

WEATHER FORECAST
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and easterly winds, mostly cloudy, with occasional rain, lower temperature.
Lower Mainland—Northerly and easterly winds, mostly cloudy and colder, with rain or sleet.

Victoria Daily Times

NO MEETINGS TO-NIGHT
All engagements are cancelled, owing to prohibitory Order-in-Council against public assemblies.

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ALLIES TO TAKE OVER GERMAN SHIPS ON THURSDAY

PRIME MINISTER AS LEADER OF BRITAIN'S GROUP AT CONFERENCE

London Express Predicts Bonar Law, Balfour and Reading Also Will Be Sent to Peace Meeting; A Representative of the Dominions

London, Nov. 19.—Plans for the approaching peace conference were discussed prominently by some of the morning newspapers here to-day. According to The Daily Express, the arrangements are nearing completion.

The Express, which is generally well informed on political matters, added that the British delegates had not yet been selected finally, but probably would include the Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Foreign Secretary; Earl Reading, a Labor representative, and a representative of the Dominions.

President Wilson's promised visit to Paris is attracting general attention.

GERMAN REPUBLIC PLOT IS SCENTED

One Report Says Some Germans Working to Drag in Holland

London, Nov. 19.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at The Hague sends a dispatch saying that there is evidence that a German plot is afoot to establish a great German republic, including Holland, in spite of the fact that seventy-five per cent. of the Dutch people are opposed to such a scheme. How far the Dutch Socialists and agitators are mixed up in the scheme is uncertain, although they undoubtedly are playing a hand in the game of Pan-German republicanism. It is manifest, the dispatch adds, that the schemers are at the bottom of the disturbances in Switzerland.

Hungarian Republic Formally Proclaimed Sunday, November 17

Copenhagen, Nov. 19.—Formal proclamation of the Hungarian republic was made on Sunday, according to a Budapest dispatch received here. Archduke Joseph took the oath of allegiance to the new Government after Count Karolyi, President of the Hungarian National Council, had made a speech. He declared that personally he had great sympathy with the people's Government.

SUCCESS OF LOAN GRATIFIES OTTAWA

Canada Responded Nobly to Call for Funds by Subscribing \$676,057,867

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The success which has attended Canada's final Victory Loan is received here with the greatest satisfaction. Although no definite action in this regard has yet been taken, it is not unlikely that a further domestic loan for reconstruction work will be floated eventually.

Without counting the present loan, a total of \$745,000,000 has been raised in domestic-war issues since December 1, 1918. Of this amount \$700,000,000 was subscribed by Canadians. The prospectus for last year's war loan called for \$150,000,000, but the loan was an open one, and the right was reserved to accept subscriptions above that amount. In response to the appeal, subscriptions to the amount of \$468,000,000 from approximately 600,000 subscribers were received. The total subscription was cut down to an allotment of \$326,000,000 of new money, not counting holdings of previous war loans, which were convertible, and were converted into Victory bonds to the amount of over \$150,000,000.

New Loan.
None of the most sanguine estimates of the success of the 1918 Victory Loan came anywhere near the realization. In the three weeks drive Canada subscribed the great sum of \$676,057,817, which means that the loan was oversubscribed by more than 35 per cent. Ontario made good her announced determination to "take half of the \$500,000,000."

SIR ROBERT BORDEN BUSY IN LONDON

He and Fellow-Ministers from Canada Preparing for Conference

London, Nov. 19.—(Canadian Press Dispatch From Reuters).—Sir Robert Borden, Sir George Foster and Hon. Arthur Sifton, the members of the Canadian Cabinet who will attend the peace conference, were engaged until midnight Sunday and the whole of yesterday on the subjects of peace, inter-imperial trade, demobilization and repatriation of Canadian troops. They were first invited by Mr. Lloyd George to visit the office of the War Cabinet. They then met Lieut.-General Currie and Major-General Embury and other members of the War Cabinet. Sir Robert Borden, yesterday conferred with Sir Robert Borden.

Wilson's Visit.
New York, Nov. 19.—The presence of President Wilson in Europe is "absolutely essential," declared Sir Charles Ross, one of the largest landowners of the United Kingdom and inventor of the Imperial War Cabinet. Sir George Perley, Canadian High Commissioner in London, yesterday conferred with Sir Robert Borden.

Are Preparing for the Allies' Greatest Celebration in Paris

Paris, Nov. 19.—When Allied troops march under the Arc de Triomphe in Paris at the close of the war, Allied sovereigns and chief magistrates will be present, says The Matin. It is understood that the Kings of Great Britain, Italy, Belgium and Serbia, Prince Alexander of Greece, President Wilson, a Japanese royal prince representing the Mikado and official representatives of China, Portugal, Roumania and the South American republics will be present.

NAVAL ORDNANCE CONTRACTS IN U. S. BEING CANCELLED

Washington, Nov. 19.—Naval ordnance contracts amounting to \$421,359,000 have been cancelled since hostilities ceased. Rear-Admiral Earl, chief of the Naval Ordnance Bureau, told the House Naval Committee to-day when the Committee began framing the 1920 naval appropriation bill.

BIG EXPLOSION IN GERMANY KILLED ABOUT 200 PERSONS

Paris, Nov. 19.—About 200 persons were killed in an explosion at Wahn, southeast of Cologne, Germany, according to a report received here.

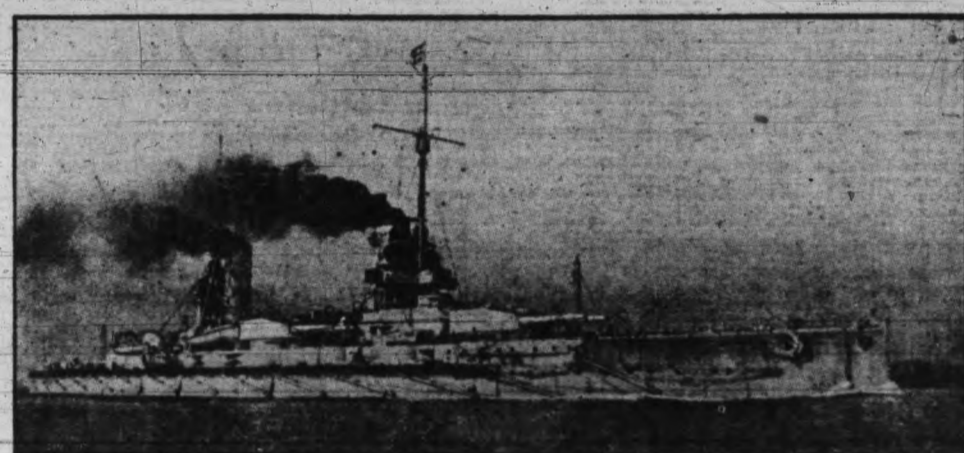
German Postoffice Dept. Gives Hint to Lingering Princes

Paris, Nov. 19.—The German Post Office Department has suppressed the postal privileges of the German ruling Princes who have not yet abdicated, according to a telegram from Dresden.

Influenza Epidemic Is Attacking City of Winnipeg Sharply

Winnipeg, Nov. 19.—Up to one p.m. to-day 395 new cases of Spanish influenza, and twenty-three deaths were reported here.

VISUAL PROOF OF THE DEFEAT OF GERMANY



The above is a picture of the German dreadnought Kaiser, which is among the warships to be surrendered to the Allies. The Kaiser, which is one of the ships known as the Kaiser class, was completed in August, 1913, just a year before the great war began. Her displacement is 24,700 tons and her length 564 feet. Her armament consisted of ten 12-inch guns, fourteen 6-inch guns and smaller weapons and five torpedo tubes. Another dreadnought of the same class to be surrendered is the Koenig Albert, and other battleships to be given up are the Grosser Kurfuert and the Margraf, more powerful dreadnoughts completed in the fall of 1914, and the battlecruisers Seydlitz and Moltke.

BRITISH CASUALTIES TOTALLED 3,049,991

Figures of Killed, Wounded and Missing During Whole War

London, Nov. 19.—The British casualties during the war, including all the theatres of activities, totalled 3,049,991, it was announced in the Commons to-day by James Ian Macpherson, Parliamentary Secretary to the War Office. Of this number the officers killed, wounded or missing aggregated 142,534, and the men 2,907,457. The missing and prisoners totalled 1,340,000, comprising 1,240 officers and 23,763 men. The wounded totalled 51,115, comprising 2,422 officers and 48,693 men. The missing and prisoners totalled 15,355, comprising 566 officers and 14,789 men.

London, Nov. 19.—The total of British losses in killed on all fronts during the war was 658,565, James Ian Macpherson, Parliamentary Secretary to the War Office, announced in the House of Commons to-day. Of these 37,336 were officers and 620,229 were men.

Von Hindenburg, at German Headquarters, Going About Armed

London, Nov. 19.—The Soldiers' and Workmen's Council at Cassel, where German main headquarters have been transferred, says that Field-Marshal von Hindenburg is under the protection of the Council, according to a German wireless message. Confidence is expressed that he will be secure from molestation. It is added that he and others at headquarters carry arms.

Canadian Artillery in Northern Russia Beat Off Bolsheviki

Archangel, Nov. 13.—(Via London, Nov. 19.)—(Associated Press)—Bolshevik forces resumed their attacks against British and American positions at Tulgas, on the Dwina River. They have been repulsed with severe losses. On the morning of November 11, after a heavy bombardment from their gunboats and barges in the river, the Bolshevik infantry stormed the Allied barbed wire entanglements and succeeded temporarily in reaching the gun emplacements of the Canadian artillery.

GEN. PETAIN BECOMES A MARSHAL OF FRANCE FOLLOWING VICTORY



Paris, Nov. 19.—General Petain, the Commander-in-Chief of the French armies, to-day was named a Marshal of France at a meeting of the Cabinet, presided over by President Poincare. General Petain is entering Metz at the head of the French Tenth Army.

Montreal Canadian Club Wants German Criminals Punished

Montreal, Nov. 19.—A resolution demanding that a cable message be sent immediately to Sir Robert Borden, calling upon him to demand at the peace conference that every German criminal from the ex-Kaiser down be haled before a court of the Allied nations and given punishment as the atrocities they committed and encouraged deserve, was adopted by the Montreal Canadian Club yesterday.

Hapsburg Not Even Allowed to Carry His Clothing Away

Paris, Nov. 19.—An official of the Austrian court who was sent to the Schoenbrunn Palace to get some clothing for Charles-Hapsburg, the former Emperor of Austria, according to Austrian newspapers, was refused on the pretext that all crown property had been confiscated by the state.

Decorated Germans Sell Iron Crosses For One Cent Apiece

Paris, Nov. 19.—The Iron Crosses which the then German Kaiser so lavishly bestowed during the war now are being sold in Germany for five pennings (about one Canadian cent) apiece, a telegram from Amsterdam says.

GERMAN REPRESENTATIVES WILL FORMALLY SURRENDER SHIPS TO ALLIES DAY AFTER TO-MORROW

Grand Fleet Will Take Charge of Vessels After Being Reviewed by King George; Designated Craft Will Leave German Ports To-morrow

London, Nov. 19.—The programme for the surrender of the German fleet, as the result of conferences held between British naval authorities and German representatives, is that the ships will leave German ports on Wednesday and will be taken over by the Allies on Thursday.

King George and the Prince of Wales will review the Grand Fleet off Rosyth on Wednesday. Later the fleet will sail for the place assigned for the surrender ceremony.

Copenhagen, Nov. 19.—The first section of the German fleet to be delivered to the Allies left Kiel on Sunday for the North Sea. This section of the fleet comprised the battleships Bayern, Grosser Kurfuert, Kron-Prinz Wilhelm, Markgraf, Koenig Albert and Kaiserin, and the battle-cruisers Seydlitz and Moltke.

POLITICAL CAMPAIGN A PECULIAR ONE

In United Kingdom Interest in Ending of War Over-shadows Election

London, Nov. 19.—In normal times the United Kingdom would be in a fever of excitement over the approaching election. Interest in politics, however, is now submerged under the greater interest in the closing events of the war.

The political situation is peculiar. There is no concentrated opposition to him. All factions approve of Mr. Lloyd George's reconstruction policy, as far as it goes. What opposition exists is divided into two sections. The first is the old Liberal organization led by Mr. Asquith, which opposes the statement of his plans, and ask him to tell how he proposes to secure land for the soldiers, which is one of the chief planks in his platform. They ask how he will pay for this land, and how he will finance his proposal for the extensive building of workmen's houses.

Mr. Lloyd George's party answered these questions last Saturday, and says that the Cabinet has not had time yet to prepare bills.

The other section is the Labor Party, which has its own programme, including the nationalization of the railways, mines and other public works, with compensation to the owners. Lord Northcliffe's papers and the leading Liberal organs invite the Prime Minister to be more specific in the statement of his plans, and ask him to tell how he proposes to secure land for the soldiers, which is one of the chief planks in his platform. They ask how he will pay for this land, and how he will finance his proposal for the extensive building of workmen's houses.

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TWO MORE REPUBLICS MAKE APPEARANCE

Schwarzburg-Rudolstadt and Schaumburg-Lippe, German States, Turn Over

London, Nov. 19.—The principalities of Schwarzburg-Rudolstadt and Schaumburg-Lippe have been declared republics, according to a German wireless message. The diet of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha advocates the joining of Bavaria.

At Munich.
Paris, Nov. 19.—A great festival was held Monday night in Munich to celebrate the success of the revolution in Bavaria. Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian Premier, made a speech in which he said: "The past is dead. We to those daring to revive it!"

Constituent Assembly.
Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—Friedrich Ebert, the German Premier, told The Vrijzche Zeitung on Friday that the Government was firmly determined to summon a Constituent Assembly, but it was impossible effectively to hold the election before January, by which time the troops would have returned home. He considered untenable the objection that delay would hinder the gathering of the peace delegates.

At Berlin.
Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 19.—Delegates from all the Soldiers' Councils met in the Reichstag chamber in Berlin on Friday to discuss the institution of a Red Guard, according to a dispatch received here.

ALLIED TROOPS ARE MOVING EASTWARD

Paris Last Night Reported Advance to Occupy Region West of Rhine

Paris, Nov. 19.—The progress of the French troops advancing to occupy territory west of the Rhine was traced in a statement issued by the War Office last night, the text of which follows:

"Our troops continued their march this morning and are being received with growing enthusiasm by the populations of the occupied territory. The enemy has abandoned enormous quantities of material, locomotives, railroad cars, automobiles and magazines of all sorts. Thousands of French, British, Russian and Italian prisoners are entering our lines from German prison camps. Their condition is indescribable."

"In Belgium we have passed the railroad Puffing between Beaurain and Florenville. Farther east we have reached the line of Hoffmann, Bertrix and Stralmont. Our troops also are in the Jamoigne region south of Neufchateau."

In Lorraine.
"In Lorraine we have occupied St. Marie-aux-Chenes, on the south bank of the Nied River, and are on the road toward Starved. We are in the region of the heights of the Saar. Our troops have made solemn entry into Saarburg, Dieuze and Mohranga."

In Alsace we have crossed Col Saevre and have installed our advance guards at the gates of Wesselheim and Molsheim. Farther south we are in the proximity of the Rhine from north of Neu Brieslach as far as the Swiss frontier.

"The people of the occupied regions do not cease to give our troops touching evidence of their love of France."

Entered St. Louis.
Paris, Nov. 19.—French advance guards yesterday entered the town of St. Louis in Alsace, opposite Basel, Switzerland.

American Advance.
Washington, Nov. 19.—Another day's march of the American Third Army into territory evacuated by the Germans was reported to-day by General Pershing in his communique for Monday.

The dispatch follows:
"American official communique, Nov. 18. The Third Army continued its advance to-day into the territory evacuated by the enemy."

"On the left, crossing the Belgian frontier, our troops occupied Virton and by evening had reached Etalle and St. Leger. Between the Chiers and the Moselle they passed through Spincourt and the important railroad centres of Longuyon and Conflans."

"The close of the day they entered the historic French fortress of Longuy, situated at the junction of the boundaries of France, Belgium and Luxembourg. Farther south they have occupied Audun-le-Romain and the town of Briey. The capture of the great iron district of Briey is of importance."

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ADDRESS PRESENTED TO KING GEORGE

Commons Bonar Law Points to Solidity of British Institutions

London, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press Dispatch From Reuters).—In the House of Commons yesterday Chancellor of the Exchequer Andrew Bonar Law, speaking on behalf of the Prime Minister, who is slightly indisposed, moved an address to the King. Mr. Bonar Law said he was sure that the motion would be carried unanimously and with a full heart. (Cheers). The world had been passing through a terrible ordeal. The signing of the armistice marked a crowning mercy to the British Empire, the Allies and humanity. A great victory had been won, but at a great price. He was not thinking now of the men and women everywhere throughout the Empire upon whose hearts the sound of joy bells fell with a mournful clang because of those who had won the vic-

tory but could not return to rejoice in sympathy. He was thinking rather that the war had broken the crust on which civilization rested and in consequence Europe to-day was seething with revolution. Nevertheless the future could be looked forward to with hope, courage and confidence, because the British institutions were based on the strongest foundation, namely, the consent of the nation. None of these institutions were stronger or rested on more secure foundations than the throne. The throne was the link that kept the British Empire together, enabling it to play a glorious part in the war, and would draw the union closer. "When phantom kings are falling," said Mr. Bonar Law, "our sovereigns are passing, without escort, through the streets and meeting with tributes of respect, devotion and affection." Mr. Asquith, Opposition Leader in the House of Commons, seconded the motion of Mr. Bonar Law.

NEW BRUNSWICK FIRE.

Campbellton, N. B., Nov. 19.—The Hotel Dieu Hospital and the Sisters of Charity Convent School are in ruins here after a fire which broke out last night. No lives were lost. Thirty patients in the hospital were removed to nearby churches. The loss is estimated at \$35,000, covered by insurance.

DEMOBILIZATION PLAN FOR THE DOMINION

Canada Divided Into Twenty-One Dispersal Areas for Returning Troops

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The military side of the demobilization of Canada's army overseas has been completed, and is ready to be put into operation immediately peace is declared and the higher command consents to the withdrawal of the troops.

The question of precedence for the returning Canadian troops has been carefully gone into by the special Canadian committee on demobilization which has been working in Canada and the United Kingdom since 1917. At first sight it would appear that the first battalions on active service should be first to be demobilized, but it has been pointed out that all these old battalions have received new drafts, and the proportion of service in, say, the First Division is little different from that of the Fourth Division. Every battalion in the line has been reinforced to at least five times its original strength.

The possibility of bringing Canada's troops back by units was carefully considered, but it was decided that the practical should be considered with the sentimental. The economic needs of the labor market and the time of the year the men would reach home had to be taken into consideration. Another point made against demobilization by units was that since the heavy fighting, territorial regiments have lost considerable of their identity, having been reinforced by drafts from other districts. Thus a Montreal unit might be returned to that city for disbandment, only to find that a large percentage of its strength, joined by draft after casualties, was from Nova Scotia or British Columbia, and as a result several hundred men would have to be transported again to other points, causing delay, confusion and unnecessary strain on limited railway facilities.

Classification. In the close co-operation between the military side and the economic side of demobilization it was decided that it would be better first to return men whose trade classifications showed there was immediate need for them in an industrial point of view.

The question of married and unmarried men also was gone into. Preference is to be given to married men, because of their heavier responsibilities. This class under the scheme again has been divided and the order of their return will depend on the length of time they have been away from home. Then come single men, in accordance with their length of service overseas.

Sorting out of the men according to occupation and whether married or single will have to be done at some stage of demobilization, and it has been decided, in order to prevent unnecessary cross-traveling in Canada and delay in returning the men to their homes, to do this sorting in France and England before embarkation.

The military scheme of demobilization of necessity comes first. The number of Canadian troops overseas,

according to the latest figures, was 216,504.

By Provinces.

Ontario	121,500
Quebec	39,500
New Brunswick	12,500
Nova Scotia and P. E. I.	15,500
Manitoba	35,500
Saskatchewan	18,500
Alberta	21,500
British Columbia	25,500

For the purpose of demobilization Canada has been divided into twenty-one dispersal areas, and men in any one area will be allowed to return to any area chosen by them, regardless of the place of previous residence or enlistment. The rate of return to each area will be in accordance with the proportion that the number desiring to return to such area bears to the entire force. The men will be returned in standardized drafts of 500, all ranks. It is the intention of the Militia Department to discharge the men immediately on reaching their dispersal area, so that they may quickly return to civil life.

20,000 a Month. After consultation with the Imperial Ministry of Shipping and the Canadian Board of Trade, it was reached that taking into consideration the available amount of shipping and rolling stock in Canada which can be used for transport of troops, the rate of return at the beginning will be about 20,000 a month.

It was felt that it may not be in the interests of the men themselves, nor that of particular areas, to have troops return regardless of their occupation in civil life and the economic needs and requirements of the labor market of the particular area. Consequently the Militia Department has classified the men serving overseas into occupational groups. It will be possible in this way for the men to be returned in accordance with the demand in any particular area. The Department also hopes to return men with any special trade or profession, should a demand for such be made.

All necessary work in connection with documentation and medical boards will be completed before the disembarkation of troops in Canada, and the troops will be immediately transported in a body, without delay, to the dispersal station. It is anticipated that a draft arriving in the morning can be disbanded, if desired, before night.

Equipment. While it is expected that mechanical transport, horses and mules, tools and general equipment of units and engineering material will be disposed of through the Imperial Government, the men will bring back with them certain of their equipment. All field guns and machine guns, with what ammunition may be decided upon by the Canadian Government, will be brought from overseas. The men will retain their uniforms, great coats, steel helmets and other wearing apparel.

In addition to the demobilization of soldiers from Canada's own units, there will enter into the problem of demobilization and reconstruction the large number of Canadians discharged from the Imperial and Allied forces, and also the men who have been engaged overseas in the making of munitions and other war work which will be discontinued when peace is signed. Arrangements have been made for handling these classes.

Women and Children. The problem of the return to Canada of the wives and families of soldiers who are at present in the United Kingdom, estimated at about 35,000, has been entrusted to the Department of Immigration. Every effort will be made to return to Canada these families quickly and in such a way as not to retard the transport of troops. The desirability of having the soldier's home re-established before his arrival is fully appreciated by the Government, and every effort will be made to bring this about.

FOOD COUNCIL OF ALLIES DECIDES

Determines How Available Food Supplies Shall Be Divided in Europe

London, Nov. 19.—(British Wireless Service).—The Allied Food Council, composed of the Food Controllers of Britain, France, Italy and the United States, writes John R. Clynes, the British Food Controller, in The Times, "The war has brought about a food supplies, not to the purse or power of the Allied nations, but according to the actual needs as agreed upon in council.

The victualing of the neutral nations of Europe also has come within the activities. Just as a united military and naval command decided the terms of the armistice, so will the Allied Food Council, presenting a united food front, determine the degree of assistance it may be necessary to provide for the defeated peoples, and the method of providing and distributing it."

B. C. MEMBERS OF COMMONS TO MEET

Vancouver, Nov. 19.—On Thursday of this week conference of British Columbia members of the House of Commons will be held either at Victoria or Vancouver.

For some time it has been the opinion of the members of the House of Commons that a general meeting to discuss British Columbia problems as affected by Dominion legislation and questions of reconstruction, with special reference to what is planned to assist the returned soldier.

The soldier question will be the principal topic at this week's conference, but the whole question of reconstruction as it affects the Province will be discussed.

DRIED FRUITS FROM STATES TO CANADA

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The Canada Food Board announced that the United States Food Administration has notified this country that all restrictions on the export of dried food fruits to Canada, with the exception of peaches, apples and prunes, have been relaxed. Canadian importers, however, still require an import permit from the Canada Food Board.

DARDANELLES FORTS IN BRITISH HANDS

Given Over by the Turks to British Troops Who Landed

Salonica, Nov. 16.—Delayed—Over the shell-pitted ground of Gallipoli Point, British troops landed peacefully at dusk to-night, using as stepping stones the bullet-riddled ground. Thousands went toward the Turkish batteries which spouted death during the ill-fated campaign three years ago. The British are occupying the forts along the lower Dardanelles, which the Turks are turning over. They already have placed 200 cannon in the hands of the British. In the material which has been turned over are twenty big reservoirs of munitions and gasoline of German origin.

The Turkish commander at Fort Chanak, on the Dardanelles, formerly was an adjutant under the German commander of the forces defending the straits. He said to a correspondent: "From the moment the submarine blockade of the Atlantic was declared, provoking the United States to enter the war, Germans knew their cause was lost. The German commanders in Turkey opposed the submarine campaign almost to a man, but a powerful minority at Berlin overruled them. After that time the Turkish unwillingness to continue the war grew steadily."

ASQUITH DECLARES ELECTION BLUNDER

Says There Should Be No Test in United Kingdom at Present

London, Nov. 19.—Rt. Hon. Herbert H. Asquith, former Prime Minister, delivering an election speech at Caxton Hall, Westminster, last night, said that when the whole future international development of the world was in the crucible it was both a blunder and a calamity that the United Kingdom should be plunged into the tumult of a general election.

He said his case against holding an election was greatly strengthened by the fact that the men most entitled to express an opinion on the reconstruction of arrangements—the soldiers in the field—would be unable to vote. The House of Commons which would be brought into existence would be of such a nature as to lack the right authority.

He was prepared to give the fullest support to any Government which would grapple with the problems of reconstruction on progressive lines, but he added: "When the lion and lamb lie down together it seems that the fond lion has not lost his taste for live mutton."

Mr. Asquith contended that the country was as much agreed on peace aims as it previously had been in accord on war aims, and that the international council chamber would act with the indisputable mandate of a united people. Moreover, he said, there was no vital divergence about need transitional measures at home necessitating an immediate election.

Criticism Needed. Referring particularly to the restraint in criticism and in debate which has prevailed, Mr. Asquith said: "We must get back as soon as possible to the old atmosphere of freedom. There is no Government and no Parliament but will benefit thereby."

"I advise the Liberals to take a straightforward course; to keep their eyes open and their hands clean." Mr. Asquith declared that the value of free trade had been proved by the war, because it had enabled Great Britain to bear the whole heavy burden of the alliance. Referring to the numerous points of policy advocated by Mr. Lloyd George which the Liberals could fully support, he deprecated conflicts between members of the Liberal party.

He would refuse to countenance opposition to any Liberal candidate who had been true to his pledge to the party. The abnormal conditions under which the country had been living for the last four years must be ended. He referred not merely to restrictions on personal liberty and freedom of speech, but said that even compulsory military service must be ended.

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WILSON TO ATTEND PEACE CONFERENCE

It's This Way

American President Will Go to France for Opening of Conference

Washington, Nov. 18.—President Wilson will attend the opening of the peace conference. This was announced officially last night. He will go immediately after the convening of the regular session of Congress on December 20. The announcement said it was not probable the President would remain throughout the sessions, but that his presence at the beginning of the conference was necessary to obviate the disadvantages of discussion by cable in determining the greater outlines of the final treaty.

It is expected here that besides visiting Paris, where the peace conference probably will be held, the President will go to London and possibly to Brussels and Rome.

Precedents. In visiting Europe the President will establish two precedents. He will be the first Chief Executive of the United States to participate in a peace conference for the settling of issues growing out of a war in which this country participated, and likewise he will be the first President to leave North America during his term of office.

In reaching his decision to attend the peace conference, President Wilson is understood to have been largely influenced by representations from Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain and Clemenceau of France and other statesmen of the Entente countries. Since the President is to sail for France early next month, it seems certain that he will reach Paris several weeks before the peace congress assembles. His purpose is believed here to be to participate in the conferences now proceeding at Versailles as the preliminary to the meeting of the peace commissioners.

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COLLISION KILLED WOMAN.

Cornwall, Ont., Nov. 19.—As the result of a collision between a street car and an automobile here last night, Mrs. Henry Haines is dead and four other occupants of the car are patients in a hospital, suffering from cuts and bruises.

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MARSEILLAISE HEARD IN BERLIN STREETS

Played by Band in Unter Den Linden; Government Problems Increase

Berlin, Nov. 14.—Via Amsterdam and London, Nov. 14.—(Associated Press)—For the first time since the founding of the German Empire the Marseillaise was played by a German band in a procession down the Unter den Linden to-day.

Present indications are that saner councils will dictate Government policy in Germany. The convening of a Constituent Assembly is being urged in diplomatic and political quarters not identified with the present Cabinet on the sole ground that it would facilitate the peace negotiations.

It is believed that Hugo Haase, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and Wilhelm Dittmann, Secretary of Demobilization and Transport, Justice and Health, are receding from the attitude that the new republic is to be purely socialistic. The more moderate members of the Government are not disposed rigidly to exclude Bourgeois elements from the Government.

Dr. Kari Liebknecht, the leader of the Radicals, apparently has been deserted by his former colleagues.

Many Problems.

Secretary Haase said: "At present we are devoting our efforts solely to urgent questions. Every hour produces new problems. A National Assembly can be convened only when the qualified voters' lists have been completed. One of the greatest difficulties encountered is the compilation of the list of women voters who now have the ballot. A new record of the eligible male voters also is needed, and the soldiers returning from the front must be given an opportunity to establish legal residences. We propose to invite the co-operation of the Bourgeois parties in our various Departments."

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PEACE ADVOCATES IN BERLIN POLITE

Copenhagen, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 18.—Berlin peace advocates have adopted a resolution declaring that it is their intention to do "everything possible to support public order and to let politeness and consideration rule in their relations with their fellow-citizens."

The resolutions ask the citizens of Berlin to forget their old grievances against the policemen and help them.

Seventeen M. P.'s have been killed or have died on active service.

GERMANS EXTORTED MONEY IN BRUSSELS

Acting Burgomaster Informs German Government of Twelve Instances

Brussels, Nov. 13.—M. Lemmonier, acting Burgomaster of Brussels, has written the delegates of the German Government, giving details of twelve instances where German soldiers extorted sums of money from inhabitants of Brussels on November 12 and November 13 (the armistice was signed on November 11, and expressly prohibited such action).

The sums taken varied from 500 francs to 11,000 marks, the latter sum being taken from a bank. In some cases the pretence was made that the soldiers were acting for the German authorities. In others it was alleged shots had been fired from houses by civilians.

These calumnious imputations, adds the letter, "recall the pretext which preceded the destruction of Louvain."

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.
Died of wounds—Pte. James Raven, Kootenay; Lieut. W. E. Foxen, England.
Prisoner of war—Lieut. B. W. Kewley, England.
Engineers.
Prisoner of war—Lieut. G. B. Field, Wilkie, Sask.
Mounted Rifles.
Wounded—Lieut. A. E. Griffin, M. D. C. M., England.
Forestry Corps.
Prisoner of war—Lieut. A. J. Cyr, St. I. Iaire, N. B.

Infantry.
Killed in action—Pte. W. Campbell, Hawkesbury, Ont.; Pte. C. L. Mayles, U. S. A.; Pte. W. A. Ramsby, England; Pte. G. A. Warrander, Toronto; Corp. J. I. Caron, Ste. Anne de Beaupre, P. Q.
Died of wounds—Pte. W. S. Speight, U. S. A.; Pte. G. W. Woolfins, Fairbank, Ont.; Pte. F. P. Britton, Neville, Sask.; Pte. G. Brown, Farran's Point, Ont.; Pte. E. W. Walker, Bellamy's, Ont.; Pte. E. Schmitt, Clarksburg, Ont.; Pte. H. Saleman, Port Elgin, Ont.; Pte. S. Tindall, England; Pte. J. E. Shadforth, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Pte. E. W. St. Denis, Toronto; Corp. K. Boyd, Calgary, P. Q.; Pte. T. Trublay, Sherbrooke, P. Q.; Acting Corp. V. R. Parr, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. A. Morin, St. Hilairon, P. Q.; Pte. E. McNally, Haines, Ont.; Corp. W. J. Flynn, Hanover, Ont.
Wounded—Lance-Corpl. C. W. Locking, Emo, Ont.; Pte. R. M. Leeson, London, Ont.; Pte. H. Lynch, Renfrew, Ont.; Pte. M. R. McGivern, Toronto, Ont.; Pte. W. Reid, Scotland; Pte. H. Waller, Wroxeter, Ont.; Pte. H. Turner, Clarkville, N. B.; Pte. H. D. Winters, Liverpool, N. S.; Pte. J. M. Wood, Brandon, Man.; Pte. J. A. Fell, England; Pte. A. J. Corrick, Sarnia, Ont.; Sgt. D. G. Curry, Chapleau, Ont.; Pte. G. Cutforth, England; Pte. W. J. Church, France; Pte. W. Chapman, Waterloo, Ont.; Sgt. A. D. Cameron, M. M. Sydney Mines, N. S.; Pte. A. Urquhart, Scotland; Pte. R. Wedlake, England; Pte. R. Trowell, U. S. A.; Pte. T. T. T. Terson, Toxboro, Ont.; Pte. J. L. Tasker, Blyth, Ont.; Pte. R. B. Spooner, U. S. A.; Pte. J. H. Russell, England; Pte. J. Sauve, Greenfield, Ont.; Pte. J. Young, Jacques River, N. B.; Pte. C. Lyon, U. S. A.; Pte. R. Love, St. Thomas, Ont.; Pte. J. Connolly, Lindsay, Ont.; Pte. E. Dana, England; Pte. T. M. McCauley, Toronto; Pte. J. Oliver, St. Thomas, Ont.; Acting Lance-Corpl. N. Morrison, Cariboo Marsh, N. S.; Pte. D. J. MacRae, U. S. A.; Pte. C. S. Mitchell, Ottawa; Pte. D. R. Maxwell, St. George, N. B.; Pte. M. J. McLeod, U. S. A.; Pte. F. Meters, England; Pte. J. A. Moran, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Pte. J. A. McLelland, Stratford, Ont.; Pte. M. Thomas, Calgary; Pte. E. W. Thomas, Sombra, Ont.; Corp. J. Westwood, Winnipeg; Pte. G. Everett, England; Pte. C. H. Roberts, Sable River, N. S.; Pte. L. Peters, Middlemiss, Ont.; Pte. R. L. Penfound, Bowmanville, Ont.; Pte. H. J. Orsatti, U. S. A.; Pte. H. Smith, address not stated; Pte. E. N. Slack, Springdale, Sask.; Pte. L. A. Smith, Wolsely, Sask.; Pte. W. Smithson, Yorkton, Sask.; Pte. F. Stamp, England; Pte. G. Simpson, England; Pte. C. Schoolcraft, address not stated; Pte. S. J. Tigwell, Brantford, Ont.; Pte. T. G. Thomson, Scotland; Pte. A. Van, Southampton, Ont.; Pte. J. Tyler, England; Pte. G. Moran, Fort Erie, Ont.; Pte. J. Moffatt, Arrprior, Ont.; Pte. E. G. Martin, U. S. A.; Pte. I. Nevala, Finland; Pte. J. Nightingale, U. S. A.; Pte. R. J. Quinn, U. S. A.; Pte. L. A. Rivet, Montreal; Pte. R. F. McCullough, Teeswater, Ont.; Pte. Macdonald, U. S. A.; Pte. G. F. Wilson, Calgary; Pte. J. Nairn, Milton, Ont.; Pte. D. W. Saker, U. S. A.; Pte. W. D. McDonald, Scotland; Pte. A. W. Clark, Biggar, Sask.
Gassed—Pte. E. H. Lewis, M. M. Brantford, Ont.; Pte. J. Lecompte, Brantford, Ont.; Pte. J. Williams, U. S. A.; Pte. C. Croft, Rimouski, P. Q.; Pte. T. Cherryholme, England.

BOLSHEVIKI MERIT NO CONSIDERATION

No Right to Expect British to Show Leniency, Says Lord Robert Cecil

London, Nov. 19.—Replying to an allusion by Arthur Ponsonby, that there were rumors of Great Britain sending a military expedition to Russia, Lord Robert Cecil, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said yesterday in the House of Commons that he could give no information without committing the War Office.

He reviewed the grave offences of the Bolsheviki Government, saying: "If they had been committed by any civilized Government, Great Britain would have been justified in seeking redress by force of arms."

He declared that the Bolsheviki Government was entitled to no consideration whatever from the British Government.

Mild Weather.
Archangel, Nov. 11.—Via London, Nov. 19.—For the first time in many years there has been mild weather in the Province of Archangel after November. The Dwina River is still very ice-free, permitting the operation of Bolsheviki gunboats against the British and American positions. The swamps in which the Americans now are operating have not frozen over, but the troops have the disadvantage of encountering ice water. According to latest advices there were no attacks in this region. It had been reported that attacks might be expected as commemorative of the anniversary of the Bolsheviki regime.

ABDICATION WAS NOT PROCLAIMED

When Wilhelm Left German Throne He Issued No Official Proclamation

Toronto, Nov. 12.—A special dispatch from Washington to The Toronto Mail and Empire says:

"State Department officials are deeply interested in reports credited to Berlin newspapers and coming from other sources pointing out that Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany really has not abdicated, because there has been no formal proclamation to that effect."

"It is intimated, presumably on advice received through official channels, that if the former German ruler should return from Holland to Germany he would run no small risk of violence, regardless of whether he should go with the consent of the new Berlin Government."

"Inasmuch as most of the reigning monarchs of the German states have abdicated formally, it is pointed out that the empire over which Wilhelm formerly ruled no longer exists. It is believed possible Wilhelm may still aspire to continue or be reinstated as King of Prussia, but this is not believed probable."

Vienna, Nov. 12.—via Basel, Nov. 19.—The Deputies' Council of the empire held a session yesterday. The Czech and the German-Austrian Deputies all were absent. Only a scattering of Poles, Roumanians and Slavs were in attendance.

An address was delivered by Dr. Gustav Gross, President of the Council, who declared that the National Council had been replaced by a number of National Councils, which in some cases were working against each other.

The session then adjourned without debate.

Copenhagen, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 19.—The Berlin Vorwaerts announced that a new non-Socialist republican party is soon to be formed in Germany from the ranks of the progressives and the left wing of the National Liberals. The new party is to have a democratic and far-reaching social programme.

The Vorwaerts expresses the belief that such a party would command the support of a large part of the press, and says the Socialists would be compelled to meet strong opposition from the intellectual middle class.

Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 19.—A Berlin telegram under date of November 18, which has been received here, says that during the twenty-four hours before its dispatch not a shot had been fired in Berlin, and that the crisis appeared to be over. It is said, was being maintained with an iron hand, and robbers were punished by immediate execution. At that time life in the city was returning to normal.

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- Perrin's Fine Quality Kid Gloves, in black with white points, white with black points and black with white and self points; 2 domes. At per pair \$2.50
- Dent's Mocha Gloves, a stylish Glove for fall wear, in shades of slate, sable and beaver; 2 pearl buttons. Sizes 6 to 7. At per pair \$2.25
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- Stamped Cushion Tops, to embroider, at 35c, 50c and 75c
- Stamped Pillow Slips at \$1.25
- Envelope Chemises of fine mousook, new designs, to embroider, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
- Celluloid Knitting Needles at per set 25c
- Wood Knitting Needles at per set 30c
- Tattooing Shutles at 25c and 40c
- Children's Stamped Pique Dresses, for ages 8 months to 3 years, selling at 80c to \$1.25
- Children's Pique Rompers at per pair 90c

GERMAN SOLDIERS NOW WANT ASSEMBLY

Amsterdam, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 19.—Representatives of a hundred regiments at a meeting in Berlin demanded immediate convocation of a National Assembly, according to advices from that city.

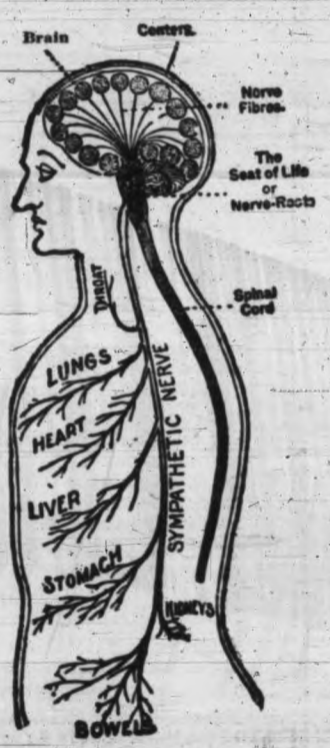
The Independent Socialists have issued a proclamation glorifying the revolution, saying:

"The politicians who agreed to the disgraceful Brest-Litovsk Treaty can not complain if the Entente treats them similarly."

The proclamation appeals to the Socialists of foreign countries not to allow their brothers to be oppressed.

TOO EARLY FOR HIM.

"How does your son like the army?" "Not at all. He says they make him get up just at the time he used to think about going to bed when he was at home."



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Cavalry.
Died—Tpr. J. Scanlan, Kingston, Ont.
Ill—Tpr. W. Clark, Ireland.

Artillery.
Killed in action—Corpl. W. M. Speirs, London, Ont.
Died—Gnr. J. A. McNeil, Sydney, N. S.; Gnr. C. R. Wilson, Allentown, Ont.
Wounded—Gnr. F. C. Milligan, St. John, N. B.; Gnr. H. M. Moore, Hamilton, Ont.; Acting Sgt. P. N. Emmett, Toronto; Battery Sgt.-Major P. G. Robertson, Montreal.

Engineers.
Died of wounds—Spr. A. M. Smith, Scotland; Spr. G. H. Calhoun, Sussex, N. B.
Wounded—Spr. B. L. Beals, Aylesford, N. S.
Gassed—Spr. F. S. Carson, Halifax, N. S.

Mounted Rifles.
Killed in action—Lieut. C. L. W. Nicholson, Chatham, Ont.
Wounded—Lieut. A. W. Legie, Bathurst, Toronto; Lieut. A. W. Legie, M. C., U. S. A.; Capt. E. J. Clark, M. C., Vegreville, Alta.

Machine Gun.
Wounded—Lieut. H. W. Crisp, M. M., India.

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THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.
So many hoary precedents have been broken during the last four years that the fracture of others from time to time is regarded very much as a matter of routine.

The basic principle of the League of Nations proposal has been endorsed by the Governments of the Allies, Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Balfour, for Great Britain, and Premier Clemenceau, for France, having expressed their approval a short time ago.

A well-informed correspondent, Mr. A. A. Freeman, contends that the constitution of the United States prohibits the President from leaving the confines of his own country.

The great fact is the President is going, and by his action he will add the finishing touch to the wonderful developments of the last nineteen months months in which the "New World came in to redress the balance of the Old World."

ARE THEY WILLIAM'S?

According to a Chicago dispatch on Saturday, United States officials in that city are investigating a syndicate which, it is alleged, is holding large interests for William Hohenzollern.

If the Federal agents in Chicago will extend their researches to Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver they may find their operations extremely profitable. It is well known that early in 1915 a transfer of various properties held by von Alvensleben in this Province was made to a newly-formed corporation originating, it was said, in Seattle, and, we presume, licensed in British Columbia as an extra-provincial company.

which helped to smash that corporation, whose corpse appears as far from interment as ever.
Was von Alvensleben the financial agent of William Hohenzollern? His failure to return to Germany with his brothers when war broke out is suggestive of an unusually powerful motive for his course.

Whether Alvo was hounded from the German army or not, Germany undoubtedly wanted him. She wanted everything and everybody she could jam into a uniform and even reinforced her army from the penitentiaries.

When the United States entered the war its Government appointed a Custodian of Enemy Property and that energetic gentleman, Mr. Mitchell Palmer, and his aides, have seized several billion dollars' worth of interests held by Germans in the republic.

AWAY OVER THE MARK.

The oversubscription of the Victory Loan by more than \$176,000,000 is a remarkable achievement and will give a tremendous boost to Canada's standing in the eyes of the world, high though that standing has been in consequence of the part the Dominion has played in the war.

The organizers of the campaign in Toronto have been pleased to pay tribute to the part played by the Canadian press in the great achievement. They realized from the start that they would have to depend entirely upon that medium for the necessary publicity and stimulus owing to the widespread embargo on public gatherings.

AN ECONOMIC ASSET.

The recovery of Alsace and Lorraine not only heals the wound in her side France has borne for forty-seven years but restores to her an economic asset which will do much to lighten the financial burden imposed upon her by the war.

In 1914 the Germans pouring through Luxembourg quickly obtained control of the French iron fields and at once began to work them. Thus, Germany's production from the Briey Basin in both the French and German parts of the old province of Lorraine was increased to 36,000,000 tons.

Now she loses this entire source of supply of iron, for with the restoration of Lorraine France now recovers the whole Briey fields with their combined production of 36,000,000 tons. As Luxembourg is about to proclaim itself an independent republic, the 6,000,000 tons from that source also will be lost to Prussian control.

ALLIED TROOPS ARE MOVING EASTWARD

(Continued from page 1.)

At St. Leger. With the American Forces of Occupation, Nov. 18.—Via London, Nov. 19. (Associated Press)—The forward movement into Belgium halted at 3 o'clock this afternoon when the advancing elements of the American Second Division entered St. Leger. A detachment of cavalry first entered. This was followed a few minutes later by the officer and the staff in cars.

A crowd of citizens had gathered in the streets and began rolling up the shutters of the shops. The church bells were ringing and the Mayor and his wife came out in front of their home and welcomed the officers and correspondents and invited them to become the Mayor's guests.

Embraced Soldiers. Women, children and aged men crowded about the soldiers, embracing them and presenting them with flowers.

The Americans also received a warm welcome from the residents of Virton, northeast of Montmedy, the largest city in Belgium they have re-occupied. Scenes of enthusiasm have greeted the troops in every village through which they have passed.

Just prior to the German evacuation the Mayor of Virton, in a proclamation, called on the citizens not to do anything to provoke disorder during the withdrawal of the enemy.

SUCCESS OF LOAN GRATIFIES OTTAWA

(Continued from page 1.)

996,000.—The total announced for the Province stands \$225,679,000, of which \$90,613,250 was subscribed the last day. This compares with \$284,500,000 last year, and is nearly \$80,000,000 more than the provincial objective.

Both Toronto and Montreal put on a big spurt at the end, the Ontario city ending at \$1,500,000. The actual figures are: Toronto, \$144,946,100; Montreal, \$143,423,050. Toronto added \$51,483,600 on Saturday. Last year the Queen City subscribed \$78,871,000.

Every Province in the Dominion went over its objective, most of them by a substantial margin. The totals for the other Provinces are:

Table with 2 columns: Province and Amount. Includes British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Revised figures listed at 11 a.m. of the total subscriptions to the Victory Loan show a net increase of \$20,550 over the amount announced last night.

Variations from the provincial summaries given out last night were as follows: Ontario, \$229,882,550; Quebec (outside Montreal), \$2,324,300; Nova Scotia, \$30,102,500; Prince Edward Island, \$2,900,000.

Loan Statistics. Ottawa, Nov. 19.—Following are full particulars of all the Canadian war loans:

First Loan—Amount asked for by prospectus, \$50,000,000; total amount subscribed (exclusive of conversions) \$104,000,000; amount allotted, \$100,000,000; number of subscribers, 74,852.

Second Loan—Amount asked for by prospectus, \$100,000,000; total amount subscribed (exclusive of conversions), \$206,000,000; amount allotted, \$100,000,000; number of subscribers, 34,526.

Third Loan—Amount asked for by prospectus, \$150,000,000; total amount subscribed (exclusive of conversions), \$256,000,000; amount allotted, \$150,000,000; number of subscribers, 46,800.

Fourth Loan (First Victory Loan)—Amount asked for by prospectus, \$150,000,000; total amount subscribed (exclusive of conversions), \$420,000,000; amount allotted, \$400,000,000; number of subscribers, 82,035.

Fifth Loan (Second Victory Loan)—Amount asked for by prospectus, \$300,000,000; total amount subscribed (exclusive of conversions), \$676,000,000; amount allotted, unknown yet; number of subscribers, not yet known.

TWO MORE REPUBLICS MAKE APPEARANCE

(Continued from page 1.)

Friedrich Ebert, the Premier, frankly declared in an address that there was no necessity for a Red Guard. He said: "I have no anxiety for the new Government, because it is sustained by the confidence of the masses. We have received news that the troops were orderly when the armistice was declared. In the back areas, however, it was different. Many cases of looting in rural homes are reported in Baden and Wurttemberg the troops streaming back from the front constitute a great danger to security."

Amid prolonged applause resolutions were unanimously adopted that the representatives of the garrison of Greater Berlin should employ all means to maintain order, achieve a Social Republic and increase the soldiers' pay.

WILSON COMMENTS LLOYD GEORGE'S STAND

London, Nov. 19.—(British Wireless Service)—President Wilson has sent the following message to Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, the British Prime Minister: "I express my sincere admiration of the admirable temper and purpose of your address reproduced in part in our papers. It is delightful to be made aware of such community of thought in counsel in approaching the high and difficult task now awaiting us."

The speech of Mr. Lloyd George referred to was the one he made last week in which he said there must be no vindictive peace, but a just peace. In his speech Mr. Lloyd George emphasized the added importance of a League of Nations and declared that Victory should be an impetus to reform.

THE 1919 COUNCIL.

To the Editor.—We are drawing near the end of the year, and it is none too soon for the ratepayers of the city to be discussing who should form the 1919 Council. When one reviews the many bungling acts of the present incumbents in office, it is apparent that there is room for a change. The salary, small as it is, induces many worthy citizens who have all the time necessary for the position of Alderman, but who lack the business experience requisite for efficient service.

RATEPAYER.

COLUMBIA COAST MISSION APPEAL.

To the Editor.—Will you kindly give us space for this letter? Owing to the "ban" over the city, this making it impossible to let everybody in our Diocese know as to normal times, we appeal to all members and friends of our "W.A." to Missions, also to every member of our church, to be generous this year in their donations to the Christmas Appeal.

The three hospitals—St. Michael's, Rock Bay; Columbia, Van Anda, and St. George's, Alert Bay—all are in need of supplies, and especially so now owing to the unusual amount of serious illness (influenza in particular) during the last two or three months.

Supplies and donations of any kind will be gratefully received and acknowledged, and which may be sent to my house at any time up to December 5, or sent on that date to the Cathedral schoolroom between the hours of 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.

MARY H. HETHERLE, Diocese Diocese Secretary, 903 Linden Avenue, Victoria, B. C.

THE STRASSBURG MONUMENT.

To the Editor.—I notice in your issue of 10-day the graceful reference to the Strassburg monument in the Place de la Concorde, Paris. As I was on the spot at the time of the incident mentioned I trust you will allow me the pleasing privilege of a retrospect.

At last Strassburg was starved into submission and appropriated by Prussia. Then it was that the monument was draped in black crepe and immortelles were strewn around and about it. Thus it appeared to the delight of Prussian Uhlans when they made their triumphant entry into Paris.

Things are different now, and the Prussian Uhlans may gaze with horror feelings on the copper-nail statue of von Hindenburg in Berlin.

WM. THANT, Victoria, November 16, 1918.

INFLUENZA.

To the Editor.—The epidemic is still with us and since the Victoria Medical Society remains dumb, the public are asking for information, for enlightenment, for advice and direction in the presence of this disease. Surely in such a crisis the public has a just claim to what information the profession can give, and in their not only refusing to give information, but severely castigating those who have attempted to discharge the highest offices of the physician in an honest attempt to enlighten and direct, they are laying themselves open to severe public censure, and giving not only free play, but also encouraging the flood of quackery that follows like a leath-hound in the tracks of the ignorance fostered by the medical men. In defiance to the conclusion of the Victoria Medical Society in their drastic attempt to shackle freedom of speech and action, and with my resignation from their society thrown in their teeth, a protest against this policy of secrecy and exclusiveness, I will state for the benefit of Victorians the principles of the treatment of influenza that have given the best results, and a mortality rate that the liquor lovers and brandy givers might well covet:

- 1. Open the excretions fully and freely.
2. Keep the patient in bed.
3. Keep the skin constantly moist with perspiration.
4. Give all the fluid-nourishment the patient can digest.
5. Avoid alcoholics.
6. Avoid patent medicines for they are largely composed of alcohol—one which I have had analyzed recently containing 18 2-3 per cent. of alcohol.

Of all the delusions that ever cursed a people or the medical profession, the reliance upon alcohol in conditions of depression is the most appalling and dangerous, disastrous and damnable. Of all the diseases which we have to combat, this one especially requires strengthening and supporting measures. Alcohol has neither of these properties, it is a narcotic and depressant, and has no place in the management of this epidemic.

I can tell you of a certain "hospital" not more than ten thousand miles from the City of Victoria, where not only the patients were poisoned with alcohol, but the nurses were given brandy so freely that one young lady nurse became so drunk that she had to be taken home by her father. It is needless to say that the mortality rate in this hospital (anti-mortem room) reflects no credit on anything but the ability of alcohol to increase the death rate.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Starch

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(By Howard R. Garis.)

"Ho, ho, hum! And tiddle de dee! The mouse has married the bumble bee!"
Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, sang this little song as he was getting dressed in his hollow stump bungalow one morning.
Then, all of a sudden, the rabbit, as he opened a drawer made of birch bark, to get out a clean collar, said:
"Oh, dear me! What's the matter here? Why, all my collars are so soft and slippy that they won't stand up straight and stiff as they used to! I never can go walking in the woods and look for an adventure without a nice, white, stiff collar on, Nurse Jane!"
He called to his muskrat lady housekeeper, "what's the matter with my collars; they're all slippy like."
"Oh, I meant to tell you about them," said Nurse Jane, as she came to the foot of the stairs, but she was careful not to step on any of their toes.
"You see, Uncle Wiggily," she went on, "the last time I washed your collars I didn't have any starch to put in them to make them stiff when I ironed them. That's why they are all soft, and want to lie down instead of standing up."
"What's starch?" asked the bunny.
"Oh, it's white muckrat you get at the grocery," said the muskrat lady. "You soak the white lumps in water and then soak your collars in the white stuff and when the collars dry they are nice and stiff. But I have no starch and so I can't do it."
"Ha! Say no more. I must have stiff collars, so I'll go to the grocery store right away and get you starch," said the bunny. "How much do you want?"
"A pound will be enough," said Nurse Jane, "and then I'll starch your collars nice and stiff."
So Uncle Wiggily tied a silk handkerchief on his neck, as he didn't like to wear a slippy collar, unstarched, and away he hopped over the fields and through the woods to the grocery store.
"So it's starch you want, is it?" asked the grocery dog of the bunny uncle.
"Well, I have the finest and stiffest starch that ever was. Tell Nurse Jane to mix it with a little cold water and it will make things so stiff as never was!"
"I'll tell her," said Uncle Wiggily, and then he hopped back towards his hollow stump bungalow, singing "Ho, Hum! Toodle-dee-fay! I hope I have apple pie to-day!"
Uncle Wiggily had not gone very far through the woods, with the bag of starch under his paw, when, all of a sudden, out from under a log jumped the bad old Pipsisewah, and the bad old Pipsisewah grabbed the bunny uncle.
"Now I have you!" cried the unpleasant chap. "I have you now!"
"I see you have," said Uncle Wiggily, sadly like and disconcerted. "But please let me go."
"No, I will not!" answered the Pipsisewah. "I am going to take you off to my den and bite some off your ears. After that I'll make your pink nose twinkle like an electric light and read the evening paper."
"Oh, please don't do that!" begged

IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

Social Personal

Major Loughood has been over to the Mainland for a few days, visiting friends in Vancouver.

Miss Dorothy Kirk, of "Kirby," Esquimalt, is at present at St. Michael's Hospital, Rock Bay, B. C., with the Columbia Coast Mission.

Dr. Harold Eberis who, with Mrs. Eberis, has been spending a few days in Vancouver, left on Sunday evening for Fernie, B. C. Mrs. Eberis returned yesterday to her home in this city.

Local friends of the green-cloak will be interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Mary Victoria Hanbury, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanbury, of Vancouver, to Lieut. Francis F. Farrell Taffig, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Taffig, of the Mainland City. The wedding will take place quietly early in December.

From The Vancouver Daily Province:
"Mr. and Mrs. Innes Hopkins, Point Grey Road, invited a few friends in to tea on Sunday afternoon to meet Lieut. Sidney Dalton, a well-known composer and musical critic of New York, now attached to the Siberian Expeditionary Force at Victoria. He is a nephew of Major Barwis, of this city. The guests included Major and Mrs. Barwis, Col. (Rev.) Little, Mrs. Little, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hopkins, Major Storms, Lieut. Shaghnessy, Mr. Colin Morris and others."

WAR CHANGES WOMEN'S OUTLOOK ON LIFE

Recent Congress of Allied Women in Paris of Deep Significance

Few more significant or notable gatherings have grown out of the world war than the Congress of Allied Women on War Service recently held in Paris. This epoch-making conference brought together women of 123 organizations—women of France, America, Great Britain, Belgium, Italy, Russia, Rumania, Poland, Serbia, Montenegro, South America, Asia and Africa.

Never in the history of the world has there been such an assemblage and it is unlikely there will ever be again—a vast body of Allied women in the uniforms of their organizations, welded together by common cause—a body of free women working to back up the men who are fighting for world freedom.

Changed viewpoint.
Miss Irene Headley Armes, who represented the Y. W. C. A. on the executive committee of the congress, has just returned to the United States. According to Miss Armes, not only the men, but the women, too, will come back from war changed in many ways; they will view life with a gravity acquired from association with the infinite and incomparable spectacles of war.

Vivid impressions of the congress have been brought back by Mrs. Armes. Eloquence, thrilling in its depth of feeling marked the gathering. Miss Armes quotes the following from the speech of the Hon. Mrs. Alfred Lyttleton, a member of the British deputation:
"We are the women of the Allied nations. But do you realize what that 'we' means? It means the women of France. It means the women of Belgium. It means the women of Great Britain, the women of America, of Greece, of Italy, and of Portugal. It means the women of the New Jerusalem which we all see rising in the East. It means also the women of India. That one little word, when we speak it here to-day, means all this great mass of women all over the world."
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In a recent letter of acknowledgment to the Chapter, Col. Warren says: "Once more I have to thank you for the very kind donation of fruit, cakes, jelly and books for the sick soldiers of our camp. I can only say that your continued generosity and kindness are greatly appreciated by the men, to whom your gifts have been a constant source of pleasure."
The Chapter extends its thanks to the following donors of cakes during the past week: Lady Barnard, Mrs. Macey, Mrs. H. Wilson, Mrs. Montzambert, Miss Nellie Turner, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. J. James, Miss G. Rant, Mrs. J. Riddle, Mrs. R. Pugh, Mrs. E. J. Bowden, Mrs. Audain, Miss Protheroe, Mrs. Darnell, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Sutherland, Miss Tolson and others; also to Miss Payne for jars of beef tea; to Mrs. William Grant for jam; and to Mrs. Darnell for pears.
The I. O. D. E. Rooms, 25 Arcade Building, are open from 10.30 to 1 and from 2 until 4 o'clock, and donations left on Tuesdays and Fridays will be sent direct to the hospitals in most need of these delicacies.
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RED CROSS COMPANY TO PRESENT COMEDY

At Princess Theatre When Ban Lifts; New Members in Caste

Among the many ventures which are awaiting the advent of that somewhat elusive period—the lifting of the ban—one of the most popular entertainments will be that to be given at the Princess Theatre by the talented Red Cross Society. Practically ready for presentation when the pall of Spanish "flu" cast its shadow over Victoria, the comedy "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy" has in the interim gained a smoothness and finish which portends that the play will eclipse all the previous successes that redound to the credit of this fine company.

As in the previous productions, Reginald Hucks will be the presiding genius in the guise of stage manager. To this he will add the role of "Jimmy," immortalized by that eminent English actor, Gerald Du Maurier. Miss Eva Hart will assume the part of Peggy, played in the London production by Marie Tempest.

Several "finds."
The casts will include several new dramatic "finds" in the persons of Mrs. P. Bellio, who is to play the role of Lady Crakenhope; Mrs. Thornborrow, who will make her debut before a Victoria audience as Peggy's mother; Mrs. O'Mara, T. J. Gook, who will play the well-known secretary of the Victoria Rotary Club, will shine in a new role, that of Lord Anthony Crakenhope, while Miss Sybil Street, another newcomer to the Red Cross company, will portray the part of Millicent. As "Uncle Archie," a typical retired cavalry officer of the old school and bias man of the world, A. M. D. Fairbairn has a part which he is said to fit him like the proverbial glove, while James Hunter and Oswald Barton will make a welcome reappearance in the cast.

A particularly beautiful interior set, representing the ancestral hall of Hawthorn, has been painted by Stewart G. Clark for the first and third acts. Given but the date of the lifting of the ban and there is little doubt but that one of the most popular rendezvous of the theatre-loving public will be the Princess Theatre on Yates Street.

INDIANS OF INTERIOR HAVE SUFFERED MUCH

Spanish Influenza is Aided by Unavoidable Lack of Attention

According to reports from the Clinton section Spanish influenza has about reached the peak of its ravages and signs of improvement are beginning to appear. In the most recent report which chronicled the disease in the midst of his labor, Dr. McPhail, there were said to be 1,400 cases under treatment all of whom were without medical attention for the time being. By arrangement, however, Dr. Young, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, was able to extend the work of Dr. Newton, who had taken in hand the situation along the line of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway to the Clinton end of steel; conditions were thus improved.

In the report of the Provincial Police Officer made to Deputy Inspector Edens, under whose jurisdiction this section comes, a particularly distressing situation among the Indians is disclosed. Chief Constable Aiken says that information reaching him from Big Bar indicates that in one house a female corpse had perforce to remain for five days as the rest of the household were victims of the disease, and totally unable to bury the body. In addition to ministering to the immediate demands of the stricken vicinity the constable dispatched by Chief Aiken was obliged to bury two bodies which had lain for some time.

While at 150-Mile House installing a constable, Chief Constable Aiken—the author of the report to Deputy Inspector Edens—had the misfortune to contract the disease, and was held to a case for trial. The Justice who sat on the case also contracted the disease on the same day, and has since died of pneumonia following Spanish influenza. Cold clear weather is expected to improve conditions.

The Dominion Government has authorized the expenditure of \$1,500 to relieve the situation among the Shuswap Indians, and the essence of a report from the Provincial Police to the Indian Agent of the locality is that conditions were found to be appalling. The Kamloops Telegram reports the situation described by the Provincial Police as follows:
"Families were lying sick in their shack homes without either medical or other attention. Some families were literally starving through all members being helpless to procure food. Several hours were spent in ministering to the stricken Indians' needs and temporary relief was arranged for within the reserve. There have been a large number of deaths among the Indians. In one home five children have died within two or three days."

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 19—5 a. m.—The barometer is abnormally high over Northern B. C. accompanied by cold weather, which will spread into Kootenay and the prairie provinces. The weather is fair on the Northern Coast and heavy rains prevail in California.
Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 44; wind, calm; rain, 31; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 12; wind, calm; rain, 64; weather, fair.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 36; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.
Temperature. Max. Min.
Tatoosh 52 48
Portland, Ore. 54 46
Seattle 54 46
San Francisco 52 44
Grand Forks 42 34
Penticton 45
Cranbrook 36
Nelson 42
Kaslo 41
Caldery 45 28
Edmonton 38 20
Winnipeg 42 12
Toronto 54 34
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ANY PEOPLE GAINING WEIGHT

HAMILTON MAN GAINS 32 POUNDS

Improvement of Former Postmaster Has Surprised His Friends

Remarkable, indeed, is the statement made recently by G. W. Miller, of 232 McNab Street, Hamilton, Ont., who declares that he has not only gotten complete relief from rheumatism and stomach trouble, but has gained thirty-two pounds in weight besides. Mr. Miller was for twelve years postmaster and merchant at 65, Corners, Brant County, and respected throughout Southern Ontario.

"As a result of rheumatism and stomach trouble, I had fallen off to one hundred and fifteen pounds," Mr. Miller continues. "I now weigh one hundred and forty-seven pounds, which puts me beyond my normal weight, and I don't think I ever felt better in my life. I was so sick and crippled up that I had to sell out my business and get a man to take charge of the post office. My legs had perished away until they were no larger than my arms—I couldn't bend them—the leaders seemed tied in knots and hurt so I could hardly bear anything to touch me. I just could manage to hobble around by use of a walking stick. My stomach was so upset that I hardly had any appetite. My appetite was all gone and I just seemed to be slowly starving. Sometimes all I could take was a glass of milk, and even then I suffered.

"For several months I was under treatment, at a considerable cost, without getting any relief, but my improvement on a few bottles of Tanlac has astonished all who knew my actual condition. It seems that everybody I see asks me what I have done to gain so much weight, and make me look so much better. My appetite is so big now I can hardly eat anything—meats and all kinds of vegetables—and nothing hurts me. I was badly constipated, too, but by using the Tanlac tablets in connection with Tanlac I have been relieved of this trouble. The rheumatism is all gone out of my legs. I don't have to use a cane any more, and I can walk any place I want to go. My legs are getting back to their regular size, my muscles are getting firm and I simply feel altogether different in every way. Of course, I owe my present good health to nothing but Tanlac and am glad to make a statement that will reach others who may be suffering like I did, for I honestly believe Tanlac will help them."

SPOKANE WOMAN GAINS 40 POUNDS

Electrical Treatment and Everything Else Had Failed to Help Her

"There, that is what I have been looking for the past six months now for my sister," said Mrs. V. Legault, who resides at 221 1/2 Post Street, Spokane, Wash., pointing to the big Tanlac display in Mursiltree's Drug Store, recently.

"My sister's health has broken down," Mrs. Legault continued, "and I firmly believe Tanlac will fix her up as it did me three years ago." "When I took it I was suffering from a complication of ailments which had resulted in nervous prostration. My troubles all started from a bad stomach and was in a pitiable condition. Everything I ate would sour, causing the such awful pains in the pit of my stomach that I could hardly stand it. My nerves were in a bad shape. I was badly constipated and even now I have to take the Tanlac pills. I had the most terrible headaches I had. I also suffered from weakness and pains in my right side, which was the worst kind of torture. Electrical treatment and everything else was tried on me, except an operation, which I refused to stand for, but nothing did me any good. I had always weighed around one hundred and forty-eight pounds, but my weight had dropped to one hundred and twelve, and I was scarcely more than a frame. I really had no desire to live, as my case seemed to be hopeless.

"When I read in a Detroit, Mich., paper, where I was then living, a Tanlac testimonial given by a lady who lived but a short distance from me, and right then I decided to try Tanlac. The result I obtained was nothing less than remarkable. My appetite soon came back, my stomach got so I could eat and digest my food and every one of my troubles gradually left and the first thing I knew I was regaining my lost weight and strength. After using five bottles of Tanlac I found that I had gone up to one hundred and fifty-two pounds—actually gaining forty pounds—making several pounds more than I had ever weighed before. Although it has been nearly three years now since Tanlac restored me I have never been bothered with any of my old troubles to this good day, and I have held my weight, always weighing around one hundred and fifty pounds. So you can see why I have been so anxious to find Tanlac for my sister."

CAPT. JEFF RIGGS HAS GAINED 27 POUNDS ON IT

Capt. Jeff D. Riggs, popular Y. & M. V. engineer, running between Victoria and New Orleans, and residing at 2629 Pearl Street, Victoria, Miss., in speaking of his experience with Tanlac, said: "Yes, sir, it's an actual fact I have gained 27 pounds on Tanlac.

"I began taking the medicine," continued Capt. Riggs, "I was simply a nervous and physical wreck and had dropped down in weight from 140 to 110 pounds.

Thousands of Thin, Frail People Are Restored to Health and Gain Rapidly in Weight by Taking Tanlac

One of the most noteworthy features in connection with the introduction of Tanlac, and the one that stands out more prominently than any other, perhaps, is the very large number of well-known men and women from all parts of the country who have recently reported an astonishing and rapid increase in weight as a result of its use.

When so many well-known people of unquestioned integrity make statement after statement, each corroborating the other, the truth of such statements can no longer be doubted. Thousands have testified that this famous medicine has completely restored them to health and strength, after every other medicine and the most skilled medical treatment have failed.

One of the most remarkable cases on record is that of Mrs. Charles Peden, of Huntsville, Ala., whose statement appears below. Mrs. Peden, according to her own signed statement, gained twenty-seven (27) pounds in only a few weeks' time, and her case has created a widespread interest over the entire country. She is reported to have received over eight hundred (800) letters regarding her statement since publication.

Hundreds of others almost as remarkable have recently been received, several of which are also published below.

MRS. CHAS. PEDEN GAINS 27 POUNDS

Was Twice Examined and Each Time Told Operation Her Only Hope

"I have just finished my third bottle of Tanlac, and have gained twenty-seven pounds," was the truly remarkable statement made by Mrs. Charles Peden, residing at 55 Mill Street, Huntsville, Ala.

"When I commenced taking the medicine," she continued, "I only weighed ninety-eight (98) pounds, now I weigh 125 pounds, and never felt better in my life. For years I had suffered with a bad form of stomach trouble, constipation, and pains in my side and back. At times the pains took the form of torture, and I was twice examined and each time was told that I had appendicitis and that an operation would be my only hope.

"I had made all preparations for the operation and called in my sister to tell her goodbye, as I did not know whether I would live to see her again or not. My sister begged and pleaded with me not to allow them to cut on me, and told me to wait and try a good tonic for a while. The next day, she returned from the consulting room, I thought of what she said, and as I had heard so much about Tanlac I decided to try it, and get a bottle.

"I never returned for the operation, but just kept on taking the Tanlac. Right from the start I began to feel better. The medicine seemed to take hold right at once.

"I was so happy over the wonderful improvement in my condition that I went for my neighbors to tell them how much better I felt. I sent and got another bottle of Tanlac, and have just finished taking my third bottle, and feel as if I had been made all over again into a new woman."

SEATTLE WOMAN GAINS 25 POUNDS

Health So Bad Before Taking Tanlac Can't See How She Lived

"A little less than two months ago I began taking Tanlac and since that time I have actually gained twenty-five pounds," was the remarkable statement made by Mrs. W. Williams, of 659 Orcas Street, Seattle, Wash., recently.

"My health has been very poor for many years," she continued, "but my condition has been so bad during the last two or three years that I really don't see how I lived. I suffered most all the time with fearful headaches, and severe pains in my back, and, in fact, I was racked with pain all over. I lost my appetite, and my nerves became so shattered that I hardly knew what sleep was. When my husband lost his sight my duties, of course, became doubly hard, and my health being bad already, I kept going down under the strain. I did everything I could to keep out of bed, but finally got to where I was just up and down—would sit up one day and be in bed the next—and I even had to give up my housework because I was so weak. Every day was just another day of suffering and misery for me.

"I went down from one hundred and forty pounds to less than a hundred, and was just a frame with scarcely strength to move around. I finally made up my mind from what I read about Tanlac to try it, and I have certainly found it wonderful. I now weigh one hundred and twenty-five pounds and—anyone could feel like a new person I do. My appetite is splendid and I am just building up every day. My nerves are in good condition, I have gotten rid of all my pain and now I sleep like a child every night. I have gained so much in strength already that I can do all my housework without any trouble and I have been benefited so much that I am glad to recommend Tanlac to everybody."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell.

SALT LAKE MAN GAINS 20 POUNDS

Frank Curry Says He Now Feels 30 Years Younger; Can't Express Gratitude

Frank Curry, who lives at 318 Polk Street, Salt Lake City, Utah, and is known throughout the city as a post-baker, declared recently that he has actually gained twenty pounds by taking a few bottles of Tanlac, and that while he is now past sixty years of age he really doesn't feel a day over thirty. His complete statement follows:

"The way this Tanlac has restored my health and built me up is beyond explaining. In fact, I wonder myself how any medicine could do anybody as much good as it has me. Five years ago, when I realized my system was getting all run down and I began to feel as if I was going to die, I found a remedy to relieve my condition. Well, I tried numbers of things that were recommended, but continued to get worse instead of better. So about two years ago I began to have intense pains from my shoulders on down into my hips. My back became weak and my kidneys and bladder got so deranged that I lost control to a great extent. I suffered so I couldn't lie on either side, and between constantly being disturbed by my kidneys, extreme nervousness and misery, I could never sleep more than an hour or two at night and then I had to lay on my back to get any ease or rest at all. My liver was in bad shape. I was badly constipated, and I often had severe dizzy spells. My stomach couldn't digest anything, my food formed into lots of gas and uric acid and my right side hurt me all the time. In fact, I was in pain every hour, day and night, and besides this, I felt sluggish, tired and no account all the time, and unfit for anything.

"I saw where Tanlac was doing so much for others that I decided to see if there was anything in it for me. So on December 1st I got a bottle, and after using it for several days I noticed the pains in my arms, back and other parts of my body were leaving me. Then my kidneys got better and my appetite got in perfectly normal condition. My kidneys never bother me now. I sleep all night like a log and am full of new life and energy. I really feel thirty years younger, and you can't imagine my surprise when I got on the scales and found I had actually gained twenty pounds in weight. I consider Tanlac to be the greatest of all medicines, for what I have gotten from it is beyond my words to express."

TACOMA MAN HAS GAINED 17 POUNDS

Declares Tanlac is the Grandest Medicine on Earth; Wife Also Benefited

"I have gained 17 pounds and the only reason I can give for my wonderful improvement is that Tanlac is an extraordinary medicine," said A. H. Thomas, an engineer, employed of the Wright Shipbuilding Company, and living at 802 1/2 South Ninth Street, Tacoma, Wash.

"About six years ago," he continued, "I commenced having headaches, which kept getting worse until I could hardly stand them. These awful headaches seemed to undermine my whole system and my general health got to be bad. My stomach got in a perfectly normal condition, and I can't say I suffer a particle with gas and indigestion, and I sleep so well that I hate to get up in the morning, and I seldom have a headache. I am feeling fine every way now and my wife, who has only been taking Tanlac a short while, has been benefited a great deal already. Tanlac is the grandest medicine on earth, there's no doubt about that."

HARVEY SAYS HE GAINED 25 POUNDS

"To show you what Tanlac has done for me, I gained twenty-five pounds on five bottles and am now twelve pounds heavier than ever was in my life," said Mr. Harvey, who is employed by the Grant, Smith-Porter Shipbuilding Company, and lives at 418 Fifth Street, Portland, Oregon, on the other day.

"For four or five years," he continued, "I had an awful time with stomach trouble that steadily got worse in spite of all I could do. I didn't relish my food, and what I ate would ferment on my stomach, and bloat me up with gas, till I was miserable for two or three hours afterwards. I felt so tired and worn out that it was all I could do to keep going, and many a time I felt like I just couldn't hold out another day. I took all sorts of medicines, but nothing did me a bit of good.

"I eat like a pig now—anything I want, and nothing hurts me at all. I never have any trouble with gas or those awful stomach pains and I went up in weight to a hundred and eighty pounds. That old worn out feeling is all gone. I am working hard every day and never feel tired like I did before. My wife was very much run down too, and complained of indigestion and nervousness. A few bottles of Tanlac soon straightened her out, and now she says that she feels as well as ever."—Advt.

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MORE VICTORIA CASUALTIES IN CLOSING STAGES

Private Rivers Sent to England With Wounds Since Fighting Ceased

More Victoria casualties are reported in telegrams which have reached the parents from Ottawa since the signing of the armistice, and in one instance in particular it would appear that the wounded man sustained and had injuries possibly on the last day of the fighting. According to a telegram received by the parents, Pte. Horace Watson Rivers, who was wounded while fighting with a machine gun corps, was admitted to hospital in Manchester, England, on November 12 with wounds in the arms and hands. He is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rivers, 749 Market Street, who have already lost two sons while serving their country. Pte. Rivers, who was formerly employed by Short, Hill & Duncan, belonged to the 5th Regiment and afterwards transferred to the 47th Battalion as a member of the Machine Gun Company. He had been about twenty-nine months in France, and first served with the First Pioneers from which he transferred to the Armored Motor Machine Gun Corps. In March of this year he was wounded in the hand and sent to England and on returning to France served with the 4th Canadian Machine Gun Battalion. His brother, Gunner Percy Rivers, who was also a member of the 5th Regiment, was killed while serving with the artillery in the second Battle of Ypres in April 1916. The eldest brother, Signaller Charles Rivers, died before proceeding overseas. Pte. E. J. Lewis, who left Victoria in 1916, was killed in action on October 18, according to word received by Mrs. L. W. Nicoll, formerly of Oak Bay. Pte. Lewis came to Victoria from Cumberland and had a long record of service in the firing line.

Was Invalid. Formal intimation has been received by Mrs. Plews, of this city, of the admission of her son, Corporal R. C. Plews into hospital. Recently a message came through in the name of "R. C. P. Lewis," however, Mrs. Plews was convinced that it referred to her son, and the surmise is now confirmed. He went from North Vancouver with the Canadian Engineers, and had been at the front for some time.

Wounded in Leg. Information has just reached the city to the effect that Private Alex. Richardson, of the 47th Battalion, was hit on September 17 last, necessitating his removal from France to a hospital in Wales, where he is now under treatment for a broken leg and fractured knee.

Private Richardson is a native of Scotland, and came out to Victoria some five years ago. When war broke out he was engaged at the Alberni Land Company's Farm, a position he left early in 1916 to join the 88th Battalion, C. E. F., with which unit he went overseas in May of the same year. On arrival in England and the absorption of the battalion for reinforcing purposes, Pte. Richardson was drafted to France with a detachment of the 47th, and he has since been in the trenches. Up till the date above mentioned he escaped hurt. He is thirty-two years of age.

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Local Improvements.—The Local Improvement Commissioners made a start yesterday on the list of about eighty by-laws submitted to them by the City Council, and it is expected that two weeks will complete the work. The commissioners will sit every day until the list is disposed of.

Charge is Dismissed.—James Caffery, of Sooke, B. C., who was charged under the Military Service Act with giving a wrong report respecting his son's case, appeared again in the City Police Court this morning. After hearing the evidence, Magistrate Jay dismissed the case.

Men on Leave. The Adjutant-General makes reference in his wire to General Leckie that the Department hopes that it will be able to secure sufficient personnel for units to be maintained during demobilization from men desiring to remain in the Service, preference always to be given to men with overseas service. All personnel on leave of absence without pay will remain on leave and will be dealt with in accordance with instructions which will be issued from Militia Headquarters. All personnel now on harvest leave without pay will be notified to remain on leave until ordered to report for disposal; detailed instructions for dealing with these cases will shortly be issued by the Adjutant-General.

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ORDERS ARRIVE FOR THE CURTAILMENT OF MILITARY DETAILS

General Leckie Receives Instructions Regarding This District

CERTAIN BRANCHES REMAIN AT MINIMUM

Telegraphic advices have reached Major-General Leckie, General Officer Commanding M.D. 11, this morning, from the Adjutant-General of Canada, giving full details of general demobilization plans to be made effective in this and other Military Districts. With the exception of a few minor instances the programme is complete, indicating in general that all branches of the force will be maintained at the minimum strength compatible with efficient service.

Branches to Remain. In keeping with the Order the following departments of the district will remain for the present for the purpose of carrying out ordinary duties within the District as well as preparatory to the return of overseas troops: Headquarters and District Staffs, Artillery for defence; Engineers for defence and maintenance, the 11th Battalion Garrison Regiment—subject to instructions still to be issued to the G.O.C., Medical and Dental services, Canadian Army Service Corps, Ordnance Corps, Canadian Army Veterinary Corps—the three branches to retain an establishment as demanded by local requirements, Pay Services, Chaplains in accordance with the reduction of the force, Clerical Services Command and District Depot for overseas demobilization as required.

Method of Disposal. Draft producing units and depots are to be disposed of as follows—details affected appear first and method of disposal follow on—Artillery Depot, Engineer Depots, Signalling and Railway Troops, Depot Battalions, Canadian Army Service Corps, Ordnance detachment; Machine Gun Depot, Canadian Officers' Training Corps of University Companies, Tank Battalion and reinforcements.

Personnel of the foregoing is to be disposed of as follows: (a) By transfer, to replace personnel discharged in accordance with reductions indicated in the enumeration of the branches to be maintained on minimum strength, transfer, however, to be governed by conditions set out hereunder; (b) By striking off or discharges while the immediate reduction of the force will be accomplished by striking off discharging personnel in the following order: (a) All personnel with overseas service who can be spared and who are desirous of discharges; (b) married men who can be spared and who are desirous of discharges; (c) all personnel in the lower categories who are unable to render efficient service; (d) personnel by occupations required for economic reasons as may be directed by Militia Headquarters and who can be spared; (e) all other personnel whose services are not required after replacing personnel discharged from the units to be maintained.

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 - 1 McLAUGHLIN Roadster, reg. \$475. This week \$375
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FORCE OF DISEASE NOW DIMINISHING

Spanish Influenza Germ Shows Signs of Being Played Out

Dr. A. G. Price, Medical Health Officer, this morning stated that the Spanish Influenza situation remains about the same as it has been during the past few days, and that the daily average in the number of cases shows signs of favoring an early lifting of the ban.

Taken into consideration also is the fact that local medical men are of the opinion that the germ is weakening, and gradually playing itself out, therefore, there is not so much danger to the patient suffering from an attack of the disease. Dr. Price emphasizes the fact, however, that there should be no slackening in the precautions taken.

To date there have been 2,226 cases in Victoria, but the number of recoveries are daily offsetting the number of new cases. "We find our work much easier, and there are not as many cases in the city at present as there have been heretofore," said Dr. Price to-day. The total up to noon of new cases was thirty-four, and the total for yesterday was fifty-two. The health authorities are still in need of the services of a man to act as janitor at the Emergency Hospital.

Reports from Spanish to-day state that there are four new cases in the municipality, and the situation thus looks fairly favorable.

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VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST THE WORLD

KHAKI WINS OVER BLUE IN RING AT SIBERIANS' CAMP

Daniels and McIntyre, Victors in Interesting Bouts Last Night

NAVAL BOYS ARE GAME AGAINST RING GENERALS

It was with a surprising display of speed, generalship and natural fighting ability that Rifleman McIntyre, of the Siberian Expeditionary Force, opesely defeated Seaman Miller, of I. M. S. Lancaster, in the course of an excellent boxing tournament held at the Wilfoway Camp last night.

Easy Pickings For Army. Fistic fans were given a treat by an exhibition of the ring prowess of Rifleman McIntyre, 135 pounds, who mixed with Seaman Miller, of the Lancaster, who tipped the scales at 150 pounds.

Watchful Waiting. Nothing much happened in the first round, the soldier feeling his man out and the latter starting in with all the speed he possessed.

Playing With Navy. In the third the sailor several times rushed into clinches to save himself, but his opponent beat him back with quick jabs and staved him off with terrible lefts, in which his longer reach worked much havoc.

Sailor Groggy. The sailor continued his rushes in the eighth, but McIntyre broke up any fierce attacks with his powerful right left. About the middle of the round the sailor backed his opponent to a corner, and for the first time in the bout bombarded him with all his force, getting in a terrible series of rights and lefts, and beating Miller to his knees.

RESULTS OF LEAGUE SOCCER IN ENGLAND. London, Nov. 18.—Following are results of scheduled English League football games played Saturday on the grounds of the first-named clubs.

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VICTORIA LACROSSE. PLAYER DECORATED

Acting Q.-M.-S. Smith, of James Bay Club, Gets Military Medal

Members of the James Bay Athletic Club, which has won such a splendid record during the war, will read with pleasure that further honor has been reflected upon the club in the award of a Military Medal to Acting Quartermaster-Sergeant F. E. W. Smith, one of its prominent members.

Was Lacrosse Player. Sergeant Smith, who is among the best known sportsmen of Victoria, was an all-round athlete and his picture appears on the walls of the club in many different costumes with teams that have carried off trophies along various lines of sport.

BONDS REFUSED TO MEET JACK DEMPSEY. But Britton and Dundee Provided Good Feature Bouts

New York, Nov. 18.—Many prominent pugilists participated in a carnival at Madison Square Garden on Saturday night in support of the United War Work Fund campaign.

DEMPSEY HANGS K. O. ON FLYNN IN FIRST OF SIX-ROUND BOUT. Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight, knocked Potkey Flynn, of Boston, out in two minutes and sixteen seconds of the first round of a scheduled six-round bout here tonight.

STAR OF LANCASTER SOCCER ELEVEN HAS BIG BURST OF SPEED. In the hard fight which the eleven of H. M. S. Lancaster look like putting up for football trophies, both in the city competition and the struggle for the Brown Service Cup, they will be considerably helped by David Nicholas, their clever inside left, who is announced to be the star of the side, and who has certainly lived up to his reputation in the few appearances the sailor has made in Victoria.

TRAP SHOOTING. New York, Nov. 18.—In a West vs. East trapshooting contest, the feature of the United War Work Campaign events at Weavers Island, Saturday, the five-man western team won by a score of 489 targets to 475. F. S. Jamieson, of Penns Grove, N. J., took the high score prize with ninety-nine targets out of a possible 100.

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RED CROSS CRICKET. Hubert Lethaby, Secretary of the Red Cross Cricket Tournament, held in August, announced that the \$118.35 realized for the Red Cross is made up as follows: Receipts: Sale of tickets, \$99; entrance fees of teams, \$40; collection at final game, Vancouver, \$59.25. Expenditure: Cricket balls for various matches, \$36; grounds-men's fees, \$21; printing tickets, etc., \$12.25; telegrams and postage, \$4.65; transportation, \$3; sundries, \$5; cheque handed to Red Cross Society, \$118.35.

CHICAGO CLUB MANAGER PROMOTED. Chicago, Nov. 19.—Fred Mitchell, manager of the Chicago Club of the National League, will be elected president of the club, to succeed Charles Weeghman. It is announced to-day, Mr. Weeghman will retain his financial interests in the club.

TALKS OF INTEREST CREATED IN SWIMMING

Claire Tait, who was in Victoria with Duke Kahanamoku and his swimming partners in a talk on swimming says: "It is really surprising what interest was created in swimming on our tour, and we were everywhere greeted by large crowds, from the time we left the Pacific Coast until cold weather set in on the Atlantic seaboard. It gave Honolulu more advertising than a cheat full of coin and a shipload of literature could have done. We are carrying back to the Post of the Pacific a bunch of press clippings that will fill a couple of trunks, and we intend to put it on display in some big store there to show just what we did to promote swimming and to advertise the community."

After the war you will see some new woman champions produced in the Hawaiian Islands, or I'm mistaken. For instance, there is Baby Dowsett, a fourteen-year-old girl, who was taught by the Duke at the Outrigger Club at Waikiki Beach. She is a small imitation of the Duke in the water, and in her first race she swam fifty yards in 22 2-5 seconds. I had a boy in my Y. M. C. A. classes, Albert Minville, jr., who, though only fourteen years of age, swam the fifty yards in 27.3, the 100 in 1:05 and the 220 yards in 2:47. Before Kahanamoku began setting records that astounded the world, you will find that the boy's times were close to if not equalling some of our very best marks of a dozen years ago. We have another girl, Josephine Hopkins, aged 17, who will be heard from in the 440 and 880 when she gets a little older and more experienced in the water.

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Should Ask For Tenders.—At the City Council meeting last night Alderman Andros suggested that the Council should adopt the principle, when disposing of chattels belonging to the city, that where the value of the articles ran into a large figure tenders for the purchase of the goods should be called for. The discussion arose over a recommendation that certain machinery be sold by the Purchasing Agent and Engineer. The matter was referred back to a committee for further report.

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Happy in Germany.—J. Walker, Company Sergeant-Major in the Royal Engineers, and who has been a prisoner of war in Germany for some time, has sent S. H. Malton, of the Supreme Court Registry, a humorous picture postcard by Cecil A. Tooke, another prisoner of war at Brandenburg, depicting two British Tommies dreaming of the exchange. He writes: "We are living in hopes of an exchange, happy as ever. If we can't get home with the exchange we will come along with the boys. Best greetings from all Canadians in camp. Cheer Oh." Two weeks after the postcard was sent the armistice was agreed upon.

Substitution of Bank.—A resolution was adopted by the City Council last night whereby the Bank of Montreal, which has taken over the Bank of British North America, was substituted as the city's banking institution, the city having an agreement of many years' standing with the latter concern. Alderman Andros and Sargent did not see the necessity for such a resolution. "The bank asked for it," explained City Comptroller Raymur. "But banks often ask for things that are unreasonable. We know that from experience," commented Alderman Andros.

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SAANICH BOY VICTIM OF FATAL ACCIDENT

Richard McCarthy Succumbs to Bullet-Wound Inflicted by Younger Brother

To the long list of fatalities resulting each year from the careless handling of firearms in the hands of boys and inexperienced persons is added another—that of Joseph McCarthy, the fourteen-year-old son of Joseph McCarthy, of Keating Cross Road, Saanich. The boy passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning, succumbing to the effects of a bullet-wound in the neck.

With his younger brother, Walter, he on Saturday last borrowed a .22 calibre rifle from a youthful friend, arming themselves with a supply of ammunition, unknown to their father, who had consistently refused the boys permission to handle firearms. On Sunday afternoon, however, the boys found opportunity to go out to the barn to try the gun.

After loading the rifle the elder boy set up a tin can as a target, the younger boy holding the rifle meantime. In his eagerness to use the gun the latter took aim and in his excitement pressed the trigger before his elder brother had gained a position of safety. The rifle went off, the bullet entering the neck of the older boy and lodging close to the jugular vein. A passing motorist conveyed the boy to St. Joseph's Hospital with all speed, where an X-ray examination was made. Owing to its position, it was found impossible to remove the bullet, and despite every attention the lad passed away at ten o'clock this morning.

POULTRY SHOW TO BE HELD NEXT MONTH

In Market Building, for Victoria and South of Vancouver Island

The Poultry Association of District No. 2, which includes Victoria and the southern part of Vancouver Island, has arranged to hold its show in the Market Building, for four days commencing December 17.

This will be the second of the series of ten district shows to be held in the province, and it is expected that practically every breeder of fancy and utilitarian poultry in the district will enter birds on this occasion. W. Walker has been appointed judge of the exhibits, and all entries for the show should be handed in without delay to D. Nicol, Bank Street, the Secretary of No. 2 District Association. A number of special features have been arranged for each evening during the show and every effort is being put forward to make the occasion one of the most successful in the poultry annals of the Island.

The big provincial gathering at which poultry breeders from all over British Columbia will exhibit their birds is scheduled to take place in Vancouver commencing on January 8, 1919.

RECEIVED PRESENTATION

Staff of Gordon's Ltd., Present Handsome Gold Watch to W. J. Laver, Retiring Shipping Clerk.

Gordon's Ltd., Yates Street, was the scene of a pleasing little ceremony yesterday when Walter J. Laver, who recently resigned his position as shipping clerk, was presented with a handsome gold watch, the gift of his former colleagues at the store. The watch, suitably inscribed with the words "Presented to Walter J. Laver by the staff of Gordon's Ltd., as a token of their appreciation and esteem," was handed to Mr. Laver by Miss Mary Heywood, buyer of the hosiery department, who accompanied the gift with a few words expressing the general regret at Mr. Laver's departure. Mr. Laver has been a member of the staff since the opening of the store, and his retirement was expected by all with regret. He is expected to leave on S. S. Niagara December 4 en route for Honolulu, where he will spend the winter months in the interests of his health.

The item in Cartier Bros. "Ad" of yesterday referring to a Ford Buick at \$2.95 should read \$295.00.

VANCOUVER NOW HAS RECOGNIZED AGENCY

A. J. Massie, Ltd., Open Offices in The Province Building

Looming ever larger on the horizon of our neighboring provinces, British Columbia is daily receiving the recognition which is its due. Our rapidly developing industries and the opening up of our natural resources to the world's markets are attracting particular notice in the Prairie Provinces—our nearest and most natural market. A recent addition to the business community of British Columbia is that



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of A. J. Massie Ltd., the well-known aggressive Western General Advertising Agency. This agency, recognized and in good standing with the Canadian Press Association, has established an enviable record in newspaper and advertising circles. With head offices in Winnipeg, they offer a truly Western service based upon actual knowledge of Western conditions. The import of this agency establishing a branch office in British Columbia will be patent to those now seeking or who shortly must seek wider markets. A. J. Massie, Ltd., now handles and place the advertising for a large number of highly important Western manufacturing and business concerns.

This agency has made a wise choice in securing as manager for their Pacific Coast division the services of W. H. Carswell, who not only has a very wide connection and experience in the entire Canadian newspaper field and advertising agency business in Canada, but from seven years' residence in British Columbia is thoroughly conversant with the requirements of the local field.

WILL APPEAL FURTHER FLOATING DOCK SUIT

Grant, Smith & Co. Get Leave to Carry Case to Privy Council

Grant, Smith & Co., contractors for the Victoria breakwater, were yesterday morning given leave by the Appeal Court to carry an appeal to the Privy Council in the litigation with the Seattle Construction Company. The Seattle Construction Company had leased Grant, Smith & Co. a floating drydock which was wrecked during the progress of the work at Victoria. Mr. Justice Clement awarded the Seattle firm \$75,000 damages for their loss, but this was recently cut down by the Court of Appeal to \$35,000. Grant, Smith & Co. will appeal against the \$35,000 judgment, while the Seattle Construction Company will cross-appeal in an effort to secure a larger award.

The Court of Appeal in fixing the question of security for the appeal and cross-appeal, came to a deadlock this morning. Chief Justice Macdonald in an effort to fix a practice in such cases ruled that the main appellant should put up \$500 as security, but that the cross-appellant need not pay so much. He suggested £100 for the cross-appellant.

"I agree with that," said Mr. Justice Gallinger. Mr. Justice McPhillips took the view that there was no discretion and that each party should put up the full amount of \$500. Mr. Justice Eberts, while holding that a discretion existed, said that this was not a case where it should be exercised as the cross-appellant was appealing every point of the case.

With the court equally divided, all eyes were turned to Mr. Justice Martin for the deciding opinion. "I am taking no part in this matter," said his Lordship.

With the Court equally divided, Chief Justice Macdonald said that to avoid a deadlock "on a matter of no legal importance" he would withdraw the £100 and substitute £500 as the amount the Seattle Construction Company must deposit as security.

"I still adhere to my previously-expressed opinion," observed Mr. Justice Gallinger.

E. C. Mayers appeared for Grant, Smith & Co., and E. P. Davis, K. C., for the Seattle Construction Company.

Wigley's British Columbia Directory now being delivered, contains valuable Provincial statistics, a directory of 2,610 cities, towns, villages and settlements; also 4,182 geographical descriptions. Farmers, ranchers and fruit-growers are listed, in addition to business interests, which in turn are indexed under 1,035 classified headings. A directory of trade names, brands and trade marks, also revised list of post offices are included. The work is invaluable to business firms, and forms an excellent mailing list and buyers' guide. Subscription, \$10. Wigley Directories, Limited, Metropolitan Bldg., Vancouver, or Will K. Norris, Manager for Vancouver Island, St. James Hotel, Victoria.

EXPECTS FLIGHT FROM CANADA TO ENGLAND

Lieut. H. A. Farr Back to Regain Health After Useful Service

Lieut. Harry A. F. Farr, one of the original three airmen who formed the nucleus of the Canadian Flying Corps, has reached Vancouver on his way here. Before the outbreak of war, Lieut. Farr was engaged in designing, building and flying aircraft on the Pacific coast. In August, 1914, he joined the 50th Gordon Highlanders in Victoria, and with that unit proceeded to Valcartier, where he transferred to the Canadian Flying Corps. As a member of the latter he later became attached to the headquarters staff at Salisbury Plains in the early days of the war. In 1915, when the Canadian Flying Corps was disbanded, Lieut. Farr was the only one left of the original staff of that unit. He then joined the Royal Flying Corps. For over a year he was stationed at Long Branch, Ont., as equipment officer, after being attached for some time to the stores depot of the headquarters in that district.

Ill-Health Intervenes.

Ill-health made it necessary for him to relinquish his commission in the Air Force, but after a short rest he will resume his former profession of aeronautical engineering. His firm belief is that the aeroplane has come to stay, and will become one of the most important factors of life in the new era of peace, as shown by the following article:

"The airplane has come to stay! With the cessation of hostilities and the looked-for slackening off in the manufacture of warplanes, manufacturers are formulating plans for the commercial side of aviation. That this industry will develop into something akin to the automobile industry in the next few years, those who are interested financially and from a labor standpoint have no doubt.

A Modest Start.

"No other development in the history of the world has shown such remarkable results as the science of aeronautics in the past ten years. When the Wright brothers built their first



LIEUT. H. A. FARR

successful power-driven airplane, the motor, a four-cylinder of their own design, only developed about 25 h. p. "To-day we have engines of 250 h. p. Two, and sometimes three, of these powerful motors are installed in the huge weight-carrying airplanes, capable of lifting nearly four tons. It was a revelation to me, who built and flew machines before the outbreak of war, to make a flight lasting over half an hour over the heart of New York recently. The machine, a "Caproni" three-motored and nearly a hundred-foot span, handled like a Packard car, although it was blowing a gale over the city and the machine flying lower than the top of the Woolworth Building. The machine, though capable of carrying ten passengers, had only four, two of whom had never been in an airplane before. They enjoyed themselves immensely, and were not the least bit scared. Airplanes of this type, carrying two pilots and a large quantity of gasoline, will, I predict, make the flight between Canada and England by next summer. Machines capable of this flight have been built both by England and Italy.

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USEFUL CITIZEN PASSES

President of Kamloops Chamber of Commerce Succumbs to Influenza; Was Good Roads Enthusiast.

Good roads enthusiasts of British Columbia will regret to learn of the death from Spanish influenza of William T. Summers, of Kamloops. Mr. Summers was President of the Kamloops Chamber of Commerce and took part in the deliberations of the Good Roads Convention held in Penticton in September last.

Mr. Summers was a past master of Kamloops Lodge, A. F. and A. M., an Odd Fellow and a member of the Sons of England organization, representative of all of which took part in the obsequies on Sunday last.

As a director of the Royal Inland Hospital, Mr. Summers took keen interest in the work of the institution, and the illness which caused his death is attributed to exposure in hospital work in the emergency of the epidemic.



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LUTHERAN SYNODS ARRANGE MERGER

Decision of Conference in New York May Affect Local Church

Members of the congregation of the local English Lutheran Church will doubtless be interested to hear that the merger of three Lutheran Synods has just taken place at a conference combining the General Council and the United Synod held at New York.

Affect on Seattle. In Seattle alone the merger will affect approximately 10,000 Lutherans and the following churches: Holy Trinity, Rev. Frank E. Beistel, pastor; St. Paul's, Lutheran, Rev. W. F. C. Stover, pastor; and the University Lutheran Church, Rev. A. T. Schoenberg, pastor. It will also embrace the Pacific Theological seminary at Laurel, of which Dr. Frederick is dean. An appropriation of \$250,000 for the benefit of this college, and the appointment to this district of Rev. J. C. Kunzman, superintendent of home missions, located at Philadelphia, are the results of the conference also affecting Seattle.

In the merger which is but one brought about within two years among Lutherans, Seattle ministers see a readjustment of all Lutheran bodies. The United Norwegian synod, embracing 200,000 members, and the National Lutheran council, composed of members of all synods, covering about

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Each proposal must be accompanied by a cash deposit of \$100,000, which will be returned to the tenderer if the tender is not accepted, and which will be retained as a guarantee of the tenderer's performance.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.

BRIDGES—Lost his life on the Princess Sophia, on or about October 17, (and whose body has not been recovered). Mortimer (Harry), eldest and dearly loved son of Mrs. George Bridges, 155 Croft Street. Besides his parents, he leaves three brothers and three sisters to mourn his loss. At the same time and place, his beloved wife, Ethel Hazel, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth, and one brother survive her. At their special request, her body was forwarded to Toronto to Hood River, Ore.

FLETCHER—On November 17, at the Isolation Hospital, Agnes Mary Fletcher, beloved wife of Mr. Richmond Fletcher, aged 29 years, born in England, and a resident of this city for the past two weeks, late residence Fairfield Hotel. Deceased is survived by her husband and one son, a resident of this city, her parents, two sisters and one brother in Toronto, one sister in New Brunswick, one brother in Montreal, and one brother in France.

The remains will be forwarded tonight by the Sands Funeral Company to Toronto, Ontario, where interment will be made.

LAVIS—On November 17, at her home, 463 Kingston Street, Rosalee Lavis, the beloved wife of Mr. Thomas Lavis. The deceased was 25 years of age, born in Vancouver, and a resident of this city for the past nine years. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, her mother, her father, her sister, Miss Bertha Smith, of 1804 Cook Street, this city; her parents and two sisters in Grand Forks, B. C.; and four brothers, William, in Greenwood, B. C.; Gordon in Toronto, and Donald and Sutherland overseas.

Funeral will take place at 2 p. m. Thursday from Sands Funeral Parlors, Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BOYD—On November 18, Leona Irene, the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Boyd, of 2223 Blanshard Street.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. E. G. Miller will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DORR—On November 17, at the Isolation Hospital, Beatrice Ann Dorra, beloved wife of Mr. Frederick E. Dorra, aged 25 years, born in Nanaimo, and a resident of this city for the past six years, late residence Mason Street. Deceased leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, two sons, of this city, and three daughters, one son and one brother in Vancouver, and one brother on active service.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. E. G. Miller will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BARRATT—On the 19th inst., at sea, near Coosue, Ernest Barratt, beloved husband of Mrs. F. Barratt, of Coosue, aged 25 years. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and son and daughter. Deceased was employed until recently by the Foundation Co.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 from the Thomson Funeral Parlors, Rev. Robert Connell will officiate.

MINCKLER—On November 16, in Seattle, Sidney Clarke Minckler. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife and three children, two sisters, one brother, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Minckler, 615 Toronto Street. Deceased was a native of Seattle, and two years ago resided at 2523 Vancouver Street. He was a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 2 p. m. from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, 731 Broughton Street, Victoria.

BUTLER—At James Island, on the 14th inst., Frank Butler (late of Fifth Avenue, Vancouver), a native of Kent, England, aged 25 years.

The remains will be forwarded by the B. C. Funeral Co., Ltd., for interment at Vancouver, B. C.

DRUMMOND—At his residence, 1789 Mangrove Road, on the 19th inst., Lieut.-Col. Arthur Berkeley Drummond (late of the Indian Army), a native of Madras, England, aged 48 years.

The remains are being deposited at the B. C. Funeral Parlors pending funeral arrangements.

MCCARTHY—On the 19th inst., at St. Joseph's Hospital, of gunshot wounds, Richard James, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McCarthy, Keating. He was a native son, aged 14 years and 10 months. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides father and mother, four brothers and five sisters.

The remains are being deposited at the B. C. Funeral Parlors, Funeral announcement later.

TOLLEFSEN—Hans Tollefson, of NITinat, Renfrew disaster, Nov. 16. Remains at the Thomson Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

HANSEN—Off NITinat, on Nov. 19, Peter Hansen, a victim of the Renfrew wreck; residence, Seattle.

Remains are being deposited at Thomson's Funeral Parlors.

ERICKSON—Off NITinat, on Nov. 19, Richard Erickson, drowned at the wreck of the Renfrew; residence, Seattle.

Remains will be forwarded to Seattle for interment by Thomson Funeral Parlors.

PAULSON—Off NITinat, on Nov. 16, Fred Paulson; residence, Clinton, Wash. Remains at the Thomson Funeral Chapel.

SAY WILHELM MUST BE KEPT HARMLESS

Observers in London Note Story ex-Kaiser May Return to Germany

London, Nov. 19.—The rumors that Wilhelm Hohenzollern, the former German Kaiser, may possibly return to Germany, as supported by The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger's hint that he would not be refused entry to that country, have created a considerable stir here. They are featured by several of the morning newspapers as creating an uncertain situation which is rendered more doubtful by accounts of the activity of German propagandists in several countries.

The fear mainly is that the former Kaiser would sooner or later become the centre of a reactionary movement in Germany when the present revolutionary storm has blown over.

On the other hand, the fact of the former Kaiser's being placed in the hands of the new rulers of Germany would be welcomed in other quarters.

No More Mischief.

There is everywhere agreement in the idea that the ex-Kaiser's presence in Holland is intolerable and it is insisted that he must somehow be made impotent to do further mischief. Related advices from The Hague show that the Dutch Socialists reiterated in Parliament on Friday last their objections to his presence and demanded that he be deported.

A dispatch to The Daily Mail from the Hague reports that the German Soldiers' Council in Antwerp on Thursday last adopted a resolution that the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council in Berlin demand extradition of the former Kaiser, and the former Crown Prince, as well as certain generals. The resolution expresses belief that the ex-ruler forms the centre of counter-revolutionary intrigues.

A Plot.

The Daily Express sees the possibility of a plot to trick the Allies and create a federation far exceeding in strength and resources the former German Empire. This newspaper contends that the former Kaiser is back of Chancellor Ebert, former Chancellor Maximilian and Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, and it lays emphasis upon the fact that the former Kaiser signed no formal abdication and issued no valedictory message.

Some leading Allied diplomats and statesmen, including Lord Robert Cecil, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, believe that something is brewing in Germany in the direction of a plot to trap the Allies. The Express declares. The facts appear to indicate, it adds, the existence of a plan to provide for the eventual return of the former Kaiser of Germany, the restoration of the old regime and the formation of a greatly extended German federation.

Danger of War.

Such a federation, with Wilhelm Hohenzollern at its head, The Express argues, would carry the seed of another world war. It insists that the former Kaiser must be seized and his further activities by him prevented. The Daily Chronicle in an editorial makes a similar demand.

SOFT CONTINUES TO SEEK FAVORS

Germans Want Allies to Allow Them Great Freedom West of Rhine

London, Nov. 19.—Germany wants the terms of the armistice modified so that she can maintain economic intercourse with the territory on the left bank of the Rhine as before the armistice. Dr. Soif, the Foreign Secretary, said in a wireless dispatch received here yesterday.

The message was addressed to the Governments of the United States, Great Britain, France and Italy.

In view of the close economic relations between the country west of the Rhine and the remainder of Germany, the preservation of which is said to be necessary "to the continued peaceful development of Germany." Dr. Soif asks the modification of some dozen points concerning this region.

Coal and Iron.

For instance, he asks permission for German owners to exploit as hitherto the coal, potash and iron mines and the general free use of the Rhine for transportation within the old boundaries of the German Empire.

Dr. Soif also asks permission for free navigation by way of Rotterdam and the coast for the provisioning of Germany, the continuation of industrial pursuits on the left bank of the Rhine to assist the remainder of Germany, and free railway traffic in occupied territory.

The old frontier of the empire, including Luxembourg, Dr. Soif suggests, would be regarded as the customs boundary and customs duties would be levied by Germany.

Dr. Soif declares that without these modifications Germany will advance toward more or less Bolshevik conditions, which might become dangerous to neighboring states.

He repeats the previous protest against the surrender of means of transportation and protests against "continuation of the blockade."

The Foreign Secretary concludes by saying that attempts by German delegates to discuss these matters at Spa were unsuccessful because the representatives there of the Allied countries lacked the necessary powers.

MORE TALK THAN DISORDER IN VIENNA

So Says Correspondent Chas. Hapsburg and Family May Be Starving

Vienna, Nov. 19.—Via London, Nov. 19.—(Associated Press.)—The situation in Vienna, where the first Allied correspondent, representing the Associated Press, arrived last week, appears to be that there is more talk than disorder, with urgent need for bread, especially for the poor of Austria. The correspondent was accompanied to Vienna by one French and one British army officer.

Former Emperor Charles, who has retired to his castle at Eckartsau, is asserted by the Socialist newspaper, Arbeiter Zeitung, "is living on the shortest rations, and possibly may be starving with his wife and family." The members of the former royal family have been unable to obtain meat, milk and bread in the neighboring village, or even to have their washing done. They have been obliged to send away almost all their fifty servants.

Some disorders have occurred in Prague. There also are reports that Jews have been assassinated in Bohemia.

Some Clashes.

At stations here and there the troops returning from the Italian front resisted when the local police tried to disarm them. Sometimes there was disorder when the soldiers refused to give up plunder stolen from the army stores, and a few men killed. An order was issued to-day that soldiers will be shot unless they surrender it before November 20.

The formation of a new republic here apparently has been an easy task. It is now merely a question of holding the people until a stable Government can be established. There has been little bloodshed in Vienna. Order is being maintained by Field-Marshal Adolf von Boog, who has re-organized the old police force. A national army militia also has been formed, the soldiers wearing the new colors of red, white and red, instead of the black and white of the empire. In each municipal district there is a force of guards who wear the Socialist red brassards.

PREMIERS WELCOMED BY SIR T. WHITE

Important Questions Await Decision at Provincial Conference at Ottawa

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—In extending a welcome to the Provincial Premiers and the Ministers who accompanied them at the opening this forenoon of the Inter-Provincial Conference here, Sir Thomas White, Acting-Prime Minister of Canada, said they would be called upon to consider "questions of high national importance." He said it would have been a pleasure for Sir Robert Borden to have received and welcomed the delegates, but he had been called overseas to confer with the Imperial Government and the representatives of the several Dominions of the Empire in regard to matters which would be taken up at the peace conference. In the deliberations at the peace conference, Canada, as a member of the British Empire, and as a belligerent, was rightly entitled to share.

Sir Thomas referred to the recent developments in connection with the war as startling and dramatic. "Almost in a moment," he said, "we find ourselves relieved of the problems of war and face to face with as great, if not greater problems of peace. On Monday last we entered the period of reconstruction. For us in Canada the problems are many and grave. There is the problem of wisely meeting the dislocation of business, which must result from the transition from a war to a peace conference. Canada, as a member of the British Empire, and as a belligerent, was rightly entitled to share.

Sir Thomas then referred to the coming to an end of the making of munitions, saying that every possible business must be made to replace this business with a larger volume related to reconstruction. In this work, the Provincial Governments undoubtedly would co-operate with the Federal Government as it was important that there should be insured a continuation of prosperous employment to labor.

Demobilization.

Referring to the demobilization of the Canadian army, Sir Thomas remarked that Canada owed these men a debt which she could never repay. He was sure there would be the most earnest co-operation on the part of all Governments in welcoming the soldiers back and assisting them in every way possible to re-establish themselves. "I know," he said, "that the Provincial Governments have been earnestly considering their several programmes in this connection. If it should chance that in order to carry out these programmes assistance is required from the Dominion Government, we shall be glad to give prompt consideration to any request. I shall not anticipate the date of the conference. The deliberations of the conference, the natural resources of the Prairie provinces is one in which all the provinces of Confederation are interested.

"I hope our deliberations in this regard will result in a readjustment which will be satisfactory to all."

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FINANCIAL NEWS

NEW YORK STOCKS ARE IN A RUT

Waiting Attitude Taken Up by Traders Tends to Make a Dull Market

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

New York, Nov. 19.—There were no stocks in the standard issues pressing for sale to-day, but on the other hand there was no great demand. Traders were inclined to wait on events before taking any definite stand, while the investment demand was limited. There was some activity in the specialties, Mexican Petroleum being heavily attacked and scoring a loss of nearly ten points. General Motors lost over three points in the final trading. The technical condition of the market is said to have been very much improved by action of the money committee.

	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	111	111	111
Am. Can. Co. com.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Am. Car. Ply.	85 1/2	84	84 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	41 1/4	41 1/4	41 1/4
Am. Locomotive	100	100	100
Am. Nickel	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	88 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Am. T. & Tel.	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Am. Steel Pdy.	94 1/2	92	92
Am. Soda	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Gas	100	100	100
Am. Oil	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Atlantic Gulf	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	80 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Bulle Sup. Mining	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Canadian Pacific	162 1/2	162 1/2	162 1/2
Central Leather	62	61 1/2	61 1/2
Crescent	57	55 1/2	55 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	49	49	49
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	39	39	39
Cons. Gas	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Chino Copper	41	39 1/2	39 1/2
Cal. Petroleum	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Chile Copper	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Corn Products	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Distillers Sec.	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Erie	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Do. Int. Pref.	32	32 1/2	32 1/2
Gen. Electric	153 1/2	152 1/2	152 1/2
Goodrich (B. F.)	56	56	56
Int. Nickel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Int'l. Marine	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Do. Air Brake	102	102	102
Illinois Central	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Kennecott Copper	39 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Kan. City Southern	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Lehigh Valley	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Lack. Steel	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Maxwell Motors	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Mex. Petroleum	154 1/2	155 1/2	155 1/2
Miami Copper	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Missouri Pacific	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & Hart.	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
New York Central	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Norfolk & Western	111	111	111
Northern Pacific	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Do. Air Brake	102	102	102
Pennsylvania R. R.	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	64	64	64
Reading	89 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Ry. Steel Spring	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Bay Cons. Mining	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Republic Steel	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Nov. 19.—There was very little demand for grain to-day. Oats closed 1 1/2 cents higher for December and 1 1/2 cents higher for May. Barley closed 3 1/2 cents higher for December and 5 cents higher for May. Flax closed 1/2 cent higher for December, 1/2 cent higher for May, 3 1/2 cents higher for December, and 3 1/2 cents higher for May. 3 1/2 cents higher for December, and 3 1/2 cents higher for May.

NEW HIGH PRICES ON CHICAGO CORN

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Corn opened moderately lower on scattered selling led by Wagner, offerings being absorbed by commission houses. Oats opened easier in sympathy with corn, and on selling by locals and some of the commission houses. Corn turned strong on new outside buying and short covering; the advance was rapid. The shorts got some relief in a recession near the close.

	Open	High	Low	Last
Dec.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Jan.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Feb.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Mar.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Apr.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
May	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
June	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
July	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Aug.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Sept.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Oct.	129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130

COST OF LIVING IS STILL GOING UP

Fact Indicated by Ottawa Labor Department's Report for October

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—During October, the last full month of the war period, the cost of living in Canada still was ascending, according to figures compiled by the Labor Department. This statement applies both to the index number of wholesale prices, which rose approximately four points as compared with September, and the weekly budget of staple foods. This budget averaged \$13.54 in some sixty cities, as compared with \$13.31 in September and \$11.81 in October, 1917. The retail price of meats was slightly lower than in September, but eggs, milk and butter were higher.

The Department reports that the loss of time on account of industrial disputes amounted to 55,869 working days. This was less than in September but greater than in October, 1917. The percentage of unemployment among trade unions was less than one per cent on October 1, but this condition was disturbed by the influenza epidemic.

SIBERIAN SITUATION.

Washington, Nov. 19.—There has been no change in the Russian and Siberian situations from a military standpoint, Secretary Baker said today, and no plans have been made either for sending additional American troops or for withdrawing any of the forces now operating in Siberia and European Russia.

UKRAINIANS WOULD JOIN RUSSIA WHEN COUNTRY FEDERALIZED

London, Nov. 19.—General Skoropadski, the Hetman of the Ukraine, according to a report from Kiev received in Berlin and transmitted by German wireless, has issued a statement to the Ukrainians calling attention to the imminent establishment of Russia as a federal state. He declares that the Ukraine will enter this new Government.

DIED.

WIDHAL—John Widhal, Nov. 19, at NITinat, Renfrew disaster. Funeral from Thomson's Chapel Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. C. H. Walker desires to express her sincere thanks to her many friends for kind words of sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes sent during her recent sad bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Friedla Smith and her son desire to express their sincere thanks to the many friends for kindness and expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes during their recent bereavement.

ITALIAN COMMISSIONER TO TURK GOVERNMENT

Rome, Nov. 19.—Count Carlo Sforza, former Italian Minister to China, has arrived at Constantinople, having been appointed High Commissioner for Italy in Turkey.

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RUSSIAN RAILROAD QUESTION DEBATED

Allies Endeavoring to Arrange for Smooth Operation of Siberian Lines

Tokio, Nov. 18.—(Associated Press.)—Negotiations are proceeding between the Powers concerning the handling of the Russian question. Believing that the smooth operation of the Trans-Siberian and Chinese Eastern railroads is of prime necessity, it is understood that the United States has suggested the appointment of a managing director composed of representatives of the powers. It is reported that the commission led by John F. Stevens now in the Far East, has been delegated to do this work.

Russians are willing to co-operate and France and Great Britain have agreed to the plan, but Japan's attitude is still the subject of negotiations. The Japanese viewpoint was given to the Associated Press, is that she does not consider the question important because the arrangement would continue only to the end of the war. Thereafter it would be a Russian question, to be decided by the Russians alone.

If the American proposal is that Russian railroads, including the Chinese Eastern, which traverses Manchuria, should be permanently operated by John F. Stevens, acting as an American, Japan, undoubtedly would consider the question very important. Japanese troops now occupy towns along the Trans-Siberian as far as Lake Balkal, but Japan will withdraw all her troops from Russia on the conclusion of the war.

Special dispatches from Harbin say that the United States is planning to send additional troops to Siberia over the Chinese Eastern Railroad and will build barracks to accommodate two brigades.

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NORSE SHIPWNER TO RESIDE HERE

Capt. H. C. Hansen Will Watch Construction of Ships at Cholberg Shipyard

Capt. H. C. Hansen, shipowner of Forsgrund, Norway, for whom several wooden schooners are being built at the Cholberg shipyard here, will now make this city his home pending the completion of the vessels under contract.

Capt. Hansen has leased a residence in Victoria and will shortly be joined by his wife and three sons who are en route from Forsgrund to British Columbia.

Capt. Hansen will supervise the construction of the vessels that are now being built by the Cholberg Ship Company to his order. The Cholberg Co. upon his arrival on the North Pacific coast from Norway two years ago, Capt. Hansen settled at Seattle and purchased the sailing schooners William Nettleship and J. W. Clifton from Port Blakely Mill Co., and built the auxiliary-powered schooner H. C. Hansen in Tacoma.

Two of the new vessels ordered by Capt. Hansen from the Cholberg Co. are now under way, the square-framing of the first ship now being complete. The vessels under construction are four-masted sailing schooners of 1,500 tons register. The Cholberg Ship Co. has contracts for nine vessels and is operating a four-way yard at Mud Bay on the old Songhees Reserve.

MORE TERRITORY FOR GRAND TRUNK AGENT

C. E. Jenney, General Agent at Vancouver, Given Wider Jurisdiction

C. F. Earle, G. T. P. ticket and passenger agent, is in receipt of a circular from W. E. Duperow, General Passenger Agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific Coast Steamship Company, announcing an extension of the territory under the jurisdiction of C. E. Jenney, general agent of the passenger department with headquarters at Vancouver. The change follows the resignation of J. H. Burgess, heretofore general agent, passenger department, at Seattle, Wash. Mr. Jenney will now have full jurisdiction over the following territory: British Columbia, south of Rivers Inlet, including Vancouver Island; entire states of Idaho, Oregon and Washington, State of Utah as far south as Ogden and Salt Lake City, and the portion of the State of Montana west of and including Shelby Junction to Helena and Butte. The extension of the office became effective November 16.

POPULAR OFFICIAL

Mr. Jenney is widely known in railway circles and has been continuously associated with the Grand Trunk system since 1894, when he joined the company as a clerk in the general baggage department at Toronto. The following year he became directly associated with the passenger department, occupying consecutively the following positions: Soliciting passenger agent, Toronto; travelling passenger agent, Toronto and Pittsburg, Pa.; city passenger and ticket agent, Grand Trunk Railway system, at Toronto, from which position he went to Vancouver to occupy the position of general agent, passenger department, in 1914.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

New York, Nov. 18.—Arrived: str. Orinda, Liverpool.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are even just a little deaf, or if you have had hearing or have had noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Farnint (double strength), and add to it a pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dripping into the throat. It is easy to procure, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone losing hearing or who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

JURY HEARS FULLER DETAILS OF WRECK

Light Cast Upon Fate of Renfrew, Which Perished at Nitinat Bar

STALLING OF ENGINE SEALED BOAT'S DOOM

Full details of the wreck of the gasoline boat Renfrew off the West Coast of Vancouver Island on November 10 were laid before a coroner's jury which convened this morning under Dr. Stanier to consider the death of Edward Barrett, one of the victims of the terrible accident. After hearing the statements of some of the survivors, among them the skipper of the ill-fated craft, the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death by drowning. The coroner announced that the one verdict would serve for all those who perished, and, as the circumstances were obviously the same in each case, it would not be necessary to hold other inquests though there would be a marine investigation.

Helped Rescue Survivors

The first witness, William Frederick Rush, identified the body of Edward Barrett, and told of the rescue of the survivors of the wreck. Captain Renfrew drove ashore he had been summoned to the beach on which the vessel rested bottom up. The bodies floating were being dashed in, and the people ashore were doing all in their power to render assistance. The captain of the Renfrew was standing on the beach, and at his suggestion, one of the men got an axe and cut a hole into the bulk of the wrecked ship, in order that any bodies which might have been in the cabin might be extricated. No bodies, however, were discovered.

Saw Wreck

The terrible character of the waters in which the Renfrew met her fate were described by Captain Stanley Fraser, the master of the Bonilla. On the day of the disaster he had walked to a bluff overlooking the water from which he could see the Renfrew put out to sea. The narrow channel through which ships must pass was at all times difficult to navigate. In bad weather captains dared not attempt the passage. As the Renfrew approached the sandbar, Captain Fraser saw a huge comb coming in from the open sea, and he wondered with apprehension just where the ship would be when the breaker struck the bar. As it happened, the wave was the very worst spot for the wave broke on the bar, and its crest dashed furiously down upon the deck. The little barque was quite submerged, only the masts showing.

Renfrew Ashore

The helpless voyager thought that all hands would have been washed off by the fury of the setting sea. When the wave had passed the ship still seemed intact, and under control with her head to sea, but she began to drift, and the anchor, which was not held. In a few minutes she appeared in great distress and he heard her whistle blow. Captain Fraser then hurried back to the beach, to see if life lines and other paraphernalia from his ship. Reaching the beach, he found the Renfrew was ashore, together with the bodies of some of the victims which had been washed ashore. The wreck was due, said the captain, to an odd unfortunate sea, a lops comb which might strike a vessel at any time. Every attention, added the captain, had been paid to the survivors.

Terrific Adventure

Ole Moe, one of the crew who had managed to swim to shore from the wreck, told the jury of the frightful scene on board the fated boat when the waves dashed over her, and just before she turned turtle. The skipper of the Renfrew had carefully scanned the bar from the bluff before attempting the passage. When the boat was about to slip through the narrow channel the sea, it is said, came down and broken over the whole length, and the engines stopped. The engineer rushed upon deck and told the skipper that the boat was in danger. On account of the flooding of the engine-room. After shipping three or four more seas, the Renfrew capsize, struck with a big breaker, and, with a huge, smelly-boiling vessel of water, was thrown into the water. Being a good swimmer he made shore after a short struggle with the waves. He maintained that the ship would have cleared the passage but for the stalling of the engines.

Explains Story

Nels Ford, skipper of the Renfrew, gave the jury some details of his craft as she was being driven ashore. The Renfrew left Nitinat with twenty-five men aboard, eight of whom formed the crew. Approaching the bar, the captain perceived that waves were being driven ashore, and he was about to guide his vessel through the passage a huge wave dashed down upon the deck, splintering the glass in the pilot house and breaking the wood work. Some of the broken wood work caught in the wheel and the skipper struggled to repair the steering apparatus. In the meantime the engine had stopped on account of its slow rate of speed, not because it had been flooded. As his ship drifted on the captain cast out an anchor which would not hold. The Renfrew was soon turned broadside to the breakers. As a huge wave struck the hull, the captain became unconscious, to find himself upon recovering his faculties clinging to the pilot house while being dashed about by the sea. He was borne ashore upon a piece of wreckage at an exhausted and partially paralyzed state, and suffering from terrible bruises. However, he was able to struggle back to the water to help another survivor out of the setting waves.

Had Not Paper

With regard to his lack of mariner's qualifications, Captain Ford said that it was not customary for the masters of the small fishing vessels of the coast to have papers, and he considered himself quite capable of handling the craft. The Renfrew, declared the captain, would have made the passage had the engines not stalled. Some slight trouble had been experienced with the engine from time to time, but on the whole the skipper considered it a good machine. He knew however, that the engineer had ordered certain supplies for the engine through the company at the beginning of the season but they had never arrived. In any case, though he had sailed the sea since a child, he had never seen a gasoline engine which did not give trouble periodically. Captain Oscar Anderson, of the gasoline boat Pachena, with his crew was aboard the Renfrew when he was wrecked, having been instructed by the officials of the company to come to Victoria by that means. He corroborated the statements of the previous witnesses.

The jury at the inquest this morning consisted of E. Owen, foreman, F. G. Russell, M. Whitehead, James Campbell, W. W. Thompson and Charles Griffin. Ernest Miller appeared for the Lummi Bay Packing Company.

The survivors arriving by the Bonilla last evening were: Nels Ford, master of the purse seine boat Renfrew; Oscar Anderson, master of the purse seiner, Pachena; Chris Skokke, Ole Moe, Andrew Petersen, T. Sakai, T. Nakagawa, fishermen; John Dyb, seaman; J. Sparks, machinist; Edward Soderland, cannery hand; and Fred Hansen, cook.

SPANISH INFLUENZA ATTACKS ESKIMOS

Physicians and Nurses Go North on Spokane to Aid Suffering Natives

Seattle, Nov. 19.—Bearing ten physicians, nurses and a complete equipment of medical supplies, the steamer Spokane will make a fast trip to Juneau, leaving here to-day to carry aid to Alaskan natives suffering from a virulent epidemic of Spanish influenza. Dr. Emil Kraushaar, in charge of the party, is in charge of the party. A naval transport, which has been sent here from California, to carry the party, was abandoned in favor of the faster steamer Spokane.

TRAVELING SALESMAN Tells How He Regained Strength

Ambition and Vim. Atlantic Iowa.—I am a traveling salesman and was in a down, worn out, no appetite, no ambition, no drugist told me I was what I needed and within a few days after taking it I commenced to gain and I built up my health and strength so every spring and fall I take it to build me up and it keeps me in splendid condition.—W. E. Brockelby.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of Pansy Kathleen Middleton took place yesterday afternoon from the E. C. Funeral Chapel. The cortege left the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, the gun carriage bearing the body being preceded by a band and a firing party and accompanied by a large escort. The casket was draped with the Union Jack and completely covered with floral tributes. At the close of the ceremonies the firing party discharged the customary volleys and a bug sounded. The pallbearers were Messrs. G. M. Dougherty, Hubbard, Paul, Sinclair, Thompson and Schofield.

CAPT. GILLAM, OF PRINCESS MAQUINNA, MAY REMAIN ASHORE

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Maquinna, which arrived here yesterday morning, is now at Vancouver discharging fish from the West Coast. She will leave here November 20 on her regular schedule for Kyushu around. It is expected that Captain Gillam, who is due to take his holidays, will remain ashore this trip, being succeeded by Capt. Alex. Thompson, of the Otter, Capt. Boyce, of the Island Princess, is now in charge of the Otter, plying in the Gulf Islands service.

CAPT. ANDERSON TO COMMAND BONILLA

Capt. John Anderson, master of the steam whaler Blue, who has been operating out of Nadin Harbor all summer, will take over the command of the fishing tender Bonilla, succeeding Capt. Fraser. The Bonilla, which reached port last night with the survivors and eleven bodies of the men who lost their lives in the Renfrew disaster, again due to leave port with supplies for a couple of hundred Chinese still remaining at the Lummi Bay Packing Company's cannery.

STEAMER GRAY TAKING WHALE MEAT TO SEATTLE

The steamer Gray, of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, is loading 550 cases of canned whale meat at the G. T. P. wharf for delivery at Seattle. The fishing vessel Iskum, of the Clayoquot Cannery Company, was at the G. T. P. wharf this morning discharging 800 cases of canned salmon from the West Coast.

CHRISTMAS SUPPLIES FOR THE LIGHTKEEPERS

The Dominion lighthouse tender Leebro, Capt. Hunter, which is now in port, will shortly leave for the West Coast with Christmas supplies for the lighthouse stations.

EXPLOSION KILLED CHILDREN

Paris, Nov. 19.—A party of children passing through a field in the Department of the North on Monday found a box of British ammunition. When they attempted to open it there was a heavy explosion. Four were killed and a number injured.

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EMPEROR OF JAPAN ARRIVES FROM ORIENT

C. P. O. S. Liner Brought in Only 35 Passengers in the Saloon

With but thirty-five saloon passengers aboard the Canadian Pacific ocean services liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Duro Hopera, R. N. R., reached port at 1 o'clock this afternoon from the Far East.

A number of American army officers who have seen service in Siberia passed through on the liner. This party was made up of Lieut.-Col. S. W. Winfree, Col. E. Landon, Major M. W. Nicholson, Lieut. E. J. Livingstone and Lieut. E. P. Nolin, all bound for Washington.

In a chat with the Times representative on the promenade deck of the liner, Major Nicholson explained that it was impossible for him to discuss the Siberian situation.

The party, he said, had been in Siberia for some time, having been sent into Russia by way of Vladivostok from the Philippine Islands. H. Y. Barnes, who has been in Siberia in the service of the American Government, also arrived on the Japan on his way to Washington. J. Findlay, representative of the British Engineering Co., of London, is from Vladivostok.

He proposes to spend some time in Canada with full military honors. The Charles Ferguson, of the U. S. Department of State, is on his way to Washington from the Far East. During his stay in Japan Mr. Ferguson had a number of interviews with prominent Japanese statesmen, including Marquis Okuma, Baron Shibusawa, Baron Sakatani, Baron Megata and others. Mr. Ferguson is an authority on economic world conditions.

During 1916 he was sent to Europe to study and report to the administration at Washington on the problems of big business in relation to their Governments.

Armenian and R. Bahafins are Persian-Armenians, the latter being only a youth bound to the United States for eye treatment.

Dr. Arthur, of Yokohama, is on a four-month tour of Chicago, New York and other large centres in the United States.

Capt. Dixon-Hopcraft reports a splendid voyage from Yokohama. The Empress of Japan, after departing some saloon passengers and mail, left at 2 p. m. for Vancouver.

MORE VESSELS ADDED TO AMERICAN FLEET

Washington, Nov. 19.—Seven steel vessels of 4,500 tons and three wooden ships of 10,500 tons were delivered to the Shipping Board during the week ending November 15. This brought the total number of vessels delivered in November to 30, with an aggregate tonnage of 152,400. Half of the vessels were of steel and half were wooden craft.

MINISTER AWARDS DRILLING CONTRACT

Diamond Drilling to Be Taken in Hand in Snowstorm Group

Announcement is made by the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, this morning to the effect that the contract for diamond drilling in the Snowstorm Group of the Highland Valley has been awarded to the International Diamond Drilling Contracting Company.

The firm in question is well-known in the mining world, and its work for the Canada Copper Company on Copper Mountain is generally regarded as highly satisfactory.

Work will be commenced at once under the authority of the Mineral Development and Survey Act, and it is expected by the Minister, who has already caused the most exhaustive investigations to be made into the prospect, that the Snowstorm Group will prove a valuable asset to the Province.

Views of experts on the property are extremely favorable and diamond drilling in this connection has been suggested on more than one occasion by men of international experience and repute.

GIBBS APPARATUS FOR MINE RESCUE STATION

Provincial Department of Mines Introduces Equipment to Canada

The Provincial Department of Mines has set the lead for Canada in the matter of apparatus for mine rescue work by its adoption of the Gibbs apparatus. The first six sets to come into this country have just been installed at the Fernie Mine rescue station, and the substitution for the Draeger apparatus may be taken as the beginning of the general installation of the more efficient rescue paraphernalia. It is understood, moreover, that several of the colliery companies have the Gibbs equipment on order.

In view of the fact that conditions in the Fernie field necessitate its rescue station being kept in the highest-point of efficiency, the first six to reach the Province have gone there. The choice of the Gibbs apparatus was determined by the Provincial Mines Department after very careful investigation into the merits of its competitors.

BAN NOW LIFTED ON THE LOWER MAINLAND

Applies to Vancouver, N. Vancouver, Point Grey and New Westminster

On the endorsement of Dr. Young, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, who went over to Vancouver last night to investigate the Spanish influenza situation, the Provincial Executive passed an Order-in-Council this morning removing the ban from the Burrard Peninsula.

The Order goes into effect immediately and will apply in the Municipality of Point Grey and in the Cities of Vancouver, North Vancouver and New Westminster.

Dr. Underhill, Medical Health Officer for Vancouver, approached the Provincial Board of Health yesterday afternoon with the suggestion that in view of the fact that there had been less than twenty fresh cases in the Terminal City over the week end, there would be little danger in removing the Spanish influenza Regulations.

AMERICANS STUDY GERMANY'S ABILITY TO MAKE REPARATION

Washington, Nov. 19.—A study of Germany's financial situation has been undertaken by Government agencies here with a view to throwing light on the ability of the German nation to pay big sums as reparation for devastation in invaded countries. Unofficial reports indicate that Germany's national debt, represented mainly by war bonds held within Germany, is now nearly \$4,000,000,000, or more than two-fifths of the estimated national wealth of \$8,000,000,000.

Although there has been no official announcement or intimation of the aggregate amount which the Allies will expect Germany to pay, it is certain to run into billions of dollars, and necessarily the terms of payment must accord with Germany's ability to pay. This ability will be measured by the nation's power to revive her peace-time industries and trade, and to tax these for state purposes.

GOVERNOR OF METZ AND GOVERNOR OF STRASSBURG CHOSEN

Paris, Nov. 19.—General de Maud'huy, who is a native of Lorraine, has been appointed Governor of Metz, says The Times. General Bourgeois has been named Governor of Strassburg. At a Cabinet meeting yesterday, presided over by President Poincare, it was decided to appoint as commissioners of the republic of Strassburg, Metz and Colmar, Georges Maringer, Director of the Secret Service; M. Mirman, prefect of the Department of Meurthe et Moselle, and M. Poullet, respectively.

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COAL HIGHER IN CANADA AND U. S. Fuel Controller Says Increase in States Causes Increase in Dominion. Ottawa, Nov. 19.—Inquiry at the office of the Fuel Controller as to new prices on anthracite coal elicited the following information: "The price charged for anthracite coal in Canada is based upon the prices at the United States mines, and these are fixed by the United States Fuel Administration. In an official dispatch from Washington an increase of \$1.05 per ton is authorized on domestic sizes, the revision being made to meet increased labor costs. Emphasis, however, is placed on the fact that the new, price schedule is effective only on coal mined on or after November 1. Dealers in the United States have been advised by the Fuel Administration that the increased price applies only on coal shipped and delivered after November 1, upon the production of which there has been paid the increased scale of wages to the miners. Dealers in Canada should govern themselves accordingly and it is suggested that consumers who are in doubt as to proper billing for coal should refer the matter to the local Fuel Commissioner.

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fruit. Since that time the growers and shippers have had to struggle along against unbalanced domestic market conditions. Winesaps, which are the reddest, have always been favored by the British consumers and dealers. Their keeping qualities commend them commercially, and as annual red apples are grown in the British Isles, this market will now open readily to the new demand. It is stated that Britain is apple-hungry and the pressure behind the lifting of the embargo is shown in the fact that this is one of the first to come off since the ending of the war.

JOSEPH SMITH, HEAD OF THE LATTER DAY SAINTS, DIES IN U. S. Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 19.—Joseph F. Smith, president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormon), died at his home here early to-day after a long illness. Death was due indirectly to a paralytic stroke suffered last April. Notwithstanding his illness, President Smith attended the recent semi-annual conference of the church, held the first week of October, and spoke strongly against polygamous marriages, which it was rumored had been surreptitiously performed during the last few years.

WASHINGTON GROWERS ARE READY TO SHIP APPLES TO BRITAIN. Seattle, Nov. 19.—Apple shippers and orchardists in Washington are discussing with much interest the effect of the removal of the embargo against the importation of American apples into the United Kingdom, one of the commercial events of the near future, according to authentic advices received here Monday. Britain is a heavy importer of apples, of which Washington winesaps are the reddest grown in the United States.

FRENCH COMMISSIONER TO TURK GOVERNMENT. Paris, Nov. 19.—Vice-Admiral J. F. C. Amet, commanding the French Second Squadron at Constantinople, has been appointed French Commissioner to the Turkish Government.

FOOD TO AUSTRIA. New York, Nov. 19.—Preparations to ship at an early date approximately 250,000 tons of foodstuffs from the United States for the relief of the civilian population of Austria now are under way, it was learned to-day.

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WILL SUBMIT TERMS TO RAILWAY COMPANY

Council Instructs Committee to Prepare Proposals to B. C. Electric Railway

At the conclusion of last night's meeting of the City Council Mayor Todd remarked that as the matter of the B. C. Electric Railway Company had been put off week after week, he thought that the Council should devote to it all the time necessary to enable the city to arrive at some agreement with the company with regard to the operation of its lines within the city, and the adjustment of rates for light, power, and gas.

A committee, comprising Aldermen Sargent, Andros and Sangster was appointed on the suggestion of Alderman Andros to check up and augment if necessary the tentative proposals decided upon by the Council at its meeting of October 18, but which were never submitted to the Railway Company. The Committee was instructed to draw up a memorandum dealing with the matter as fully as possible and this will be brought before the next Council meeting for approval and amendment if necessary, after which the proposals will be made to the company.

It is not considered likely that the agreement between the city and the B. C. Electric Railway will be a long term one, and probably will cover only one year. Vancouver's present agreement with the company is for nine months.

The question of dealing with jitneys has been left severely alone in the deliberations and proposals so far suggested, but whether or not the committee appointed last night will go into

this matter remains to be seen when the memorandum is presented to the Council at the next meeting.

Mayor Todd pointed out that in deciding upon the period for which any agreement to be entered into should run it would be necessary to consider the fact that now the war is ended there will be a reduction in the cost of much of the material required by the railway company in the operation of its business, and prices might get back to normal sooner than expected. For this reason he did not favor a long term agreement.

Before the resolution outlining the above action was passed Alderman Fullerton insisted that the proposals already tentatively agreed upon should be submitted to the company, and the company asked to state how far it was prepared to acquiesce in what the city requested. "We have delayed this matter to see if there is anything better we can get and unless there is something new, let us put it up to the company," the alderman said.

Alderman Andros: "There are many things we want that we won't get. We may as well take time and go into the matter thoroughly before submitting anything to the company. Why not have the committee go to the company with our proposals, and see whether they will accept?"

Telephone Rates.—The City Council last night went on record as being in sympathy with the Canadian Union of Municipalities in opposing before the Railway Commission at Ottawa the petition of the Bell Telephone Company for an increase of twenty per cent in rates.

Beauty Cemetery.—In a petition signed by Mrs. Martha Barnard and seventeen other residents, a complaint was registered with the City Council last night respecting the unsightly appearance of Ross Bay Cemetery. The Council was urged to take immediate steps to beautify the grounds by clearing and improving the pathways and the planting of shrubs. The petitioners consider that the money the city is deriving from the cemetery should go into this sort of improvement. The Cemetery Committee will investigate and report.

OBITUARY

FRANCIS JAMES FRY

November fifth, nineteen eighteen, saw the passing of Francis James Fry, for some years Chairman of the House of J. S. Fry & Sons, Limited, of Bristol, England.

For nearly seventy years Mr. Fry held a leading position in the development of the House of Fry, and to his commercial genius, unflinching tact, and gracious courtesy the world-wide success of the House was very largely attributable.

It may be stated with confidence that Mr. Fry was a man who, while he had hosts of friends, never made an enemy in business, politics or religion—yet he consistently maintained independence of thought. His sterling honesty and his courteous tolerance of opposing views had always ensured him respect.

At the ripe age of eighty-four years, and after a long life of active usefulness, the Empire loses one of its Merchant Princes, and the World is to-day poorer by the loss of one of her finest Citizens.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the bereaved family, and our hope that the sadness will be alleviated by the memory of many kindly acts during the long life so nobly spent.

ANNUAL REPORT OF RED CROSS SOCIETY

Victoria and District Makes Splendid Showing; Good Work Must Continue

The continuance of the inhibition against public gatherings has precluded the holding of the annual meeting of the Victoria and District branch of the Red Cross Society, for an indefinite period, and realizing that the public should be made acquainted with the financial and working reports of the organization, the local executive have decided to publish the full account through the medium of the press.

Financial Statement.

Following is the financial statement for the local branch ending August 31, 1918:

Cash on hand August 31, 1917	\$ 4,264.26
Membership fees	12,465.09
Donations	143,025.58
Merchandise sold to be returned	1,773.74
Unfinished garments	4,921.11
Women's Auxiliary Military Convalescent Hospital	1,000.00
Suspense	1,000.00
Sub-committees	167,465.69
Merchandise purchased	\$105,236.13
Less sold to chartered branches	6,075.85
Canadian Red Cross Society	
Headquarters—Gordon Street	30,000.00
Christmas stockings	1,250.00
Hallifax relief	1,153.32
Prisoners of war	16,537.91
British Red Cross	13,279.42
Women's Auxiliary Military Convalescent Hospital	591.65
Victoria Loan Bonds	106.92
Expense Account	
Victoria City Branch	
Janitor	165.00
Fire insurance	136.19
Heating	179.79
Printing and stationery	212.29
Postage and express	201.13
Cables and telegrams	72.35
Telephones	45.40
Repairs	7.25
Sub-committees	
Oak Bay	47.74
George	3.35
Victoria West	23.75
James Bay	84.44
Hollywood	85.15
Esquimalt	79.50
Fernwood	27.25
Fairfield	27.98
North Ward	62.31
Cadboro Bay	5.25
	\$166,534.67
Balance on hand	\$ 931.02

I have examined the books of the Canadian Red Cross Society, Victoria City and District Branch, together with the vouchers relating thereto, for the year ending August 31, 1918, and hereby certify that in my opinion the cash account presents a true and fair statement of the Society's transactions as shown by its books.

(Signed) ALBERT F. GRIFFITH,
Chartered Accountant,
Honorary Auditor.

Generous Support.
"It will be seen from this, the Fourth Annual Report of the Victoria City and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, that we have received generous support for the year past which is very encouraging to those working for the Cause. The total cash receipts for the past year amount to \$163,291.43, against \$142,725.10 of the previous year, being an increase of \$20,566.33, but what is even more satisfactory is that the number of receipts issued this year show a correspondingly large increase, which means a more general interest in the Red Cross.

"The following is a summary of the cash received since the formation of the Branch:
From date of organization,
March 19, to August 31, 1915, \$ 31,428.36
For year ending Aug. 31, 1916, 62,913.92
For year ending Aug. 31, 1917, 142,725.10
For year ending Aug. 31, 1918, 163,291.43
Grand total \$408,278.81

"More money is wanted, however, if we are to maintain our reputation as Red Cross workers. The cost of material is still soaring and orders have to be given far ahead if we are to keep our willing workers busy and supply the demands for all kinds of garments required for the sick, wounded and convalescent Canadians, and our share of the help the Canadian Red Cross is continually giving to the French, Belgian, Italian and other Allies whose needs are so much greater than our own.

"During the year we purchased \$105,236.13 worth of material, \$6,075.85 was sold at cost to other Chartered Branches, and the balance, \$99,160.28 has been or is in course of being made up into finished garments.

Material Used.
The following statement shows how our material was used, and gives a comparison with last year's work:

Year ending Aug. 31, 1917	1918
Day shirts	17,024 24,235
Surgical shirts	1,190 1,487
Pyjamas	15,796 17,487
Dressing gowns	526 547
Hospital suits	369 418
Bed jackets	72 54
Bathing suits	144
T. bandages	7,136 6,960
Regular bandages	7,192 11,190
Chest bandages	2,239 1,753
Amputation bandages	2,239 1,753
Abdominal bandages	12,746 20,313
Roller bandages	2,676
Lapereotomy bandages	429 296
Wash cloths	2,249 2,276
Handkerchiefs	108 477
Tablecloths	7
Rasors	2,469
Tooth brushes	2,469
Hair brushes	2,469
Soap cakes	2,469
Writing pads	2,469
Envelopes, packages	2,469
Shaving soap	2,469
Towels	463
Socks	36,293 51,272
Scarves	1,115 992
Sweaters	2,209 429
Military kit bags	254 246
Trench caps	72 94
Large kit bags	55
Comfort bags	1,524 477
Military kit bags	2,469
Personal property bags	1,922 8,338
Hot water bag covers	1,248 454
Pillows	25
Plow cases	25
Shirts	432
Sheets	136
Counterpanes	11 164
Boats	12
Dressings in bulk, cases	11
Stretcher caps	4,999
Tooth soap	2,469
Combs	2,469
Wash cloths	2,469
Penicils	2,469
Shaving brushes	2,469
Cigarettes	600,000
And other comforts.	

Regulation cases shipped during the year, 1,892; last year, 2,006.
While the report shows a satisfac-

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tory increase in finished garments, it must be pointed out that the demands now are greater than ever. It is, moreover, our duty and privilege to bear a share of this increased burden. We have been notified from Headquarters that they will look to us for supplies of warm clothing, and hospital garments for Siberia.

The number of life members has increased from 94 to 1,164, and the Committee hopes that this number will be at least doubled during the current year.

Expenses Negligible.
The expenses incidental to the running of the Branch have been kept down to a minimum. Not one cent has been paid in salaries or wages in any year. Our headquarters get no rent, and thanks to the B. C. Electric Railway Company we have free light and power. Even the printing of our annual reports, year to year, has been donated. After printing and stationery, postage stamps are the heaviest item of expense.

"The 'Superlatives' is a steady source of revenue and the generous support of the public is solicited on its behalf. What is one person's superfluity may be another's absolute necessity. The Red Cross Stock Company is steadily working its way into the estimation of the public, and it is a frequent occurrence to see the sign 'House Full' outside the Princess Theatre. So far \$3,152.23 has been turned over to us as the net proceeds. The thanks of the Society are tendered to this band of patriotic workers.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Military Convalescent Hospitals, now known as the Red Cross Military Hospital Committee, continues to look after the comforts of the men at the various Military Hospitals, and has done excellent work in taking charge of this branch of our activities.

The following are some of the comforts supplied to these hospitals for the past year: 400 suits pyjamas, 50 dressing gowns, 10 suits of cloths, 6 dozen serviettes, 1 dinner set (for eighteen), 5 cushions, 6 hot water bottles, 10 dozen towels, 6 roller towels, 35 single bed sheets, 24 single bed褥子, 29 boys' trays, 100 pairs slippers, 6 bandages, 1 billiard table, 1 piano, complete material for motor launch and row boat, golf clubs and balls, tennis net. Quantity of paint, walking sticks, rubber tips for crutches, reading matter, electric stoves, furniture of all kinds, and many other articles for the comfort of the men.

Every week during the season as many men as were available were taken for a motor drive to the coast, to high tea and games at a number of private residences, which the men seemed to appreciate.

The well organized activities of the various auxiliaries in the Victoria City and District continue with great success, and the Red Cross is receiving valuable assistance from many widely distributed groups of workers on Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands.

L.O.D.E. Help.
The report would not be complete without mention of the generous support received from the Chapters of the L.O.D.E. throughout our district, both in money and supplies, also from some Chapters of the L.O.D.E. in the United States and the Canadian Women's Club, Seattle. Thanks also are due to Women's Institutes throughout our district, to Naval and Military Units, particularly the 29th and 38th Regiments, C.G.A., Church, Friendly and other societies, athletic associations, theatres, many organized groups of workers, and always, and in an increasing degree, to the Press, with special reference to the Victoria daily papers.

The sum of \$163,291.43 was raised for the Prisoners of War Fund, showing an increase of \$20,566.33 over last year. It is hoped that the collection will be generously supported as our prisoners depend on the Red Cross food parcels for their very existence.

It is evident we are "over the top," but the end is not yet. We must still work ahead and judging by what we have done in the past we will keep up our record, if not exceed it, until the order comes to quit, when we can lay down our work with the satisfaction of knowing that we have done our best and helped in our own small way to win the war.

CHAS. WILLIAMS,
Hon. Secretary-Treasurer,
Victoria, B. C., August 31, 1918.

Outside Branches.
As District Centre for Vancouver Island the following reports have been received from the under mentioned chartered branches for the past year:
North Cowichan District Branch, Duncan—Total receipts, \$6,924.55; cash forwarded, \$5,104.55; articles forwarded, 4,254.

Nanaimo Branch—Total receipts, \$7,675.10; cash forwarded, \$6,369.57; articles forwarded, 3,821.

Cumberland Branch—Total receipts, \$2,285.48; cash forwarded, \$1,901.58; articles forwarded, 197.

Cowichan Branch—Total receipts, \$2,495.38; cash forwarded, \$1,793.32; articles forwarded, \$1,308.

Ladyman Branch—Total receipts, \$1,381.92; cash forwarded, \$306.00; articles forwarded, 903.

New Fire Chief.—The question of appointing a new Fire Chief was mentioned at the meeting of the City Council last night, and the matter referred to the Fire Wardens for report before next meeting. Alderman Andros remarked: "Personally I am prepared to tackle the matter now and settle it. We can do so in five minutes. But we have been waiting for the Fire Wardens to bring in a report, if they will be ready to do this next week I am willing to lay the matter on the table for one week."

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—Main Floor

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Worth \$1.00 Each
These Shades are worth \$1.00 each. A good serviceable Shade mounted on a reliable spring roller, complete with brackets, tacks and ring pulls. Size 31x72 inches. Ten dozen only.
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Red Label Vests in all the desired styles. Wednesday morning only, each \$1.59
Drawers to match, in open and closed styles, ankle length. Wednesday morning only \$1.59
Oversizes, each \$1.79

Infants' Winter Coats, Reg. to \$7.00 for \$1.98
For infants from 6 months to 3 years, 23 Coats, all in cream and made from corduroy, bearskin and chinchilla, all lined throughout, making warm winter coats. Regular \$2.50 to \$7.00.
Wednesday morning \$1.98
—First Floor

Regular \$2.25 Trefousse Kid Gloves \$1.29
Not all sizes—5 1/2, 5 3/4, 6, 6 1/2 and 7 1/4. If you wear either of these sizes this offer will interest you. 48 pairs only, in navy, grey, mode, tan and white, with white points. Regular \$2.25. Wednesday morning, pair \$1.29
—Main Floor

Bargains From the Staple Department

4 Pieces Flannelette Sheeting, in white or grey; heavy quality, 66 inches wide. Great value at the regular price, \$1.25.
Wednesday morning 98c

10 Pieces English Cotton Crepe comes in spots and stripes. A durable fabric for ladies' and children's wear; 27 inches wide. Regular 45c yard. Wednesday morning 29c

8 Pieces Black and White Fancy Check Material, suitable for warm house dresses and children's dresses; 40 inches wide. Exceptional value at the regular price, \$1.00.
Wednesday morning 78c

3 Pieces Bleached Canton Flannel, best grade, 24 inches wide. 5 yards for \$1.00

Infants' Bonnets and Caps at 59c
Regular \$1.00 to \$1.75
A big variety of Infants' Bonnets and Caps that will go well with the coats. Regular \$1.00 to \$1.75.
Wednesday morning 59c
—First Floor

65 Yards of Black Serge at 98c Yd.
40 Inches Wide
65 yards only of this fine Serge of good wearing quality, for which the manufacturer is asking higher than our retail price; 40 inches wide. Wednesday morning, 98c yard 98c
—Main Floor

STATUS OF POSITION WAS NEVER DEFINED

City Council Ignores Ticklish Situation Respecting City Engineer

That there was nothing in the Act authorizing or permitting the Council to appoint an acting official in that capacity or any other, but the Council stuck to the attitude adopted.

The point immediately afterwards, by a strange coincidence, arose in the local courts, when Mr. Hannington was upheld in his contention. A barber was accused of violating a by-law which had been signed by an "Acting City Clerk." R. C. Lowe claimed the by-law to be invalid owing to the fact that the Act did not authorize the action of such an official, and the court ruled accordingly.

The matter is one that took on an extremely ambiguous character at the time of the appointment, and it has been allowed to remain unchanged since, there being a marked inclination to leave the question religiously alone.

As the matter now has to be faced owing to the three months expiring shortly, and next Monday night's meeting will be the last before the expiration of that period, it was thought that the Council would have dealt with it last night, but the matter was not even mentioned.

TRAVEL THIS WINTER
Prairie Travel is Already Looking Promising to Coast.
Some intimation with regard to the effect of the armistice upon trans-continental travel is being eagerly awaited in tourist association circles on the Pacific Coast. The expectation is that the United States Government will relax some of the drastic regulations restricting trans-continental travel, and that people will be encouraged to move to the milder climate of the Pacific Coast in the winter months, as was formerly the case.

The main avenue of winter business from a tourist point of view in this district is undoubtedly the travel from the prairie provinces. The three provinces have, of course, been seriously affected by the influenza epidemic, and under these circumstances people have not wished to travel, but the epidemic appears now to have passed its serious stage, and, co-incident with the abatement on the Coast, conditions have improved on the prairies. Usually travel this way does not begin until December, and it is hoped conditions will have improved everywhere by that time. There are already numerous inquiries for house accommodation in the near future, which seems to indicate there will be considerable travel this way in the weeks preceding Christmas. The Victoria and Island Development Association is receiving many inquiries of this character and endeavoring to satisfy prospective travelers.

English Pudding Bowls, 15c to 70c, at R. A. Brown & Co's., 1302 Douglas St.