

VIEW OF BRITISH ON CRISIS IS ITALY'S

British and French Cabinets Expected to See Eye to Eye

Ambassador Made Explanations in London and Differences Regarding German Situation Will Be Smoothed Over, Says London Standard.

London, April 9.—Paul Cambon, the French Ambassador, has formally given such explanations to Lord Curzon, the Foreign Minister, regarding the policy to be pursued by France in connection with the German situation as to lead to the expectation that matters will be speedily smoothed over between France and Great Britain, the diplomatic correspondent of The Evening Standard states to-day.

Paris, April 9.—The British attitude regarding the French occupation of Frankfurt will cause the opening of a diplomatic conversation between the powers of the Entente concerning the whole subject of action with regard to Germany, it was said to-day in official circles.

In this conversation the French attitude will be based first on maintenance of the Entente, and second on strict execution of the Treaty of Versailles.

The French accepted the treaty as finally signed and consider it a sort of charter as regards relations with Germany. Great Britain, it is thought here, considers it rather as a sort of elastic basis of settlement of European affairs which is capable of divers modifications.

Inquiry of Britain. Conciliation of these viewpoints will be the object of the ensuing conversations, during which France, it is stated, probably will ask Great Britain whether she stands for execution of the treaty.

It is recalled that Articles 42, 43 and 44 of the Versailles Treaty define actions by Germany which might be regarded as calculated to disturb the peace of the world, and it is pointed out that such action by Germany was accomplished when the Reichswehr penetrated the Ruhr district.

Readjustment. The opinion is expressed in official circles here that there appears to be a need of readjustment of the relations of the Entente Powers. The original understanding having been to ward off the menace of aggression by Germany, it was continued during the war with the view of winning the war, but was never adjusted to after-war conditions, which, it is asserted here, require a more comprehensive accord.

STRIKE INQUIRY IN UNITED STATES

Senate Orders Investigation of Strike of Railroad Employees

Washington, April 9.—An investigation authorized strike of switchmen and other railroad employees was ordered to-day by the Senate.

After receiving an appeal from W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Representative Cooper, Republican, Ohio, to-day took up with the Department of Justice the question of whether the provisions of present laws could be made operative in the case of the unauthorized strike of trainmen and other railroad employees.

Wage Demands

Chicago, April 9.—Wage demands of five groups of railroad employees numbering 380,000 will be pushed immediately as the result of the spread of unauthorized strikes of switchmen and engineers, C. W. Worrell, general chairman of the railway clerks' organization of the Chicago and Northwestern system, said to-day.

Chicago, April 9.—One switchman was shot and several slugged at meetings of the striking railroad men here last night, police learned to-day.

John Krantz, a striker, who proposed that the men return to work, was shot, it was reported. He was spirited away in an automobile by friends.

GENERAL STRIKE IN SOME PARTS OF ITALY; TROOPS SENT

London, April 9.—According to a dispatch from Rome, leaders of the Socialist Party are considering an extension of the general strike now prevailing in some parts of Northern Italy. Troops have been sent to several of the affected districts.

EXPLAINS BILL FOR MOTHERS' PENSIONS

Hon. J. D. MacLean Faces Galleries Graced With Feminine Loveliness

MEASURE WILL ASSIST MANY STRICKEN WOMEN

Legislative Press Gallery.

Afternoon Sitting, April 9. Very few seats in the public galleries of the Legislature were vacant this afternoon when the Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, Provincial Secretary, rose to move the second reading of the bill to provide the mothers of British Columbia with pensions. Both Victoria and Vancouver were well represented by large detachments of the gentler sex and the rapid attention with which every gallery occupant listened to the Minister as he outlined the objects of the measure, indicated the interest being manifested.

B. C. in Line.

Reference already has been made in these columns to the general provisions of the measure although the Minister's address this afternoon expanded into the realm of humanitarian legislation now in operation in his country and in other parts of the world.

Dr. MacLean informed the House that the question was the result of a number of representations which had been made to the Government from time to time, coupled with the Administration's own policy to enact legislation such as would keep pace with the trend of events the world over. He explained to his auditors that three of the Provinces of Canada already possessed machinery similar to that designed in the bill before the House, while no less than thirty-nine States of the United States, as well as New Zealand and many of the States of Australia could boast of mothers' pensions laws.

Fundamental Object. "One of the chief objects of this bill," commented the Minister, "is to provide the child with suitable home surroundings, the mother of the child, in those cases where the breadwinner has become physically incapacitated and is unable to support his household. Legislation of this kind, he said, had made great strides in the world and it was British Columbia's proud position to be in the van."

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COTTON GROWING VENTURE PLANNED

Great Co-operative Scheme Prepared in Lancashire; Nigeria as Field

London, April 9.—A large venture in cotton growing, requiring a capital of many millions of pounds, shortly is to be put before the Lancashire cotton interests, says a dispatch to The London Times from Manchester. It is being framed as a co-operative enterprise of the whole of the cotton trade and not as a private undertaking. It will be the newspaper adds, in reality be a public trust in which every organization in the industry will have an interest. The field for the new trust's activities has not yet been settled, but there is likelihood that it will be in Nigeria.

WOMEN'S HIGH-HEELED SHOES CONDEMNED

Winnipeg, April 9.—"No woman who wears the high-heeled shoe that is being foisted upon the female public to-day can retain her vitality, figure and personal magnetism," declared Miss Edna E. Lowe, a physical culture expert of Chicago, in an address at the closing session of the Manitoba Educational Association yesterday. Her assertions were greeted with prolonged applause by the audience of 800 teachers, mostly women.

HEATED SESSION OF SPANISH HOUSE; DUEL CHALLENGE

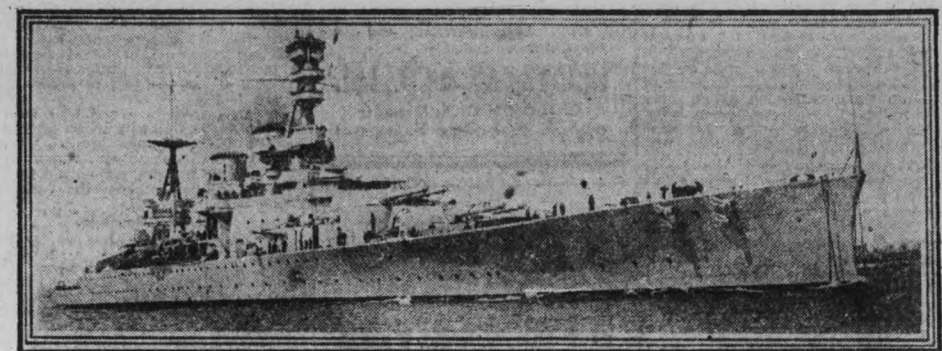
Madrid, April 9.—One Deputy struck another in the face and a third challenged a duel during the debate in the Cortes last night. The budget, which threatened a Ministerial crisis, was passed early this morning.

States Looks on While Tangle Affects Allies

Washington, April 9.—The attitude of the United States towards any adjustment of the new situation created by the entry of French troops into the Ruhr district of Germany will continue to be more that of an observer than an interested participant, from what can be learned in official circles here.

While recognizing the seriousness of the situation created by the independent action by France, officials here were not inclined to regard it as "delicate," as the British Foreign Office indicated last night. It was regarded as one of those situations full of potential danger but in which the probability of adjustment were predominant.

At Sea Again With the Prince of Wales Aboard; H.M.S. Renown



The British battleship Renown, with the Prince of Wales on board, is now on her way across the Pacific from San Diego, California, which she left last evening after a two-day visit, to Honolulu, where she will touch before proceeding to Australia, in which part of the Empire the Prince is to make an extended visit.

Council of League of Nations Meets in Paris

Paris, April 9.—The Executive Council of the League of Nations met here this morning, with another session planned for the afternoon. The programme for the meetings included discussion of the question of the League's mandate for Armenia, protection of minority nationalities in Turkey, the municipal elections to be held in Danzig and repatriation of the prisoners of war in Siberia.

GERMAN TROOPS ONLY NORTH OF RUHR

Regular Units Which Had Crossed River Were Withdrawn Yesterday

Berlin, April 9.—The German regular troops which had crossed the Ruhr River were withdrawn yesterday to the northern bank of that stream, it is announced here. (The Ruhr passes just to the south of Essen, in the northern part of the industrial district.) Officials of the cities of Barmen, Elberfeld and Dusseldorf, it is stated, requested the Minister of Defense not to allow the troops to enter those towns.

GEN. NOLLET SAW BEHIND SCENES

French Officers Discovered Militarists Increasing Their Hold in Germany

Berlin, April 9.—A member of the French Military Control Commission is quoted in Berlin by The Zeitung Am Mittag as saying that the French advance was in nowise due to imperialistic or militaristic influences, but was brought about mainly through reports of General Nollet, head of the Commission, who was able to look behind the scenes.

CANADA'S STATUS TO BE DISCUSSED

Statement in Commons Monday on Dominion and World League

Ottawa, April 9.—(Canadian Press) Canada's status under the League of Nations as affected by the refusal up to the present of the United States to enter the League is scheduled to come up in the House of Commons again Monday, when Major G. W. Andrews will bring up a question on the effect of the action of the United States will have on the Monroe Doctrine.

SALVADOR WANTS AN ALLIANCE WITH STATES LEFT OUT

Washington, April 9.—(Associated Press)—After receiving the State Department's interpretation of the Monroe Doctrine, the Congress of Salvador adopted a decree proposing a Latin-American Alliance with the United States excluded.

UNION CAUCUS ON FRANCHISE BILL; CHANGES COMING

Ottawa, April 9.—After a caucus of the supporters of the Government today, which ended at 12:45 p. m., Sir George Foster stated that the annual cost of the Franchise Bill had been freely discussed. There had been a general interchange of opinion on the different features of the bill on which the Government would be guided when the measure was again before the House.

Attitude of Italy on German Situation Same as Britain's

Scialoia, Foreign Minister, Says Italy Did Not Give France Intimation Occupation of Cities in Germany Would Be Approved.

London, April 9.—Italy's attitude respecting the French occupation of Frankfurt and other cities in Germany concurs fully with that expressed in behalf of Great Britain in the statement issued last evening. Vittorio Scialoia, the Italian Foreign Minister, stated to-day. Signor Scialoia said there had been no diplomatic exchanges which would justify the assumption of France that her action would meet with Italy's approval.

Paris, April 9.—A meeting of the French Cabinet was held this morning. It was announced that the Ministers would hold another session at six o'clock this afternoon.

Premier Millerand informed the Cabinet with regard to the situation in Germany. He also made it acquainted with a verbal communication which had been received from Great Britain on the subject of the French occupation of Frankfurt, an official notification of the British position not having yet arrived in Paris.

FRANKFORT FIRING CALLED MISHAP

French Officer Says Machine Gun Went Off and Soldier Lost Head

Frankfort, April 8.—Via London, April 9.—(Associated Press)—Assertion that there was no intention to fire a machine gun into a crowd here Wednesday and that the incident was really a mishap is made by a French officer who witnessed it. Fear on the part of a French soldier that the crowd intended to rush the patrol in the street led to the tragedy.

This man, it is declared, put a belt of cartridges into the gun for the purpose of firing one shot to disperse the crowd. The explosion of the gun, however, caused the soldier in charge of it to lose his head and the whole belt was fired.

Inspection of the thirty-six machine guns brought to Frankfort by French troops has been made, and it is said none of them was found defective or to show a tendency to fire upon the insertion of a cartridge belt.

GERMAN PAPERS ALLOWED TO APPEAR

But Writers in Cities French Occupied Must Not Incite Disorder

Frankfort, April 8.—Via London, April 9.—(Associated Press)—The ban on the publication of newspapers was removed to-day and they will not be subject to censorship. French officers declare, if they refrain from printing articles tending to incite the people to disorder.

A press bureau has been established by the French and in it is hung a picture of a ruined French village. This picture bears the caption "Germany has ravaged France."

Enquiry has failed to produce confirmation of a report given out at the Mayor's office that a woman and girl were struck by revolver shot fired last night from the windows of the Imperial Hotel, where the French have established their headquarters.

DIVORCE COURTS IN EIGHT PROVINCES

Bills Introduced in Dominion Senate; Quebec Would Be Exception

Ottawa, April 9.—Two bills were introduced in the Senate yesterday, the effect of which would be to give divorce courts to all the provinces except Quebec. This would have the effect of taking divorce cases out of Parliament almost entirely, since of the hundred odd cases now before the Senate, all from Ontario and Quebec, the proportion is about a dozen from Ontario to one from Quebec.

The only province which have not set up their own divorce courts are Ontario and Quebec, while the power of Prince Edward Island courts has been limited. The two bills introduced in the Senate yesterday would give divorce powers to the Supreme Court of Ontario and to the courts of Prince Edward Island. In the latter Province, it has been claimed there has never been a divorce case so far.

BANKS IN SPAIN. Madrid, April 9.—Many new banking institutions are being established throughout Spain, hardly a day passing without announcement of another being formed. Before the war there were only 100 banks in Spain, but to-day there are 200 in operation.

LLOYD GEORGE IS SCORED BY PAPERS

London Times and Mail Say Attitude Toward France Wrong

London, April 9.—The London Times, which has been consistently distrustful of Germany and strongly antagonistic to Premier Lloyd George, to-day expresses extreme indignation at the British Government's attitude regarding France's occupation of German neutral territory as set forth in the "authoritative" statement issued last night.

"We seldom have read a more lamentable or more shameful exposition of British policy," says the newspaper. "In this the return we are to make to France for all that she has done and suffered by our side? We tremble at the results of this scandalous announcement, which explains the stability of the peace so dearly bought now chiefly depends."

Great Good. The Times regrets the French error of judgment in sending so many African troops to Frankfort, saying this will give the German a pretext for indignation; but it thinks that otherwise the French action effected great good and brought the Germans to heel.

The newspaper then proceeds again to deplore the British Government's declaration and says: "For the sake of no national interest, no European interest; for the sake of nothing less ignoble than small personal vanities, hurt by the independent action of the French arm of supposed personal and party interests, baser still, all that has been accomplished is jeopardized and those Anglo-French relations, on which we hoped to rear the fabric of a new world have received the rudest shock since they were founded by King Edward and M. Delcasse."

The Daily Mail in a similar strain says the British people never will permit British friendship and the alliance with France to be sacrificed to aid Mr. Lloyd George in a vote-catching campaign.

147 MILES AN HOUR MADE BY ROGET ON PARIS-LYONS FLIGHT

Paris, April 9.—(Havas)—Henri Rogee, a widely-known aviator, has established a record by flying from Paris to Lyons in one hour and fifty minutes, his speed being at 147 miles an hour.

BRITISH KING AND QUEEN WILL VISIT SPAIN, SAYS REPORT

Madrid, April 9.—A report from Santander says the King and Queen of Britain are about to visit Spain. Magdalena Palace, it is said, is being prepared for their reception.

French Move Called Right But Method Used Wrong

London, April 9.—The Times states that in diplomatic circles here the view is expressed that the action of France in occupying cities in Germany is wrong in form, but right in substance. It also is regarded as a mistake on the part of France not to have employed white troops exclusively in the occupation of German cities.

London, April 9.—The Times says a crisis has arisen in Anglo-French relations and that contrary to assurances that the difference of opinion between the Allies regarding the violation of the neutral zone by German troops were about to be composed by a friendly understanding, it appears that the British Government yesterday took steps to emphasize its disagreement with the policy of France.

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WANT IMPRISONED STRIKERS RELEASED Winnipeg Labor Men Issue Appeal; Trades Congress Asked to Act.

MINING CONVENTION HEARD ADDRESSES Seattle, April 9.—Coal, oil and waterpower resources of the Northwest and the "rim of the Pacific" were the principal subjects of discussion at yesterday's session here of the International Mining Convention.

JAPANESE DEFEATED BOLSHEVIK TROOPS Washington, April 9.—Fighting between Japanese and Russian forces at Khabarovsk ceased late Tuesday, the Japanese Embassy here was informed yesterday, with the surrender of the soviet troops.

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CONVICTED STRIKERS TRY FOR SEATS IN MANITOBA HOUSE Winnipeg, April 8.—R. B. Russell and R. J. Johns, four of the convicted strike leaders, have been nominated for seats in the Legislature of Manitoba at a meeting of the Winnipeg branch of the Socialist Party of Canada.

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BULGARIAN TREATY SUBJECT OF DEBATE Bill to Carry It Into Effect Discussed at Ottawa

Soon As Possible. The Minister said that as far as Bulgaria was concerned, a state of peace would be reached when the treaty now before the House had been ratified by Bulgaria and three of the Allied and Associated Powers.

Fish Inspection Act. The House in committee then took up a resolution to amend the Fish Inspection Act to provide that the Act shall apply to pickled herring, mackerel, and salmon, other than cured salmon, and the containers in which such fish are packed and marketed.

Not Consulted. Mr. Parent asked if Canada, as a member of the League of Nations, had been consulted as to the occupation of the German cities by French troops.

COLLEGE INQUIRY IN SASKATCHEWAN Saskatoon, April 9.—After twenty-eight sessions, covering eleven days, the probe into the dismissal of four professors of the Saskatchewan University conducted by three judges of the King's Bench court acting as "visitors" came to a close here last night.

MANITOBA INDIANS DESIRE TO VOTE Winnipeg, April 9.—Some of the Saulteaux Indians, resident on the reserves on the south of Loon Straits nearly 200 miles north of this city, are strongly in favor of becoming Canadian citizens.

LABOR CONVENTION. Montreal, April 9.—Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, who is in Montreal, states that it has been definitely decided that the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor will be held in Montreal next July.

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Zam-Buk CO-OPERATION IS URGED BY VANDERLIP Employers and Employees Should Work Together, Says N. Y. Banker

Seattle, April 9.—Employers must unite with labor in a programme of national rehabilitation to "prove that democracy is a success," Frank A. Vanderlip, New York banker, declared in an address before a meeting of the West Coast Lumbermen's Association here last night.

IRISH LOYALISTS ORGANIZE DEFENCE London, April 9.—The Daily Graphic says that the situation in the South and West of Ireland has become so serious that the loyalists have not only decided to organize their own defence, but are appealing to English sympathizers to aid in the new movement.

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### PRICES OF BRAN AND SHORTS CHANGED

Winnipeg, April 9.—An order issued by the Canadian Wheat Board yesterday fixes the minimum wholesale prices of bran and shorts in Western Canada, per ton, net weight, in 100 pound jute sacks, at \$45 for bran and \$52 for shorts, Manitoba points; Saskatchewan points, \$44 and \$51, and Alberta points, Edmonton,

Canmore and East Crow's Nest station and points east, \$43 and \$50; Alberta points north and west of Edmonton on Canadian National Railway and Grand Trunk Pacific, at \$44 for bran and \$51 for shorts.

### NO CHEAP EGGS.

Seattle, April 9.—Seattle jobbers say the day of cheap eggs has passed. Eggs are quoted at 42 and 43 cents a dozen and the jobbers say no decline can be expected.

### ROUMANIA WILL RATIFY THE TREATY BY ROYAL DECREE

London, April 9.—A Bucharest dispatch says the Roumanian Council of Ministers has decided to ratify the Treaty of Versailles. The ratification will be by royal decree, as the Parliament is not in session. Roumanian approval of the treaty thus will be similar to that of Italy.

### FRANCHISE BILL DEBATED AT OTTAWA

Measure in Committee Stage Last Evening, But Discussion Not Completed

Ottawa, April 9.—The Franchise Bill was again discussed in committee in the Commons last evening and the discussion will be continued to-day. Under the bill a Chief Electoral Officer is to be appointed. His appointment will mean abolition of what Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Solicitor-General, last evening, termed the "ancient and honorable office" of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, an office which dates back in Canadian history for a century or more, and links with the spacious days of Wesley. Under the bill, too, it is proposed that the Parliamentary Counsel of the House (at present F. S. Gishorne, K. C.) shall also be Chief Electoral Officer. The Chief Electoral Officer shall be appointed for life and be removable only as a superior judge may be removed.

"It is desired to keep the office free from partisan control," Mr. Guthrie explained.

The committee concurred in Mr. Guthrie's desire, but there was sharp criticism of the clauses. Col. J. A. Currie, Simcoe North, opposed the appointments. They savored of Prussianism, he said. Suppose the Parliamentary Counsel should be removed, what then would be the position of the Chief Electoral Officer? S. W. Jacobs, George Etienne Cartier, set the committee laughing with the remark that the present Parliamentary Counsel had been appointed Chancellor of the Diocese of Ottawa. Was this compatible with an appointment as Chief Electoral Officer? Mr. Jacobs demanded. "Will he not have to play the part of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde?" Mr. Jacobs pressed. The committee roared.

Legal Adviser. Again, on a later clause disqualifying ecclesiastics from acting as returning officers the appointment of Mr. Gishorne was before the committee. Was the Chancellor of a diocese an ecclesiastic? asked D. McKenzie. He was not, the Solicitor-General replied. The Minister of Justice added that a chancellor of a diocese was a legal adviser. Here Mr. Jacobs proceeded to read a sermon by Mr. Gishorne, but Deputy Speaker demurred, and Mr. Jacobs did not insist.

Reference to campaign funds brought from J. A. Sexsmith, Peterboro East, the remark that it would be a good thing to prevent the "disgraceful way in which farmers were going from door to door with hand baskets collecting a general fund." This brought a rejoinder from Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer.

### MANY CASUALTIES IN JERUSALEM

London, April 9.—It is reported that ten civilians were killed and 150 wounded, and that three British officers were wounded in the disturbances in Jerusalem April 4 between the Jews, Moslems and Arabs, says a dispatch to The London Times from Cairo, Egypt, dated April 7.

The dispatch says the exact cause of the trouble has not been ascertained.

Other disturbances occurred April 6, when the town was packed with British troops. Arabs tried to enter the Damascus Gate, but were fired on. Some houses were burned.

### CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

Tacoma, April 9.—Mrs. Julia Smith was charged by the state yesterday with first degree assault in connection with the shooting of County Prosecutor W. D. Askren Saturday night. Askren, who is rapidly recovering, named Mrs. Smith as his assailant. She had been held in the county jail without bond.

Mrs. Smith, who is at present under a sentence of from two to five years in the state penitentiary, would receive an additional term of from ten years to life if found guilty of the assault charge.

### CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Quebec, April 9.—His jaw smashed with a club and with a bullet in his brain, Toler Kostinien, a laborer in a lumber camp at Kenogami, was found lying in a bunkhouse on July 27, 1919, and to-day Mike Debeika and George Morhari stood before a jury at the criminal assizes here charged with the crime of murder.

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Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas, and Lang's Drug Store, Esquimalt Road.

### ARMY ADVANCE WAS TO BE LAST RESORT

British View on French-German Situation Set Forth Last Night

London, April 9.—After a long conference with the French Ambassador, Paul Cambon, had with Premier Lloyd George yesterday, and a full discussion of the Franco-German incident by the Cabinet Council, at which the French view was fully explained to the British Ministers, an authoritative statement was issued to the effect that France acted entirely on her own initiative in deciding to occupy German towns; that Great Britain, the United States, Italy and Belgium were all opposed to the plan, and that France's action had caused a delicate situation.

The matter was under discussion by the British and French Governments and the hope was expressed that the situation might be eased. The statement recited various expedients suggested for dealing with the Ruhr situation, among others the sending of Allied officers with the German troops to supervise the German withdrawal.

Another alternative was that the decision should be left with the German Government, with the stipulation that unless the status quo was sufficiently restored, the Allies themselves would occupy German points to enforce their demands.

The statement proceeded: "The German Government appears to have acted precipitately, and France to have responded by adopting a plan which was only intended as a last-resort method, and even to have based the affair on the Allies, and not of any one of them."

### Opposed.

Great Britain, Italy, Belgium and the United States, it was declared, all felt that the task of restoring order should lie with Germany, and all were opposed to their regular forces being called upon except as a last resort, to undertake what would virtually be police duties. It was pointed out that France feared some ulterior motive on the part of Germany, and doubtless had acted in good faith, but the statement added, "the immediate result is that the responsibility for her action cannot be shared by the Allies as a whole, and certainly there is no intention on the part of the British Government to allow British soldiers to act as police between hostile German factions and incur all the odium of such a position, to say nothing of its risk."

### When Proved.

The statement concluded: "If, and when, France's suspicions of Germany's ulterior motives and deliberate flouting of the terms of the peace treaty become accomplished facts, the Allies would doubtless be prepared to act instantly and vigorously in concert to vindicate the position and respect for the provisions of the treaty."

### MUST PAY TAXES.

Regina, April 9.—Legal proceedings are being taken by the Saskatchewan Government to recover arrears of timber taxes from a number of timber limit holders in the province.

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**B. C. ELECTRIC TO  
HAVE HEAVY BILL**

Legislative Press Gallery, Evening Sitting, April 8.

That British Columbia was the second last Province in the Dominion to retain the old rule of passing on the left in connection with traffic, was pointed out this evening by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, in moving the second reading of the Act to amend the Highway Act. Prince Edward Island retained the old custom, he said, but conditions there were different; so it was high time British Columbia was "falling into line," he added.

**Time to Change.**

The Minister explained that there was grave danger to the public in the retention of the "turn to the left" rule of the road, and with tens and even hundreds of thousands of motors arriving and leaving the Province it was only a matter of time until the change would have to be made. Out of consideration for the street railways of the Province, said Dr. King, it had been decided to make the time of the change December 31, 1921. This would mean that the street railways of the Province would retain the present rule for a year and nine months; that was to say, that part of the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island cut off by natural barriers from the interior and northern sections. The change in the rule of the road will become effective in the other districts on July 15.

The Minister explained that the B. C. Electric Railway Company, which company for the street railways in the first mentioned district, had submitted a report showing that the changing of their rolling stock and tracks to comply with the new rule would cost over one million dollars. This had not been checked by the Department, said the Minister, but would be as soon as possible. He proceeded to show that the change would cost more the longer it was left, chiefly because the company would be obliged in the near future to purchase new rolling stock.

**Roads.**

The second point covered by the Minister of Public Works related to the question of primary and secondary roads in the municipalities. There had been no uniform policy heretofore, he said, and it was necessary to inaugurate some such system of differentiation.

Continuing the debate, F. A. Pauline, Government member for Saanich, said he regretted seeing the rule of the road changed from sentimental reasons only, and approved of the bill as a whole, but he requested the Minister to consider the question of placing the George bridge in proper repair before turning it over to the municipalities, as was being done by special legislation.

Joseph Walters, Government member for Yale, was concerned as to whether the members of the House would have an opportunity of voting upon the question of compensation to the B. C. Electric Company. The Premier informed the House that there could be no compensation paid the company without the agreement coming to the Legislature for sanction.

**Mr. McGeer.**

G. G. McGeer spoke at some length upon the question of bridges in the municipality of Richmond. He pointed out that Richmond was the only district in the Province where important bridges were not controlled by the Government, and he made a strong appeal that the Government take over and repair and improve the bridges over the Fraser at Fraser Avenue and Marpole.

Mr. McGeer pointed out that the Government's placing of a ferry at Ladner had directed most of the traffic of the Delta via the main road through Richmond, claiming that a main paved road was of little use to the municipality, but it was forced to pay the cost of up-keep. He cited Kingsway as another road supported by municipalities outside of Vancouver, when that city received the major portion of the benefit from the highway.

**Compensation.**

Mr. McGeer took up the question of compensation to the B. C. Electric, saying that he did not wish to appear as arguing the case of that company, but he felt the Province should bear part of the cost of the change necessitated. He feared that if the company were forced to bear it all they would simply raise fares and the people would have to pay in the end.

F. J. A. MacKenzie was informed by the Minister that a survey of the Pacific Highway from the Fraser River to the international boundary would be made this Summer, and plans completed for the completion of the construction of that road.

The bill was given its second reading.

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Percy Taylor, former student of the Royal College of Art, London, lectured to members of the Island Arts and Crafts Club last night on technique in oil painting. He analyzed the methods of the pre-Raphaelites, those of the Newlyn school, and the impressionists. He dealt with the methods of the old masters, such as Velasquez, Franz Hals, Reynolds, Raaburn, Lawrence and Romney. He also compared the methods of Sargent Shannon and Whistler.

Although they were eccentric and queer fellows, Mr. Taylor declared that the cubists, futurists and such producers of modern weirdness in art, really served a useful purpose as they were responsible for leading the conventional and stultified artists away from narrow channels.

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Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. J. Watson and Mrs. R. Watson. The fancy work stall was in charge of Mrs. A. Jones, Mrs. Shotbolt and Mrs. Bosustaw, the secretary of the society. The home cooking and candy stall, Mrs. Basset and Mrs. Botteley. The art gallery, containing a wonderful collection of original paintings, was in the care of Mrs. Newcomb, and a spinning Jenny was run by the Misses Bosustaw.

During the afternoon a very good musical programme was given by Mrs. Foot and her juvenile orchestra; Mrs. B. F. J. Ward, Miss Margaret Sturrock and Miss Blanche May. All who took part in the affair are to be congratulated upon its great success.

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## MEMORIAL SCHEME

Much-debated Subject Again Before Municipal Chapter Yesterday

The much-debated War Memorial Educational scheme of the Order of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., yesterday, and after much discussion it was decided, on the motion of Mrs. A. N. Moutat, to hold a general meeting of the Order on Thursday, April 22 at 3.30, following the meeting of the Municipal Chapter, when the whole question would be thoroughly aired. It is hoped that every member prepared fully to discuss the matter, so that the attitude of the local chapters towards the scheme may be thoroughly understood.

Curtis S. Sampson, the new regent, was in the chair. Before the opening of business a standing vote of sympathy was passed to Miss Fell and Mrs. H. A. S. Marley in their recent bereavement.

The receipt of a communication from the City Council recording the authorities' refusal to reconsider the matter of the Alexandra Rose Day gave rise to several suggestions for the observance of this Empire-wide festival. Mrs. Andrew Wright gave notice of motion, to be brought up at the meeting of the Municipal Chapter, to petition the City Council to the Queen-Mother's birthday. The Chaplain reported on educational matters, and exhibited a charming portrait of the Prince of Wales, which will be added to the I. O. D. E. collection for the city schools. The Chapter decided to furnish milk for the Boy Scouts at their review to be held on Saturday next.

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Presentation Ceremony With Victory Last Night for St. Joseph's Hospital Class.

Eighteen pretty nurses were graduated from St. Joseph's Hospital last night amid a profusion of flowers, music and applause in the auditorium of St. Joseph's Academy.

Dr. R. L. Fraser presented the diplomas, while the Mother Superior pinned them on. Each graduate was presented with a basket of red and white flowers, the class colors.

Miss Emma McCroskie gave the class valedictory. Bishop Macdonald and George H. Hall, president of the hospital, spoke. Miss Grace Ledingham won the prize for efficiency in first year work awarded by the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association. This was presented by Miss Stella Herbert.

Miss Dorothy Dorrell and Mrs. Daniel Day sang and Miss Queenie Jones and Margaret Gladwin gave piano selections.

The graduates were:  
 Miss Jessie Dunbar, Nanaimo; Miss Edna Dorrell, Victoria; Miss Thelma M. Steele, Victoria; Miss Margaret M. Lewis, Victoria; Miss George A. Smith, Victoria; Miss Lillian B. Robson, Salt Spring Island; Miss Elizabeth H. Hunter, Victoria; Miss Jean C. McEwan, Victoria; Miss M. Eileen White, Sidney; Miss Emma W. McCroskie, Victoria; Miss Olive Scaplen, Victoria; Miss May M. Tripp, Victoria; Miss Helen M. Flabbi, Juneau, Alaska; Miss Helen M. Cameron, Victoria; Miss Margaret H. McKenzie, Saanichton; Miss Gertrude M. Rich, Ladner; Miss Olive E. Kilpatrick, Victoria; Miss Mary E. Stocks, Penticton.

## VANCOUVER WOMEN HERE FOR MOTHERS' PENSIONS BILL

Mrs. J. A. Clark, Mrs. Hugh Wilson, Mrs. J. S. Cowper, Miss A. Noble and Mrs. H. G. Taylor of the Local Council of Women, of the New Era League headed a delegation of Vancouver women which arrived in the city this morning to attend the second reading debate on the Mothers' Pensions Bill in the Legislative Chamber this afternoon.

Others accompanying the delegation were: Mrs. Jas. H. McGill; Pioneer Political Equality League, Mrs. Wm. McConkey; Macleod Review No. 7, Mrs. R. P. Pettipiece; Macleod Review No. 2, Mrs. J. R. Brown; Child Welfare Association, Mrs. R. H. Griffin and Mr. A. M. Stephen; Provincial Child Welfare Association, Mr. J. J. Dougan; Trades and Labor Council, Mrs. O. Fearn; Social Service, Mrs. McGovern; Vancouver city council, Aldermen Owen and McRae; Widows, Wives and Mothers of Great Britain's Heroes, Mrs. J. C. Kemp; Original Great War Women's Association, Mrs. James Robinson; Ministerial Association, Rev. Wm. Stevenson; Women's Forum, Mrs. D. M. McKay; W.C.T.U., Mrs. J. A. Gillespie; V. O. N., Mrs. William Rose; North Vancouver, Mrs. Gallagher; New Westminster, Mrs. John Forrester.

## TEA TO-MORROW

Once a year the King's Daughters make an appeal to the public for funds to carry on their splendid but non-spectacular work among the poor and needy of the city and in the various hospitals. To-morrow is the date of their annual appeal, when they will hold an "at home" and daffodil tea in the rest-rooms at the Hilben-Bone Building. For the past eleven years the Daughters have held a Spring flower-show, which lately took the form of a daffodil tea, and the moneys raised in this manner have formed the nucleus of their funds.

In addition to the serving of afternoon tea to-morrow, Spring flowers will be on sale and there will be a home cooking booth. A musical programme by pupils of the B. C. Academy of Music will enhance the pleasure of the occasion, those contributing to include Miss Payne and Miss Sjoland, vocal duet; Miss Lecona, Cousins, pianoforte solos; and songs by Miss Christie, Miss Muir and Miss Dorothy Dorrell.

The motto of the King's Daughters is "Lend a Hand" and no appeal is ever refused as long as the Daughters have the wherewithal to meet it. It is hoped that to-morrow the public will "lend a hand" in helping along an organization which has performed a work of inestimable value to the community.

## THE SADDEST NEWS.

Holding the fair young maid close to him, the man gazed into the unfathomable depths of her liquid eyes. Acute anxiety was expressed in every line of her innocent face. Ever and anon a sigh seemed to rend her being with its intensity, and she looked in his face as though she would read his soul.

For many minutes thus they stood. Neither spoke, but each gazed—gazed intently—into the other's eyes.

"Yes," said the oculist at last, "one eye is seriously affected, and, if not treated immediately, may develop a decided squint.—Tit-Bits.

Mme. Sellaris, a Belgian refugee, living with her husband and children in Osewestry, England, has received from her sister in Belgium the wedding ring and keeper which she buried in her garden over five years ago before fleeing from the Germans.

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## TEACHERS MUST KNOW WORLD LIFE,

### DR. SUZZALLO SAYS

Profession Lacks Sense of Relative Values; Curricula Not Overcrowded

### APPEALS FOR FREEDOM FOR INDIVIDUALITIES

The curricula of the public schools is not overcrowded, the trouble is that teachers have not the courage or the sense of relative values to eliminate the non-essentials. Dr. Suzzallo, President of the University of Washington and noted educationist, told B. C. teachers in their Federation meeting at the High School to-day.

"You hear teachers say that the curriculum is overcrowded and they always blame someone higher up," said Dr. Suzzallo. "But the teacher is partly to blame. The average teacher is absolutely not constituted to omit the least important things that she hasn't time for, and the result is that she is trying to cover the ground superficially."

**Making Book-Haters.** "Have the courage to eliminate the non-essential. If you get results from the more important things, the superintendent will never catch you at being inefficient."

"Have you ever noticed that a pupil after being exposed for seven years to good books and literature under your care leaves school and does not even open one of those books again. There is something wrong in such a system. The teacher must make up his mind that he is going to use his time for the more important things and not going to be guilty of pedagogical haste. The teacher must have a sense of relative values."

**Must Know the World.** "You will never get the relative sense of values until you yourselves know more of the outside world. Let us all keep in touch with the realities of life and then become students of economic and political realities. The teacher who handles ideas is to give him a sense of reality so his idealism will be a little more carefully worked out. Then you will get a sense of social values."

"Half the waste comes from teaching things that ought to be taught and teaching them badly. The other half of the waste is in teaching things brilliantly that never ought to be taught. You will never get the proper point of view until you take a social survey."

**Rural School Faults.** Dr. Suzzallo declared there was a great waste in rural schools through efforts to imitate city school organizations and by grading too strictly. He declared that rural schools should be graded less strictly after the first two years so that instead of ten minute lessons being given to small groups a longer lesson could be given to the whole class. The only exception to this method of rural teaching is in arithmetic where the distinction of the capabilities of various grades of pupils is more marked.

**Crushing Individuality.** He criticized the teaching of composition and penmanship as being aimed at organizing out all individuality in pupils. As for penmanship, he ridiculed the present copy-book methods of teaching, which sought to bring about a beautiful uniformity in the writing of all pupils. He declared that there is no need for beautiful writing to-day as all clerking work is done on typewriting and other office machines. Writing should express the individuality of the pupil.

**Poet Gives Oration.** Harry Charlesworth, who presided at this morning's session introduced Guy Manners, poet and author to give the convention oration on Canadianism.

Mr. Manners gave his oration in the form of a poem which he had just dashed off. Greeted with great applause and in a stirring style Mr. Manners said:

"Give me a dozen men,—  
Canadians, whose names ring true,  
Give me a dozen stalwart sons,  
And I'll send them smashing through.  
They must be men of soul and brain,  
Big men of nerve and brawn,  
And I'll send them out o'er mountain  
and plain  
In search of the Golden Dawn."  
"Give me a dozen men,—  
Canadians, every one,  
Give me a dozen thoroughbreds,  
Who will never quit 'till they're done;  
They must be men, who know no  
fear,  
Who will fight until Kingdom come;  
Give me the men whose brains are  
clear,  
And we will carve out our place in  
the sun."  
"Give me a dozen men,—  
Canadians, first and last,  
Give me six feet of manhood,  
Whose brains travel sure and fast;  
Give me the things, that the world  
needs most—  
Honest men, steadfast and true!  
The world has failed to raise such  
an host,  
Canadians,—It is up to you."

"It is up to you teachers to mix with the people, to go out and know the people," he added. "Canadians make this a great country, make it 100,000,000 people within 100 years. It is up to you."

Sectional meetings of the convention are in progress this afternoon.

China had women soldiers long before they were known in Russia. During the Tac Ping rebellion in 1850 women as well as men served in the ranks. In Nanking, in 1853, an army of 500,000 women was recruited. They were commanded by women officers.

## CHRISTIAN RITE AT CHINESE WEDDING

### Many People Attended Function at Chinese Methodist Mission Last Night

A very pretty wedding in which the principals were Chinese was celebrated last evening at the Chinese Mission, Fisgard Street. The groom was Cheung Yick Ching, a prominent young Chinese, and the bride Miss Elizabeth Chan.

Miss Chan, who had been a resident of the Orient, 722 Cormorant Street, for several years, looked well in white silk, her pretty features being set off with a bridal veil and orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of pale pink carnations and rose buds. She was given away by Miss Margaret Smith, on behalf of the Hostesses Agnes Chan, in pink voile, who carried a bouquet of carnations, acted as bridesmaid.

The groom was accompanied by Wong Lun. The Methodist service was read by Rev. Kwan Yu Nam, and the "Wedding March" was fittingly played by Miss Edna McKell. About 150 guests attended the ceremony and reception, among them being Miss Agnes Spencer, Mrs. Abell, Mrs. W. J. Fendray, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Christie, Rev. and Miss Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Gonnason, Mrs. McKell, Miss Sarah McKell and Miss Merton.

### BRIEF LOCALS

**Court of Revision.**—A court of revision of the provincial register of voters will be held by William Graham, registrar of Saanich, riding at his home, 3323 Tennyson Avenue, on May 17 at 10 o'clock.

**Hudson's Bay Co.'s Pageant.**—On the suggestion of Councillor Terrell, Saanich Council, last evening decided to await the proceedings at the next meeting of the Hudson's Bay Company's pageant before deciding on the class of float to be placed in the historical parade on May 24.

**St. John's Organ Recital.**—Miss Kate Hemming, Miss Mary Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dennis, and the Messrs. Smith, Shewell, White and Rowley will be the assisting vocalists at the organ recital to be given by G. Jennings Burnett at St. John's Church, on Monday evening.

**Giving Entertainment.**—The Mission Circle of the Metropolitan Methodist Church will give an interesting entertainment at 8 o'clock this evening in the Sunday school of the church. Several tableaux representing "The Angelus," "A Rose in No Man's Land," and "Sweet and Low," will be staged. A musical programme will be given by members of the church choir.

**St. John's War Memorial.**—The War Memorial Reredos in St. John's Church will be unveiled on Sunday, April 18, by Bishop DePencier, the overseas bishop of British Columbia. St. John's Chancel Guild will be most grateful for gifts of shells from France to be used for flower vases on the War Memorial altar, they being thought most suitable. Anyone willing to donate one or more for that purpose is asked to leave them at St. John's Rectory, 1611 Quadra Street.

**Poultry Clubs for Children.**—Poultry classes for boys and girls are to be organized in Victoria and other B. C. municipalities. R. Terry, chief poultry inspector of the Department of Agriculture, The Victoria Poultry Association instigated the movement, and Mr. Terry readily agreed to act as instructor. Any children over eleven years of age will be admitted to the classes. Those wishing to join are asked to communicate with Mr. Terry at the Parliament Buildings.

**Concert at Memorial Hall.**—On Tuesday evening next, April 13, an orchestral and vocal concert will be given in Memorial Hall, B. C. Oak Bay. The arrangements are in the capable hands of J. Douglas Macey, and he has assembled some of the best talent in the city for the occasion. The vocalists will include Edward Petch, Mrs. Gideon Hicks and Miss Leta Cody. Miss Katherine Bradshaw will contribute pianoforte numbers, and an orchestra will give instrumental selections from the works of the great composers.

**Mechanical Transport Drivers.**—A well attended meeting of the Imperial Transport drivers was held last evening at the Army and Navy club rooms. After considerable discussion the following committee was appointed to approach all ex-Imperial drivers, and obtain their views on which of the local ex-service organizations the body should ally itself with: J. B. Wood, W. F. Glouven and R. P. Edwards. Another meeting will be held in a short time, and the committee will report. The drivers are anxious to link up with an association. They consider there are enough ex-service organizations existent at the present time, and have decided not to form one of their own. A large number of local men left here to serve with the Imperial Mechanical Transport and drove motors in various theatres of war.

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Considerable interest is being displayed among business men over the annual meeting of the Board of Trade, which is to be held to-night at 8 o'clock at the board rooms, Bastion Square. A large number of names are to be submitted for various positions on the board, and there will no doubt be an interesting ballot.

Hon. J. de B. Farris, Attorney-General, will address the meeting. His Honor the Lieut.-Governor will be in attendance.

To Speak at Unitarian Church.—Rev. Harold E. B. Speight, of Berkeley, California, will speak at the Unitarian Church this evening at 8 o'clock on "The Message of the Unitarian Church to a Changing World."

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### OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Bertram J. Dresser, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dresser, of 2825 Prior Street, took place yesterday at 2 p. m. from the B. C. Funeral Chapel and was very largely attended. Two hymns were rendered, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." A large and beautiful floral offering covered the casket and hearse. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The following young friends of Dresser acted as pallbearers: A. E. Hall, J. H. Murray, J. D. McDonald, T. Liddell, H. Walker and A. Nott.

Chapter's Daffodil Tea.—The Herbert Beaumont Rogers Chapter I. O. O. F., will hold a "daffodil" tea tomorrow afternoon at the Criterion by kind permission of the proprietors, Messrs. Watson and Glazen. A musical programme has been arranged to which vocal solos will be contributed by Miss Dorothy Dorral.

Miss Winnifred Bell, Mrs. L. C. U. Smith, Miss Carr, Mrs. Dennis, a duet by Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. H. Campbell, and violin numbers by Miss Atkinson. Mrs. Cameron and Miss Evelyn Bell will share the duties of accompanist. During the afternoon dancing will be indulged in. Messrs. Heitzman have generously loaned a gramophone and records for the occasion.

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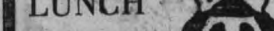
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"Clean-up Week" Started Today; Big Improvement Will Be Noted in City

Every property owner in Victoria and the neighboring municipalities is asked to lend a hand in making "Clean-up Week" a real success. There is a great deal to be done and the assistance of everyone is required. If one man cleans up his property and his next-door neighbor fails to do the same, the appearance of the general clean-up will be enhanced many times. Chief Langley's announcement that all rubbish on vacant lots must be cleaned up came at a very opportune time. There are numerous lots which are made a dumping ground for the adjoining premises. The appearance of other garbage acts as a black-eye to the neighborhood. Chief Langley is asking that the lots be cleaned up had in view the enforcement of the Public Health Bylaw, but he has extended his idea now in order to effect a general clean-up of the City.

**Clean Up the Fronts.**  
While vacant lots form the chief source of trouble it is expected that the back alleys will be given attention. The idea of "Clean-up Week" is now spreading to include the improvement of the fronts of all properties which do not border on boulevard streets. It is hoped that the people will take their spades and remove the mass of weeds which persist in cropping up outside the fence line. The accomplishment of this work would produce a very noticeable improvement in the cleanliness of many streets.

"Clean-up Week" is to start in earnest to-day. The police will assist upon the cleaning up of all vacant lots, which are covered with rubbish. They will have nothing whatever to do with the cleaning up of the streets. That is entirely up to the owners of property and merely thrown out as an added suggestion to improve the appearance of the City. Victoria has a reputation for beauty, and every effort must be made to prevent it from being spotted through the negligence of property owners. It is hoped that everyone will assist in making "Clean-up Week" a notable event.

## CITY TO FRAME ITS ESTIMATES

Aldermen Are Busy Pruning Expenses For the Year

Unable to secure further financial aid from the Provincial Government, the civic authorities will sorrowfully commence the task of framing their annual estimates next week. Mayor Porter announced to-day. Deliberation on the estimates has been postponed for many weeks now inasmuch as the city might ascertain just what assistance to expect from the Government, but now that definite announcement has been made there is no further cause for delay. During the last week or so a special committee of the City Council has been engaged in the task of paring down the estimates of various city departments to an irreducible minimum. The head of each department in the City Hall has been interviewed on the subject and considered in several directions. Moreover, the committee has held conferences with the Police Commission which is struggling with the possibility of heavy increases resulting from rises in policemen's salaries. This committee will report its progress to the next meeting of the Estimates Committee early next week. As the estimates now stand, and taking into consideration the aid which the Government intends to afford the city, the general tax rate this year probably will be about the same as last year. The Council as a whole feels that this is too high and is on record as favoring a reduction from twenty-six to twenty-five mills. Such a reduction, however, probably will be impossible.

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## DR. SUZZALLO HAS SPLENDID MESSAGE TO FEDERATION

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"The great national problem of education to-day is the need to take the fundamental principles which make up the democracy of nations and make them palpitate in the heart of man. When a man gets to that state that he will accept it as a violation of the constitutional principles with complacency and without a righteous indignation then you may know that there is something lost to the nation. Schoolmasters must be awakened to the fact that the proper educational system should not be content with the mere teaching of intellectual subjects and the building of an intricate machine. Far more important is the building and training of character so that the boy will instinctively fight for the right principles. We must stop neglecting the emotional backgrounds of the intellect. Intellect is not power, but right feeling is power," said Dr. Henry Suzzallo, President of the University of Washington, at the session of the convention of the B. C. Teachers' Federation last night.

The First Presbyterian Church was filled with a gathering of teachers and others interested in the message brought by the distinguished publicist and educator, whose subject was "The Need of Popular Education in Economic Fact."

A Simple Schoolmaster.  
Dr. Suzzallo referred proudly to the fact that he was, first and foremost, a simple schoolmaster, "not because you laymen of the British Empire or any American citizen who may be here, but because you have any reason to be proud of the name, but because you cannot give a man freedom on the right hand of the State and education on the left hand of the State."

Psychology of a Nation.  
"The British Empire and the United States are a purely psychological structure, not merely a vast expanse of territory or the grouping together of men with a common origin or birth. In the last analysis a nation is a spiritual thing, not a mere aggregation of physical units," continued the speaker. The speaker was an architect building out of human materials and the strength or weakness of his structure depended upon his realizing the strength and weaknesses of his material. "We are men who fail to understand the principles of good building sanctioned by centuries of time. You cannot build a democracy or Empire dominated by the few, unless the principle is well accepted at the beginning. But in these days of communist idealists an idea has risen that you can add mediocrity to mediocrity by sheer sum of addition get genius. But you cannot do that," was Dr. Suzzallo's warning.

Idealism Plus Realism.  
"A warning that he had no respect for the man who taught children without a soul swing by the petus of idealism. Dr. Suzzallo argued that the teacher must be a realist as well as an idealist. "Democracy is nothing but a set of principles hammered out by the sum of human aspirations. We in America think we have a constitution. We have—on paper—but it is not a real constitution until it comes out of the hearts and feelings of men. Then out of that community of devotion, out of that common will, the man who would destroy that constitutional fabric, we get a real nation."

Three Frontiers.  
Every nation has three frontiers where the life of the nation was in constant jeopardy, continued the speaker. The first was the frontier over the undeveloped peoples and countries of the earth, where the young nations grow to adolescence under the wise guardianship of the parent nations. The second frontier line was created by the breaks in its normal racial frontiers allowing the tide of immigration to rush in. These immigrants came at an age when flexibility of mind was past and they were not receptive of education, said Dr. Suzzallo. Filled with a depreciation of government and the social system, and carriers of a certain racial disease, it became one of the greatest problems to educate them to turn freedom into liberty without allowing it to become license.

Little Barbarians.  
The third great frontier was that of childhood, according to the speaker. Children had to be trained from little barbarians into intelligent citizens. "Our teachers must take the constitution and the glorious traditions of the nation and write them on the hearts of the children so that they may grow up strong and support the common weal." The principal problem of the schoolmaster was not to make an intellectual machine but to mould the character and so provide the force that would imbue that machine with action. Intellect should be the master of a man's passions and enthusiasm, guiding him in the right

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## DISTRICT ORDERS FOR DEMONSTRATION

How Boy Scout Parade and Review Will Be Managed To-morrow

All troops and packs of the Boy Scouts will parade on Belleville Street between Douglas Street and Government Street, to-morrow at 2:30 p. m., for the Beacon Hill Park demonstration. The parade will move off at 2:45 in column of patrols and packs, proceeding to Beacon Hill, on ground opposite the Burns' Monument.

Order of Troops and Packs. The order of the parade will be: Scouts 1—Band. Scouts 2—Parade colors and flag. Scouts 3—Third troop. Scouts 4—Visiting troops. Scouts 5—Collegiate School. Scouts 6—James Bay. Scouts 7—V. P. S. Scouts and pack. Scouts 8—Maclean troop. Scouts 9—Oak Bay and Granite Street, pack. Scouts 10—Fairfield (Christ Church).

## POINTED QUESTIONS REGARDING POLICY

Saanich Council Has Yet No Settled Ideas With Regard to Jitney Operation

Saanich Council last evening showed itself rather shy with regard to the controversial question of the inauguration of a jitney bus service, which will be permitted under the new private act shortly to receive assent. Clerk Cowper asked for a direction on two questions, stating that he had assembled a mass of data dealing with various phases of the jitney business. Did the Council wish, he asked, for an independent service, or would it prefer to operate belt lines to the end of car lines of the B. C. Electric Railway? In the case of an independent service a heavy expenditure would be entailed, he pointed out. In the circumstance of belt lines it would be necessary to make some arrangements with the B. C. Electric Railway for a transfer system at a cheap rate into the city. He said provision for the whole of the services necessary might entail up to sixteen buses, a number which would be necessary.

Then Mr. Cowper asked a question which was not answered, as to whether the Council proposed to allow private bus services to continue in the municipality? The Clerk desired further to know

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# SPORTS

## Jackson Cup Final To-morrow Promises Keen Soccer Battle

Manager Youson Has Every Confidence the Suburban Eleven Will Lift Some More Silverware.

One of the soccer classics of the season is on the card for to-morrow, when the Wests and Comrades clash in the Jackson Cup final at Royal Athletic Park, kick off 3 p.m. Manager Jack Youson, the successful pilot of many cup winning teams from the Victoria West district, once again has a team out for the silverware in which he has every confidence. Jack admits the Comrades' showing in the Jackson Cup tilt makes them look like dangerous competitors, but he has no doubt as to the outcome.

All Manager Fred Atrahams, manager of the Comrades, has to say regarding the struggle is "Watch 'em go. If we win that cup, oh boy!" which would indicate that Fred is hopeful, if not as full of confidence as the veteran manager of the suburban hand.

W. J. Pearson will act as referee and soccer fans generally have confidence in his ability to handle the whistle with the necessary skill and impartiality.

Teams are announced as follows:

**Wests.**  
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**Comrades.**  
Lomas; Davies and Gomm; Green, Phillips and Hardwick; Harper, Bloom, Walton, Bristol and Bowers. Reserves, Essler, Kerr and Dannel.

All the players are asked to meet at the Comrades' Club at 2 o'clock sharp, where the general manager will no doubt hold forth in his own inimitable vigorous style on the importance of the fray.

### PLAIN COMMON SENSE

Harry Lauder is telling another good Scotch story these days. And he takes a peculiar delight in putting it over. We will leave it to you why he chuckles. He says a Scotchman who had wondered so far from his dear native heath as to live in Kansas, was calling on a friend one nice afternoon. They went out for a stroll and finally the friend remarked casually: "If we walk back again, Jamie, I think there's a bottle somewhere in the house." "Man Sandy!" exclaimed the Scotchman, "can we no run?"

### HORSE LEAVES FOR SHOW IN AEROPLANE

Los Angeles, April 9. — "Mercury," a horse, left Los Angeles to-day by aeroplane to enter the horse show in progress at Santa Barbara.

The trip was made in an especially-equipped plane, piloted by David C. Thompson.

### VETERANS ENTER CRICKET ARENA

Army and Navy Veterans Will Have Team; War Veterans Considering

The Army and Navy Veterans have informed Secretary Tucker of the Victoria and District Cricket Association of their intention to enter the league series this year. In addition to an entry in the senior league, the A. and N. cricketers have also under consideration the possibility of entering the mid-week series.

The Great War Veterans may also make their cricket debut, an announcement from them being expected during the next few days. Secretary Tucker has received information that the Garrison Club will be in the field again this Summer.

Entries formally received to date are: Albions, Incogs, Congos, Five's and Victoria.

Owing to several of the league officials being out of town it has been found necessary again to postpone the meeting, the new date being Monday, April 13. The meeting will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hut.

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## THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF VIMY RIDGE

British Columbia, Battalions Won Great Fame Three Years Ago

To-day is the third anniversary of the commencement of the engagements around Vimy Ridge, in which British Columbia regiments played so large a part. Many present Victoria residents were active participants.

The attack was astoundingly successful. Within an hour after jumping off the first objective had been attained, and by 3 p.m. on the first day of the battle the ridge had been captured, except on the extreme left, where the 4th Division encountered most devastating fire from enemy machine guns on Hill 145, and a position known as the "Pimple," further to the left.

**Four Battalions Employed.**  
Here it was that the 47th, 54th, 72nd and 102nd Battalions, all British Columbia units, won undying fame by the stubborn attack and tenacious defence that they showed. On April 9, in the 4th Division attack on the left of the ridge, the 54th and 102nd battalions advanced to a position on the right of Hill 145 and just in advance of it. The 72nd Battalion, with the 13th Brigade, was held up in front of the hill, while the 47th Battalion was in reserve with the 10th Brigade.

On the morning of April 10, the Canadians again launched out after the nest of machine guns on the high ground. This time the 47th, 54th, 72nd and 102nd all performed gallantly in driving the enemy from this important position, and later holding it against strong counter-attacks.

**In a Snowdrift.**  
Early on the morning of April 13, the 10th Brigade, which then included part of the 47th Battalion, set out to dislodge the enemy from his last foothold on the ridge. In a blinding snow-storm, which was luckily driving against the enemy, the boys with all-green patches, had little difficulty in accomplishing their task. The boys and with it all chances of launching a counter-attack against the summit, which was now in the possession of the Canadians.

Further to the south the 29th, under command of Brig.-General J. M. Ross, now officer commanding M. D. No. 11, had little difficulty in reaching its objective. The battalion was destined to reach the final line in the drive on its front, and on the first day had succeeded in swarming over the ridge and capturing the famous Farbus Wood.

**With the Seventh.**  
On the extreme right of the corps front the 7th Battalion, 1st British Columbia Regiment led in the attack on the enemy fortresses. The unit under command of Major Philpott advanced to the Swischen Steel Trench, where the reserves leaped through and carried on the push. On April 12 and 13 the 7th again was in the front of the attack and was an important factor in the capture of the village of Farbus, Willerval and the Arleux Switch.

**Sixteenth Engaged.**  
To the left of the 7th Battalion, the 15th Battalion, Canadian Scottish, under command of Lieut.-Col. C. W. Peck, scaled the heights and drove the enemy from the Swischen Steel Trench, his main defence near the summit of the ridge, in front of the village of Thelus. The victory was costly to the killed battalion, which suffered heavy casualties. One, out of more than twenty officers escaped without being hit, the remainder being either killed or wounded.

### NEWS AND NOTES OF THE MINES

#### Trail Shipments

A total of 76,236 tons of ore and concentrates was received at the Trail Smelter during the three month period just ended. Of this total, 69,226 was crude ore, and 7,310 was concentrates.

Over half the crude ore tonnage, or 35,236 tons, came from the Sullivan mine at Kimberley, the Sullivan being the largest mine owned by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada. The balance of the ore and concentrates came from fifty-two other properties, of which five were south of the line.

#### Ready to Ship Ore

Work has been carried on at Keno Hill in the Mayo district all through the winter, according to mail advices received to-day by Mr. E. J. Farr, of the White Pass and Yukon Route, of Vancouver, and with the first waters of the Spring the Mayo district will ship many hundreds of tons of ore to the smelters.

The Yukon Gold Company on Keno Hill has driven a tunnel 297 feet, from 60-foot shafts, with crosscuts every fifty feet and reports good results. The other outfit operating on the hill is reported as having a big pile of ore ready for the boats. On Lookout Mountain the mine has a large quantity of ore ready for shipment. Prospectors and small mine operators in the district state they expect great development during the coming Summer.

**Yankee Girl**  
The Mining Corporation of Canada has taken up its bond on the Yankee Girl gold mine at Ymir and the manager in charge, W. T. McDowell, has been instructed to get the mine in shape for development on a large scale.

It is a matter of congratulation on all counts that the Mining Corporation of Canada has taken up this bond. The corporation has been out of luck with a couple of properties which they had bonded, one in Cariboo and the other in Lillooet. Both bonds were abandoned because extensions of payments coming due were not granted.

This great eastern corporation, which has abundant capital, and is the big operator in northern Ontario, took a conditional bond on the Yankee Girl last December, and a month or more ago A. V. Newberry, a New York mining engineer, spent 10 days at Ymir, making an exhaustive examination of the property, in the course of which it was reported that 150 assays were made. He made his report to his principals in Toronto some weeks ago.

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Additional concentrating machinery is to be installed, which will bring the capacity of the present small plant up to twenty-five tons of ore per day.

There is much dissatisfaction in Jamaica over the refusal of the Colonial Office to grant the Legislative Council's request for a Royal Commission to visit the island to inquire into social, industrial, educational and other conditions in the colony.

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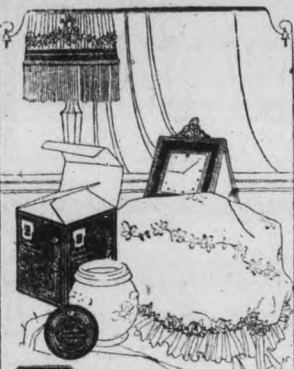
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**THE GORGE BRIDGE**

To the Editor.—Is it not time something was done to put the Gorge Bridge in shape? We will soon have the holiday season here, and nothing has been done to repair it yet.

Now, Sir, I think if Esquimalt, Saanich and the Government would each pay its share and put a reinforced concrete bridge there it would be cheaper than lumber, and would not need half the looking after. It would be far safer, and would be an ornament between the two parks. Perhaps the B. C. Electric would put a share toward it as some day they will want running rights across it, making a belt line along Tillamook Road to Burnside Road to the city, and filling a long-felt want in that district.

T. F. HIGGINBOTHAM,  
66 Lewis Street, James Bay.

**"CLEAN-UP WEEK"**

To the Editor.—Referring again to my letter which recently appeared in your paper, and also to a reference made in your issue of March 7 that the city was about to start a "clean-up week" and further that at the expiration of that time the owners who failed to clean-up their lots will be prosecuted under the Public Health By-law, might I suggest that the city set the example by changing its methods of collecting garbage.

As late in the day as eleven o'clock it is quite a common occurrence in this city to have to travel up or down in the elevator of some of the public buildings with cans of garbage without even a cover on the can. Garbage carts stand along the curbs all the forenoon with garbage and refuse blowing out of them into the faces of pedestrians, and collecting along the sidewalks and curbs.

Surely this in itself is far from sanitary and I would suggest that the city first "take the beam out of its own eye" before trying to "take the mote out of its brother's eye" by prosecuting the public for having failed to clean-up their lots. The city is scattering refuse broadcast on our public thoroughfares.

H. F. HELMSING,  
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**WANTED, A LEADER.**

To the Editor.—It has been written that during any great crisis in the world's history the occasion has always found the man. I think it can be truly said that the growing discontent and dissatisfaction that prevails among the returned men of this country through the inadequate and unsatisfactory re-establishment arrangements of the present Government have reached a very acute stage and can almost be looked upon as a crisis. I am wondering if history will repeat itself and produce a leader who can rally the scattered forces and march them on to victory. A man of steel, of broad vision who can grasp the situation, and with a personality that will inspire confidence; one that is incorruptible and without price.

Is it not a fact that what few leaders the returned men have had to champion their cause, after having gained their confidence, have suddenly—at the height of their popularity—become as dumb as the proverbial oyster? Even one of our leaders in France who was credited with the statement that on his return to Canada he would devote his time and energy to the interests of the returned men and their dependents, has not been heard of for a considerable time, and is now indifferent of the fate of those who so nobly gathered around his standard, turning the tide of defeat into victory and him on to success.

The number of returned men's organizations that exist at the present time amounts to a farce, much to

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The merit and satisfaction of the Government who have successfully succeeded in creating a house divided against itself. The accredited organization, the G. W. V. A., have at the recent convention decided on the principle of "open shop," thereby eliminating the word "closed" in their title and allowing tottering old gentlemen who fought in the Crimea to be eligible for membership. To me only one conclusion can be drawn from this new ruling, and that is, that their membership must be rapidly declining, likewise their funds, through lack of confidence.

What is needed is a "United Veterans League" in the true sense of the term—one big combination of returned men who left Canada, and should not in my estimation include any others. Should these men form one society—and there are indications of this coming about—with a leader of unquestioned ability and integrity, they would be a most formidable body, and the Government knows it against too well. With such a united front they could lay their just and equitable demands before the Government and the people and their voices would be heard. The great majority of returned men are waiting the call of just such a leader as I have outlined: men who at the present moment belong to no organization and who are disgusted with the variety of resolutions passed by the various organizations and which are negated and vetoed by each other, making confusion worse confounding, repeating the returned men's cause and leading to nowhere but dissolution.

After a number of years of divided leadership, the returned men's various forces in the Great War were merged under one head and the result was victory.

Such a striking lesson needs no elaboration. If we are to secure the widest against poverty, the returned cripples from earning a livelihood as can be seen in the city of London to-day—if we are to get just compensation for all men who suffered both physically and financially from the results of their services overseas—and not allow ourselves to be taxed to the limit and the profiteers to get away scot free, if we are to get that justice and democratic idealism for which we are supposed to have fought, we must present our claims supported by a united front and led by a man.

Oh, for a leader!  
A. R. BIRKETT,  
814 Courtney St., Victoria.

**CONTRASTS IN CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT.**

To the Editor.—Thirty years ago there were two harbors somewhat similarly situated on the Pacific Coast. One is situated on the Washington Territory, and is known as Grays Harbor and Aberdeen is its capital under the Government of the United States. The other is known as the Harbor of San Juan, with Port Renfrew as its capital, and the name from the district on Vancouver Island, and being under the Canadian Government.

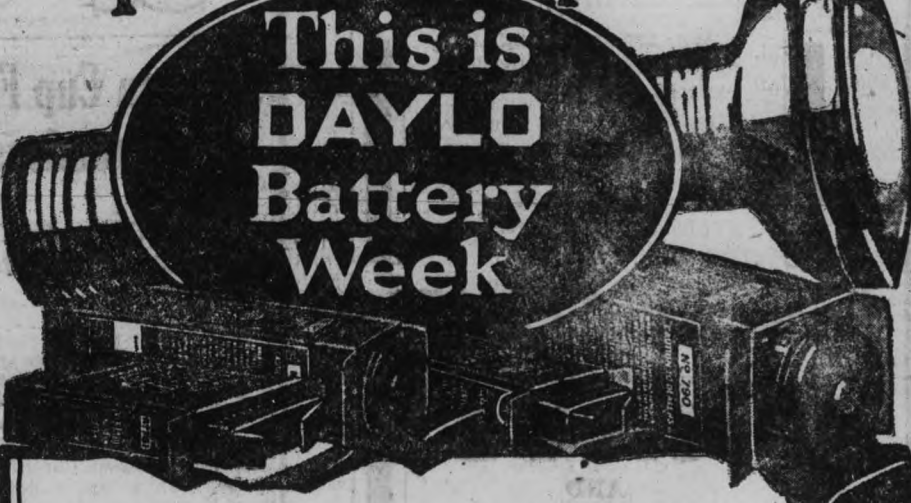
In the matter of raw production, in timber, mines and fisheries and agriculture together with a favorable harbor, which could be improved, and facilities of trade and shipping, both places were alike, nature having heavily endowed both with unusual wealth of natural resources.

There was every reason to suppose that the harbor of San Juan, with its traditional history, might have forged ahead, as it was situated at the mouth of the Straits of Juan de Fuca. Settlement began about the same time, and under the same conditions some thirty years ago, but with a marked contrast, due apparently to the circumstances of the Government and the character of the people who had charge of its development.

From a pamphlet issued recently by the United States Government we learn that Grays Harbor and the City of Aberdeen has fifteen lumber mills busy at work. These mills represent property to the value of 1,000,000 dollars, and produce the largest output of lumber in the world. There are three shipyards, building wooden ships, while Victoria is struggling to get one; three foundries, three fish and clam canneries and several other industries.

Its monthly payroll in 1919 was \$400,000, and it has been that quite awhile. The main line railways came after the place had started with the aid of its energetic citizens, and the place bids fair to be one of the greatest trade centres on the coast. San Juan, which was originally surveyed on its coast-line by the United States Geodetic Survey, which without justification dubbed the harbor dangerous to shipping, and it still stands so in the American marine records, but has since been described by a recent Canadian survey, as the only safe harbor on a hundred and fifty miles of coast line. Port Renfrew with its fine harbor remains a name only, and its settlement, which started under Government auspices with eighty settlers, is now reduced to twenty, settlers still struggling in the bush. The local Government allowed the magnificent timber to be logged under lease by a local logging company to supply logs to the American mills across the Straits. The wasteful process used by the average company under such circumstances make the ground useless for agriculture. While Port Gray was clearing its logs off the ground, using its entire product in its local mills, making the land fit for the agriculturists who were to follow and encouraging trade with its own home-built ships, manned by its local inhabitants, who now form a flourishing settlement. The harbor of San

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taxes to the amount of \$40,000 annually are extracted from absentee landlords, and nothing given in return by the Provincial and Dominion Government. The place is again left to nature to try to build up the resources which took centuries to develop, and which were destroyed in a few years without benefit either to the state or settlement of any kind. As a settler myself, who has watched this state of things for the last thirty years, and still sees the same condition prevailing in other districts

similarly, I want to know whether British Columbia is going to allow its coming population, encouraged by Government immigration agents, to start in with hope and courage on Government lands only to have them relinquish it and migrate to the States, where the majority find homes and an active energetic development of home resources, in a country where the care of the settler is the first duty of paternal government?

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## SPECIAL OPERATORS' SALARIES DEBATED

Item in Prohibition Administration Vote Occupies Attention of House

Legislative Press Gallery, Afternoon Sitting, April 8. Consideration of supply for the operation of the Department of the Prohibition Commissioner occasioned but very little discussion in the Legislature this afternoon. An amount of \$6,000 to defray the expenses of "special operators" prompted an inquiry from Mr. Jones, Opposition member for the Okanagan, to whom the term appeared to be somewhat incongruous in view of the proposed tightening of the present Prohibition Act. The Attorney-General elucidated the term, however, by reminding the dry belt member that cases arose from time to time when the Department found it advisable to engage the services of officials other than those of the Provincial Police for the investigation of special circumstances. Moreover, Mr. Farris felt that Mr. Jones, as a good prohibitionist, would scarcely object to a provision of that character which had for its prime objective the better enforcement of the Act.

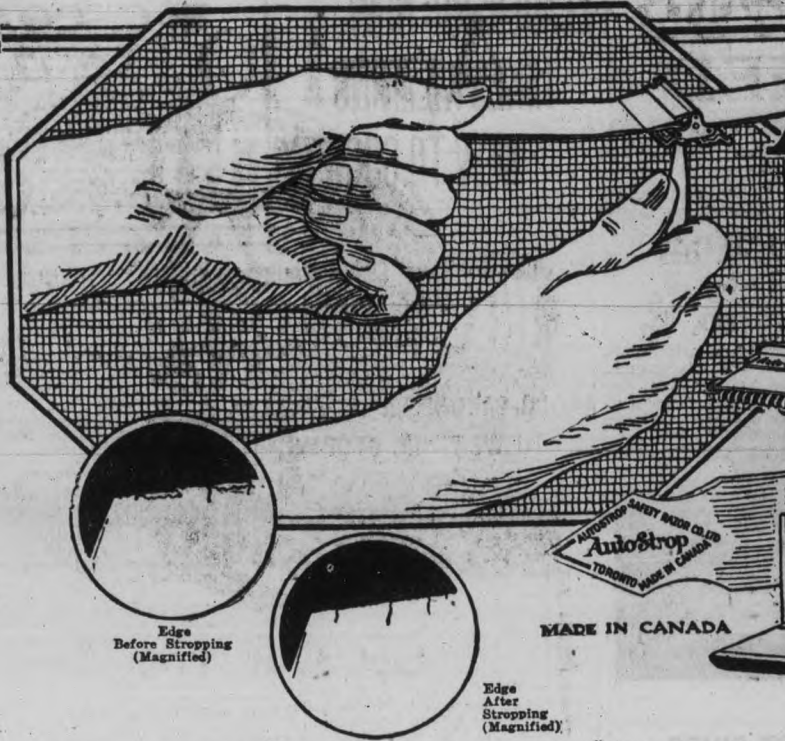
**Who the Victims?**  
Major Burde, soldier member for Alberni, was not quite understanding the people whom the Attorney-General intended to "go after" with his special operatives. To which Mr. Farris repeated his previous explanation in a more extended manner and interlarded it with one or two examples which had caused the Department some concern and whose detection was made the easier by the adoption of effective methods.

The Leader of the Opposition saw no reason to omit from the estimates in connection with the Prohibition Department provision for the salaries of the Victoria and Vancouver vendors, the Vancouver warehouse and the insurance on stock. The Attorney-General informed the ex-Premier that the Comptroller General had recommended that the payment of these items would more properly be provided for in the trading account having to do solely with the purchase and sale of liquor. That being the case an amendment to the present bill before the House already had been submitted with the proviso that these amounts would be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund on the authority of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

**Constitutional Slipping.**  
But the Leader of the Opposition felt that the salaries should be clearly set out in order that the House might vote them in a manner common to all other salaries connected with the public service. Indeed so worked up did Mr. Bowser become that he warned the House constitutional Government was ebbing away, since the Legislature had been denied the right to perform its proper function in this particular regard. Mr. Farris assured him, however, that there was more than a reasonable likelihood of conditions changing very materially with the advent of the eight ounce law. He was of the opinion that very considerably less liquor would pass over the counters of the Legislature by way of prescription. For that reason, as well as for the object of conforming to the suggestion of the Comptroller General, he assured his honorable friend opposite that no cause for alarm existed.

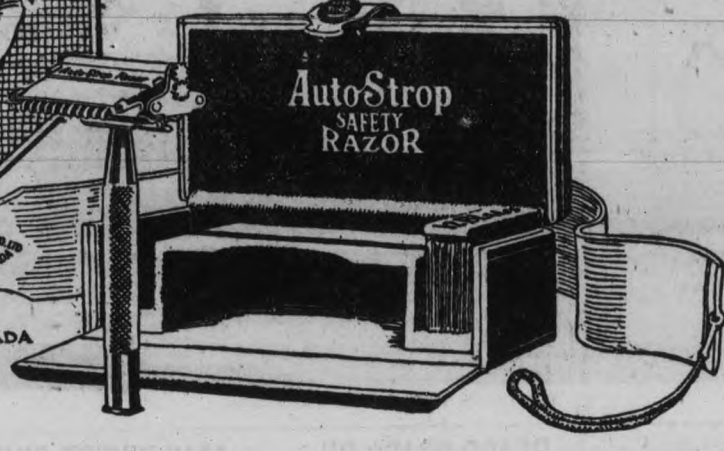
**Still Holding.**  
As very little indication appeared to show itself that constitutional Government would come to an end this afternoon the Leader of the Opposition allowed the vote to pass, Mr. Farris assuring him that every opportunity would be given for full discussion on the changed procedure when the amendment to the Act reached the committee stage of the House.

A record was established on February 11 at Paris for the sale of Japanese prints, when M. Okada, a Japanese dealer, gave 15,500 francs for a print by Utamaro, representing a young woman in a kimono.



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## PRINCE RUPERT TO BE NEW DISTRICT NAME

Nomenclature of Northern Electoral Area May Be Modified

Legislative Press Gallery, Afternoon Sitting, April 8. Atlin electoral district will be changed to Prince Rupert electoral district if the amendment introduced by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, is passed. The Minister pointed out that Prince Rupert was the centre of the district, and that the name Atlin carried a flavor of north winds and cold, while such was not the case when the district as a whole was considered. The climate was mild, and he felt that the district might well be named Prince Rupert. Mr. Pattullo pointed out that he had received communications from residents of Bella Coola and Ocean Falls, to the effect that there were good connections with the City of Prince Rupert, and that the people of those centres would profit rather than suffer by the proposed change in the electoral district boundaries. The Leader of the Opposition adjourned the debate.

**Administration Act.**  
The proposed act to amend the Administration Act, proposed by H. C. Hall, Government member for Victoria, was explained by that member as a move to provide better facilities for the handling of trust funds under the Trust Companies Act. Mr. Bowser adjourned the debate. A bill introduced by George Bell, Government member for Victoria, and entitled an act to amend the British Columbia Fire Insurance Act, was explained. Mr. Bell said it was desirable to provide the necessary machinery to permit of persons insuring property to take advantage of the rule which granted three years' insurance where two years' insurance were paid in advance. The bill was given its second reading.

**Lunatics' Estates.**  
A considerable amount of discussion arose over the act to appoint an administrator of Lunatics' Estates. Criticism of the proposed bill was offered by David Whiteside, Government member for New Westminster, as well as the Leader of the Opposition, who argued that too great power was being granted the Attorney-General's department. Mr. Farris explained that provision

## ROY PROPOSAL FOR SCHOLARSHIPS IS SUBJECT OF DEBATE

Doubt Is Expressed of Efficacy of Education in French Capital

Legislative Press Gallery, Evening Sitting, April 8. Although the Legislature has before it a bill to abolish the Public Utilities Commission the office will continue to perform such of its functions as may be necessary until a number of "ragged ends" have been wound up. This was the information conveyed to the members by the Attorney-General last night during the course of a discussion on the vote of \$24,800 in respect of this branch of the public service. Several members expressed pointed views on the subject of the Commission in general and the need of additional funds in particular. To test the feeling of the members, however, Frank Goinis, soldier member for this city, moved that the vote be cut to \$10,000. A division on the question defeated the proposal and the estimate passed as it stood.

**Education.**  
There is an item in the estimated requirements for the Department of Education which failed to appeal to a number of Government and Opposition members alike until fully explained by the Minister and the Attorney-General. The vote in question provided for the allowance of \$2,400 by way of three scholarships for British Columbia students for post-graduate study in France proposed by Hon. Philippe Roy. The Leader of the Opposition came to the conclusion that the desire to surfeit the Province with higher education had completely run away with the Government. The Minister of Education was unable to understand Mr. Bowser's change of heart, however, and he reminded him that in 1915 the late regime had financed for a free university despite the extraordinary unsettled conditions of that time. It was explained by the Attorney-General that all the Provinces in the country were making similar provision in order that there might spring a Canadian colony in Paris with its obvious advantages from the international as well as the educational points of view. Dr. MacLean supported the vote with an intimation that the disintegration of the world and the forestry educational establishment in the world.

**The Home Products.**  
Messrs. Hanes and Burde, however, had not been impressed with French methods. The former felt that Canada had much finer articles to offer, or if it was the desire to send the students to an European institution he was at a loss to know why Great Britain should not be selected. These points were brought before the explanation of the Attorney-General; a somewhat unpopular reception, however, resulted in the vote being held over for the old time being.

**"SILLY OLD FOOL."**  
Of the stories told by Mr. Pett Ridge, the popular author, who has been appointed manager of the Regent's Park group of L.C.C. schools, one of the best, perhaps, is of an incident which occurred outside a London railway station. "I wanted a taxi-cab," says Mr. Ridge. "A small boy ran to fetch one, and came back with it, holding the handle of the door as a signal of temporary ownership. As the cab pulled up a bigger lad tried to obtain possession of the handle. "Out of it!" ordered the young boy, aggressively. "I was the one sent to get the taxi for the silly old fool!" he turned to me, and touched his cap, respectfully. "wasn't I, sir?" —Tit-Bits.

## WIRELESS TELEPHONY, HOW AND WHY IT WORKS

(By A. P. Hill)  
Principal Radio Department, Sprott-Shaw School.

In these days of modern scientific development the average person refuses to be surprised by any new inventions. When one considers that it is now possible to sit down before a set of wireless instruments and speak into the transmitter—not unlike an ordinary telephone transmitter—and to converse without wires with a friend anywhere from 100 to 3,000 miles distant, one is apt to concur with the old seafarer who said, "The sun sure do move."

Wireless telephony is the natural outcome of wireless telegraphy, and represents another link in the great chain of communication which is one of the most potent factors in our modern business and social life. The most natural use for radio telephony is from ship to ship, and ship to shore, for it is here that other telephony communication is impossible. By the use of amplifying relays on shore it is now possible to speak directly from a ship to any house ashore which has an ordinary land telephone installed. A second important field for radio telephony is in trans-oceanic work where it is free from competition from submarine cables. It is used in establishing communication over inaccessible country where it is impossible to establish a right-of-way, owing to ice, snow, or rapidly increasing vegetation; also over land inhabited by savages who are addicted to the use of copper telegraph wire for bracelets and other ornaments. A fourth field is between moving trains, or from a moving train to a station; the enormous advantage of this means of communication has been amply proved by the experience of the officials of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, who have installed such apparatus on their trains, and have thus been able

to keep in touch with trains which have been marooned by blizzards, etc.

**Sound Travels.**  
In order that the layman may understand the basic principles underlying the transmission of the voice by either wire or wireless telephony, it is necessary that he first understand what sound is. Sound consists of vibrations produced in the air. If these vibrations are of a frequency lying between 15 and 20,000 per second, they will set the drum of the ear in vibration. These vibrations are telegraphed to our brain by means of the connecting nerves and produce there what we know as sound. The pitch of the note received depends upon the number of vibrations per second produced in the air, rising as the number of vibrations increases. Vibrations below 15 and above 20,000 per second are inaudible to the human ear, but audible to the ears of some animals. This fact has been proved many times by test. It is commonly thought that it is the voice which travels over the telephone wires. In order to explain wireless telephony the reader must first disabuse his mind of the supposition that the voice travels in telephony. Sound travels at the rate of approximately 1,100 feet per second. If it were sound that were traveling it would take about 48 seconds for a word to travel a distance of ten miles. Electrical vibrations travel at the rate of 186,000 miles a second through the ether and somewhat slower over a wire, owing to the difference of elasticity and density of the medium.

**Sympathetic Vibrations.**  
When we speak into the transmitter of the wire telephone the waves or vibrations produced by our voice cause the diaphragm of the transmitter to move a certain number of times per second. The diaphragm makes electrical contact every time it is moved, and allows varying electrical currents to pass along the connecting wires, eventually producing, by magnetism, the same movements in the diaphragm of the receiving telephone. These movements of the diaphragm disturb the air, producing vibrations in the air which, in turn, disturb those which disturb the diaphragm of the transmitter. These vibrations in the air impinge upon the eardrums of our ears, causing them to vibrate in resonance, and so produce sounds exactly similar to those produced by the person speaking into the telephone, possibly several hundred miles away.

Wireless telephony depends upon the presence of a medium which exists in all space, through which all electrical vibrations are propagated at a speed of 186,000 miles per second, and if we can produce vibrations in the medium at will, we can cause these vibrations to produce electrical currents in a receiving wireless set in a manner which will cause the receiving telephone to vibrate similar to a line telephone. The wire in the line telephone serves merely to direct the electrical impulses travel in all directions and are therefore received in any station which happens to be within normal range of the transmitter, and which can be tuned accurately to the wave length of the transmitter.

In order to illustrate tuning: If the loud pedal of a piano is kept down, to let the strings vibrate freely, and a note is played on another instrument or sung, the corresponding string on the piano will vibrate and will produce the same note quite distinctly, although it has never been touched.

In short—in the case of wireless telephony, as in the case of wire telephony, the sound waves produced by the voice are transformed into electrical waves, which in turn pass through the ether or over the wires, flow any distance, and will be re-transformed by the receiving instruments back to air waves.

**Working the Wireless Phone.**  
But the vibrations produced by the voice are complex, the three characteristic vibrations being (or loudness) pitch, and quality (e.g., the difference between a note sounded by a piano and the same note sounded by a violin) such as to be recorded without distortion. The apparatus used for the transmission and reception of wireless telephony signals consists of an aerial of dimensions roughly dependent upon the frequency of the vibrations to be radiated, and suitable receiving and transmitting instruments to produce and record the electrical vibrations to be used. Transmission is effected by merely speaking into a telephone transmitter not unlike the ordinary land instrument, while the receiver wears a pair of head telephones as in wireless telephony. The frequencies in speech

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Not being altogether satisfied with the terms of the settlement of the claim for an advance in the schedule charged for Saanich pupils in the City High School which have been offered by Mayor Farris as a basis of settlement, Saanich Council decided last evening to take the opinion of the School Board. It was stated that the city was willing to forego the increase for the period, July to December, 1918, and simply claim the increase from January to June, 1919. The clerk said the Board was now negotiating with the city board for the future of High School instruction, and thought the city board was anxious to avoid a gap by the withdrawal of Saanich pupils, being satisfied with \$50 per capita. The Board's opinion will be taken next Monday. Every cloud has a silver lining, but that is poor consolation when you can't see through the cloud.

## A Well-known Man

Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., the celebrated physician known throughout the entire civilized universe because of his many years of successful medical practice, once said: "At this time of year most people suffer from what we term 'spring fever' because of a stagnant condition of the blood, because of the toxins (poisons) stored up within the body during the long winter. We eat too much meat, with little or no green vegetables."

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Rummage Sale—St. John's Hall, Saturday, 2 p.m.

Herbert Beaumont Boggs Chapter, I.O.E., daffodil tea and dance at the Criterion Saturday afternoon, April 10. Admission 50c, including tea.

Cabbage Plants, Cauliflower, lettuce, seed potatoes, currant and gooseberry bushes, raspberry canes, etc. Sugar mangel seed, 75c lb.; rutabaga yellow turnip, \$1.50 lb.; oxbheart carrot, \$1.25 lb.; early blood beet, \$1.25 lb.; also peas, lentils, corn, cucumber, Farmers' Produce Store, 633 Johnson Street. Phone 2915.

Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.E.—Regular monthly meeting, Tuesday, 12th, 2.30 p.m. Special address will be given.

Police Dance in Police Drill Hall, Flagstaff Street, Monday evening, 8.30 to 11.30. Ozaard orchestra, Admission 50c.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The Officers and Members of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the B. C. Funeral Parlors, Saturday, 10th, at 2.15 p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sister, Sarah Jane Grant, Past Noble Grand.

MARGARET STEWART, Noble Grand. FRANCES A. WALKER, Rec. Secy.

NO CASH BONUS, STATES FOSTER
Government Does Not Favor That Way of Re-establishing Soldiers

NO PREMIUM.
Berlin, April 9.—The Reichsbank has announced that it will shortly withdraw its offer to pay a premium for the silver mark in view of the drop in the price of silver all over the world. Last January, as a result of the premium offer, one silver mark was bringing eight marks in currency.

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LETTERS
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FOR THE BOY SCOUTS.
To the Editor:—We, the undersigned, hereby appeal to your readers to become members of the Victoria District Boy Scouts Association, and in helping the forward movement now under way. Now that peace has been declared, the Association is under reorganization. The annual membership fee is \$5, while life membership cost is \$50.

Belgium Sends Detachment to Mark Co-operation With French
Coblenz, April 9. — (Associated Press)—Notification was given today through the Belgian Military Mission here of the formal participation of Belgium in the French action in occupying Frankfurt.

TO-FRANKFORT
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DEARER SUGAR.
New York, April 9.—The American Sugar Refining Company yesterday announced an increase of one-half cent a pound in the wholesale price of sugar, making the present price 15 1/2 cents a pound. Another advance is predicted by the company unless there is a drop in the price of raw sugar.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS
CHOPPY-MARKET IN NEW YORK STOCKS
Net Changes at the Close Negligible in Most Issues

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE
Montreal, April 9.—To-day's rate on New York funds was quoted 9 1/2 per cent. New York, April 9.—Sterling changed hands at 84 to-day.

EAGER DEMAND FOR CORN AND OATS
Chicago, April 9.—The demand for corn and oats, especially the latter, on nearby deliveries was very insistent throughout the session. There was no active bidding but it was quite apparent that the stuff was badly wanted. May oats closed at 10 1/2 cents, an advance of over three cents, while corn was up almost three cents at the close.

FURTHER INCREASE IN PRICE OF FEED
Whole and Cracked Corn Shows Rise of One Dollar Per Ton
Feed is again the only section showing an increase in market prices this week, with the exception of very small increases on radishes and celery in the vegetable section. Whole corn has advanced from \$84 to \$85 a ton, and cracked corn shows a corresponding increase, being now quoted at \$87 a ton and \$4 1/2 per hundred pounds.

TICKER NEWS SUMMARY
New York, April 9.—French bank rate increased from 5 to 6 per cent. New York: Switchmen's strike spreads Erie and Lackawanna roads. More than 50,000 men out from coast to coast. President Lee, of trainmen, issues manifesto against strikers.

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