers, Haliburton, Ont.; Lieut. G. S. Gisborne, Ottawa; Cpl. H. Edwards, ruthers, Hailburton, Ont.; Lleut. G. S. Gisborne, Ottawa; Cpl. H. Edwards, Franktown, Ont.; Pte. J. Falk. England; Capt. W. A. Morrison, Matheson, Ont.; Lieut. D. Guthrie, no address; Lieut. F. G. Roiph, Teronto; Lieut.-Col. C. M. Edwards, D. S. O. England; Lieut. E. B. Finley, Montreal; Lieut. T. C. Urquhart. Toronto; Pte. A. O. Birch, Treherne, Man.; Lieut. C. W. Dickson, Kingston; Lieut. V. A. Elliott, England; Lieut. N. H. Peters, England; Lieut. J. Ross, Vancouver; Capt. J. B. Ross, Wellington, Ont.; Lieut. J. D. McLennan, Field, B. C. Reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoners at Dulmein.—Pte. J.

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Seriously ill-Cpl. G. Cox. Pincher Creek, Alta. Wounded-Lleut. G. J. Alken, Galt, Ont.; Lieut. P. B. Harris, Gore's Landing, Ont.; Sapper G. Pederson, Minnedosa, Man.; Sapper E. Alton, Parker,

Mounted Services. Wounded-Lieut. C. Clarke, England. Wounded: remaining on duty-Lieut. W. S. Russell, Montreal. Wounded and missing-Lieut. T. H. Murray, Brockville, Ont.

Medical Services Wounded; remaining on duty-Maj. G. J. Boyce, Quebec.

Died of wounds-Sgt. W. E. Cochrane, Sintaluta, Sask.

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The great French offensive now covers a front of nearly sixty miles, extending from the neighborhood of Soisthus has reached the western region of against the Roblin administration in the Champagne district. Whether it is Manitoba went there. about to spread to the Argonne, the Verdun sector and across the Vosges into Lorraine and Alsace should be re vealed shortly. At present the French they will. In this determination he has have a formidable undertaking on their the support of the whole country with hands and they are going about it in out regard to party affillations. The a methodical, business-like way which member who dared to put an obstacl must cause the utmost concern to the in his path would be driven into politi-German general staff, already highly alarmed by the far-reaching British to receive millions of public moneye victory between Arras and Lens. The more than it had earned, an open vic number of prisoners taken by our ally lation of the law? Why was this corsince Monday morning is 14,000. Of poration permitted to use that mone these 11,000 were garnered in the first according to its own will without the day's fighting between Soissons and slightest interference on the part of an attack yesterday on the front east terest? Why was the warning of the of Rheims. Before the present week is Government railway engineer igover the French probably will have nored? Who shared in the company's taken nearly 20,000 unwounded German effectives. Already the number of man effectives. Already the number of prisoners taken in the British and French operations of the last ten days represent a German total loss of more than 100,000 men. than 100,000 men.

In the fighting between Soissons and Rheims yesterday the French captured the towns of Chavonne and Chivy, the announcement indicating that the line our map yesterday was drawn too far forward, for both points are behind it. The most important gain, however, was in the district east of Rheims where the village of Auberive was captured and all the bostile first-line po sitions were taken. To-day's French report shows that our Allies have en ergetically followed up their advantage and are now menacing Nauroy and year 1916, Sir Clifford Sifton, chairman Moronvillers, while with the capture of of that body, made the following Hill 112 they are within a mile of the servation relative to the timber supply lateral railroad line which links up the German army on the Aisne and around the Champagne and Argonne districts Were the French able to continue this the neighborhood of that place—just as and Dr. Whitford will report, inter the British progress near Lens finally alia, that, of the 25,000,000 are absorbed by the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the state of the progress of the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the state of the progress of the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the state of the progress of the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the progress of the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the progress of the British Columbia, 92,000,000 are absorbed by the British Progress of the Briti will involve the expulsion of the enemy from Lille-besides squeezing them out of the Champagne and Argonne dis-

withstanding the fact that it already has inflicted upon the enemy a greater material loss than he suffered in months of bitter fighting on the months of bitter fighting on the months are engaged in "The stand of merchantable timber who allies are engaged in "The stand of merchantable timber who are investigators to be ns which at the very least is reported by our and Belgium together. At the most, are protection system and the prothat is to say, assuming that the Britthat is to say, assuming the Britthat is to say, as the Britthat is to say, as the Britthat is to say, as the the enemy's whole western front, they will completely overthrow his military power. It should be borne in mind that weather conditions at present are more favorable for defence than for attack.

Before many weeks have passed they be the permanency of the supply."

The annual growth of timber in British Columbia is five or six times the amount of the annual cut, so that, if cutting be properly regulated, a great increase in the annual production might be made without impairing the permanency of the supply." will be on the side of the Allies. Then Sir Clifford Sifton's statistics sh

material, morale and initiative will be the determining factors.

MUST PROVE OR QUIT.

Mr. Cowper must prove the serious harge he has laid at the door of the earance of either Mr. Macdonald or province. The fact that he coupled with it rumors concerning other matersonally hostile to the Attorneyeneral, nourishes a grievance against the vessel which carried him into the Legislature, in no way detract from he necessity of affording him the fullest opportunity of making good the main and direct accusation which fell from his lips yesterday afternoon. Nor need the assumption that he has kept the charge imprisoned in his mind for many months be considered a prejudicing his position. and the Attorney-General there should be a fair field and no favor. If he copy for display advertisements to choose a new first law officer. If he at Times Office before \$ p. m. of he falls he must pass into ignominious is imperative. When this rule is not lied with we do not guarantee in the property of the property respectable person in the Property respectable pers every respectable person in the Prov-

GET THE WHOLE TRUTH.

The relations between subsidy huntng railroad corporations and the public life of the country must be cleared at once. We already have the outrageous spectacle of two members of a company which has played church meetings and services, concerts, with the knowledge and connivance of the late Government, defying and nsulting the people of the province through their legislature by leaving for But Canada, after being for two and a a foreign country in the midst of an inquiry in which their testimony was vitally required in the public interest. We understand the legislature lacks the power to enforce the attendance of those witnesses now outside its jurisdiction, of which they, of course, were well aware, but a reference of the matter to the criminal courts might pu a different aspect on the situation and sons to a point nearly twenty miles to the criminal courts, if possible, this ast of Rheims. The flame of battle matter should go as the charges

The Premier announces that he in tendsto probe the whole mess to the bottom, let the consequences be what cal obscurity. How came the P. G. E. those sworn to guard the public in creant witnesses shielding by leaving

lions at stake, and in such effeum stances interested parties, will go th limit in intrigue, intimidation, counter blasts and charges. But the time ha come to put an end to the debauching activities of concession hunters in British Columbia and we believe Mr. Brewster will do it.

In the course of an interesting and instructive review of the work of the Commission on Conservation for the of this province:

"The inventory of the forest sources of Canada is proceeding. The reports on British Columbia and Sas Katchewan will be published during reports on partial common and sas-isatchewan will be published during the coming year. They will be authori-tative statements which may be re-ferred to with confidence. Mr. Craig What we are reading about on the western front is merely a foretaste of what is to come. The double offensive that, of \$2,000,000 acres of absolutely is only in its preliminary stages, notenly abou 17,000,000 remain entirely un injured by fire. It is surely evident tha

about 360,000,000,000 feet. It is satisfac-

will come the time when superiority in how vitally necessary to the welfare of this Province are prompt and active seasures for the conservation of its forest wealth. The Provincial Govern ment already has taken substantial forward steps towards this end. Indeed, in this respect British Columbia is much farther advanced than most Attorney-General. He has raised an of the other timber bearing province ssue which must involve the disap- But a great deal remains to be done and in this the public must be an mself from the public life of the portant factor. A strong conservation sentiment should be developed. We should realize that we are losing milers known to be untrue, that he is lions through carelessness, in the mis taken impression that we have a su perfluity of riches. We should tal the Government and has abandoned care of the young timber growth in he realization that it will be a source ish Columbia's timber resources car be made a permanent asset by the exercise of a proper spirit of conserva

As Mrs. Malaprop is reported to have

said, comparisons are odorous. The

Montreal Herald quotes the following country has indulged in its industrial out of the belligerents in Europe and out of private individual consume States itself at war, there must com as one of the very first strokes of conflict a firm Government grip upon the price of all commodities, ready fixed it upon the total salable product of our second largest industry. complain of like treatment." Herald says: "To this may be added that the American Government are giving every indication that a strict regulation of prices will be put into force, as one of the first war measures half years at war, is allowing her working classes to be bled white in order that there may be an industrial champagne jag for 'the interests.' Not a finger has been lifted by the Govern nent to protect the people from the price-boosters. Indeed, by passing farcical Order-in-Council prohibiting price-boosting, and then declining to out that order in force in the face o direct and repeated challenges, the Government are practically informing the interests' that they are free to go the limit."

"Canada!" exclaimed the Colone (Roosevelt) warmly, when asked if e had a message for the Dominion "A grand country, Canada; and grand people, Canadians. They've made themselves immortal in this conflict for liberty and right. My their rooms in the Belmont Block last hat off to them. Tell them I look night one of the members brought to forward to the honor of serving side the attention of the meeting certain by side with them."

After weighty affairs of state have golf on the links near Washington, D.C. If ex-President Viviani were addicted on the part of the speaker to direct a to the game they might make it a tirade on the Government, more than hinting that promises were not being

Berlin reports indicate a belief that did not get far. Hindenburg is still engaged in the task of luring the allies on to their destrucion. The people of Germany are ex-

ors refuse to have their "private affairs" exposed to the vulgar gaze. But the money they handled and distributed

Bro. Bryan has volunteered and Henry Ford has placed all his works at the service of the war department of the United States. But LaFollett as not yet offered to "do his bit."

Spring house cleaning would appear to be the order of the day in the Britsh Columbia parliament buildings.

that there is any lack of the sense

John T. Scott, apparently, is goin a have plently of company in his

The voice was the voice of Cowper, but the hand was the hand of Bowser

KILLED IN SEATTLE.

Seattle, April 18.-The body of Mrs ie wife of James A. Wehn, a sculp-r, was found this morning at the bot-m of a guich on West Wheeler Street,

home. Evidently she was struck over the head and her body dragged from the street to the guich.

Mrs. Wehn's hand was cut, and there were other evidences that she had fought with her assailant. Her hand-

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GOVERNMENT JOBS AND THE RETURNED SOLDIER

Suggestion of Attempts to "Prime" Opposition Members; Secretary Applies Balm

turned Soldiers' Association, held in the members of the staff of the Ser-After weighty affairs of state have geant-at-Arms at the Parliament even disposed of, we may expect Mr. Buildings. He declared that three of the staff were not returned soldiers. tions had been denied to returne men. There was a general tendency kept in respect of returned soldiers. It

Non-Political.

H. W. Hart, the secretary of the As ociation, declared to the meeting that The rule of Roblin and Rogers in Manitoba was bad enough but at its worst if had not reduced the prairie province to the depths reached by British Columbia under McBride and lower as a consequence of their involved in the consequence of the consequence province to the depths reached by 187tcish Columbia under McBride, and
Bowser as a consequence of their inperiocking relations with railway corporations.

The P. G. E. promoters and contractThe P. G. E. promoters and contractOpposition members in either House as indicating
their association could be used for
party purposes. He was afraid there
was a tendency to attempt to "prime"
Opposition members.

Opposition members. Their Only Tribunal.

The Government could always be W. J. Bowser and W. R. Ross Speak explanation deemed necessary in the event of falling down on their prom-ises or undertakings. The Govern-ment was their tribunal. Its composi-tion was a matter in which they were not in the least concerned, so long a such an institution existed for the fai performance of its functions in the covernment of the country. A resolu-ion was passed as an outcome of the tion was passed as an outcome of the discussion that a delegation wait upon the Honorable the Premier and mem-bers of the Executive Council when any grievances, real or imagined, could be made known to the cabinet.

General Resume, Reference has already been made in convention held in Winnipeg last week. In the absence of the complete official report of the proceedings, Mr. Campbell gave a resume of the business conducted, and pointing out the many matters of vital import to the returned men dealt with. The principal object of the convention was the formation by of the convention was the formation by amalgamation of all the individual as-sociations of Canada under the title of "The Great War Veterans' Association of Canada." Pensions, land settlement and immigration, were all exhaustively

Their Own Newspaper. the street to the guich.

Mrs. Wehn's hand was cut, and there were other evidences that she had fought with her assailant. Her handbag lay nearby. Boys playing in the guich came upon the body.

Mrs. Wehn was a daughter of Faul turned Soldiers' Association, except Haubris. a policeman stationed at have the privilege of calling it the ofDAVID SPENCER, LTD.

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ficial organ of the Dominion-wide in-stitution. The convention decided that the editorial page of a newspaper from their point of view, and as affecting their aims and objects, was the pricetion. The people of Germany are ex-horted not to be misled by reports of historical point to be misled upon the property of the publication. Mr. historical point to be called upon there-historical point to be property of the publication of the publication. Mr. historical point to be misled by reports of historical point to be meeting that their same saw in the publication. Mr. historical point to be meeting that their same saw is set in the publication of the publication. Mr. historical point to be meeting that their same saw is set in the publication of the

will join with the British Campaigners' Association and attend Christ Church-Cathedral on Sunday next for the commemoration service in honor of the heroism of the Canadian Soldiers in the second battle of Ypres.

ADDRESSED BY LEADER

Meeting

Speeches formed the raison d'etre of Specches formed the raison d'etre of the Conservative Women's meeting at the Conservative Club rooms last evening. The gathering was under the auspices of the ladies of Ward III., Conservative Association, and was presided over by Thomas Taylor, former Minister of Public Works.

The speakers were W. J. Bowser, leader of the Opposition, and W. R. Boss M. P. P. The former referred.

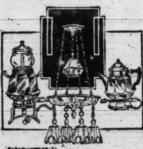
city and of the province city and of the province taking in public affairs and matters of government. Reference was made to the recent enfranchisement of the sex. The Liberals elaimed all the credit for giving the women the yote, But it was the Conservative Government which brought in the legislation calling for a referendum on the question, and the men of British Columbia had shown by an overwhelming majority that they wished the women must be very careful not to allow their vote to be used for the promotion of any freak legislation.

Mr. Bowser flattered the ladies by saying that women did more actual

Mr. Bowser flattered the ladies by saying that women did more actual work in connection with their meetings than the men. He pleaded guilty to having voted against the granting of the franchise to women, but having seen how magnificently they had come forward to help in the national crists he had had a change of heart, together with most of the men in public life. Mr. Asguith, who had always strongly opposed it, now favored it. Aft.. the war women would have

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qual rights with the men. Women ald see that their names were the voters' list by May 14. There migh a Federal election this year, and the women should be prepared to ex-

W. R. Ross also spoke. Mr. had told them they should with some party. Personally he mended them to ally themselv the Conservative party.

The vote of thanks to the state of the conservative party. onally he recom

was moved by Mrs. Beckwith and seconded by Mrs. Coady-Johnson, the latter expressing grafftude to the Conservative party for the recently secured franchise.

CABLES TO PHILIPPINES.

New York, April 18.-The Commer cial Cable Company announced to-day that French, English and Spanish are the authorized languages for use in-cable messages to and from the Philip-pine Islands. Code addresses or sis-natures are not allowed. Messages must be fully addressed and signed.

TO CULTIVATE LAND.

Washington, April 18 .- As a part of the programme to encourage flation-wide growing of foodstuffs, every em-ployee of the Treasury Department throughout the United States was requested to-day by Secretary McAdoa to cultivate all the land in his pos-

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HIS COSTS IN MONEY

Amusing Incident in Supreme

Court Chambers; Judge Has Own Troubles

troubles to the sheriff, I've got trou-

bles of my own," remarked Mr. Justice

Gregory in Supreme Court Chambers to four representatives of the bar this

"Why should the sheriff take under-takings. I don't blame the sheriff for wanting his money," was the good humored attitude of His Lordship as

he left the solicitors to settle it be-tween them. There was in consequence no order made, but all understood that

rdered to be invited to supply police

miforms. The police commi

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Mr. John H. Kerr, a graduate of Toronto University, and tately principal

The choir boys of the Cathedral presented Mr. H. Kent, their teache

H. M. S. Champion, which left Acapulco on March 20 and Manzanella on March 25, arrived in Esquimalt on Tuesday, 28 days at sea. Rough sea

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Snow Still Falling—The official weather reports to day indicate that snow is still falling in Manitoba and that in the neighborhood of Minnedosa it is a foot deep. The rising barometer on the Pacific Slope seems to indicate

improper Franking.—Official com-plaint has been made by the Postmas-ter-General of the practice of some military men abusing the franking privilege. Only when sent to depart-ments at Ottawa and not when adessed to officials may letters be sent

Inspector Resigns. — The Saanich Council, at its meeting last night, accepted the resignation of John Shortt as Wiring Inspector, since he is leaving on active service. He made a recommendation as to his successor, and this subject will be taken up at the next meeting.

next meeting.

A A A

Shortage of Logs. — Commenting on the difficulty of securing lumber for sidewalk purposes Council lor Carey, in Sannich Council last evening, stated that it was due to a scarcity of logs owing to adverse weather conditions in the camps last winter, and the shortage of labor. As a con-secuence the sawmills are handicapped. Mr. Carey is personally engaged in the B. C. Funeral Co. (Hayward's) Ltd.—
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Lieut. Mavor Wounded.—Lieut. Jas.
Mavor wounded with gunshot in the
left arm, who is a native of Coaticook, Quebec, went to Montreal and entered the employ of the C. P. R. at its loco-motive works and later went west. He was in the civil service at Victoria, B. C., for some time and enlisted and trained with the B. C. Bantams at Vic-

Answered Questions.—In question ime in the Legislature yesterday the Attorney-General, in reply to Mr. Bowwer, stated that F. J. Harding, of the Workmen's Compensation Board, took out naturalization papers on March 23, 1917; that Leo Mader, of Grand Forks, The Bell Rang and the man at the other end of the phone said "Hello is same warden! on April 4 because his that Brown's hardware." I want you to send up a Woodyatt Lawn Mower, the kind I got from you 13 years ago. It runs easily, cuts evenly, has high wheels and four blades, and has been a dandy." Twelve-inch cutter, \$7: 14-inch. \$7.50; 16-in., \$8. The Empress ball-bearing machine, \$9. R. A. Brown & Co., 1322 Douglas St.

in future.

sole recipients of the unwelcome atten-tion of the pest, are not the only hab-The scientific investi extent is proceeding by the Govern-ment scientists. The conviction is ving that the disease has been lo roperty known, its ravages being pu

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present time.

Beside the actual cash contributions already noted and those published below, the Red Cross has received three low, the Red Cross has received three handsome pieces of jewellery from an anonymous giver, to be raffled in aid of the fund. A gold necklet and locket set with diamonds and valued at \$300 will be the first prize. Tickets will be procurable for the raffle in a day or two.

The following are the later contributions to date:

to four representatives of the bar this marning. The solicitors appeared before him with the woeful narrative that the sheriff objected to give possession to the receiver and manager, Harry Hastings, of Lim Bang's premises to enable him to carry on the business as directed by His Lordship's order of Monday. The action is Johnson versus Lim Bang and C. K. Courtney, with the sheriff in possession on behalf of several execution creditors, Courtney claiming goods under chattel mortgage.

Creditors attacked the chattel mortgage and by the consent of all parties Harry Hastings was appointed receiver and manager to go in and conduct the business, turning all moneys into Court with the settlement of the interpleader action, the sheriff meantime to take his departure. Duly armed with a copy of the order of the Court Hastings proceeded to take possession, whereupon the sheriff flatly refused with, "I want A Friend, Gordon Head ceeded to take possession, whereupon the sheriff flatty refused with, "I want my costs." The solicitors engaged in the action agreed to give an undertaking and appeared before the Judge this morning. The sheriff said he did-not want any undertaking, he wanted his money.

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PRIVY COUNCIL APPEALS

Summer List Closes on June 4: Canadian Cases Will Be Heard Commencing June 25.

unless the sheriff got his costs possession by Hastings was impossible. E. L. Tait appeared for the receiver, Frank Higgins for the sheriff, D. S. Tait and H. H. Shandley for the exhas directed a communication to the District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Victoria, stating that the Lords of the Judicial Committee have decided that the list of cases to be heard during the summer sittings would close on June 4 next, and that no appeal would be included in the summer list not effec-Building Permit.—A building permit has then issued to D. M. More, for a private garage at 1503 Laurel Street. Burglar is Active.—J. C. Renfrew, of the B. C. Dye Works, \$31 Fort Street, has reported to the local police that a burglar entered his premises last night by the back door, breaking his way in. Several suits and other articles of clothing were stolen by the culprit. ively set down on or before that date tively set down on or before that date.

The Canadian appeals have been placed in a separate list and, subject to unforeseen circumstances, those in which Canadian counsel are engaged would be commenced to be heard on the 25th of June. London solicitors practising in Canadian appeals have been so advised. कं के दे Outer Wharf Works.—On account of the removal of considerable plant from

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the removal of considerable plant from the Victoria Chemical Works at the Outer Wharf to James Island, the City Police Commission was informed yesterday that the nuisance from fumes would be considerably decreased Electro-Plating. — Have your auto re-nickeled this spring by Albion Stove Works, Ltd.

The City Market.—Market patrons were to-day invited to sign a petition to the City Council, urging the Council Saanich Police. — At the Saanich council meeting last night tenders were o resist, any effort to change th market days or hours of Further signatures will be a Saturday.

who had met previous to the council session, recommended an increase for Special Constable Mallett. The re-Saturday. # # # # Hudeon's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, 3 for 25c.

ommendation was sent to the Estimates Committee.

a the committee and the committee and the committee and the commissioners yesterday promised an investigation of complaints lodged by the commissioners yesterday promised and investigation of complaints lodged by the committee of the Legislature this morning received a petition from John Dean, representing \$9.949.000 in value and the Lords' Day Alliance. The Western for the taking away from city councils the possible by Rev. Dr. Clay, and H. T. ment works, and making approximation of the power to infinite local improve-

panied by Rev. Dr. Clay, and H. T. Iment works, and making suggestions Knott, referred to salies by drug stores, as to a limit to the school rates. The not of drug compositions, on Sunday, particularly of cameras and photographic supplies, also of breaches of taken away and recommendations are the law by Chinese laundry men and being made along other lines.

Case Again Remanded.—The case of larry Morton, which was remanded ast Wednesday for the period of one year to allow for the appearance of horses valued at about \$800. The team, week to allow for the appearance of two witnesses, has again been laid over until a week from to-day for the same reason. It is expected that the same reason. It is expected that the grow witnesses in question will be here by that time. If they are not it is understood that a further remand will only be granted on the submitting by the prosecution of affidavits showing that efforts have been made to bring them to the city and also that there is a reasonable prospect that they will appear.

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A A Committee Met.—The First Presbyterian Church-Service Committee, composed of James Forman, F. C. Patterson, Henry Norman, Daniel Smith, W. H. Dempster, ex-Reeve McGregor, and Rev. J. G. Inkster, mot last night and arranged plans for the anniversary celebration of the opening of the new church. Rev. A. S. Mitchell, of Mount Pleasant Church, has been invited for the occasion, and for the evening service it is anticipated that Major Birks, who has had charge of the Y. M. C. A. work in England, and at the front, will be in charge. Haydn's "Creation" is to be given by the choir two days later, and members of the congregation are being selected to send their motors for the soldier patients at the Convalescent Hospitals who wish to be guests on this occasion.

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The Provincial Chapter, LO.D.E., of

anitoba, has published a very inter-

sting souvenir booklet giving an ac-

ng ago when Marguerite Clark ap-cared in several scenes for "The For-tnes of Fifi," wearing the same Ro-an costume which she had worn two years ago when she appeared on the stage of the Palace Theatre in New York with Mme. Bernhardt. The Di-vine Sarah had especially requested Miss Clark and Laurette Taylor to ap-

Miss Clark and Laurette Taylor to appear with her in the roles of Roman maidens and the little Famous Players star had readily consented.

When "The Fortunes of Fifi." which is the Paramount Picture at the Variety Theatre this week, was being staged, it was found that Miss Clark was to play a Roman girl in a play within the play. Immediately recalling the "Bernhardt" costume, Miss Clark had her maid unpack it and it was donned for the first time since it was first worn.

AT THE THEATRES

ROYAL VICTORIA.

arita Fischer, the well-known ac

tress, will be seen for the last time

o-night at the Royal Victoria. There no doubt that Margarita Fischer's

splendid talents and rare beauty are

seen to excellent advantage in this magnificently mounted production, An excellent comedy, "The Perils of a

Plumber," is also seen on the same programme, the whole making a very acceptable photoplay offering.

THE VARIETY.

Memorles of Sarah Bernhardt were

was first worn.

Miss Clark plays the role of a little rench actress in "The Fortunes of cifi," and it is therefore peculiarly fitting that she should wear the cos-tume which is associated with the greatest French actress of them all.

The title of the first of the four chapters of the sequel to "The Diamond from the Sky" at the Majestic to-night is entitled "Fate and Death." In its opening seemes it introduces us to Arthur and Esther Stanley in their Virginia home, having at last become possessors of the illustrious diamond. A little son has come to them in the meantime to add to their happiness, and they are about to start on a ness, and they are about to start on a ourney abroad, taking the diamond

nt part in this chapter, which is well nade and entertaining. It falls to the made and entertaining. It rails to the faithful gypsy's lot to be at hand when the train on which the Stanleys are traveling is wrecked, and the Stanleys were among the killed. The little son, surviving, is picked up by De Vaux, robbed of the diamond which hung about his neck and is car-ried to an institution where the injured have been taken. The gypsy, keeping an eye on De Vaux's movements, fel-lows him to the moment when he throws the child from a cliff into the water below. The close of the chapte leaves us in suspense, wondering whether the child really drowns or i escued by the gypsy.

ount of the work of the order in that rovince during the year 1916. In a preword the editor explains that origi-ally the issue was intended for memreword the editor expansion reword the editor expansion ally the issue was intended for memors only, but so many inquiries had seen received as to the scope of the rork, conditions of membership, orcanization of chapters, etc., that it generally decided to issue a more case finally decided to issue a more and other parts of the French front, including views of 60,000 Russians at what is not generally what is not generally what is not generally odying a history of the accomplish-ents. It is, in fact, the official "log" cording how the "S.O.S." call was sponded to. With for a motto these ords: "Whatsoever thy hand findeth known, a regiment of Scottish Kilties. Large contingents of military men were among the civilian visitors this ords: "Whatsoever thy hand findeth of do, do it with thy might," the oranization has no need to seek an dutter for its energies, and while actually two pages of the booklet are desired to the memory of the brave men prisoners. An endless train of 10,000 trains who have made the supreme sacrifice the whole record is one of patriotic work, for Canada, for Empire, for the forave Allies. The brochure contains no test than 274 pages, and a number of interesting photographs of chapter recents and officers should serve by way of slight, introduction to some, of the dister members of the great order in private the columbia and other provinces in the Dominion.

private to the memory of the trave many comments. Several actions were shown right on the front with miles of German prisoners rushing out of their trenches, crying "Kamerad" and holding up their hands. Vivid interest attaches to the pictures of various kinds of artillery from the 75's up to the 130 millimetre guns, and including trench mortars and howitzers of all kinds. The huge shelbs and their effects when exwomen, old men, children and babes in Russian Poland by sending a contribution to the Victoria Branch, Russian Poland Jewish Relief Society? Their need is very urgent. Headquarters. Fred Landsberg 641 Fort St., and I. Warstock, 1241 Broad St. ploding were amply demonstrated. The

THE DOMINION.

The Black Butterfly, Mme. Petrova's The Black Butterny, Mine. Petrova's latest feature production, will be presented for the last time to-night. This photoplay was written for Petrova by Petrova herself, and in addition to forming a highly successful and interesting photoplay, undoubtedly shows Petrova at her best. For Thursday's harger Virging.

Petrova at her best. For Thursday's change Virginia Pearson will be seen in "Daredevil Kate."

The story of a woman's rise from proprietor of a small saloon in the West to wife of an Eastern clubman is told in the latter.

The workmen at Devil's Gap are dissatisfied with the treatment they receive from their Eastern headquarters.

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so they cause trouble which results in
the bringing to their town of several.
Easterners. One of these is Cliff Stone,
another is Irene West, Stone's adopted
sister, and the third is John West,
Irene's husband. Stone and West are
to take over the management of the
Western works of the company. Kate
at first takes sides with the new arrivals, for she has fallen in love with
Cliff Stone. But Irene's unwarranted Tiff Stone. But Irene's unwarranted interference in their romance turns her against the intruders, and she de-cides to help the miners, and not the

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Incidentally, she agrees to marry

PANTAGES THEATRE.

tion on the splendid bill-of vaudeville at the Pantages this week is the bestfestured on the big-time programmes in the East, and has everywhere scored in their romance turns are against the intruders, and she decides to help the miners, and she described sensation. He is billed as the sole survivor of "Coxey's Army" and, if the balance of this famous agregation had been as merry and as jovial as McDermott, the "Army" could have cleaned up many fortunes one we assily she can control his Eastern uployees, she discovers that Irene is her own sister, from whom she had her own sister, from whom she had her own is the tables on the miners, holds hem up to ridicule ligited at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Tuck, of Prince-ton, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Mr. and family are down from Cobbie Hill and are at the Stratheona Hotel.

C. Stone and C. Bazet are down from Duncan and are guests of the Dominion.

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the most confirmed grouch laugh. His urn is a veritable riot, and is really one of the dominating features of the new offering at the popular vaudeville

Including McDermott, a great list of Including McDermott, a great list of unusual acts is being presented at Pantages this week. The Uneeda Girls, a new musical comedietta, is one of the many bright numbers of the new bill; it is an entertaining and amusing comedy featuring funny comedians, pretty girls, tuneful music, gorgeous costumes and special scenery; there is a constant change of comedy, bright numbers, pretty girls, as the playlet goes along, and everyone is kept on the qui-vive.

dur-vive.

La Estrellita, the famous Spanish danseuse, who has graced the courts of Europe by her presence, is also offering a big feature on this week's programme; she is ably assisted by Pagan, a dancer from the land of toreadors. La Estrellita presents a series of dancer and songs in her artistic. of dances and songs in her artistic manner that wins much favor with the

Reed and Hudson present a nifty number entitled, "Broadway Echoes," in a refined manner that pleases im-

Jed and Ethel Dooley offer a com bination of dancing, roping, bicycling and comedy patter that is well re-

"Pearl of the Army" is getting more and more interesting and gripping; it is proving one of the best serial pic-tures ever exhibited. Altogether a most pleasing and entertaining bill of vaude-yille that everyone should see.

s over for a short visit to friends at Esquimalt.

J. B. Morgan and W. R. Morgan, of Vancouver, are visiting in the city for

Mrs. E. J. MacCormack, of Vancou ver, has been the guest of Mrs. H. O. Litchfield for the past few days.

the programme to be given on Thurs-day, April 26, by the Ladies' Musical Club. Mrs. R. W. Hannington is con-vener for the concert.

The fourth annual meeting of Provincial Chapter, L. O. D. E., will be held on Thursday and Friday of this week at New Westminster, and a large party of delegates from Victoria large party of delegates from Victoria chapters went over on the afternoon boat to-day. Mrs. Henry Croft, Provincial Chapter president: Mrs. Hasell, Provincial Secretary: Mrs. Griffiths, Municipal Chapter regent but representing Camosun Chapter; and Mrs. Belson, Esquimalt Chapter regent, went over earlier in the week. The following are crossing on the boat this afternoon: Mrs. David Miller, representing Municipal Chapter: Miss presenting Municipal Chapter; Miss Belson and Miss Clare Belson, of Es-quimalt Chapter; Mrs. Wood, Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter; Mrs. Cook-son, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, regent, and Mrs. Hebden Gillespie and Miss Crease, of Gonzales Chapter; Mrs. Morley, re-gent, and Mrs. Wallace Grime, of Florence Nightingale Chapter; Mrs. R. B. McMicking, regent, Lady Doug-lag Chapter; and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, regent, Willows Camp Chapter.

AT THE HOTELS

J. N. Maxon, of Scattle, is at the

P. R. Hosey, of Calgary, is stopping

at the Dominion Hotel. A. Y. Thomson, of South

C. W. Magee, of Clinton, is

Willis James West, of Ashcroft, is staying at the Empress Hotel. Frank McKim, of New Hazelton, is

a guest at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. George Parrett, of Calgary, is opping at the Dominion Hotel.

प्रे प्रे प्रे Herbert C. Parker and family, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion Hotel

C. F. Greene, of Port Alberni, regisered at the Dominion Hotel yester-

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mills, of Carlyle, Sask, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mrs. W. J. Hood and son, of Winnipeg, are new arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Swift, of New York City, are staying at the Empress C. L. Bennett, of San Francisco, Cal., arrived at the Strathcona Hotel yes-

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Tuck, of Princeton, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

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Vancouver, B. C., are at the Strath- Nelson, of Seattle, are guests at the

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H. J. Harris and family are down

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Legislative Press Gallery, April 17,

The fact of the absence of the resident head of the P. G. E. and the con

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ver points of order and rules of proedure. This occupied nearly half an ur, and in the end the honorable gentleman had to move the adjournnent of the House in order to get notion to which he could speak.

The opposition to his proceedings ame largely from R. H. Pooley, member for Esquimalt, and W. R. Ross, member for Fort George, who are members of the select committee, and both the chairman and the Minister of Railways commented upon the evident desire to delay the proceedings of the House and the committee. The urgency of the matter was evident, and there is no doubt of the right of the honorable gentleman to inform the House at the earliest moment of the flight of two of the witnesses who were required

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volved in whether or not there is written out on the order paper certain lines of notice of motion," said Mry Farris, speaking to his motion to adjourn the House, "there are in the public mind in this province and in the minds of honorable gentlemen in this. House matters of far more importance than what, in the minds of the honorable gentlemen from Esquimalt and Fort George, seems to be the chief matter before us now, as to whether certain lines are on the order paper, and I think the public of British Columbia will agree with my position in that matter. (Applause).

Case in a Nutshell.

"The situation does not require that to was to 'deliver the goods,' if I may use that common expression; that one way the received from the Province of British Columbia, the construction of the road, and that he was to receive as his consideration for delivering the goods six million dollars' worth of the company to be formed and \$500,000 in cash, and he told us that he got both.

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"He told us further that it was part of the bargain that neither Stewart nor the railway would be called upon for any further commission, and that he was to receive as his consideration for delivering the goods six million dollars' worth of the construction of the road, and that he was to receive as his consideration for delivering the goods, a franchise to be received from the Province of British Columbia, or British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the Province of British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the Province of British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the province of British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the granchise to be received from the granchise to be received from the Province of British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the Province of British Columbia, a franchise to be received from the granchise to be received from the granchise to be received from the franchise to be received from the franchise to be received from the franchise to be received from the franch

Watch Our Ads.

Merely Technicality.

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dent head of the P. G. E. and the contractor for the building of the road, in order to avoid being recalled as witnesses; was reported to the House this attention by J. W. deB. Farris, chairman of the committee.

Mr. Farris was not allowed by the continued obstructive tactics of the Open the Bar of the House to answer the continued obstructive tactics of the Open to get his statement until after there had been a long wrangle of the might of two of the witnesses who were required further by the committee.

To-night the chairman gave notice much discussion. D'Arcy-Tate, Vice-President and Chief Counsel of the P. G.E., who has been in attendance before this committee from the middle of March up to hast Friday, and who testified before that committee for many days and took an active part both as a witness and counsel representing his \$50,000. Having come to that point the witness refused to answer further. the witness refused to answer further

Explicit Instructions. "As the House will recall, yesterday a motion was made, it apparently being in the minds of the members as a simple way out of the difficulty, Mr. Take being within the jurisdiction, enlarging the powers of the committee. The committee had adjourned to 10 o'clock the morning, with explicit in-

o'clock this morning, with explicit in structions to Mr. Tate to be present. Out of Jurisdiction.

"Although a formal report from the committee is not before the House I think I am well within my rights in mentioning to you, sir, that as an out-come of the refusal of this man to-day notified us through his counsel that does not propose to come before the munittee and does not propose to an-ver questions; and, further, that the chief clerk in his office testified that he bought for Mr. Tate yesterday a ticket for Seattle. Mr. Tate is thus out of the jurisdiction of this House and I think it is a fair inference to presume that he intends to stay out of the jurisdiction.

Welch Left Too.

"I should state as a matter that should be before the House at the ment that Patrick ne of the men-Foley, Welch & Stew one of the men—Foley, weich a Stew-art—who entered into negotiations with the Government for the construction of the road and whose guarantee has been heralded abroad as a security for the Government, has left for Scattle

"Now, sir, in addition to that, cer-tain books, certain ledgers, were re-quired to be brought before the committee, and we are informed this morning that these ledgers will not be produced. I merely mention this as an instance of the consideration of the report which is already before this House. Now, Mr. Speaker, if techni-calities had not been raised the report which was before this House would would have been adopted by the unant us vote of the House at the presence. If honorable gentlemen persis their objections that course canno

I have fulfilled my duties in bring these facts before the House, and I beg leave to withdraw the me

W. R. Ross objected to the with

rawal of the motion.

When the motion for adjournment was put a division was challenged but the opposition had not the courage to demand the names so that they might go on the records. Messrs, Bowser, Ross, Rose, Pooley, Schofield, Jones and McDonald voted to adjourn but the remainder of the members voted down the motion, the insurgent Lib-erals voting with the majority.

VANCOUVER INQUIRY GETS SECOND READING

The honorable gentleman attacked he bill, and praised it; said the passonfidence of the country in the Hous nonths hoist should be carried—and the heel of the hunt he, like all the ther members on the Opposition side failed to ask for a division on the mo cond reading.

Approved Judges. W. R. Ross, resuming the debate on the second reading of the bill, said that while he had begun to read the measure through when he adjourned the debate, he found that he need not

go into it in detail.

As to the personnel of the commission, he said, he had nothing but the best to say. He should not look for any three better men than the judges named to render an impartial judgement. The matter was not one of the judges, after all, but of the evidence which would come before it. It would be an extremely difficult matter to get a repetition of the evidence taken before the legislative committee last year. The witnesses heard before that committee were men whom it was not cass to find again.

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Having, criticized the arrangements for taking the evidence of witnesses outside the province, Mr. Ross declared that the result would be illusory, no other verdet than a Scottish one of "not proven" could be found, the linguiry would be an expensive one, and therefore he moved that the bill be not now read a second time but be read six months hence.

Dr. Ross (Nelson) seconded this

Dr. Rose (Nelson) seconded this. Called to Order.

lawful for the commissioners to ad-minister an oath, but this was nothing, as there was no law against adminis-tering an oath. tering an eath.

"It is perfectly lawful for any man to administer an eath or take an affirmation; I can do it myself," the honorable gentleman went on.

He went on to say that another thing which would justify him in giving the bill the six months' holst was "reciprocity in the future," declined to the there was no now significant.

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Conscientious Effort.

The junior member for Vancouver considered that the bill was a conscientious effort to make the scope of the inquiry wide, but the counsel drafting it was laboring under the disadvantage of not knowing the scope required. There were a number of reasons why the bill should be voted down. One was that there was nothing to ensure the taking of evidence under oath. It was true that one section made it lawful for the commissioners to ad-

Dr. Rose (Nelson) seconded this.

Called to Order.

The sixth member for Vancouver, who had lost his opportunity to speak on the motion for second reading by his attitude in refusing to go on with the debate a few days ago, said this amendment was fraught with the greatest danger, and would shake the

onfidence of the country in the this was not done the investigation and on division this was lost on House. The honorable gentleman as- would fizzle out. The power to take following vote:

House. The honorable gentleman assured the House that he was going to discuss the bill in an impersonal manner and without any feeling, which caused a smile, and he then went on to deal with Peter Annance's arrest and police court trial.

At this point the Minister of Agriculture called, the attention of the Speaker to the fact that the honorable gentleman was speaking to the principles of the bill on which he had already speken, and that he must confine himself to the merits of the amendment.

Witnesses Fled.

The power to take following vote:

Yeas—Pooley, Schofield, Jones, Mechonald, A.; Buckham, Fisher, Ross, Bowser, Rose, Cowper, McIntosh—II.

Nays—Bell, Hayward, Macdonald, K.-C.; Mobley, Willson, Nelson, Macdonald, M.-C.; Mobley, Willson, N

Witnesses Fled.

The greatest objection at all to the barrendment.

Was Trespassing.

Mr. Speaker Weart held the point well taken, and further he ruled that the honorable centleman was trespassing upon matters which were to be brought before the courts.

Mr. Bowser argued that this ruling would prevent members discussing the principles of the bill, and he disagreed with the Speaker's designation of the commission as a court.

Hon. Mr. Oliver reminded him that there was no restriction on the discussion of the bill by members who had not yet spoken, but the sixth member for Vancouver had not yet spoken, but the sixth member for Vancouver had not not yet spoken, but the sixth member for Vancouver had not the sixth member for Vancouver had on the amendment must stick to his text.

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The greatest objection at all to the bill was that every single important with each every single important with each of the country, and this witness had fled the country, and this witness had fled the country, and this witness had fled the country, and this was as well as the faffure is provide for the administration of the oath. In spite of all this, however, he would not support the amendment, for the House would be commission as a court.

When the question at all to the bill was the strength as the faffure to provide for the administration



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ighthouse Tender Expected to Leave on Gulf Cruise Next Monday.

The lighthouse tender Newington, Capt. Harry Bilton, which has been undergoing her annual overhaul at the Victoria Machinery Depot, is posted to leave port on Monday on a month's cruise around the Gulf of Georgia. The work of painting aff the buoys and beacons in the Gulf is now being underactively the lighthouse tenders. The Estevan, Capt. Barnes, is due to reach port at the beginning of the week. Her next trip will take her to the Queen Charlotte Islands.

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ORONTES TO LEAVE

DEFENSIVE SEA AREA IS DEFINED

Steps Taken for National Defence Outlined by President of United States

Measures for the defence of the coast of the United States have been for-warded to the Times by Capt. R. E. Goonta, commandant of the 13th naval district, U. S. Navy Yard, Puget Sound, It says:

I in the neighborhood of each de we see area entrances have been mated for incoming and outgoing els, including, in the case of areas across which more than one channel exists, an entrance for each channel. These entrances are described in Article X of these regulations in conjunction with the areas to which they repectively pertain.

II. A vessel desiring to cross a devicinity of the entrance to the proper channel, flying her national colors, to-gether with international code number and pilot signal, and there await comnunication with the harbor entrance patrol. It is expressly prohibited for any vessel to enter the limits of a de-fensive sea area otherwise than at a designated entrance and after authori-zation by the harbor entrance patrol.

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The above cut gives a good idea of the condition of the Congress at the time she was sold by the Pacific Coast Company to the China Mail Steamship Company, at a figure reported to be \$1,000,000. The vessel was completely burnt out when fire broke out aboard her on September 14 last off Coos Bay. The huil is intact, but otherwise she is a mass of twisted steel and girders, and it is estimated that it will take a sum nearly equivalent to the purchase price to put the vessel in her former condition.

proceed within the limits of a defensive sea area at a greater speed than five (5) knots per hour.

Modification by the senior officer of the herbor entrance patrol when the public interest may require; and such notification as circumstances may permit will be issued restraines may permit will be issued restraines.

IX. Any master of a vessel or other person within the vicinity of a de-fensive sea area who shall violate these regulations, or shall perform any act threatening the efficiency of mine or The steam fishing vessel Orontes has made her last trip to the British Columbia banks. As previously an anounced the vessel has been solid by the Wallace Fisheries, Ltd., to the Loggle interests, of Nova Scotia, and the vessel will be turned over to her new owners to-day at Vancouver. A crew of hardy Nova Scotia fishermen is on its way West to take over the vessel and work her around to the Atlantic.

The Orontes is a British-built trawler which was brought out to this coast by the Wallace Fisheries a few years ago. She has been employed as a fish carrier out of West Coast ports.

The steam fishing vessel Orontes has froze authority, either before or during her passage across the other defences or the safety of navigation, or shall take any action inimical and the united States in its prosecution of war, may be detained to orontine in the prosecution of war, may be detained to the relation, or shall take any action inimical and the united States in the previously and 1 o'clock Sunday morning when there will be better than a 22-ft. tide, and, if the vessel is not floated in the provided for in the act to codify, related to other hand a provided for in the act to codify, related to other hand a provided for in the act to codify, related to other hand a provider of the United States in the provided for in the act to codify, related to other hand a provided for in the act to codify, related to provided for in the act to codify, related to other hand and therein by force of arms and rend therein by force of arms and ceive from proper authority, either be- other defences or the safety of naviga-

HUGE SHIPBUILDING PROGRAMME FOR O.S.K

Tonnage of 380,000 Will Be Added to Fleet Within Next Five Years

Tonnage to the value of \$52,000,000 will be built for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha in Japanese yards within the next five years, according to the building programme just decided upon by the company. New carriers aggregating 380,000 tons will be added to the fleet, including 270,000 tons because of new services planned and increased business and 110,000 tons for the replacement of old vessels. Orders for a total of 142,000 tons of new ships have already been placed with the Japanese shipbuilding yards.

The Kawasaki Dockyard has sold

The Kawasaki Dockyard has sold The Kawasaki Dockyard has sold seven steamers it now has in course of construction, and the Mitsu' Bishi Dockyard Company has offered for sale in London several steamers building for its own account.

The Mitsu Bishi Company has sold two steamships of 6,000 and 8,000 tons now under construction at Narsawki to

Lwo steamships of 5,000 and 5,000 tons now under construction at Nagasaki, to British interests.

Enormous earnings by the Japanese steamship lines operating in the trans-Pacific trade have resulted from the boom due to the war, and all of the companies are making important additions to their fleets.

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additions to their fleets.

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha, the second largest steamship company in Japan, netted \$6,001,340 during the last six months, according to the semi-annual statement recently issued. A new epoch in the history of the Osaka Sho-sen Kaisha was marked by the opening of the company's new Australian line fast Fall and the new passenger and freight service to South America. Rverything points to the successful salvage of the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert from Genn Island this week end. The highest tide of the month will occur between midnight on Saturday and I o'clock Sunday morning

BRITAIN'S LOSSES AT SEA DURING WEEK

London, April 18.—The weekly report of Eritish shipping losses, issued to-day, show nimeten vessels of more than 1,600 tons sunk and nine vessels of less than 1,600 tons. Twelve fishing vessels also were vessels also were sunk.

During the eight weeks, the period in During the eight weeks, the period in which statements of the losses of British merchant vessels have been made in their present form, the figures show that 168 vessels have been lost, the total for vessels of more than 1,600 tons being 116 and for vessels of less than that tonnage, 52. The week's losses of 23 merchant ships are slightly 10 excess of the average which is conditions are propitious.

The vessel is shored up and resting easily, the salvage men having completed the work of blasting off the pinnacles of rock and patching up the in excess of the average, which is 24 for the seven weeks previous.

New York, April 18.—The British steemship Karmala, an 8,983-ton passenger steamship owned by the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company, ran on a reef and sank on March 17 near Spezia, Italy, after be-Capt. C. H. Nicholson, manager of G. T. P. coast steamships, is now at the scene of the wreck, having returned north on the last voyage of the steamer Prince George. He proposes to remain until the ship is put affont and will make arrangements for bringing the badly damaged craft to Esquimait. The engines are intact and the Prince Rupert, when she regains the water, will be able to come south under her own steam. ing shelled and torpedoed by a German submarine, according to two Amer-icans who were among the Karmala's 190 passengers, and who arrived here yesterday from Europe. All on board the Karmala were saved.

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The Karmala, they said, was on her way from Port Said to London when attacked. The submarine opened fire from her deck gun at a range of about five miles. Forty shots were fired, they will be able to come south under her own steam.

The crew is standing by her. Before coming here, however, she will have to go to Prince Rupert to pump sufficient oil fuel into her tanks for the trip. The Salvor will convoy her down the coast.

Capt. J. D. Macpherson, wreck commissioner, has not yet completed arrangements for the holding of the investigation which has been ordered, but it is expected that, in the event of the steamer coming off the rocks this week-end, the inquiry into the cause of the stranding will open here next week.

CHICAGO MARUIS

The Karmala, they said, was on her way from Port Said to London when attacked. The submarine opened fire from her deck gun at a range of about two miles. Forty shots were fired, they said, but none did any material damage. The Karmala in turn fired ten shots at the submarine, but could not reach her.

The U boat began to approach the ship, diving and emerging to fire. When within about 2,000 yards off she bit week-end, the inquiry into the cause of the stranding will open here next week.

CHICAGO MARUIS

Halifax, April 18.-A description of Italian. April 18.—A description of the scene attending the attack by a German submarine on the Nova Scotia barquentine Ellen James was given yesterday by Herman Plansen, the only survivor of the crew, who was brought here by the steamship which rescued the steamship which rescued.

The officer on watch on the Smith reported that the periscope was distinctly visible at a distance of 300 yards from the ship. The quartermaster and members of the gun crew on duty agreed with this report.

The report from the officer said the

He said that the barquentine, bound

W. Dixon-Hoperaft, R. N. R., refitted at Hongkong. The Empress is bringing in a targe number of passengers and a good cargo.

Although no word has been received here regarding the movements of the Harrison Direct Line steamer Senator, it is understood that this vessel is somewhere on the coast with a general cargo from the United Kingdom.

The Senator is one of the latest vessels added to the Harrison fleet and loss.

A general cargo from the United Kingdom.

The Senator is one of the latest vessels added to the Harrison fleet and is making her maiden trip 40 the North Pacific. She is coming out under the command of Capt. Dunn, who was here several years ago with the Statesman. Capt. Dunn was to have brought out the Engineer, but on learning of the death of his son, who was an officer on the sunken steamer Artist, he was granted leave of absence, and the Engineer was turned over to Capt. McMullen.

And gone ashore during a heavy gale, broken in two and would be a total loss.

TAMBA MARU DEPARTS.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru got away for the Orient last night with a full cargo and large number of passengers. Three first class and five steerage embarked at this port. Among the through passensence, and the Engineer was turned over to Capt. McMullen.



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Washington, April 18.—The periscope of a submarine running submerged was

The report from the officer said the

Terminating an average passage from the Orient the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Chicago Maru is due to make William Head at 5 o'clock this evening, with 237 passengers, and 7,600 tons of general cargo for distribution on this coast.

The Japanese steamship should come alongside the Outer Pocks about 7 p. m., according to the latest word received by the local agents. She has 49 passengers for disembarkation at this port and 183 are destined for Seattle. The cargo consigned here by the Chicago Maru is rather light but it is not expected that she will attempt to get away for Puget Sound until early to-morrow morning so as to reach Port Townsend at daybreak. Closely following the Chicago Maru is the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixon-Hoperaft, R. N. R., refitted at Hongkong. The Empress is brings the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixon-Hoperaft, R. N. R., refitted at Hongkong. The Empress is brings the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixon-Hoperaft, R. N. R., refitted at Hongkong. The Empress is brings the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixon-Hoperaft, R. N. R., refitted at Hongkong. The Empress of the Sendor, it is understood that this vessel of the Harrison Direct Line steamer of the Harrison Direct Line steamer of the Freeday on an American steamship. The Local death, according to advices brought by the Samate and a good cargo.

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Ottawa, April 18.—Now that free wheat has been made an actuality, the Liberal party probably will move to have free wheat after the war.

Smith Saw One

sighted by the deck officer, quarter master and deck watch of the American destroyer Smith early yesterday morning just before the wake of a er's bow.

This information was contained in : radio report from the commander of The lifeboats were lowered and the passengers and crew escaped, the U boat giving up the attack when the ship hit the reef.

Halfor April 15 A decorate waters.

The officer on

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April 18.—Now that free

Ing. the German Governor-General of Belgium, is again ill and Kalser Wilhelm has appointed General von Zwehl his successor for the time being. General von Zwehl is at present German Governor of Antwerp.

wheat has been made an actuality, the Liberal party probably will move to have free wheat after the war.

VON BISSING ILL.

Amsterdam, April 18.—According to a Brussels telegram, General von Bissing has been repeatedly reported ill during the last year and was said to be suffering from pneumonia and in a dangerous condition hast December. Reports of his resignation have been equally frequent, but have never been confirmed.



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NUMBER MANY HEROES

York, April 18,—Major-General Leonard Wood, when asked about the value of athletics in connection with national preparedness, said: "Get into-

"Athletic training," said the general, "is naturally a part of military training, and they go hand-in-hand.
Gen Wood favors all-round sports, such as running, walking, weight throwing, swimming, baseball and football. The general does not consider schools cover sports as fully as they might.

might.

The value of sport as part of military training has been exemplified in the present war by the men of Canada. Baseball, track sports, lacrosse, football, bockey and the other sports in which Canadians include so Treely have been largely instrumental in bringing glory to the Canadian armies and victories to the cause for which they are fighting. England, too, has not encouraged cricket and football in vain."

Solution of the cause for which they are fighting. England, too, has not encouraged cricket and football in vain."

If the semi-windup card, Ray Camp.

CALLS ON ALL BOXERS

Col. R. P. Dickerson, of Springfield, Mo., and survivor of San Juan Hill, has Mo., and survivor of San Juan Fill. mas sent a telegram to the war department at Washington asking for authority to organize a regiment to be known as the Ozark Rough Riders for active service "wherever the Stars and Stripes lead,"

DOCKERS APPLIED FOR SHIELD GAME

Go at Seattle Smoker Held Last Night

Seattle, April 18. Besides Eddie Pinkman, who did the job to a queen's Finkman, who did the job to a queen's taste, there are at least half a dozen boxers now in Seattle who can beat Johnny O'Leary as O'Leary fought in his bout with Pinkman at the Moose Bowling League has participated, the smoker here last night. With all due respect to the O'Leary of former days and admitting his past greatness, it was nothing but the shoot of a once good lightweight that entered the ring against Pinkman last night.

The last game played at the Arcade Alleys was the best in which the Junior League has participated, the Moters and the Quality Press being the teams engaged. Young, of the Meters team, rolled 224, beating Procter, of the Quality Press, by one pin. These, two scores are the highest made as yet in the Junior League.

The complete scores follow:

LS ON ALL BOXERS
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R. P. Dickerson, of Springfield, and survivor of San Juan Hill, has a telegram to the war department.

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Quality Press-			
Procter	223	202	156- 58
Lock	152	140	136- 43
Hood	119	110	99- 3
Douglas	154	124	137- 41
Peebles			
	****	-20	-
Totals	763	733	709 220
Rullan	126	163	167-4
Young	157	224	145 50
E. Hudson	155	187	178- N
R. Hudson			
L. Redgrave			
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Totals	696	885	750-233
The next match in			

the Pirates and Fairalls and in the Jun League Standings.

Following are the league standings

	Ozark Rough Riders for active service	CHURCH BASKE I BALL	Commercial League,
	"wherever the Stars and Stripes lead,"	AT Y. M. C. A. TO-NIGHT	W. L.
	says a dispatch from New York.	AT THE OTHER TO MIGHT	Pressmen's Union 17 4
	Col. Dickerson is bound to go to war,		Outlaws 17 5
	and if he carries out the plan he has	The two senior basketball games	Garrison,
	in mind he is going well prepared. The	scheduled for Wednesday, April 18,	Pirates 17 5
	colonel has written a letter to every	have been postponed, and the games	Fairalls 11 11
	champion boxer in America, to say	set for Saturday, April 21, will be	Camerons 10 11
	nothing of the near-champions, and he	played to-night in the Y.M.C.A. gym-	Wilson Hotel
	has offered them commissions in his	nasium, commencing at 8.30, namely,	B. C. Electric
	regiment. Jess Willard, Les Darcy.	James Bay "B" vs. Crusaders, and	Junior League.
	George Chip, Freddie Welsh, Carl	James Bay "A" vs. First Presbyterians.	W. L.
	Morris, Johnny Dundee, Kid McCoy,		Camerons 12 1
_	Leach Cross, Benny Leonard, Jim Cof-		Quality Press
	fey. Frank Moran, Tom Cowler and	will be decided by the game between	
		the Bays and the Presbyterians, and	
	many others have received invitations	the march second sections broke an	Navy 5 7
	to Join the "Ozarks." The colonel in-	interesting contest. A win for the	Piccadilly Watts 4 8
	tends to surround the boxers with	Presbyterians would place them on an	Dentists 3 5
	every cowboy in the great Southwest	equal standing with the Bays. If the	
	who is willing to throw a high-heeled	latter team is successful there is lit-	FOUR V. R. C. MEMBERS
	boot over a saddle for Uncle Sam.	the doubt but that they will be the	
		winners of the league, and they should	ARE KILLED IN ACTIO
	Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager	have no trouble, in taking their re-	
	Beer, quarts, \$2.00 per dozen.	maining games.	Four members of the Vancouv
		Control of the Contro	Rowing Club are numbered amor
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Rowing Club are numbered among those who have paid the supreme sacrifice in the latest casualty lists issued from Ottawa. They include Capt. Dick Spinks, former captain of the V. R. A. and who pulled an oar in several championship crews. He was also a brilliant footballer. Major Jack Sweet, Lieut. Max Townley and Lieut. Jack Maniey were also prominent in Vancouver Rowing Club circles, the latter pair being active members up to the pair being active members up to the time of their departure for the front while the late Major Sweet always tool a keen interest in the affairs of the

oll of the Vancouver Rowing Club, fany have paid the supreme sacrifice nd several have suffered severe rounds in battle.

PASSES UP DARCY.

San Francisco, April 18.—Les Darcy, the Australian heavyweight, will not be allowed to fight at Tia Juana, according to a statement issued by Jim Coffroth, the former fight promoter and now president of the Jockey Club which controls the Tia Juana course. Coffroth said he was opposed to Darcy for the same reason New York and Louisiana governors gave when they barred the fighter, namely, that he was a "slacker."

Northwest Title Will Be Decided at Portland; Many Contestants Expected

Fortland, Ore., April 18.—Judging from the class of the golf talent already tentatively pledged to enter the Pacific Northwest golf championships. June 25-30, the man who wins the big silver rang this year will have many a high burdle to surmount.

"I am in favor of suspending all ports, in fact—lacrosse, baseball, ockey and horse racing included, Larosse was suspended on the Pacific cast and the national union should

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members of the New Westminster Baseball League, in organization that Is butlaw in the eyes of Amateur Un-ion officials, have taken the affidavit requested by the B. C. A. A. U. from p players desiring registration as ama13 teurs. Both players have filed the
15 necessary documents and are again on
15 the good graces of the organization
15 controlling amateur sport in the pro12 vince. It is not improbable that other
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Esquimalt, B. C., March 20, 1917.

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All persons having any claims against the estate of the late Vincent Cleeves, who was killed in action on or about the gith April, 1915, and whose will has been proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia by Lindley Crease, K. C., as attorney for Frederick Cleeves, the executor therein named, are required to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before 22nd May, 1917, after which date the said Lindley Crease, as administrator of the said estate, will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.

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the same will be settled. times of British Columbia, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All it might be found that it was from debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Albert Ernest Hasenfrats at 105 Tates Street. Victoria, and Province advantable member went on that the source "these illegalities had their tommon root and centre."

Hon. M. A. Macdonaid had been out of the House while the charge was head Albert Bras Flats. by whom the same will be settled. The House while the charge was being made against him, and when he came back there was no opportunity of him to speak. The first chance that came was when the formal motton of the A. E. HABENFRATZ.

Witness: WM. J. CAVE.

(100 Langley Street. Victoria, B. C.

A scarching investigation will be made into the allegations, and at once. It can be taken for granted that the parliamentary usefulness of one man out of two will be ended by the result of this. It will be for the sixth member for Vancouver to prove his assertions, if he can, and if he cannot it goes without saying that are resemblage of gentlemen will have to take goes without saying that an assem-blage of gentlemen will have to take drastic action in his case if he will not take the step which self-respect will dictate himself.

The juntor member for Vancourer had been talking at considerable length on the bill providing for the holding of an inquiry into the Vancouver by-election of last year, and giving renterable. sons why he thought the bill was a bad one—though he did not dare to vote against it—and he wound up by the suggestion that it ought to be much wider in its scope and include an inquiry lato the source of campaign funds. He continued ds. He continued

"There was a sum of fifty th dollars contributed in the name of the Liberal party in the recent general election which never reached the Liberal party. That might be investi

Mr. Speaker Weart said he could n see what the question of any payment to campaign funds had to do with the question to which the honorable ntieman was talking, that of the six months' boist for the bill.

Asked to Go On. "I would suggest that he be allowed to go on," said Hon, John Cliver, "The honorable gentleman may give some

The honorable member went on to say that this sum had been contributed fiter solicitation for the party funds and never got there. By tracing up-these matters it might be that the commission would find where the noncy came from. He spoke several times of what "my instructions are." "We at least ought to have the rmation," said the member for Rich-ond (Mr. McGeer).

The Speaker said he had ruled as the irrelevancy of this topic, but the House wanted to hear, why then i the honorable gentleman go ahead. Absolute Denial.

John Hart (Victoria), who vincial campaign manager for the Literal party in the general election, ha cral party in the general election, had come in and heard of what the sixth member for Vancouver had said about the fifty thousand dollars. "I would like him to repeat his statement," said Mr. Hart. "I don't get it whether he says it was paid to the campaign funds of the party or never reached them. If the honorable gentleman insinuated that \$50,000 was contributed as campaign funds, or solicited from s campaign funds, or solicited fro any corporation, I, as campaign n ager, can give that an absolute den (Cheers.)

The sixth member for Vancous said that this would be an important piece of evidence to take up. Is in-structions were, as he had stated to the House, that moneys that were given to go into the Liberal funds, and which were solicited by certain par-ties in the name of the Liberal party never reached them.

"My instructions are also," he we "My instructions are also," he went on, "that as late as September 14 the sum of \$25,000 was paid out in cash by the Canadian Northern Rallway to a gentleman, one of the candidates in the by-election of February 26, 1916. 1 am instructed that money was also solicited in the name of the Liberal party and was intended to go into the party funds."

Another Charge. "Do I understand that the hor gentleman charges that the nonors gentleman charges that the sum [25,000 was paid to a candidate?" Minister of Agriculture asked.

"Yes," replied the Vancouver mer "Then I would ask, Mr. Speaker, tha

Mr. Speaker took down the words ust used by the honorable member. Mr. Hall asked if he had understo the honorable gentleman to refer to the

by-election.

"The gentleman was a candidate at the by-election and also at the general election," was the reply. "The money was given by an official of the Canadian Northern Railway with the intention that it was to go into the Liberal campaign funds. I am instructed that it was paid into the safe of the Vancouver Hotel on September 13 and was collected in person by the gentleman I refer to, a candidate on February 26 and again on September 14. These are the lines that will be opened up—very pertinent lines, I submit."

"It surely will be opened up," said the Minister of Agriculture, with fervor.

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The honorable member went on that it might be found that it was from this source "these lilegalities had their common root and centre."

railway corporation, the Canaginan Northern, intended for the Liberal campaign fund, and that the contribution never reached the fund, was made in the House this afternoon by the junior member for Vancouver, to whom the name and the person of Hon. M. A. Macdonald are as a red rag to a built. The charge involves the further one, by implication, that the corporations were contributing to the Liberal funds, and was added to by the assertion that there was also a sum of \$50,000 solicitied for and contributed to the funds which never reached its alleged destination.

The Attorney-General gave the first charge a most complete and explicit denial, denouncing the allegation as a dicholical falsehood, and John Hart, who was provincial campaign manager for the Liberal party in the general dection, vigorously denied that there had been any contributions solicited or received.

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Atto

(Cheers.)
Hon. Mr. Brewster stated to the Times Immediately after the sitting that the charges of the Vancouver member would be rigorously inquired into. The matter will be taken up at once and the nature of the proceedings to be instituted decided upon, and the House will be asked to order, whatever form of inquiry is settled.

BUDGET SPEECH IS PROBABLE TO-MORROY

Premier, as Minister of Finance, Expects to Make His Financial Statement Then

Legislative Press Gallery It is expected by the Premier that he will be able to make his budget speech is Minister of Finance on The

all outlined and the new taxes are all decided upon, and have been consid-ered by the members of the party and approved of. The estimates for the year's expen-ditures and the estimated revenue which is expected to be derived from which is expected to the existing and the new sources of in-come have been carefully prepared, and it is believed will demonstrate to the people the sincertly of the Govern-ment in its financial pledges.

It is likely that there will be a somewhat lengthy debate on the budget, there will be quite a deal to say on t various new proposals to be made.

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In the first intermediate grade-Messrs. J. Wallace, J. H. McLeod, J. Diver, J. T. Oliver, R. A. Sargent, P. J. In the second intermediate grade— Miss G. Kitchen and Messrs, R. S. S. Yates, W. P. Marchant, H. W. Green, A. W. Staples, C. I. Cameron.

In the preliminary grade-Miss B. L.

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15th inst., Annie Stamer, aged 43, wife
of W. F. Stamer. She Jeaves to mourin
her loss, besides her husband, one son,
Melville, also one sister, Mrs. C. K.
Anderson, Saltese, Montana.

The remains are reposing at the B. C.
guneral Parlors and the funeral will take
Gace at 9 o'clock Thursday morning from
St. Andrew's Cathedral.

St. Andrew's Cathedrai.

OffOW—On the 17th inst., at the Royai Jubilee Hospital, William. Crow, beloved husband of Mrs. Emily Crow, of 386 Richmond Avenue. The deceased was 60 years of age and born in England, and a resident of this city for the past ten, years, during which time he has made many intimate friends. He is survived by, besides a widow, two daughters, Mrs. A. Kerry, of New Zealand, and Miss Annie Crow, of this city; and three sons, Archibald A. and Percy J. Crow, now on active service, and Leonard B. Crow, of Victoria.

The funeral will take place on Wed-t sday, the 2th inst; at 2 o'clock, from he Sands Funeral Chapel, where the 'ev. J. G. Tuksfer will officiate. Interment toss Bay Cemeters.

Ross Hay Cemeters,

UNTERNAHER On the 17th inst., at St.
Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Harriet Alexina
Unternaher, beloved, wife of Mr. J.
Unternaher, of 622 Johns Street. The
deceased was born in Victoria twentyfour years ago and leaves to mourher logs, besides her husband, two
sons, Henry and Robert; a father and
mother, Capt. and Mrs. Charles H. F.
Blake; four brothers, Charles H. F.
Blake; four brothers, Charles F. Blake,
Henry L. S. Blake, Robert E. Blake,
residing in this city, and Walter B.
Blake, of San Francisco; also two
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April 18. Paul, if he has not left Seattle already. Donald McLeod, the confi-

morning.

Moved to Report.

H. C. Hall moved the adoption of

H. C. Hall moved the adoption of a report to the House embodying the facts of D'Arcy Tate's absence, R. D. Thomas's knowledge of political contributions and refusal to answer questions, and E. P. White's refusal to produce private ledgers.

G. S. Hanes seconded the motion, F. W. Anderson, secretary of the committee, informed it that Senior Provincial Constable D. G. Cox had last evening served R. J. Cromie personally in Vancouver and ascertained that Donald. Medeod left for Minneapolis on Monday in connection with apolis on Monday in connection with a lawsuit. Mr. Anderson read wires he had sent and proof that these were de-livered. A wire to Mr. McLeod sent livered. A wire to Mr. McLeod sent on Monday was delivered and signed for hy N. Dwyer. Later this was mid to be his stenographer. A wire to Welch sent yesterday, commanding his attendance before the committee to-day, was addressed simply to Seattle and was accepted at 3.55 p. m. at the Eutler Hotel in that city.

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REID—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Blair McDonald Schocker and Nunemaker, Detroit-Chicago game postponed;

Detroit-Chicago game postponed;

MAN, for delivery, must know how to drive and McLeod on McLeod of St. Paul on the Sims-Carey trial, and on Monday to told witness that he expected to go away that night. Just previous to making the latter statement the witness had sworn that he had an intimation from McLeod on Monday.

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ent as being true," remarked the ment as being trock.

The witness told Mr. Ross that Stewart's books, would show all campaign contributions and investments, and a little later told Mr. Davis directly the opposite.

Mr. Thomas Again.

R. D. Thomas was again called and informed by Mr. Hall that it was open to him to change his mind if he wished now to answer the questions put to him.

him.
"I have not changed my mind," the witness replied.
Mr. Thomas stated that he had a telegram yesterday morning from Mr. Tate from Seattle, asking him to wire fully to St. Paul. He had not answered

It yet. The full answer is not available

yet," the chairman suggested.
"As you say, it is not," agreed Mr.
Thomas with a smile.
In reply to the chairman Mr. Thomas
said Mr. Tate had stated individual

Government Agent at Ashcroft and Former Deputy Will Be Heard Monday

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The evidence of Government Agent Christie, of Asheroft, and of former Deputy Minister Renwick, of the Lands Department, will be obtained by the public accounts committee in connection with Laidlaw lands refund case, in which the late Government improperly made a refund of \$7.920 to Andrew Laidlaw, thus saving him from the loss of that sum under the provisions of the Soldiers' Homestead Act.

Association. Within the last few just association, with healest association, as its membership, represents the improved down proposals for exemption of church site property and no recommendation will be made on this to the Legislature. The subject has drawn large deputations, and lengthy discussion for and against the proposal occupied the attention of the committee at various sessions.

Chairman George Bell (Victoria) and David Whiteside (New Westminster), secretary, voted in favor of exemption.

STOCK INDUSTRY IS

Member for Kamloops Gives the House Interesting Facts; Other Business

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and a number of matters were dealt with in the course of the afternoon; After the matters arising out P. G. E. committee's report and the

said Mr. Tate had stated individual camounts to-him as to-the campaign contributions he had made, but he could not charge his mind now with the specific amount to a specific name. Asked how large the amounts were Mr. Thomas preferred not to answer.

"They were large, however?" Mr. Hanes put it.

"To me they were large," replied Mr. Thomas.

The chairman inquired as to Mr. Thomas.

The chairman inquired as to Mr. Tate's banking and the whereabouts of his cancetted cheques, but Mr. Thomas has not had anything to do with his private affairs.

"Did he glean up his desk before he went?" the chairman asked.

"I know in his place I should take away anything that I did not wish to have seen," said Mr. Thomas, and the committee joined in the amusement caused by his frank statement.

LAIDLAW REFUND IS

BEFORE COMMITTEE

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"Government Agent at Ashcroft"

The dadvent of homesteaders and the Country, due in part, perhaps, to the high price of beef.

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high price of beef.

Rustling Cattle.

The advent of homesteaders and the "rustling" which began to be a grievance led to the Brand Act being passed in 1914, centralizing the issuance of brands in Victoria and providing for brand inspectors to keep a check against the improper use of brands. The credit for this Act was largely due to the Nicola Stockbreeders' Association. Within the last few years many stockmen's associations

one being that it should provide for the printing of a synopsis of the chief points of the Act to be posted at all prominent points for the information of the public and facilitating the enforcement of this legislation. Incidentally, Mr. Anderson suggested that such synopses ought to be made of all important Acts,

He stated that at the end of the year the number of beef cattle of all ages the number of beef

At the bottom of the Renwick letter to Christie there is a memo by Norman Taylor, a clerk in the Lands Department, to the effect that the Deputy Minister considered his letter to Government Agent Christie as authority for a refund on all the applications, and they were therefore all to be marked as disallowed.

"The Government does not seem to be hurt any," remarked Mr. Thomp-

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that the Registrar of the Supremo Court shall issue a certificate which will entitle the dependents to the money on his being satisfied on the cssential facts.

sential facts.

The debate was adjourned by the Attorney-General.

The Minister of Mines secured second reading for his bill amending the Complex Ore Process Ald Act in one

small particular. **CHURCH EXEMPTION IS** NOT TO BE ALLOWED

Municipal -Committee Votes Down the Proposal by Five to Two This Morning

Legislative Press Gallery

The Municipal Committee this morning voted down proposals for exemp

Chairman George Bell (Victoria) and David Whiteside (New Westminster), secretary, voted in favor of exemption, Drs. McIntosh and W. O. Rose, W. D. Willson, R. H. Pooley and J. H. Scho field voted against it. George S. Hane (North Vancouver), although a mem ber of the committee, has been continu ously occupied with the P.G.E. inquiry and heard none of the arguments, and was not present this morning. In discussion to-day it was suggest-ed that perhaps church sites might be

assessed on the residential value basis. Dr. McIntosh submitted motions, which were voted down, that the Municipal Act be amended to allow for taking of a plebiscite, and giving municipalities local option on church exemption either wholly or as to part-exemption. His third motion, that Municipal Inspector Baird ascertain whether there can be local option under the Act, was also

voted down.

The final vote on the entire proposition was that the committee will take no action along the lines of the suggested amendment sought by those fa-

MR. JUSTICE MURPHY

Municipality of Esquimalt Seeks to Recover \$6,000 Alleged Over-Payment

An action commenced early in Janu ary and stood over fer the purpose of ence that he had with the late Pene

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Clerk of Esquimatt Municipal Council.

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same to me on or before the 18th day of
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"A Tour Through Italy" was the subject of a very fascinating lecture given by Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay at St. Andrew's Church last evening under Knox Church, in behalf of which the

address was given.

Dr. Clay's talk was confined chiefly to four cities-Naples Rome, Floren and Venice—his lecture being a brief account of a trip which he took to the "Land of Song" seven years ago. Fifty beautiful sildes illustrated some of the architectural and scente beauties which were described. Among some of the chief points of interest shown were the Bay of Naples, several views of the excavated ruins of Pompel, Moont Vesuvius, many parts of Rome, including St. Peter's, the Pantheon, and several street seems.

several street scenes. Sturdy Pioneers.

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"I cannot do better in closing than quote the words of Dr. Butler in a commission has already been sent time from possible injury by the energing and stood over for the purpose of allowing a commission to take certain continued in the Supreme Court this morning being continued in the Supreme Court this morning being to the sum of the great art treasures and sililest illustrated some of the great art treasures and splintiffs seek to recover the sum of plaintiffs seek to recover the sum of plaintiffs seek to recover the sum of the installation of a system of unheared-of obstacles.

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L. M. Burns, Montreal.
Infantry.

Wounded—Lieut. F. I. Lewis, Orageville, Ont.

Mounted Rifles.

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angeville, Ont.

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Killed in action—Lieut. W. Mulloy, Winnipeg.

Wounded—Lieut. G. P. Heinekey, Victoria, B. C.
Killed in action—Lieut. R. C. Spinks, Vancouver.

Missing—Lieut. E. A. Abbey, Philadelphia.

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Forbes, Scotland; Lieut, J. Cowan, Winnipeg; Lieut, F. F. McGowan, Vernon, B. C.; Lieut, E. G. Savage, Toronto; Lieut, R. N. Starr, Niagara, Falls; Lieut, J. Robb, Owen Sound, Ont. Maj. E. W. Joy, Truro, N. S. Missing Lieut, W. W. Taylor, Toronto; Lieut, J. Sinclair, Toronto; Capt. A. E. McCarmiek, Walland, Ont. A. R. McCormick, Welland, Ont.

Wounded-Sapper W. G. Kennedy,

Woodstock, N. B.

Mounted Rifles.

Died of wounds—Pte. T. W. Self, To-

Wounded-Pte. W. Boskovich, Junean Alaska: Pte. R. Agar, Harehills. ; Pte. B. Knight, Therien; Pte. W.

H. Barton, Bottrells. Killed in action—Lieut. J. Foster, Niagara Falls.

Services.

Missing-Lieut. J. Mitchell, Famil-

Infantry.

Died of wounds-Capt. A. W. Ellis, Wounded; remaining on duty-Lieut. Wounded; remaining on duty—Lieut.
L. G. Morrisette, Matane, Que.; Lieut.
J. C. R. de St. Victor, Quebec.
Wounded—Lieut. W. B. Lindsay,
Temiscouta, Que.; Lieut. V. F. Duelas.

Killed in action-Major J. A. Del-Wound at Middleton.

ancey, Middleton,
Wounded; remaining on duty—Lieut
W. H. Buddel, St. John, N. S.
Wounded—Lieut, A. F. Shand, Dauphin, Man.; Lieut, T. Dudley, Winnipeg; Lieut, C. C. E. Black, Brandon,

peg; Lieut, C. C. E. Elack, Brandon, Man.; Capt. T. B. Lane, Brandon, Man.; Capt. W. A. Harrison, Matheson, Cont. Killed in action—Capt. H. F. Sare,

sumed dead-Pte. W. M. Allen, Windsor, Ont.; Pte. A. B. Barber, Guelph. Ont.; Pte. M. Houlahan, Cal-

Died of wounds-Pie. A. V. Mitchell

Presumed dead-Pte. W. Templeton Edmonton: Pte. T. Roberts, Edmonton; Pte. T. C. Frankham, Brandon: Pte. A. E. Allen, England; Pte. D. McIntyre, Edmonton; Pte. W. Evans, Edmonton;

DOUBTS IN MINDS OF GERMAN LEADERS

Quality of Soldiers Now Not of Kind to Make All Sacrifices

War Correspondents' Headquarters with the British Armies in France, April 17, via London, April 18,-(By Philip Gibbs.) — The enemy is fighting stubbornly and bravely to avert disaster, but his Gen-oral Staff, in spite of great skill and science, is chilled and scared, I am sure, not with doubts of its own men, not with doubts of their courage, but of their faith in the necessity of a final sacrifice.

Pte. J. Cox. Edmonton; Pte. D. L. Lloyd, Port Arthur, Ont. Killed in action—Lieut. R. A. Stalker, Prince Rupert, B. C. Wounded—Lieut. H. J. C. Morgan, In the German army against the

"Picture to yourself how we live now

our part in it. My mind can not dispel the thought that I shall not return."

Men who are haunted by thoughts like that, melancholy thoughts, do not fight with any conviction of victory, nor with faith in the justice of their cause. Among the thousands of prisoners the British have taken there is, I think one only hove that the war will complete the cause only hove that the war will complete the cause of the prisoners.

The French Ministers hope the Bri-

ALREADY CONSIDERED.

London April 18 .- In the House Commons to day it was suggested that the British Government should appeal to the United States to concentrate on

the construction of aeroplanes. John

warships had not exchanged salute with foreign ships.

Rio Janeiro, April 18 .- Fifty thou

IN HOUSE OF LORDS TOO.

London, April 18—A resolution sim-ro that adopted in the House of ommons on the entry of the United ates into the war was passed unani-ously in the House of Lords this af-

Vancouver.

Missing—Lieut, E. A. Abbey, Philatelephia.

Infantry.

Died of wounds—Pte. W. B. Fox, Athabassa; Pte. P. S. Brown, Toronto; Lieut J. Pte. J. S. H. Dunn, Toronto; Lieut J. M. McCabe, Winnipeg; Major R. J. Black, Fernie, B. C.

Dangerously ill—Pte. R. Brown, Quebebe, Killed in action—Lieut J. R. E. Rooke, England; Lieut, G. O. Smythe, Cobourg, Ont.; Lieut, J. M. McArthur, London, Ont.; Maj. W. E. Curry, Cobourg, Ont.; Lieut, K. G. Mickeboroush, Toronto; Lieut, D. M. McCabe, Winnipeg; Major R. J. Britain, will be given a far wider range in the Allies' markets. A Canadian representative presumably will be given a far wider range in the Allies' markets. A Canadian representative presumably will be given as a member of this treaty-making commission.

REPULSED BY RUSSIANS

The appeal to the well-to-do classes amonthing to prevent a private was nothing to provinces had theirs to day. There was nothing to private was nothing to private was nothing to private was nothing to

The appeal to the well-to-do classe Petrograd, April 18.—Teuton forces to cut down the consumption of bread in order to leave more for the poorer masses is becoming more intensive. The shortage of potatoes grows greater, and it is a common thing to find well-to-do people who have not eaten well-to-do people who have not eaten well-to-do people who have not eaten pence a quart, threatens to go to a shilling unless the food controller takes steps to stop it. eps to stop it.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT SITS AGAIN TO-MORROW

L. Baird, representative of the Air Board in the House of Commons, re-plied: "The subject already is under consideration by the Government of Board in the House of Commons, replied: "The subject already is under consideration by the Government of the United States."

NO NAVAL ACTION.

Boston, April 18.—It was officially announced at the navy yard late to-day that no credence was placed in reports from three coasiguard stations on Cape Cod that heavy gun firing had been heard off the coast. The positive statement was made that there had been no mayal engagement and that Ottawa, April 18.—The order pape

been no naval engagement and that chair to-morrow.

TRAVELING FARMERS PLAN IN THE STATES

here at which Ruy Barbosa, the Brazilian Minister to Argentina, the printopal speaker, urged that Brazil must
declare war on Germany. The Entente
flags and the Entente Ministers, who
attended, were cheered.

Washington, April 18.—The creation
of a travelling corps of farm tabor to
work on irrigated lands of the country
is the novel proposal of Secretary Lane
to further the nation-wide campaign
to increase food production during the
war. Washington, April 18 .- The creation

The plan was outlined in a communi-cation to Chairman Taylor, of the House Irrigation Committee, in which the Secretary urged prompt action on the pending bill designed to stimulate food production on private and public lands within irrigation projects. This legislation, he said, is a necessary proquisite to his plan.

Russia's Answer to Peace Endeavor of the Central Powers

Washington, April 18.—Assurances reached Washington to-day that under no conditions that are now conceivable will the Provisional Government of Russia yield to the evertures from Ger man and Austrian Socialist represents tives to negotiate a separate peace.

227 GUNS TAKEN BY HAIG'S TROOPS

British Improving Positions Here and There by Minor

The operations about Lens are pro -not like men, but like wild beasts, ceeding. British troops already hold Far and wide there are no trenches, positions on all the western aponly bare fields and stumps of trees proaches, although the city itself has growing where once man ploughed his fields and worked for his wife and children. That is our retirement and our part in it. My mind can not distinct.

STRIKERS DEMANDED **BREAD AND POTATOES**

Situation in Berlin Factories as Claimed in a German Dispatch

London, April 18.—A Berlin dispatch to the Politiken, of Copenhagen, as forwarded to the Exchange Telegraph Company, says that work has been resumed in most of the Berlin factories The Vossische Zeitung, of B says that as conditions of returning work, the strikers demanded a suffi-cient supply of bread and potatoes proper distribution of food and a guar-

of the promised Prussian Comments by Vorwagets.

Copenhagen, April 18.—The Vor-waerts alone of the big Berlin papers ventured yesterday morning to com-ment editorially on the strike in the German capital. It said the demonstration was based not only on the food situation and the demand that in-ternal reforms be no longer delayed, but also on the deep longing of the ople for peace.

people for peace.

While claiming that the peace sentiment has a decisive role in the movement, the Vorwaerts argues the strike can not be regarded as anti-governmental, since the "Austrian and Germental, since the "Austrian and Germental". man declarations justify the hope that the policy of the Central Powers is now on a path which will soon lead to

The paper laments the fact that the demonstration will have exactly the opposite effect probably from that desired, by encouraging Germany's opponents to continue the war and by diminishing the output of munitions.

May having an advance of four po over yesterday's close. Oats was structured to war and the structure of the stru it also regrets that among other ex-cesses a crowd gathered in front of the vacant British Embassy, yelling and

catcalling.

No reports of a strike movement is the labor centres outside Berlin have been received as yet. A Kiel dispatel says the radical anti-war party go control of the Greater Kiel Socialis assembly and passed resolution against voting war credits. Anothe sidelight comes from Munich, where woman teacher was put on trial for "pacifist intrigues." She was acquit ted on the ground that she was demented from overstrain.

WILSON INSISTS ON HIS ARMY SCHEME

Selective Conscription; Opponents Got Upper Hand in **House Committee**

Washington, April 18.—The opponents of the selective conscription plan got the upper hand in the House Military Committee to-day and voted 12 to 8 to have the new army bill carry a provision to try first to raise the new force by the volunteer system.

Meanwhile the bill, including the conscription provision, was approved by the Senate Military Committee, 10 to 7.

While the two Committees were act-ing, President Wilson was at the Capi-tol conferring with Senate leaders on ticularly the army bill.

The President told Senators he would

consent to no compromise because the War Department experts, after care-ful examination and discussion, had decided that selective conscription was the only effective way of raising a strong army.

The President was assured that the majority of Republicans in the would support his plans.

War Credit. The largest siggle war credit in history will be at \the disposal of the Administration as soon as the House approves Senate amendments to the

The bill will be rushed to Presiden

RUSSIAN ARMIES IN BETTER CONDITION NOW

sany haul made during a similar period of the war.

See Expectations Wrong.

All German documents which have been captured show that the enemy knew an offensive was being planned about Arras because of the massing of troops and batteries. It is evident, however, that the Germans expected their first or second lines to hold. This was particularly true of their periods.

Washington, April 18.—The Webb Bill, permitting foreign governments at war with Germany to recruit their citizens in this country for their armies, passed the House to-day with-out a rolicall. It already had passed the Senate.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKL!

Winnipeg, April 18.—Export buying at the seaboard added to the strength caused by good commission house buying during the day. The strong cash premiums held in the south and the short buying in all markets caused wide ranges, with a sensational advance from the opening prices. The market here closed fe., higher for Tor May, 8 higher for July, and 5- higher for Tor May, 8 higher for July, and 5- higher for October. Oats closed up 14c, in May, 13 in Way, 13 higher for July, and 1 in October. Barley was underly and 1 in October. Barley was underly and 1 in October and 1 in May and 1 in July. The strength of May wheat towards the close further widened the spreads between the new and the old May on May. The cash demand was excellent, with premiums from unchanged to 3c, better. All interests were after cash wheat. Oats was in good inquiry at unchanged prices.

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HAISED CHICAGO WHEAT

(By Wise & Co.)
Chicago, April 18.—The wheat market
opened with slightly reduced prices, May
opening with a spread of 22-22, the latter
oeing its low for the day, and July with
a spread of 191-190 and selling down to ket bare of offerings. This sent May up It to 231 and July to 1981, the latter reacting near the close. Corn also was strong, P. May having an advance of four points P.

strong views of American holders. Ti British Empire finds itself with spiend supplies either in actual existence tralia and India shortly will have bet

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FINANCIAL NEWS

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Brothers, Limited.) ontreal, April 18.—A decidedly better prevailed in the local market to-day, bough the amount of business was not though the amount of business was not atterially increased. The steel shares are the strongest features, closing about points higher than yesterday. Cement mmon gained a point and Dominion idge gained two points in the early ading, but subsequently lost it. It was ported after the close that Dominion idge Company directors had declared a

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York, April 18.—Lead fire Spelter dull; spot, East y offered at 92. Copper q

NEW YORK SUGAR. New York, April 18.—Raw sugar entrifugal, \$6.96; molasses, \$5.58; teady; fine granulated, \$7.506\\$8.50.

STOCKS IRREGULAR ON NEW YORK MARKET

Motor Issues Were Heavily Liquidated at the Close To-day

(By Wise & Co.)

New York, April 18.-The stock market furing most of the session was firmer, the nterior selling having shown a tendency subside. United States Steel advanced 112, holding around 1111 until the close, when the market sold off about a half a point. Shipping issues are in disfavor as result of the British Government redisitioning about 18 ships of the Inter national Mercantile Marine Company, and also it is likely that the American Gov-ernment will take over ships of American registry. Mercantile Marine and Atlantic-Guif showed heaviness. The rails held firm until the close. The coppers still firm until the close. The copper were inactive but firm. The mot-sues were extremely weak at the ols in motor issues appeared to

uba Cane Sugar 174

Cuna Cane Sugar 45
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Money on vali Total sales, 69,300 shares; \$21,000; NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

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Increased Production WORK OF Y.M.C.A. Campaign '

The attention of the public is urgently brawn to the almost certain world wide chortage of food stuffs which will occur shortage of food stuffs which will occur
ext winter. The highest and best informed authosities in Great Britain, Canda and the United States have issued,
warning after warning that increased etforts must be made to produce food.
A food, famine would be a "worse dissaster to the Empire and-her Allies than
everses in the Field."
The City of Victoria is assisting, in
various ways, those desirous of cultivatng vacant areas, namely, by securing for
populants the use of vacant lots, by
sloughing and harrowing at cost; by resluced, water, rates, and in other ways.
"Ill particulars are available from J.
Briglie, Secretary of Increased Production
campaign, City Engineer's Department."
Ity Hall.

Already this Spring something over one
bundred acres of idle land, within the

'ity Hall.

Already this Spring something over one bundred agrees of idle land, within the lity limits, have been placed under cultivation. There are, however, hundreds of fertile vacant lots still available. Ortanizations and individuals are urged to sufficient and the second of the land of t

famine: Helping to win the war. Laying up a supply of food for per onal use.

Every wise, industrious and patriotic litzen, should seed and cultivate this ear whatever area personal limitations, f available time and individual strength, fill permit the proper taking care of.

A. E. TODD,

Mayor of Victoria,

Victoria, B. C., April 18, 1917.

Fire Engine For Sale

Scaled tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Mon-day, April 23, 1917, for the John Grant Fire Engine, and old Wagon Gear. Particulars can be obtained from the Chief of the Fire Department. All-tenders must be addressed to the City Purchasing Agent, and marked on outside of envelope "Tender for Fire Engine." The highest or any tender.

or any other transfer of the highest or any other necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing
Yestoria, B. C., April 10, 1917.

POLICE UNIFORMS WANTED.

Sealed tenders will be received by seared tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Mon-day, April 23, 1917, for 41 Summer Uniforms for the Police Department. Particulars can be obtained from the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside of envelope "Tender for Police Uniforms." A marked cheque equal; to five per cent of the amount of the tender, made parable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. GALT,

City Purchasing Agent. Victoria, B. C., April 10, 1917.

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AT YPRES AND SOMME

"Let me give you a glimpse of their work. One dirty night we arrived late n a big French town with a party of men. The train connection necessitated a five-hour wait and it was a creary prospect to think of marging around that bleak station shivering. The milithat there was a Y. M. C. A, but out sale of the station where we would be more comfortable. We marched ut and obtained rolls and hot coffee for the men. We also had the same in a little clubroom set aside for the officers. There already were other officers shead of us. Among those sitting in easy chairs around the fire were a general, two colonels and several staff officers. In the main but the men circled up in their great coats to snatch a quiet bit of sleep.

"There is another incident which oc-

"There is another incident which of urs to me in the herce battle of St. Cloi, near Ypres, last spring. We had aken 460 yards of the enemy's front ines, and our men, knee deep in mud, were suffering fierce counter-attacks.
Our batteries were being heavily shelled, as they had only recently moved
into new position and had very little
cover. The men were busy night and
day building new emplacements and
throwing un screens to practes them. hrowing up screens to protect them ilves from the observation of their

Word that Lieut. Wm. Ross. son. of. word that Lieut. Ross are to-day. The same settling on Dominion-owned lands. In the same settling on Dominion owned lands. In the same settling of the ex-solders are doing their part of the same settler on Dominion land sebould be same settler on Dominion land sebould be same settler on Dominion and settler on the same settler on Dominion and settler o

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE

Indigestion and practically all forms stomach troubles are, nine times out of

are usually so thin, emaclated and lacking in that vital energy which can only come from a well-fed body. For the benefit of those sufferers who have been colliged to exclude from their diet all starchy, sweet or fatty food, and are trying to keep up a miserable existence on giuren producet, I would suggest that you should try may like, in moderate amount, taking immediately afterwards a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia in a little hot or cold water. This will neutralize any act which may be present, or which may be formed, and instead of the usual feeling of uneasiness and fullness, you will find that your food agrees with you perfectly. Hisurated magnesia is doubtless the best food corrective and antacid known. It has no direct action on the stomach but has no direct action of the stomach but has no direct action on the stomach but has no direct action on the stomach but has no direct action of the stomach like. In the stomach has a painter.

This will suggest the wild have been to the first a the front at the present time. Ano

LEFT FOOT AMPUTATED

Lieut. Finlayson Reported Dangerous-ly III in Hospital in France.

the 15th of this month. Lieut. Finlay son left, here with the 88th.

NOW IN HOSPITAL



PTE. JAS. BERWICK

LIEUT. WILLIAM ROSS **GETS MILITARY CROSS**

Son of Ex-Minister Distinguished-Himself in Daring Raid on Trenches

Word that Lieut, Wm. Ross, son of W. R. Ross ex-Minister of Lands has been awarded the military cross was men settling on Dominion owned lands.

Went Away With the Western Scots, Now in Hospital in France; Three Brothers Serving.

"Suffering from gunshet wounds in the right arm and chest," is the advice contained in a private telegram to the mother of Private G. L. Witner, whose name appears in this morning's casualty list. He was admitted to the general hospital at Camieres on April 5. The young soldier went away from Victoria with the Western Scots on March 24 last year, having trained with them from the date of his enlistment in August, 1915. He was born in Hespeler, Ontario, twenty-eight years ago. Educated partly in Sirath WFIL-KNOWN HERE by chemical with the control of the so thin, emaciated and lacking listment was following his

LIEUT. HEINEKEY WOUNDED

Popular Victorian and Veteran of Other

Wars Was Hit at Vimy Ridge.

Possibly one of the most generally popular Victoria athletes on active overseas we service was wounded at Vimy ridge Battalions. whilst serving with the 2nd Canadian. Mounted Rifles, that was Lieut. Gordon, P. Heinekey. Rugby football was the lieutemant's particular forte, time he captained the team which at that time was capable, of holding its own against any ofter afteen on the Pa-

A cable has been received this morning by Mrs. W. H. Flatayson, of Verrinder Avenue to the effect that Lieut. R. Finlayson, who was posted in Monday's essualty list as wounded, is now officially reported as danger ously ill. The cable states further that he is suffering from guisshot wounds, and also that the left foot has already been amputated. He is undergoing treatment in the Duchess growing in the Gordon Head district.

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SOLDIER SETTLER MUST HAVE FINANCES

Monetary Assistance Must Not Be Confined to Those on Dominion-Owned Lands

. In the course of an interview dealing with a dispatch from the Canadian Associated Press which appeared recently stating that a memorandum has bee submitted by Canada to the Empire

over a period of 15 years.

"There is no mention in the dispatch of arrangements made to deal with the question of settlement in the provinces owning their own lands. It is understood of course that the Federal Government is not in a position to offer grants of land in these provinces; this is a matter to be decided by the provinces themselves. British Columbia, Ontario and New Brunswick have already announced their intention of ready announced their intention of making provision in some form or other whereby the ex-soldier may settle advantageously upon the land.

Loan of \$1,500.

"In addition to the land grant pro posed by the Dominion Government, however, there is the additional feature of a loan of \$1,500. This is a recogni-tion on the part of the Federal authori-ties that to make the scheme successful the soldier settler must be financially-

"The full text of the Dominion's pro

feet that Lieut, L. E. Ashcroft, of the feet that Lieut. L. E. Asheroft, of the Timber Wolves, has been killed in ac-tion during the operations at Viny Ridge. The young officer was twenty-years of age and was educated at University School. Mount. Tolmie, where he distinguished himself in all forms of athletics. A short residence in the Okanagan after leaving school. was soon followed by a return to Vic-toria to join the 56th Gordons. He obtained his commission and erans-ferred to the Timber Wolves.

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Residing in this city periodically for several years, Lieut. A. P. Norman appears among the casualties posted as wounded. He was a native of Jersey, in the Channel Islands, and came to the overseas with one of the early B, C. Battalions.

WATERWORKS SUIT

Both Sides Secure Measure of Satis-faction in Final Application for Leave to Appeal.

culated on the Currency Act, at \$4.86% to the pound sterling, and not on the rate of exchange. Plaintiffs had paid in the balance after the expiry of the date, when the attention of the Victoria Registrar had been called to the

The sitting Justices of Appeal held that the security was sufficient. They also made an order that the City's application to add further documents to the record should be conceded.

PATRICIA BAY RY. **OPENS THIS MONTH**

Gasoline Electric Engine Ex-

submitted by Canada to the Empire Land Settlement Committee embodying the Dominion's proposals for the settlement of ex-soldiers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Mr. James H. Hill, Secretary, Provincial Returned Soldiers' Committee, says:

"According to the information received it is proposed by the Federal Government to grant to approved exservice men 160 acres each of Crown land and also a loan of \$1,500 to cover the cost of house, barn, implements and stock, repayment of the loan to extend over a period of 15 years.

"There is no mention in the dispatch." one used on the Victoria & sidney Railway, is now at Port Mann, and it is expected will be shipped here this week and put into commission as soon

A temporary station is being erected at Alpha Street, close to Burnside Road, where passengers and freight will be landed. Local officials of the

GOLF COURSE ADVOCATED

Attractions Committee Appoints Sub-

worth.

The general sentiment of those present is that of transportation. Two rallway was that any action which would tend to lines, the Canadian Northern and the encourage the playing of golf among the Victoria & Sidney, each come within dis-

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will be landed. Local officials of the company state that at least two trains a day will be operated on the line, and that provision for freight by way of the ferry will be increased as the business offers.

On the main line the C. N. R. is being hampered by lack of ears. Mr. Mc-Leod states that no less than five thousand of these are in the United States and it is impossible to secure their or the parts of the community can be increased as the business and it is impossible to secure the meeting adjourned sever the committees were appointed. Mr. But either of any considerable size which do who holds the lease of the property, we can be always to the course. The facilities for the playing of golf are not to be advantaged from the standpoint of tourist contents of the course.

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nost attractions which a community delivers a residential centre.

The Rev. J. G. Inkster who was present it yesterday's meeting drew attention to the fact that the busiest and most prominent men of the world find time to en-

Attractions Committee Appoints SubCommittees to Interview Mr. Buff
and Saanich Council

For the purpose of further discussing the establishment of a municipal golf links in Saanich, the Attractions Committee of the Victoria and Island Development Association met yesterday. In the unavoidable absence of Joshua Kingham the chair was taken by Alderman Disworth,

The general sentiment of those present

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JOHN COCHRANE DRUGGIST

course is somewhat of a doubtful ex-pediency, for while the trunk roads are now in fair condition, some in ex-cellent shape, the cross streets in the cellent snape, the cross streets in the suburban districts want a great deal of attention, and the residents are cry-ing out for improvements. Decent roads are a preliminary to any effec-tive fire protection in the suburban

Assuming that, as a result of the scrutiny of the estimates, there is further reduction on maintenance charges for ordinary services, the aggregate reduction, as compared with 1916, should be about \$15,000 to \$16,000.

INDEPENDENT SCHEME

Saanich Council Will Make Its Own Provision for Fire Protection,

Councillor Diggon, reporting for the mittee which waited on the City Fire Wardens Committee on Saturday norning, told Councillor Carey in Saanich Council last evening that the district would have to make its own arrangements for fire protection. It vas quite clear that the city would not was quite clear that the city would not offer any satisfactory, arrangement, he stated, fearing that any undertaking his, Godfrey's, wife, to whom a son and heir had been born, intending to point the virtues of the new arrival, Mrs. Place and her child were visiting Mrs. Place and her child were visiting Mrs. Place and her child were visiting Mrs. Godfrey, and on his entry into the room provision of sufficient food was another comprovision of sufficient food was another comprovision.

When weather conditions improve, the petition of J. Smethurst and nine others for repairing S Street, will be acceded to: At present it is not satis-factory to proceed with it.

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Ago in Aggregate

This figure of \$111,000 compares with \$130,000 for corresponding items 12 months ago. To obtain an adequate idea of the total expenditure, which must be provided for in. 1917, and which usually appears in estimates, show substantial reductions on the corresponding appropriation of 1916.

Of the \$111,000 embraced in the general estimates, one of the items are practically fixed by contracts and practically fixed by contracts and practically fixed by contracts and therefore cannot be much varied, whereas the expenditure for roads and bridges has been greatly shortened. The latter

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WILL PROCEFO ON

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Father Gives Evidence.

Cross-examined by Mr. Harrison, Mr. Taylor, the father of the petitioner, described the rooms in which the couple lived in Nanaimo. It was unfit for a girl in her condition to live in. She was nervous and weak. Upon each occasion he had visited them there would only be bread and tea on the table in the way of food. The entrance of the father also would be the signal for Place either to leave the room or draw away from the table and adopt a sulking attitude. He told of the mother-on many occasions sending food to her daughter. Mr. Webster inquired why Taylor failed to admonish Place for such treatment, both as to quarters and lack of food. The reply was: "I had no confidence in him; that's the top and bottom of everything."

Neighbor's Attitude. Arthur James Godfrey, a farmer of continued, bouth Wellington, told how Place had South Wellington, told how Piace had called at his house. He had proudly conducted him to the bedchamber of Two extra good Columbia Hornless Underwriters Association. "The com- Godfrey, and on his entry into the room mittee," he said, "is gathering data on Flace failed to take the slightest no-fire apparatus, and will present a re- tite of his own wife. Detection of this A deputation from Ward VII, was given a hearing with regard to the improvement of roads, particularly Hampton Road, and also the transfer of a water main on Whittler Avenue, which appeared to have been overled looked at the time when the water mains laid under local improvement were taken over by the municipality. Councillor Diggon stated that the ward appropriations would not go very far, and he hoped to see the Council secure necessary powers from the Legislature to practice the principle of local improvement over areas, to the

secure necessary powers from the Legislature to practice the principle of local improvement over areas, to the extent of paying for special work in grading and improving roads, but not to the extent of the Local improvement. Act, which placed so heavy a burden on the small holders. The ward was particularly handicapped, owing to the absence of a good gravel bed, and in fact it was necessary to go to Keating to secure gravel suitable for road work.

The Council gave an assurance that the work would be undertaken as soon as possible, and with regard to the water main, arrangements will be made, for its transfer at cost, less ten per cent. depreciation.

The appropriations by wards for the two weeks ending April 7. were presented, the two largest items being \$202 for the repair of Prospect Road, and \$184 for repairing Central Saantch Road.

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Not Convincing. Place stated that he informed his Phoenix Book now on sale. wife the mortgage was in her own name, indicating also that it was realizable to the extent of \$150 in the event of necessity. He said he pro the baby.

The Judge: "Two dollars and a half, Credit at Restaurant.

The respondent further claimed that e had told his wife to go to Philpot's have the debt charged to him. He re

your wife as to this woman's condi-tion? You gave your wife a hundred dellers, denied by petitioner, because you had no intention to return. You are what they call an out and out So cialist, are you not? The kind of So-cialist who boasts of it, refuses to stand during the singing of God Save the King, absents yourself from pray-

ers, and so on." Politicians versus Wife Questioned by His Lordship as to hi behavior to his wife on the street.
Place declared that he had many appointments with his supporters and had to attend to them; in fact that was what he was paid for, said he in explanation of the necessity to be "Do you expect me to believ that?" queried His Lordship. "You should have been able to tell the politicians you were busy with your wife and would see them to-morrow,"

Show Case, AMERICAN ADDING port in a short time."

A deputation from Ward VII, was given a hearing with regard to the imwas being practically starved to death; it had been proved that her friends had supplied food. His Lordship said he was disposed to help Mrs. Place all he could for she had been abominably treated, but there was the law, unfair though he believed it to be, in this

serving judgment until shown there is evidence of legal cruelty.

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Primrose Day.—The Red Cross have secured a store on the ground floor of the Union Bank Building, No. 606 View the Union Bank Building, No. 606 View the Street, in which to-day Miss Pooley with a large staff of able assistants is very busy making primrose of button-holes" which will be sold on the streets to-morrow, Thursday. The following have sent in donations of priminoses are required.

Only Three Cases.—Only three cases of measles had been reported to the cake Bay Police to-day up to the time of going to press, and it is thought that the epidemic which has for the past week been very bad is gradually abating.

A A A Call of Fire.—The fire department was called at 11 o'clock to-day to 925 Johnson Street, 'occupied by Mrs. White, to a roof fire.

He was in no hurry to forget the brought in Mrs. Hern's primroses from milk and butter incident, for the Judge Fowl Bay; Stuart Williams, Mrs. Solly, milk and butter incident, for the Judge continued: "It is scarcely any use you arguing that she was being starved to death. Didn't she have a pint of milk a day and a pound of butter a week? Fare like that almost borders on extravagance."

Judgment Reserved.

The matter will come up again in the form of written argument on the subject of alimony. His Lordship reserving judgment until shown there is serving judgment until shown the serving judgment until shown there is serving judgment until shown the ser

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