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MR. HANNA'S ORDER.

Notwithstanding the adverse recommendation of the majority of the Board of Conciliation appointed by the Minister of Labor to investigate the dispute between the management and employees of the Canadian National Railways over the "no politics" order of the former, President Hanna's action stands upon rather firm ground.

This country, therefore, cannot afford to take chances with an undertaking so tremendously important even to satisfy the political aspirations of its employees. Finally, it ought to be quite obvious that no railroad executive worth his salt would care to retain his position in the circumstances favored by the report of the majority members of the Board of Conciliation, and that without the most competent management it would not take long for the Canadian National railways to lapse into chaos at a ruinous cost to the people of Canada.

The surest way to wreck that system and insure the early return of its remains for nothing to private control after the Canadian people had expended hundreds of millions on it, is to allow any part of it to become tied up to politics.

A SOVIET ADVOCATE.

According to a gentleman who addressed a small audience at the Princess Theatre on Tuesday night the world will soon begin to realize Russia's intelligence and the real value of what the people of that unhappy country are "fighting for and suffering for."

Just what this prophesy is intended to convey is not easy to understand. Impartial commentators upon Russia's problem never have suggested that the existing institution which Lenin and Trotzky have denominated a government either represents the ideal of the Russian people or the goal of their ambition.

Russia's tragedy to-day is the direct product of Czarism. Bolshevism thrives there because only twenty per cent. of her one hundred and twenty million people possess trained intelligence. Lenin and Trotzky have succeeded because they saw the opportunity which awaited any leader or leaders who might prove himself or themselves capable of directing the destinies of the country with an iron hand.

The illiterate masses suddenly possessed with an almost un-understandable power were as potter's clay to the present dictatorship, and they were quick to sanction any system which would prevent the return of the old regime. To invade Russia—apart from the im-

practicability of the undertaking—merely drew additional support from the people in the belief that outside interference meant the loss of the newly-found liberty.

The Muscovite is a great hearted creature; but he knows little of the outside world. Germany got in her work before and after the revolution and in advance of Anglo-Saxon influence. The result is the Moscow dictatorship. But the idea of Russia fighting and suffering for its continuation is a myth.

FINE WORK.

When it is realized that the three sisters who compose the practical driving force of the local branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses paid nearly five thousand visits in their official capacities last year it should be possible to realize something of the loss that would befall the community were not such an organization in existence. It is one more reminder of the duty devolving upon the state in the conservation of its human assets.

WANTED, A LEAD.

General Pershing considers that it would be unwise and unsafe for one nation to disarm at such a time as this unless the others did likewise. Nobody has seriously suggested any such course. The whole controversy which is now occupying the attention of the world is based upon the possibility of a common agreement between the chief powers.

It comes back to the original proposal that Great Britain, the United States and Japan confer upon the feasibility of putting an end to competition in naval armament. Statesmen and men of every shade of thought in the three countries have placed themselves on record in support of a plan of this kind. All that remains to be done is to issue an invitation to at least five powers to meet either on this or on the other side of the Atlantic for the purpose of practical discussion.

WHAT IS THE CAUSE?

Not a little heat was generated in the local Legislature in connection with fishery conditions around Vancouver Island and one of the results of the debate was the appointment of a Commission to inquire whether the criticisms of the Fisheries Department at Ottawa were justified or not.

HOUSING PLAN.

It is unfortunate that the City of Victoria failed to take its full allotment under the Better Housing Act. It could have had \$180,000 instead of \$140,000 if it had acted in time. We advocated the full amount on

many occasions and pointed out just as frequently that there were a number of municipalities waiting to grab any unclaimed balances. Such was the case and the money has gone. No blame can possibly attach to the Minister of Lands. Ample time was given in which the City could have availed itself of the allocated amount.

NOTE AND COMMENT

There should be much food for thought in to-night's discussion by the Chamber of Commerce forum on the subject of municipal government.

If the law will not protect him Premier Oliver suggests that his two good fists will ward off political antagonists who forget themselves when they seek to tie him up with sinister influences. Mr. Oliver should follow the public's example in respect of Mr. Bowser; he should just forget him.

Nobody in the United States—except out and out Sinn Fein sympathizers—will take Senator Mason's resolution seriously. His attempt to obtain the sanction of an appropriation of \$10,000 for a "Minister to Ireland" was an example of misplaced humor.

When the Premier and his colleagues have finished their business in the Delta we shall look forward to the announcement that an invitation has been sent out to all parties to the "wet" and "dry" controversy to attend a conference at the Parliament Buildings for the purpose of discussing the Government's draft of a Moderation Act. We advise this course for the reason that the liquor question must not get the party tainted any more than it must not be tied to the extremists of any special element.

OTHER PAPERS' VIEWS

A FOOL FOR A CLIENT. (From the Edinburgh Scotsman.) No better friends of the legal profession exist than the select band of persons who insist upon making their own wills. Various reasons may explain their unwillingness to consult men of the law. It may be due to reluctance to pay the necessary fees of the solicitor—though the harvest of the family lawyer comes in the winding up of his estate. On the other hand, the real reason is often due to the reticence of the will-maker. Why should all the clerks and typists in the writer's chamber gossip over his or her intended bequests. But whatever the reasons be that prompt the manufacture of holograph wills, and it may partake sometimes of a little conceit in one's own power, the penalty paid is frequently heavy. Holograph wills are a source of litigation.

WOMEN NECESSARY TO WIN ELECTIONS

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 3.—Last evening's session of the convention of the United Farmers of New Brunswick was addressed by R. W. E.

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Burnaby, president of the United Farmers of Ontario. He said that the press had endeavored to limit the activities of the farmers, and he roundly criticized the provincial organization for excluding women from its ranks.

CALGARY UNEMPLOYED URGE RUSSIAN TRADE

Calgary, Feb. 3.—A mass meeting of some 300 unemployed here last night passed a resolution favoring the opening of trade with Soviet Russia as a means of providing industrial development and solving the unemployed problem.

FREE EDISON RECITAL TO-NIGHT. 8.15 TO-NIGHT 9.30. If you are contemplating the purchase of a phonograph you certainly should come and hear

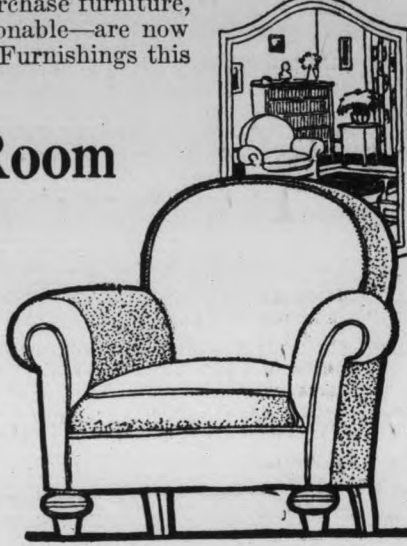
The NEW EDISON. The foremost musical critics of to-day are unanimous in acclaiming this instrument as the musical wonder of the age. KENT'S EDISON STORE. 1004 Government Street. Phone 3449.

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Blankets, Cotton Goods and Linens at February Clearance Sale Prices

Table listing various items and prices: Blankets (White Wool, Cotton Filled), Cotton Comforters (alkaline, chintz or cambric covers), Sheets (Made from strong cotton yarns), Toweling (English Terry), Down Comforters (A remarkably complete range of colors).

Drapery Section Sale Specials

Cretonnes, Art Serges, Velours and Curtains are now priced at special reductions. A Clearance of Cushions: A special offering of round or oblong Cushions, with covers of steen with plain panels. Regular at \$7.50. Sale Price \$5.95.

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Club Bags: Genuine Cowhide, 18 and 20-inch sizes. Regular \$37.50. Sale Price \$28.15. "Keratol" Club Bags. Regular at \$7.00. Sale Price \$5.25. Suit Cases: Strong Fibre Suit Cases. Regular from \$2.00. Sale Prices from \$1.50.

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The stars incline, but do not compel. This is a lucky wedding day, according to ancient traditions, for love will reach mansions. Banquets and social functions should be particularly successful, for all who have the good things of life are subject to influences making for gaiety, brilliancy and contentment.

under the most sinister government which will affect rubber, copper, coal and iron. Neptune seems to give warning that common sense is too scarce in society as well as business. This planet is in a place said to be conducive to extremes of thought and action. Ill advised agitation on public matters is prognosticated.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAY ESTIMATES CONSIDERED. Ottawa, Feb. 3.—(Canadian Press)—Railway estimates and other matters in connection with the operation of the Government railways were gone over, it is understood, at a conference here yesterday between President D. B. Hanna, Messrs. Mitchell and Hungerford of the Canadian National and Hon. J. D. Reid and officials of the Department of Railways and Canals.

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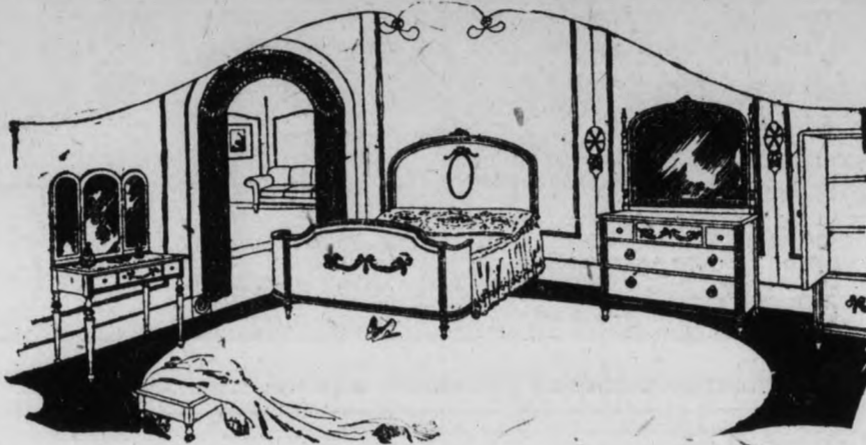
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**One Suite consisting** of chiffonier and dressing table; they are made from solid oak, in old English finish; the chiffonier has three large, deep drawers and two small drawers and is fitted with plate mirror; the dressing table has one long drawer and a triple mirror of high grade plate glass. The two pieces reduced to sell at ..... **\$85.00**

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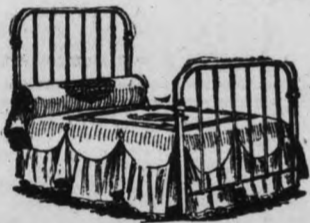
**A Solid Oak Rocker** with a cobbler leather seat; a golden oak finish makes this a most attractive chair and great value at ..... **\$5.90**

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**White Enamel Beds** constructed with 1 1/4-inch continuous posts and six heavy fillers; offered in sizes 4 feet and 4 feet 6 inches wide. At, each ..... **\$12.20**

**Handsome Wood Beds** with iron sides, and finished in white enamel, ivory enamel, walnut and mahogany; these are beds fit for any home, 4 feet 6 inches wide; regular \$24.50 values. On sale at, each ..... **\$16.90**

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**Brass Beds** with 2-inch posts, a 1-inch top rod and five 3/4-inch fillers; a fine satin finish makes this 4 foot 6 inch bed particularly handsome and a bargain at the price of ..... **\$26.80**

**White Enamel Beds** made with 2-inch continuous posts and 7/8-inch fillers; beds 4 feet 6 inches wide; regular value \$22.00. On sale now at ..... **\$17.50**

## Remember the Linen Shower Given for the G. W. V. A. To-morrow and Saturday

Sheets and Pillow Cases will be gladly accepted, and are badly needed. A basket will be provided in our Staple Department to receive all purchases made for the shower. This basket will be delivered to the G. W. V. A. headquarters with the names of those making donations.

## Drug Department News HALF PRICE SPECIALS

In addition to the following list we have display tables containing a great variety of articles specially reduced. It will pay you to deal at this department.

25c Purified Epsom Salts, two for	25c Winslow's Soothing Syrup, two for
25c Boracic Powder in shaker tins, two for	50c Backache Tablets
25c Carbulated Witch Hazel Ointment, two for	35c Kidney Pills, two for
35c Minard's Liniment, two for	50c Gin Pills
90c Woodward's Grippe Water	50c Howard's Nerve Food
50c Emulsified Coconut Oil	100 Bland's Pills
\$1.00 Vie de Peau Hair Tonic	25c Figlax Tablets, two for
50c Shampoo Powders	25c Ward's Little Liver Pills, 2 for
50c Seven Sutherland Sisters' Scalp Cleaner	25c Neuralgia Pills, two for
25c Lanoline in tubes, two for	\$1.00 Vinol
25c Bronchial Lozenges, two for	\$1.00 God Liver Oil Emulsion
25c Talcums, two for	35c Shaving Sticks, two for
50c Face Powders	\$1.50 Whirling Sprays
	1-Ounce Camphor Squares

Cash—no C. O. D. or phone orders, and we reserve the right to limit number of each article sold to each customer.

—Drugs, Main Floor

## A Full Assortment of Cretonnes All Reduced for the February Sale

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**Cretonnes 28 and 31 inches wide**, in an excellent choice of designs; values to 75c. On sale at, a yard ..... **35c**

**Cretonnes 31 inches wide**, superior in quality; regular 95c. On sale at, a yard ..... **50c**

**Cretonnes 31 and 36 inches wide**, in an assortment of attractive designs, excellent grade; values to \$1.25. Now on sale at, a yard ..... **75c**

**Cretonnes 31 and 36 inches wide**, heavy and of a superior grade; values up to \$1.55. On sale at, a yard ..... **\$1.00**

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**Genuine English and French Block Printed Cretonnes**, 31 inches wide; very superior in quality; worth \$2.75 a yard. Now on sale, yard, **\$1.95**

**English Shadow Tissue** of the best quality, 31 inches wide; ranging in value to \$2.35. Reduced for the February Sale to, a yard .... **\$1.75**

**Cretonnes 50 inches wide** and in many distinctive designs; you will note the width of this cretonne makes it a bargain at the sale price; regular \$1.95, but one of the best bargains of the sale at, a yard .... **98c**

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## Spiral and Woven Bed Springs Greatly Reduced

**Spiral Springs**, made from a heavy steel wire, the top interwoven with cross wires, making a spring of unusual strength and very flexible; sizes 4 feet and 4 feet 6 inches. February Sale price ..... **\$9.65**

**Spencer's "No Sway" Spiral Spring**, constructed of the best steel wire, with interwoven and laced cross wires; strong springs, especially suitable for heavy people, and exceedingly restful. The usual price for this spring is \$16.00, but we are offering a limited number at, each ..... **\$11.90**

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—Silks, Main Floor

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—Candies, Lower Main Floor

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—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

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**Black Leather School Bags**, a few only; regular \$2.75. At ..... **\$1.75**

**Reeves' Pastel**, box ..... **15c**

**Reeves' Greyhound Pastel Book**, each, **20c**

**Reeves' School Paints**, three colors. Box, **60c** and ..... **75c**

**Reeves' School Paints**, six colors. Box, **65c**

**Exercise Books**, each, **5c**, **10c**, **15c**, **20c**

**Cambridge Exercise Notebooks**, special; regular 15c. At, each ..... **10c**

**Wax Paper** for wrapping lunches. Roll, **5c**

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## Groceteria Daily Bulletin

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Nabob Baking Powder, 12-ounce tins, 30c value	24c	Empress Jam, gooseberry, green gage, red currant, damson and plum; one-pound jars; 45c value	35c
Cowan's Cocos, tin	9c	Maroma, makes a delicious mustard or salad dressing; 45c jars	39c
Holbrook's Arrowroot, 25c packages	22c	Johnson's Prepared Floor Wax, 11.00 tins	85c
Nabob Jelly Powders, 2 packages	23c	Tomato Catsup, 20c bottles, 2 for	25c
Nugget Shoe Polish, two tins	23c	Molasses, 3's, 45c value. Special, tin	23c
Sunlight Soap, package	29c	Red Arrow, Ormond's or Ramsay's Soda Biscuits, tin	54c
Libby's Queen Olives, 10-ounce jars, 40c value	29c	Toilet Rolls, 10c value, three for	21c
B.C. Granulated Sugar, 4 pounds	55c	Empress Tea, pound	25c
No. 1 White Beans, grown in B.C.; 3 pounds	18c	Van Camp's Julienne or Mutton Broth Soups, 2 for 35c value, tin	14c
Lux, package	12c	Green Peas, 3 pounds	21c
No. 1 Japan Rice, 3 pounds	20c	Nabob Tea, pound	54c
Maple Leaf Milk, tall tins; 2 for	23c		
Suchard's Dutch Cocoa, tin	34c		
Empress Marmalade, 4-pound tin	90c		

**BACON SPECIAL**

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Sugar Cured Side Bacon, sliced, pound	45c
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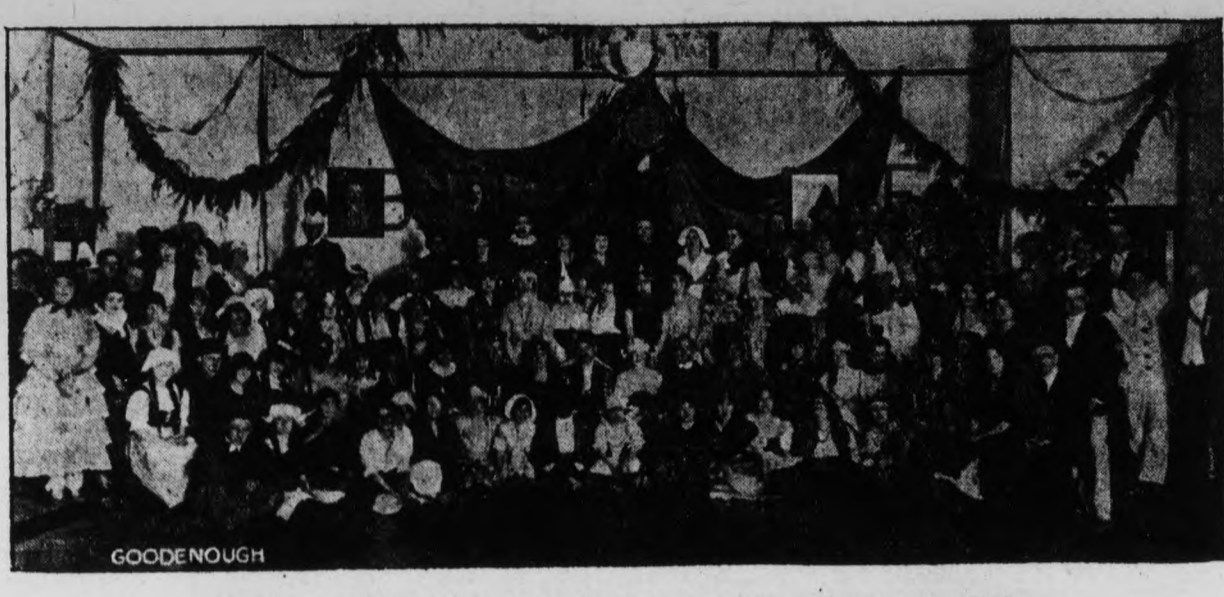
GROUPS OF PERIOD COSTUMES PLANNED
For Carnival Ball at Empress Hotel, Tuesday; Function a Public One
Replicas of costumes of various periods will be worn by parties of guests at the Carnival Ball in the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening, February 8, a number of intending guests having formed groups to achieve what promises to be a delightful effect. The widespread interest taken in the affair indicates that the real Mardi Gras spirit of revelry will prevail, while from the spectacular point of view the ball promises to be one of the most brilliant ever seen in Victoria.

The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Table with weather reports: Victoria, Feb. 3-5 a.m.—The barometer remains low over Northern B. C. and rainy, mild weather extends to California. Snow is falling in Saskatchewan and zero temperatures continue in Manitoba.

For Women And Home

Merry Throng at Elks' Swimming Club Masquerade Thursday



NEW QUARTERS SCENE OF MERRIMENT AND BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES

SOCIAL PERSONAL

Winter berries, with the lavish use of greenery, provided a charming decoration for the reception rooms at "Forsyth," the home of Mrs. Pooley, who yesterday was the hostess at an enjoyable bridge party and tea. The players included Lady McBride, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Rose Sutherland, Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. P. Irving, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Durand, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Tye, Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mrs. C. J. V. Spratt, Mrs. Wasson, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. Eberts, Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Ray Green, Mrs. J. O. Graham, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Ambery, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. I. Davies, Mrs. Dugald Gillespie and Mrs. Smith and Miss Gladys Cook, of Duncan; Lewis W. Toms, of Mill Bay; H. S. Mayer, Rev. G. Arthur Bagshaw and F. A. Scrivener, of Alberni, are among yesterday's up-island visitors at the Dominion Hotel.

University. Miss Bostock is the second of Senator Bostock's daughters to obtain success in this direction, his eldest daughter, Marion, who took her science and medical degrees some years ago, having achieved much distinction as one of the house doctors at the London Hospital. Miss N. Bostock has been spending a few months in Switzerland, and will sail for Canada this month.
Mrs. Currie was hostess at a delightful little informal dance at "Cherry Bank," Quadra Street, last evening, when the guests included Mrs. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Urry, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. Marsden, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. Birch, the Misses Lallie White, Mollie Birch, W. Marshall, Doris Marshall, Mabel Wright, Isabel Davidson, Workman, and Helen Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pawcett, Miss Kate Hemming, Miss Eva Mess, Miss J. Deyereux, Mr. and Mrs. J. McKennie, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Currie, Messrs. Victor Copley, E. Lacey, Shepherd, Robins, E. Urry, Wheatley, Ross, H. Feldrum, Murray and Morgan.

To Dance at the Aerial League Cabaret



MISS ROBERTA BALCOM —Photo by Colpitts.

the talented young Victoria dancer, pupil of Miss Barbara Fay, will present a specialty dance number at the cabaret to be given under the auspices of the Aerial League at the Empress Hotel on St. Valentine's Day, February 14. Miss Balcom has not been seen in public for some time, having been devoting her time to the perfecting of her art.

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WATER RATES IN OAK BAY RAISED
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Mrs. Gordon Smith was re-elected by acclamation as regent of the Margaret Rockefeller Robertson Chapter, I. O. D. E., at the annual meeting held in the headquarters last evening. Other officers elected were: First vice-regent, Miss McCannell; secretary, Miss Glady's McDonald; educational secretary, Miss Tait; standard-bearer, Miss Mae Dinwiddie. Ballotting for the second vice-regent resulted in a tie, and a further vote will be taken next week.

BIG CROWD ENJOYED G.A.U.V. MASQUERADE
Over two hundred guests, the majority in fancy costume, danced last evening at the Caledonia Hall under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the Grand Army of United Veterans. Perry's orchestra provided the dance music and C. K. Christian made an efficient master of ceremonies. The judging of the costumes was undertaken by a committee comprising Mayor Porter, Mrs. J. W. Davis, Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas and Mrs. Brentzen.

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KING'S DAUGHTERS PLAN DAFFODIL TEA
Excellent Reports at Yesterday's District Meeting
For the past twelve years the King's Daughters have yearly held a daffodil tea which, by reason of the charming arrangements, has come to be looked upon as one of the big social events of the Spring. This year the tea will be held on April 6, at a place to be announced later, according to the arrangements made at yesterday's district meeting of the president, Mrs. L. H. Hardie, district president, took the chair at the meeting which was held in the rest room, Hibben-Bone Building.

WILL LECTURE ON ALPINE CLUB
To-morrow evening, at 8 p.m., A. O. Wheeler, Director of the Alpine Club of Canada will lecture in the Exhibition Room of the Provincial Library on "The Alpine Club of Canada in the Canadian Rockies." No man knows this region of glaciers, forests and waterfalls better than Mr. Wheeler, as he worked there for several years laying out the boundary between Alberta and British Columbia which runs along the very highest ridge of the Rocky Mountains. Mr. Wheeler is also an artist and an expert photographer, and he has a unique series of views of what is probably the finest scenery in the world. This lecture, like all others given under the auspices of "The Provincial Arts and Industrial Institute of B. C." is open free to the public.

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Miss Bunn, transferred from a Saskatoon Chapter. Two new members were proposed.

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FIGURES FOR STEAM PASSENGER TRAFFIC INDICATE SAFETY

Nearly Nine Million Carried For One Lost

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Safety of travel by ship, especially in Pacific Coast waters, is strikingly shown by figures given in the annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, of Capt. George Uhler, supervising inspector general of the United States Steamboat Inspection Service, just made public.

CITY OF SEATTLE WITHDRAWN FROM NORTHERN ROUTE

Seattle, Feb. 3.—At the offices of the Pacific Steamship Company yesterday it was announced that the steamship City of Seattle had been withdrawn from the Southeastern Alaska run, and the steamship Spokane substituted temporarily, the latter vessel being scheduled to sail for the North to-morrow morning.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are herewith notified that the black buoy reported as missing South of the Parthia Shoal, First Narrows, Vancouver Harbor, is now in position.

GOVERNMENT AID FOR JAPANESE SHIPPING CONCERNS BACKBONE OF JAPAN, STATED

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Realizing the importance of overseas commerce to the prosperity of the country, the Government of Japan is planning to give financial aid to shipping firms of the Island Empire which have been crippled by the depression in business, according to Noboru Ohtani, New York manager of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, who left Seattle last night on his way from Tokyo to his headquarters on the Atlantic.

NORWEGIAN SAILING CRAFT BUFFETED

Queenstown, Feb. 3.—The hardships of crossing the Atlantic in a sailing vessel in mid-winter were shown by the experience of the Norwegian bark Sirdal, which gave up the attempt after spending 75 days at sea and has returned to this port with her bulwarks stove in and much of her canvas in rags.

LYALL OFFICE HERE BESIEGED BY APPLICANTS

Arrival of Material Determining Factor in Construction

The office of the Peter Lyall Company at 505 Central Building was the scene of long queues of men in answer to the advertisement published recently, Major Bullock, Webster, who is employment manager of the Lyall works here, was busy registering names and qualifications of the numerous applicants, who thronged the doorway of the office all day long in an unbroken queue.

LOCAL AGENT GETS PROMOTION IN C. N. R.

Mr. Hemsworth to Be Moved to Vancouver as Traveling Representative

CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

8 a.m. Report. Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 29.75; 33; smooth. Cape Mudge—Overcast; calm; 29.75; 32; smooth. 9:15 p.m., spoke Princess Ena, coaling Union Bay, southbound.

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INDEPENDENT FLEET TAKES MUCH FISH

Nearly 400,000 Pounds of Halibut Caught

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Vessels of Seattle's independent fishing fleet landed a total of 385,900 pounds of halibut and cod in this port during January, according to figures compiled to-day by the Seattle Fishing Vessel Owners' Association.

STEAMER NETTUNO BURST OIL FEED AND FLAMES SPREAD

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 3.—The Italian steamer Nettuno, on route from Port Arthur, Texas, to Brindisi, Italy, was towed into this port on Sunday by the private tug cutter Yamacraw after being fired at sea.

SHIP REPAIR COST REDUCED IN STATES

New York, Feb. 3.—A reduction of 12 1/2 per cent. in the cost of ship repairs to government vessels with an approximate saving of \$2,900,000 has been granted by most shipyards here, it was announced yesterday by Commander R. D. Gatewood, director of the board's division of construction and repair.

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U. S. CUSTOMS SEIZE CANADIAN LAUNCH

Mysterious Launch, Traveling Without Papers or Lights, Now at Friday Harbor

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Customs and coast guard authorities are investigating the appearance of a mysterious Canadian launch in American waters on the night of January 27.

ADMIRAL LINE PREPARE FOR TRANS-PACIFIC SAILINGS

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Tourist traffic to the Pacific Coast will be swelled this year by five ship loads of eastern tourists to sail from New York at intervals of thirty days, on the initial trips of the five vessels allocated by the United States shipping board to the Admiral Line for new trans-Pacific freight service to be established between Puget Sound and the Orient.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time High, Time Low, etc. for February 1921.

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AERO-MAIL SERVICE NOT IN JEOPARDY; CONTRACT TO JULY

McGrath, One of Founders, Says Service Paid by Inland Revenue

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Press dispatches yesterday from Vancouver, B. C., stating that the aerial mail service between Seattle and Victoria will be discontinued after March 1 next, are without foundation.

U. S. BOARD SHIP TAKING B. C. TIES

Vancouver, Feb. 3.—A full cargo of railway ties is being taken on by the big steel freighter Wauban, which arrived in port during the night.

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C.N.R. PASSENGER AGENT COMING TO SUPERVISE OFFICE

Osborne Scott Optimistic Over Conditions in Middle West

Vancouver, Feb. 3.—Looking none the worse for his travels of some 10,500 miles since December 20, Osborne Scott, general passenger agent of the Canadian National Railway in Vancouver, has arrived in the city from Toronto.

COUGHLAN SHIP IN UNITED KINGDOM

Vancouver, Feb. 3.—Forty days out from this port the steel freighter City of Victoria, of the Coughlan fleet of carriers, reached Birkenhead, England, on Sunday, according to a cable from the United Kingdom.

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Table listing shipping schedules for California Sailings.

ICE SOLID IN NEWFOUNDLAND

St. Johns, Nfld., Feb. 3.—The Newfoundland coast is icebound as a result of the severest cold of the winter.

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G. G. McGeer to Act as Special Counsel POLISH LEADERS NOW IN PARIS Freight Rates to Be Argued Before Railway Board To Discuss Possible Bolshevik Offensive in Spring

Vancouver, Feb. 3.—G. G. McGeer, of Vancouver, has been appointed by the Provincial Government to be special counsel in what is known as the "freight rates case," to be argued in a few weeks before the Railway Commission. Announcement of the appointment of Mr. McGeer to assist the Vancouver Board of Trade in this connection was made today by Hon. J. W. de B. Parris, Attorney-General. The particular question to be taken up is an endeavor to make eastbound rates from Vancouver conform with westbound rates.

NEW ZEALAND BANS OBJECTIONABLE FILMS Wellington, N.Z., Feb. 3.—The New Zealand Government has ordered that no motion picture film depicting the killing, robbery, murder or suicide shall be permitted to be shown in the Dominion of New Zealand after May 1 next. Film importers have been thrown into consternation by the order.

RUSSIAN ROYALTIES BURIED IN PALESTINE Jerusalem, Feb. 3.—The bodies of Grand Duchess Elizabeth of Russia, a sister of the late Empress, and her mother, who were buried in a crypt in the Church of St. Mary Magdalen in Gethsemane, the Greek Patriarch and Bishop officiated. The church where the entombment took place was built by the mother of Grand Duke Sergius of Russia and was dedicated by the Grand Duke and his wife.

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Oil Officers Are Charged With Violation of Companies Act

Vancouver, Feb. 3.—On the information of Max Kinnaird, editor of The Devil, summonses were issued through the police court clerk's office against sixteen officers and directors of the Home Oil Co., Ltd., charging them with violations of the Companies Act of 1910. The summonses are returnable February 8.

JUDGMENT DOWN IN GRANBY CASES TO-DAY

upon working or mining for coal or other minerals under the lands. Act Disallowed. The grounds advanced by the railway company were that the act (called the Settlers' Rights Act), had been disallowed at Ottawa, and that the crown grant had become useless. It was also argued that disallowance had been made before any conveyance had been registered and that the crown grant had become void.

Case in Supreme Court. The trial judge held, in his reasons for judgment, that the hearing before the executive council provided for in the Settlers' Rights Act was not a fair hearing, so far as the plaintiff was concerned, in that the plaintiff had not received sufficient notice to give time to prepare his case, and that the evidence adduced under the Settlers' Rights Act was insufficient. The action was tried before Mr. Justice Gregory in February, 1920, and occupied eight days.

Rowell Says League Unqualified Success Port Hope, Ont., Feb. 3.—Hon. N. W. Rowell was tendered a cordial reception here last night on the occasion of his address to the League of Nations. Mr. Rowell referred to the League of Nations as an unqualified success. The foundations had been laid for an institution that would play a part in the preservation of the peace of the world in days to come, he said.

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Table with columns: Veterans of France, Garrison, and Cribbage Singles. Lists names and scores.

JOSEPH ETHIER the newly elected vice-president of the Montreal Chambre de Commerce, is vice-president and manager of Laporte, Martin, Ltd., wholesale grocers. He is also a councillor of the Montreal Board of Trade; ex-president of the Wholesale Grocers Guild; governor of the General Hospital; and Notre Dame Hospital. For the past six years he has served as an alderman of Outremont, Que.

News of Markets and Finance

STOCK MARKET LITTLE IMPROVED

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.) New York, Feb. 3.—The renewal rate on money was higher, and still higher during the session. The market was quiet, with a few scattered transactions. The price of the 4 1/2 per cent. U.S. bonds was 104 1/2.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.) New York funds, 12 1/2 per cent. New York sterling, 33.85%. Canadian silver, 37 1/2%. London bar silver, 37 1/2%. New York bar silver, 63 1/2%.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Feb. 3.—Wednesday's advance on the local market was not maintained. The market was quiet, with a few scattered transactions. The price of the 4 1/2 per cent. U.S. bonds was 104 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAINS DROP AGAIN TO-DAY

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.) Chicago, Feb. 3.—The grain market had another soft day and further new lows were recorded. Commission houses as well as the professionals were selling freely and very little opposition was met with.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.) New York, Feb. 3.—Cotton futures were quiet, with a few scattered transactions. The price of the 15-cent cotton was 15 1/2.

LOCAL BOND MARKET

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EXCELLENT RECORD OF THE DOMINION BANK

Fiftieth Annual Statement Shows Large Gains The annual statement of the Dominion Bank for the year ending December 31, 1920, is in two respects particularly noteworthy. In the first place it is a record of the bank's fifth business year, while in the second place it shows that during 1920 there was a further strengthening of the institution's financial position.

STRIKE WAS SHORT.

Fort William, Ont., Feb. 3.—The strike at the plant of the Canadian Car & Foundry Company lasted just one day, and at 10.30 last night the men voted to accept the reduction of 10 per cent. in piece work rates, and return to their jobs this morning.

MARQUIS TO ENTER SHIPPING BUSINESS

New York, Feb. 3.—The Marquis of Carisbrooke, who was booked to sail to-day for England, announced he would enter a business career with a large London shipping concern. He has never before been engaged in any sort of commercial pursuit.

GERMAN FILM BARRED.

Toronto, Feb. 3.—"Passion," the German-wide picture which was to be shown at a local theatre next week, will not be shown here. The new Board of Censors, acting upon authority from the Provincial Treasurer, decided yesterday to ban the picture.

EVERTON AND WOLVERHAMPTON INTO THIRD ROUND

London, Feb. 3.—(Canadian Associated Press.)—The English Cup soccer series resulted as follows: Everton, 1; Sheffield Wednesday, 0. Wolverhampton Wanderers, 1; Derby, 0.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CONGREGATION HEARS REPORTS FOR YEAR

Lengthy Session in School-room Devoted to Progress During Past Year The First Presbyterian Church schoolroom was filled last night, when the annual business meeting of the congregation took place.

The Board of Managers report was presented, the outstanding features being the erection of the Gorge Mission into a self-supporting church, no longer dependent on the First Church.

Dangerous Throat Troubles Prevented by Nerviline

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LIBERALS OF WARD THREE ARE ACTIVE

Enthusiastic Meeting Held Last night; Officers Elected; Dance Arranged Ward Three Liberals held a lively meeting in the Liberal headquarters.

Entire stock of infants' wear section marked at prices that should appeal to mothers. Children's Wearing Apparel at Clearance Prices

THE HEALTHY MAN HAS THE BEST CHANCE

Is Always Full of Life and Energy; Failures Are Weak and Bloodless. Some men seem to have all the luck. If there are any good things going on these men seem to get them.

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A Clean-Up in the Infants' and Children's Wear Section

Children's Sweaters—"Universal" Brand, 100% pure wool, in coat and slipover styles. A splendid choice of colors.

- Children's Cotton Jerseys, in all white and navy, trimmed red. Ages 4 to 10 years. Regular 65c and 75c. Inventory Price 49c. Girls' Pleated Kilts, of fine navy serge, finished with braid at waist; 24 to 28 inches. Regular \$5.50. Inventory Price \$7.95.

Remarkable Values From the Infants' Section

- Infants' Long Dresses of fine muslin, with dainty muslin embroidery and fine lace; regular \$5.00. Inventory Price \$3.95. Long Dresses of fine cotton, embroidered yokes. Extra special values ... \$1.75.