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## SERBIAN AND FRENCH TROOPS GAINING IN REGION OF OSTROVO

### Offensive Operations Near Western End of Salonica Front Are Being Pressed; Important Progress at Several Points Announced By Paris To-day; Reported Unofficially Sorovitz Captured

Athens, Sept. 13.—French and Serbian troops have taken the offensive at the western end of the front in Greek Macedonia. They have captured the town of Sorovitz, near Florina, west of Lake Ostrovo.

Paris, Sept. 13.—Notwithstanding the stout resistance of the Bulgarian and German forces, the Serbian troops on the Macedonian front have made important progress at various points, it was announced by the war office this afternoon. Violent fighting is in progress in the vicinity of Lake Ostrovo, where Serbian forces have gained considerable ground. The statement discloses that Italian troops are in action on the front in the Struma region.

The text of the statement follows:

"On the Struma front no change in the situation is reported. Lively cannonading continues. In the region of the Boles Mountains Italian troops are engaged in the direction of Butkova (near the Struma, 15 miles west of Demthassar) and Dzuma.

"On both sides of the Vardar the allies' artillery sharply bombarded Bulgarian organizations north of Makukovo and Majadag.

Are Advancing.

"On our left wing the offensive operations of the Serbian army are being actively pursued. Northwest of Kovel Serbian troops occupied an important position after engagements in which the enemy suffered heavy losses. In the direction of Kaimikolani, a Serbian advance guard fought its way forward.

## WILL START WORK ON NEW BRIDGE SPAN

### Company Erecting Structure Near Quebec Bears Loss; No Inquiry

Ottawa, Sept. 13.—The government has received a communication from the St. Lawrence Bridge Company stating that the company takes full responsibility for the failure of the work of connecting the two cantilevers of the Quebec bridge with the central span and for the loss of the big span. The company states that it will bear all the loss and that it will start work on a new span at an early date. This will be unnecessary for the government to hold any investigation.

## TAKING OF GINCHY, NORTH OF SOMME, ADDS BRIGHT PAGE TO RECORDS OF BRAVE IRISH REGIMENTS IN FRANCE

With the British Army on the Somme front, Sept. 11.—Via London, Sept. 13.—The capture of Ginchy by an Irish brigade should not be told in journalistic prose, but in heroic verse. Ireland will weep over it, for many of her sons have fallen, but there will be pride also in the hearts of the Irish people, because these men of Dublin, Munster, Connaught and all parts of the west and south have done such splendid things in courage and endurance, adding a very noble episode to the history of the Celtic race.

When they came out of the battle yesterday morning they were weary and spent and had left many good comrades behind them, but the spirit of war sustained them and they came marching steadily with their heads held high. A great painter would have found there a subject to thrill his soul—that long trail of Irish regiments, some of them reduced by losses and with but a few of their officers to lead them. Ahead of them walked one Irish piper playing them home to the har-

## ELECTORS ARE TO SIGN NEW ADDRESS

### Arrangements for To-morrow's Polling; Returning Officer Gives Important Ruling

To-morrow the electors of the city will have the opportunity of casting their ballots for the four Liberal candidates and thus of helping to defeat the Bowser government.

The candidates are the Liberal leader, H. C. Brewster; John Hart, George Bell and Henry C. Hall. In regard to the latter name voters should note that there are two candidates of the same surname. The second on the ballot is the right one—Henry Charles Hall.

If voters vote for the first two names, Bell and Brewster, skip two and then vote for the next two, the fifth and sixth, Hall (H. C.) and Hart, they will be certain of accomplishing the object of all good citizens in this election, the ousting of a dangerous government and the abolition of the patronage system and machine methods in provincial politics.

The polls will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening at the places given in another place on this page. Electors should poll their vote as early as possible in the day.

As was stated yesterday, to-morrow for the first time every elector will be compelled to sign his name in a book when he presents himself before the deputy returning officer, as well as his address and occupation. This is imperative, and electors should not risk the loss of their vote because they resist this.

A ruling given to-day by Sydney Child, returning officer for the city of Victoria, makes it clear that the voter, in signing the book before receiving a ballot paper, must give his present address and occupation.

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## BULGARIANS DRIVEN BACK BY ITALIANS ON SALONICA FRONT

Rome, Sept. 13.—Italian troops in Greek Macedonia have driven back Bulgarian detachments near Lake Butkovo, the war office announced to-day. The statement says: "Salonica front—On Monday and Tuesday in the district west of Butkovo Lake our columns skirmished with Bulgarians, who were driven in beyond the Demthassar-Dolrañ railway line."

## DIMITRAKOPOULOS IS FORMING NEW CABINET IN GREECE; SAYS TIME HAS COME FOR NATION TO DECIDE PLANS

### Invited by Constantine to Organize Ministry to Succeed That Headed by Zaimis; Declares Wobbling of Former Cabinets Has Placed Greece in Inferior Position

Athens, Sept. 13.—King Constantine to-day requested M. Dimitrakopoulos to form a new cabinet, and he accepted. The announcement came as a surprise, as it was expected that M. Venizelos would succeed M. Zaimis as head of the government.

After Roumania entered the war, M. Dimitrakopoulos voiced the opinion that Greece should hesitate no longer about abandoning her neutrality.

Following his conference with the king to-day M. Dimitrakopoulos said:

"It is now necessary for Greece to decide upon her final course of action. She must decide whether to remain neutral or intervene on the side of the entente powers."

He expressed scorn for what he termed the "wobbly" policy of former cabinets, adding:

"All preceding governments have followed a detestable policy which has placed Greece in an inferior position. The Bulgarian invasion has cost us the greatest part of our war material, most of which is now in the hands of the Bulgarians."

That the formation of a new cabinet was inevitable was made plain yesterday, when several of the members of the Zaimis cabinet called at the palace and insisted that it was impossible for the Zaimis administration to remain in power. Up to that time efforts had been made to induce M. Zaimis to withdraw his resignation and retain the leadership.

The belief is entertained in the entente capitals that the retirement of the Zaimis ministry is preliminary to the entrance of Greece in the war on the side of the entente powers. Recent dispatches from Berlin and Vienna indicate that there also it is regarded as probable that Greece soon will abandon neutrality and join the entente powers.

The precise causes which led to the resignation of the Zaimis ministry have not been disclosed on account of the exceptionally rigorous censorship. A London dispatch yesterday said that M. Zaimis had complained that internal incidents were preventing him from dealing with the external situation. It is believed in London that his resignation was due to the fact that he accepted the premiership on the understanding that he was to maintain neutrality, and in view of the occupation of Greek territory by the Bulgarians, has found this impossible.

Up to the time of the first dispatch announcing that M. Zaimis had presented his resignation, his retirement was unexpected. It was understood the premier had assumed dictatorial powers and was in an exceptionally strong position. Political affairs reached a crisis after Bulgarian forces

### WHERE YOU VOTE

Ward One—512 Fort street, O'Neill's warehouse.  
Ward Two—626 Pandora street, B. O. Pottery.  
Ward Three—725 View street, Maynard's rooms.  
Ward Four—614 Courtney street, garage, corner Gordon.  
Ward Five—321 Wharf, garage, corner Courtney.  
The polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

## GERMANS ABOUT TO LOSE COMBLES; BOUCHAVESNES IN HANDS OF FOCH'S TROOPS

### BULGARIA, TURKEY, WILL BE CUT OFF

Bakos, Hungarian Military Critic, Not Blind to Plans of Allies

London, Sept. 13.—A dispatch has reached the Morning Post from its correspondent in Budapest, in which the correspondent quotes M. Bakos, one of the best known of the military critics of Hungary, as stating that the eastern theatre of war has sprung into far greater prominence than at any previous period.

"The whole war will be decided in this theatre, probably during 1916, at the latest in the early part of the year," he writes. "We also have to prepare for the entry of Greece within a short time and eventually for the isolation of the central empires from all the outside world, and even from our Balkan allies."

"The entente powers have one strategic aim, namely, to establish a direct line from Riga to the Adriatic through Russia, Galicia, Hungary, Serbia, Bulgaria and to Avlona, Greece, Albania. The first step toward the realization of this gigantic scheme is for the Russo-Roumanian forces to join the army of General Sarraill somewhere in the centre of Bulgaria."

## SUBMARINE WRANGLE DROPPED IN GERMANY

### Less Talk About Unrestricted Campaign Since Appointment of Hindenburg

Berlin, Sept. 13.—The weeks which have passed since the appointment of Field Marshal von Hindenburg as chief of the general staff of the army have been marked by an almost complete cessation of the discussion in regard to resumption of submarine warfare on the old or more vigorous basis. Non-partisan newspaper observers who are in touch with leading statesmen and politicians express the opinion that for the present at least there will arise no question of a change in the submarine policy.

Should he be assured that no revival of the unrestricted submarine campaign is contemplated, Mr. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, may take advantage of the opportunity for a trip to the United States, as he feels the need of a vacation.

### NEW GOV. GEN. DEMOCRATIC.

London, Sept. 13.—"If any of you go to Canada I hope you will give me a call, and you will find a hearty reception awaiting you," said the Duke of Devonshire yesterday at a gathering of his tenants at Pentrich vicarage.

## GERMANS ADMIT FRENCH ENTERED VILLAGE Southeast of Combles Which Paris War Office Reports Was Captured Last Evening; Wood Farther South Carried by Assault; Gains East of Meuse

Paris, Sept. 13.—French troops last evening wrested from the Germans the village of Bouchavesnes, which lies two and a half miles southeast of Combles, north of the Somme. This information was conveyed in an official report issued this afternoon.

Another important gain was made farther south, French troops carrying by assault a wood 600 yards east of the road from Peronne to Bapaume.

On the Verdun front French troops made progress in the northern part of the Vaux-Chapitre wood, east of the Meuse.

The advance of the French forces to Rancourt, about a mile north of Bouchavesnes, takes the French line to a point almost due east of Combles, and British forces, having captured Ginchy, are now northwest of Combles, so that town, which has been a German stronghold, is subject to attack from three sides, the German line in front of it extending into the Anglo-French line in the form of a salient. It is expected that the Germans will find it impossible to hold out in Combles for long.

British Front.

London, Sept. 13.—The general situation is unchanged, says an official report on the operations on the British front in France and Belgium issued to-day. "There is nothing of importance to report."

German Admission.

Berlin, Sept. 13.—The capture by French troops of Bouchavesnes, north of the Somme, is reported in an announcement issued by the war office to-day, the text of which follows: "Front of Field Marshal Prince Rupprecht—The battle north of the Somme has recommenced. Our troops are engaged in heavy fighting between Combles and the Somme. French troops entered Bouchavesnes. Artillery duels of great violence continue on both sides of the Somme."

"Front of the German crown prince—East of the Meuse (Verdun front) attacks made by French troops in the sector of Thiaumont and Souville failed, causing them sanguinary losses."

## ATTEMPTS REPULSED BY RUSSIAN TROOPS

### Austro-Germans Failed to Cross Bystritza; Beaten Off in Carpathians

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The text of the statement follows: "South of Jezuol, an attempt by enemy forces to cross the Bystritza was frustrated."

"In the wooded Carpathians, enemy counter attacks against the heights in the region of the upper river Czarny-Cheremosh were repulsed."

"In the region of Riga and on the river Dwina the activity of the enemy's air fleet increased."

"In the Baltic Sea on Saturday evening our fleet bombarded enemy trawlers in the Irben Straits, some of which were forced to run ashore."

German Claims.

Berlin, Sept. 13.—The repulse of Russian attacks on a large front in the Carpathians was announced by the war office to-day. In Transylvania German troops have been brought up to fight the Roumanians.

The announcement says: "Russian attacks north of Dvornik and near Garbunovka were repulsed."

"In the Carpathians Russian forces made simultaneous attacks along the whole front between Smotrych and the Golden Bystritza. They were repulsed."

"In Transylvania German troops entered into fighting contact with Roumanians in the district of Hermannstadt and southwest of Hottzing."

## ENTENTE GOVERNMENTS ARE POOLING THEIR GOLD TO STRENGTHEN THEIR FINANCIAL POSITION, STATES RIBOT

London, Sept. 13.—"At the instant, the point which is occupying our most serious attention is to devise ways and means to pay for our purchases abroad and to insure greater latitude for us in the American market."

Alexander Ribot, the French minister of finance, is so quoted in an interview published in the London Times. He added:

"We are endeavoring to enlarge the basis of our commercial credit, which has been hampered somewhat by the financial methods in practice in the United States. In this effort we will have to secure a definite improvement very soon."

"Very satisfactory arrangements were reached during the meeting at Calais on August 24 which I had with Mr. Asquith and Mr. McKenna, chancellor of the British exchequer."

"Even at this stage of the struggle the Bank of France holds a gold reserve exceeding 4,000,000,000 francs. We were in a position, therefore, to promise Britain a considerable sum out of our abundance. Russia also has promised a certain amount of gold, and Italy likewise, in proportion to her capacity."

"Thus the allies are pooling their gold to render their collective financial position still more solid. We are placing this gold at the disposal of the British treasury as a loan and the treasury will open a credit in pounds sterling in London in our favor."

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## COLORED MEN FOR CONSTRUCTION BATTN.

### Unit Authorized to Draw Men From All Parts of the Dominion

Montreal, Sept. 13.—No. 2 Construction Battalion, which under the command of Lieut.-Col. Sutherland is authorized to recruit colored men from any part of Canada, opened a recruiting office here yesterday. Only colored men will be accepted for the battalion, and it is provided these must have had some experience in construction work of some kind or another.

The battalion headquarters are at Toronto, N. S., to which place they were transferred from Picton. Capt. Morrison states that the majority of colored men in Canada are either in Nova Scotia or in the western provinces.

The battalion also has opened a recruiting office in Toronto.

## FINAL CAMPAIGN MEETING OLD VICTORIA THEATRE TO-NIGHT, 8 o'Clock

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H. C. Brewster John Hart George Bell Henry C. Hall and others will speak.

F. J. STACPOOLE, K. C., will explain the DOMINION TRUST CASE.

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## CAN. JOURNALISTS TO VISIT FRENCH FRONT; AITKEN GAVE DINNER

London, Sept. 13.—The Canadian newspaper correspondents in London were guests last evening at a dinner tendered by Sir Max Aitken, Canadian official eyewitness at the front in France and Belgium, on the anniversary of the first visit by Canadian journalists to the front.

The French government, through Sir Max, has invited a number of the Canadian journalists to visit the French lines next week.

## CANADIAN LIEUT. KILLED.

London, Sept. 13.—Second Lieut. Hugh Edward McCutcheon, of the Worcestershire Regiment, attached to the Royal Flying Corps, is reported killed. Formerly he was with the Canadian Engineers.

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### SIR CHAS. H. TUPPER SPOKE IN NANAIMO

He and G. H. Cowan, Vancouver, Heard There; Sloan Will Be Elected

Nanaimo, Sept. 12.—Sir Charles Herbert Tupper and George H. Cowan last night addressed one of the biggest political gatherings ever held in this town. Dominion theatre was crowded to more than its capacity and people stood around the doors and the emergency exits to catch the remarks of the two well-known and lifelong Conservatives who were appearing to the people to vote on Thursday against the Tory government which for thirteen years has managed provincial affairs in an extravagant and corrupt manner. Both visiting speakers urged the election of William Sloan, Liberal candidate in this constituency. Mr. Sloan also addressed the gathering, and it is predicted that he will be elected by a big majority.

Sir Charles and Mr. Cowan both referred to the discovery that enemy aliens from the internment camps had been released to go to work here along the British coast, and praised Mr. Sloan for making the sensational exposure. Nothing had so incensed the miners of this district, for without a shadow of doubt Premier Bower and his government knew all about it and the people do not believe the frantic denials the premier is making at this late hour.

### SURGERY MAKES BIG PROGRESS IN WAR

Remarkable Results Seen in British Hospitals Where Wounded Are Treated

London, Sept. 12.—The advance in surgical art, made easier by the overwhelming practice now obtainable, is producing wonderful results.

At Hammersmith Military hospital the surgeons have transplanted muscle from the front of a man's wrist to the back to enable him to raise his hand. And there are cases of the removal of muscle and flesh from one part of a man's body to another. Three inches of bone in a patient's arm had been blown away, and to restore this the surgeon went to the man's own leg and removed a piece of the fibula, leaving intact the enclosing membrane, which threw up new bone, so the leg was none the worse. The removed bone was sharpened at both ends and dovetailed into the injured limb, which has been completely restored.

One man who simply would not have his foot amputated, though it seemed to be doomed by several diseased bones, considers that his obstinacy has been justified, by the results. The surgeons had removed all the diseased bone, and brought together and rearranged all the healthy bone in the foot, so that the patient has a perfectly sound foot, which only lacks the usual joints and the muscular walking action.

Wounds in Jaw Treated.

All kinds of jaw cases—united fractures of the jaw, displacements of the jaw and organic jaw damage—are treated at the Croydon Military hospital. A man with the whole of his lower jaw shot away was seen there by visitors to be surmounting by mechanical treatment his terrible privation. The metal gunning splint is a contrivance for bringing a displaced jaw back into position, and any one who has experienced the discomfort of the unsightly distortion caused by a displaced jaw will bless this gradual but certain remedy.

As the surgeon says, it "educates" the teeth to meet, and when one's lower teeth have got round to one's ear they demand a vast amount of education.

At the Queen Alexandra hospital, Millbank, there also are interesting jaw cases. There a Serbian officer who had lost a large piece of his lower jaw was unlike some men in similar case, able to articulate distinctly and to act naturally, and he was conspicuously cheerful. The explanation was that an ingenious surgeon had transferred from the officer's leg to his jaw a portion of his tibia, giving the jaw an almost normal appearance and a normal action.

In this fine hospital, by the way, there was a good example of German surgery. A young guardsman, now an exchanged prisoner, had the misfortune to be wounded and captured in the first half hour of the British appearance on the French front. The German surgeons had removed his foot, but in such a way as to leave his heel, which he inordinately prided, exhibiting it and slapping it with great gusto, and proclaiming that he can walk on it with the aid of a stick. He will have an artificial foot in due time.

Wasting of Muscles.

After thirteen months in other hospitals and six months in this, a man suffering from wasting of the muscles of the leg through a shrapnel wound has been enabled by special treatment at Hammersmith to walk as he did before.

Another man, with trench foot deformity following frostbite, began to walk for the first time since last November after having been there a month—the result of electrical treatment and special splints.

At Wandsworth, common facial wounds are dealt with. Lieut. Derwent Wood exercises all his ingenuity as a sculptor in patching up damaged faces with copper masks painted flesh color, and, when necessary, with imitation eyelashes and mustaches. There have been some bad disfigurements, but these are certainly minimized considerably by this method of masking the face.

FOREST FIRES IN CAL.

San Jose, Cal., Sept. 12.—Forest fires, raging in the Santa Cruz mountains since Sunday were threatening to spread down the east slope of the mountains into the giant redwood park, according to word received here early today. This may check the flames, as standing redwood does not burn. Hundreds of volunteers are fighting the blaze.

NEW STRAUSS OPERA.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—Richard Strauss, the composer, has completed the score of his new opera, entitled "The Woman Without a Shadow."

### FRENCH TROOPS DROVE ON NORTH OF SOMME

Foch's Men Got Much Territory Between Combles Region and River

Paris, Sept. 12.—French infantry carried out a vigorous offensive yesterday along a front of six kilometers (about three and three-quarter miles) north of the Somme, from the Combles region to the river, and in half an hour took the entire first line of German trenches, according to an official statement issued last night. Later French troops carried a system of trenches along the road from Bapaume to Peronne. Prisoners to the number of 1,500 had been taken when the report was filed. The text of the report follows:

"The battle continued today north of the Somme. Our infantry delivered a vigorous offensive between the district south of Combles and the river. Our troops captured the whole of the first line of German trenches.

"Subsequently pushing eastward, we took successively Hill 145, the Marrières wood and the whole system of trenches as far as the Bapaume-Peronne road, which we now touch from the southern outskirts of Hamcourt to the district south of Bouchevannes. Farther south we pushed our lines on to slope 75 west of Feuillaucourt.

"Up to the present the total number of prisoners reaches 1,500. They include numerous officers."

British Report.

London, Sept. 12.—The following official statement was issued last night: "The situation is unchanged. There was intermittent hostile shelling on the front south of the Ancre. Our artillery destroyed some enemy gun pits and set fire to an ammunition store. During the last 24 hours 50 prisoners have been brought in.

"In the course of aerial fighting yesterday one of our machines, which returned safely, collided with a hostile machine, which fell out of control and disappeared in the clouds. One hostile machine was brought down in flames in our lines, near Pozieres. Two of our aircraft failed to return."

### TWELVE LOST LIVES WHEN BRIDGE FELL

Quebec, Sept. 12.—The list of casualties caused by the collapse of the centre span of the Quebec bridge on Monday, as revised last night, comprises 22 names—12 dead and 14 injured. No bodies have been recovered.

The dead are: C. Bernier, Lauson, Que.; J. Corbett, New Liverpool; M. Regan, Cap Rouge; B. Vandel, New Liverpool; M. White, Port Gilbert, N. S.; R. Bertrand, Bigonette, Ont.; C. Cadorette, Sillery, Que.; E. Jourdanais, Napierville, Que.; Sylvain Demers, St. Nicolet, Que.; C. Sweeney, Lachine, Que.; Paul Laroche, Sillery, Que.; W. Dumont, Berlin, N. H.

Injured: L. Jackson, cuts about the head and neck; J. Wilson, broken ankle; A. McIntyre, left arm broken; E. McCann, suffering from shock; A. Barbeau, sprained thigh; E. Normand, sprained ankle; D. Lefevre, leg injured; A. Lafrancois, left leg injured; A. Ford; G. Anderson, A. Raymond, J. Smythe and F. Williams, minor injuries and shock; W. MacMillan, chief inspector, is in the hospital with a broken ankle.

Several others who suffered minor injuries.

H. P. Borden, a member of the Quebec Bridge Company, made the following statement last evening:

"A careful investigation to-day tends to show that the accident was due to failure of one of the erection-bearing castings supporting the suspended span on the lifting girders. It is certain to show that the accident was due to failure of the suspended span itself. The main cantilevers, jacks and suspended hangers are undamaged."

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PFLANZER-BALTIN OUT.

Vienna, Sept. 12.—General Pflanzler-Baltin has resigned from his command on account of ill health. Emperor Francis Joseph has accepted his resignation. According to recent reports General Pflanzler-Baltin was entrusted with the defence of Transylvania along the Roumanian frontier.

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- CANADIAN CORN STARCH, 3 pkts. 25c
- SELECTED PICNIC HAM Per lb., only 17½c
- SHIRRIFF'S JELLY POWDER, all kinds. 4 pkts. for 25c
- TOMATOES, PEAS or CORN, per can. 10c

### CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. Robert Dair, Birnie, Man.; Pte. Henry Mason, Nanaimo, B. C.; Lieut. D. M. Macgregor, Rapid City, Man.; Pte. Geo. E. Nelson, Neison, B. C.; Pte. Fred S. Miller, Reo, B. C.

Died of wounds—Lieut. A. L. Bishop, Quebec.

Died—Pte. John McArthur, Guelph. Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed dead—Pte. W. J. Clark, England; Cpl. J. G. Jolliffe, Wales; Pte. A. R. Lees, England; Pte. Alfred Moore, England; Cpl. A. Stevenson, England.

Wounded—Pte. Geo. Owen, Winnipeg; Pte. L. E. Pickett, Tootoon, N. B.; Pte. D. G. Roberts, Toronto; Pte. B. A. Styles, Napan, N. S.; Sgt. G. R. Taylor, Montreal; Lieut. G. T. Bartlett, Windsor; A. R. Baxter, Grayville, Man.; Pte. M. Champagne, Montreal; Lieut. B. L. Cook, Beachville, Ont.; Lieut. C. T. Floyd, Fort Francis, Ont.; Pte. Joseph Holden, Elmwood, Man.; Pte. J. H. Johnston, Winnipeg; Pte. W. S. Swinnings, Ottawa; Pte. W. J. Quenneville, Ottawa; Cpl. Grant Potter, Montreal; Lieut. C. H. Schieler, Quebec; Pte. David Gash, Fernie, B. C.; Pte. Hugh O. Howell, Vancouver, B. C.; Pte. John McHugh, Brandon, Man.; Lieut. A. M. Parsons, Middleton, N. S.; Lieut. Gordon Salee, Toronto.

Mounted Rifles.

Previously reported missing; now believed killed in action—Pte. R. J. Young, Newdale, Man.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner—Pte. W. S. Field, Smithville, Ont.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. A. J. Winkworth, Toronto.

Engineers.

Previously reported wounded; now missing and unofficially reported prisoner of war—Sapper Richard Collins, Hunters River, P. E. I.

Medical Services.

Wounded—Pte. C. M. Oney, Quebec.

Infantry.

Killed in action—Cpl. Frank Fover, Winnipeg.

Died of wounds—Lieut. Peter Mackintosh, 1237 Walnut street, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. H. S. Polley, Calgary; Lieut. H. T. Sneath, Toronto.

Died—Pte. Roy Brownlie, South Indian, Ont.

Missing—Lieut. F. C. Howard, Toronto; Lieut. J. H. Murray, Belleville, Ont.

Seriously ill—Pte. M. J. Trainor, Hope River, P. E. I.; Pte. Albert White, Cornwall, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. A. S. Ainslee, Montreal; Pte. Joseph Ainsworth, England; Pte. Thomas Arnold, Montreal; Pte. F. J. Bird, England; Pte. C. G. Brien, Agr. Ont.; Pte. J. S. Bonin, Ste. Ann, Man.; Pte. C. H. Bradley, London, Ont.; Cpl. Moss Clark, Quebec; Pte. W. C. Bullock, Toronto; Pte. J. F. Collins, Medina, N. Y.; Pte. Robert Dalzell, Pittsburg, Pa.; Lieut. A. E. Daniel, England; Pte. George Glidden, Quebec; Lieut. J. B. Cann, Stonewall, Man.; Pte. A. Hardy, London, Ont.; Pte. John Harkins, Montreal; Pte. William Harris, Ingersoll, Ont.; Pte. F. W. Houghton, Ingersoll, Ont.; Lieut. Douglas James-Burton, Todd Lane, Wilkes, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. William Laling, Hamilton, Pte. G. R. Lilly, Montreal;

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Mounted Rifles.

Killed in action—Pte. Harry Palmer, Oakland, Cal.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. Richard Rickard, Russell, Ont. Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. Harry Forbes, Toronto.

Ambulance Service.

Seriously ill—Pte. A. G. W. Russell, Crazen, Sask.

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. M. H. Brown, Scotland.

Died of wounds—Pte. G. A. Bartrum, England; Pte. A. R. Meredith, British West Indies; Pte. J. Todd, England; Pte. Thomas Oakley, England.

Seriously ill—Cpl. James Rowbottom, England; Pte. J. H. Sutherland, Scotland; Pte. Henry Eccles, England; Pte. Louis Howe, England; Pte. John Murphy, England.

Wounded—Cpl. C. Moore, England; Sgt. S. D. Martin, England; Pte. L. H. Christie, England; Pte. R. F. Wilkinson, England; Pte. A. Trail, Scotland; Capt. W. W. Wilson, New South Wales.

Previously reported ill; now seriously ill—Pte. George M. Owl, England.

Mounted Rifles.

Wounded—Cpl. E. Whittle, England. Engineers.

Wounded—Sapper N. Serkette, Italy. Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. C. A. Carter, England; Gnr. E. J. Shaw, England.

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SOME IN NEW YORK CITY TRAVEL IN MOVING VANS

Companies Controlling Street Railways, Subways and Elevated Systems Firm Against Strikers.

New York, Sept. 13.—The Interborough Rapid Transit Company and the New York Railways Company formally rejected to-day the public service commission's recommendation for a strike settlement made yesterday.

Brooklyn detectives, it was disclosed to-day, are investigating a reported plot to damage property of the Interborough with explosives. A package was found by a trackwalker near the Borough Hall subway station in Brooklyn last night and was said to contain dynamite of the powerful kind generally used in under-sea operations.

Although transportation within the city is far from paralyzed, thousands are compelled to resort to the use of automobiles, moving vans, trucks and other vehicles.

Policemen beg rides from motorists and are often seen on the running boards of private cars. Many automobiles have been pressed into service.

But few surface cars were operating to-day and passengers were forced to use the subway and elevated roads, where the congestion was extreme.

There was little or no violence during the night, largely due to the fact that policemen were stationed on roof tops where attacks had been made.

Hugh Frayne, state organizer of the American Federation of Labor, announced to-day that between 12,000 and 20,000 men will take part in the parade and demonstration to-morrow.

P. EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF U. S. ON DIVORCE

New York, Sept. 13.—If the recommendations of a commission consisting of five bishops and an equal number of clergymen and prominent laymen of the Protestant Episcopal church are adopted by the general convention which meets at St. Louis next month, it will be impossible for any divorced person to be married by a clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Hitherto the canon law of the church has allowed an exception in the case of the innocent party in certain divorces, a liberty which was carefully guarded against abuse. The commission is convinced that more rigorous action is necessary, as divorce is increasing by leaps and bounds, especially in the western states. In the opinion of experienced lawyers, collusion is widely prevalent.

FOUR MORE NEUTRAL VESSELS SENT DOWN

Penzance, Sept. 13.—The Norwegian steamship Polynesia, of 4,954 gross tons, was sunk and her captain and 23 members of the crew have been landed here. Four other members of the crew, who left the vessel in another boat, are missing.

London, Sept. 13.—The sinking of the Spanish steamship Luis Vives is announced by Lloyd's. The crew was saved. The Luis Vives was of 2,394 tons gross and was owned in Valencia. Lloyd's also report the sinking of the Norwegian steamship Furu, of 529 tons gross, of Bergen, and the Freesevaore, of 1,518 tons gross.

FAMOUS HEN DEAD.

Greensborough, Md., Sept. 13.—Lady Eglantine, the wonder of the poultry world and the pride of the Eglantine farms, here, is dead.

Lady Eglantine for many years had been the most famous hen in the world. Her supremacy goes back to the time when she laid 315 eggs during her pullet year. She easily won every prize for which she competed at poultry shows.

WILSON'S MOVEMENTS.

New London, Conn., Sept. 13.—President and Mr. Wilson left here aboard the yacht Mayflower for Shadow Lawn, N. J., this morning. The condition of Mrs. Anna Howe, the president's sister, was reported unchanged.

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AN AMERICAN COMPANY SUBSCRIBES \$2,000,000 TO CANADA'S WAR LOAN

New York, Sept. 13.—It is stated that the Mackay companies have subscribed for \$2,000,000 of the Canadian war loan. This is the company of which Lord Shaughnessy, Sir Edmund Osler and Mr. Meredith, president of the Bank of Montreal, are trustees.

N. YORK BAKERS URGE EMBARGO ON WHEAT

New York, Sept. 13.—The New York Wholesale Bakers' Association, which includes some of the largest distributors of bread in the city, at a special meeting here yesterday passed resolutions calling on President Wilson to place an embargo on the exportation of wheat and flour and other food-stuffs.

The members did not take any action regarding the increased price of bread. They announced that they were only seeking relief from a condition that sooner or later would force them into bankruptcy.

Old men always know more than they pretend to.

BRITISH WEIGH TRADE APPLICATION OF U. S.

New York, Sept. 13.—Importers here were disappointed by information received to-day that W. M. Wyvell, who was sent to London by the state department to negotiate for the release of German and Austrian goods to the value of several million dollars detained at Rotterdam, is soon to leave England for the United States without having obtained from the British authorities more than a promise to consider the application in due time.

Mr. Wyvell, who is a foreign trade adviser to the state department, went to England in the latter part of June, and since then has been making efforts to induce the British government to permit these goods to come through.

A MINISTERIAL RECORD.

"Non redolet sed olet." There's something rotten in the state of Denmark. The reason you can gather if you dare—the smell of putrid politics. The reek of legislative tricks. By men who'll shortly vote to—who knows where.

What was that sudden cabinet skidoo? When, primest of the ministerial crew, Silly Dick hiked o'er the water? All alone, without reporter, On mandate of the Lord alone knows who.

What's this about the plans of—you know where. The general skidaddle and the scare, The loud croaking of the ravens, And the transport of the savings To "safety," where no hostile foot might dare.

What a time they must have had across the Bay! At a moment, too, when everything seemed gay.

To induce a finance shifter To emulate the "lifter" Of prize cattle for which voters had to pay.

What know we of that truculent A. G. Dick left to clear the spoil up in B. C. With his wags Napoleonic, Whose "greasy" record smells of perfidy.

The ylf Dominion Trust fraud is his mark That he who runs may read—yes, in the dark. Where the German Alvensleben Cleaned up a fateful million Of hard-earned savings—someone fed the shark!

What of him, too, that embodiment of grace, Who occupies so prominent a place In the land deals of the province, Which we might without much offence Term the "shifting sands" of his historic race?

A chieftain's blood boils in his swarthy veins, His uncaged spirit sighs for far Cham-pagne, Glory calls him like a daughter, But he takes the smell of water, Under cover of the "Gatlin"—he remains.

Next contemplates the Chief of Education—The mould in which to rear a budding nation—Far too young to know it's naughty, To take shares you haven't bought, he Accepts, and fears no moral obligation.

Now Chief of Rails and Park (alleged) Strathcona, You've palmed off on us what you didn't own, or At least you've brought us Thompson For a scandalously long sum, A Yank, too, from Seattle or Tacoma.

But perhaps there's something hid behind Crown Mountain, A syndicated job, of wealth the fountain, Another namesake knows it, Your railway project shows it, You'd soak the public, while on that you're counting.

A lively lot you are, in all your poses, A lovely bunch of plushing cluster roses, God help the land that bred you, The mothers' breasts that fed you, And the spineless flock your leadership disclose.

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ELECTORS ARE TO SIGN NEW ADDRESS

(Continued from page 1.)

The idea of the returning officer is that in this way accurate information will be obtained as to the description of the electors, which is incorrect in a great many cases. Rarely does a voter get his change of address made in the voters' list, and this renders it very difficult to trace who are still in the city, especially where, as here and in Vancouver, there are hundreds on the list who ought not to be there.

With the addresses as given by the electors to-morrow a needed amendment of the list can be made by the registrar of voters at the November revision. Taking the two elections and the abstentions from voting a pretty close estimate can be secured as to the number of names that ought not to be there.

The election will be a thoroughly clean one so far as the Liberals can make it. There is definite information, however, that plugging on an extensive scale is to be tried by the Bowser forces, and the Liberal workers are prepared for this. During the past day or two a number of questionable characters have arrived in town and to be seen hanging about lower Johnson street, along the waterfront and about big stable premises in the heart of the city. A strict watch is being kept on these and on the headquarters from which they are operated.

Attention is drawn to the public notice given on the last page of this paper by the president of the Victoria Liberal Association in regard to election irregularities. The assistance of the public is earnestly requested in order that any attempts at corrupt practices shall be detected. It may be that some of the Liberal scrutineers will swear voters who come to the poll properly, and in that case the forbearance of the public is asked. The lists are in such a state that it has been impossible to trace up every man who is legally there, and there are so many men absent from the city who may come back at the last minute that it will be unavoidable to swear some of them in order to prevent their vote being stolen by the Bowser pluggers.

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The manufacturers of NOWATER SOAP, the great velvet wash for mechanics, motorists, printers, painters, steamboat and railroad men, etc., etc., heretofore trading under the name of The T. B. Mohler Co., beg to announce that the name of the Company will be known in the future as

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REPORTED LEPER AT HAVANA CURED HIMSELF

Havana, Sept. 13.—That the long sought cure for leprosy may have been found, was indicated to-day by Dr. Lopez del Valle, director of sanitation, who said that various lepers in a local hospital who had been treated with a remedy by which Angel Garcia, a former leper, had cured himself, are much better and some cases appear to be cured. Garcia shows many mutilations received from the disease, but he appears perfectly cured. He refuses to disclose the secret of the prescription.

ONE MORE KILLED IN CLEVELAND TUNNEL

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 13.—One man was fatally injured and 16 were hurt when the roof of a water tunnel being dug under Lake Erie caved in early to-day. It was in another section of the tunnel that 19 men were killed by a gas explosion several weeks ago.

BREAD PRICE HIGHER.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 13.—Loaves of bread which formerly sold for five cents were advanced to-day to six cents in this city. In some cases where the loaf has been reduced in weight the price remains unchanged.

Victoria, B. C. Sept. 7, 1916

To the Electors of Victoria—

We urge you to assist in restoring responsible government in British Columbia by voting the straight Liberal ticket.

Every vote for an independent candidate is a vote in favor of the Bowser government.

To make provision for returned soldiers; to abolish the patronage system; to prevent the Province being mulcted for enormous sums of money under the railway guarantees; to carry out an intelligent and honest administration of the lands, minerals, and natural resources of the Province; to provide for the honest and impartial enforcement of the laws of the Province; to guard against the employment of Orientals and alien enemies in coal mines and on railways aided by Provincial guarantees; it is necessary that there be an undivided earnest effort centring on the election of four Liberal candidates.

We respectfully ask your vote, support and influence, and we pledge ourselves to loyal support of the principles of the Liberal Party and of every measure intended for the welfare of the Province.

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Advertisement for Grape-Nuts cereal, featuring an illustration of a wheat field and a box of the product. Text includes 'Nature's Bounty', 'Grape-Nuts', and 'There's a Reason'.

Continuation of the 'The Silent Phone' poem, including lines like 'What know we of that truculent A. G. Dick left to clear the spoil up in B. C.' and 'What of him, too, that embodiment of grace'.

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TO-MORROW.

To-morrow the electors will say whether they desire five years more of the present government or a new administration under the leadership of Mr. Brewster. They will vote with their eyes open; the record of the ministry which in various forms has held office in this province for more than twelve years has been sufficiently revealed to enable them to reach an intelligent verdict.

THOSE LOTS.

The morning paper says our statement that the property controlled by interests friendly to the government and involved in the arbitration proceedings held a few days ago was purchased in 1912 not long before the bridge proposal came up, was a misrepresentation of fact.

trafion was made on February 15, 1914, and the registration was granted February 23, 1914. This, however, does not touch the main issue, namely, that an attempt is being made to tie the city up to a real estate transaction in the interests of a syndicate notoriously close to the government without regard to the rights and interests of the city, and it is being done on the pretext of facilitating the construction of the Johnson Street bridge.

VOTE THE STRAIGHT TICKET.

When Sir Charles Tupper spoke here recently he advised the electors to vote the straight Liberal ticket. His advice was timely, for if the people conceive it to be to their interest to turn the present government out and replace it with a new administration, in other words, to start afresh with a clean sheet, they should see that Mr. Brewster is given a strong following.

MR. BREWSTER'S PLEDGES.

A stock argument of Mr. Brewster's opponents is their claim that he has no other policy than one of scandal-mongering and reflecting upon the country. This also was the stock argument of the Roblin government in Manitoba. It has been the stock argument of a corrupt administration wherever one has been exposed.

Mr. Brewster, if elected, will go into office without any entanglement with a solitary privileged interest. He is determined to root out the patronage system, and his pledge in this respect, given years ago but reiterated with particular emphasis after he saw the effects of the brutal tyranny of that system on his recent tour, will be kept to the letter.

Mr. Brewster will insist upon economy and reform in the financial administration of the province. He will put an end to the squandering of the public funds and the increase of the public debt by expenditures without regard to revenue.

He will adopt a policy in regard to the administration of the resources of the country in the interests of legitimate industry. His deep interest in this subject is well known. For years he has criticized the government's policy in respect of the country's resources and has urged reforms only to have his recommendations spurned with the cynical retort that "the speculator must have his chance" and to be told that he was maligning the province.

He will restore representative government to British Columbia. The legislature will revert to its proper status as the supreme law-making and governing institution of the province. The public knows that this has not been the case here for years. We are governed by order-in-council determined in secret sessions of the cabinet, which for all purposes means Mr. Bower.

And those who know the opposition leader at all know that he will not tolerate a railroad-owned or railroad-controlled government. There will be no attorney-general who will number among his clients railroad promoters obtaining concessions at the public expense and in defiance of the laws. There will be a searching investigation of the entire railroad situation. The public will learn how the millions raised on their credit and paid to the promoters have been spent and the solemn agreements between the railroads and the province, now disregarded

ed as though they did not exist, will be strictly enforced.

These are some phases of the policy of the party of which Mr. Brewster is the leader and for the fulfillment of which, with others no less important, he has given his word. And he will keep his word, for he belongs to the type of public men who regard public office as a public trust.

THE ADVANCE FROM SALONICA.

An important development in the war situation is the launching of a general offensive by the Salonica army under the command-in-chief of General Sarrail. The British on the right flank have crossed the Struma and established themselves on the left bank, while the Serbians on the other flank have made substantial progress towards Florina, from which they were ejected some weeks ago.

There are three avenues of advance northward before the allies. One is by way of Florina to Monastir, the ancient capital of Macedonia. To force their way along this route will be the undertaking of Sarrail's left wing. The second avenue is the valley of the Vardar, across which the French who hold the allies' centre are now stationed.

In co-ordination with this offensive based upon Salonica the Russians are advancing southward through Dobruja in southeastern Roumania. There a peculiar situation has developed. Shortly after Roumania's intervention a German and Bulgarian army under von Mackensen crossed the boundary line and occupied a part of the strip of Dobruja which was taken by Roumania from Bulgaria in the second Balkan war.

The Roumanians are actually some distance south of them, and soon will be able to take them in the rear. On the other hand the Russian communications are safe, because they are based upon the Black Sea, along which the Russian fleet is conducting a patrol.

Hon. Alex. Stewart objects to our assertion that he and his colleagues were muzzled the other night when not one of them spoke at the meeting called in their behalf. If he does not like the expression we shall withdraw it and say that a silence was attached to each of them. And that is absolutely true. After the first public meeting addressed by them the word went forth from headquarters that the four government candidates for the city must not speak at public gatherings of this sort.

The finance minister has not yet told the taxpayers of this province whether the government has paid the \$316,000 interest charges on the Pacific Great Eastern bonds, which fell due about the middle of July. Why? The public has the right to know, for it is the public money which is involved.

Bowser objects to being likened to the Kaiser. He prefers to be ranked with Napoleon. There can be no objection to the premier having his choice. Napoleon is a dead one and the All-Highest is in the throes of dissolution as a factor in the affairs of men and nations.

There is going to be a shortage of pens as well as of paper in the United States. President Wilson has been using three-nibs in signing notes and things, in order that there may be an

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Taking the campaign for all in all, and considering its complex phases, it must be given the palm as the most interesting that ever has been held in the province.

Bowser says two of his supporters will be selected to-morrow to meet every Liberal returned. But Bowser's predictions are on a par with his veracity.

Hon. Alex. Stewart, petulant under criticism, says the Times ought to be wiped out of existence. Well, some-

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thing will be wiped out of existence to-morrow—and it won't be the Times.

These are precarious times for "ruling dynasties." Some are tottering in Europe. One is on trial for its life in British Columbia.

The elector who casts his ballot for the Liberal candidates to-morrow will perform a patriotic duty as a citizen.

"MUST AVENGE OUR CHILDREN"

Le Figaro (Paris). It is the German people, as incarnated by their soldiers, who have carried off

our daughters of the north captive, and delivered them to the officers of the Kaiser. It is, therefore, against the German people as a whole that our race is making war, and not against any fiction of isolated imperialism. The Germans are alone responsible for their crimes, and any other conception of the present war would only lead us to degradation, dupery and defeat. We must avenge the children of Roubaix and Lille—avenge them without mercy or pity. This is one of the works of France during the war, and for long afterwards. The sales of Noblemen Cigars have more than trebled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

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First Conviction.—The police magistrate to-day imposed a fine of \$20 on A. Girout, Jr., for operating a junk agency at 1319 Waddington alley without keeping a register to enter articles purchased therein, as required by the new Second-hand and Junk Stores By-law. It is the first case under the by-law, and will be reported to council with a view to suspension of the license unless the rule is complied with.

## Announcement

MEETINGS AND ENTERTAINMENTS

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

## PUBLIC MARKET.

The mid-week market held to-day was well-patronized and there was a considerable demand for fruit, vegetables and eggs. The offerings were of excellent quality and wide variety. Prices were quoted at the following average figures.

Fruit—Plums, 10-lb. for 25c.; Greenhouses, per crate, 75c.; apples per box, 50c. to \$1; pears, 15 lbs., 25c.; strawberries, per box, 20c.; blackberries, per box, 10c.; Loganberries, 3 boxes, 25c.

Dairy produce—Eggs, per doz., 45c.; butter, per lb., 40 and 45c.

Vegetables—Cabbage, 3 for 5c.; marrows, each, 5c.; beans, 6 lbs., 25c.; cauliflower, from 5c.; corn, per dozen, 15c.; red cabbage, each, 5c.; carrots, 2 bunches, 5c.; onions, 7 lbs., 25c.; beets, 3 bunches, 10c.; lettuce, 2 for 5c.; celery, each, 5c.; tomatoes, per lb., 5c.

Meats—Lamb per lb., 20 and 30c.; mutton, per lb., 15 to 25c.; veal, per lb., 15 to 22c.; beef, per lb., 10 to 18c.; pork, per lb., 16 to 22c.; chicken, per lb., 25c.; fowl, per lb., 20c.

Fish—Spring salmon, per lb., 12½c.; halibut, per lb., 10 to 12½c.; cod, per lb., 10c.; fresh herring, per lb., 10c.; smelts, per lb., 10c.; smoked black cod, per lb., 15c.; smoked salmon, per lb., 17½c.; smoked best fillets, per lb., 15c.; smoked cod tips, per lb., 5c.; kippers, per lb., 10c.; blotters, per lb., 10c.

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Asks City to Intervene.—The Nanaimo city council has asked the city council to pass a resolution in support of one already adopted by that body, deprecating the releasing of alien enemies to work in the mines and at other employments in the province, and requesting to have them all returned to the internment camps.

## WHERE YOU VOTE

Ward One—512 Fort street, O'Neil's warehouse.

Ward Two—624 Pandora street, B. C. Pottery.

Ward Three—726 View street, Maynard's rooms.

Ward Four—614 Courtney street, garage, corner Gordon.

Ward Five—921 Wharf, garage, corner Courtney.

The polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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BELL, George	X
BREWSTER, Harlan Carey	X
DILWORTH, John	
HALL, Ernest Amos	
HALL, Henry Charles	X
HART, John	X
HAYWARD, Reginald	
MORLEY, Alfred J.	
POUPARD, Daniel William	
SMITH, Philip Robert	
STEWART, Alexander	
TAIT, Leonard	

## REMEMBER—The First, Second, Fifth and Sixth

Please Note—There are TWO HALLS on the ballot paper—the Liberal candidate is **HENRY CHARLES HALL**, barrister-at-law.

## STRANGLES HIMSELF WITH A BOOTLACE

### Unusual Case of Suicide Discovered in Downtown Hotel This Morning

An Italian named G. Gobbo, of whom little is known, chose a violent way of passing out of this world, for he was found strangled in his room at the Grand Pacific hotel this morning.

He had attached a lace to the bed post and round his neck. Then he pulled himself away till the lace cut into the throat and caused bleeding. Part of the body was resting on the floor, so that death must have come from strangulation.

The police ambulance was called to the hotel by R. Meilanisio, the proprietor, and Constable Littlefield attended. The body was cold, and deceased must have been dead some hours. He was last seen alive last evening, when he appeared to be normal.

The body has been removed to the Sands Funeral parlors, where Dr. Stanier will hold an inquest to-morrow morning.

In the room of the deceased was found a letter addressed to his wife in Italy, which he had got a fellow countryman to address for him.

## ESQUIMALT POLLS

Where Electors Will Vote in That Constituency To-morrow.

The polling places in the Esquimalt constituency are as follows:

Esquimalt, Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

Colwood, Colwood hall.

Metchoin, Metchoin hall.

West Sooke, schoolhouse.

East Sooke, schoolhouse.

Otter Point, Mr. Gordon's house.

Port Renfrew, Mr. T. Brazil's house.

Shawnigan Lake, Mr. W. Hall's house.

Jordan River, clubhouse.

Luxton, Luxton hall.

Langford, Goucher's store.

## SAANICH POLLS

Places Where Vote Will Be Cast in Adjoining Constituency To-morrow.

The polling places in Saanich constituency are as follows:

Saanichton, Agricultural hall.

Royal Oak, schoolhouse.

Bolleskine Road, old schoolhouse.

Cedar Hill road, schoolhouse.

Garden City, Glover's House, Marigold road.

Cadboro Bay road, the Arena.

Oak Bay avenue, Oak Bay schoolhouse.

Corner Pithcum road and Maddock street, Butler's store.

## WAR RELIEF ACT WORK OF AMATEUR

### Lawyer's Comment During Hearing of Application in Chambers To-day

Mr. Justice Morrison, sitting in chambers this morning, again had before him an application by F. A. McDiarmid to have Lieut.-Col. Forsythe committed for contempt of court, and he reserved his decision. Before doing so, however, he made a remark to the effect that the War Relief Act was a serious piece of legislation and should have been more carefully drawn. Mr. McDiarmid went further and stated that it was evidently the work of an amateur who did not know his job.

Mr. McDiarmid argued that in a case such as this, where so many people were affected, the strict letter of the act should be followed. If that was done the act did not apply in this case, because an officer did not enlist but received a commission.

A. P. Luxton produced an affidavit showing that Lt.-Col. Forsythe enlisted in the 50th Gordon Highlanders as a private and that later he was promoted to be an officer.

Another case in which the protection of the courts for a soldier was involved was one in which Thomas Cashmore held an equity of redemption in a property which was about to be foreclosed. He held that his equity was a valuable one and should not be wiped out. He was a member of the 8th Regiment of Militia and claimed protection accordingly. His lordship asked him if he had enlisted and was mobilized, and he replied in the affirmative.

The case was set over until Monday next to give J. A. Lawson an opportunity to show that the regiment was not mobilized.

## LEGAL STATUS OF SUBURBAN GROCERIES

Interesting Case is Presented in Connection With Prosecution To-day

A case of great interest to suburban groceries was heard in the city police court to-day when Hodgson and McCullough were charged with a breach of the Weekly Half-Holiday act.

The case was one of those arising out of the series of prosecutions following the determination of some articles to remain open on a Saturday followed by a Monday statutory holiday, which was the circumstance on September 2.

The defence relied on the segregation of the books for the month of August, to show that exempted articles formed the bulk of the business done. It was shown by the senior partner, T. H. Hodgson, that the monthly turnover at the premises, 300 Mendocino street, in August was \$1,530, of which \$300 represented cost price of articles on the exempt schedule, or allowing for sale prices and other factors, actually \$1,175 of the business done was for exempted commodities. The balance of the trade was strictly groceries.

The court insisted that the defendant should produce the accounts and invoices prior to the passage of the act.

J. A. Aikman, for the defence, contended that since the act did not go into effect till July 1, it was unfair to compel the defendant to submit his books prior to that date.

The magistrate ruled, however, that it must be necessary to prove the general character of the business and that earlier information to that of the date of the operation of the statute must be submitted.

Eventually it was determined that the defendant should by next Wednesday submit figures of the various kinds of business transacted in June, July and August.

City Prosecutor Harrison elicited in his cross-examination that the premises were known as the James Bay "Grocery," and that when defendant had studied the act he renewed his license on August 29 for butter and eggs, etc. He admitted reluctantly that the news that Copas & Young intended to remain open on September 2 had induced him to test the by-law, although he had contemplated it for some time.

The magistrate pointed out that the tendency of the grocery business to-day was to grow more diffuse, including classes of supplied formerly handled by other traders.

Mr. Aikman: Practically all the small stores outside the centre of the city depend on small articles which have been forgotten or overlooked downtown. Only three or four large businesses of the city are strictly groceries.

Argument, however, was laid over till the defendant submits the details of his business during the last quarter for the purpose of comparison.

Stopped a Runaway.—In the midst of elections there are little amenities which serve to soften the asperities of the political battle. One of these was witnessed by the crowd around the Times bulletin board this morning. Aid Bell was standing at the corner when a spanking team of blacks attached to one of the Victoria Transfer hacks came tearing along Broad street. Several men tried to stop the animals in the usual style of

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frightening them more. The alderman stepped out in the roadway and succeeded in getting hold of a bride and bringing the team to a stop. Leonard Tait, manager of the stable, and one of the Bowser candidates, came running up and thanked his rival for saving a good team from possible injury, and perhaps averting a bad accident.

Go South To-day.—After a successful automobile trip up the Island, Herbert S. Robbins and Mrs. Robbins, of New York, left to-day for Port Angeles, intending to motor through Western Washington. They arrived here on Labor Day.

The sales of Nobleman Cigars have more than doubled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

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Notice to Intending Pluggers.—Get your rubber basin plugs for 50c., your bath plugs at 15c. at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas street. Open on election day.

License Commission.—The statutory meeting of the city licensing commission is in progress this afternoon, some routine business being transacted.

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- Aylmer Pork and Beans, small tin ..... 6c
- Pacific Milk, first quality, large cans, each ..... 10c
- Kellogg's Krumbles, a 1 lb. wheat, per pkg. .... 10c
- Buttercup Milk, large cans, each ..... 10c

- Wheat Pearls just seasonable, per sack ..... 38c
- Reception Coffee has the aroma and flavor; per lb. 48c, 2 lbs. .... 90c
- Mountain Grown China Tea (new season's) lb. .... 60c
- Scribblers, Patriotic covers, each ..... 4c
- Exercise Books ..... 4c
- Lead Pencils, 2-for ..... 5c
- Glass Tumblers, thin, plain; per dozen ..... \$1.10

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## BIG PARADE OF PROHIBITIONISTS

Procession Through the City Streets Last Night; Meetings in Churches

The prohibition procession of men, women, boys and girls, which paraded through the downtown streets last evening was the cause of one of the biggest crowds that has ever congested Victoria's thoroughfares. If something in the neighborhood of 2,500 actually marched under the temperance banners thousands more lined the route.

The clock might have been set back half an hour with advantage. The processionists moved into the city from seven outside centres, Fairfield, Oak Bay, Fernwood, North Ward, Victoria West, Esquimalt and James Bay. Women and girls went to the Y. W. C. A. men and boys to the Y. M. C. A. At each of these rendezvous the ranks were re-formed so as to place the boys and girls to advantage. The process took some time, and it was 1:30 before the lines began to move.

The initiative had to be taken by the men's ranks at the Y. M. C. A. in order to bring the lines together. When their procession, led by the Salvation Army Band, reached the corner of Douglas and Fort, the line stopped and the waiting ranks of the women and girls formed up at the Y. W. C. A. swung into place at the head of the procession. Their coming was the signal for an outburst of cheering, and the multiplied forces now continued on their way to the sound of music and marching feet.

The boys and girls, bearing shields inscribed with rallying mottos and appeals, marched for the most part in an orderly and grave manner. "For our sakes, vote—dry!" "Save the Boys, Vote Dry!" "God Save Our King, Our Empire, Our Boys." "Protect Us, We're some of the mottoes carried by the lads. One very small boy with an earnest, intent expression bore high the legend: "Fight! Right is Might." "It's a Short, Short Way to Prohibition," sung to "Tipperary," was one of the march songs in which boys and girls joined. People gathered at the windows and doorways of tenanted buildings to see the procession pass, and along Yates street, were many motor cars drawn up against the pavement filled with observers.

The floats were the last to enter the procession. So many texts on banners and shields carried by the marchers seemed to exhaust the possibilities of the brevity that "Prohibition Does Prohibit" and "Prohibition is Best." But the floats invented longer legends to help the cause. "Canada, We Stand For Thee" was the mute appeal wound round one of the first cars to pass. "Before Prohibition and After" was described in a traveling tableau. A white float, canopied with white ribbons and trailed about with snailax, was applauded as it passed down the lines of onlookers, being undoubtedly one of the prettiest in the procession. "Liberty" was the figure-head in another of the motor floats; a group of college students, in cap and gown, advocated "Prohibition for Higher Education." A big daisy, with seats arranged on two sides in pyramid fashion, was filled with little girls whose appeal was "For Our Sakes" in big letters round the base of the platform. The same motto was inscribed on the car filled with cheering boys. Four motor cars labelled "W. C. T. U. Pioneers" were among the first to pass, and after this there followed many private machines carrying some of the older people unable to march who had banners appealing for "Protection for the Children," "Save the Boys," "Follow the King's Example," etc. A load of lads asked "Save Us from the Saloon." The question: "What kind of home fires will the saloon keep burning?" passed in letters two-feet high, and another banner carried the promise of "A Clean Victoria." The Women's University Club openly advocated the change by occupying a place in the procession.

Church Meetings. It was quite a feat of organization in itself to be able to handle such a procession at its finish, but within fifteen minutes of turning the corner of Blanshard and Yates—the marchers were three well-ordered congregations at the Metropolitan Methodist, the Congregational, and the First Presbyterian churches, singing hymns and singing service. At the Metropolitan Rev. H. S. Osborne, the pastor, was the

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## N. DAKOTA BANKER

### PLEASED WITH TOUR

Motored From Home at Bowman, N. D., to Seattle; Will Now Make Island Trip

Concluding a long automobile trip on the continental mainland, from his home at Bowman, North Dakota, James E. Phelan, with Mrs. Phelan, arrived yesterday afternoon on the Seattle boat. Here they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis, of Tacoma. The intention is to make a tour of the island roads. Mr. Phelan, who is president of the First National Bank in his home town, and president of the North Dakota Bankers' Association, has been traveling many miles by car over every class of road in the Pacific Northwest.

"We have forgotten the bad spots," he said laughingly to the Times yesterday, "in the wonderful scenes we have passed through, mountain scenery, mining and lumbering." "And," observed Commissioner Cuthbert, who had met him at the wharf, "the best is yet to come."

Mr. Phelan is a great booster for good roads and intends to make the question, which means so much for the development and prosperity of the North Central states, a prominent issue at the next meeting of the Bankers' Association, believing that inter-state road transportation is to be one of the greatest factors in the development of the west.

He expressed his satisfaction at the result in Maine and says that the Dakotas will strongly support Charles E. Hughes at the coming election. He has no hesitation as to how the north central states will go. Mr. Phelan says there is no doubt a large number of people will motor this way next summer, as everyone who has brought a car to the island has been delighted. Having traveled widely on this continent and the adjacent islands, he finds there is no part which appeals to him so much as this section of the country.

He is looking forward to the trip up the island, which he intends to spread over three or four days. The party is registered at the Empress hotel.

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## CLASSES COMMENCE

**Capt. Rayner's Field Ambulance Course Begins on Saturday Evening in New Drill Hall.**

Captain Melbourne Rayner, medical officer of the 143rd Battalion, has already received thirty applications from men who desire to take the field ambulance and stretcher course in the class which he is forming.

The use of the new drill hall has been granted by the D. O. C. Colonel Duff Stuart, and the class will be held there on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from half-past seven o'clock. Those already enrolled are asked to meet there on Saturday next at 7:30 p. m.

## WOUNDED IN ACTION.

A cablegram has been received by Lieut. H. Kennedy, in charge of musketry and rifle practice. The other three companies are constantly engaged in company drill at Sidney. Signs are continuing indicative of an early departure overseas. The medical board has sat on the battalion and the process of elimination has been completed. The Bantams have passed the test equally well with other battalions. As this step is taken shortly before battalions leave, the Bantams are beginning to look forward to the time when orders will be received for their dispatch overseas. Five lieutenants

## WE WHO ARE LEFT BEHIND.

Our boys go off; and we see them go, With hearts that break, and tears that flow. They're just "our boys," and we love them so. We who are left behind.

But Britain calls them to rejoin the strife, And mother, sister, sweetheart, wife; We're proud to be linked to a soldier's life. We who are left behind.

Brave in our sorrow for those that fall; Brave when defeat would our hearts appal; Brave to believe God is over all— We who are left behind.

We cannot fight—but we'll work instead, Active with fingers and heart and hand, To help the living and honor the dead— We who are left behind.

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Meanwhile the battalion is being steadily trained. No. 1 Company is at the rifle ranges near Heals, where Lieut. H. Kennedy is in charge of musketry and rifle practice. The other three companies are constantly engaged in company drill at Sidney. Signs are continuing indicative of an early departure overseas. The medical board has sat on the battalion and the process of elimination has been completed. The Bantams have passed the test equally well with other battalions. As this step is taken shortly before battalions leave, the Bantams are beginning to look forward to the time when orders will be received for their dispatch overseas. Five lieutenants

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### VICTORIA SUBSCRIBES TO NEW WAR LOAN

Bankers State That General Applications Are as Numerous as Last Year

Although it is still too early to forecast the amount which Victoria will subscribe to the new war loan, bankers generally throughout the city announce that the indications are that the public are very favorably disposed toward it. This morning two or three of the leading bank managers of the city replied in much the same terms when questioned on the subject by the Times, and stated that they had had a large number of inquiries both local and from out of town points, and had already sold quite a number of the bonds. Applications were, on the average, very much the same as for the previous war loan of 1915, both as regards number of applicants and the amounts applied for.

A forecast of the attitude of the leading corporations is harder to make. Saanich municipality, however, which subscribed \$25,500 to the war loan of last autumn, decided at a meeting last evening to take \$17,000 of their sinking funds in the loan. Up to the present this is one of the heaviest applications announced locally, although it is felt that there will be other corporation applications before the subscription list closes on September 23.

The list opened yesterday morning all through Canada, and if the response is as good as that last year Victoria will subscribe something in the neighborhood of \$1,340,000, which is the amount invested here last year. Practically all the local banks last year received subscriptions right up to the last moment, November 30. It is widely recognized that the loan offers a very substantial return on the money invested, and no one questions the security. Canada can do much in efficiently bearing her share of the cost of the war by responding generously and taking up as many as possible of the bonds in the \$100,000,000 issue.

### PROPOSES TO PLACE SUM IN ESTIMATES

Saanich Council Receives Letter on Contribution to East Road Paving

Without any financial value to secure monetary assistance upon, the Saanich council last evening, however, was glad to receive a letter at its works committee meeting through the late member for the district with regard to the government's promise to contribute towards the cost of paving the East Saanich road.

The letter is regarded as something to present to the minister of public works later on the matter, the department having hitherto procrastinated when pressed for a formal statement of the undertaking. It will, however, be of no value with the bank in raising sufficient funds to complete the work this year, as the council has pledged itself. Other steps to raise the necessary money will have to be taken.

The letter is written by the deputy minister and public works engineer, J. E. Griffith, and says: "The honorable the minister of public works requests me to inform you that the arrangements made two years ago with the Saanich municipality to the effect that the government would contribute \$100,000 toward the paving of 12.4 miles of main road will be strictly adhered to, and the balance amounting to \$30,000 will be placed in the next estimates and paid over to the municipality upon the completion of the work to the satisfaction of the public works engineers."

The works committee had some difficulty in satisfying the influential deputations from Ward VII, who insisted, and the argument was supported by a widely signed petition, that the council should withhold its appropriation for the purchase of the site of the proposed school at Burnside and Tillicum roads as approved by a majority of the school board. The council decided that the decision on this matter ought not to be reached without the presence of the trustees who had voted for the site to which objection was taken, and agreed to ask them to attend the council session on Thursday next. The only trustees in attendance were Messrs. Watson and Davidson, who had voted for the Ker avenue site, so that an immediate decision would have been unfair to the majority.

A considerable amount of routine business was transacted.

#### VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

The range will open at 7:30 to-morrow evening and go list of names will be issued, but members who have entered for the September competition and those who desire to enter are invited to attend, together with members of the Returned Soldiers' Association, so that a complete entry list may be compiled.

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### NOTES ON THE POLITICAL FIGHT

"It is my final request of the electors of Victoria city in this campaign that they cast their votes to-morrow for the solid four Liberal candidates," said H. C. Brewster this afternoon, on his return from the mainland.

Bell, Brewster, Hall (H. C.) and Hart is the winning ticket in Victoria to-morrow. Be sure to vote for each and all of them.

Electors should remember that they have a right to vote for four men in the city, one vote for each. They must not mark their ballot for more than four, but may vote for fewer. No mistake will be made, though, in voting for all four Liberal candidates, whose names are given above. If a voter marks his ballot for one candidate alone it counts but one for that candidate and the voter has lost three-fourths of his franchise. The ballot must be marked with a clear and distinct cross in the disc to the right of the name. Any other sort of mark or a mark made with any other but the pencil provided in the box will invalidate the ballot, as this would tend to make it possible to trace how a man voted. Nothing must be written on the ballot or it will be thrown out.

There will be an outdoor meeting in the interests of F. A. Pauline this evening at the corner of Tillicum road and Obed street, beginning at 7 o'clock. This will be addressed by the Liberal candidate and by F. J. Staepole, K. C., E. C. B. Bagshawe, Alfred Few (on behalf of the prohibitionists), and Mrs. V. MacLachlan (on behalf of women's suffrage). Councillor Diggon will be the chairman of the evening.

Voters in Saanich who wish to secure any information or who desire to be sent for may telephone to either 1635 or to 5363. The Oak Bay committee rooms are at the corner of Milton street and Foul Bay road.

Anyone who is willing to lend their car for use to-morrow, and who has not already signified their willingness to do so, is asked to communicate with the chairman of the committee having that matter in charge at telephone 1576, the Liberal rooms in the Arcade building.

"Assure the people of Victoria with every confidence that northern British Columbia will send out a solid representation in support of H. C. Brewster." Such is the encouraging word which comes from Prince Rupert this morning to the Times from T. D. Pattullo, who is to-morrow going to defeat Hon. William Manson. The minister of agriculture will thus for the second time go down to defeat after his acceptance of office. The first time was when he ran in Alberni in 1907 as provincial secretary, when the pre-

sent leader of the opposition entered public life.

Vote for the four candidates—Brewster, Bell, Hall (H. C.) and Hart.

Do not fail to note that there are two Halls on the ballot. The second one is the one to vote for. The name will appear on the list as Hall, Henry Charles.

Vote the first two names on the ballot paper, then skip two and vote for the next two. The remainder of the ballot can be ignored.

There is considerable dissatisfaction in civic circles among the men who are employed on day labor over the fact that they are not to receive their pay to-morrow. The day has been declared a public holiday by the mayor-minister of finance, and the works department takes the stand that being a holiday there is no authorization to pay the men.

The statute says that polling day shall be a public holiday, but it does not make it an offence not to observe it. What is an offence is for an employer to refuse to allow every workman in his employ who is a voter to be free from his employment for at least four consecutive hours between the opening and closing of the poll.

There will be a ward headquarters in behalf of the Liberal candidates in each of the five wards to-morrow, convenient to the polling place in each ward. At these there will be men in charge all day long and telephones will be installed. If a man is still in doubt as to his name being on the list he

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can make inquiry at the headquarters in his ward, or if he requires to be brought in from his work he can telephone there. The several places are as follows:

- Ward I.—Fort street.
- Ward II.—Prince George hotel, Pandora, Tel. 5572.
- Ward III.—View street, Tel. 5571.
- Ward IV.—Broughton, below Chugran's store.
- Ward V.—Tent at corner Wharf and Broughton.

The headquarters telephones, in the Arcade buildings, are Nos. 1676 and 1635.

The wearing of any ribbons, cockades or any other device to denote adhesion to any party or the views or supposed views of any candidate is forbidden to-morrow, as it has been for the past week.

Sir Hibbert Tupper and George H. Cowan, K. C., former Conservative member of parliament for Vancouver city, spoke in the Dominion theatre in Nanaimo last evening in support of William Sloan, Liberal candidate in that city. They gave reasons why the voters of that city should vote for the Liberal in order to defeat Bowserism in this province.

Work on the government roads in the Cowichan district is being pushed with feverish activity, and the recently promised bridge across the river near Cowichan Lake is also under way, in a last frantic effort to influence a few votes to-morrow. It is noticeable that although Capt. Hayward is being run by his friends as an independent Conservative the government forces are treating him as a Bowser candidate, and are making every effort to elect him. So much for his independence!

It has frequently been stated, and never contradicted, that besides the Orientals, working in the Mackenzie-Mann mines on Vancouver Island there are dozens of alien enemies of the empire.

Saxon origin are fighting for the empire their places are being filled by aliens of all races and colors.

There are several Austrians recently arrived on the Island from the internment camp at Edgewood, on the lower Arrow Lake. There are about two dozen of them, and they bear certificates, which state their name and description, the fact that they are subjects of Austria, and the conditions upon which they have been released.

In each case the fourth and last condition is that they have been released to the Canadian Collieries, the Western Fuel Company or as the case may be!

Dr. Ernest Hall addressed a meeting in the Victoria theatre last evening, at which he attacked in vigorous language the candidates of the two political parties. He talked about a machine in the Liberal party, wherever he got the idea from, and claimed that whisky had control of it. His speech had little effect on the electors, who expressed their disapproval of some of his statements pretty forcibly.

#### DENMAN STREET

Effort Will Be Made to Quash By-law; a Futile Attempt at Settlement.

The last has not been heard of Denman street local improvement appropriation. A writ in the name of Mrs. Malcolm Smith has been issued, through F. A. McDiarmid, indicating that an application will be made to quash the by-law. The case arose through an effort to extend the life of the by-law from 10 to 25 years. Application was made to the legislature for the alteration, but when it reached the committee stage one of the owners, since deceased, who was admittedly severely taxed, raised strenuous objections. The city representatives then withdrew the bill in disgust and abandoned the effort to extend the term of repayment.

Mrs. Smith's property is heavily taxed, hence the new application. The city solicitor intend to take the opinion of the aldermen at the streets and

sewer committee on Friday with regard to the matter.

#### BELGIAN RELIEF FUND

"Tag Day" Will Be Held Here on November 15 Under Local Auspices.

A "Tag Day" is to be held by the Victoria branch of the Belgian Relief Fund. The occasion will be November 15, the birthday of King Albert of Belgium, whose subjects it is hoped to assist still further by the funds which will be collected on this date.

There was a meeting of the executive of the Belgium Relief Fund yesterday, when the sum of \$450 was voted to be sent forward to the Montreal headquarters. The money is to be used for the purchase of material which will be shipped to England, thence to Holland and to the organizations which have charge of the distribution of relief to the Belgians. On of the great uses of funds collected and sent forward for this purpose this year will be the providing of meals to the school children of Belgium and northern France, who, investigation has shown, are suffering from lack of proper nourishment. The expense entailed by the provision of an extra meal a day for each child will be about \$1,000,000 a month, and the commission hoped to find this amount through public charity.

Call of Fire.—The fire department responded to a roof fire this afternoon at 1112 Quadra street, owned by Geo. Holden and occupied by Thomas Easton.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## SEALED HANDICAP REACHES FINALS

### Well Known Players Left in Competition in Victoria Tennis Club's Tournament

The following players have won in their groups in the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club's sealed handicap and will meet in the finals commencing to-day:

Group A—Mr. and Mrs. G. Clute; Miss Idiens and J. G. Bradford.

Group B—Mrs. Bradford and G. Wilson; Miss Appleby and Mr. Cove.

Group C—Miss Williams and H. O. Kirkham; Mrs. Pocock and J. S. Scrivener.

Group D—Miss Morley and A. E. Foreman; Miss Harlow and Mr. Harlow, Jr.

Today's games follow:

At 4 p.m.—Miss Williams and Kirkham play Miss Idiens and Brown.

At 4:30 p.m.—Miss Williams and Kirkham play Miss Bradford and Wilson; Miss Idiens and Brown play Mrs. Pocock and Mr. Scrivener.

At 5 p.m.—Miss Idiens and Brown play Miss Bradford and Wilson; Miss Williams and Kirkham play Mrs. Pocock and Scrivener; Miss Harlow and Harlow, Jr. play Miss Morley and Foreman.

At 5:30 p.m.—Miss Appleby and Cove play Miss Morley and Foreman; Miss Williams and Kirkham play Miss Harlow and Harlow, Jr.; Mrs. Pocock and Scrivener play Miss Bradford and Wilson.

## BEEKMAN WINS GAME IN COLLEGE TENNIS

### Defeats Harte After Sensational Contest in Feature Match

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—Two Harvard men, two from Princeton and one each from the University of Southern California, the University of Pennsylvania, Cornell and Yale survived the first and second rounds of the singles section of the annual inter-collegiate tennis tournament, played yesterday on the courts of the Merion Cricket Club, Haverford.

The feature match was between Leonard Beekman, of New York, the Princeton star, runner-up to R. Norris Williams, II, of Harvard, for the title last year, and Richard H. Harte, Jr., of Harvard, end of the crimson football team last fall. The draw brought these two together in the second round, and Beekman was victorious after a sensational contest. Harte won the first set with comparative ease by six games to three, but in the second Beekman braced and playing an almost perfect game, varied by excellent lobbing, pulled out a victory by taking the next two sets 6-2, 6-3.

## JOHNSON CIRCUIT IS MAKING MONEY

### All Clubs but Washington and Philadelphia Are Drawing Well

The fans of at least six American league managers are buying with currency and coin. The all season closeness of the 1916 race, means one of the most prosperous years in the history of the Johnsonian circuit.

The Indians, regarded as almost certain losers in a financial way when play began, have smashed all Cleveland records. They will make more money for their owners than any sixth city club in history. Their net profit for the season may go close to \$175,000.

The Yankee owners figured when the season began that if they could draw a daily crowd of 4,000 at home and on the road they would break even. Their average to date is about 7,000, which means "velvet" of between \$50,000 and \$100,000 for the Yanks. The Red Sox home crowds have been fairly large all year. The team has drawn well on the road, and even if they do not win the pennant the Sox will conclude the year far ahead in a league way.

The Tigers always have been a great crowd on the road. The home crowds have been very good and the Tigers will make close to \$50,000 for Naylor et al.

Things looked gloomy for Phil Ball in a financial way until about eight weeks ago. And then the Browns started their upward movement. Fortunately for Ball, most of the Browns' victories came on the home lot. The crowds jumped from a few thousand to the park capacity sort. Day after day the attendance increased and the turn came. The early deficit was wiped out and the books of the Browns now show a balance which cannot be wiped out entirely, no matter how the Browns fare from now on.

## GROVER ALEXANDER IS SHUTOUT KING

### No Team in National League Has Escaped His Whitewash Brush This Season

Grover Cleveland Alexander is the "shutout king of baseball." When the Phillie phenom doled out a 3 to 0 beating to the Dodgers a few days ago he annexed his fourteenth whitewash triumph of the season, which eclipsed all existing records.

Two weeks or so ago he tied the twelve shutout National League record of Christie Mathewson; a week later he added another to his string, tying the world's record of 13 shutouts in one season, compiled by Jack Coombs when he was starring with the Athletics, and yesterday he set a new mark.

No team in the National League has escaped the kalmesinning brush of Alexander. He has smeared each and every twyer; Boston twice; Cincinnati four times; and St. Louis twice. Alexander has now won 27 and lost 9 for an average of .750. He got a \$1,000 bonus when he won his 25th, and is to get another \$1,000 if he makes it thirty.

Here is Alexander's shutout record for the season:

April 18, Boston, 3-0.  
May 3, Boston, 3-0.  
May 13, Cincinnati, 5-0.  
May 18, Pittsburgh, 5-0.  
May 26, Brooklyn, 1-0.  
June 3, St. Louis, 2-0.  
July 7, St. Louis, 3-0.  
July 15, Pittsburgh, 4-0.  
July 20, Cincinnati, 6-0.  
August 2, Chicago, 1-0.  
August 9, Cincinnati, 1-0.  
August 14, New York, 3-0.  
August 18, Cincinnati, 3-0.  
September 1, Brooklyn, 3-0.

## DILLON DRAWS WITH BATTLING LEVINSKY

### Memphis, Sept. 12.—Jack Dillon, of Indianapolis, and Battling Levinsky, of New York, fought eight rounds here last night to a draw. Both men boxed cleverly, and neither was severely punished. Dillon forced the fighting in the early stages of the bout, and knocked his opponent through the ropes in the second round, but Levinsky came back strong towards the end of the fight and assumed the aggressive. Dillon weighed 169 pounds and Levinsky 175.

## DUGDALE SIGNS ROOKIE.

### President Dugdale made his first move toward building the 1917 Seattle baseball team yesterday when he signed a player from the Oregon Agricultural college. John Patrick Hayes, who weighs 180 pounds and is five foot eleven inches tall, is the name of the new youngster. He is a catcher.

## FRIENDLY CRICKET.

### The Five C's and the Victoria C. C. will play a friendly game at the Jubilee Hospital grounds to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock. The following team will represent the Five C's: Rev. Mr. Archbold, H. S. Radcliffe, A. E. Lea, W. A. Tucker, R. S. May, F. Bossom, J. J. Bradford, H. Bossom, J. Waterhouse, F. Rawnsley and Rev. J. W. Flinton.

## INTERMEDIATE SOCCER.

### At a meeting of the local football enthusiasts, held last night in the Forrester's hall, Broad street, several intermediate clubs, signified their intention of continuing in the game for the ensuing season and a league will likely be formed. Another meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 26, to organize a league.

## FULTON MATCHED.

### Chicago, Sept. 12.—Andre Anderson, of Chicago, who defeated Jack Hempel, California heavyweight, in Kansas City, has been matched to meet Fred Fulton, of Rochester, Minn., before the Eau Claire (Wis.) Club, September 27.

"Strange, Mary doesn't have any ofers. She'd make some man a good wife." "Yes, but the trouble is, everyone knows she'd make him a good husband, too."—Life.

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## DARCY HOLDS DUAL TITLE IN AUSTRALIA

### Is Now Champion in Both Middle and Light Heavy-weight Classes

Some of the personal descriptions of Les Darcy, the Australian middle-weight, have pictured him as a fleshy, stocky chap, who was growing out of the middle-weight division and was booked for the heaviest. On the contrary, Darcy is a clean limbed, lithe fellow, without any surplus flesh and a tendency to leanness. He scaled 159 pounds in his recent bout with Crouse, which shows that he is a genuine middle-weight, well within Australian and European limit of 160 pounds.

Darcy is now the light heavyweight champion of Australia in addition to being the middleweight title holder of the country. In Australia they call him the world's middleweight title holder, but this is open to dispute. At the same time there is small doubt that Darcy is the best man in the world at 160 pounds. It is possible that George Chip, now on the way to Sydney to box Darcy, may succeed in changing the pugilistic map, for Chip is a very combative man with a heavy punch and lots of ring experience. It goes without saying that Chip will give Darcy the hardest battle he has yet had, and while the Australian will probably triumph he will know at the close that he has visited the circus.

Darcy's acquisition of the light heavyweight title was at the expense of Dave Smith, and therefore not a great feat on the part of the victor. It was a case of the pupil beating the master. When Darcy first looked like a champion he was taken in hand by Smith, who (for all he was knocked out several times by McGoorty), is one of the best boxers in the world in the conventional style. Smith taught Darcy all he knew and developed the boy into the great two handed fighter he is. Their meeting in the Sydney stadium was a great contest. Both men were as fit as training could make them, and Smith, fighting with supreme vigor, gave the champion a busy and uncomfortable time in the early rounds. But Darcy has never yet in his fights showed a sign of being weakened or tired, and as the rounds progressed his youth and strength began to assert themselves. He punished Smith till he got him sagging, and then in the twelfth round he finished him with three uppercuts.

This battle was comparatively easy compared to some of the others Darcy has engaged in, and if some of the Americans who have been named as probable opponents of the Australian meet him he will be compelled to extend himself to the limit to win.

For example, a bout between Darcy and Dillon has been suggested. If they did meet Darcy would be compelled to give some weight to the American, which would be risky in the case of a puncher like the Indiana bearcat.

The news of Dillon's victory over Moran has stirred fresh interest in Australia over the possibility of a meeting between Darcy and the American cruiserweight. Most of the leading Americans capable of making the 150 pound limit have been beaten by the young Australian blacksmith, and by beating Dave Smith he has demonstrated that no Australian anywhere near his weight is capable of standing against him. Dillon scaled 159 pounds. In one fight Darcy allowed himself to go to 165 pounds, but was neither as fast nor as forcible as when he trained more fine. While the war continues there can be no question of Darcy crossing the ocean to look for Dillon, but possibly the American might cross, buter is keeping the door open to negotiations for that purpose.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

### Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 12-5 a. m.—The barometer is abnormally high over this province, and fine weather is general from Victoria to California, while on the coast fresh northerly winds prevail. Cariboo reports ten degrees of frost, and sharp frosts will spread to the prairie provinces.

### Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday, Victoria and vicinity—Fresh northerly winds, fine, and cold at night.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine and cold at night.

### Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 48; wind, 5 miles N.; weather, clear.  
Yanover—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.  
Nanaimo (Entrance Is.)—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 48; wind, 24 miles W.; weather, cloudy.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.40; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Prince George—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 57; rain, .02.

### Temperature.

Max.	Min.	
Kamloops	70	48
Edmonton	72	48
New Hazelton	65	45
Penticton	73	48
Cranbrook	74	48
Nelson	74	48
Calgary	72	48
Edmonton	66	36
Qu'Appelle	68	42
Winnipeg	74	42
Toronto	78	48
Ottawa	74	48
Montreal	72	48
St. John	60	48
Halifax	64	48

### Victoria Daily Weather.

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

### Temperature.

Highest	61
Lowest	49
Average	55
Minimum on grass	46
Maximum in sun	116
Bright sunshine	9 hours 34 minutes.

General state-of weather, fair.

## JUNIOR STARS PLAY FOR POOLEY CUPS

### Many Games Yesterday on the Courts of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club

Although yesterday's games in the Pooley cup tennis tourney were all won by a large margin, the competition was keen in almost all the contests. Miss Marjory Leeming, last year's champion, won her game easily 6-0, 6-0, and Master R. F. Sproule will play P. Procter, when a good game should result. Yesterday's results follow:

Girls.

Greta Dunne beat Betty Robertson by default.

Aline Williams beat K. Whitmore, 6-1, 6-2.

Marjory Leeming beat Mona Miller, 6-0, 6-0.

Gwen Hudson beat Dora Macklin, 6-0, 6-1.

Nellie Dundas beat Margaret Campbell, 6-0, 6-0.

Boys.

Pears beat Ryall, 6-0, 6-0.

Lampman beat Loveland, 6-1, 6-0.

Yerinder beat Lee, 6-2, 6-2.

Harlow beat Procter, 6-1, 7-5.

To-day's games—4 p. m.

Aline Williams plays Marjory Leeming.

Beatrice McLaggick plays Kathleen Muir.

Gwen Hudson plays Nettie Dundas.

Aubrey Jones plays Donald Hudson.

At 5 p. m.

Pears plays Harlow.

Crump plays Heimken.

Hodgins plays A. Procter.

P. Procter plays Sproule.

A cordial invitation is extended to all interested in tennis to attend the games.

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### DOMINION THEATRE.

Picture-lovers here will soon have an opportunity of seeing the renowned Metro pictures at the Dominion theatre. Metro pictures have created a tremendous furore wherever shown, and have proven a real entertainment to the lovers of the silent drama. To the public this announcement is particularly interesting because it marks the coming of a programme, claimed to be the finest in the world.

Herbert Lublin, who represents the Standard Film Service, the Canadian distributor of the Metro pictures, stated during an interview "that Metro is a new departure in motion pictures, and when it came into the market its formation was with its policy to make the Metro-trade mark stand for the best, and only the best. It was determined not to allow any picture to be released unless it came up to the highest standard. Other film men said that financial success was impossible on such lines, that all feature programmes had a percentage of other products not up to the standard, which had to be put out for financial reasons; but Metro have put their standard into practice, and from a theory they have created the most solid success of filmdom. Metro, put at their helm men of tradition in the industry, and they therefore have no expensive experimenting and no costly blunders. Quietly and consistency are keystones of Metro pictures. Our determination is to give the best and most diversified programme yet attempted, and we have fortified ourselves with the most reasonable aggregation of stars ever assembled by one company, plays and novels of the bigger and better sort, and yet always seeking the biggest and most important stars procurable."

The Metro pictures are acted by great artists, celebrities whose merits have won their artistic laurels and whose superbly finished acting brings the most marvelous realism to the parts they portray.

## PANTAGES THEATRE.

Miss Claudia Coleman, who is doing so much to delight audiences at the Pantages theatre this week, is one of those stars unspoiled by fame. In other words she is courteous and interesting and readily demonstrates that her knowledge is by no means confined to the theatrical business.

The first question usually asked Miss Coleman is "How did you come to go on the stage?"

And to that query, her answer is, "Because I have a real genuine love for the stage. It is work that appeals to me. I delight in the opportunity it affords for constantly improving one's efforts, for artistic endeavor and for the remarkable chances it gives for the studying and the interpretation of human character. That is always a delightful thing for any of us to do. I love the stage for the satisfaction it gives me in knowing that I am actually accomplishing something."

Miss Coleman's present vaudeville offering is a series of character studies interpreted admirably because she has made a thorough study of them. Miss Coleman does not use elaborate character make-up. In fact, she does not use anything but the clever expedient of tipping her hat at various angles. She thus produces an effect that is new, novel, original and pronounced by the audiences to be certainly very clever.

All the offerings on this week's Pantages programme are of the class which makes Pantages vaudeville both popular and famous. In this galaxy of brilliancy, Miss Coleman's inimitable characterizations glow brightly.

Miss Coleman is a handsome, highly educated and most amiable young woman. This is her first tour of the west, and she says, she is enjoying the trip immensely.

The management of the Pantages theatre has arranged to keep the Thursday evening audiences fully advised on the election returns throughout both performances.

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

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Wonderful shooting; plenty of game; big and large game. Make your reservation now. Special terms for hunters. Accommodation for your dogs. Open until Oct. 15.

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W. GALT,  
City Purchasing Agent.

## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Eliza, both Thomas, Late of North Saanich District, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly certified to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of September, 1916.

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# TO THE ELECTORS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

## MARK WELL THE ISSUES AT STAKE ON THURSDAY, SEPT. 14

### Whether the Province of British Columbia Shall Bow Its Head to:—

1. The dictates of legislation which is the result of sect importunity—at a time of national stress and political emergency.
2. The inference of moral weakness—which seeks shelter behind legislative enactment.
3. The curtailment of personal liberties which have hitherto been the proud boast of every man owing allegiance to the British Flag.
4. The observance of an honorable equity to the people whose business investments have been legalized by Provincial and Federal laws and taxation.
5. The purposeless squandering of financial resources—and destruction of fifty million dollars in securities at a time of unparalleled commercial depression—when every dollar counts.
6. The passing of a law which bears unmistakable evidence of the most flagrant class legislation.
7. The diversion of the liquor trade from restricted channels—to unrestricted importation into the homes—or to the sneak methods of blind pigs, boot-leggers and other illegal resorts.

For half a century the siren of prohibition has flirted with almost every State in the Union—furnishing reckless subterfuge for numberless political campaigns and intrigues, and leaving strife and commercial dissension in its wake.

### To-Day—With More “Dry” Territory Than Ever Before—the Per Capita Consumption of Liquors in the United States of America Has Increased Threefold

Already history is repeating itself in Canada—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are pointed to with pride as “dry”

# YET!

**With 300,000 Men Away in Europe** (Where they are given a daily allowance of rum)  
**With Three Provinces “Dry”**  
**With Restricted Hours of Sale in the East**

**The Inland Revenue Receipts for July, 1916, Have Increased by \$205,184, to a Total Amount of \$2,066,949**

WILL BRITISH COLUMBIA ALLOW HER NAME TO BE ENROLLED ON THIS SCROLL OF FREAK LEGISLATION WORSHIPPERS, OR WILL HER SONS ASSERT THEMSELVES AS MEN OF BONE AND SINEW WHO TOLERATE NO MORBID INTERFERENCE WITH THE INDEPENDENCE, RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES WHICH WERE WON BY THE TOIL AND SACRIFICE OF OUR FOREFATHERS?

**Read the Act                      Vote “NO”**

### Choice Building Sites

Lot 50x100  
CLIVE DRIVE, OAK BAY  
First one from Oak Bay Ave.  
**Only \$800**

Lot 70x122  
RICHARDSON STREET  
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This above lots are owned by an officer who has been wounded in the front and they are offered at about half what they cost him.

### SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE

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EXTRACT FROM  
"BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL"  
March 23, 1907.

### "A Most Valuable Food"

At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is causing more attention than ever before, and when new means of making them are being brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter, easily taken in any form, is a most valuable food in combination with a suitable soluble carbohydrate, a most valuable food is produced.

The HITTERTH SCOUTS which Messrs. Callard & Hower (Duke's Road, Boston Road, W. C.) have prepared for fifty years is such an article, which has the great advantage of being palatable, so palatable in fact, that children are more likely to need restraining from excess than any persimmon to take it. This HITTERTH SCOUTS is stated to contain 11.1 per cent of fat and 79.3 per cent of sugar, and the results of an analysis extracted show it to be genuine butter. This concoction can therefore be recommended not only as a harmless sweetmeat, but also as a very useful addition to the diet in suitable cases. In all the Principal candy stores in Victoria.

## WANTED

The Names and Addresses of all BLIND PEOPLE in or Near-by This Municipality. Directed persons knowing of or addresses will confer a favor in communicating the same to us.

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## WORK for the Victoria Patriotic Fund

## TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS				
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From
Canada Maru	Suzuma	3,704	C. P. R.	Hongkong
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney
Montreal	Halley	2,582	R. P. R.	Hongkong

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES				
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	For
Mexico Maru	Yamaguchi	3,790	R. P. R.	Hongkong
Talhybius	Cullum	4,921	D. B. & Co.	Hongkong

COASTWISE SERVICES				
For Vancouver	For Prince Rupert	For Comox	For Skagway	For Seattle
Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 3 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal daily at 11:45 p. m.	Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 3 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal at 11:45 p. m.	Steamer Princess Charlotte arrives daily at 2:30 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal at 6:30 a. m.	Steamer Governor, Aug. 15; steamer President, Aug. 25.	Steamer Princess Charlotte leaves daily at 4:30 p. m.

## MAKURA COMING ON WITH LIGHT LIST

Canadian-Australian Liner Left Auckland With 100 Passengers All Told

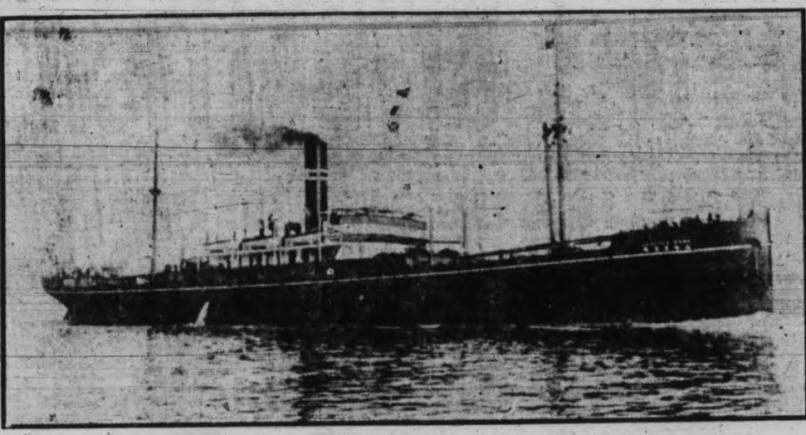
Cable advices on the movements of the Canadian-Australian liner Makura indicate a slackening off of travel between the Antipodes and the North Pacific coast. L. D. Chetham, local C. P. R. passenger agent, has been notified that the Makura left Auckland on September 5 with one hundred passengers all told, which is a considerably smaller number than the lists carried on recent arrivals from Sydney. From now on it is expected that the lists carried by the Canadian-Australian ships will show a marked decrease both inbound and outbound. All the cargo space of the ships in this service, however, is taxed to the limit, a number of extra freighters being operated between Australasia and British Columbia to handle the business offering on this route.

The Makura is due to reach Honolulu on Friday and will make Victoria on Thursday, September 23. On the same day the liner Niagara, of the same fleet, is posted to reach Sydney from this port. The local offices of the C. P. R. have been notified that the liner Empress of Russia left on September 6, carrying a large list of saloon passengers for Victoria and Vancouver. She is due to sail from Yokohama to-morrow and will arrive here Saturday, September 23. The liner Montezuma, which was originally scheduled to leave the Orient ahead of the Empress of Russia, was delayed at Hongkong owing to dry-docking operations, and will not arrive here until October 2.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Pedro, Sept. 12.—Str President arrived from Seattle to-day and will proceed to San Diego to-morrow. Steam schooners sailing in ballast for northern ports to-day were: Str Santa Monica; for Willapa; str Davenport, for Puget Sound; str Bee sailed for San Diego. San Francisco, Sept. 12.—Arrived: Br Str Karonga, from New York; str Wash, from Port Angeles; str Tahoe, from Willapa harbor; Jap str Shinyo Maru, from Hongkong; str Congress, from San Diego; at noon: Sailed: Str Gen. Hubbard, for Portland; str Jim Butler, for Santa Rosalia; str Pleiades, for Yokohama; str Great Northern, for Astoria. Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 12.—Arrived: Str Talhybius, from Seattle. Sailed: Str Crown of Toledo, for Seattle. Tacoma, Sept. 12.—Sailed: Str Nona City, for San Francisco, via Port Angeles. Arrived: str Governor, from Seattle. Victoria, B. C., Sept. 12.—Passed: Str J. A. Chansior, from Vancouver, B. C.; for San Luis; str Ribera, from Comox, B. C.; for United Kingdom; str Unkal Maru No. 5, from Vancouver, B. C.; for Vladivostok. Comox, B. C., Sept. 12.—Sailed: Str Ribera, for United Kingdom, via Panama canal. Portland, Ore., Sept. 12.—Arrived: Str Johan Paulson, from San Francisco. Seattle, Sept. 12.—Arrived: Str Lyman Stewart, Port San Luis; str Admiral Evans, Southwestern, via Southeastern Alaska; str Governor, San Diego, via San Francisco and Victoria, B. C.; str Kumajira Maru, from Seattle. Str Talhybius, Vancouver, B. C.; str Governor, Tacoma; U. S. S. New Orleans, Puget Sound navy yard. Vladivostok, Sept. 4.—Arrived: Str Strathairne, from Vancouver, B. C. Hongkong, Sept. 6.—Arrived: Str Persia Maru, from Vancouver for Vladivostok. Shanghai, Sept. 8.—Sailed: Str China, from Hongkong for San Francisco. Dunedin, Sept. 8.—Arrived: Schr J. W. Clise, from Mukiteo, thence July 1. Osaka, Sept. 11.—Sailed: Schr Bainbridge, for Puget Sound. Phoenix Stout, 3 quarts for 25c.

## O. S. K. SERVICE TO BE INCREASED



LINER PANAMA MARU. Within the immediate future the Osaka Shosen Kaisha plans to augment its sailing between Hongkong and Victoria by the addition of the steamships Panama Maru and Seattle Maru to the fleet.

## OWNERS OF SCHOONER GREAT BEAR PRAISED

Capt. Louis Lane and John Borden Commended by Crew for Conduct in Shipwreck

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## MARINE BUILDINGS ARE NOW COMPLETE

Marine Department Take Over Shops Erected on Songhees Reserve Site

Messrs. Parfitt Bros. have completed the buildings for the marine department on the Songhees reserve site. The big buoy shed, to which is attached gas buoy and carpenter shops, was brought to a state of completion early this week, and within a few days the department will be able to take over the plant. This large structure will be fitted with every modern appliance for the rapid handling of heavy buoys, and tracks have been laid through the building on which to handle the cumbersome aids to navigation from the wharf by means of hand cars. The big traveling crane has yet to be installed, but this will be put in operation just as soon as it is possible to assemble the machinery. The sharp and store sheds were finished some time ago and are already occupied, large shipments of lighthouse and buoy material being stored therein. The property is thoroughly drained and the ground space between the buildings will be paved with concrete. Vessels of the lighthouse service are now calling at the new wharf to load material and supplies, and workmen are engaged at the new plant.

### DUTCH STEAMSHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE OR MINE; NEW SHIP

London, Sept. 13.—The new Dutch freighter Antwerpen, of 5,940 tons gross, was sunk by a submarine or mine, according to advices received here to-day. The Antwerpen, which was built at Newport News, sailed from New York for London on August 31.

### CROSS LABEL FILED

A cross label has been filed in the United States district court at Seattle in behalf of the steamer Humboldt against the steamer Providencia. The action developed out of the collision between the two vessels off Point Lippin on August 29. The claimants place the blame alleged to have been done at \$27,155. Repairs to the Humboldt are now complete and she is posted to leave Seattle to-night for Southeastern Alaska.

### TALHYBIUS SHIFTS

To discharge inward cargo and load outwards, the Blue Funnel liner Talhybius, Capt. Cullum, has arrived at Vancouver from Seattle. She is scheduled to leave here September 25 for Yokohama and Hongkong, but it is expected she will be behind that date in leaving.

### DELIVERS COAL CARGO

The Japanese steamer Mayachi Maru, with 4,277 tons of coal consigned to the Western Fuel Co., arrived at San Francisco on Monday from Nainaimo.

### STRINDA IS LOADING

The Norwegian steamer Strinda, under charter to the C. P. R. in the Vladivostok trade, is now loading a full cargo at Vancouver for the Siberian port.

### ARABIEN'S POSITION

The Danish steamer Arabien, from Vancouver for Vladivostok, touched at Yokohama on Monday. She is under C. P. R. charter.

### WAIKAWA ARRIVES OUT

The British steamer Waikawa, Capt. Vint, of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., on Tuesday from British Columbia ports and San Francisco.

### PATRICIA'S NEW SCHEDULE

Starting on Monday next the C. P. R. steamer Princess Patricia will revert to a daily service between Nanaimo and Vancouver. During the summer she has been making two round trips daily. Hereafter she will leave Nanaimo at 8:20 a. m. and Vancouver at 3 p. m.

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EMPLOYMENT OF FOREIGNERS.

To the Editor:—The silence of the Bowser candidates regarding the working of Austrians in our coal mines in preference to the fathers of sons that are fighting for the empire must have a great effect on the electors in this province. I think it is a fair question to ask any supporters of these candidates how they square their actions in face of this silence in supporting them. Would it be tolerated in any other part of the empire? Let all men answer by their actions. C.W.M. Sept. 13.

AGAINST THE BAR.

To the Editor:—Nothing appeals to me so much as the importance and necessity of doing all in our power to banish from our province all uncleanliness. The bar stands for much that is unclean. Prohibition will banish the bars and to the women who fear their husbands will make their homes places for imbibing strong drink I say few men have so little respect for their homes as to turn them into places for drinking and thereby bringing dishonor and shame upon all therein. Mother of Three, think of other mothers whose sons are as dear to them as are your children. With the saloons closed these sons have far less temptation in their path, and strong drink is and always has been an evil influence in any place. I want my son to have a chance to live a straight temperate life and ask those who are fortunate enough to have a son to remember that women's suffrage and prohibition should be united, that is, give the women a right to vote and you have a powerful ally against the enemy in our midst. In conclusion may I send the following lines: "A bar to heaven, a door to hell. Whoever named it, named it well." The drink habit is surely that and nothing less! W. E. HILLIAR. Sept. 13.

PROHIBITION OR NOT PROHIBITION.

To the Editor:—Prohibition is the most extraordinary act that ever was passed by any legislature. It seems a stray dog that no one owns. No member said anything in its favor. No one claimed to be the father of the act. Neither could I find that anyone would acknowledge that he or she was either father or mother of it. But I happened to pass the door of a church, one of the most narrow-minded, dogmatical and rigid churches of civilization. I noticed a new bill-board with a proclamation on it calling on the faithful of the flock to vote for prohibition. Well, I thought to myself, I have found the father of prohibition. I might have known that the church was the dad of the mongrel act. I have lived in this city over 50 years and it has been a continual strain of the church to encroach on the individual liberty of the people. A short time ago there was a wave of moral reform swept over the city, and the unfortunate women of the under world were hounded and persecuted and driven to destitution and despair. Where are these moral reformers now? I am informed that the city is now more immoral than ever. But the church has a bigger scheme than ever. Did they not drive the saloons out unless they had so many rooms in his building? Several of the saloon men borrowed money and built hotels. But the church is now after them with prohibition, and no hotel can have a bar or barkeepers, and that is the fellow they are after. That is the yellow dog that must be killed. And no compensation shall be given, notwithstanding that capital was advanced to men to build costly buildings as hotels so that travelers and tourists could get good accommodation and give the city a good name. But if prohibition is passed the capitalists that invested his money, believing that the law of the province would secure his investments, will find that his security has gone up in the smoke of the prohibitions' bonfires that will be lighted if their mongrel concocting act carries the day. It is a wonderful act. It has more holes in it and trap doors and deadfalls in it than any act that ever was written. But the whole aim of it is against the unfortunate barkeeper and the unfortunate working man, be he laboring mechanic or artisan, for most of business men enjoy their beer, ale or whiskey as much as they enjoyed their food. Yet these temperance cranks and church fanatics undertake to have a law passed to curtail their liberty and enjoyment, and compel them to conform to their narrow-ideas of life and living. If prohibition should pass it would stamp the province of British Columbia as a lunatic asylum and only fit for lunatics to live in. W. A. ROBERTSON. Sept. 12.

A FEW QUESTIONS.

To the Editor:—It may be interesting for the electors to answer a few questions before voting on prohibition. Who is willing to supply the boys to help support the liquor traffic? Who said that an institution which takes boys as the raw material and turns out drunkards as the finished produce was necessary to the community? Why do not the liquor interests issue bulletins describing the value of the saloon and liquor to the community? Why always sidestep from the issue? What right has a drinking workman to leave his money with the saloon before he provides for his family? Why should in-

nocent children, incapable of supporting themselves, be made to suffer for his indulgence when the whole world recognizes his duty to his home? What has the saloon, by means of liquor, ever done for the worker except to undermine his system, to cause trouble in his home and with his friends; to keep him poor and dependent, and to degrade and lower him in the social scale? Workmen, wake up! You are creating a monopoly against such as you are constantly striving to overthrow. Which do you consider the more important, the value of men or the value of money? Remember this is the great issue. Do investments count more than infants or individuals? Can anyone suggest the reason why the anti-prohibitionists or liquor people were ashamed to put their name, as the author of a circular called the "Goldbrick," and the booklet entitled the "Truth?" Search the pages of these two articles in a vain attempt to find the responsible person or party who would acknowledge the compilation of such trash. Remember, the man behind the man behind the bar is more, distasteful and deadly than the man behind the bar. He cannot shift the responsibility if he votes to continue the present rank evil. Do you want any more boys destroyed, or men, women and girls ruined? Do you think there have not been enough homes broken up and business places gone bankrupt that we still need homes? Have not too many children come to an untimely death? Are there not enough cripples? Be warned! The accusing finger of the majority of inmates in our insane asylums and jails, as well as a large proportion of the patients in our hospitals, can condemn you. Do you know that liquor is a destroyer and an enemy of our country, and that you are a traitor if you support it? Be a man! Give prohibition a trial. Vote "YES!" REGINALD T. CHAVE. Sept. 12.

FROM A BUSINESS STANDPOINT.

To the Editor:—Imported crators, who have nothing in common with the propertyholders of Victoria, and who are not familiar with conditions in our city, have been addressing the people in favor of the Prohibition act shortly to be submitted to the electorate. In order to bring to the attention of the public certain facts that these crators and temperance zealots have overlooked, I, as a life-long citizen and a large property owner, and as one who knows conditions, take the liberty of writing this letter. After the boom of 1891 it took Victoria about 20 years to recover. Taxes then were only one-eighth of what they are to-day. Property owners, in the trying times of the last two years, have been forced to reduce rents to where they will now only provide for taxes, and perhaps insurance. How long will the depression last? After the war we hope for a return of prosperity which will create a demand for the large number of splendid stores, offices and houses, now vacant, but remember, Victoria is differently placed to the prairie cities, which have the returns of millions from the annual grain crops to depend upon. Our "wheat crop" lies in the tourist trade, and residential advantages in advertising which our city has expended hundreds of thousands of dollars. Even under ordinary conditions we may be compelled, as we were after the boom of '91 to wait a long time for the return of good times, but: What would be the result if the prohibition act were passed? It would place 150 more stores (each hotel would have one to three stores to rent) and nearly 500 houses on the market, which is as you know from costly experience, already in a glutted condition. It would certainly jettison Victoria. It would mean that upward of 3,000 employees now engaged in the different departments of the hotel business and allied trades would be thrown out of work. It would deprive the city treasury of an annual revenue of \$40,000 from hotel license fees, at a time when the alarming increase in arrears of taxes is a serious enough problem to deal with. The loss of this revenue would mean a further taxation of the propertyholder. Think of the money our city has spent and is spending every day to attract tourists to Victoria. The hotels of our city, by the high standard of service maintained, have done much towards the business growth and development of Victoria. As for my own case, I may say all my energies, my time and the best work of my business life has been devoted to making the Dominion hotel a first-class hostelry and a credit to the city of Victoria. The passing of the Prohibition act would close the hotels we are so proud of, and would shut off that trade in tourist traffic, to which we are by nature entitled, and on which business prosperity and property values entirely depend. We ask everyone who has money invested in our city in all fairness seriously to consider the disastrous effect on business and property interests should the so-called Prohibition act become law. It would not prohibit liquor traffic, but it would certainly deprive the city and province of the revenues from the trade, and incidentally ruin the owners of hotel and other property. In the limited space of this letter I have endeavored to treat the Prohibition act and its effect if passed, from the point of view of a property owner, and citizen who has the best interests of the city at heart. Introduce prohibition and Victoria would be like a flower gone to seed, its hotels, the finest in any city of a similar size on the continent, would be parlors of solitude, and empty rooms, dust, ruin and cobwebs would greet the visitors to our city. I urge the ratepayers and citizens who have the future of Victoria at heart, to vote against and use every

influence to defeat the B. C. Prohibition act, on September 14. STEPHEN JONES, Proprietor Dominion Hotel, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 12. PROHIBITION IN WASHINGTON.

To the Editor:—I have been carefully investigating the working of the prohibition law in Tacoma, where probably as much labor is employed as anywhere on Puget Sound, the monthly payroll being over \$115,000, according to the chamber of commerce published statistics. Being anxious to get the facts of the case from men whose word cannot be doubted, I called on the manager of the Puget Sound Bank, Mr. Tinker. He told me that business was better since prohibition came into force, and that if the vote was taken again a still greater majority would be recorded in its favor.

Not being satisfied to leave the matter on the testimony of one banker, I visited what seemed to be the largest bank in the city, the National Bank of Tacoma. Mr. Stacey, the manager, did not profess to be a prohibitionist himself, but was very emphatic on the results of the law. "No doubt Tacoma is better off," were his own words. He felt that the law could yet be improved and this may be the case in the near future. Still pursuing my inquiry at the banks, I called in at the Scandinavian Bank, feeling sure that I would touch another side of the situation here. The vice-president was in and with him I had the interview. He told me he did not believe in prohibition—it did not prohibit. I asked him to kindly tell me in whether there was any difference in business—better or worse—of the same. This question, he did not seem to think important, but added he would certainly do away with the saloons, or public drinking places. At the city hall I met the mayor. He has been three times the chief magistrate, as we say, of his city. An experience of thirty-three years' residence, stands behind his testimony. I told him what I was after. He said it is the finest thing that ever happened to this city, and we employ as much labor as any place along the Sound. This gentleman, right in touch with all the conditions of life in the place, was absolutely sure that prohibition was a good thing and tended to lift up the community.

Before finishing my investigations I called in at several of the one-time saloons, now cafes or soft drink counters. I tried the drinks, and they have a great assortment, over a glass of "golden foam." I think it was. I asked the bartender how business was. He said it was not so good as it used to be. Pressing him to tell me why, he stated that the drinks he now sold satisfied too easily! "After one or two of these they don't want any more," are his own words. During the several days in the city I never saw a drunken man. I send these facts in the interest of our common good. I need make no comment save this, that if a seaport, with very much larger population than our, and a large industrial centre employing 12,500 men, says prohibition is a good thing, why not vote for it for British Columbia on the 14th? ROBERT HUGHES, Naval and Military Methodist Church, Esquimalt. Sept. 10.

THE TEARFUL "SYMPATHIZER."

To the Editor:—I wonder if your correspondent "Sympathizer," whose pathetic letter you published on the 8th, has ever heard the story of the maiden lady of uncertain years who was one day discovered in a condition of overwhelming grief, convulsed with sobs and bathed in tears. To the anxious inquiries as to what ailed her she replied (with choked utterance) that she had just been thinking what an awful thing it would be if she had been married, and had nursed a darling child, and that child had come to a sudden and violent end through a terrible accident. Her situation was as touching as that of your sympathizing correspondent, who is so disposed to weep over the calamities of Prohibition which will never happen. It is, in fact, a very interesting psychological study, to note the disposition some people have during campaigns to conjure up all sorts of fantastic imaginations and make predictions of disaster that never materialize—and that would probably never occur to their minds at any other time. Our much distressed friend "Sympathizer" is trying to frighten his neighbors with a vision of the terrible results of the widespread use of liquor in the homes, because there is no clause in the B. C. Prohibition Act forbidding the importation of liquor for beverage purposes. Like the maiden lady, he is merely borrowing trouble. As a matter of fact, very few people now keep liquor in their homes, though it would be cheaper and more convenient than it will be under the new law. And they are not going to begin such a foolish and dangerous practice; it is not in line with the tendencies of human nature. The far more probable effect of the prevalence of a "dry" public sentiment, backed by an act approved by a strong popular vote, will be that many who now keep strong drink in their homes will banish it. "Sympathizer" may dry his tears—they are entirely premature and superfluous—if they are not, perchance, of the crocodile variety of moisture. R. H. WILKINSON. Sept. 11. Victoria, B. C.

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had been charged with criticizing Mr. Eberts's parentage. These charges, he said, were quite untrue. He was opposing Mr. Eberts because he admits the support of Bowser and because he (Mr. Pauline) was totally opposed to the Bowser policy.

Making reference to the Dominion Trust failure, Mr. Pauline took occasion to say that knowing the doors of the concern would be closed within six weeks, Mr. Bowser failed to take any action to safeguard the unfortunate depositors, and he could not escape responsibility. He would be held to account by the people of the province and judgment would be passed on him on Thursday.

Mr. Pauline praised Mr. Brewster as a leader. He was an honest man with great business ability, and moreover had considerable parliamentary experience. Mr. Brewster had been called a pessimist and his opponents charged him with spreading blue ink in the East. If blue ink had been spread abroad the responsibility rested with the Bowser element. The investor in Europe could not be hoodwinked.

There had been a tendency of late years, said Mr. Pauline, for the natural resources to pass into the hands of aliens. With regard to labor it was found that the copper and timber industries and also fisheries were given over to the alien and "sometimes" even to the "alien."

It was significant that Mr. Bowser had recently offered to pay the fares of British miners home. There was no room for them. In the copper refining industry of British Columbia it was nearly all alien labor.

Mr. Pauline emphasized the necessity of building up the iron and steel industry. It was one of the most important things the people could do for their minds on at the present time. The ore, he stated, was at Victoria's back door, and its development would be the groundwork for a hundred industries. Steel shipbuilding should also be fostered.

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ADDRESS ELECTORS AT CLOVERDALE

F. A. Pauline Is Given Cordial Reception; Conservatives Support Liberal Candidate

"Your duty is to wipe the present administration off the slate. You have in office a band of interlopers trading as a government. Kaiser Bowser dominates a servile aggregation of deaf mutes. They can hardly be classed as a rubber stamp because they do not leave an impression."

"Bowser does not intend to carry out his promises. Had Bowser existed in the palmy days of Ananias and Sapphira those perverters of the truth would have faded into insignificance. You who are Liberals must join us Conservatives and help us to clean up the government highways."

"Clean up the Beaver Club and the country will thank you. These are some illuminating sentences from the speech of J. W. Connell, a Conservative who spoke in favor of F. A. Pauline's candidature before a meeting of electors at the Douglas street Baptist hall last night. It was a forceful address adequately covering the shortcomings of the Bowser administration and the speaker's points were driven home by witty flashes of humor."

At the outset of his remarks Mr. Connell stated that he had been a Conservative all his life, but like many others he had arrived at the conclusion that the administration in power was a political abortion. He contended that a new page in the political history of this province would be opened on Thursday. He was opposed to the present administration because of its wasteful policy. But had it not some record that the speculators would have their chance? The speaker made amusing reference to the appointment of Engineer Thompson, an American, to oversee the work at Strathcona Park. This landscape gardener had been hired at \$15,000 per year to occasionally take a birdseye view of Sir Richard McBride's valley of folly.

It was the duty of the people to wipe the present government off the slate at the forthcoming election. Under the administration of the Bowser government, British Columbia had been put in such an appalling position that in name of this fair province had become a stench in the nostrils of Europe. Sir Richard McBride was sent off to London by "Kaiser Bill" and given an allowance of \$15,000 a year, \$5,000 more than the salary received by the High Commissioner for Canada, and in addition to this \$5,000 a year had been granted to the retiring agent general.

"What a splendid bank balance you will have to be sure," was the next significant remark. The report submitted by the University commission regarding the site was pigeon-holed at the instigation of Mr. Bowser and Vancouver was ultimately selected as the seat of learning. Mr. Bowser's brother, he said, had sold the Point Grey property to keep him in luxury during his remaining days on this mundane sphere.

The people wanted to know what had become of the \$300,000 surplus that went into the purchase of the sub-marines, in connection with which transaction a janitor carried a million dollars around in his pocket. The present system also came in for a great deal of forcible criticism at the hands of the speaker.

He then related a sad incident of a woman he knew, a widow, who had lost her all in the Dominion Trust smash, who borrowed \$2 with which to purchase toys for the children so they would not miss their father so much.

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QUALITY, PRICE AND SERVICE—These are the basic principles of sound business. In the meat trade it is our sole object to give you the benefit of our experience. We add a quick delivery. Try us. H. Mackenzie, Dominion Meat Market, Oak Bay Junction, Phone 1524.

ROOM AND BOARD. FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom; breakfast if desired. Phone 3410L.

FURNISHED ROOM to let; breakfast if desired. Phone 1049, Times.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE. CHAUFFEUR wants position, careful driver, married. Box 1049, Times.

A YOUNG ordained minister would like a call to any town or city in Victoria considering a Union church or has one. Can furnish the highest references of respectability. Write, work, address.

WE HAVE A WAITING LIST of skilled and unskilled laborers, clerks, bookkeepers, both male and female, who are ready and anxious for employment. What do you need now? Municipal Free Labor Bureau.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE. MUNICIPAL FREE LABOR BUREAU is prepared to fill any vacancy for male or female, in skilled or unskilled labor, at once. Phone or write.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS. LADY'S BICYCLE WANTED, in good condition, cheap for cash. Phone 5548R.

WANTED—Invalid chair, suitable for street use. Postal to Drawer 67, State where to be seen and price.

WANTED—English baby buggy, must be in good condition. Phone 1948, Times.

PROSPECT LADY WANTED, particulars of lot or lots for wanted purposes. Phone 5076, Times.

PIANIST—Lady wishes to house and care for piano, or would buy for cash. Sell or trade something useful. Dandridge, Oak Bay avenue.

HERMAN, 1421 Government, buys for spot cash gents' clothing. We call. Phone 619L.

JUNK and anything second-hand; also trunks and valises, tents, guns, furniture, jewelry, gramophones, boots and shoes; also machinery and old gold and silver. I will call at any address. Jacob Aronson's new and second-hand store, 503 Johnson St., Victoria. B. C. Phone 1147.

AUTOMOBILES FOR HIRE.

A RED HUDSON CAR for hire at any hour, with driver; reasonable rates. Phone 177Y.

FOR HIRE—Hudson car, careful driver; reasonable prices. Phone 2705R.

JITNEY CARS—People wishing to hire jitney cars by the hour or for short trips should telephone Jitney Association Garage, number 302L.

DEEP BAY. FISH, like ladies, won't nibble at every man coming along. Fish are here, and it's up to you to show your prowess as an angler and hook 'em. We offer you inspiration by a good bed and meal at "The Chalet," Deep Bay, 418

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished.) FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, in all parts of the city. Lloyd Young & Russell, 102 Broad street, ground floor, Pemberton Building, Phone 432.

FOR RENT—Humboldt street, store and three living rooms, bath, etc., \$20 per month, suitable for salaried professional, fruit, etc.; 1865 Pemberton street, close to Fort street car, seven rooms, modern, basement, garden, etc., \$15 per month; 1649 North Park street, store and plate glass front, \$10 per month. For sale, five-acre farm, books, river, partly cleared, good land, frontage on main road and river, watered all over property, close to C. N. R. station, hotel and bridge, \$100 per acre; seven roomed bungalow, new, with garage, furnace, cost \$4,500, snap price \$3,000, terms, C. Williams, care of Nac Paint Co., 125 Wharf street, Victoria, B. C.

TO LET—Modern, seven roomed house on Stannard avenue, three doors from Richardson street; good garden with young fruit trees; lot 200 feet deep; garage, standard.

FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, Tillicum road, close to North Park street, electric light, \$6; 2 roomed cottage on Quadra, partly furnished, \$3. 2162 Jackson street, Victoria, 418

TO LET—Good comfortable house on Fort street, close to Oak Bay street, 8 rooms; will fit up to suit tenant. 1627 Fort.

TO LET—3 roomed cottage, bathroom, etc., 10 minutes from centre of city and close to car line. Apply J. P. Walls, 425 Bastion square, city.

MODERN six-roomed bungalow to let. Low rent. 124 Bushy street.

FOR RENT—7 roomed bungalow, corner of Dallas road and Victoria street. Apply Dick & Johnson, 515 Johnson street.

FOR RENT—Houses (Furnished.) TO RENT—Small furnished home, \$5.00 monthly, 1912 Chamber street.

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage, near Yarrow, Esquimalt, Box 1008, Times.

WANTED—Married couple to share home with elderly couple. Phone 4148L, 419

HOUSES TO RENT, furnished and unfurnished. Our superior maintenance has an automobile at your service. We have a large number of houses to rent, several new ones. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR RENT—Two roomed store, suitable for plumber, carpenter, repair shop, \$2.50 per month, close to city and car. Apply 218 Prior street, city, or Box 151, Times office.

FOR RENT—The "Five Points Store," corner Esplanade and Moss street, the best business location in the city, field. Apply J. A. Shanks, 127 Fairfield road.

ONE AND TWO-ROOM OFFICES to let in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES. WANTED—To rent, a five or six roomed house, furnished or unfurnished, in James Bay district; no children. Box 1018, Times.

WANTED—Oct. 1, small, modern bungalow; describe. Box 1065, Times.

WANTED—By careful tenant, furnished house, three bedrooms (immediate possession), Park, or Fairview, close to low rent, near car. Box 191, Times 418

HAVE CLIENTS WAITING for furnished bungalows, Ferguson, 303 Pemberton Bldg.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES. SOUTHALL, for stoves and ranges, cor. Yates and Quadra. Coils made and connected, exchangers made. Phone 4291R.

SEEDS—Acres and half cut before ripe, stacked for seed; low price. Armstrong, Cranmore road. Phone 1942T.

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, twin, two-speed, in good condition; best offer. 1316 Oak Bay avenue.

FOR SALE—Lad's dress suit, size 41, cheap. Phone 3244L.

FOR SALE—Some camp stoves at very low prices. Canadian Trunk Co., 525 Johnson street. Phone 2205, 2211

BARTLETT PEAS, 1/2 per box, Walton, corner Mt. Tomlin road and Lansdowne. Phone 2881L.

GUARANTEED "DUNLOP" TIRES \$1.50 and \$1.25, Michelin, \$2.50, \$2.25, \$2.00. For satisfactory repairs to Rufflo, bicycle man, 745 Yates street. Phone 882

MALLEABLE and steel ranges, 1/2 down and 1/2 per week. Phone 493, 2001 Government street.

FOR SALE—Furniture, almost new, cheap, at 104 Oswego street.

FOR BARGAINS in furniture, carpets, ranges, call at City Mart, 738 Fort St. Phone 1432. We buy or exchange furniture.

FOR SALE—Cheap, good piano, 24 months by 1827 Quadra.

FOR SALE—English leather valise, \$10; W. W. Greener rifle, \$12.50; Winchester rifle, \$7.50; set engineer's books, \$4.50; bicycle, \$12.50; mandolin, \$12.50; large mouth organ, \$5; steel saws, \$2.50; large crocus saws, \$2.75; brass press, \$4.50; overall, all sizes, \$1; pumps, \$2; carbide, 1c; Retin, Enameled pump connections, 15c; bicycle, with new tires, \$15; best bicycle, any make, \$2.25; best makes, inner tubes, \$1.25; cards, 5c; or 3 for 25c; Gillette safety razors, \$2.75; all kinds of bicycle supplies in stock. Jacob Aronson's new and second-hand store, 573 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FIFTEEN CRICKET BATS, value to \$2.50, only \$1 each; 301 Ross rifle, only \$15; 32 and 34 Marlin rifles, \$19 each. At Victor Sporting Goods Co., 1509 Broad.

FOR SALE—Shop fittings, white enamel, set milliner or hat shop; cost \$90; set of trade showing useful. Dandridge, Oak Bay avenue.

PRETTY TEA TABLE, MRS. POTTS, Yes, dear, bought it "Select" Auction Rooms, 738 Fort street, \$3, cost \$18. Takes milk and sugar. Phone 2273.

BICYCLE TIRES—Manufactured, new, worth \$1.50, snap \$1.30. Dandridge, Oak Bay avenue.

ANOTHER WINNER—Besides our regular men's hats at \$5, we have added a new line at \$2.50. These come from New York, where men's hats are made. Original Frost & Frost, Westholme Block, 143 Government street.

FOR SALE—\$2.50 7 p. m. galvanized pipe, 10.00 7 p. m. inch black pipe. Victoria Junk Agency, 1408 Store street, 423 ft.

6019 ST. HULL and fittings, \$600; small launch, \$55; 18 ft. launch, \$100. Causeway Boat House, Phone 3448.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—At once, milliner, accountant, cashier, grocery clerk and boy for grocery. Inquire Retin, Enameled pump Association, 401 Hibben-Bone Bldg., 414

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ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 50 cents per line per month. No advertisement charged for less than 10 cents. No advertisement charged for less than 10 cents.

BATHS—Vapor and electric light, massage and chiropody. Mrs. Barker, 913 Fort street. Phone 1473B.

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DENTISTS. DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone: Office, 827. Residence, 123.

DR. W. F. FRASER, 201-3 Stobart-Peas Block, Phone 424. Office hours, 9.30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

DR. F. G. KEENE, dentist, has opened offices in the Central Bldg., Suite 412-13-14. Phone 4309.

ELECTROLYSIS—Fifteen years' practical experience in removing superfluous hairs. Mrs. Barker, 913 Fort street.

ENGRAVERS. HALF-TONE and LINE ENGRAVING—Commercial work a specialty. Designs for advertising and business stationery. B. C. Engraving Co., Times Building. Orders received at Times Business Office.

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FIRE INSURANCE. J. R. SAUNDERS, 1303 Langley street, representing the Newark Fire Insurance Co. of 16 years' standing. All valid claims have been and will be paid promptly. Telephone 319.

FOOT SPECIALIST. MADAME JOSEPH, foot specialist; forms permanently cured; consultations free. Rooms 407-408, Campbell Bldg., Phone 2854.

LEGAL. BRADSHAW & STACPOOLE, barristers-at-law, 531 Bastion street, Victoria.

MRS. E. SEMPLE, pianist and experienced teacher. Pupils prepared for recital and examination work, 1473 St. David street, corner Oak Bay avenue. Phone 3544R.

NOTARY PUBLIC. WILLIAM G. GAUNCE, Room 106, Hibben-Bone Block, The Griffith Co., real estate and insurance, notary public.

NURSING. MATERNITY NURSE desires cases; wartime fees. Box 531, Times. 418

SHORTHAND. SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government street, Shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping thoroughly taught. E. A. Macmillan, principal.

TUITION. INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL, 122 Douglas, corner of Douglas and Yates, T. 1929.

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BAKERS. RENNIE & TAYLOR, the only genuine Butter Nut brand bakers. Wholesale and retail. Imperial Bakery, Fernwood road. Phone 784.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS. CARPENTER AND BUILDER—T. Thirkell, alterations, repairs, jobbing, leaky roofs repaired and guaranteed. Phone 8899L. Estimates free.

CABINETMAKERS. HAVE YOUR FURNITURE repaired and re-finished by a practical cabinet-maker, 30 years' experience; estimates given; satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 4061L.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING. CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Defective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 1018 Quadra St. Phone 1919.

DYEING AND CLEANING. B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS—The largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province. Country orders solicited. Phone 200. J. C. Remond, proprietor.

FURNITURE MOVERS. JERVIS BROS. & LAMB, furniture and piano movers. Luggage, up-to-date, padded vans, express and truck. Storage, packing and shipping. Office, 726 View street. Phone 1767. Stable, 697 Gorge road. Phone 2284.

FISH. FRESH SUPPLY LOCAL FISH received daily. Free delivery. W. J. Wright, 61 Johnson. Phone 651.

WE SUPPLY nothing but fresh fish. Miller Bros., the Central Fish Market, 413 Johnson street. Phone 2288.

LIVERY STABLES. BIRBY'S STABLES, 728 Johnson. Livery, boarding, hacks, express wagon, etc. Phone 143.

FURRIER. FRED FOSTER, 1216 Government street. Phone 1337.

LIME. BUILDERS' and agricultural lime. Exc. 2241R, 2419 or 432.

MILLWOOD. SHAWNIAN LAKE fresh water mill-wood. Phone 151. Bark wood, \$1.50; cord, inside wood, \$1.75 per 1 cord; and also 4 ft. wood.

DIY MILLWOOD—Double load, \$1; single load, \$1.00. Phone 4818.

PAINTING. PAINTING, paperhanging, of any description. Phone 284L.

PAINTING, paperhanging, kalsomining, glazing, etc. Jos. Sears, 323 Bay. Phone 937.

PLUMBING AND HEATING. VICTORIA PLUMBING CO., 1303 Pandora street. Phones 2409 and 1453L.

PLUMBING AND REPAIR—Cork work, etc. Foxgard & Son, 1608 Douglas St. Phone 790.

THACKER & HOLT, plumbing and heating; jobbing promptly attended to. 609 Speed avenue. Phone 2922.

CHARGES BROUGHT TO A POINT where plumbing bills do not cause night-ward. Repairs at six cents an hour work guaranteed. Phone 1912. Standard Plumbing Company, 25 Winch Building.

PLASTERER. FRANK THOMAS, plasterer. Repairing, etc.; prices reasonable. Phone 3217, 3759 Albert avenue, city.

PAWNSHOPS. ARONSON'S LOAN OFFICE moved to 1316 Government street, next to Columbia Theatre.

ELDON PLACE RABBITRIES—Imported, pure bred, fancy varieties.

Announcement

MEETINGS AND ENTERTAINMENTS
Notices of ratepayers, political, suffrage, patriotic, lodge, society, club or church meetings and services, concerts, socials, etc., inserted under special headings of "Meetings" on classified pages at one cent per word per insertion.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for:
37, 307, 308, 375, 475, 551, 600, 687, 756, 822, 839, 888, 899, 933, 998, 999, 907, 914, 986, 1009, 1055, 1065, 1025, 1021, 1015, 1016, 1026, 993.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIGONISMS—"Fine feathers may not make fine birds, but they often attract attention to birds that might otherwise never be noticed."

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice tasty lunch of four courses at the Delini Cafe for \$2.75. Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies.

LOST—Wire haired fox terrier, ginger and white. Phone 523, between 12 and 1.

LADIES, IMPORTANT—In order that her methods of removing superfluous hair may be more widely known, Miss Hanman will give a free treatment to any lady afflicted with this disagreeable condition. This offer holds good until Sept. 20, 521 Campbell Building. Phone 243.

FOR RENT—Option of purchase, country home, one acre, small house, orchard and small fruit, good chicken plant, Sooke water in house, 7 miles out. Box 104, Times.

WANTED—Youth, as junior clerk in local merchant's office. Apply by letter, stating experience if any, to Box 100, Times.

WILL GIVE room and board to girl going to school in return for minding children in evenings. Phone 18041.

SHOTGUNS—12-bore, English make, from \$3 to \$25. 28-35 Marlin rifle, new, \$15. 241 Ross rifle, \$18. If you have any for sale bring them in at once; great demand. Ferris, 1419 Douglas.

WE HAVE AN ORDER for six sets of dining room furniture. If you want best prices ring up 189, or call at Ferris, 1419 Douglas.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch with initials M.M., between Woolworth's and Jessie St., by way of George car. Finder please return to Times office.

FOR SALE—Cute terrier puppies, cheap. Apply Box 1083 Times.

CASH REGISTER AND SHOWCASE—Excellent condition, little used, cheap. St. James Hotel, 326 St. James St.

WILL PAY CASH for good, cheap motor-bike. Apply quick. Box 1086 Times.

WANTED—Cordwood saw frame. Box 1105 Times.

FINE 2-SEATER HUDSON RUNABOUT—Will sell or trade for larger car. Phone 6291.

RENT—Desirable eight-roomed residence, every convenience; Moss; \$15. 41721.

THE MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETING of Emmanuel Baptist Church will join the united prayer meeting at 8 p.m. Presbyterian church tonight.

FOR SALE—1 meat slicer, 1 set scales, 1 cheese cutter and silent salesman. Cook Street Grocery. Phone 2749.

FOR SALE—2 good delivery horses, 1 wagon and harness, 1 buggy. Gladstone Grocery. Phone 224.

LOST—On Tuesday evening, a white silk sweater scarf, either on Simcoe or Fort St. or Fowl Bay road, or on Beacon Hill or Fowl Bay car. Finder please phone 3050 after 6 p.m. to-night.

IF YOU want a real bargain in a touring car, cash or terms, never used as a Huxey, ring phone 3936.

WHEN your cycle meets with an accident and you wish it made as good as before, we can do it. Try us. Himmley's Cycle Store, 213-215 St. James St.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Farm, near Sidney, 40 acres, cultivated, balance timber, house, barn and outbuildings, good land; \$60 per acre, easy terms. Northwest Real Estate, 728 Yates street.

THE V. I. A. SOCIAL CLUBS invitation dance will be held at Burleigh Mansions to-morrow (Thursday) evening, dancing 9 to 1 a.m. Gentlemen, \$5; ladies, \$2.

WILL THE PERSON seen picking up street car conductor's punch 7.45 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11, at railroad crossing, Hillside and Howe, kindly return same at once to Traffic Dept., B. C. R. Co., Suitable reward will be paid by Conductor No. 54.

LOST—Small black handbag, with purse, money, etc., Tuesday about 2 p.m., getting off end Spring Ridge car. Please phone 4855R. Reward.

SEWING MACHINES—Just arrived, a large shipment of first-class machines. Prices from \$25.00 to \$35.00. Call at the Bargain House, 1600 Douglas St.

BORN—NORRIS—To Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norris, 31 St. James street, September 12, a son.

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY POUND SALE. I shall sell by Public Auction at the Pound, Holesome road, near Douglas street, Wednesday, Sept. 20, 1916, at 11 a.m., 1 bay horse, branded "H" on right hind hip and with two white hind fetlocks, weight about 1300 lbs., unless redeemed before that time.

H. LITTLE, Pound Keeper.

Notice is hereby given that the Polling Places for the General Election for Victoria City Electoral District will be as follows:

- WARD 1—512 Fort Street.
WARD 2—625 Pandora Street.
WARD 3—726 View Street.
WARD 4—614 Courtney Street.
WARD 5—921 Wharf Street.

The Polls will be open at 8 o'clock in the morning of election day and will close at 7 p.m. The voting for candidates and on the two referendums will be done together.

SYDNEY CHILD, Returning Officer.

NEED OF TOBACCO FOR MEN AT FRONT

Canadian Club Told of Work in Providing Comfort for Soldiers

It was an interesting story of the need of tobacco for the men of the overseas forces that was told by Francis R. Jones, honorable secretary of the Overseas Club Tobacco Fund, who spoke to the members of the Canadian Club to-day at their luncheon at the Empress hotel.

Mr. Jones talked of "London in War Time" and he told of the visits of zeppelins and the city in darkness. He told of the work of the Overseas Club in providing \$470,000 for the Royal Flying Corps with which they purchased 70 airplanes fitted with machine guns and observation instruments.

When the war began it gave a thrill to the people of the homeland to see men in a different uniform to that used at home, walking with a different swing and wearing the word "Canada" on their shoulders.

Mr. Jones said that the allowance of tobacco to the men by the British government was two ounces a week. This was very little to a man who was a smoker. It was often used in one day, and then there was the rest of the week to go without, unless they received it from some other source.

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Mr. Jones then told of the advantages to be gained through sending tobacco through the agency of the club. Five packets of cigarettes and a fifth of a pound of tobacco could be sent with the name and address of the sender for 25c, whereas the same purchased in the ordinary way and mailed would cost a dollar.

Decorated Cars Contest—The winners in the decorated car and float contest held in connection with last night's prohibition procession were as follows: First prize, decorated auto, to Victoria West Methodist Sunday school.

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MAJOR W. A. CASEY IS KILLED IN ACTION

Well Known Victoria Civil Engineer Among the Recent Casualties

Major W. A. Casey, of this city, has been killed in action in France, according to a message received from the war office. Major Casey, who was a well-known civil engineer before the war, left Victoria as a sergeant in the first unit of the 88th Battalion in the fall of 1914.

Major Casey was born in St. Thomas, Ontario, about twenty-nine years ago. His father, George Casey, represented West Elgin in the House of Commons for many years and was regarded as one of the most brilliant public men of his generation. His son inherited his qualities of intellect to a marked degree.

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Because it is lowest in ash—contains no clinkers—no rock. Order your winter supply now.

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LOCAL NEWS

Father Time is on his way in his 1917 suit, but our 1917 Diaries have beaten him to it. They're here. Mackay—617 View St.

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

B. & V. Club will hold their invitation dance to-night in Connaught hall. Mann's Orchestra will provide special music, dancing from 9 to 1 a.m.

Reorganizes for Season—The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's church has reorganized for the season and is preparing to entertain the soldiers of the active forces as guests at the Monday evening meetings.

Standard Minimum Wage—Notice has been received from Seattle that the standard minimum wage of \$3 a day is being paid to outside city laborers there, so that with the information now to hand the special committee on the subject, which has two petitions before it, one general, the other from the teamsters, will be able to get down to work and make a report.

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Bishop MacDonald on Prohibition

Bishop MacDonald, of the Roman Catholic Church, has issued his Pastoral letter to his people, which he has allowed us to use. The letter is too long to print, so we reproduce it here in part:

PASTORAL LETTER ON PROHIBITION TO THE CLERGY AND PEOPLE OF THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA

At this time, when the question of legal prohibition of alcoholic drinks is to be put before you in the form of a plebiscite, you naturally look for guidance to your Bishop.

It is with the moral and social aspects of Prohibition that I am going to deal. The merits or demerits of the Act passed at the last session of the local Legislature I leave to others to discuss. Enough to say that if it is defective, it is capable of amendment. Like all new legislation, it is, from the nature of the case, more or less tentative in its character.

The Catholic Church has never made an official pronouncement on the prohibition of the liquor traffic. We have, therefore, to consider the question in the light of the general principles of Catholic teaching. There is one thing, however, that the Church unequivocally condemns, and that is the Manichean doctrine that intoxicating drink is in itself evil; that all traffic in it is immoral. Consistently with reason and common sense, the Church has always taught that it is not in the taking of wine or strong drink that the immorality, the moral wrongfulness, lies, but in drunkenness, and all excess in the use of wine or strong drink. Even poison is good and has its uses, though it is a grievous crime to poison ones neighbor or ones self. Moral evil is ever in the power of man himself; never in the thing that he uses perversely, nor in the rational use of it.

We read in Genesis (ch. 9: v. 21) that Noah by drinking wine, the product of his vineyard, "was made drunk," but we do not read that God, because of this, prohibited the use of wine. While the Israelites were as yet under theocratic government, God Himself being their law-giver even in the minutest affairs of social life, the use of wine was not forbidden except to the Nazirite, who was put under vow to "abstain from wine, and from everything that may make a man drunk" (Num. ch. 6: v. 3); and to priests whenever they were called to enter the tabernacle of the testimony (Levit. ch. 10: v. 9). On the other hand, the Law of God, as promulgated by Moses, prohibits drunkenness and all excess; and both the Old Testament and the New are filled with denunciations of this abominable vice, and pronounce many woes upon the drunkard. As for the attitude of our Blessed Lord on the subject, neither His teaching nor His example would indicate that He regarded wine or strong drink as something whereof the use should be prohibited, though sobriety in all things found in Him its noblest exemplar and has been the watchword of His true disciples in every age.

Let us now turn to the consideration of Prohibition in the light of natural reason, as it affects the well-being of the individual and of society on this planet. God has made man free to choose his own way of life. But no man lives for himself only. He is a member of society, toward which he has manifold obligations, and to the just laws of which he owes obedience. And the common good, the good of society as a whole, is paramount, according to the maxim "Salus populi suprema est lex"—the well-being of the people is the supreme law. Is it, then, in the interests of society as a whole that there should be Prohibition? Would Prohibition of the liquor traffic within the province make for the welfare of our people? I cannot see that the question admits of any other than an affirmative answer. If this were a vine-growing country, and if light wines and beers were the daily beverages of the people, as in many countries of Europe, to prohibit their use would be, I consider, an unwarranted invasion of the rights of the individual, as well as unwise in itself and detrimental to the common weal. But in this country such drinks are not used as a beverage, at least to any appreciable extent, and we have excellent substitutes for them. In fact, prohibition here means, speaking largely, the doing away with such highly intoxicating drinks as whiskies and brandies and alcoholic wines, the use of which, under present-day legislation, works incalculably greater harm than good.

Such being the case, it seems plain that every one who has at heart the well-being of his country, of himself, and of those who are in any way dependent upon him should cast his vote and use his influence in favor of Prohibition.

Consider that a large percentage of the people, especially in the ranks of youth, are too weak of themselves to resist successfully the allurements of the saloon, and really need the protection afforded by prohibitory enactment. Consider, moreover, the financial waste resulting from the traffic in strong drink, which is simply enormous. And what is much worse, the appalling catalogue of crimes which may be traced, directly or indirectly, to the drink evil, the wrecked homes, the ruined families, the withered and blasted careers, the havoc of all that is best and sweetest in human life wrought by the monster of intemperance. "To drunkenness," say the Archbishops and Bishops of Ireland in a joint pastoral address to their people some years ago, "To drunkenness we may refer, as to its baneful cause, almost all the crime by which the country is disgraced, and much of the poverty from which it suffers. Drunkenness has wrecked more homes, once happy, than ever fell beneath the crowbar in the worst days of eviction; it has filled more graves and made more widows and orphans than did the famine; it has broken more hearts, blighted more hopes, and rent asunder family ties more ruthlessly than the enforced exile to which their misery has condemned emigrants. Against an evil so widespread and so pernicious we implore all who have at heart the honor of God and the salvation of souls to be filled with holy zeal."

Mr. Gladstone declared in his day that the intemperance of the United Kingdom was the source of more evils than war, pestilence and famine. Cardinal Manning, that great apostle of temperance, in meeting the objection that you cannot make a nation sober by acts of Parliament, and that sobriety can only be attained by moral means, uses the following words, which appear to have a special application here at this time.

"We heartily accept this half-truth; and it is precisely because we believe that our national vice can only be cured by a spontaneous, national and moral movement that we affirm that the only adequate power for its correction must come, not from above, but from below. It is in the people themselves alone, who have been so long beset by the multiplying facilities for intemperance, by the ubiquitous activity of the drink trade, by the almost irresistible attractions of gin palaces; it is only in the spontaneous action of the people, rising with their high moral sense in reaction against the system which has so long made their homes desolate and their lives intolerable, that an adequate remedy can be found.

Here and now we have this remedy in our hands, if we choose to use it. Let us weigh well our responsibilities in the matter, individually and collectively. Let us remember that it rests with ourselves, in the first place, whether we shall have Prohibition, or not have it; and, in the next place, whether, if we do have it, it shall be a success or a failure. Total abstinence from intoxicating drinks is the price we must be willing to pay for the success of the measure we shall shortly be called to vote upon. Let us make up our minds cheerfully to pay that price. And let us do it from the high motives of self-denial and mutual helpfulness which so become the followers of Him who died for the love of all of us upon the Cross.

The respect in which Bishop MacDonald is held, and the value of this letter is indicated by the fact that the letter was endorsed by thirteen of the leading clergymen in charges in this city.

(Adv.)

LOCAL NEWS

Father Time is on his way in his 1917 suit, but our 1917 Diaries have beaten him to it. They're here. Mackay—617 View St.

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

B. & V. Club will hold their invitation dance to-night in Connaught hall. Mann's Orchestra will provide special music, dancing from 9 to 1 a.m.

Reorganizes for Season—The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's church has reorganized for the season and is preparing to entertain the soldiers of the active forces as guests at the Monday evening meetings.

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IS IN HOSPITAL

Andrew Sheret, Son of William Sheret, Wounded in Action.

William Sheret, of the Montrose Rooms, received a cable this morning announcing the wounding of his son, Andrew. The young fellow is in hospital in Leeds with a bullet wound in the head, but he is improving. He was for fifteen months on the firing line, in the 5th Battalion of the Black Watch. Early in the year Mr. Sheret lost his son, James, of the Yeomanry, who died of fever in one of the military camps.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of Mark Pounder, who died on Saturday at St. Joseph's hospital, took place this afternoon from the Thomson Funeral chapel, 827 Pandora avenue, and was attended largely. The late Mr. Pounder had endeared himself to many friends, which was testified by the numerous floral offerings. The service was conducted by Rev. H. S. Osborne. The following acted as pallbearers: P. M. Linklater, O. Pearson, W. M. Ivel, H. Lelzer, A. MacD. Plewils and E. Tomlin.

Ma's Mean Way

Pa has no use for suffragettes; he says that home's the place. Where woman has the chance to do most for the human race. "Why should she want to vote?" says Pa, "or stand around the polls. And let her children go to school with stockings full of holes?" "I've got no use for women who get out and fuss and tear. Forgetful that they've homes to run and solemn duties there; How many of these suffragettes who say they'll vote or die. Know how to bake a loaf of bread or make a decent pie?" "They'd better learn to stitch and hem and let the votin' go; The wife that wants to be a gem ain't makin' speeches no. She's busy where she ought to be, without no time to gad. Content to do the things she know'll make her loved ones glad." Ma sat and gazed away a while, and then she spoke at last: "I guess you're right," she said; "at least, I want no vote to cast. As long as I can give you joy by humbly slavin' here, I'll gladly scrub and cook and darn to make you happy, dear." Then Pa got up and walked around and kicked a chair aside: "Yes, there you go again," he said, so mad he nearly cried: "Pa's just because I can't afford to keep you like a queen. And stop that darnin', darn it all! You just darn to be mean!" —Chicago Record-Herald.

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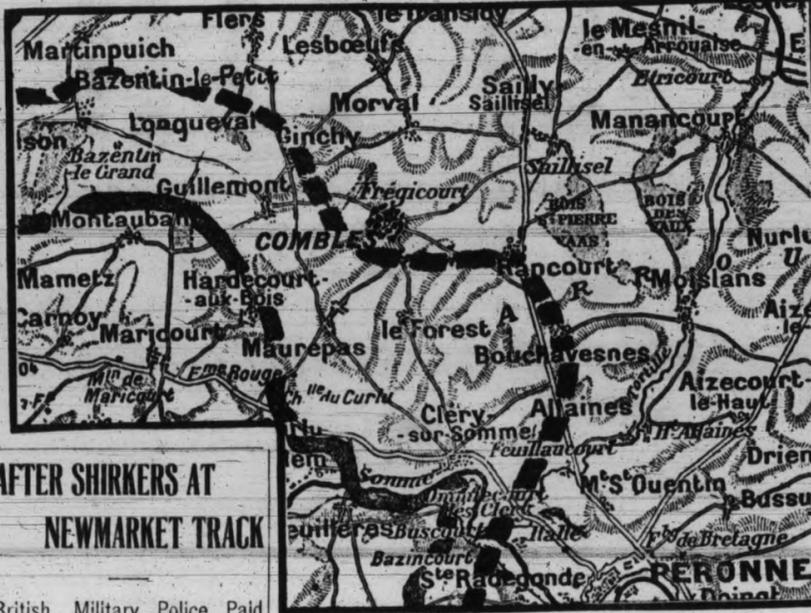
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### COMBLES ABOUT TO FALL INTO HANDS OF ALLIES



The village of Bouchavesnes, southeast of Comblès, north of the Somme, was captured last evening by French troops. With French troops in Bouchavesnes and on the outskirts of the village of Rancourt, to the north, and British troops in possession of Ginchy, the town of Comblès, which has been a German stronghold, is subject to attack from three sides, and it is expected in Paris that it will pass into the hands of the French very soon. The broken line on the above map indicates the present position of the Anglo-French line north of the Somme. The solid line indicates the position of the line after the second thrust of the great offensive which was launched on July 1.

### AFTER SHIRKERS AT NEWMARKET TRACK

London, Sept. 13.—Military police carried out an extensive raid for shirkers from military service to-day at the Newmarket race-track just before the race for the classic St. Leger was started.

Racing had been in abeyance for over a month and thousands of men attended. Every one apparently of military age was compelled to give an account of himself.

In the principal enclosure the first hour's proceedings produced only two men, who declared themselves Irishmen and not liable to registration.

### TEMPERANCE ACT IN ONT. TO BE ENFORCED

Toronto, Sept. 13.—The Ontario cabinet held an important meeting yesterday at which the Ontario Temperance Act was discussed. It was the most largely attended meeting of the cabinet in many months, every minister being present except Premier Hearst and the Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education, who are in England.

As soon as the cabinet assembled, J. W. Flavell, chairman of the board of license commissioners, was called into conference. He remained with the ministers for half an hour.

Following the meeting it was stated that no suggested changes in the act had been considered. It will go into effect on Saturday next, precisely as the legislature intended it should.

### DIMITRAKOPOULOS IS FORMING GREEK CABINET

Athens, Sept. 13.—Quieting rumors that M. Dimitrakopoulos, who was asked by King Constantine to assume the premiership following the resignation of M. Zaimis, had failed in his efforts to form a new ministry and that M. Zaimis would take up the reins of government again, official announcement was made this afternoon that M. Dimitrakopoulos has accepted the position.

### PATROL ENCOUNTERS EAST OF THE STRUMA

London, Sept. 13.—British troops who took the offensive recently on the Macedonian front, forcing a passage of the Struma river and capturing several villages, have made no further efforts to advance.

"Except for patrol encounters east of the river, there have been no developments on our Struma front," says an official report issued to-day. "On our Doiran front both our own and the enemy's artillery have been active."

### LANSING PREPARING PROTEST TO BRITAIN

Washington, Sept. 13.—The recent examination by a British warship of the Philippine steamer Cob near Carabao Island, within territorial waters, was discussed to-day by Secretary Lansing and Secretary Baker. It is understood further details will be sought from Governor General Harrison before the protest to be made to the British government is dispatched.

### PRES. OF PRUDENTIAL HURT IN COLLISION

Quebec, Sept. 13.—B. Hal Brown, president and managing director of the Prudential Trust Company, is in a hospital here suffering from fractures of his collar and jaw bones sustained in an accident on Monday evening while he was on the way to the scene of the bridge disaster. He was thrown from the street in a collision between a street car and the automobile in which he was riding. Some arteries in the neck were severed, but he will recover.

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### A Long, Patient and Arduous Struggle

Westminster Gazette.

There has been no better bulletin for us since the days of the Marne, than that which Sir Douglas Haig was able to issue on Saturday night. Along the four-mile front from Pozieres to Guillemont our troops have steadily advanced, clearing the Bazentin Woods, capturing the whole of the Delville Wood, and even at one point in the centre pushing through to the German screening operations. The last was a dramatic withdrawal after it had enabled the troops behind to strengthen and improve their new positions. To the right of the outskirts of the Delville Wood cavalry made their first appearance on the western front since the autumn of 1914; the first sign of a break-through into the open, and symbolic, we hope, of greater things to come. We can well understand the enthusiasm with which that gallant body of horsemen were received as they were seen going hard in the old style through the cornfields. All the longing for the open country was compressed into that one burst from the prison-house of the trenches. We have now to strengthen our positions and widen the breach in the trench-lines before resuming the offensive in concert with our allies. It is a hard and bitter struggle which costs us grievous losses, but we shall bear them with the fortitude of which our allies have shown us the example. The battles that we are now engaged in are the climax of all modern history, and upon our capacity to endure and win through long issues more momentous than any that have faced the world since the days of Charlemagne.

people has hitherto proved either false or delusive. In spite of the complexity of their organization, their luxury, their refinement, their supposed degeneracy, according to the fighting standards, modern nations have proved capable of effort and sacrifice on a scale to which the ancient and medieval world affords no parallel, and we cannot say as yet that any of them has come up to the limit of its endurance. We may well take courage from the present stage of the war, but if we are to achieve the objects for which we set out, we must still, as Mr. McKenna says, be prepared for a long, patient, and arduous struggle.

### PORTUGAL'S COLONIES.

Portugal was the earliest European colonizer in Africa, but in her various wars lost much of her possessions. To-day she has the Cape Verde islands, of 1,480 square miles, with 150,000 inhabitants; Portuguese Guinea, with 12,500 square miles and 850,000 people; the Principe and St. Thomas islands, containing but 360 square miles and 43,000 souls; Angola, covering 484,000 square miles and the home of 4,200,000 blacks, and Mozambique, or Portuguese East Africa, with an area of 293,000 square miles and 3,200,000 population. Outside of the Portuguese officials, a small representation from the army and a few business men and traders of European birth, the entire population are illiterate blacks.

But little has been done to improve the country or its inhabitants. The island possessions are devoted chiefly to agriculture, coffee, millet, cocoa, rubber and cinchona being the principal products.

From Portuguese Guinea ivory, oil seeds, wax, hides and timber are exported. This territory is one of the most backward possessions in the world.

Angola has a coast line of over 1,000 miles. Its chief products are coffee, rubber, wax, sugar, vegetable oils, sisal, cocoa nuts and ivory. There are deposits of petroleum and asphalt, which are at present being worked by a British syndicate. Malachite, copper, iron, petroleum, asphalt, salt, gold and asbestos exist in fair quantities, but are so far from transportation they cannot be mined profitably. The yearly exports and imports each reach approximately \$5,000,000. There are about 1,000 miles of poorly equipped railroads in the territory.

Mozambique, or Portuguese East Africa, of which Lorenzo Marques is the capital, is perhaps the best known Portuguese African possession. Its exports are rubber, ores, wax and ivory, chiefly elephant tusks, and its requirements, like Angola's, are cotton goods, ammunition, arms, provisions, tools, hardware, candles, cutlery and liquor. It has less than 10 miles of operating railways and much of its traffic is carried by boats on the Zambesi and Shire rivers.

### WHEAT—MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—There was a steady tone to the wheat market throughout the entire session to-day, the decline of yesterday apparently having eliminated the weak holders. Brothman reported export offers easier, with Manitoba one shilling lower. Importers will take about 210,000-220,000 bushels from North America this year, but with the shipments already made and better Canadian news it is hoped this amount can be readily secured. The domestic news was rather of a bullish character, but the closing of the Chicago market for the day confined outside markets to rather narrow limits. Closing prices were firm at about one cent advance.

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### NO COUNTER-ATTACK AT BOUCHAVESNES

French Troops Organized Position North of Somme; Captured a Farm

Paris, Sept. 13.—The following official report was issued this afternoon: "North of the Somme the fighting continued last evening with distinct success for our arms. The village of Bouchavesnes was attacked toward 8 o'clock in the evening and carried in its entirety by our troops in a brilliant fight, despite the enemy's resistance. He had strongly entrenched himself. During the night our infantry organized itself in the conquered position. The Germans did not attempt a counter-attack.

"This morning our troops, continuing their advance eastward, took by assault the Bois L'Abbe farm, situated 600 metres east of the Bapaume road, southeast of Bouchavesnes. We took some additional prisoners and captured a large amount of material.

"North of the Aisne an attack directed against a German trench in the region of Andoche gained us additional prisoners.

"On the right bank of the Meuse (Verden front) we made some progress in the northern portion of the Vaux-Chapire wood. Artillery fighting continues with moderate activity in the Fleury-Chenois region.

"Everywhere else the night was calm."

### EVEN ENVER GOES TO SEE WILHELM

Journeys of That Turk and Bulgarian King Indicate Great Fear

Rotterdam, Sept. 13.—Events in the Balkans are moving too rapidly for the peace of mind of the central powers. The well-informed persons in these countries are reported to be under no illusions concerning the trend of affairs. The journey of the king and queen of Bulgaria, adding to the uneasiness caused by the offensive of the entente forces in Greek Macedonia. Last week there was held an extraordinary series of conferences at the German headquarters in the east. Kaiser Wilhelm received Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, then the king and crown prince of Bulgaria, and now Enver Pasha, the Turkish war minister, is there.

The reason at the back of these conferences is believed to be the desire of the central powers to save at all costs the communications between Germany, Bulgaria and Turkey.

Bulgarian Claims.

Berlin, Sept. 13.—The Bulgarian army which is invading southeastern Rumania has made further gains, according to an official announcement issued yesterday at Sofia, the text of which follows:

"Our troops are continuing the advance in Dobrudja.

"On the Macedonian front, near Lake Ostrovo, there was activity by patrols, as well as artillery fighting.

"Two Italian companies, with machine guns and one squadron of cavalry advanced in the direction of Butkova (near the Struma river), and Duzina. We made a counter-attack and dispersed them. Thirty Italians were captured. This was our first encounter with the Italian troops.

"In an encounter in the Struma valley, near Nevozen and Kardziko, on September 10, the enemy lost seven officers and about 100 men killed. We captured many rifles and a quantity of ammunition. We took prisoner two Scottish officers and more than 100 British soldiers.

"A hostile fleet is cruising off the Aegean coast. Our hydro-aeroplanes made a successful attack on enemy warships in the harbor of Kavala."

### PASSENGERS ROBBED AT CANADIAN BORDER

Man Posed as Customs Official at Niagara River; His Scheme

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Seven passengers on a C. P. R. train from Toronto were victims of an unusual robbery as the train crossed into the United States to-day. The train had been stopped for the customs inspection when a man walked into one of the coaches and began questioning the passengers. Of Mrs. Jesse M. Ardill, of New York City, he demanded "How much money have you got?"

Mrs. Ardill opened her purse and the man counted \$10. He returned \$5 to the woman, saying he would have to keep the remainder as a "deposit." He wrote a receipt for the money as "paid over to the United States customs at Buffalo." In like fashion the man got \$48 from Edward Crockett, of Brantford, Ont. Five others in the car also gave up money, but their names were not obtained by the police.

The robbery was not discovered until the train pulled into the Buffalo station, when Mrs. Ardill asked the conductor what she should do with her receipt. The passengers have a good description of the man, whom they supposed was a customs official.

### A GERMAN STATEMENT.

Berlin, Sept. 13.—A Russian destroyer was sunk in the Gulf of Riga by a German aeroplane squadron, says a report given out by the admiralty to-day. German naval planes also attacked Russian sea forces in the Black Sea.

### TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
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Cincinnati	9	3
New York	3	1
Batteries—Toney and Huhn; Schupp and McCarty.		
Cincinnati	4	9
New York	6	2
Batteries—Schneider, Schultz, Knetzer and Wingo; Smith, Perritt and Barkden.		
St. Louis	7	9
Philadelphia	4	7
Batteries—Ames and Gonzales; Elzey, Bender and Kliffner.		
Chicago	3	7
Boston	7	14
Batteries—Vaughn, Perry and Wilson; Reulbach and Gówdy.		
Chicago	6	11
Boston	11	14
Batteries—Lavender and Archer; Farnas, Reulbach and Haskburn.		
Pittsburg	6	12
Brooklyn	3	6
Batteries—Cooper and W. J. Wagner; Smith, Dell, Rucker and Meyers.		
AMERICAN LEAGUE		
New York	1	5
Detroit	4	10
Batteries—Shawkey, Russell and Alexander; Covelakis, Daus and Spencer; Stanga.		
Philadelphia	4	12
Cleveland	8	9
Batteries—Myer and Haley; Beebe, Smith and Deberry.		

### ON THE HOME STRETCH



### GAIN BY ITALIANS IN DOLOMITE ALPS

Captured Position Commanding Travenanzes Pass; Austrian Communications Cut

Rome, Sept. 13.—Italian troops in the Dolomite Alps, on the far northern line of the Austro-Italian front, captured a position commanding the Travenanzes Pass and cutting the Austrian communications between the Travenanzes valley and the Lagazuol region, the war office announced to-day.

The text of the statement follows: "Minor offensive actions continue in the Arsa and upper Posina valleys. On Monday evening we repulsed attacks east of Griso and in the Zera valley.

"North of Falezago our Alpine troops gained possession of a position which now commands the Travenanzes Pass but also interrupts the enemy's communication between the Travenanzes valley and the Lagazuol district.

"Last evening enemy aircraft bombed Venice, Patisana, Marano, Cervignano and Aquileia, wounding a few civilians and doing slight damage."

### FORMER COURT CLERK SENTENCED IN SASK.

Weyburn, Sask., Sept. 13.—Paul Eisenhardt, formerly clerk of the court here, who recently was extradited from the United States, was sent down to-day by Judge Wood for two years in the penitentiary on a charge of appropriating to his own use public funds while in the employ of the government. In summing up the case, Judge Wood expressed the positive opinion that despite the order of the provincial government requiring registrars to turn over to the department all fees in connection with naturalization applications, those fees remained the property of the registrars and if not turned over could be recovered only by civil suit under an implied contract. The same holds good in respect of Dominion government emoluments for naturalization and commercial returns.

### INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

New York, Sept. 13.—There was a decided decrease in the epidemic of infantile paralysis during the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day. There were only 10 cases, one-half of yesterday's toll, and 81 new cases, seven fewer than yesterday.

Gleaning brought into revived popularity among country cottages by the high price of bread, is wrongly believed to rest on a common law right in England, and a legal "obiter dictum" exists that a man who enters a field for this purpose cannot be prosecuted for trespass. But a majority of judges in the old Court of Common Pleas decided that to grant a general right to glean would be contrary to public policy, because "it would demoralize the poor" (!) and "open a wide door to fraud." Yet a local custom of gleaning has been recognized repeatedly by acts of parliament, and in some places the "gleaning bell" still rings from the tower of the parish church twice a day during harvest to let the villagers know when they may begin to glean and when they must stop. But the romantic industry seems unknown in Ireland, and has never existed in Scotland.—London Chronicle.

### MARK YOUR BALLOT FOR:

**BELL  
BREWSTER  
HALL, H. C.  
HART**

Every voter may mark his ballot for four candidates.

London Opinion.

# ABOLISH THE BAR

## A POUND OF PRACTICE IS WORTH A TON OF THEORY

### THEORIES OF LIQUOR MEN

**Prohibition Will Ruin Trade.**

**Liquor Men say:**  
Prohibition would increase taxation.

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

**Liquor Men say:**  
Prohibition produces moral weakness.

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

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

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

- Liquor Men say:**
1. Prohibition will not prohibit.
  2. Prohibition can't be enforced.
  3. Prohibition will destroy liberty.
  4. Prohibition will create unemployment.
  5. Prohibition is un-British.
  6. Prohibition will turn homes into saloons.
  7. Prohibition will increase crime.

**READ OPPOSITE**

## PRACTICE, According to Public Men

### MAYOR WAUGH, OF WINNIPEG, SAYS:

The Macdonald Prohibition Act came into force June 1, 1916. The liquor trade and kindred businesses are the only businesses detrimentally affected. Moral and social conditions are improved. Drunkenness is reduced 80 per cent.

### MAYOR BERRY, OF MEDICINE HAT, SAYS:

All our merchants and business men express themselves clearly when asked as to whether conditions are better under Prohibition. I, being in business in the centre of workingmen, would cite one specific case, where a drinker had his property sold for taxes, and in July and August he paid a grocery bill of \$50, redeemed his property which had been sold for taxes amounting to \$38, paid his 1914 taxes, and thinks he will be able to pay his 1915 and 1916 taxes before the end of October. This was a workingman who spent his wages in drink, and his wife kept boarders to make a living.

### MAYOR ALBEE, OF PORTLAND, ORE., SAYS:

As to the statement of a Portland hotel man that tourists will not come here if the state is "dry," the manager of the Raymond-Whitecomb tours, while in Portland this week, declared that his company is bringing more tourists to Portland this year than ever before. Furthermore, these tourist parties, which are composed of business and professional men never inquire whether Portland is "wet" or "dry."

### GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, SUPERINTENDENT OF DEPENDENT AND DELINQUENT CHILDREN:

The monthly Police Court records at present do not exceed those of a single day in previous years. There is absolutely no open drunkenness. One thing is certain, prohibition has made it easier for the boys of Alberta to grow up into clean, efficient men.

Your obedient servant, A. M. McDONALD, Superintendent

### MAYOR YOUNG OF SASKATOON—

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 2, 1916.

In reply to "How is Prohibition Affecting Business and Prosperity in Your City?" I would say that business is very much improved in our city. I do not contend this is due entirely to the fact of less liquor being sold. Our immense crop of last year, of course, was a very important factor, but without any hesitation I would assert that the closing of the bars has been a Godsend to this Province. I may add that at the end of this year a vote will be taken whether the Dispensaries should be abolished, and, if I judge correctly, they are sure to go. Business is decidedly better due to the closing of the bars, apart from any other fact.

### SIR HUGH JOHN MACDONALD MORE THAN SATISFIED WITH EFFECTS OF THE MEASURE—

Sir Hugh Macdonald, formerly Premier of Manitoba, and now police magistrate in the city police court, recently delivered himself of a highly laudatory opinion of the working and operation of the Manitoba Liquor Act, founded by himself and Sir James Atkins some 16 years ago.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 6, 1916.

The Manitoba Temperance Act is doing more good than any other legislation ever passed in this Province.

### WONDERFUL BLESSING TO TACOMA—

The effect on crime is startling. The arrests are reduced so the contractor who before made a good thing feeding the prisoners has given notice he cannot continue, as there is nothing in it. There was not a single case of fighting or disturbing the peace in the whole month of January after the saloons were closed. All kinds of crime have decreased.

Prohibition is the best thing that ever happened to Tacoma.

Yours very truly, A. V. FAWCETT, Mayor.

### MAYOR BARTON, OF YAKIMA, WASH. SAYS:—

No fair-minded person questions the improved conditions in this city since Prohibition went into effect. Many of those who voted against the measure are now for it. Business is gradually showing marked improvement. Men with families who spent much of their income in the saloon are now spending it in buying more food and clothing for their families and paying cash for them.

### MAYOR COSTELLO, OF CALGARY, SENDS THE FOLLOWING STATISTICS:—

List of crimes and offences for which persons were tried in the Police Court at Calgary during the months of July and August, 1915 and 1916:

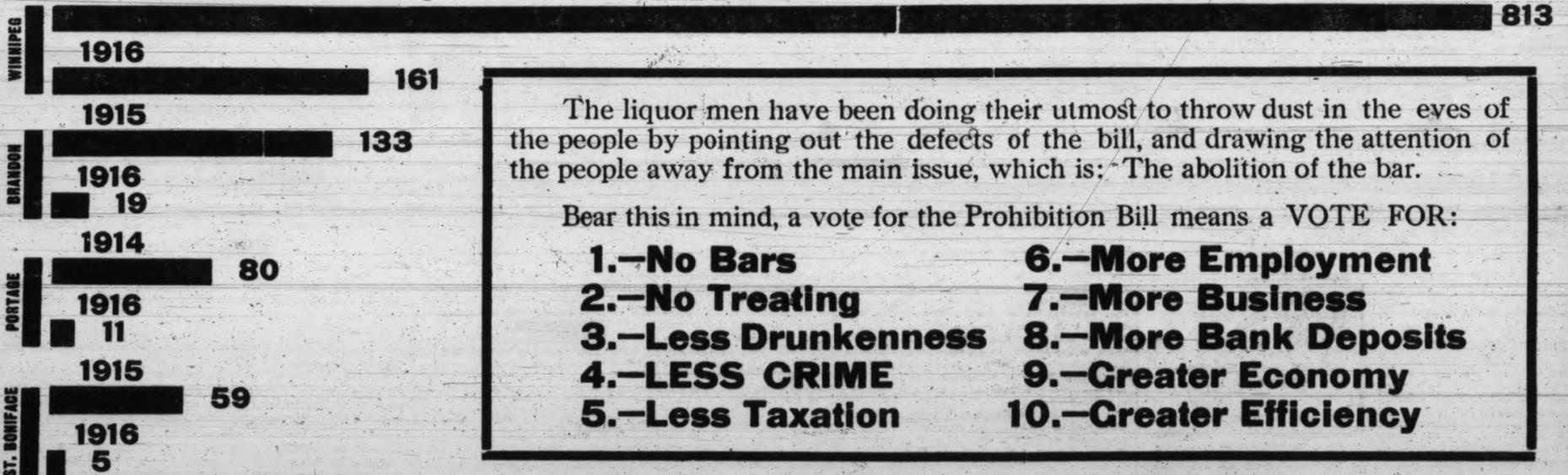
	1915.	July, 1916.	August, 1915.	1916.
Assault	24	7	12	8
By-law offences	88	70	129	46
Drunk	77	12	74	5
False pretences	1	0	5	0
Forgery	3	0	3	0
Frequenter of disorderly houses	7	1	6	0
Inmate of disorderly houses	6	0	3	0
Keeper of disorderly houses	10	1	5	2
Total number of offences	304	202	395	62

### Wages Paid for Every \$1,000,000 Capital Invested

INDUSTRY	Liquor	Iron and Steel	Bread, etc.	Boot and Shoe	Clothing
	\$53,438	\$176,925	\$217,491	\$276,859	\$522,399

## Comparative Figures Shown in Drunkenness in First Months of Prohibition

### Three Months, 1915



The liquor men have been doing their utmost to throw dust in the eyes of the people by pointing out the defects of the bill, and drawing the attention of the people away from the main issue, which is: The abolition of the bar.

Bear this in mind, a vote for the Prohibition Bill means a VOTE FOR:

- |                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1.—No Bars          | 6.—More Employment     |
| 2.—No Treating      | 7.—More Business       |
| 3.—Less Drunkenness | 8.—More Bank Deposits  |
| 4.—LESS CRIME       | 9.—Greater Economy     |
| 5.—Less Taxation    | 10.—Greater Efficiency |

# ABOLISH THE BAR

**Remember Mass Prayer Meeting**  
First Presbyterian Church, To-night, 8 p.m.

**PROHIBITION COMMITTEE ROOMS**

Central, Wards 1, 3, 4, 5, Old Victoria Theatre, Tel. 3594  
Ward 2, Pandora Street, Opposite Polling Place  
General Office, 101 Union Bank Building, Phone 4319

**VOTE EARLY**

**VOTE "YES"**

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<b>NINE LOCAL PLUMS</b> No. 1 quality. 10 lbs. for . . . . .	<b>25c</b>
<b>NO. 1. LOCAL-HOTHOUSE TOMATOES</b> Per large basket . . . . .	<b>25c</b>
<b>Choice Creamery Butter</b> Per lb. 35¢, 8 lbs. for . . . . .	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CHOICE VEAL LOAF</b> Home cooked; sliced, per lb. . . . .	<b>40c</b>

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

**TO THE ELECTORS—**

It is estimated that the Voters' List for the city is so padded that 40 per cent of the names on it are those of persons who have died or left the district. You will see what an opening this gives for personators. The scrutineers on behalf of the Liberal party propose to swear every person who applies for a vote in the name of any man who is reported to be an absentee. Perhaps a good many bona fide voters who have changed their addresses will be sworn, but remember that by taking this course the scrutineers may stop a personator from polling your vote before you get to the polls.

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

**REWARD**

The Victoria Liberal Association will pay One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to any person giving information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of personation at the coming election.

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

## SCORE OF PEOPLE HEAR CONSERVATIVES

### Mayor Would Have This Paper Put Out of Business for Its Criticism

After waiting half an hour for an audience, and by that time gathering a score of people, exclusive of the candidates, the Conservative speakers decided to put the best face on the situation possible, and to hold a meeting at the George Jay school last evening.

R. W. Perry presided.

There was no new feature in the arguments advanced. Hon. Alexander Stewart devoting himself to an attempted justification for his reason in joining the Bowser government, and abusing the Times for its conduct of the campaign.

The mayor made the statement that he had voted for the men irrespective of party measures, and had never participated in Liberal committees, or sat on a Liberal platform. He declared the offer of a portfolio to himself as well as a compliment to the city as well as to himself, and said Premier Bowser deserved their confidence as a most straightforward man who always gave a direct answer. In his office as mayor he had been drawn to the premier by the way in which he handled public business. Mr. Bowser would give them a clean, honest, progressive, business government. The speaker said the Times declared, "As a matter of fact it was the Liberal leader who was muzzled, weighed down by the writ, which after all was only a bluff which would never come to trial if the opposition was returned. Therefore he would not answer the question which had been addressed to him in the columns of the Times for weeks past till Mr. Brewster explained what the effect on public business would be if the writ prevailed."

He denied that any deep laid scheme for plunder existed with regard to the Johnson street bridge expropriations, and said the Times had attacked the arbitrators unjustly. "There ought to be," he said, "a law to put a paper like that out of business."

The Liberals had no right to talk about corrupt speculation when H. C. Brewster and M. B. Jackson were members of a syndicate which secured valuable fishing rights on the West Coast for a nominal sum, and then lost them when the Conservative government returned to office at Ottawa. The minister of finance declared that the province had not been called upon to meet one cent of interest on the bonds for the C.N.P.R., and made the prophecy that the probability of having to pay was very small. He concluded by drawing attention to the signs of returning prosperity, and deprecated Mr. Brewster's statements in the East about bankruptcy starting the province in the face.

Leonard Tait also declared that there were signs of returning prosperity which would be checked by a change of government. He admitted that the government had been affected by the general boom, but in the large expenditures of the last few years claimed that it had been impossible to show wrongdoing. He went over at some length the legislation passed at the last session of the House, and argued that Premier Bowser's manifesto of last December had been fulfilled to the letter. In glowing terms he sketched the advantages which would flow from the shipbuilding bill, the workman's compensation bill and other measures.

Reginald Hayward also took up the chorus of congratulation for returning prosperity under the beneficent sway of the premier, and quoted the bank clearings to show what was occurring in the three coast cities which make returns. There had been a steady advance in all the cities since the legislature adjourned. He declared that over 800 names on the Victoria voters' lists used at the by-election here had been found to be names of so-called voters whose addresses as given on the list either did not exist at all or were found in Chinese buildings. A repetition of that condition of affairs would not be possible, for the provision in the Election Act requiring every voter to sign his name and address would check it.

Alderman Dilworth spoke briefly on behalf of himself, and claimed that the Conservative party was the one of construction. He quoted various measures passed last session as an evidence of development.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

The sales of Noblemen Cigars have more than tripled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

## BOWSER CANDIDATES CLOSING CAMPAIGNS

### Shipping Commissioner Thomson Displays Ignorance of Lloyds's Rating

The Bowser candidates in the outgoing constituencies are closing their campaigns. In Saanich D. M. Eberts, K. C., spoke in St. Mark's Church hall, Bolekine road, and repeated the same old story that he has been retelling around the constituency.

R. H. Pooley, candidate in Esquimalt, addressed a meeting in Colwood hall in company with H. B. Thomson and N. F. Mackay. He endeavored to excuse the failure to complete the Island section of the C. N. Pacific on the score of the rail mills being engaged on munitions, but he failed to give any reason for the lack of construction in the years before the war since the period when Sir Richard McBride gave his undertaking to resign if simultaneous construction was not carried on.

The exposure by the Times of the deal intended in connection with the Johnson street bridge appears to have "peevish" Mr. Pooley.

H. B. Thomson the commissioner of shipping, showed his great knowledge of the subject by referring to the "splendid rating given the vessels now under construction by Lloyds." He apparently thinks that Lloyds gives a rating to a vessel the moment its keel is laid down, and that little matters such as its completion and survey by a Lloyds agent are not of any account in the giving of the rating.

Mr. Thomson, by the way, has adopted the premier's misrepresentation of Mr. Brewster's words regarding the repeal of the land policy contained in the soldiers' homestead act. Mr. Brewster's characterization of the government proposal as a wrapping of the old flag around the rotten land policy has been twisted into a statement that it has wrapped the old flag around the rotten lands. This Mr. Thomson repeated last evening, making the untrue statement that the Liberal leader had referred to the rich lands of the north as a gold brick wrapped in the Union Jack.

The city Bowser forces will have a rally and smoker to-night in the Princess theatre. It is reported that the four candidates will speak. As they have not been at all anxious to be heard by the electors it might be that a large attendance would turn out to hear them, but on the other hand they have not shown themselves of the type of orators to set the Thames on fire. The Esquimalt Bowserite candidate will make a final appeal to the men whom he endeavored to intimidate, and others, in the Rex theatre, Esquimalt road, to-night. He will have the assistance of G. H. Barnard, M. P., and William Blakehorn.

**SOLDIERS RETURNING**

Two Victorians Among Party Bound for British Columbia Points.

Among a party of men which left Quebec for British Columbia points yesterday are Pte. A. Harris, of 1268 Montrose avenue, and Pte. H. Kenny, of 1911 Oak Bay avenue.

The other men from British Columbia are Ptes. H. A. Adkinson, T. Harnett, D. Beath, McGee, Green, Marshall and Cannon, of Vancouver; Pte. J. Anderson, of Lumby; Pte. W. Lane, of New Westminster.

It is expected that the party will arrive in Victoria on Saturday and they will report at the Esquimalt Military hospital.

## METCHOSIN PEOPLE

### WELCOME A. W. McCURDY

### Crowds Gather to Listen to Speeches of Candidate and Others

The Metchoshin hall was crowded to the doors last night by enthusiastic supporters of the candidature of A. W. McCurdy. There were not seats for all, but those who had to stand remained and listened and applauded the speakers, eager to show that they were out to support a change of government. Henry Helgesen presided and the speakers were F. J. Stacpool, K. C., Whitney Griffiths and A. W. McCurdy, candidate for the riding. All were in good form and Mr. Stacpool made a splendid arraignment of the government which was applauded to the echo. Mr. McCurdy said that he had met most of the people in the community and had talked over their affairs with them. They were all constituent parts of a vast civilization. What they needed was to link up the individuals into a power of greater advantage. They wanted the benefits of modern civilization, such as modern methods of irrigation and domestic water supply, light and electric power. They must have the way for greater prosperity. In order to get this they must have representatives who would speak for the community and who would go to the people from time to time to get their ideas in regard to local matters.

The government deserved credit for the good roads which obtained in some parts of the community, but they had cost an immense lot of money. The taxes should be spent in general development. In each district they had their own particular problems and these must be taken up and thrashed out from the point of view of those interested. For instance, the people of San Juan valley wanted communication, the Jordan River people wanted their trunk road improved to that they could drive over it without danger, the lumber interests were important in some places, the farming interests in others, and the industrial interests in the third.

Mr. McCurdy then suggested that if they were not satisfied with the present condition of affairs they should cast their vote for him and he would, if returned, come to them after the session and discuss affairs and in that way try to represent the whole community.

Mr. Stacpool answered the charge that the opposition had no platform by asserting that they had a good platform, every plank of which was sound and without a knothole anywhere. One of the principal planks of their platform was economy. To Bowser and his supporters economy was a mistake. Extravagance was the word they understood better.

To illustrate the extravagance of the government, he dealt with the matter of salaries. These had grown from \$255,450 when the government came into power until it now reached the total of \$1,500,000. This was not all. While salaries had increased seven times, the appropriations for education had increased only four times. There was, too, the miscellaneous list which increased from \$100,000 in 1903 to \$2,000,000 last year. To this immense sum of unclassified expenditure the auditor took exception, but Bowser was an autocrat and refused to make any change.

The whole system of government was founded on patronage, continued the speaker. The huge expenditures were necessary in order to keep up this system. Patronage was based on the lavish expenditures of the people's money.

Delving further into the public accounts, Mr. Stacpool showed that many of the assets which the government claimed to have did not exist. They were trying to deceive themselves as well as the people. To them the chief meaning of finance was expenditure. They had not yet learned to realize that this was a time to practice thrift, yet the government was running deeply in debt and to-day was spending two dollars for every one received. When a manager of a business showed results like that, they did not hesitate to fire him, and that was what Mr. Bowser on Thursday.

In British countries it was the rule that the Commons kept control of the purse strings, for by doing that they kept control of the government. Here the government raised money by what they called special warrants. This was done to find money for the purchase of the Kittilano reserve and for other purposes. It took from the people the right of saying how their money should be spent and was a most dangerous proceeding.

Mr. Stacpool then spoke of the Dominion Trust Company as a child of Premier Bowser. Mr. Bowser had legalized certain banking features which he knew were wrong. He told his caucus that if he had refused to do this it would have meant a split in the party and the defeat of the government with all which that entailed. The result was that the doors of the company were open to illegally receive deposits from the widow and orphan and anyone who had money to put in. Specific instances were given of people who had been ruined by the failure of the concern.

"The Liberals come before you with clean hands," concluded the speaker, "while Mr. Bowser leaves behind him wrecked homes, and ruined lives."

C. Whitney Griffiths expressed the view that any intelligent person who had followed the trend of affairs during the past few years could have come to the same conclusion, and the conclusion would be that something

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Women's Venetian Underskirts, made of heavy weight mercerized saten, in full flared style, with pleated flounce. You can choose from navy, grey, old rose, cinnamon, saxs, petunia, amethyst, emerald and black. Special . . . . . \$1.75

Women's Heavy Weight Black Cashmere Hose. They come full fashioned with extra wide garter top, in all sizes. Special, per pair . . . . . 30¢

## Large Range of Children's Winter Dresses

In materials of serges, deaines and velvet, made in many smart styles. One style is made of plain navy serge with pleated skirt, turndown collar, and long sleeves. A very suitable dress for school wear. Others are made with plain or pleated skirts. Some are trimmed with piping and buttons, others are smartly trimmed with velvet or silk; also a few Middy Suits made of navy serge with turndown collar and cuffs of red; sizes 4 to 14 years. Prices range from \$3.00 to \$12.50

## Showing the New Fall Millinery

The new Hats are exceptionally attractive this Fall; many new shapes are shown, including the new jockey shapes and bandeau effects, daintily trimmed with gold and silver. The favored shades for Fall are burgundy, purple and African brown.

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was wrong. British Columbia was one of the richest provinces of the Dominion, yet it was face to face with bankruptcy. This was entirely the fault of the government. Charges of corruption, incompetence and extravagance had been proved.

In that hall at Mr. Pooley's meeting, he had asked a question and attempted to make a few remarks but had been stopped. The Liberals did things differently. They invited questions and would give any speaker a few minutes to explain his position. He took strong exception to the payments made to J. F. Shaw, who received \$1,000 a year for seasonal allowance, \$30 a day for sitting on the Indian commission, and \$10 a day for living allowance. This was illegal and improper. Mr. Bowser had to put through a special act to make it legal. Mr. Helgesen drew attention to the increased indebtedness and the increased taxes. If they wished to continue this state of affairs the best thing to do would be to vote for Mr. Bowser, but if they wanted a change Mr. Brewster would make it for them. He thanked everyone for their attention and their splendid reception of the candidates.

Songs and dances were included in the programme, and after the National Anthem had been sung refreshments were served by the ladies of the district and dancing was kept up until a late hour.

Phoenix Stout, 2 qts. for 25c.

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H. C. Brewster Provincial Leader John Hart George Bell Henry C. Hall

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W. W. NORTHCOTT,  
Superintendent of Public Works,  
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 11, 1916.

**UTILIZE TIMES WANT ADS**

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## AUCTION SALE OF Cargo of Schooner Oregon

Under and by virtue of a Commission dated September 11, 1916, and to me directed by the Honorable Mr. Justice Martin, I will offer for sale at Public Auction on Wednesday, September 27, at Pier No. 2, Outer Wharf, Victoria, commencing at 10.30 a. m., the cargo of the schooner "Oregon," consisting of about 100 tons of Corn, 40 tons of Coffee Beans, 22 tons of Lard, 100 boxes of Biscuits, 2,500 pounds of Leather, unfinished, 800 boxes of Cube Sugar, Iron Bed, 9 pieces of Cloth, about 1,000 Mexican Cigarettes, 12,700 Mexican Cigars, 150 pairs Shoes, Toilet Soap. The goods will be sold in bond and subject to payment, if any, of Customs duties. Terms of sale, cash. Catalogues can be obtained on application at my office, Law Courts, Bastion street, Victoria.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,  
City Clerk,  
City Clerk's Office,  
Victoria, B. C., September 12, 1916.