

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday: Victoria and vicinity—Decreasing westerly winds, generally fair and colder.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal—Lord and Lady Klyp, Princess—Alice in Wonderland, Fantasy—Tandemville, Dominion—The Misleading Widow, Variety—The Girl Who Stayed at Home, Columbia—Told in the Hills, Romano—Elmo the Mighty.

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DISORDER MAY SPREAD OVER GERMANY

Uprisings Started by Enver in Effort to Shake Up India

Baku Dispatch Says Former Turkish Minister Has Launched Revolutions in Turkestan, Afghanistan and Baluchistan

Geneva, Jan. 15.—Enver Pasha, former Turkish Minister of War, who recently was elected King of Kurdistan, has started a Bolshevik revolution in Turkestan, Afghanistan and Baluchistan, according to a telegram from Baku. Enver is said to have many followers and is directing his energies against British prestige in Southern Asia, the ultimate aim being India. Large sums of money, it is reported, have been furnished him by the Moscow Bolshevik Government.

Washington, Jan. 15.—General revival of war in Europe if Poland is unable to withstand the Russian Bolshevik armies is "not improbable," General Bliss, who was a member of the American peace delegation, to-day told the House Ways and Means Committee.

Aid For Poland.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Recommendations that the United States furnish surplus military supplies to Poland to aid it in repelling the westward advance of the Bolsheviks have been made to the State Department by Secretary Baker.

Z. A. LASH SUFFERS PARALYTIC STROKE

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Z. A. Lash, K. C., president of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company and vice-president of the Bank of Commerce, suffered a stroke yesterday and is reported to be in a serious condition.

COMMISSIONER GIVEN SOME ADDITIONAL AID

Robert Matheson, Formerly of City Hall Staff, to Assist Mr. Martyn

Robert Matheson, of this city, formerly engaged in the Treasury Department of the City Hall, has been appointed by an Order-in-Council to the position of Secretary and Investigator to the Provincial Department of Industries.

Mr. Matheson is a returned man and well-known locally. He enlisted overseas in the early part of 1916. After lengthy service with the 47th he transferred to the 102nd Battalion and subsequently he was selected to conduct the N. C. O.'s training class in France.

It will be Mr. Matheson's duty to lend assistance to Commissioner Martyn and generally to conduct inquiries into the numerous applications for loans which are continually reaching the department.

RIVIERA IS SCENE OF DANCING CRAZE

Winter Visitors in Southern France Also Feasting on Luxuries

Nice, France, Jan. 15.—Feasting and dancing are absorbing the attention of Riviera guests this season. The necessities of life are not abundant, and there is an actual shortage of sugar, milk and coal, but pate de foie gras, truffles, grain-fed fowls and lobster abound. Everything that is luxurious and superfluous is plentiful.

In the absence of fuel, visitors are keeping themselves warm by tangoing, fox-trotting and appropriating every other variety of terpsichorean exercise, the Riviera having been transformed into a vast dance which absorbs all energies excepting those reserved for feasting. Meanwhile the cost of living continues to soar.

BUSINESS PROFITS WAR TAX OPPOSED

Montreal, Jan. 15.—In view of a prevailing impression that there is a possibility of the revival of the business profits war tax, the legislation providing for which expired December 31, the Montreal Board of Trade yesterday expressed its unanimous opposition to a continuation of this tax, claiming that its purpose has ceased to exist, and that it operated against the development of the country.

GERMANS FLOCK HOME FROM SWITZERLAND

Geneva, Jan. 15.—An enormous exodus of German subjects from Switzerland to their former homes, most of them deserters from the German army during the war, is noticeable here following the recent enactment of the amnesty law in Germany.

Swiss newspapers express satisfaction at the departure of the Germans and are calling on the Government to expel some of the notorious German spies who still are said to remain at Lugano.

Lord Mayor of Cork Knocked Down and Injured by Gang

Cork, Ireland, Jan. 15.—W. F. O'Connor, the Lord Mayor of Cork, was attacked by a party of men while returning last night from a meeting of demobilized soldiers. The Mayor was knocked down and assaulted. A couple of former soldiers rescued him from his assailants.

Jugo-Slavs Divided on Adriatic Settlement Plan

Paris, Jan. 15.—Just at the time when the Italians seemed likely to agree to the acceptance of a solution of the Fiume question which had been approved by Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau, a division has been created among the Jugo-Slavs regarding the problems involved.

According to the best information obtainable, the Slovene element of the new Slav kingdom is stoutly opposed to a compromise by which Italy would give up some of the territory apportioned her on the Dalmatian coast in exchange for full sovereignty over Fiume, with a strip of land connecting that city with the province of Istria to the west.

Other elements favored accepting the compromise, but because of the impossibility of reaching an agreement, the Jugo-Slav delegation has been obliged to reject the proposal.

Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau thereupon issued a joint statement demanding that the Government at Belgrade decide without delay upon what it wanted to do and give a categorical answer of "yes" or "no" to the Italian compromise.

It is impossible to ascertain here whether President Wilson has been consulted regarding the proposed Fiume settlement, which appears to be in absolute contradiction to the President's firm stand. Neither have absolute satisfactory assurances been given that a compromise will approve the compromise.

CIVIC ELECTION IS PROCEEDING TO-DAY

Voting Rather Slow This Morning; Bridge By-law Feature of Poll

Balloting in the civic election started this morning and is continuing until seven o'clock. Up to noon to-day the voting was rather slow, and it is expected that a large proportion of those on the voters' list will not exercise the franchise. There are nearly 10,000 registered voters, many of whom are non-resident.

Owing to the large number of matters involving it may be Saturday before final word on some is announced. The first count, however, will be made to-night as usual.

There was absolute lack of confusion at the polling booths this morning, and under the experienced direction of Returning Officer W. V. Northcott the arrangements made allowed the voters to cast their ballots with a minimum of delay. On entering the Market Building they cast their ballots on the two by-laws, proceeded to the aldermanic booths, then voted for Trustees, and Police Commissioner, concluding by casting their ballots on the two referenda.

As they left the building they were asked to sign a petition urging the establishment of athletic facilities at the rear of the Empress Hotel.

Candidates There. Practically all the candidates for municipal office were present around the polling station, a particularly active campaign being waged for the ladies in the contest. Most of the present aldermen confined themselves to urging support for the Bridge By-law. Alderman Sangster remaining "on the job" in support of the measure for hours on end. Mayor Porter also was present to help the measure.

Some of the members of the Rotary Club were doing their best to secure the passage of the Golf By-law. Most of the supporters of both these by-laws expressed a confidence that they would carry. "I think now that the Bridge By-law is safe," the Mayor remarked.

CAPT. MORAHT, WHO COMMANDED U BOAT, COMMITS SUICIDE

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Captain Morahit, commander of the German submarine which sank the French battleship Danion and other vessels, died yesterday in a hospital at Hamburg after having taken poison, according to a dispatch to The Lokal Anzeiger.

League of Nations Will Begin Career To-morrow

Paris, Jan. 15.—The League of Nations will come into being at 10 a. m. to-morrow at a public ceremony in the Clock Room of the French Foreign Office. Leon Bourgeois, the French representative, will preside and make the opening address. Earl Curzon, British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, also will speak, Hugh C. Wallace, American Ambassador to France, and American representative at the Peace Conference, will not attend.

Besides M. Bourgeois and Earl Curzon, the meeting will be attended by Vittorio Scialoja, Italian Foreign Minister; M. Venizelos, Premier of Greece; Paul Hymans, Belgian Foreign Minister; Count Quiñones de Leon, Spanish Ambassador to France; Viscount Chinda, Japanese Ambassador to Great Britain; Dr. Alfonso Costa, Portuguese peace delegate, and Dr. Gaston de Cunha, Brazilian Ambassador to France.

SEDITION, STATES CHIEF JUSTICE

Manitoba Appeal Court Will Deliver Judgment on Russell Appeal

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—R. B. Russell was unanimously nominated by the local lodge of the Socialist Party of Canada for Winnipeg at the next provincial election. No other candidates entered the field against the convicted labor leader.

Judge Speaks Plainly. Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—Characterizing the action of R. B. Russell, convicted strike leader, which resulted in his prosecution and conviction, Chief Justice Proulx, of the Manitoba Court of Appeal said to-day:

"There is no doubt but that it was rank sedition. It was an endeavor to bring about the displacement of the Government and the establishment of a Soviet Government in Canada and to link it up with the present Soviet Government in Russia.

Jury Was Right. "It was the intention to do away with all monarchies, our own included. This stuff (referring to the propaganda put in as evidence against Russell) was printed in Canada, and there is no doubt that the jury was right in finding him guilty whether he escaped on a technicality or not."

This statement was made by the Chief Justice following the conclusion of the Crown Counsel's argument in the Appeal Court to-day. Robert Cassidy, K. C., had commenced to make a final rebuttal argument for the defence. His first remarks were immediately challenged. He then dealt with the documents and the Chief Justice made the above remarks. Mr. Cassidy then (Concluded on page 4.)

JUDGMENT AFFECTS OTTAWA CABINET

Contracts Must Have Ratification of Full Cabinet, Says Court

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—That a Cabinet Minister has no legal right to enter into contract on behalf of the Government unless clothed with statutory powers is the effect of a judgment handed down in the Exchequer Court yesterday by Chief Justice Casals. The judgment was rendered in connection with the case of Livingston versus the Crown.

In 1911 Sir Frederick Borden, then Minister of Militia, entered into a contract with a Kingston firm to provide uniforms for the cadets at the Royal Military College. The contract was not ratified by the rest of the Cabinet. Shortly afterward, a change of Government having taken place, the contract was cancelled by the new Minister. The company thereupon sued the Government for damages, but, as already stated, the opinion has been given that as the contract was entered into by Sir Frederick Borden and not ratified by the rest of the Cabinet, it had no binding effect upon the Government.

AIRCRAFT AND SEALS

Halifax, Jan. 15 (Canadian Press)—Major K. Clayton Kennedy, of the Aircraft Manufacturing Company of London, has returned from Newfoundland, where he has inaugurated the first airship service in connection with the seal fisheries.

BOLSHEVIKI CLAIM THEY HOLD ROSTOV

Say They Took 10,000 Prisoners in Town on Don River

London, Jan. 15.—Bolshevik troops have captured Rostov-on-Don, according to a Bolshevik wireless dispatch from Moscow. Ten thousand prisoners, thirty-two guns, nine tanks and an enormous amount of baggage were taken, the statement says.

Expect Chinese Bolsheviks Will Aid Them in Eastern Siberia

London, Jan. 15.—Russian Bolshevik forces which have reached Rostov station, almost 400 miles east of Taiga, will be aided by Chinese Bolsheviks, according to a Moscow Bolshevik dispatch, quoting advices from Chelabinsk. It is said the Chinese will operate in the coastal region.

The Bolsheviks expect soon to encounter Japanese forces sent to Eastern Siberia and a Moscow dispatch says the Soviet forces will not undertake any aggressive action calculated to provoke a collision.

It says, however, that the menace of the Japanese and of the Entente in the Far East will compel the Soviet authorities to devote a great part of its forces to military purposes.

While Polish and Lithuanian forces have driven ahead along the north-west front, they received the Bolsheviks to retire at a number of places, their offensive is said by Moscow to be "merely local."

Street fighting started in Rostov-on-Don January 9 and lasted the whole day. The Soviet communication continues. "The town was cleared on January 10 and the enemy driven back beyond Bataisk Gzlo and Akshaisk. A revolutionary committee has been formed at Rostov."

BLOOD-GIVERS STRIKE A FAILURE

Blood For Transfusion Still \$40 a Pint in New York

New York, Jan. 15.—Men who sell their blood for transfusion operations struck for more money yesterday at the Flower Hospital. They demanded \$45 for a pint of blood, \$30 more than they received two weeks ago, since which time the price had increased to \$40.

Student nurses responded as strike breakers. Ten minutes after the strike started one nurse was on the operating table as a surgeon performed a transfusion operation and the hospital received a pint of blood free. Two hours later the nurse was attending a clinic.

The strike was broken. Professional blood donors were on the job to-day at the old wage.

Government's Offer Accepted by British Railwaymen's Agents

London, Jan. 15.—Delegates of the railwaymen's union has accepted the Government's offer in settlement of the wage demands made by the employees in the lower grades of the service.

MOTHER OF LATE LIEUT.-COL. J. MCCRAE DIES IN ONTARIO

Guelph, Ont., Jan. 15.—Mrs. David McCrae, mother of the late Lieut.-Colonel J. McCrae, author of "In Flanders Fields," died suddenly yesterday at her home here. She was a native of Scotland.

BIG PRICES FOR PURE-BRED HOGS

Noblesville, Ind., Jan. 15.—Chief of the American Pure-Bred Hog Association brought \$35,000 at a sale here this week. The hog was purchased by an Iowa State Breeder's Association.

A sow brought \$5,000. Forty head brought a total of \$64,000.

VOTE WAS TIE

Washington, Jan. 15.—Democratic Senators in caucus to-day failed to elect a leader. A deadlock on the vote developed between Senators Hitchcock of Nebraska and Underwood of Alabama, and the caucus adjourned subject to the call of the two candidates.

Non-Bolsheviki in Russia Will Live in Greater Security

London, Jan. 15.—Virtual abolition of the death penalty against non-Bolsheviks in Soviet Russia is announced in a wireless dispatch from Moscow, to-day.

Premiers Consider Demand for Handing Over of Ex-Kaiser

Paris, Jan. 15.—(Havas)—Premiers Clemenceau, Lloyd George and Nitti to-day will examine the text of the demand to be made upon Holland for the extradition of Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, according to The Matin.

The Premier will also inspect the list of German officers whose surrender will be demanded from the Berlin Government. This list is said to comprise approximately 600 names.

SUGGESTS MEN GIVE UP SMOKING

Bishop Reeve, Toronto, Says Women Need a Powerful Example

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Bishop Reeve told an audience of 500 returned soldiers in the Parish Hall of St. Anne's Church here last night that the men of Canada might well give up smoking as an example to the women of the country.

"If I have nothing to say against smoking," the Bishop said, "but what is going to become of this country when the women are beginning to smoke, as they are doing now, and when they dress as they are beginning to do now at dances? You will have to give up smoking because you do not want your girls smoking and your wives smoking. The men will have to give up smoking in self-defence to set an example to the women."

The majority of the men present were smoking at the time the Bishop was addressing them. They listened to him in respectful silence.

Bishop Reeve is assistant Bishop of the Anglican Diocese of Toronto.

GERMANS DENY AGREEMENT WITH SOVIET RUSSIA

Berlin, Jan. 15.—(By Wireless to London.)—Official denial was made to-day of reports that Germany had concluded an agreement with Soviet Russia.

PAPER ORDER LEADS TO \$1,000,000 SUIT AGAINST MINISTERS

Port Frances, Ont., Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press.)—An action for \$1,000,000 is being taken against the Minister of Trade and Commerce and other members of the Cabinet for stopping exportation of paper from the Port Frances Pulp & Paper Company, it was stated by the solicitor for the company this morning. The action is not being taken by the company itself, but by The Chicago Examiner and The Minneapolis Tribune, with whom the company has contracts to supply newspaper, and which fear that the embargo will cause suspension of publication.

STORM IN NEW YORK

Syracuse, N.Y., Jan. 15.—Traffic in central and northern New York has been impeded by the most severe blizzard of the winter. In the north roads were blocked by drifts.

Trouble in Germany May Spread and May Even Reach Vienna

Fear Expressed in Diplomatic Dispatches From Berlin—City Was Quiet Yesterday—Manifesto Issued by the Communists

Berlin, Jan. 15.—A Communist manifesto issued to-day urges immediate election of revolutionary employees' councils in all industrial establishments.

Geneva, Jan. 15.—(Havas)—Recent events in Berlin are said to be only the prelude to others of more importance which the Independent Socialists intend to provoke on the occasion of the anniversary of the death of Karl Liebknecht, January 16, according to German advices.

London, Jan. 15.—Fears are expressed in diplomatic dispatches received here that the Berlin embroglio may spread throughout Germany, and even to Vienna, through the agency of the Communists, this element using the recent Berlin disorders to inflame the masses by representing those killed as martyrs to the cause of the people. Thus far no disorders are reported outside of Berlin.

The advices, in analyzing the upheaval in Berlin, point to its original cause as the dissatisfaction of the Independent Socialists over the failure of the Government to provide a method for the establishment of the workmen's councils called for by the constitution, but give the immediate cause as indignation at the attitude of the Government towards the strikers. This resulted in the organization of the great demonstration in front of the Reichstag building.

Agents Busy. The violence that followed, however, is declared to have been due to Communist agents who took advantage of the assemblage and, rioting on mob psychology, started the work which resulted so disastrously.

German troops were marched on Tuesday to Leipzig, where they occupied the squares and public buildings, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company to-day. Machine guns were placed in commanding positions.

City Quiet. London, Jan. 15.—Berlin was completely quiet Wednesday, according to a wireless dispatch from the German capital. The large factories were working normally; the railway and tram services were not interrupted.

Strong indignation is expressed in every branch of industry at the unscrupulousness of the Independent Socialists, the dispatch adds, because the leaders hid behind machine guns while the masses were driven forward to face the guns.

It is announced that the Berlin Government will not permit demonstrations on the occasion of the burial of victims of Tuesday's rioting.

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Text of Treaty Handed to Delegates of Hungary

Paris, Jan. 15.—Conditions of peace will be handed late to-day to the Hungarian delegation by Premiers Clemenceau, Lloyd George and Nitti. Hugh C. Wallace, American Ambassador to France, and Baron Matsui, Japanese Ambassador, also will be present.

The Hungarian representatives to-day submitted to Paul Dutasta, General Secretary of the Peace Conference, documents supporting claims for the maintenance of Hungary's old boundary lines.

A summary of the terms of peace presented to Hungary will be made public to-night.

Paris, Jan. 15.—The terms of peace for Hungary, as handed to the Hungarian delegation here this afternoon, give fifteen days for the Hungarians to present their reply.

SEEDS TO ALLIES

States Helps With Reforestation of France, Belgium and Britain

Boston, Jan. 15.—Thirty-five million tree seeds were formally presented to the Governments of France, Belgium and Great Britain by the American Forestry Association here to-day. They were accepted by the consuls of the three countries and will be used in reforesting the devastated areas of Belgium and France and the woodlands cleared in the British Isles for war purposes.

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PRESENT DUTY IS TO WORK AND SAVE
President of Bank of Toronto Says Canada Has Bright Future

Toronto, Jan. 15.—"There is no country that can look forward with greater hope and confidence than Canada," said William G. Gooderham, president of the Bank of Toronto, at the annual meeting of the bank here yesterday.
President Gooderham said the Government and people must work hard and save. Referring to Canada's large national debt, he said: "No new indebtedness should be incurred excepting such as will have the direct effect of increasing production, or for such enterprises as will return sufficient revenue fully to justify the expenditure."
The old board of directors was re-elected.

EX-SOLDIERS BROUGHT FROM UNITED KINGDOM
Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 15.—Questioned as to a report that provision was being made for bringing back to Canada some 3,000 Canadians who took their discharge in the United Kingdom and are now in straitened circumstances, Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and who is also acting Minister of Militia, stated last evening that no such wholesale action was being taken.
Members of the C. E. F. who were discharged in England, he said, had entered into an undertaking that there was to be no further provision for their repatriation, but it was now found that many of them were in serious circumstances.
Each individual case was being considered on its own merits, but where it was thought that a man would be better repatriated, he was being brought to Canada.
The Minister could make no estimate as to the number who would be brought across in this manner.

MILNER MISSION IS OPPOSED IN EGYPT
Cairo, Jan. 14.—Via London, Jan. 15.—Opposition to the Milner Commission, now in Egypt in an attempt at conciliation, is giving indications of growth, due chiefly, it is said, by some close observers of developments, to the influence of Said Zagloul Pasha, the Minister of Justice.
The Nationalists have forwarded a communique to Viscount Milner, declaring that his proclamation issued recently can not be regarded as a basis of negotiation, while the vernacular press has swung in a hostile direction.

Cairo is in semi-darkness owing to the men employed in the gas service striking, on account, they declare, of the transfer of an old employee from one department to another.

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NO QUICK DROP IN COST OF LIVING
Years Before Prices Will Fall, Says Professor of Cornell

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—Persons who look for an immediate drop in the cost of living are doomed to disappointment, according to Professor G. F. Warren, of Cornell University, one of the speakers at yesterday's convention of the Manitoba Rural Credit Societies here.
The chief consolation Professor Warren could give an expectant world was this:
"Although the pre-war level may never be reached, it seems probable that a very considerable drop in prices will take place—five to fifteen years."
High prices Professor Warren attributed not to the peace treaty, as he said some Americans were prone to believe, and not to profiteering and increased wages, but to inflated values, due to war conditions and the world shortage of goods.

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ONE OF SEMENOFF'S TRAINS TAKEN BY AMERICAN TROOPS
London, Jan. 15.—Two Americans were killed and three wounded in a clash with an armed train of General Semenoff, Commander-in-chief of the All-Russian army, between Lake Balka and Vorkhneudnik, in the Province of Trans-Balkala, according to the correspondent of The Daily Mail at Harbin. The Americans were reported to have captured the train.
Other clashes are reported between the Czecho-Slovaks and Semenoff's troops.
A Moscow Bolshevik wireless dispatch says the majority of the Cosacks in the Amur region, and also the Buriats and the Kirghizes of the Trans-Baikal region, have revolted against the massacres of General Semenoff and repudiated his representatives.
TO STAND TRIAL.
Vancouver, Jan. 15.—When I. I. Rubinowitch, conducting the private prosecution of A. Durasoff and Barney Roth, one of the accused, had concluded the submission of evidence against the accused, Magistrate Shaw unexpectedly decided to go no further, stating that he would commit the two men for trial in a higher court on Monday morning next.
The two accused secured evidence which fourteen Russians were held for deportation, and subsequently three of the Russians laid charges of perjury against them. Magistrate Shaw remarked that the case had turned out to be one of public importance. It has been proceeding for some months, having been frequently adjourned.
REDUCE FIRE LOSS.
Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—Winnipeg's general strike last summer was directly responsible for a reduction of \$1,500,000 in fire losses, says Charles Heath, Provincial Fire Commissioner, in his 1919 annual report.
People learned to be more careful when the regular fire brigade was not on the job, he says. Winnipeg's loss was \$606,472, the lowest yearly fire loss in a decade.

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LIQUOR IN STATES WILL BE GUARDED
2,500 Watchmen to Keep Eye on 69,000,000 Gallons of Firewater

Washington, Jan. 15.—Employment of a force of 2,500 watchmen to guard 69,000,000 gallons of liquor in Government bonded warehouses is planned by the Internal Revenue Bureau to protect the liquor against theft. The prohibition Commissioner Kremer yesterday told the House Appropriations Committee. He asked that Congress make \$2,000,000 available for establishing the guards.
Plans for the final disposition of the liquor has not been determined by the Bureau, Mr. Kremer told the Committee, adding that the permissive withdrawals after constitutional prohibition becomes effective would be so few as not to pay the expense of maintaining the guard.
Congress, he suggested, might be asked to solve the problem of disposing of the liquor and committeemen suggested its concentration in a few places. Such a plan of concentration, Mr. Kremer said, was being considered by the Bureau officials.
Seventy-five thefts had been reported from the warehouses in the last few months, despite iron doors and bars, the Commissioner said.
Distillers who own the liquor were said by the Commissioner to be opposing the Bureau for an increased guard because they are compelled under their bond to pay \$6.40 a gallon for withdrawals, and thefts come within this provision.
Commissioner Kremer, in telling the committee of plans for action later in the week, when the constitutional prohibition amendment becomes effective, said 1,400 agents for enforcing the law had been organized.
Most of the force, it was said, would be centred in the East, officials expecting to need fewer men in the western prohibition states.
A Conference.
Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 15.—The fate of millions of dollars' worth of whiskey, it is expected, will be decided by the outcome of a meeting to be undertaken by a committee of distillers named yesterday to confer with Government officials.
The purpose of the committee was explained as follows:
Relief for holders of floor stocks which were tax paid at the rate of \$6.40 a gallon, and which hold no other value, is forbidden to sell.
Freedom from the bonds they are under to the Government and permission to sell their plants or convert them to other uses.
Plot Foiled.
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 15.—Railroad detectives surprised robbers attempting to break into a freight car containing 1,600 cases of whiskey, estimated to be worth \$216,000, on route to Winnipeg from St. Louis, yesterday, and Jack Burke, a local prizefighter, was shot and killed by a policeman.
Harry Rabinowitch, of Winnipeg, said by Federal authorities to have purchased the liquor in St. Louis, and plotted to have the car robbed here while on its way to Canada, where the whiskey would be sold for prices higher than are being paid in Canada, was arraigned before a Federal commissioner yesterday. He pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiracy to rob the car and was remanded to jail, being unable to furnish \$25,000 bail.

\$300,000 FIRE IN CITY OF OTTAWA
Ottawa, Jan. 15.—Three hundred thousand dollars' loss was the total damage in a fire which destroyed a business block on Sussex Street here yesterday. The National Storage & Packing Company, furniture, pianos, and rugs, sustained a loss of from \$150,000 to \$200,000. Insurance figures were not stated.

If Thin and Nervous Try Bitro-Phosphate
While excessive thinness might be attributed to various and subtle causes, it is a well-known fact that the lack of phosphorus in the human system is very largely responsible for this condition.
It seems to be well established that this deficiency in phosphorus may now be met by the Bitro-Phosphate, a drug which can be obtained from any good druggist in convenient tablet form.
In many instances the assimilation of this phosphate by the nerve tissue soon produces a welcome change—nervousness, depression, and weakness replace weakness and lack of energy and the whole body loses its ugly hollows and abrupt angles, becoming enveloped in a glow of perfect health and beauty and the will and strength to be up and doing.

RADIUM ORE IS FOUND IN ONTARIO
Parry Sound, Ont., Jan. 15.—A report is current here that pitchblende ore strongly impregnated with radium has been found near Kearney, seven miles east of Rice's Junction, on the Parry Sound-Ottawa division of the Grand Trunk Railway. The ore is said to have been tested by a New York expert, and is stated to be as powerful as a number of photographic plates in his studio were spoiled by being left in close proximity to specimens of the rock.
EXPENDITURE URGED.
Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—A resolution urging the Federal Government to set aside an appropriation of \$200,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out a reconstruction policy and for the re-establishment of returned soldiers under the Great War Veterans' Association re-establishment plan was adopted by the Manitoba committee of the Great War Veterans' Association yesterday.
The scheme suggested in the resolution includes a comprehensive system of development of the natural resources of the Dominion.
The New England Restaurant will reopen January 15.

"ALL THEY SAY OF IT IS TRUE," STATES THIS WAR VETERAN

Winner of Two War Medals Relates Interesting Experience With Tanlac

The best evidence of the merits of a medicine is what people who have actually taken it have to say about it. This is true and beyond all question when such statements are made by people of high character and published right in the community where each and every fact can be investigated and verified.
Among the many well-known Quebec people who have testified to the powers of Tanlac is Louis Trudelle of 55 1/2 Lallemand Street, City of Quebec. Mr. Trudelle spent four years and six months in overseas service and in many of the great battles in which the Canadians were active. He was also in the army of occupation after the Armistice was signed and has both a general service and Allied medal.
While discussing Tanlac, which has been so beneficial to him, Mr. Trudelle said:
"Since Tanlac has been of such benefit to me I have recommended it personally to many people and am glad of this opportunity to recommend it on a larger scale by giving a statement to be published in the papers. My stomach had been in such a bad condition for two years that I could not eat anything without suffering terribly from indigestion. My food seemed like lead in my stomach and the gas from it was causing me heart palpitation, shortness of breath and other distressing feelings. I often had dizzy spells and my sleep was so troubled an account of bad digestion that I could not get sufficient rest. I had lost all over my body. My legs, especially, pained me so that it was difficult for me to climb the stairs. In fact, I had lost all energy and always had that weak, worn-out feeling."
After reading how others said Tanlac had helped them I concluded to see what it would do in my case and I am now convinced that all I have read and heard about it is true, for I am already feeling like a new man and have just finished my third bottle. My digestion seems to be perfect for nothing I eat, and that takes in most anything I wish to eat. I am never troubled any more at night or any other time, with gas forming on my stomach, palpitation or shortness of breath, and my sleep is good and sound. My rheumatic pains have entirely disappeared and I am now able to climb the stairs without becoming the least tired. I used to have violent headaches, but these, like the rest of my troubles, have left me. My strength and energy has returned and I have been built up until I am much more fit for my work. Tanlac is certainly a wonderful medicine to accomplish so much in so short a time and I cannot praise it too highly."
Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas—Advt.

YOUTH TO BE HANGED; BOY SENT TO JAIL FOR LIFE
Everett, Wash., Jan. 15.—Imprisonment for life was the sentence meted out last night to Joseph Morton, fifteen-year-old Starwood, Wash., boy, by a jury which found him guilty of a charge of murder in connection with the shooting of Lee Linton, an Everett taxicab driver, November 19 last. Morton, a white, aged nineteen, Morton's companion, who it was alleged, actually shot Linton, was found guilty of the charge last week and sentenced to be hanged.
The jury in the Morton case was out nearly nine hours.

T. MOORE, NANAIMO, DIES OF INJURIES
Nanaimo, Jan. 15.—Tom Moore, a resident of Nanaimo for thirty years, died in the Nanaimo Hospital yesterday from injuries received same day in No. One Mine, Canadian Western Fuel Company, when he was crushed between a runaway car and a solid coal. Deceased was fifty-six years of age, and is survived by a widow.
TO BE INDEPENDENT.
Paris, Jan. 15.—The Supreme Council, says The Temps, has decided to recognize the independence of Armenia, Georgia and Azerbaijan.

Cheaper Than Lard
Mrs. Hall first tried Pacific Milk Butter for baking. She discovered it is cheaper than lard and makes much nicer cakes.
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The Theatres

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal Victoria—Tom Moore in "Lord and Lady Algy."
 Pantages—Vaudeville.
 Princess—"Alice in Wonderland."
 Dominion—Billie Burke in "The Misleading Widow."
 Variety—Robert Harrison in "The Girl Who Stayed at Home."
 Columbia—Robert Warwick in "Told in the Hills."
 Romano—Elmo Lincoln and Grace Cunard in "Elmo the Mighty."

DOMINION

One of the questions screen lovers will ask themselves when they view charming Billie Burke in her latest Paramount-Artcraft picture, "The Misleading Widow," at the Dominion Theatre this week, is: "Where did they find such a wonderful little home to 'shoot' the scenes in?" For the artistic room that set off the rare beauty of Miss Burke, as Mrs. Betty Taradine, so well were obviously not "set up" in a studio. The interiors for "The Misleading Widow" were taken in one of the most beautiful houses in Glen Cove, Long Island, and never was the dainty grace of Billie Burke given a more delightful setting. No wonder the picture is such a captivating little romance of love and wounded officers and a "dead" husband who refused to die and ended up by falling in love with his wife!

ROYAL VICTORIA

With the enforcement of bills prohibiting horse racing in many states in the Union, the fascinating sport has already become history in many regions of the country. But through the medium of such pictures as Tom Moore's latest Goldwyn production, "Lord and Lady Algy," which may be seen at the Royal Victoria for the last time to-night, the thrills which once stirred the thousands of visitors to the tracks have been preserved on the screen. In this story, a famous horse race has been faithfully filmed. The scenes in the paddock before the English Derby is run, the prancing horses parading to the starting post, the fall of the flag, the start, the race itself with the varying positions of different horses, the changing leadership, and finally the thrilling head to head finish have all been caught by the camera, and like the voices of our famous opera and concert singers they have been preserved. Some twenty years from now, when horse racing will be but a word to the children of to-day in those localities where it has been banned, "Lord and Lady Algy" will have more than mere picture value—it will bring history to the screen.

PRINCESS

Never has a play proved so instantaneous a success as "Alice in Wonderland," at the Princess Theatre. Judging by the famous booking, which is perhaps heavier than at any previous play produced by the popular Princess Dramatic Society, every night of this week will witness capacity houses.

The reason for this is not far to seek. The theatre-going public can be depended on for knowing a good thing when it sees it, and "Alice" is packed with good things which were appreciated by the hundreds that saw it on Saturday in no unmistakable fashion. The singing of Miss Eva Hart, Corp. Maris Hale and Messrs. Bobby McKensie, F. H. Ailwood, A. M. D. Fairbairn, and the others in the cast, not forgetting the magnificent blending of the chorus of picked artists; the dancing, the costumes, scenery and properties—all are perfect, and taken in conjunction with Mr. Hincks' clever adaptation and stage-management of Carroll's famous story, the success of the play was a foregone conclusion which has been confirmed in no uncertain manner.

COLUMBIA

The modern doughboy has an excellent opportunity to see how his predecessors of '98 fought in "Told in the Hills," Robert Warwick's new Paramount-Artcraft picture, which will be seen at the Columbia Theatre all this week. A feature of the picture is a thrilling battle on the edge of a deep canyon, between a blue-clad cavalry troop and a band of Indians. The troop is trapped in the canyon and about to be annihilated when they are saved in a novel manner by "Genesee" Jack Stuart, the character played by Major Warwick. "The Midnight Man" featuring Gentleman Jim J. Corbett in the double bill at the Columbia all this week.

(See also Page 11.)

Dance and Military Five Hundred every Friday night during January in K. of P. Hall, North Park Street. Masques, combined Idages Sons and Daughters of England, Dance 50c, military five hundred 25c. Commencing 8.30 sharp. Light refreshments extra.

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PUBLIC HEALTH.

Fully three years before the war Great Britain began to realize the value of the human asset and the national insurance plan came into being.

What is true of Great Britain is true of all other countries where the care of the weak and the suffering must rely upon public subscription, the charity dole, and the tag day.

To the credit of the Province, however, there are tangible signs that British Columbia at least is alive to the need of drastic social legislation.

Unquestionably very careful procedure would be demanded in such a drastic measure as state health insurance. It may be that a scattered population would not lend itself to a logical application of the process employed in Great Britain.

Every hospital in this Province could be converted into an institution capable of discharging its proper function within twelve months were a system of direct levy upon the people as a whole to be instituted.

STOP THE SUPER-CHARGE.

An Ottawa dispatch on Tuesday reported that the Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Railway Commission, had ordered the Michigan Central Railway to accept at par Canadian money on sleepers and diners on those parts of the system which traverse Canada.

Mr. Carvell's order was very much to the point. It is impossible, however, to restrain a feeling of admiration for the sublime nerve of the

railway company in penalizing Canadian money offered for services on Canadian soil. Nevertheless, we trust the Railway Commission will see to it that the order of the chairman is observed both in spirit and letter; that is to say, that the railway company's rates will not be juggled in such a way as to impose a penalty upon Canadian money in other forms.

Incidentally, we are informed that more concerns than the Michigan Central Railway Company are putting a penalty upon Canadian money on business transactions in Canada.

The Dominion Government or the Board of Commerce should put a prompt quietus on this practice. These transactions are purely domestic, not international, and it should be within the power of the Canadian authorities to give Canadian consumers all the protection necessary in regard to them, at the same time enforcing a proper conception of the legal value of Canadian money in Canada.

RED INCONSTANCY.

Victor L. Berger, the member of Congress for Wisconsin, who was expelled from the House as an enemy of the state and who has been sentenced to a term of twenty years for sedition, has been vociferously invoking the American constitution in defending his attitude and claiming immunity from punishment.

This prompts The New York Times to remark on the disposition shown by the alien Reds in the United States, when they get into trouble, to hide behind the constitution, the very same constitution they declare is no good and should be overthrown.

Reds on the Canadian side show the same eccentricity. They damn the constitution with purple rhetoric from the platform and in their literature, but immediately their destructive zeal gets them into difficulties they call it the "sacred palladium of their rights and liberties" and other nice things.

LITTLE SYMPATHY WANTED.

It is easy to understand that there are a number of considerations to be taken into account before any wholesale plan is inaugurated for the repatriation of those members of the C. E. F. who took their discharge in London and now find themselves in difficult circumstances.

THAT EMERGENCY FUND.

One of the cases dealt with by the Vancouver branch of the Soldiers Civil Re-establishment Department and the Canadian Patriotic Fund under the provisions of the forty million dollar emergency grant is that of a post office employee—a married man with five children—to whom the Dominion Government pays the princely salary of ninety dollars per month.

HORSE PILOTED

FIRST STEAM TRAIN

But He Blocked Progress, and Stephenson Ordered Him Out of Way

Early models of steam locomotives developed in the coal fields of England, grew out of horse-hauled trains run on rails, in which the horses were slipped to the back of the train and jumped on a low flat car when a grade was struck.

This is part of the story of the development of railways given to members of the Victoria branch of the Engineers Institute of Canada at the Provincial Library last night by D. O. Lewis, M. E. I. C., resident engineer of the Canadian National Rail-

ways on Vancouver Island. Last night's lecture was the second part of an exhaustive paper of railway development prepared by Mr. Lewis. The first part was given some time ago.

He traced the improvement of the horse-hauled wagons of the collieries of England and Scotland of 1693 to the first steam locomotive developed by Watt, Cochrane, Murdoch and Stephenson from 1770 to 1823.

When such foresighted builders said they would build locomotives to haul many tons at twelve to fifteen miles an hour, members of Parliament laughed at them, and lead the people of the country in their scepticism of the proposals.

Legislators for a long time restricted the speed of railways to eight and nine miles an hour. When the first official demonstration of a locomotive hauling a train of wagons with passengers was made in 1825, a man on horseback rode ahead with a flag to warn all that the train was coming. Stephenson, who was running the train, became impatient at the slow speed of six miles an hour, and the fellow riding on horse in front of him signalled him out of the way. The train then hit up a speed of

twelve to fifteen miles, while the six hundred persons on board marvelled. The early trains ran on a plate railed track. Some of the early rails were wooden with metal tops and flanges. The early sleepers or ties were of stone.

BODIES OF AMERICANS KILLED IN MEXICO BROUGHT TO STATES

Houston, Tex., Jan. 15.—The oil steamship Trinidadian arrived here early to-day with the bodies of F. J. Roney, of Houston, and Earl Hoiles, of Thorsdale, Tex., Americans killed recently in the Tampico, Mex., oil district.

A member of the crew of the Trinidadian, who asked that his name be withheld as he made frequent trips to Mexico, asserted that investigations made by the consul at Tampico and other Americans established that the men were killed by Mexican Federal soldiers. He asserted that a bullet extracted from Hoiles' foot proved to be a type used only by Federal troops in that district.

TO PUBLISH

MUGGINS' LIFE

Biography to Be Given to the World; Veterinary Holding Port-mortem

The full life of Muggins, the famous Spitz, who died yesterday after having collected \$21,000 for the Red Cross during the years of the war, is to be given to the world.

The biography, the story of his exploits, and the part he played in the war work of this community, has been written. The manuscript will be given to the printer before many days.

The biography has been written by N. de Bertrand Lugin, in collaboration with Muggins' owner, Mrs. G. W. Woodward. The work was completed last fall, covering his career up until that time. It was the intention to have the work published before Christmas and sold for the Red Cross, but this was found to be impossible.

What has happened to Muggins since that time including the details of his death, is now being added to the biography by the authors.

The work will make a large sized book, and will be illustrated with a large variety of photographs illustrating the chief incidents in his career.

Skinned for Post-Mortem. Muggins' body was removed to a taxidermist's and to-day it is being skinned. The skin is to be set up after the pose portrayed in the painting of him by Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton, and set up in the proposed War Memorial when it is constructed here.

After the skin is removed the body is to be handed over to Dr. B. Keown, who will take it to his morgue for a veterinary post-mortem. Dr. Keown has been attending the dog. The day before he died the doctor visited him three times administering palliatives to ease his suffering.

The post-mortem will reveal exactly what was wrong with Muggins. It is known that he died of pneumonia, but veterinary authorities believe him to have been tubercular.

Muggins held seven decorations which were attached to the breast strap of his dress harness. The decorations are: Bar from the United States, medal from the French Red Cross Society, medal from the Great War Veterans of Canada, badge from the men of H. M. S. Lancaster, gold badge from the military branch of the Y. M. C. A., auxiliary workers medal from Great Britain.

Accompanying Mr. Crandall here are F. J. Burd, of The Vancouver Daily Province; John Nelson, of The Vancouver World; R. J. Cromie, of The Vancouver Sun; J. H. Woods, of The Calgary Daily Herald. They met Premier Oliver and members of the Provincial Government to-day and are taking up with local publishers the question of entertainment for the editors.

They were accompanied to see members of the government by B. C. Nicholas, Editor of The Times, and an application was made for a grant in aid of their entertainment, the Dominion and Provincial Governments all co-operating to this end. The Government promised consideration of the request of the editors.

The first was held in England in 1909. Representative editors are to come here from South Africa, India, Australia, New Zealand and almost every British outpost, besides from the Old Country.

The party from England will reach Halifax late in July or early in August. They will be taken to Montreal and Ottawa by train. After the Ottawa meetings the Western party will be started. Three or four days will be spent at Banff, Lake Louise and Field and the same time at Vancouver and Victoria. The party will come West on the Canadian Pacific and return by the Canadian National, visiting Edmonton, Saskatoon and other northern centres.

ARRANGE RESERVATIONS FOR SUNDAY CONCERTS

So popular have become the Sunday night band concerts given at Pantages Theatre that for weeks past many would-be patrons have been turned away owing to lack of accommodation. In response to numerous appeals from patrons reserved seats will be put on hand for these concerts, commencing with next Sunday, and reservations may be made at Fletcher Bros' Music Store, commencing to-morrow. Two hundred and fifty seats only will be reserved, so that application should be made in good time. No charge will be made and the ticket will entitle the holder to a reserved seat until 8:15 on the night of the concert, after which time reservations not taken up will be distributed.

It is hoped that the general public will appreciate this concession on the part of the G. W. V. A. band committee and become regular subscribers to these concerts. Bandmaster Miller is determined to keep up the high standard of the concerts, and some of Victoria's best known artists have volunteered to help overcome the financial difficulties under which the band has been struggling, and to ensure the future of the concerts.

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TARIFF COMMISSION FOR CANADA URGED

Montreal, Jan. 15.—At a meeting yesterday of the Chamber of Commerce a resolution was unanimously carried in favor of a permanent Tariff Commission and a bonus to Canadian steamship lines. The principle of daylight saving also was endorsed without discussion.

TURKISH CHAMBER.

London, Jan. 15.—The Turkish Chamber of Deputies, unable to obtain a quorum at the opening sessions Monday, adjourned sine die, according to a Constantinople dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph.

HOMESTEAD ENTRIES.

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—Alberta leads in homestead entries, with 3,459 for 1919, figures issued here show, Saskatchewan having 1,922 and Manitoba 1,918. The figures, which do not include soldier grant entries, show an increase of 2,867 over 1918.



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Earthquake Toll in Mexico; Popocatepetl May Have Eruption

Mexico City, Jan. 14.—Reports slowly coming in from western sections of the state of Puebla tell of terrible loss of life in that region as a result of the earthquake on January 2. Further east in the state of Vera Cruz the death toll seems to be growing, reports from Coahuila stating that the number of dead there in surrounding villages is more than 3,000.

The lake which inundated the village of Barranca Grande was caused by a mountain-collapsing and damming a river. An exploring party returned to-day from Mount Popocatepetl and reported the crater had been entirely changed, and that huge fissures had appeared. There were perceptible indications of poisonous vapors rising, they said. The last eruption of Popocatepetl occurred in 1892.

SEDITION, STATES CHIEF JUSTICE

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went on to the argument as to the extent to which Russell could claim protection under Section 590 of the Criminal Code. This section is for the protection of trades combinations.

A Conspiracy. Chief Justice Ford, with reference to this point, said: "This can not be called a trade union. It was a revolutionary conspiracy and not a trade union. What it aimed to do was to upset the form of government and form one of its own; to divide up the property and so on. All that can be easily gathered from the propaganda."

Mr. Cassidy interpolated that this was merely Socialistic matter, whereas the other was trades union.

Masquerading. "It was only masquerading as a trade union and was really a revolutionary conspiracy," said the Chief Justice.

Argument on the appeal should be completed this afternoon. The argument for the Crown was finished at the forenoon session. When Mr. Cassidy has concluded his rebuttal argument which he promised would take a very few minutes, the appeal will be finished. It is not expected that the Court of Appeal will announce judgment for some days.

CAPE BRETON LABOR PARTY WANTS SENATE OF CANADA ABOLISHED

Glace Bay, N. S., Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press).—The Independent Labor Party of Cape Breton has a new platform under consideration which contains several new planks. Among these are the abolition of the Senate of Canada and the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia; abolition of property qualifications for public office; minimum pay for teachers and salaries to be paid by the Provincial Government; Normal School students at \$100 to be boarded at public expense; equal pensions to private soldiers and officers; public ownership of all utilities; exclusion of Asiatics and other aliens.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, January 15, 1895.

The police came in for a scorching at the City Council meeting this morning. Discussion was provoked by a letter from the Market Committee complaining that the Chief of Police had failed to fulfill the request of the Market Superintendent that he take action against people selling in the market without a license. If the police would not do their duty, said Alderman Ledingham, dispense with them. Alderman Humphrey said it was simply ridiculous the way the police went on. A lot of them were walking the street doing nothing. If the police would not attend to their business, the sooner they were got rid of the better, said Alderman Dwyer.

MONTREAL WHISKY FIRMS LACK BOTTLES

Toronto, Jan. 15.—An extension of "hope deferred" is anticipated for those who have placed orders for shipments of whisky with Montreal firms, according to a statement by E. D. Gooderham, superintendent of the Gooderham & Worts Distillery. The delay has been caused by a strike of glass workers at Wallaceburg, where their supply of whisky bottles is made. Mr. Gooderham wired the firms in Montreal informing them that they could take no more orders. A similar message, it is understood, was sent by the Hiram Walker Company, Walkerville.

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Reeve Jones Out With Plan for Further Improving Saanich Government

An even still more efficient administration of the affairs of Saanich was outlined last night by Charles B. Jones, retiring Reeve, addressing the taxpayers of Wards Two and Seven at the Tolmie and Tillicum schools on municipal matters.

Mr. Jones from his experience as head of the municipality declared that the frequent and long sessions for which the Saanich Council is notorious should be dispensed with and most of the details of administration left entirely to the Reeve, while the Council could meet at less frequent intervals and decide general lines of policy on which the Reeve would proceed.

Much Time Now Wasted.
"I believe that the Reeve should be required to spend the whole of his time in the interests of the municipality," said Mr. Jones. "And he should be paid accordingly. If matters of detail are handed over to him he can look into them thoroughly and decide what is best to be done and have it done. He could visit every part of the municipality regularly and keep in touch with everything that is going on."
"As things are now there is a lot of time wasted. We've been having two or three meetings a week sometimes and these meetings have lasted until one o'clock in the morning while we discussed what should be done. All the time there was only one decision we could come to."

Encourage Small Holder.
Mr. Jones told of the reduction in general taxes the municipality has made from \$120,000 in 1914 to \$82,000 in 1918, and \$122,000 in 1919. The proportion of taxes paid last year was 78 per cent.

"The effort to pay taxes was noticeable throughout the whole municipality but it was most noticeable in the wards near town," he said. "The man with the smaller holdings made every effort to pay his tax. This is encouraging as we are looking forward to a municipality of small holdings."

Saanich Surpasses All.
He told of the business he is to enter on actively now that he is retiring from public life.

"One of the objects of this building and development company is to create work for the unemployed and to build up this district and have residences ready for people who will come here," he went on. "We have the finest residential district in British Columbia and even North America. You ought to be proud of Saanich."

Predicts Success For Watson.
The Reeve congratulated electors on having George F. Watson, of Gordon Head, as their Reeve for this year.

"With Mr. Watson on the Council I believe that the School Board and Council will work in greater harmony than ever before," he said.
"He told of the sewer by-law and the water extension by-law. The latter will not mean any additional taxation, as the water extension will benefit from the water extension will pay for it. He explained that the city has agreed to give irrigation rates for water on any service over 10,000 gallons.

The health centre by-law, he said, was essential as the Jubilee Hospital is overcrowded. Last year Saanich paid the hospital \$2,300, although there have been no Saanich patients there for some months. For this Saanich health centre it is proposed to borrow \$25,000. The site will be selected by a committee, unless some one donates the land.

The meeting passed a vote of thanks to Reeve Jones for "the services he has rendered the municipality during the last year."

OFFICERS INSTALLED

A.O.U.W. Held Important Gathering Last Night—Enjoyable Times Spent.

Twenty-seven officers of the three Victoria lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen were installed at a special gathering held last evening. District Deputy Master Workman Alexander Stewart presided and the ceremony was performed by Grand Master Workman E. Pope, of Port Hammond.

The officers installed were as follows:
Victoria Lodge No. 1—Bro. F. Partridge as master workman; Bro. A. Jones, foreman; Sister Barker, overseer; Sister Anderson, recording secretary; Bro. F. Davey, financial secretary; Bro. Wrigglesworth, treasurer; Sister Wrigglesworth, past master.
Vancouver Lodge No. 5—Bro. J. Pelling, master workman; Bro. J. Pelling, foreman; Bro. G. Pulling, overseer; Bro. Northcott, recording secretary; Bro. McMoyl, financial secretary; Bro. Scowcroft, treasurer.

New Westminster Lodge No. 7—Bro. Somerville, master workman; Bro. Stewart, foreman; Bro. C. Stewart, overseer; Bro. Shakespeare, recording secretary; Bro. Clunk, financial secretary; Bro. Semple, treasurer.

Following the official duty of installing the officers the sister and brother Workmen indulged in a very enjoyable social time. A short musical programme to which Brothers Jones, Attwell, Owen, Welch, R. Roberts and Semple, contributed, was thoroughly appreciated. Dancing was then announced. Refreshments were served at the close.

The A. O. U. W. is rapidly increasing its membership. During the past six months the three local lodges have added over 100 new members.

To Send Delegates Here.—At a largely-attended meeting of delegates to the United and Public Service Council, Vancouver, on Tuesday evening, it was decided to send delegates from the Council to the United Farmers of B. C. convention which takes place at Victoria on February 23 and 24. The delegates will be authorized to lay before the farmers the aims and objects of the Council and to discuss co-operation and matters of common interest.

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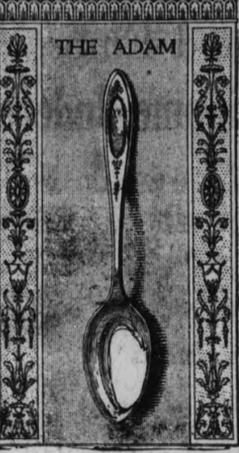
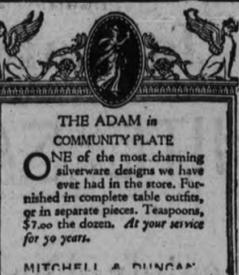
IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

MRS. ANDREWS WINS OUT IN FIGHT OVER CHAIRMAN'S RIGHTS

Decision of Council of Public Instruction Bars Chairman From Balloting

Trustee Mrs. Andrews has won out in her solitary fight against the practice of the chairman of the School Board in voting on the appointment of teachers. Despite all the individual opposition of other trustees and of the Board's action in endeavoring to amend its by-laws to enable the chairman to ballot, the following communication from the Council of Public Instruction received by the Board yesterday, apparently settles the matter:

"It is the opinion of the Council that the proposed amendment giving the chairman a right to ballot on the appointment of teachers is inconsistent with section 42 of the School Act. This information, which was received in a letter from S. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education, and secretary of the Council of Public Instruction was placed in the minutes in order that the 1920 Board might act as it saw fit. Trustee Mrs. Andrews has battled for the desired for many months, unaided by any other member of the Board. Some time ago she secured a legal opinion from one of the lawyers in the Attorney-General's Department and later from Mr. Willis to the effect that the chairman of the Board could not cast a ballot on the appointment of teachers, but must vote only to decide a tie. It appears that the chairman of the Board have been voting on this matter for years, and Mrs. Andrews thought that the practice, being illegal should be stopped. In fact, failing otherwise, she threatened to get an injunction out against Major Peter Riddell, the chairman. The other trustees did not agree with this idea and made an amendment to the Board's by-laws allowing the chairman the privilege in question, but this, as stated, has failed to meet with the approval of the Council of Public Instruction.



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secretary, Miss Beatrice McDonald; standard bearer, Miss Allison Chrow. Preparations for the dance to be held in the K. of P. Hall, on Queen Victoria's "Violet Day," Thursday, January 22, were discussed. The members are working enthusiastically and feel sure of giving all an enjoyable evening.

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STUDENTS RECITAL AT EMPRESS TO-NIGHT

Attractive Programme, Audiences of Ladies' Musical Club

To-night at the Empress Hotel the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club will hold their long-promised students' recital—an event eagerly anticipated by embryo musicians, teachers of music and the general public. As in previous years an attractive programme has been prepared, and with but one or two exceptions the students contributing are making their first appearance in public through the medium of this concert. For that reason it is hoped that there will be a large audience to welcome and encourage these budding artists. The complete programme follows: Piano—"Gipsy Rondo" Haydn (Student of Mrs. Semple). Song—"Absent" Metcalf (Student of Madame Webb). Violin—"Berceuse" Godeard (Student of Mrs. Foot). Piano—"April Breezes" (Student of Mrs. Foot). Miss Bertha Ritchie, (Student of Miss C. Davies). Vocal—"The Pipes of Pan Are Calling" (Student of Mrs. Semple). Mrs. Archie Willis. Cello—Selected (Student of Miss Scruby). Song—"Land of Sky Blue Water" (Student of Mrs. Semple). Cadman (Student of Mrs. Semple). Landon Ronald (Student of Mrs. Semple). Miss Vera Rider. (Student of Miss Eva Hart). Piano—"The Lark's Song" (Student of Mrs. Semple). Miss Alex. Bradshaw. (Student of Miss Saunders). Song—"April Morn" (Student of Miss McGreggor). Violin—"Allegro Brillant" Tom Howe (Student of Mrs. Semple). Miss Nora Atkinson. (Student of Miss Lard). Song—"Roberto O Tu Che Adora" (Student of Mrs. Semple). Miss Lily Christie. (Student of Mr. Thos. Steele). Piano—"Scherzo" Wallenhaut (Student of Miss Heming). Vocal—"Love Is the Wind" (Student of Mrs. Semple). MacFadyen. God Save the King. Accompanists: Mrs. Jamie Cameron, Miss Jessie Smith, Miss Foot, Miss Merle North and Miss Jaffray.

COWICHAN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETS

Annual Gathering; Equal Municipal Voting Rights Are Urged

Duncan, Jan. 15.—At the annual meeting of the Cowichan Women's Institute this week about fifty women were present and the acting president, Mrs. F. S. Leather, was in the chair.

The president's report mentioned the great loss sustained by the Institute in the death of Mrs. Blackwood-Whelan and through Mrs. Hayward's leaving the district. The work of the various committees was touched upon. The war workers are now working for the Navy League and the Friendly Help is still active in a small way. The Institute has helped greatly in the establishment of the consolidated nursing school in starting the district nursing scheme during the past year. Eleven meetings were held and addresses were given at almost all of these meetings on subjects of special interest to the members.

Finances. The financial statement showed receipts from all sources, including the library, of \$874.71, and an expenditure of \$861.11, leaving \$13.60 on hand. The libraries report showed that 2,744 books had been exchanged during the year. There was a membership of 84, of whom 77 were active members paying 50 cents and seven were not institute members and paid \$2 as library fees. There are 1,411 books in the library, of which 800 are fiction. Thirty-five weeks on food conservation and the census of Canada were donated by Mr. Savage and forty-four others by various friends.

The secretary reported that \$122 had been taken in institute fees during the past year and \$77.50 had been received as the Government grant on the membership. To begin the present year there were fifty-six paid-up members.

Voting Rights. A motion put in at the request of Mrs. George Henderson that the Institute endorse the idea of equal municipal voting rights for men and women, was passed. This would give both husband and wife the right to vote on the one property regardless of which name was registered as that of the owner.

Miss Wilson was in the chair for the election of directors, which resulted as follows: Mrs. Corfield, Mrs. Leather, Mrs. Carr Hilton, Mrs. Whidden and Mrs. G. Henderson. The directors then chose Mrs. Corfield as president and Mrs. Leather and Mrs. Carr Hilton as vice-presidents.

Library. The meeting unanimously passed the following resolution on the motion of Miss Wilson: That this Institute place itself on record as holding all books of the library in trust for the public. It was stated that both city and municipal authorities had been asked

to take over the library and had both refused and had expressed their thanks and appreciation of the work the Institute was doing in keeping the library open for the use of the public. Mrs. G. Henderson was named chairman of the Education Committee. Other committees will be named at the next meeting.

GORDON'S STAFF SURPRISE PATIENTS

Employees of Yates Street Firm Gave Entertainment at Craighdaroch

Shortly after 7.30 last evening mysterious figures began to congregate in the vicinity of the intersection of Fort Street and Craighdaroch Road, little knots of twos and threes gradually swelling the group until it numbered about sixty when at a given signal a move was made in the direction of Craighdaroch Hospital. On arrival at that institution admission was demanded and the mysterious throng resolved itself into a surprise party made upon the patients and staff of the hospital by the employees of Gordon's, Ltd., Yates Street.

Fine Programmes. The unexpected guests were cordially welcomed by the matron, Miss McLachlan, and they quickly took possession of the hospital and its inmates. Among the patients were recognized many former friends, whose acquaintance had been made on the visits of Gordon's staff to Resthaven, and the mutual recognition served to break the ice. The billiard room was requisitioned for use as a concert hall and an excellent programme was given by the visitors. To E. Gamlin, secretary-treasurer of Gordon's, Ltd., fell the duties of chairman, a role which he filled with ease and efficiency. Songs were contributed by Mrs. Elliott, Miss Goldworth, Miss Carter, Miss Tomke, Miss Seavey, Miss Dooley, Miss Johnson. Two very popular numbers were "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling" and "Deep in the Heart of a Rose," in which the audience joined in the choruses. Miss Tomke created much amusement by her recitations and Miss MacIntyre danced the Irish reel and the Sailors' Hornpipe with consummate grace and skill.

Delicious Supper. At the conclusion of the formal programme a delicious supper provided by the visitors was served in the dining-room, buffet fashion. Pies, tarts, cakes and sandwiches of tempting variety were among the good things provided, and were consumed with evident relish. After supper dancing took place, the dining-room, hall and billiard-room being pressed into service. The absence of the Irish reel and the Sailors' Hornpipe permitted those of the patients whose injuries permitted them to participate, danced until eleven o'clock when the singing of the Anthem in the Anthem brought the very enjoyable affair to a close. Before departing the visitors were accorded three hearty cheers, coupled with a cordial invitation to again visit the hospital at no very distant date.

FUR PRICES WILL BE HIGH, SAYS TRADER

Northern Furs Are Scarce; Silver Fox Breeding in the Yukon

There is a considerable shortage of fur-bearing animals in the North, according to William S. Drury, of Whitehorse, the well known trader. Mr. Drury is at the Dominion Hotel with his family, and will be out from the Yukon for some little time. The shortage of fur-bearing animals, Mr. Drury ascribes to the comparative absence of animals in which they subsist, chief among them being rabbits. Supplementing, however, the natural fur-bearing animals, he states of rearing silver foxes in captivity. The business has taken a surprising advance during the last few seasons, and breeders are more optimistic since they have been able to overcome some of the natural obstacles which arise in such a hazardous undertaking. The pupples, he states, are selling at about \$400 when eight months old. Quite a number have been disposed of at this price to agents of the

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The price of a suit should be governed by QUALITY, and in our lines of boys' better-quality suits the QUALITY is there, which means BETTER SERVICE.

The very newest styles are shown, including waist-line effects and the belted sacks, with bloomer pants. There are navy blue serges, browns and fancy tweed mixtures.

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Annual Students' Recital

Empress Hotel Ballroom Thursday, January 15 8.30 p. m.

ADMISSION 50c Tickets on sale at Fletcher Bros. and Heintzman & Co. Soldiers and Sailors Admitted Free.

leading firms of New York and St. Louis. Apart from the men who are breeding fur-bearing animals, about seventy-five per cent. of the trapping in that district, Mr. Drury says, is being carried on by Indians. Mr. Drury looks for fur prices, according to what he told The Times last evening, to remain high, so great is the demand for all classes of furs. With the exception of silver fox, all grades of pelts are now very much higher than they were before the war, some of them ranging six times higher in value.

Married Yesterday.—A very pretty wedding took place in St. John's Church on Wednesday, January 14, when Miss Una Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hughes, of Fairfield Road, was married to Archibald Gordon Beattie, of Irma, Alberta. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, rector of St. John's Church, in the presence of a large gathering of the friends of the bride who was given away by her father. After the ceremony a reception was given at the home of the bride on Fairfield Road. Mr. and Mrs. Beattie will take up their residence on the ranch at Irma, Alberta. Beautiful Women of Society, during the past seventy years have relied upon it for their distinguished appearance. The soft, refined, pearly white complexion it renders instantly, is always the source of flattering comment. Oriental Cream

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And when it is remembered that the suits selected for this store's display are of more appealing design and better texture than will be readily found elsewhere, the values at these sale prices are all the more desirable.

- Smartly Tailored Suits, in navy and black serges and poplins. Regular values, to \$45.00. Sale Price **\$29.50**
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NEW OFFICER TAKES CHARGE OF DISTRICT

Brig-Gen. J. M. Ross Relieved Maj-Gen. Leckie at Military Headquarters

Brig-Gen. J. M. Ross, C. M. G., D. S. O., took charge of Military District No. 11 this morning. When the new officer took over the control of the office Major-General R. G. E. Leckie, C. M. G., severed his active connections with the Canadian forces. He has gone to Vancouver to look over a business proposition. For two months the retiring officer will be on leave of absence, and at the expiration of that time goes on the reserve list of officers.

Although General Leckie will permanently doff his uniform he will not cut himself adrift from the militia life of the province. The general was one of the foremost figures in the militia before the outbreak of war, and will continue to assist in the re-establishment of the force in the future.

Advocated Perpetuation

To General Leckie belongs a great deal of the credit for placing before the Dominion Government the plan for the perpetuation of the active units of the C. E. F. in the reorganization of the militia. Early last Spring General Leckie advocated this scheme, and when the commission, headed by Major-General Sir William Otter, visited this city a few months ago, the retiring G. O. C. strongly urged that all battalion and battery names in the Canadian Corps be used in replacing the existing militia regiments.

General Leckie administered the affairs of this military district for two years, and made numerous friends here. These will be sorry to see his retirement from office, but will wish him every success in his civilian life.

Brig-Gen. Ross before going overseas spent two years in British Columbia, and has many friends in Vancouver and Victoria.

APPOINTMENTS

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has approved the following provincial appointments:

To be Notaries Public—G. C. Hodge, representative of the British Columbia Returned Soldier Commission in Vancouver and Turberville Thomas, First Vice-President and Honorary Provincial Organizer of the Imperial Veterans in Canada, both of the City of Vancouver; Allen Edgar Dunlop and Ernest Henry Montague Foot, Barristers and Solicitors, both of the City of Victoria; Leonie G. Lalonde, Barrister and Solicitor, and Charles Octave Lalonde, both of the City of Vancouver.

To be Commissioners for taking affidavits within the Provinces of British Columbia—Allen Edgar Dunlop and Ernest Henry Montague Foot, Barristers and Solicitors, both of the City of Victoria; David Neil

Hosie, Barrister, of the City of Vancouver. James Frederick Mather, City of Vancouver, District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Vancouver, to be Registrar of the County Court of Vancouver, holden at Vancouver and Clerk of the Peace for the Judicial District of Vancouver.

BRAIN POWER ONLY ONE-QUARTER USED

That the people of the Occident do not use more than twenty-five per cent of their brain power, because they lack the ability to utilize the hidden powers of their sub-conscious mind, was the statement which Prince Joydehad of Radjah made at the Rotary Club luncheon to-day in the course of an address on "Psychic Science of Life." The Rotarians were intensely interested in the mystic's assertion that these powers could be developed only upon the foundation of an absolutely clean mind, and thoroughly honest conduct. If business men would take the trouble to think pure thoughts, and act honestly in every day life they would be able in a short time, he declared, to know exactly what motive lay behind the act of everyone with whom they did business. Another pleasing feature was a marvelous exhibition of slight of hand by Earl de Forest.

NO GUNS FOR ALIENS

Amendment to Criminal Code Says All But British Subjects Must Have Permits.

An amendment has been made to the Criminal Code which makes it an offence for any person to sell firearms to an alien without a proper permit. British subjects will be the only persons having the right to purchase arms. No alien is allowed to have a gun in his possession without a permit.

The amendment, which is contained in Chapter 12, Paragraph 1, is as follows: "(1) Being an alien, has in his possession any pistol, rifle, shotgun, revolver, firearm or offensive weapon without having a permit therefor, which permit may be issued in the same manner, by the same persons and as near as may be in the same form as in the case of the other permits referred to in this section."

"Three Years in Germany"—W. A. Aldritt, Physical Director of the Y. M. C. A., recently returned from three years' imprisonment in Germany, will give a lecture in the Auditorium of the Girls' Central School on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. This lecture is under the auspices of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada, of which Mr. Aldritt is an active member. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present. No admission will be charged.

To Give Concert at Esquimalt—The members of the "J" Unit Chapter, I.O.D.E., will journey out to Esquimalt to-morrow evening to give a concert and dance for the patients. It is hoped by the regent that all members of the chapter will participate in this event.

ADVOCATED PROJECT AND HOPES SUCCESS

Visiting Editor Will See Fate of Four-Year-Old Golf Links Proposal

Many enthusiastic Victorians will await the fate of the golf links by-law this evening. There is also a visitor to the city to-day who will share the satisfaction of local golfers if there is that requisite majority in favor of the municipal project when the votes are counted.

The visitor is J. H. Woods, Editor of the Calgary Herald, who regards the royal and ancient game as the most important pastime in the sports calendar.

His interest, however, is not centered upon the virtues of the game itself in this particular case. When he was here about four years ago he was interviewed by The Times and on that occasion he prescribed a municipal golf course for the city of Victoria.

By a strange coincidence, therefore, Mr. Woods arrives in the capital city of British Columbia on the very day on which its electors are saying "yes" or "no" to the plan of his own suggestion.

OBITUARY RECORDS

The remains of the late Miss Ruth Knox Herman were forwarded by the B. C. Funeral Chapel on last night's boat to Saskatoon, where interment will take place. Mr. and Mrs. Herman accompanied the remains of their daughter East.

Thirty returned soldier patients and a number of the staff of Craigdarroch Hospital attended the funeral this morning of Mrs. Lucy Laurence, a former employee of the institution. The cortege left the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 proceeding to St. Andrews' Cathedral, where Rev. Father Macdonald celebrated Mass and conducted the service. Many beautiful flowers covered the casket. Rev. Father Leterme officiated at the committal service at the graveside. The pallbearers were the following: all patients from Craigdarroch Hospital; A. E. Newens, C. G. King, W. Ward, J. Hudson, E. Pollard and E. L. Morgan. The late Mrs. Laurence is survived by her mother in Ontario, and one sister in this city, Mrs. J. Marignac.

Ellen Maude Hall, the beloved wife of A. E. Hall, of the firm of Hall & Berry, died yesterday at her residence, the Gorge, at the age of thirty-nine years and eleven months. The late Mrs. Hall was born in London, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past nine years. She leaves a husband, one son, A. E. Hall, and a sister and brother in Victoria, one brother in New York, and one brother in England. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.15 o'clock from the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co., and 2.30 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral.

Mrs. H. F. Bishop Heads Chapter—Mrs. H. F. Bishop, wife of Postmaster of Victoria, was last night installed as worthy matron for 1920 of Queen City Chapter, No. 5, Order of the Eastern Star. Other officers installed were: Worthy patron, W. S. Brown; assistant matron, Mrs. C. A. Lacey; Mrs. Spence, W. E. Edrington; Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Sinclair; Miss L. M. Creeden, Mrs. Hargreaves; Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Mosher; Mrs. Boulton, Miss Wilby and Mrs. Northcott.

THE MUSIC THAT HAS CHARMS.

He—Most girls, I have found, don't appreciate real music.

She—Why do you say that? He—Well, you may pick beautiful strains on a mandolin for an hour, and she won't even look out of the window, but just one hook of a horn and—out she comes!—London Blihty.

VICTORIA CONCERNS NEWLY REGISTERED

Victoria (B.C.) Shipowners and the Macey-Abell Co., Limited

Among the new incorporations during the week ending at noon to-day are two local concerns. One creates the Victoria (B.C.) Shipowners, Limited, and the other the Macey-Abell Company, Limited. Other concerns registered with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies are as follows:

Canadian Dog and Cat Remedies, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, Vancouver.

Nelson Golf and Country Club, Limited, public, authorized capital \$30,000; registered office, Nelson.

Layard, Swan & Gamble, Limited, private, authorized capital \$25,000; registered office, Deep Cove, North Saanich.

The Paraffine Companies, Limited, private, authorized capital \$5,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Cassiar Northern Ranch, Limited, private, authorized capital \$24,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Vancouver Cloak and Suit Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$25,000; registered office, Vancouver.

Dominion Trading Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, Vancouver.

Macey-Abell Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$50,000; registered office, Victoria.

Goddard's Cash Store, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Van Syke Fountain Brush Company of Canada, Limited, public, authorized capital, \$50,000; registered office, Vancouver.

London Fish Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Gazette Printing Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, Grand Forks.

Whale Channel Mines, Limited, Non-Personal Liability, public, authorized capital \$200,000; registered office, Vancouver.

Vancouver Rose Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$10,000; registered office, South Vancouver.

Chilcoot Ranch Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$150,000; registered office, Vancouver.

Paulson-Mason, Limited, public, authorized capital \$250,000; registered office, Nelson.

E. Crystal & Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$50,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Canadian Selling Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$100,000; registered office, Vancouver.

The Victoria (B.C.) Shipowners, Limited, public, authorized capital \$500,000; registered office, Victoria.

London Fish Company, Limited, private, authorized capital \$100,000; registered office, Vancouver.

New York Lubricating Oil Company, incorporated in State of New York, is now registered as business in British Columbia. Authorized capital \$350,000. Head offices, New York and Vancouver, B. C.

ANNUAL MEETING OF GARDEN CITY INSTITUTE

The annual meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Birkett on Wednesday, January 14. Excellent reports of the work done by the various committees, the Girls' Club being specially commended on the work being turned out during that period. The financial report, which proved to be in good shape, there being a slightly larger balance in hand than at the close of any other year.

The election of officers for the following year resulted in the following: President, Mrs. J. Fryatt; vice-president, Mrs. Smith; secretary, Mrs. Ben and Mrs. Stansfield; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Dewar.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the retiring Secretary, Mrs. Maudie Hirst, who is leaving for England in the near future. New work for the year was discussed, and it was decided to change the date of the meeting from the second Wednesday to the first Thursday in the month. Mrs. Birkett then served dainty refreshments and the meeting adjourned.

Equipmt Meeting To-morrow

There will be a meeting of the ratepayers of Esquimalt at 8 o'clock to-morrow at the sailors' home, at which candidates in the municipal election on Saturday are invited to be present.

Wives and Mothers Need Not Have Sore Backaches

Constantly on their feet, attending to the wants of a large and exacting family, women often break down with nervous exhaustion.

In the stores, factories, and on a farm are weak, ailing women, dragged down with torturing backache and bearing down pains. Such suffering isn't natural but it's dangerous, because due to diseased kidneys.

The dizziness, insomnia, and other symptoms of kidney complaint can't cure themselves, they require the assistance of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which go direct to the seat of the trouble.

To give vitality and power to the kidneys, to lend aid to the bladder and liver, to free the blood of poisons, probably the best remedy so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. For all womanly irregularities their merit is well known.

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TRUSTEE CANDIDATE

MRS. SARAH COADY-JOHNSON who is a candidate to-day for the School Board.

Endorse Mothers' Pensions. The Health Insurance Commission held a meeting Monday evening in Nanaimo, Chairman E. S. Winn presiding. The meeting unanimously endorsed all proposals. Among those giving evidence regarding local conditions was Mrs. Martindale, president of the Council of Women; John Sumner, representing the Foresters' Lodge; Joseph Naylor, representing the miners of Cumberland; and E. R. Bell, Mr. McCann, representative of the Nanaimo Branch of the G. W. V. A.

A well attended gathering of St. Paul's parish, Nanaimo, heard a budget of very satisfactory reports at the annual meeting held in the Institute Monday evening. Rev. S. Ryall occupying the chair. Arrears of taxes, which have been handiapping the church for some years, have been wiped off, current liabilities have been met, the rector's stipend has been increased by \$300, with a bonus in addition, and over \$6,000 raised for all the funds of the church. Of this, \$4,000 was raised in the ordinary fund and \$2,000 by church organizations. The appropriation of \$500 for missions was fully met. The Ladies' Guild, reported Mrs. W. E. Thomson, had raised \$862, and the total receipts of the Five Acre Guild, including improvements to the Mission Hall, were \$800. Mrs. Skinner reported for the Woman's Missionary auxiliary, senior and junior, the latter having been organized last March. Miss Eva Brown read the Sunday School report. The choir has given a successful year of service. R. S. Gray is rector's warden for the coming year, and Arthur S. Leitch, people's warden. The church committee consists of E. H. Bird, Mark Bate, Jr., R. R. Sterling, J. H. Hacker, W. H. Jones, Geo. Wilson, and Messrs. F. G. Peto, H. Jepson and E. Mitchell. The lay delegates to Synod are R. S. Gray, E. H. Bird, Mark Bate, Sr., and A. Leighton.

Loss of Revenue. Alderman McGuckie told the Nanaimo Council Monday that the passage of the Prohibition Act had made a difference of \$13,000 in revenue to the City of Nanaimo, and thought some claim for compensation should be made. Victoria will be written to about the matter.

Ladysmith Council. Ladysmith, Jan. 15.—There will be no municipal contests this year in Ladysmith as all the seats have been filled by acclamation, the following nomination papers having been filed with City Clerk N. A. Morrison: For Mayor—Mayor W. A. Anderson.

Aldermen—North Ward, Aldermen P. Malone and D. Davidson. Middle Ward—Aldermen D. Gourlay, T. Bryant and C. Lauderbach. South Ward, Aldermen M. Nimmo and D. Matheson.

School Trustees—A. Glenn and J. Gourlay.

Police Commissioners—A. M. Dixon and A. Radford.

Automobile Fatality. Coroner Hicking held an inquiry into the circumstances connected with the death of Harold McCracken, the three-year-old son of Mrs. Alex. McCracken, Dixon Street, Nanaimo, who was killed by an automobile on Halliburton Street, on Monday afternoon. Several eyewitnesses of the fatality gave evidence, tending to show that the automobile was travelling quite slowly at the time it struck the boy and that the driver of the car had it fully under control. The jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Cheng Young Kam, the Chinaman who was driving the auto which knocked down and killed the lad, upon learning that the boy's mother

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- Regular \$29.50 to \$35.00 for **\$25.00**
- Regular \$39.50 for **\$27.50**
- Regular \$45.00 to \$49.50 for **\$35.00**
- Regular \$69.50 to \$79.50 for **\$55.00**

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Made from high-grade wool serges, modeled in excellent styles and featuring the newest forms of trimmings. An unusually good opportunity to secure a serviceable dress at a reduced cost.

- Reg. \$45.00 to \$52.50 for **\$37.50**
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All Fur Trimmed Coats and Suits Are

Further Reduced

Women who have been awaiting an opportunity to secure a high-grade coat or suit with fur trimmings at an unusually low price should make an effort to see these models. They are fashioned in ultra smart styles and are trimmed with high-grade furs.

House Dresses

Regular \$2.25 for **\$1.65**

Made of striped ginghams in serviceable style, which buttons in front and which features three-quarter sleeves, a small collar edged with white and turned back cuffs. Anticipate future requirements when purchasing.

Wool Sweaters

Regular \$11.50 to \$15.00 for **\$8.50**

A nice assortment of Sweaters of worthy qualities and good colors. All in coat styles.

Lingerie Blouses

Reg. \$3.50 to \$4.25 for **\$2.75**

Reg. \$5.75 to \$6.75 for **\$4.75**

A splendid assortment is offered at each of these prices. They are featured in fashionable square and round neck styles, trimmed with dainty laces, pintecked or embroidered.

Special

Wool Blankets, regular \$11.75 and \$12.50. Sale price **\$9.75**.

Further Price Reductions in Trimmed Millinery

Clearing To-morrow at \$3.75, \$7.50, and \$12.50.

A most desirable opportunity for securing a modishly trimmed hat will be presented to-morrow. The exceptional price reductions together with the fact that there is here a representative assortment in black and colors should induce many to make a selection to-morrow.

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CEDAR HILL TO HEAR "SHINGLE AFFAIR"

Wednesday night in the Talmie School.

In his call for members to attend, J. C. Richards, president, says: "It is really up to yourselves, you electors and ratepayers what kind of municipal government you have. If you decide what you want and lay it before your councillor he will be able to go to Royal Oak and put your case before the council more intelligibly."

For the benefit of electors of the Cedar Hill district who have not yet heard at first hand all sides of the famous "shingle affair" that has been agitating Saanich politics during the last few days, the chief character in the incident, Police Commissioner Owens, his opponent Comrade Robert Macnicol, ex-Chief Dryden who was dismissed and Reave C. B. Jones, will speak at St. Luke's Hall, Cedar Hill Road, at 8 o'clock to-night.

George F. Watson, reeve-elect and several of the councillor-elect are also expected to speak. Councillor Tom Dooly will deal with the health conditions of the municipality.

The first meeting of the reorganized Ward Two Ratepayers' Association has been called for next

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HUGE FRAUDS IN U. S. SHIPYARDS

Dishonesty Discovered in Washington, Oregon and California Yards

San Francisco, Jan. 15. Frauds involving many millions of dollars in connection with the building of ships for the Government in Oregon, Washington and California have been unearthed by Government investigators, it became known today when William H. Tidwell, special agent of the Treasury Department, was appointed chief assistant to Special Assistant United States Attorney-General Bert Schlesinger here.

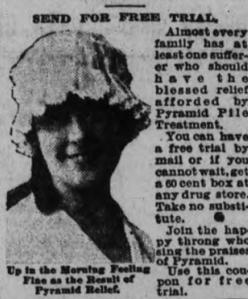
It is understood that Attorney-General Palmer, on the strength of the scope of the alleged discoveries of graft in Pacific Coast shipyards, has ordered the United States Shipping Board to hold up claims approximately \$25,000,000 to await the outcome of the investigation. The Government, according to information from available sources, is alleged to have first class passengers of more than \$1,000,000 through shipyard conspiracies working by the payment of false vouchers for sums that shipbuilders obtained illegally.

Almost twenty very prominent shipbuilding magnates are understood to be involved in the investigation, which is said to have reached the stage calling for special Federal Grand Jury sessions in the cities of Oregon, Washington and California where big shipbuilding plants are located.

Cost plus contracts awarded by the Government for construction of vessels during the war, by which the builders were allowed ten per cent over what they claimed to be the cost of construction, were said today to have been the medium of the alleged frauds.

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CHINESE RAILWAY MISSION ARRIVES

Party Headed by S. T. Sze, Director of Lung Hai Railway, Bound to Belgium

Interested in railroad development in China an influential party of Chinese railway magnates headed by S. T. Sze, director general of the Lung Hai Railway, reached Victoria today aboard the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Russia, en route to Belgium to complete negotiations with a Belgian syndicate of railway builders that will lead to the development of the company's railroads in China.

The Chinese railroad mission numbered seven and included A. Diener, Belgian consul-general at Peking, who is accompanying the party from China to Brussels.

The Empress of Russia brought in 250 saloon passengers. After several years activity in Japan as Salvation Army Commissioner, Commander W. De Groot, accompanied by Mrs. De Groot, arrived on the liner from Yokohama, having been transferred from the Japanese field.

Hon. and Lady Repelair are returning to the Hague from Victoria, Dutch East Indies. Others arriving by the C.P.O.S. liner were J. E. Sharkey, from Tokyo; Israel Stone and Miss L. Todd, of Boston, Mass.; Miss Della de Leon, of London, and Miss V. Tolcand, of New York.

Military officers arriving from the Far East were Col. G. E. Emerson, Major G. W. Cameron, D.S.O., and Major C. G. Nash.

Prominent Men to Direct Activities at Cholberg Plant

Will Spencer, prominent business man of this city, has been elected president of the Victoria Shipowners, Ltd. Clarence Hoard, head of the Bainbridge Lumber Company, Port Alberni, is vice-president, and Edwin Tomlin, secretary.

The Victoria Shipowners, Ltd., was organized recently to build four wooden barkentines at the Cholberg Shipyard, under the Federal Government loan scheme.

Canadian Shipping Losses During War

Forty-Three Registered Vessels of 74,323 Gross Tons Destroyed or Captured and 199 Canadian Lives Lost

Statistics compiled by The Canadian Railway and Marine World from a return "Merchant Shipping Losses," prepared by the British Admiralty, give the names and tonnages of Canadian registered merchant ships which were destroyed or captured by the enemy during the war, together with the approximate places of capture, the means of destruction, when destroyed, and the number of lives lost. Where the name of the ship is followed by the letter "S" it was a sailing ship.

1914. Dec. 2.—Drummuir (s), 1,800 gross tons, owned by Ship Drummuir Co., Victoria, B. C., captured and sunk by bombs by the S.S. Leipzig, near Cape Horn.

1915. May 26.—S.S. Morwenna, 1,414 gross tons, owned by Ardeola Steamship Co., Liverpool, Eng., and chartered to Dominion Coal Co., Sydney, N. S., captured and sunk by torpedo by a submarine near Fasnet; one life lost.

July 1.—L. C. Tower (s), 518 gross tons, captured by submarine and set on fire near Fasnet.

Aug. 1.—Royal Edward, 11,117 gross tons, owned by Cunard Steamship Co., and owned formerly by Canadian Northern Steamships, Lt., torpedoed and sunk without warning by submarine near Kandelusa; 132 lives lost.

Aug. 4.—S.S. Midland Queen, 1,998 gross tons, owned by Midland Navigation Co., Midland, Ont., captured and sunk by submarine gun fire near Fasnet.

Sept. 28.—S. S. H. C. Henry, 4,219 gross tons, owned by Steamer H. C. Henry, Vancouver, B. C., captured and sunk by submarine gun fire near Cape Matapan, Mediterranean Sea.

1916. Feb. 27.—S.S. Empress of Fort William, 2,181 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines, sunk by mine near Dover.

March 17.—S.S. Empress of Midland, 2,224 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines, sunk by mine near Kentish Knock.

May 13.—S.S. Eretria, 63,464 gross tons, owned by Steamship Eretria Co., Ltd. (Battle Line), St. John, N. B., sunk by mine near Ile d'Yeu.

Dec. 2.—S. S. Palacina, 3,268 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Fasnet.

Dec. 6.—Duchess of Cornwall (s), 152 gross tons, owned by R. Moulton, Ltd., St. John's, Nfld., captured by Porter, 136 tons; Gloaming, 106 tons; Lucille M. Schure, 121 tons; Nelson, A. 72 tons; Pasadena, 91 tons; Potentate, 136 tons; Uda A. Saunders, 125 tons; Verma D. Adams, 132 tons. The following were captured but not sunk: Clayton W. Walters, 30 tons; Marion Adams, 99 tons. The S.S. Triumph, 239 gross tons, was, as mentioned, captured and converted into a raider.

Dec. 30.—Jean (s), 215 gross tons, owned by T. DesBrisay, Bathurst, N. B., captured and converted into a raider.

Jan. 19.—Lillian H. (s), 467 gross tons, owned by Lillian H. Ship Co., Fort River, N. B., captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Old Head of Kinsale.

Jan. 28.—Perce (s), 364 gross tons, owned by Robin Jones Whitman, Ltd., Halifax, N. S., captured by S.S. Seadler and sunk by gun fire near St. Paul Rocks.

Jan. 31.—S.S. Dundee, 2,278 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines, sunk by submarine torpedo, without warning, near St. Ives Head, one life lost.

Feb. 16.—Mayola (s), 146 gross tons, owned by T. DesBrisay, Bathurst, N.B., captured by submarine and sunk by bomb near Cape St. Vincent.

Feb. 26.—British Yeoman, 1,953 gross tons, owned by Ship British Yeoman Ltd., Victoria, B. C., captured by S.S. Seadler near St. Paul Rocks.

Mar. 10.—James Burton Cook (s), 133 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by gun fire near Malaga.

Mar. 11.—Kwasind, formerly Turret Belle, 2,311 gross tons, owned by the Arctic Steamship Co., Quebec, Que., sunk by mine near Southold.

Apr. 13.—S.S. Strathcona, 1,881 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines Ltd., captured by submarine and sunk by bomb near Ronaldshay, nine lives lost and master, chief and third engineers made prisoners.

Apr. 16.—Victoria (s), 165 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Beachy Head.

Apr. 22.—S.S. Neepawa, 1,799 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Bishop Rock.

Apr. 25.—Invermay (s), 1,471 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Eagle Island.

May 1.—S.S. C. A. Jaques, 2,105 gross tons, owned by Canada Steamship Lines, sunk by submarine torpedo, without warning, near Boulogne; three lives lost.

May 14.—Carmeney (s), 1,299 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bomb near Cape Pastnet.

May 16.—Dorothy Duff (s), 183 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bomb near Cape Culema.

May 24.—McClure (s), 220 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Cape Carbonara.

June 10.—S.S. Scottish Hero, 2,205 gross tons, owned by Hero Steamship Co., Halifax, N.S., captured by submarine gun fire, one life lost.

July 21.—Willena Gertrude (s), 317 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Azores.

Sept. 29.—Perry B. (s), 319 gross tons, sunk by submarine gun fire near Cape Villana.

Nov. 8.—Hilda R. (s), 100 gross tons, captured by submarine and sunk by bombs near Cape St. Mary.

Canadian Pacific Railway CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1920. Imperial Limited, Train 2, from Vancouver, 8.00 p. m., daily. Toronto Express, Train 4, from Vancouver, 8.30 a. m., daily. Kootenay Express, Train 12, from Vancouver, 7.30 p. m., daily. Full information from any C. P. R. Agent.

B. C. COAST SERVICE Change of Time—Effective Sunday, January 18, 1920.

Afternoon Boat for Vancouver Will Leave at 2:15 P.M., DAILY. And Night Boat, 11.45 P. M. Daily Except Sunday. Full Information From Any C. P. R. Agent.

MAY CHANGE PLAN OF SECURITY HOUSES

An extensive change in the field of operations of the Canadian security houses is likely to be observed during the year 1920. The establishment of a record premium in New York Funds, and the apparent certainty that a substantial premium will remain in force for many months or years, combine to afford an overwhelming advantage to those security houses which have an organization for selling in the United States, and the firms which have not already established branches or affiliations in the public are hurriedly preparing to do so.

DAY STEAMER TO SEATTLE THE S.S. "SOLDUC"

Leaves C. P. R. Wharf daily except Sundays at 11.30 a. m. for Port Astoria, Dungeness, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving Seattle 7.15 p. m. Returns leaves Seattle daily except Saturdays at midnight, arriving Victoria 5.15 a. m. Secure information and tickets from PUGET SOUND NAVIGATION CO.

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BAD BLIZZARD IN NORTH MICHIGAN

Traverse City, Mich., Jan. 15.—Scores of northern Michigan towns were isolated today by the worst blizzard that has swept this section in years. Low temperatures and impassable snowdrifts have put a number of communities in serious predicament owing to shortage of coal and inability of farmers to bring in wood.

PRINCE JOVEDDAH DE RAJAH

who will give a special matinee for ladies only, at Pantages Theatre, at 10.30 to-morrow morning

French Government Abandons Programme

Foundation Company of British Columbia, Ltd., Now Going Ahead With Disposal of Its Plant Here to Other Shipbuilding Concerns

Prospects of another shipbuilding contract being awarded the Foundation Company of British Columbia, Ltd., by the French Government, faded this morning with the receipt of a telegram by Edw. E. Jenkins, local manager, to the effect that the French Government had abandoned its programme.

The proposal which has been under consideration involved a loan by the Canadian Government to the French Government, if the latter desired to have further wooden tonnage built in Canada. By this plan the difficulty arising out of the fluctuating exchange would have been overcome.

The nature of the telegram received this forenoon, however, leaves no hope for the placing orders for additional wooden ships with the local plant.

To Dispose of Plant. The Foundation Company, it was stated by Manager Jenkins this morning, will now proceed with the disposal of its plant to shipbuilding organizations which have been negotiating to acquire the Point Hope and Point Blanche shipyards. Outside of the Barnett and Cameron interests, which have already made proposals to the Foundation Company, it is understood that another shipbuilding concern has opened negotiations with the object of building wooden vessels here. The solution of the serious employment situation now existing in Victoria now hinges upon the extent of the proposed activities of the negotiating concerns.

Local Companies. Harry Barnett, as previously stated in these columns, has interested capital to go ahead with the construction of six 2,000-ton wooden barkentines, and it is likely that this concern will secure control of one of the yards which have been operated by the Foundation Company.

It is also considered probable that J. G. Cameron, president of the Cameron Lumber Company, will now go ahead with his scheme to build five wooden vessels for the lumber-carrying trade.

In the building of these vessels it is proposed to take advantage of the Federal Government loan plan. The Victoria Shipowners, Ltd., have launched a programme for the construction of four wooden barkentines at the Mud Bay yard and construction will shortly be put under way.

SHIPBUILDING COSTS HIGH IN AUSTRALASIA

Shipbuilding costs in Australasia are high. It is reported that H. M. A. S. Brisbane, which is under construction at Cockatoo Island dockyard, Sydney, during the war, cost £776,000, against £285,000 for H. M. A. S. Sydney, and £405,000 for H. M. A. S. Melbourne, which were built in the United Kingdom prior to the outbreak of war. All these vessels are practically sister ships, there being very little difference in tonnage, armaments and rating.

The bulk of the material that went into the cruiser Brisbane was imported, which, combined with other adverse conditions, considerably boosted construction costs.

Looked Like Intended Suicide

The citizen who was brandishing a fierce looking razor says it wasn't suicide but comes he was thinking about. Needless to say his wife bought Putnam's Corn Extractor and hid the razor—very wise, because Putnam's cures in 24 hours; try it, 25c. at all dealers.

1,000 Eggs in Every Hen

If You Keep Chickens, Cut This Out—Four to Seven Eggs a Week per Hen Through Cold Winter Season. With Eggs at Dollar a Dozen, Means \$5.00 Profit per Hen in Next Six Months. Amazing Poultry Secrets Revealed by AMERICA'S FOREMOST POULTRY EXPERT

This is an offer to reader of this paper who keeps chickens can afford to ignore. We will tell you why. Henry Traford, Famous Poultry Expert and Breeder, for nearly eighteen years Editor of "Poultry Success," has developed a new and remarkable system of rearing, breeding and feeding chickens for heavy egg production that seems certain to revolutionize the poultry industry and get five eggs or more for every egg produced to-day. This plan or system is explained in Mr. Traford's "1,000 Egg Hen," a free copy of which will be sent to any person who keeps six hens or more.

Poultry keepers following Mr. Traford's directions, learn how to start young pullets laying early; make old hens moult quickly and resume heavy laying during entire winter season. Most any hen will lay in spring when eggs sell at a dozen or more. His system shows how any breeder, with ordinary care, may get 1,000 eggs or more from nearly every hen five years' time at net profit of \$25.00.

There is big money to be made with chickens this winter by the man or woman who gets the eggs. The time to get the hen ready for heavy winter laying is now. Mr. Traford's "1,000 Egg Hen" system tells how and arrangements have been made whereby any reader of this paper may receive a copy absolutely free by using the Coupon below. Send no money, but cut out the Coupon and mail it with your name and address to Henry Traford, 665D Tyne Bldg., Binghamton, N. Y., and the story of the 1,000 Egg Hen will be sent you by return mail.

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BODIES PRESERVED AND BROUGHT HERE

Two Saloon Passengers on Liner Empress of Russia Died at Sea

STORMS AT WOOSUNG DELAYED BIG LINER

When the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services liner Empress of Russia was several days out to sea from Yokohama, Mr. and Mrs. A. de Lemos, heavy passengers, died, the cause of death, it was asserted aboard, being influenza. Mr. and Mrs. A. de Lemos were residents of Panama homebound from the Orient.

The usual custom of burying deceased persons at sea was not followed in this instance, the bodies being preserved and brought to port. Word was brought by the Empress of Russia that a "flu" wave is sweeping Japan, it being reported that 175 persons died in three days at Kobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benda and N. G. Schneider, first class travelers on the liner, were taken ashore at William Head, reported to be suffering from diphtheria. The removal of these passengers ashore delayed the liner in getting clear at the quarantine station, and it was 11 o'clock before the big ship came alongside her berth at the Outer Docks.

Big Storm at Woosung. Heavy storms at Woosung, ocean port for Shanghai, resulted in delay to the Empress of Russia on the other side of the Pacific. The Empress was delayed three days at Woosung and such heavy seas were running in the harbor that passengers who had gone ashore were unable to return to the ship until the storm had abated.

Owing to the delay at Woosung and New Year celebrations the liner was unable to get away from Yokohama until January 5.—Dirty weather was experienced crossing the Pacific, and with strong southeasterly weather hammering the giant ship during the last half of the voyage it was impossible to make any of the lost time.

After disembarking passengers and landing 1,700 bags of mail here the Empress of Russia left shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon for Vancouver.

The New England Restaurant will reopen January 15.

CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

Jan. 15, Noon. Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 44; sea smooth. Overcast; calm; 29.98; 42; sea smooth. Pachuca—Rain; W. strong; 29.90; 47; sea rough. Estevan—Overcast; calm; 29.95; 40; sea moderate. Spoko steamer Gray, 9.15 a. m., fifteen miles south of Estevan, southbound.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; S. E.; 29.72; 49; sea smooth. Ocean Falls—Sleet; calm; 29.91; 47; sea smooth. Triangle—Cloudy; S. W. light; 30.08; 38; light swell. Dead Tree Point—Snow; calm; 29.94; 22; sea smooth. Ikeda Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.96; 36; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.74; 40; sea smooth.

VESSELS' MOVEMENTS

Steamer arrivals, Jan. 14.—Winnifredian, at Boston from Liverpool; Tunisian, at London from St. John; Saxonia, at London from New York; Frederick VIII, at Christiansand from New York; Duca d'Aosta, at Naples from New York.

Jan. 14.—Arrived: Str. Queen, Seattle; Tenyo Maru, Hongkong; Cordova, Tacoma; Santa Barbara, Astoria; Libby Maine, Salina Cruz. Sailed: Str. Walkawa, Sydney; West Cactus, Yokohama; San Mateo, Balboa; Daylight, Manila; Acme, Bandon; J. A. Moffett, Seattle.

Jan. 14.—Arrived: Str. Jefferson, Southeastern Alaska; Lyman Stewart, Port San Luis; Northwestern, Southwestern Alaska. Sailed: Str. West Laid, San Pedro and New York, via San Pedro and Balboa.

Tacoma, Jan. 14.—Arrived: Str. Rainier, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Ketchikan, Alaska, via ports; Rainier, San Francisco, West Hesseline, New York via ports.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 14.—Arrived: Admiral Goodrich, towing motor schooner

Ships at a Glance

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS. TO ARRIVE. Empress of Russia, from Hongkong, January 15. Mexico Maru, from Singapore, January 25. Chicago Maru, from Hongkong, January 29. Niagara, from Sydney, January 30. Steelmaker, from New York, March 1.

TO DEPART. Empress of Russia, for Hongkong, January 29. Chicago Maru, for Hongkong, February 10.

COASTWISE SAILINGS. For Vancouver. Princess Victoria leaves 2.30 p.m. daily. Princess Adelaide or Princess Royal leaves 11.45 a.m. daily. From Vancouver. Princess Adelaide or Princess Royal arrives 7 a.m. daily. Princess Charlotte arrives 3 p.m. daily.

For Seattle. Sol Duc leaves 10.30 a.m. daily. Princess Charlotte leaves 4.30 p.m. daily. From Seattle. Sol Duc arrives 9 a.m. daily. Princess Victoria arrives 1.15 p.m. daily.

For Prince Rupert. Prince George, every Sunday, 10 a.m. From Prince Rupert. Prince George, every Sunday, 7 a.m. For West Coast. Princess Margaret leaves for Port Alice, Ist. 10th and 20th of each month. For San Francisco. President and Governor, alternating, Fridays at 5 p.m. From San Francisco. President and Governor, alternating, Mondays at 4 p.m.

It's always the fellow with the open car who is open hearted enough to offer you a ride downtown these cold mornings.

Advertisement for 1,000 Eggs in Every Hen, featuring Henry Traford's poultry expertise and a coupon for a free copy of his book.

Advertisement for Pyramid Pile Treatment, a medical product for hemorrhoids, including a coupon for a free trial.

Advertisement for Prince Joveddah de Rajah, featuring a portrait of the prince and text about a special matinee performance.

Advertisement for B.C. Coast Service, detailing changes in ship schedules and routes.

Advertisement for Day Steamer to Seattle, listing the S.S. Solduc and its schedule.

Advertisement for the United S.S. Co. of B.C., listing various shipping routes and schedules.

Advertisement for the White Star Dominion Line, listing routes to Europe and other destinations.

Advertisement for the Brentwood Hotel, highlighting its dining and service offerings.

Advertisement for a bad blizzard in North Michigan, reporting on the impact on the region.

Advertisement for a special matinee performance by Prince Joveddah de Rajah at the Pantages Theatre.

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BRIEF LOCALS

Aerial League Meets To-night—The Aerial League will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in the Arcade Building.

Dance and Card Party—There was a large turnout to the weekly dance and card party held in the Knights of Columbus Hall last evening.

Won Military Medal—Alex Swainson, of 1324 Denman Street, a member of The Colonial book-binding department, has been notified that he won the Military Medal for bravery and devotion to duty on the field in March, 1918.

Police Union's Annual Meeting—The annual meeting of the Victoria Police Union was held on Tuesday at police headquarters.

King's Fund Available—Any Imperial pensioner here suffering a service disability and wishing to re-establish himself in civil life may tent of \$500.

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VANCOUVER MEDICAL MEN WANT RELIEF FROM DISPENSING LIQUOR

That the medical profession be entirely relieved of the responsibility of dispensing liquor is the wish of the Vancouver Medical Association, as expressed in a resolution passed by that body on Monday evening.

RESERVES DECISION

Magistrate Jay Will Give His Verdict in Peter Cook Case To-morrow.

Magistrate Jay reserved his decision in the charge against Peter Cook of keeping liquor for sale in the Gordon Bar, Johnson Street, until to-morrow morning.

The charge against John Ferguson of also keeping liquor for sale in the Gordon Bar, was remanded by the magistrate until to-morrow.

St. Mary Magdalene, Oklands.—The annual vestry meeting of the parishioners was held on Monday evening. The rector, Rev. G. A. Wells, was in the chair.

The New England Restaurant will reopen January 15.

SCIENCE PROVES THE DANGER OF BLEEDING GUMS

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Assets of Union Bank Nearly 175 Millions

Fifty-Fifth Annual Statement Reveals Significant Progress While Extending Banking Accommodation Throughout Canada

With total assets of \$175,000,000 the fifty-fifth report of the Union Bank of Canada is the most notable in the history of the institution.

000 new capital stock issue and \$218,830 transferred from current profits. The addition to these accounts brings the total reserve up to 70.25 per cent. of capital.

The bank's liquid or quickly convertible assets are in excess of \$75,000,000 compared with \$72,000,000 last year and bear a percentage of 47.23 per cent to the public liabilities.

The total of current loans for this year is \$86,828,155 compared with \$74,021,028 last year, an increase of \$12,807,127 or 16.89 per cent.

In an international way the Union Bank of Canada has made interesting progress, with the rounding out of the Park-Union Foreign Banking Corporation, which is jointly owned and controlled by the National Park Bank of New York and the Union Bank of Canada.



H. B. SHAW

General Manager, Union Bank of Canada

or 14.23 per cent, within the twelve-month period, a striking achievement having due regard for the vicissitudes of the reconstruction era.

IS WELCOMED HOME



F. T. STYLES SEHL, R.A.F., who was welcomed home from overseas service at a very enjoyable party given by his sisters, the Misses Kezia and Florence Sehl at St. John's Hall on Tuesday evening.

REEVESHIP CANDIDATE OFFERS REWARD FOR MYSTERIOUS DODGER

Mr. A. Lockley, candidate for Reeve of Esquimalt, brought to The Times office this morning a copy of a dodger which was distributed throughout Esquimalt last evening.

Mr. Lockley gives an emphatic denial to the matter, declaring that there is no warrant for such a statement. He has no association with the liquor interests, in this or any previous campaign.

Had Liquor in Possession.—In the police court this morning, Edgar Slowey was fined \$50 or in default one month for having liquor in his possession.

ONE-THIRD SAANICH CHILDREN DEFECTIVE

Medical Report Alarming, Says Councillor Dooley

"If people of Saanich wish to get strong and healthy children we have got to have something more than inspection of children," Councillor Tom Dooley told residents of Ward Seven and Two at the Tolmie and Tillicum schools last night.

"Last year, out of 1,147 Saanich school pupils examined, one-third were found medically unfit," he said. Of this number 17 were suffering from malnutrition, 14 defective mentally, 41 defective vision, 4 defective hearing, 430 defective teeth, 212 nasal breathing, 259 adenoids, 397 enlarged tonsils, 29 enlarged glands, 19 goitre.

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When your liver gets sluggish and inactive, your whole health suffers. Your bowels become constipated, your head aches, your tongue is coated, breath bad, specks float before the eyes, you are bilious, have heartburn, water-brash, pain under the right shoulder, muddy and brown spotted complexion, etc.

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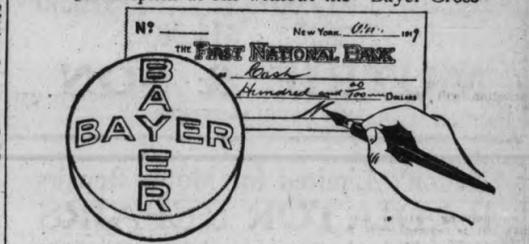
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Restricting Birthrate.—To remove adenoids costs \$30 for the operation and \$7.50 for hospital fees. There are many of us who cannot afford this. Imagine what it costs a man with a family of ten.

Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings for the week ending to-day were \$2,792,845, as compared with \$2,718,792 in the corresponding week of 1919.

BAD COLD LEFT HIM WITH BRONCHITIS

However slight a cold you have you should never neglect it; if you do it can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is just the remedy you require to cure the bronchitis. It does this by loosening the phlegm and mucous, and stimulates the weakened bronchial organs, always irritation and subsides inflammation, soothes and heals the irritated parts and thus prevents it becoming chronic.

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Annual Meeting of West Saanich Institute. The members of the West Saanich Women's Institute assembled on Tuesday afternoon in the Institute room at Sluggists to hear the reports presented to the fifth annual meeting.



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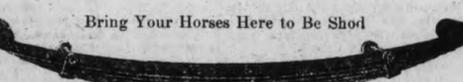
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Victoria	4	2	0	17	20
Vancouver	3	3	19	20	509
Seattle	2	4	12	14	333

Vancouver made their record read an even break in the coast hockey title by winning three to one over the Metropolitans at Seattle last night in the second victory away from home being up by either of the teams in the triangular race for the pennant. To-morrow night at the Arena the Millionaires will be in a position to dispute Victoria's right to the league leadership. They cannot shut the home boys from the position, but if Lloyd Cook's men succeed in avenging the defeat Victoria handed to them on the mainland the two Canadian teams will stand level on the chart.

Taylor Gaining

The veteran Fred Taylor who did not show his wares before the capital city fans will be on hand on this occasion and in view of that important fact the locals cannot expect a seven to four victory like they handed the Millionaires here two weeks ago. Taylor last night had a hand in each of the three counters, and has only to pile up another couple of points to draw even with Tommy Dunderdale in the race for scoring honors. With a possibility of the Victoria centre forward being out of the game as a result of the crack on the forehead he received in the last game the Cyclone stands a good chance of assuming his favorite position on the individual ladder.

LAST NIGHT'S BOUTS

Portland, Ore., Jan. 15.—Johnny McCarthy, of San Francisco, won a ten-round decision over Alex. Trambitas, of Portland, last night in the main event of the Portland boxing commission's card. The fighters were welterweights.

BOOTS AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Jan. 15.—When Bobby Harper clipped Harold Jones on the jaw in the second round of the main bout at the V. A. C. boxing show last night, sending the Tacoma boy spinning to the canvas, fans expected to see the Northwest titleholder win a comparatively easy fight, but Jones was on his feet in an instant and from then until the end of the edge on Harper. The referee called it a draw.

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 1231 GOVERNMENT STREET
 SEE MY WINDOWS

NEW PROHIBITION IN UNITED STATES

Constitutional Type Comes Into Force at Midnight To-morrow

Washington, Jan. 15.—Prohibition Commissioner Kramer has completed organization of the machinery for the enforcement of constitutional prohibition throughout the United States after the amendment and the enforcement law becomes effective to-morrow midnight.

Commissioners have been appointed for practically all states, as well as for the districts into which the country has been divided for the purposes of enforcement of the law.

Exportation of intoxicating liquors will cease with the coming into force of the amendment. An enormous amount of whisky has been sent out of the country within the past few weeks, but large stocks still remain in warehouses, and their disposition will be watched closely to prevent illegal sales.

Must Be Moved.
 Liquor held in warehouses and elsewhere for private account must be moved to homes or other places of residence by the owners before to-morrow midnight. Any remaining in storage will be subject to seizure.

Home brewing of beverages containing more than one-half of one per cent. of alcohol will come under the ban.

Enforcement of the new liquor law will be left largely to state, county and municipal officials, but Commissioner Kramer has given warning that where these fail to use due diligence the Federal authorities will step in.

Reminders.
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MERCHANTS HEARD SIR GEORGE FOSTER

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—Two hundred delegates to the Ottawa and Eastern districts convention of the Retail Merchants' Association listened to a most inspiring and at the same time optimistic address which was delivered by Sir George Foster, Acting Prime Minister, at the annual banquet at the Chateau Laurier last night. The Acting Prime Minister, who spoke at length, ascribed the general unrest prevalent not only in Canada, but throughout the world, to the great war, which during the five years it was in progress, so disrupted the productive source of the world and created a new environment for the men who had fought in it that it would be generations before times would ever be normal again.

FAREWELL DINNER IN MEWBURN'S HONOR GIVEN BY MINISTERS

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—Major-General Mewburn was tendered a farewell dinner last night by his colleagues in the Cabinet. Happy speeches eulogizing General Mewburn as a soldier, Minister and gentleman were made by members of the cabinet, and the general replying with a feeling reference to his association with the Government and to the co-operation and loyalty which his colleagues had shown him since he entered the Cabinet in 1917.

BRavery OF EPSOM POLICE RECOGNIZED

London, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—A sequel to the disturbance by Canadian soldiers at Epsom on June 17 last came yesterday when each of the twenty-four policemen who defended the police station during the attack was presented with a gold watch and medal provided by public subscription.

Earl Rosebery, who had taken a leading part in raising the subscriptions, presented the medals, but was so ill that he could not make a speech and had to be assisted to a chair.

OTTAWA BUILDINGS NOT YET COMPLETED

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—The approaching session of Parliament may be held in the National Museum and not in the new Parliament Buildings as announced some time ago. At this rate there is a considerable degree of uncertainty about the matter at the present time. Members of Parliament who have purposed another session in the Museum Building. Officials of the House of Commons have been advised that if they do move into the building it will be necessary for them to move out again after the session is over in order to allow the work to be completed. A definite decision in regard to the matter will be reached shortly.

FRENCH-CANADIANS ARE NOT WEALTHY

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—(Canadian Press)—The resignation of the High Court division of the Supreme Court of Ontario was accepted by the Cabinet yesterday. A definite decision in regard to justice Britton has as yet been named.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—Defining wealth as a surplus of earnings or liquid assets which could be given away without interfering with one's comfort, Senator Candlish, in an address delivered yesterday at the weekly luncheon of the Montreal Publicity Association, contended that the French-Canadian did not possess one-twentieth of the wealth of Montreal. The speaker said his estimate was based on the experience acquired in many campaigns, such as those of the Patriotic Fund and the Victory Loan.

In view of this, the speaker said it was significant that the French-Canadians were tacking when undertaking to rebuild the recently destroyed University of Montreal.

VATICAN SUBSCRIBES TO ITALIAN LOAN

Rome, Jan. 15.—The Vatican has subscribed 20,000,000 lire to the Sixth National Loan, according to the Messaggero, which says the subscription has surpassed 10,000,000,000 lire. This is the first time, the newspaper states, that the Vatican has participated in such a loan.

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 West Ham 3, Southampton 1.
 Leicester 2, Newport 0.
 Luton 1, Wolverhampton 0.
 The games were replayed as the first meeting between the teams on Saturday resulted in ties.

TO EUROPE. COLORS TO CANADA.

Quebec, Jan. 15.—L'Action Catholique announces that Sir Lomer Gouin, Premier of Quebec, and Hon. G. E. Amyot will leave immediately after the present session of the Legislature on a trip to Europe.

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Esquimalt Municipal Elections

Vote For LOCKLEY For Reeve

And a Good, Clean, Businesslike Administration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements under this heading will be inserted at the rate of 3c. per word per week.

Pythian Social Dance, Thursday, K. F. Hall, 9 to 12. Ozard's orchestra. Class 7.50.

Advice—Crockery advanced 10 per cent. November 1 last. Our 37-piece Dinner Sets, at \$49, bought before then, are good value to-day. Brown's Brown Tea Pot Depot, 1302 Douglas St.

The White Fingering Wool is just to hand at the Beehive. Inspect the Men's Underwear, \$1.75 a garment, vests and drawers—this is old stock. New golf hose for children.

Just Received a fresh lot of mated Alaskan codfish, 2 lbs. 25c, 50 lbs. \$5. Johnson Street, two doors below Government.

I. O. E. D. Dance—Robert Burns McKicking Chapter, K. of P. Hall, January 22.

Your Fire Insurance is costing too much. See the Independent Agency, Canadian, British, French, American Companies. 1st and Jobston.

The New England Restaurant will reopen January 22.

In Spite of the Advanced Price The Beehive is still selling hair nets at the old price, 6 for 25 for the elastic nets and 3 for 25c for the large all over nets. The large real hair nets are 20c, 3 for 50c.

Alice in Wonderland could not put anything over a Cook who uses one of our Covered Roasters, 85c at R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

MOTOR LEAGUE.

Regina, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press.) F. E. Betts, chief organizer of the Saskatchewan Motor League, has resigned, and in future membership will be accepted direct, as well as through clubs. The construction of an inter-provincial highway is favored.

Saanich Election

Vote for Macnicol for POLICE COMMISSIONER and Impartial Administration of Police Affairs.

MACNICOL X

Polling Day, Jan. 17, 1920.

CITY MARKET AUCTION

Tuesdays and Fridays

TO-MORROW, 2 P. M.

Studebaker 5-Passenger Car, one Fine Black Pool Coat, fresh few weeks, milking 2 gallons, two, Fine Grade Jersey Heifer due April, Poultry, including Breeding Leghorn Cockerels, Barron's strain, Singing Canaries, quantity of Household Furniture, etc.

Further entries received to Friday noon.

ARTHUR HEMINGWAY Auctioneer
 Phone 2484

MOVIE ADVERTISEMENT CENSORSHIP IN ONTARIO

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—The Telegram's Toronto correspondent states that an Order-in-Council has been passed by the Ontario Government appointing the Board of Censors for the purpose of passing on posters, handbills, cuts, newspapers and periodical advertisements, banners, flags, photographs and lobby displays in picture theatres.

The fee to the film exchanges will be \$150 and to the theatres \$10 each. All advertisements must be censored before they appear in newspapers under a penalty of from \$20 to \$200.

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727-733 PANDORA AVE.

Instructed we will sell at salesrooms 727-733 Pandora Ave.

To-morrow, Friday

1.30 p.m.

EXTRA HIGH-CLASS

Household Furniture and Furnishings

of several houses including:

Very fine 3-Piece Mahogany Parlor Suite with Loose Cushions, Large Mahogany Settee Upholstered in Leather, Mission Oak Pedestal Centre Table, Fumed Oak Arm Rocker, Upholstered in Leather, Mission Oak Arm Chair Upholstered in Leather, Morris Chair, 5-Piece Walnut Parlor Suite Upholstered in Horse Hair, Fumed Oak Hall stand, Ladies' Secretaire, Large Overmantel, Extra Good Carpets, Fine Assortment of Pictures, Four Good Gramophones and Records, Mahogany Music Cabinet, Rattan Chairs, Centre Table, Bed Chair, Enlarging Camera with Extra Lens, Violin and Case, Very Fine Massive Mission Oak Round Dining Table and Set of Eight Spring Seated Dining Chairs to Match, Mahogany China Cabinet, Large Golden Oak China Cabinet, Very Good Square Mission Oak Dining Table, Three Golden Oak Dining Tables and Chairs to Match, Massive Golden Oak Sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Dinner Service, Books, Electric Reading Lamp, Two Very Fine Full Size All-Brass Beds, Springs and Feik Mattresses, Very Fine Mahogany and Oak Chiffoniers, Oak and Other Dressers and Stands, Two Good Walnut Bedroom Suites, Bedroom Tables and Chairs, Toilet Ware, Couches, Bed Lounge, Sanitary Couch, Folding Bed, Screens, Camp Cots, Blankets, Pillows, Sewing Machine, Portieres, Ranges and Cook Stoves, Heaters and Parlor Stoves, Kitchen Cabinets, Kitchen Tables, Round Tables, Large Assortment of Cooking Utensils, Washing Tubs, Bolders, Crockery and Glassware, Screen Doors, Oil Stoves and Heaters, Curtain Stretches, Lawn Mowers, Garden Tools, Step Ladder, Block and Tackle, etc. Over Board Engine in Good Running Order.

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FOR REEVE

To the Ratepayers of Esquimalt Municipality:

At the request of numerous residents in the Municipality, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Reeve at the election to be held on the 17th inst.

I am in favor of retrenchment in municipal financial matters, and would advocate that during the present financial depression only schemes that are absolutely necessary for the judicious development of the municipality should be undertaken. At this period of the world's history it behoves all people and municipalities to conserve as well as increase the production of their resources.

I favor a conference between the corporation and the B. C. Electric Railway Company, having for its object an equitable adjustment of the transfers and fares charged by the said Company.

I also favor a stronger effort being made to reach a fair settlement as to the rights and liabilities of the Esquimalt Waterworks Co. in regard to insuring for the ratepayers of the Municipality a proper and sufficient head of water for fire protection.

I am elected, I undertake to devote my best efforts in the interests of the Municipality. I do not propose to canvass any voter. I have no objection to the organization to procure my election, and leave the issue solely to your best judgment.

Yours truly,
JOHN JARDINE

"MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ACT."

NOTICE

Municipality of Saanich.
 To Wit:
 "PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality aforesaid that a poll has become necessary at the election now pending for the said Municipality, and that I have granted such poll, and further that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said election, and for whom only votes will be received, are:

Surname	Other Names	Whether for Reeve, Councillor, School Trustee or Commissioner of Police	For What Ward	Abode.	Rank, Profession or Occupation
GRAHAM	WILLIAM	Councillor	2	3223 Tennyson Ave.	Engineer
WATCHMAN	ALEX.	Councillor	2	3292 Douglas St.	Carpenter
MACNICOL	ROBERT	Police Commissioner	-	897 Swan St.	Clerk
OWENS	JAMES	Police Commissioner	-	3428 Davidson Ave.	Carpenter

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
 Given under my hand at Royal Oak, B. C., this 13th day of January, 1920.
 R. R. F. SEWELL,
 No. 6418. Returning Officer.

NOTICE

MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

"PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality aforesaid, that a Poll has become necessary at the Election now pending for ONE (1) person as a member of the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF POLICE for the City of Victoria, and that I have granted such Poll, and further that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said Election and for whom only votes will be received are:

FOR ONE (1) COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

Surname	Other Names	Abode.	Occupation.
DAY	Robert Scott	1606 Rockland Ave.	Real Estate and Ins. Agent
GRELL	Arthur Martin	22 Mt. Edward Apts.	Real Estate and Ins. Agent
SNELLING	Arthur George	1311 Harrison St.	Mgr. Northwestern Creamery

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 Given under my hand at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of January, 1920.
 W. W. NORTHGOTT,
 No. 6423. Returning Officer.

NOTICE

MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

"PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality aforesaid, that a Poll has become necessary at the Election now pending for FOUR (4) SCHOOL TRUSTEES for Victoria City School District, and that I have granted such Poll, and further that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said Election and for whom only votes will be received are:

FOR FOUR (4) SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Surname	Other Names	Abode.	Occupation.
ANDREWS	Bertha P.	1358 Pandora St.	Housewife
BECKWITH	John Leander	1423 Fernwood Road	Manufacturer
BOLDEN	John Wm.	2505 Prior St.	Contractor
JOHNSON	Sarah J. Cody	1422 Stanley Ave.	Housewife
PIKE	Arthur Colville	122 Cambridge St.	Stationary Engineer
RAYNOR	Melbourne	898 Russell St.	Physician and Surgeon

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FOR ALDERMEN

Names.	Other Names.	Abode.	Occupation.
ANDROS	Edwyn Brenton	644 Linden Ave.	Retired
CAMERON	Wm. George	11 Mt. Edward Apts.	Retired
CLARK	Watson A.	1594 Hillside Ave.	Manufacturer
DEWAR	Robt. Alexander C.	1218 Johnson St.	Motorman
DINSDALE	Robert	2020 Quadra St.	Builder and Contractor
FULLERTON	Wm. F.	1342 Pembroke St.	Carpenter and Joiner
GRAVES	Mary Gertrude	1915 Stanley Ave.	Housewife
HARVEY	John	120 St. Andrew St.	Retired Contractor
JOHNS	Aibion	852 George Road	Retired
PATRICK	Joseph	425 Michigan St.	Retired
SANGSTER	George	161 South Turner St.	Retired
SARGENT	W. J.	2151 Belmont Ave.	Retired
SEABROOK	Joseph Ivan	402 John St.	Manufacturer
SHANKS	James Arthur	1281 Fairfield Road	Barber
SIVERTZ	Christian	1278 Denman St.	Letter Carrier
TODD	Albert Edward	721 Linden Ave.	Retired
WOODWARD	Eugene Sidney	1253 Carlin St.	Editor

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 FOR THE OFFICE OF ALDERMEN—in the building known as the Victoria Public Market Building, Cormorant Street, as follows, viz.: Voters "A" to "D" inclusive in Polling Booth No. 1; Voters "E" to "L" inclusive in Polling Booth No. 2; Voters "M" to "O" inclusive in Polling Booth No. 3; and Voters "P" to "Z" inclusive in Polling Booth No. 4; of which every person is required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.
 Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 13th day of January, 1920.
 W. W. NORTHGOTT,
 No. 6424. Returning Officer.

REMOVAL NOTICE

The Information and Service Branch Dept. S. C. R. was removed from
513 Central Building to Ground Floor, Law Chambers
 (Corner Langley and Bastion)
 Advice given ex-members of the forces on all matters affecting Re-establishment.
 Unemployment certificates will be issued from this office in future.
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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
 HATES—On Jan. 13, at Mrs. Bell's Nursing Home, 726 Cloverdale Ave., to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hates, a daughter, SHARCOFF—At 824 Lyall Street, January 13, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sharcoff, a son.

IN MEMORIAM.
 BENGOUGH—In loving memory of our dear Ivy, who passed her rest January 15, 1919. Sadly missed by Mamma and Daddy.

A year has passed since that sad day. When the one we loved was called away. And took her home—'tis well—'tis well—But in our hearts she liveth still.

COAL AGREEMENT IN NOVA SCOTIA

Halifax, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—It was announced last night that a complete agreement had been reached between the United Mine Workers of Spring Hill, N. S., and the Dominion Coal Company, and that the laborers of the conciliation board which has been arbitrating between the disputants in connection with wage scale matters probably would be terminated to-day, when it is expected that both parties will sign the agreement.

The board is composed of C. MacKinnon, chairman; Colonel W. F. Thompson, a U. M. W. representative; and J. C. Watters, for the men.

PARIS BIRTHRATE STILL IS FALLING

Paris, Jan. 15.—The tradition that the birthrate of a country always increases after a war has proved fallacious in this city at least. Statistics of the prefecture of police show the rate is still sinking.

The number of births in Paris in recent months has been higher than ever, but this is due to the fact that the population of Paris has been augmented by 500,000 persons during the last year. The number of births per thousand of population, the vital test, is lower at present than it was before the outbreak of the war in 1914. Poorer quarters of the city show a higher percentage than sections containing the homes of the wealthier citizens.

A Constipation Cure

A druggist says: "For nearly thirty years I have known of the Extract of Roots known as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, for the radical cure of constipation and indigestion. It is an old reliable remedy that never fails to do the work." 30 drops three daily. Get the Genuine at druggists.

COURT RULES ON STATUS OF ALIEN

London, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The Appeal Court has given an important decision on the status of an alien under the laws of the Empire. The appellant was Heinrich Herman Markwald, who was born in Germany, and settled in Australia in 1908. He obtained a certificate of British naturalization, and came to England at the outbreak of the war, and was required to register as an alien under the Alien Registration Act. He refused, and was prosecuted and convicted by a magistrate. On appeal the divisional court upheld the conviction. The Appeal Court holds that the appellant had not ceased to be an alien here by virtue of his Australian certificate of naturalization and dismisses the appeal.

WINTER CHOLERA CASES NUMEROUS IN KANSAS

Montreal, Jan. 15.—A special dispatch to the Gazette from Topeka, Kas., says the state board of health estimates that there are 25,000 cases of winter cholera in Kansas. One thousand of these are Topeka school children.

GRAY'S SYRUP

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 which soothe the throat, soothe the lungs, soothe the nerves, soothe the system, soothe the child, soothe the mother, soothe the father, soothe the whole family.

Edmonton, Jan. 15.—The Government of Alberta has purchased a site close to Edmonton for the sum of \$20,000, on which will be erected an institution for the care of mentally defective children. The work will begin at once, the plans calling for accommodation for 150.

RULES FOR LOANS TO EX-SOLDIERS

\$500 For Related Tools or For Further Scholastic Training

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—(Canadian Press)—Instructions have been issued regarding the procedure to be taken by eligible ex-members of the forces in applying for a loan for the purchase of tools or equipment on completion of course or to provide for the resumption of industrial or scholastic training under certain conditions.

The special committee dealing with the Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment Act recommended Parliament that \$500, should be approved for these purposes and the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment is now prepared to deal with such applications, the money for these loans being provided as part of the sum of \$40,000,000 voted at the last session of Parliament for various aids to re-establishment. There are two classes of loans, the maximum of each being \$500.

Equipment.
 In the first class a disabled man who has received training through the vocational branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment, may apply for a loan for the purchase of tools and equipment necessary to enable him to follow an occupation or trade along the lines for which he has been retrained.

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Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 15.—The Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal Party and representative of acclamation of the constituency of Prince, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King had a private audience at the hands of demonstrative, enthusiastic and hospitable Prince Edward Islanders during his visit. The reception tendered him last October on his first visit to Summerside was repeated on his present tour. Last night he addressed two crowded meetings in the Prince Edward and Strand Theatres in this city, where he appeared for the first time, speaking with much vigor.

His speech, in the main, apart from his special references to conditions in this province, were along the lines of those delivered at Newmarket, Ontario, in Halifax. He rang the changes on stability and unity as the greatest need of Canada and on Liberalism as the solution of the present problems confronting Canada. He was frequently interrupted by applause and at the close was greeted with prolonged cheers.

POPULATION OF SASKATCHEWAN IS PUT AT 833,267

Regina, Jan. 15.—Saskatchewan's population is now 833,267, according to an announcement made in the Legislature yesterday afternoon by Premier Martin, who based his statement on figures compiled by the Vital Statistics Branch of the Provincial Health Bureau.

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—Acting on an invitation from the Women's Council of Winnipeg, all the women of Manitoba are being asked to take part in the postcard shower to which some 100 members of the Provincial Government are urging the "immediate provision of an institution for the care of the feeble minded."

The women's section of the United Farmers of Manitoba is among the strong organizations giving their support to the movement.

Attorney-General Johnson in an address before the Social Welfare Commission announced that this year's estimate would include a special grant for the care of the mentally deficient.

NOT ALLIES' FAULT U. S. IN PRESENT POSITION ON TREATY

Montreal, Jan. 15.—A London cable to The Montreal Gazette says: "Discussing Viscount Grey's return from his tour in Washington, which it describes as a 'blank,' The Daily Chronicle says: "The immediate future of the United States related to the League of Nations and the world rests entirely with the Americans themselves, as outsiders can do nothing toward influencing it. The European Allies, though they had borne incomparably the heavier share of the world war's sacrifices, are quite ready to concede to the United States the leadership in the new world organization. Recognizing the technical difficulties presented by her constitution and the practical ones connected with her traditions and outlook, they were willing to make and did make all sorts of one-sided exceptions in her favor. In fact, they refused her nothing, and if she decides to 'quit' it will be the world's loss, but in no way the world's fault.

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SAANICH CUTS COST OF EDUCATING YOUNG

Reduction Per Pupil Despite H. C. L.; Reeve-elect Tells Taxpayers

Facts are within the covers of the 1919 Saanich annual report that make other municipalities green with envy regarding efficiency of administration declared Reeve-elect George F. Watson, speaking to Saanich electors at the Tillamook and the Tolmie School last night.

He quoted figures to show the reduction in the cost of fuel and supplies for the public schools of the municipality. Despite the increased prices of all things, and the increase of \$11,000 in teachers salaries, the cost of educating each pupil in the municipality has been reduced by \$3.10 since 1914, the figures also showed.

The reason for the cut in the cost of supplies has been brought about by the buying of supplies in wholesale quantities, and holding them in store at Royal Oak instead of buying from retailers at a high price each article needed, he explained.

School Attendance Bad.
The Reeve-elect urged Saanich parents to work for more regular attendance of pupils at school.

"The record of Saanich is bad," he said. "In 1914 the number of pupils was 1,193, but the average attendance was only \$72. Last year the number of pupils enrolled was 1,800, but the average attendance was only 1,350. It means that nearly one-third of the pupils are shown to be irregular at school."

Must Better Distribute Cost.
"There is one fault, however, in connection with our educational system in Saanich that must be rectified. I have always been a follower of Henry George in land taxation, but when one looks at the state of affairs in Saanich now, he almost weakens. The cost of education is bearing proportionately too heavily on the farmers who are working large areas of land, while the thickly populated districts near the city are not so heavily hit."

"The burden of the cost of education is not spread over the municipality as it should be. Some system must be devised whereby every section will bear its fair share of the cost of education in the municipality."

Should Not Have Appeared.
Through a misunderstanding an advertisement appearing in The Times on Tuesday and Wednesday announcing that George Burt had sold his wood and coal business to S. S. Weston, also stated that debts contracted after December 31, 1919, should not be charged to Mr. Burt, but would be paid by Mr. Weston. The reference to debts contracted after December 31, 1919, should not have appeared in the advertisement as published in this newspaper.

RHEUMATIC PAINS RAISING A RUMPUS

Sloan's Liniment, kept handy takes the fight out of them

SLOSHING around in the wet sand then—the dreaded rheumatic twinges? But not for long when Sloan's Liniment is kept handy. Pains, strains, sprains—how soon this old family friend penetrates without rubbing and helps drive'em away! And how cleanly, too—no mucus, no blotchy, no stained skin or clogged pores. Muscles limber up, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia are promptly relieved. Keep a bottle handy all the time. Get one to-day if you've run out of Sloan's Liniment. All druggists—50c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

Sloan's Liniment
Keep it handy

"SHINGLE AFFAIR" DIFFERENCES AGAIN AMUSE ELECTORS

Characters in Incident Rehearse Roles for Saanich Wards Two and Seven

The famous "shingle affair," the police chief dismissal, the differences between Police Commissioner James Owens and his opponent, Comrade Robert Macnicol and ex-Chief Dryden, were all aired and threshed out again at great length last night in the Tolmie and Tillamook schools for the entertainment of ratepayers of Wards Two and Seven, Saanich.

Nearly 100 persons crowded one of the class-rooms at the Tolmie school, where the affair was first staged. Members of the audience with questions and short speeches of their own played almost as important a part as the chief characters themselves. The three chief characters were given free scope by J. C. Richards, chairman at the Tolmie meeting, in dealing with the only question that is agitating the electors this election and when the audience had had enough of them, they moved on to the Tillamook school, where speakers repeated their performances.

No Apologies Necessary.
James Owens, appealing for re-election as Police Commissioner again, gave the details of the "shingle affair," which resulted in the dismissal of Chief Dryden.

"I have no apologies to offer for any of my actions as Police Commissioner," said Mr. Owens. "In my estimation Dryden has not made good."

He charged that Mr. Dryden had been issuing improper statements as to his work as chief. He said the chief pointed to the large collection of dog taxes this year, \$69 in all. Mr. Owens said that nine-tenths of this was taken in through the municipal office, and not by Mr. Dryden at all. Of the total amount of road taxes collected only \$262 was taken by the chief, and this was collected in one cheque from the head office of the Portland Cement Co.

"Unjust Attack."
"My opponent in this contest has been trying to split the labor and returned soldiers' vote," Mr. Owens went on. "My nomination was supported by Dr. Holmes, W. J. Scott and Alex. Watchman assented to the nomination, that is all. The returning officer, apparently by mistake, gave out the latter names by mistake."

He charged that Mr. Dryden had called Officer Rankin "a lunk" because Rankin refused to let the chief take away the shingles in the first place.

"Mr. Rankin is one of the most efficient servants of the municipality," Mr. Owens explained.

Lunatic Got Back Firearms.
"Mr. Dryden, although he has been doing a lot of talking has not asked for an inquiry and as far as I know he does not want one."

There was much discussion as to who had returned firearms to a lunatic last July. This man had been brandishing a revolver and alarming residents. The fire arms had been taken away from him on the complaint of residents but were then turned into the municipality. Later it was discovered that they had been mysteriously returned to the lunatic. It was charged that to permit firearms to be returned to a lunatic who brandished them around terrifying the neighborhood, was not in keeping with the dignity of the office of any police chief.

Police Control Not Efficient.
"I have never during this election asked a vote because I was a returned soldier, but I do ask your support to give you efficient service," said Comrade Robert Macnicol, who is opposing the re-election of Commissioner Owens.

"If I cannot do more on that police commission in six months than Mr. Owens has done in two years, you

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can call on me to resign. We have not by any means got an efficient police administration.

"The error Mr. Dryden made in taking those two bundles of shingles was in not asking some little tin god for permission to take those shingles.

Refused to Resign, So Was Fired.
"When you get two men biased against you you get fired," said ex-chief Dryden. "The reason I got discharged is that I wouldn't resign."

"Mr. Owens is appealing to you on his record. I will give you a little of it. He was constable until 1914," the speaker proceeded. "When he was removed I was appointed in his place. I have tried to do my duty, what was fair and consistent. From 1914, Mr. Owens was on the Provincial Police."

Want No "Rumors."
He was going on to make a charge, when objection was taken to the repeating of "rumors" so the ex-chief made statements regarding Mr. Owens as a provincial policeman. He proceeded: "I have passed the Burnside Hotel and found Mr. Owens at the door of the hotel. I reported this and since then Mr. Owens has had his knife in me."

What a Chief Does.
Mr. Dryden declared that the police last year had been in a state of which he had done his share. He enumerated the offices he had to fill as police chief, night and day with only two men as follows: Sanitary inspector, sewer inspector, building inspector, pound-keeper, road tax collector and truant officer.

"I didn't get the shingles. The municipality has the shingles," he went on. "A man doing all the collecting I was didn't need to go to Royal Oak for shingles."

Only Borrowed Shingles.
He said he had been down at one of the mills to get shingles, but there was a great scarcity. So he put the municipality's shingles in his car, only borrowing them, and with them brought a stenographer into town.

"I notified Mr. Cowper that I had taken the shingles," he said. "Next week I will tell that my resignation was in order."

"Do you mean to tell me that you Canadians would stand down and conscientiously resign when you had only borrowed a thing and were then told that if you would resign nothing would be said about the affair? I was going in the face of what I knew was my dismissal."

Conscience Clear.
"I have to-day as many friends as Mr. Owens and Mr. Jones and am a man with a clear conscience. I would be a hundred times to-day if I had served you less, as I am suffering to-day from the effects of the flu after fighting 200 cases. I was working from 7 a. m. to 11 p. m. during the epidemic. My car went 3,000 miles in fourteen days. I have taken men to the hospital time after time. I tried to do my little bit for humanity. I did not think the Reeve and Mr. Owens were so keen after my scalp that they would stoop to this."

To a question, the ex-chief admitted that his car had carried voters against the election of Mr. Owens, but explained it was not his car, but belonged to his wife.

Owens Denies Charges.
Mr. Owens replying said that he never was on the Provincial Police force, but was only a "special" for a few months at the outbreak of war on police fisheries patrol. After that he went on war work guarding the water tank at Esquimalt. He said that after his illness contracted on municipal work, he was not very strong and often rested on the seat in front of the Burnside Hotel.

Stands By Dismissal.
"Dryden was given a fair hearing and the opinion of the commissioners was that Saanich was better without him," said Reeve Jones. "He was dismissed and I will stand by my guns and say that we were quite right in doing it."

Dyspepsia and Home Life

What a Relief When All the Family Eat the Same Foods! Avoid Dyspepsia, Sour Risings, Gas — Indigestion from Breakfast Sausage to Dinner Mince Pie

After mother has struggled two or three hours over a hot fire, to do the cooking for a hungry family, it is real enjoyment when there isn't a dyspeptic link among them. Of course, a case of dyspepsia or daily indigestion must be looked after. But it is far more to the point to prevent as well as to treat sour stomach, belching, water brash, etc., by such a valuable means as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Coddling the stomach with soft food and pre-digested starchy mince pies, sausages, etc., for breakfast without fears, have a plate of Stuart's little pork sausages for lunch, and end the day with a real dinner, instead of a bowl of bread and milk. Follow each meal with a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet and get right back to your natural self.

These tablets digest food and assist the stomach to prepare the content for assimilation in the intestinal tract. Thus you get the practical relief and help which induces a better appetite and a greater freedom in the selection of foods. You will find Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets on sale at any drug store in the United States and Canada, as they are considered one of the stand-by by the druggist.

TRUSTEES PRAISE RETIRING MEMBERS

On the eve of their retirement from their duties as Trustees George Jay, Clarence B. Deaville and R. W. Perry received very flattering compliments from the other members of the School Board at night.

The highest compliments were paid to Mr. Jay who is the oldest member of the Board having sat in it for nineteen years, and who was its chairman for fourteen years. Mr. Jay, in reply stated that his service as a trustee had been a joy to him and it was with extreme regret that at last he severed his active connection with the educational affairs of the city. If his experience at any time should prove useful to the members of the Board, however, he would, he said, be only too happy to assist them in an advisory capacity.

The remaining Trustees also voiced their appreciation of the valuable work performed by Mr. Deaville, who has held the important position of chairman of the Finance Committee during the last year, and for Trustee Perry, who has proven himself one of the most aggressive members of the Board.

Health and Happiness

To Be Free of Indigestion Contributes Wonderfully to the Happiness of Home Life.

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Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests; high neck; long sleeves. Value \$1.25... 95c	Women's Wool Union Suits, short sleeves; knee length. Value \$5.85... \$4.35	Women's Fleeced Drawers, ankle length. Value \$1.25... 95c	Heavy Cotton Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length. Value \$2.75... \$2.00
Women's Fleeced Vests, high neck, long sleeves. Value \$2.50... \$1.85	Women's Wool Union Suits, V neck, short sleeves, knee length. Value \$7.00... \$5.25	Children's Warm Waists, with buttons. Value 85c... 65c	Union Suits, in extra out size; length. Value \$2.85... \$2.00
Women's Cotton Vests, low neck, short sleeves, strap shoulders. Value \$1.00... 75c	Women's Wool Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length. Value \$7.75... \$5.95	Infants' Wool Vests, button front. Value \$1.75... \$1.35	Fleeced Cotton Union Suits; high neck, long sleeves, ankle length. Value \$3.25... \$2.50
Women's Fleeced Drawers, open and closed styles. Value \$1.00... 75c	2 Only, Silk and Wool Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length... \$6.25	Women's Black Tights, ankle length. Value \$1.35... \$1.35	Women's Wool Vests; V neck, elbow sleeves; size 35 only. Value \$3.75... \$2.95
Children's Union Suits, ages 12 and 13 years. Value \$2.15... \$1.65	Women's Union Suits, of wool and cotton mixture; 3/4 sleeves, ankle length. Value \$3.00... \$2.25	Children's Black Bloomers. Value \$1.25... 95c	Women's Wool Drawers; ankle length, closed style. Value \$3.75... \$2.95
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Offering many unusual bargains in dainty Undermuslins.

Just Received, a Shipment of Panama Shapes to Sell at \$1.00
Several smart styles to choose from.

Women's Winter Coats, Suits and Dresses Re-marked for Clearance

We have re-grouped and re-marked these stylish Ready-to-Wear Garments in an effort to make a final clean-up. All garments on the racks now must be cleared out, and the lowest prices of the season prevail. Here is your chance to save on reasonable garments. Be among the early shoppers.

Stylish Suits

An exceptional low pricing on stylish Suits, made of serge and wool poplin of medium weight. Shown in semi-modern styles, so fashionable for early spring wear. A good range of popular colors; sizes 16 to 44. To clean up at...**\$39.50**

Smart Suits of Navy Serge and Fancy Tweeds in Tailored and Sport Style. All sizes.

Smart Coats

Group 1—A splendid assortment of serviceable and stylish coats, developed of wool materials, in assorted sizes. To clean up at...**\$15.95**

Group 2—Fashionable Coats of velour and silvertone, this season's desirable shades; well tailored and splendid fitting. To clean up at...**\$23.95**

Group 3—In this group you will find many handsome Coats in popular colors. Every garment is in the height of style, well made and perfect fitting. To clean up at...**\$26.95**

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Stylish Dresses, made of silk, serge and jersey cloth, in up-to-date styles; assorted sizes. This price makes it possible to own a practical and stylish dress at a snap price. To clean up at...**\$24.95**

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Women's Fine Lingerie Waists, Special at \$1.50
A Mere Fraction of Their Real Value.

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Four Handsome Styles, in Sizes 36 to 44.