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Royal—The Hope Chest.  
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Variety—The Racing Strain.  
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Romano—All the World to Nothing.

# Victoria Daily Times

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Southerly winds,  
unsettled and mild, with rain.  
Lower Mainland—Unsettled and mild,  
with rain.

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## ALLIED TROOPS MAY KEEP ORDER IN GERMANY

### PAYMENT BY GERMANY OF \$5,000,000,000, ON BILL IS FORESHADOWED

**Paris Paper Says Allies Will Require Teutons to Pay That as First Instalment; Wilson Says Clemenceau Wants Territory for France**

Paris, April 9.—(Havas).—The preliminary peace treaty will require Germany to make an immediate indemnity payment on account of 25,000,000,000 francs in cash and raw materials, according to The Echo de Paris. The treaty, it declares, will not leave uncertain the total amount which Germany is to pay, as that amount will be written into the document.

Paris, April 9.—That Premier Clemenceau has been contending at the sessions of the Council of Four that certain German territory ought to be added to France is a statement attributed to President Wilson in a dispatch by Frederick Moore, Paris correspondent of The New York Tribune. Moore's dispatch, which was filed in Paris last night and published by The Tribune this morning, says:

"About twelve American newspaper correspondents, including myself, have just spoken to Ray Stannard Baker on his return from his evening visit to President Wilson. Baker said the President had told him he intended to stand upon his principles which the Allies had accepted in the armistice terms and other documents and would not object if this fact were published. Baker also said that the report was untrue that Mr. Wilson had set any time limit for the Allies to formulate a peace which conforms to his principles. He said that Mr. Wilson had remarked to him: 'What is the use of a League of Nations if an unjust peace is made?'"

"Baker was not authorized to state the significance of the recall by the President of the liner George Washington, which has been used as the Presidential transport between the United States and France."

"The President said that, contrary to a statement in The Times last night, Premier Clemenceau within the past week had been arguing for annexation of German territory."

Intimidation.  
Paris, April 9.—"We do not accuse our allies of forgetting what France has done," says The Matin to-day, "but nevertheless we witnessed a..."  
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### VIENNA INVITED BRITISH TROOPS

Asked That 10,000 Be Sent to Keep Order, Curzon States  
London, April 9.—Defending the Military Service Bill in the House of Lords yesterday, Earl Curzon of Kedleston, President of the Council and Government Leader in the House of Lords, declared that Vienna, "being in a serious position and apprehensive lest it share the fate of Budapest," had turned to Great Britain and said: "If you will send 10,000 British troops we can guarantee the situation."

Earl Curzon was not sure that war conditions would not revive. He said: "I see clouds on the horizon which may burst at any moment in a more sinister form than anything yet seen. If the critics of this bill can show the Government how to rule Ireland without maintaining 40,000 troops there, they will confer a great favor on the Government."

**Mathers Mentioned as Chairman of the New Industrial Body**  
Ottawa, April 9.—The Ottawa Citizen says: "The Commission on Industrial Relations which the Government is appointing will be announced this afternoon."

"It is understood that the composition is finally decided on is Chief Justice Mathers, of Manitoba; Senator Smoot White, of Montreal; Carl Riordan and H. J. Daly, of Toronto; Tom Moore, Ottawa; John Bruce, Toronto, and Charles Harrison, M. P., North Bay.

"Chief Justice Mathers will be chairman, and Messrs. White, Riordan and Daly will represent capital, and Messrs. Moore, Bruce and Harrison the labor end."

**SNOW IN NEBRASKA**  
Lincoln, Neb., April 9.—A fall of snow unusually heavy for this time of the year is reported general throughout Eastern Nebraska to-day.

### Premier Paderewski Lays Poland's Claims Before the Council

Paris, April 9.—Ignace Jan Paderewski, the Polish Premier, was summoned before the Council of Four to-day to present the claims of Poland. The Premier will urge that Danzig must be given to Poland and that Poland must have the coal-fields of Teschen, Silesia, upon which, it is said, Polish industry depends.

### General Strike in Rome Called for Twenty-five Hours

Rome, April 9.—The Rome Council of the General Federation of Labor has decided upon a general strike to last twenty-five hours. The strike is set to begin on Thursday at 6 a. m.  
No recent news has come out of Italy to indicate the reason for a strike demonstration such as that which the above dispatch reports.

### ALLIED FORCES WITHDRAW FROM PORT OF ODESSA AND CIVILIANS ARE TO LEAVE

Paris, April 9.—The report of the evacuation of the Black Sea port of Odessa by the Allied forces is confirmed officially.  
London, April 9.—The situation at Odessa is not yet clear, according to the latest news reaching official quarters in London, but it is believed that the evacuation of civilians is imminent, owing to the difficulty of maintaining a food supply. All measures have been taken for the removal of the British civilians.

### SIX BATTALIONS OF JAPANESE TROOPS ARE SENT TO KOREA

Honolulu, April 9.—Six battalions of Japanese troops are being sent to Korea to suppress the disturbances there, which are spreading, according to a cablegram from Tokio received by a Japanese newspaper here to-day.

### PROPOSED EXCHANGE IN NORTH RUSSIA

Allied Officers Enter Bolsheviki Lines to Arrange Prisoner Exchange  
Archangel, April 8.—A delegation of British and United States officers under a flag of truce went into the Bolsheviki lines to-day to negotiate an exchange of prisoners. It was proposed that the Allied commission should go to Plesovskaya to arrange details, the Bolsheviki sending an equal delegation into the Allied lines as hostages.

### Labor Committee Will Assist With Repatriation Plans

Ottawa, April 9.—A Labor Advisory Committee to assist the Repatriation Committee has just been appointed. It will aid in working out repatriation plans. Tom Moore, president of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, is chairman, and with him on the committee are associated T. J. Foster, president of the Trades and Labor Council of Montreal, and H. J. Halford, treasurer of the Trades and Labor Council of Hamilton.

### BAVARIAN AGENT AT BERLIN RECALLED

Soviet Government Says German Constitution Does Not Bind Bavaria  
Copenhagen, April 9.—It has been officially announced in Munich that Ritter von Pruger, the Bavarian envoy at Berlin, has been recalled. The Commission for Foreign Affairs in giving his reasons for this step, declared that the new German constitution can never become binding upon Bavaria as Bavaria's special rights have been surrendered in the drawing up of that document.

### Strike May Cut Off Electricity and Gas Supply of Montreal

Montreal, April 9.—A strike that will jeopardize the main sources of Montreal's electric and gas supplies is due to start at 5 o'clock this afternoon unless the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company recognizes the union formed by its employees.

### LIST OF SAILINGS AND SOLIDER PARTIES ARRIVING IN THIS DISTRICT—REVISED TO NOON, APRIL 9

The party from the steamship Spotian left Calgary at 11:45 p.m. April 8, with twenty-seven other ranks for Victoria.  
The party from the steamship Northland left Sioux Lookout, Ont., 8 p.m. April 8, with twelve other ranks for Victoria.  
The party from the steamship Caronia left Fort William, Ont., at 5:20 p.m., April 8, with one officer and eighty-three other ranks for Victoria.

### GERMAN GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS PLAN OF ASKING THE ALLIES TO GARRISON COUNTRY OF TEUTONS

#### ABOUT TO ATTEMPT ATLANTIC FLIGHT

Fontain, Frenchman, Hopes to Make Africa-South America Trip  
Versailles, April 9.—Lieut. Jean Pierre Fontain started on a flight yesterday to Casa Blanca, Morocco, from which town he will proceed to Dakar, in the French colony of Senegal, Africa, and thence to the Cape Verde Islands, with the intention of attempting a flight across the Atlantic from the islands. He is accompanied by a mechanic, Philbert Cahout.

#### May Invite Victors to Keep Down Disturbances, Says Report Via Zurich; Calling of a General Strike in Berlin Is Reported

Paris, April 9.—(Havas).—At the latest session of the German Cabinet Council the Government considered the eventuality of making an appeal to the Allied armies to maintain order in Germany, in the interests of the whole of Europe, the Zurich correspondent of The Journal reports.

#### GENERAL HUMBERT AS ALLIED COMMANDER IN CENTRAL EUROPE

Paris, April 9.—The newspaper L'Eclair understands that General Humbert, former commander of the French Third Army, will be appointed commander of the Allied troops in Central Europe.

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#### Bulgarian Troops Are Sent Against Dissatisfied Greeks

Salonica, April 8.—Via London, April 9.—(Havas).—Bulgarian troops have been sent to Strumitza to suppress an uprising of irridant Greeks.

#### Esthonian Forces Had Successes Over Bolsheviki Troops

Copenhagen, April 9.—A statement issued at the Esthonian army headquarters reads: "On April 6 Esthonian forces crossed the Narva River south of Narva and captured seven villages and 200 prisoners. On the same day they stormed the town of Gdov, on the eastern bank of Lake Peipus, and captured 300 men and considerable war material."

### INTERNATIONAL BODIES TO CONTROL NAVIGATION OF RHINE RIVER AND DANUBE

Paris, April 9.—(Associated Press).—A report on regulations and restrictions to be imposed upon communications in enemy states in order that newly-created nations in Central Europe may have access to the sea has been completed for the Peace Conference by the Commission on the Regulation of Ports, Waterways and Railways. Freedom of transportation through Germany and Austria and equality of treatment in ports and harbors have been provided for, as has been a scheme of international regulation of traffic on the Rhine and Danube Rivers.

#### Lighters Used to Land Troops From Ship at Halifax

Halifax, April 9.—The steamship Magantic, with 2,000 returning Canadian soldiers aboard, came up the harbor here in the teeth of a twenty-five-knot wind this morning and made several attempts to dock, but was unable to do so. The tugs left her. The men are being brought ashore in lighters.

#### SIDNEY DREW, ACTOR, DIES IN NEW YORK; ILL ONLY A WEEK

New York, April 8.—Sidney Drew, an actor on the stage and for the moving picture screen, died to-day at his home here.

Mr. Drew was appearing with his wife in the play "Keep Her Smiling" in Detroit last week when he became ill. Against the advice of physicians he refused to leave his home, being brought to his home in this city and his condition grew gradually worse. His death was the result of uremia due to nephritis.

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### PARIS URGED AS NEW WORLD CAPITAL

#### An Organization in France Also Urges French as Official Language

Paris, April 8.—(Associated Press)—The French Society for the Promotion of a League of Nations has adopted, on motion of Professor Aulard, of the University of Paris, an eminent authority on history, a resolution asking the Peace Conference to adopt French as the official language of the League of Nations. The Society also is promoting a movement in favor of Paris as the seat of the League of Nations. This organization is entirely unofficial, and the French Government will take no steps to assist the movement relative to the capital of the League. Those Foreign officials who have consented to speak on the subject say France would be proud if a location in this country might be chosen, but that no formal steps would be taken to that end. The Commission considering the choice of a city for the seat of the League of Nations has not made any decision yet.

### AGED CLERKS IN SERVICE AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, April 9.—In the Commons yesterday afternoon Hon. F. B. Carvell said there were in Ottawa to-day clerks who were not giving value for the money they received. Old age was one of the reasons. He thought that if a reasonable pension were paid to some of these old persons, a saving would be effected, as it would not be necessary to make new appointments. The Government should set an example to other employers by adopting some form of pension scheme. Mr. Carvell said there were twenty-four of the men he referred to in the Department of Public Works. Their average age was sixty-five, and they were in the lower grades.

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### HOFFMAN UPHELD BY GERMAN CABINET

#### German National Government Refuses to Recognize Hungarian Soviet Government

Copenhagen, April 8.—Via London, April 8.—The German National Government will not recognize the new Soviet Republic of Bavaria, a semi-official press bureau message received here from Berlin declares. It holds that the Soviet organization has not conformed with the provisional constitution of Germany, which provides that representatives of the State Council shall be chosen at general election and shall enjoy the confidence of the people. Therefore, the National Government's decision is that the only legitimate Government in Bavaria is the Hoffman Government. Premier Hoffman's statement to the effect that he has not retired from office but has only moved his headquarters from Munich is accepted by the National Government.

At Nuremberg.  
Berlin, April 8.—Via London, April 8.—A state of siege has been proclaimed at Nuremberg, to which city the Hoffman Ministry removed several days ago. A dispatch from Munich says that the Soviet leaders there have drawn up a bill for the confiscation of property in Bavaria. Under the bill all fortunes of more than 10,000 marks shall be divided into a part confiscated and the balance retained by the state, which will pay the legitimate owners from three to four per cent. interest. It is planned to reduce rent and food prices forcibly, though what means has not yet been announced. The action of most of the south Bavarian Majority Socialists in favoring the Soviet Government is taken as an indication of their recent radicalization. The quietest of the former leaders, who had placarded all the Bavarian towns and cities, urging the men to do their duty.

Sheds Pillaged.  
Basel, April 8.—Storage sheds of the American Red Cross were among the food depots pillaged by armed crowds in Nuremberg Tuesday, according to dispatches received here. Goods to the value of 7,000 marks are said to have been taken from various food depots.

### AUSTRALIANS PRAISED BY MARSHAL FOCH

London, April 9.—Marshal Foch has sent the following message to the soldiers and people of Australia: "The Australian troops have upheld the cause of the Allies with magnificent enterprise and dash. From start to finish they distinguished themselves by their quietness, endurance and boldness. By their initiative, their fighting spirit, their magnificent ardor, they proved themselves to be shock troops of the highest order. "In the grave hours of 1918, with their British, United States and French comrades, they barred the enemy's rush. They stopped it. They then, at the appointed hour drove it far back. "I am happy to express to Australia the undying esteem which she shares with her incomparable soldiers."

### HAIG RECEIVED AT PALACE YESTERDAY BY KING GEORGE

London, April 9.—(Reuter's)—King George received Field-Marshal Haig at Buckingham Palace yesterday on the occasion of his appointment as general officer commanding the home forces. Major-General Sir A. C. Macdonnell, commander of the Canadian First Division, which is about to leave for Canada, also was received. His Majesty is seeing all commanders of divisions of Dominion regiments prior to their departure from the United Kingdom.

### A WINNIPEG DEATH.

Winnipeg, April 9.—Mrs. Elizabeth McLaren, widow of Alexander McLaren, died at her suite at the McLaren Hotel here shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, aged eighty-seven.

### FRENCH BATTLESHIP FLOATED.

Paris, April 9.—The French Minister of Marine has announced that the French battleship Mirabeau, which went aground recently during a storm in the Black Sea, has been floated.

### Why Can't I Get to Sleep

Thousands of people all over the country ask this question, but still continue to toss night after night on a sleepless bed, and it is impossible for them to get a full night's refreshing sleep. Some constitutional disturbance, worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system that it cannot be quietened except by the pernicous use of opiates or narcotics. Or, again, you have heart palpitation and sensation of sinking, as feeling you are going to die, or perhaps you wake up in your sleep feeling as though you were about to choke or smother, and the only way you can get relief is to sit up in bed. To all who suffer in this way, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills offer an inestimable boon. They bring back the much-needed night's rest by improving the tone of the nerves, strengthening the heart, enriching the blood and making the whole organization act in harmony—then you sleep as peacefully as a child.

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### CARSON DECLARES HE WAS UP ONE DAY AND DOWN THE NEXT

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"Well, they say that the darkest hour is just before daylight," he continued, "and my experience with Tanlac is a good example of it, for when I began taking Tanlac I had no idea that I would ever be a well man again. My stomach was in very bad condition for many long years, and I will never be able to tell the awful pain and suffering I went through with. Some days I would feel very well, then maybe the very next day I would be down in bed and have the whole family waiting on me and trying to give me some relief. Nothing seemed to relieve the awful cramps and pains I would have, and one of the spells came on me, and I would just have to stand it the best I could until it wore away. I always had a severe headache, and that would be several days before I was hardly able to move about much, and by the time I had gained a little strength I would have another attack just like the last. This kept up for years, and I just finally got down and out so far as health is concerned."

"One day I read an article in the paper about this Tanlac, and the person who had been so greatly benefited by taking it, seemed to have had just the same trouble that I was having, so I made up my mind right then and there that I would give Tanlac a trial. Well, sir, I haven't had one of those awful spells with my stomach since I began taking Tanlac, and that alone makes believe that it is the best medicine on earth. I have a fine appetite and eat just anything I want and never suffer from indigestion or sour stomach afterwards. I never have a headache now, and in fact I feel just fine in every way. I don't know whether I have gained any in weight or not, but I am not bothered about that, so long as I am so well and hearty otherwise. I sleep well every night, and get up in the mornings feeling rested and ready for a hard day's work. If Tanlac did so much for me it will help others who suffer as I did, therefore I am glad to make use of this opportunity to let everybody know about the wonderful relief I have gotten from this great medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, druggist, corner Fort and Douglas Streets. (Adv.)

### LEGION OF FINNS IN NORTH RUSSIA LED BY CANADIAN

London, April 9.—(Reuter's)—The Legion of Finns in North Russia, who compose the auxiliary forces attached to the British armies in North Russia, and who recently were causing trouble, are commanded by a Canadian colonel, whose powerful personality and strong will have, since their enlistment, built them up into a disciplined and valuable body of troops. They have their own native officers, who, in turn, are controlled by British officers on the colonel's staff.

### BRITAIN RAISING VOLUNTEER FORCE FOR NORTH RUSSIA

London, April 9.—(Canadian Press Dispatch from Reuter's)—The War Office has issued an urgent appeal for volunteers for the relief force for North Russia, in which it is stated that the force will consist of trained soldiers who have been demobilized or discharged, and who are serving at home with normal engagements of two, three or four years.

All men re-enlisting must be fully trained, fit for general service, and more than nineteen years of age. Discharged or demobilized soldiers will be given the rank held when they left the colors. The pay will be the same as that of the armies of occupation. The period of enlistment will be for a year or for such shorter period as required, but no man re-enlisting for this duty will be kept longer than required for this special work. On completion of the period of service, every man will be given two months furlough, or any longer period to which he may be entitled, on full pay.

### ITALIANS BLAMED FOR SPALATO INCIDENT

Paris, April 9.—An official Serbian telegram from Belgrade says that the special Commission of Allied officers has terminated its inquiry into the Spalato incident of March, when armed Italian sailors wounded Serbian civilians and soldiers. The Commission, according to this dispatch, considers that responsibility for the incident rests on the Italian naval officers who had approved the arrest of civilians by sailors, who were armed, though not on duty.

From Serbian sources comes the information also that during the last few days the Italians have arrested a number of Jugo-Slav Deputies, doctors, priests and teachers in Istria, Trieste and other places, all of whom have been deported.

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## ORDER RESTORED BY GEN. ALLENBY'S MEASURES IN EGYPT

London, April 9.—(Canadian Press Dispatch from Reuter's)—Replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday regarding the situation in Egypt, Under-Secretary Harmsworth stated that a report from Gen. Allenby said that an order again had been restored, Egyptians wishing to leave the country would be free to do so. It was understood that an Egyptian Ministry was now being formed and that a deputation of Ministers would visit the United Kingdom in response to an invitation already twice given by the British Government.

## HON. F. B. CARVELL ANSWERS CRITICISM

Ottawa, April 9.—During consideration of the estimates of the Public Works Department in the Commons yesterday afternoon, Hon. F. B. Carvell came in for some criticism from R. H. Butts, Unionist member for Cape Breton South, in connection with the letting of contracts for aeroplane stations in Nova Scotia. Mr. Butts claimed that Mr. Carvell had let one contract to an undertaker, and another to a group of men who were all Liberals.

## EMILE COTTIN TO SERVE TEN YEARS

Paris, April 9.—President Poincare has commuted to ten years' imprisonment the death sentence imposed upon Emile Cottin, who in an attempt to assassinate Premier Clemenceau on February 19 last shot and severely wounded him. The commutation of sentence was made on the recommendation of M. Clemenceau himself. The mother of Cottin yesterday appealed personally to President Poincare to exercise Presidential clemency in her son's case.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION Strength for the Overwrought, Nervous Woman

Geneva, April 8.—Via London, April 8.—All the Austrian ex-archdukes, with their families, including ex-Archduke Friedrich, a former marshal, have been officially expelled from Austrian territory, according to information from reliable sources. A special train, escorted by republican guards, will leave Vienna to-morrow, conveying the ex-archducal party to Switzerland.

The Swiss, it is declared, are not particularly gratified at this, for they continue to be severely rationed.

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### JAPANESE SOLDIERS ATTACKED TROOPS OF THE UNITED STATES

Details of Violent Outbreak at Tientsin Told by Travelers From Orient.

Few incidents of recent years have caused the excitement which has marked the Japanese outbreak against the Americans in Tientsin recently. The following version of the affair, brought by passengers on the Empress of Japan last night, may be regarded as probably the nearest approximation to the truth that it is possible to get pending the publication of official reports by the American authorities, who

It is understood are about to make very pointed demands on the Japanese Government through the Washington Administration.

The story begins on March 11, when two soldiers of the 15th U. S. Infantry were in Japanese quarters in the Japanese Concession. According to their own statement, which is supported by independent evidence, they were not drunk, and they did not start a row. They state that they were attacked by a number of Japanese in civilian clothes, whom they allege that they have later recognized in uniform. A Chinese who was in the neighborhood and saw the scrimmage taking place, informed the nearest members of the American Provost Guard, the military police, of what was going on, and the guard came and took the two American soldiers back to their barracks. Whether any Japanese were injured in this scrimmage is not known, but two facts of significance stand out, namely, that the American soldiers were not armed, and that there were only two of them.

On the following evening, Wednesday, March 12, the members of the 15th Infantry were forbidden to enter the Japanese Concession, and a Provost Guard number seven men was stationed at various points in the French Concession, which is contiguous for a great distance with the Japanese Concession, to see that the order was obeyed, and that the men of the 15th made no disturbance.

**Swords and Bayonets Against Truncheons.**  
The members of this Guard were unarmed except for their police truncheons and as crowds of Japanese began to gather round the separated members and made attacks on them, the Guard gathered together for greater protection. A Japanese mob drove them down to the vicinity of a small cemetery near the Empire Theatre, and whilst they stood there a group of Japanese soldiers, estimated at about 200, led by

officers with drawn swords and themselves armed with rifles and fixed bayonets, rushed towards them from the Japanese Concession and joined in the attack—two hundred to seven. Of the use of bayonets there can be no doubt. The surgeon of the 15th Infantry has examined the wounds received by the members of the Guard and has expressed the emphatic opinion that the wounds of two of these men could have been inflicted only by bayonets.

When news reached the barracks that the Provost Guard was surrounded, a guard of an officer and twelve men was sent to rescue them and to take them back to barracks; but when this small guard reached the scene it became immediately involved in the fracas as well.

On the following evening several members of the Provost Guard were again attacked, this time in front of the Empire Theatre, in the French Concession, and were obliged to take refuge in the theatre, the proprietor of which was forced to lock the doors to keep out the mob, which was finally dispersed by Annamese troops and French reservists.

**Summary of the Affair.**  
Assuming, as there is every reason to do, that the foregoing account is accurate, the important points are: first, that Japanese armed troops led by officers invaded the French Concession and attempted to take the law into their own hands; second, that the Japanese troops dragged two American soldiers from the French Concession, where the Japanese have no jurisdiction, to their own Concession and locked them up in their own police station; third, that the officer in charge of the police station gave a false or misleading answer to the American Consul-General when he inquired whether there were any American soldiers in the police station; fourth, that a Japanese mob drove them down to the vicinity of the Empire Theatre, and whilst they stood there a group of Japanese soldiers, estimated at about 200, led by

### REQUESTS ADVANCED BY CIVIL SERVANTS

Ottawa Asked to Apply Whitley System to Public Service

Ottawa, April 9.—The officers of the Civil Service Federation of Canada have given out the following statement:

"The executive of the Civil Service Federation of Canada was in conference yesterday with Sir Thomas White, Acting-Prime Minister, with a view to securing from the Government a decision regarding the following items:

- "1. An increase of the bonus of 1918 to \$350 and its extension to all civil servants, including those receiving less than \$1,800 who have not received it, those receiving over \$1,800, those appointed after April 1, etc.
- "2. The granting of a similar bonus for 1919 to all civil servants regardless of date of appointment, salary or character of work, the same to continue until the new bonus adjusted to the new schedule of salaries becomes operative.
- "3. The application of the principle of the Whitley Council to the Civil Service."

### TANGLE AT NEW YORK OVER TROOPS BROUGHT BY THE MAURETANIA

New York, April 9.—After virtually being held prisoner for an entire day on the Cunard Line steamship Mauretania because of a disagreement between the American Immigration officials and British military officials, 2,700 war veterans, the majority of them Americans who had served with the British army, were allowed yesterday to leave the vessel, which docked here Monday afternoon.

The troops had entered port with 700 of them whose homes are in this city expecting to be allowed to land at once. Instead, they were transported to Camp Mills, N. Y., with the others, late yesterday to await settlement of the controversy.

The British military officials had sent these veterans across the ocean as repatriated troops, the British understanding that no manifest list was necessary for the ship. When the Mauretania arrived here, however, the Federal Immigration authorities demanded such a list. None had been prepared and the troops were not allowed to go ashore.

Without this list the immigration officials maintained the troops must be classified as aliens until their citizenship was proved.

**SIR A. NEWSHOLM TO BALTIMORE UNIVERSITY**  
London, April 9.—Sir Arthur Newsholm, The Daily Mail understands, has been offered the chair of Public Health in Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

Sir Arthur Newsholm has served as medical officer of Local Government Boards, was Health Officer of Brighton, examiner in public health to the University of Cambridge, examiner in preventive medicine at Oxford University and examiner in state medicine at the University of London. He has published numerous works on disease and the prevention of disease.

### CELLULOSE INQUIRY IN UNITED KINGDOM

London, April 9.—The report of the Commission which inquired into the operations of the Cellulose Company will be delayed owing to the absence in France of Lord Sumner, chairman of the commission. This announcement was made yesterday by Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law in the House of Commons. Mr. Law said that the report would be issued immediately upon Lord Sumner's return.

The inquiry was ordered following allegations in The Daily Chronicle that the Cellulose Company, in which Canadians were interested, had made excessive profits.

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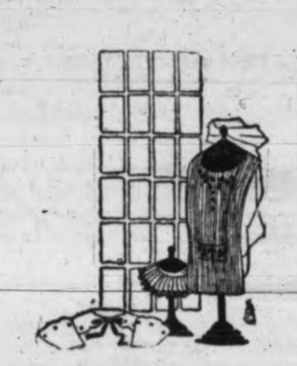
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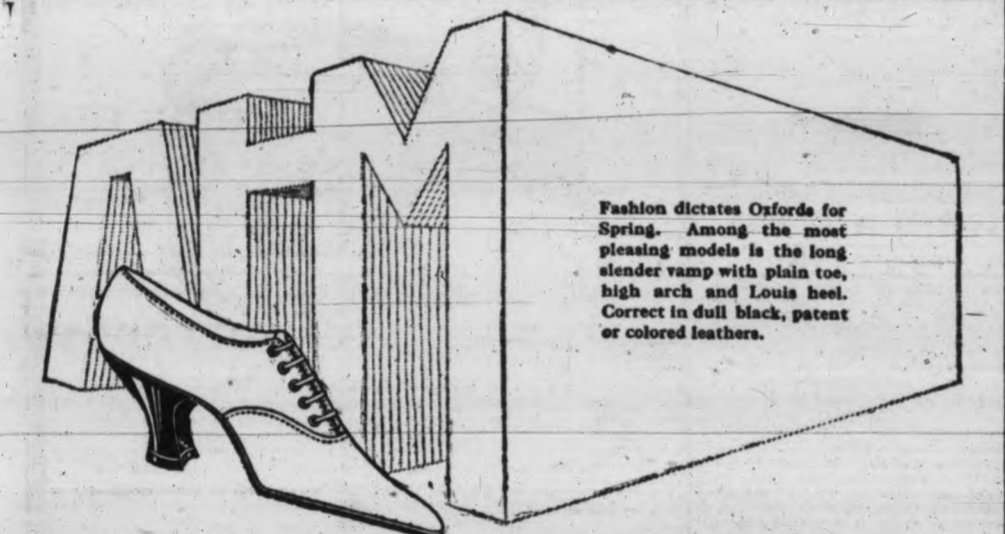


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### MRS. HAMILTON GAULT SECURES A DIVORCE

Montreal, April 9.—A special cable from Paris to The Montreal Star announces that Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault has obtained in the French courts a divorce from her husband, Lieut.-Col. A. Hamilton Gault, who raised the Princess Patricia's Regiment.

Suit for divorce was brought by Lieut.-Col. Gault before the Canadian Senate, which refused the decree. Another suit was reported as likely at the time, but this cable is the first news of any further action.

### DEVELOPMENT WORK IN UNGAVA REGION

Quebec, April 9.—The steamer Amherst, bearing the first group of explorers that will penetrate the wilds of Ungava for development work, left Quebec yesterday for Clark's City, on the north shore, whence the party will proceed inland to the Ungava region.

### POLSON IRON WORKS NOW IN LIQUIDATION

Toronto, April 9.—The liabilities of the Polson Iron Works, of Toronto, shipbuilders, now in liquidation, are stated by G. E. Clarkson, the receiver, to be \$1,488,000, and the assets \$2,275,000, including lands and buildings valued at \$1,400,000. There are nearly 200 trade creditors.

### FRENCH ELECTIONS.

Paris, April 9.—The principal of proportional representation was adopted as the foundation for electoral reforms in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, when a motion to that effect was carried by a vote of 235 to 201.

### HOUSING SCHEME IN VANCOUVER CITY

Vancouver, April 9.—There will not be enough money in the fund of \$250,000 to be borrowed by this city to build houses for all those who have already applied, for 150 applications already are in, according to information secured yesterday from George D. Ireland, secretary of the Civic Housing Committee. These 150 ap-

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**EUGENIC MARRIAGES.**  
Trenton, N. J., April 9.—The New Jersey Assembly went on record yesterday as favoring eugenic marriages, passing a bill compelling prospective candidates for matrimony to submit to a physician's examination before a license is issued. Diseased conditions revealed by the examinations under the selective service law are responsible for the proposed legislation.



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APRIL 9, 1919.

This is the second anniversary of the Battle of Vimy Ridge. Two years ago to-day the Canadian Corps performed one of the most remarkable and sensational feats of the war, which sent its name and fame resounding throughout the world. Within a few hours from the commencement of its attack it looked down upon the plains of Douai from the crest of the ridge, establishing its mastery so completely that it was able to finish the operation on the following day.

The enemy was thunderstruck, and with good reason. Vimy Ridge was the most formidable position of his defensive system in northern France. He believed it to be as impregnable as Gibraltar and had convinced himself for his belief in the many futile operations the Allies had conducted with its capture as their ultimate objective.

The sector in the region of Vimy had been the scene of two great Franco-British offensives in the spring and fall of 1915 in co-ordination with French attacks in the Champagne, and our readers will recall clearly the names of Notre Dame de Lorette, Carency, la Targette, Neuville St. Vaast, the Labyrinth, and the sugar refinery and cemetery at Souchez figuring in the Paris communications which recorded the tremendous efforts made by French, particularly, to clear the way for an assault upon the ridge. These efforts cost our Allies more than 150,000 casualties but did not seriously endanger the enemy's possession of the main position.

The German Great General Staff, hugging the delusion that the ridge was impregnable, overlooked certain vital factors which had developed between the spring and fall of 1915 and the spring of 1917. One was the great stride made by the Allies in the power and use of artillery, including the invention and perfection of the barrage. Another was the bearing of experience, knowledge and intensive training upon the methods of attack employed by them. And it did not know—or, if it knew, the knowledge did not alter its arrogant conceit—that during the previous winter the Canadian Corps had been preparing for this offensive with a degree of thoroughness unequalled in connection with any other operation, and with a knowledge of the conditions to be encountered which, thanks to an extraordinarily efficient intelligence service, was as complete as its own. In preparation, conception and execution the victorious attack by the Canadian Corps upon this formidable position was a masterpiece, a classic in offensive warfare.

What was the strategical effect of the victory of two years ago? It is true no irreparable rupture was made in the hostile front. The offensive was brought to a standstill on the edge of the plains of Douai. The Germans were able to remain in Lens. The Kaiser who, with the Great General Staff, had been shivering in a great fear, was able to send to the Kaiserin a message almost delirious in its expression of relief. But neither the enemy nor even the Allied chief command could appraise the full strategical advantage which flowed from the capture of the ridge. A year had to elapse before this was revealed, before the Great Sequel showed how priceless had been the service rendered to the cause of civilization by the Canadian Corps on April 9, 1917.

What was that sequel? It was to be found in the great opening campaign launched by the enemy in March last year. It was the possession of Vimy Ridge by Sir Douglas Haig's troops which prevented Ludendorff from widening the salient he had driven in Picardy and thereby obtaining the full advantage of his superiority of numbers. So, when his narrowed front was brought to a standstill he diverted his plans to the capture of the ridge. He did not dare to assault it frontally, and therefore delivered a violent offensive against Arras in the hope of flanking the position from the south.

This attack was a disastrous failure. Ludendorff then struck in Flanders in the hope of flanking the obstacle from the north, his early successes there, however, deciding him to change his plans and attempt to gain the Channel ports. If the Germans had held Vimy Ridge when they opened their big offensive on March 21 the whole British front would have been precariously involved in the initial operation. Vimy Ridge was an anchor that would not drag. Furthermore, it was the only position captured by the Allies in their offensives of 1917 that was not recaptured by the enemy in 1918. Passchendaele, Messines Ridge, the Craonne Plateau—the Hun swept over all of them. But Vimy Ridge remained British.

The failure of the Germans to try to sweep over Vimy Ridge in a frontal attack, as they subsequently surged over the Craonne Plateau, furnished striking testimony to the paralyzing effect of the Canadian victory of 1917 upon the German mind. It showed that the German morale never had recovered from the blow it received when, in that short smashing attack, the Canadian Corps had taken the enemy's most formidable position, a position he did not dare to challenge in the same way last year in spite of his great superiority of numbers. It was a tribute, too, to the perfection of the defensive arrangements made by Sir Arthur Currie in anticipation of an attack.

France understands the whole significance of the Canadian victory of two years ago and its relation to the final triumph of the Allies last year, and, it is reported, intends to present the ridge to Canada as an everlasting memorial of the event in gratitude to the Canadian Corps and in special reverence for the brave men who fell there.

**SOME REMEDY WANTED.**

To control the taking of drugs in secret is just about as difficult a task police authorities could hope to tackle. In the days when the gilded saloons of this Province purveyed beverages that changed one's outlook for the time being, it was an easy matter for the bluecoat to shepherd the wayward reveller. But it is an entirely different case with the slave to the drug habit.

There is undoubtedly a very serious growth of the practice in many parts of the Province. The extraordinary craving to produce a spurious state of jubilation is taking many weak-minded individuals to equally extraordinary subterfuges. The use of essences is now added to a comparatively select choice of the more deadly opiate. Not alone to the male of the species by any means is the drug habit confined, but the argument that lack of alcoholic stimulant is at the bottom of it is not altogether convincing when one refers to a condition developing in the Old Country.

Despite free access of both sexes to the bars in the Motherland women have recently resorted to the use of methylated spirits. Many cases have arisen where women have gone to oil and paint-shops with the plea that the spirit was intended for mixing paint. Seven times stronger than ordinary whiskey and containing a number of ingredients considered sufficient to stop any desire to drink it, the Liverpool licensing justices assert that its use as a "beverage" is increasing. Its effect has been shown as terrible, a frantic state while under its influence gradually giving place to insanity.

It would appear that the Governments of the day could very well take a hand in the regulation of drug sales. If the distribution of liquor can be brought about on a Dominion-wide scale there should be some machinery erected to place a ban on what looks like a more or less unintelligent distribution of the much more deadly and demoralizing substitute.

**MORE STARTLING FIGURES.**

While the finding of the Coal Commission in England may have little to do with the mining industry in British Columbia, some of the disclosures in relation to profits are interesting if only because Vancouver Island is essentially the centre of coal mining activity here. The conditions are, of course, very dissimilar, but interest in the subject is not foreign to the consumer in British Columbia who is continually asked to pay more for his coal.

Perhaps the most striking admission made to the Sankey inquiry is the fact that in the year 1916 the coal mine operators of England paid to the Board of Inland Revenue by way of excess profits no less a sum than \$50,000,000. In a previous reference to the subject, it will be remembered, The Times pointed out that owners' profits during the war advanced from twenty-five cents per ton to eighty-seven cents per ton. These are naturally the sort of discoveries which buttress the miners' plea for nationalization, or at least for a fair share in direction.

The miners of England ask for a six-hour day as one of the conditions toward assisting them to a new standard of living. The Sankey report recommended a general seven-hour day for a period of two years and a six-hour day thereafter, the latter concession to be dependent upon the economic condition of the country at that time. This, together with an increase in wages, approximating thirty per cent, has not met with approval. On the other hand, expert evidence has been tendered in an endeavor to show how submission to the miners' terms would curtail production by twenty per cent, a reduction that would be disastrous to home industries and competition abroad.

Sir Richard Redmayne treated the Commission to a somewhat technical formula designed to illustrate two extremes in conditions by which he sought to convince Mr. Justice Sankey that the lesser hours would, according to his hypothesis, reduce production by twenty-two and thirty-three per cent, respectively, the average being twenty-seven and a half per cent. He agrees, however, that reduction in point of output is not in arithmetical progression to the reduction in point of time. For that reason he takes one thing with another and, basing his calculation on practical experience, sets twenty per cent, as the allround reduction if a six-hour day is granted.

In the face of this, however, there developed during the inquiry an interesting sidelight on this particular phase of the controversy. A comparison of conditions in South Wales and Durham showed that in Durham, where a seven-hour day has been in vogue since 1890, the output reached 58.34 tons per person, and in South Wales, with an eight-hour day, 55.01 tons per person. In South Wales, too, the working costs were higher than in Durham. For this the financial advisor to the coal controller was unable to give the Commission any explanation. All of which, in addition to the \$50,000,000 excess profit tax, would seem to indicate that the coal operators of Britain have had a profit fuddle upon which the curtain should now be rung down.

Soldiers' employment in the Old Country has solved itself in one particular. Men looking for work have conceived the idea that window cleaning is not the least paying "profession." Little capital and small skill are the stock-in-trade and recent experimental timing showed the rate of financial return to be sixty-two cents per hour. There is a great scarcity of window cleaners, in London particularly, and the prices have advanced 100 per cent, since 1914.

A novel suggestion for the protection of factory workers has just been put forward by the Chief Medical Officer of the Welfare and Health section of the Imperial Ministry of Munitions. This eminent scientist asserts that workers would remain much more healthy were they to submit to a process of varnishing, which he contends would give certain protection to both hands and face. If such a commodity can be manufactured and applied with such effect, the workers of England may soon be contemplating the morning varnishing and ten minutes drying as part of the day's work.

**SONGS PIRATED IN THE UNITED STATES**

Canadian Veteran Tells Senate Committee of Present Copyright Law's Inadequacy

Ottawa, April 9.—The Senate Committee of the Copyright Bill heard at first hand yesterday the story of a Canadian who had been discriminated against because of the "inadequacy of the present Canadian law."

Lieut. Gita Rice, of the Fifth Field Artillery, said he had gone to France with the First Contingent, written songs in the trenches, had been wounded and then sent to the United States with the British Recruiting Mission. His songs had become popular throughout the States and had been recorded on musical records.

If he had been a citizen of the United States or of Great Britain or Australia, France or even Germany, he could have collected royalties in these records, but because he was a Canadian he could collect none. The new bill would protect him and all other Canadian writers and composers.

The Authors' and Composers' Association also pointed out how authors would benefit by the new bill. Various interests were represented and heard by the Committee, including a deputation of Toronto printers, who drew attention to a manufacturing clause, and also representatives of phonograph companies.

**INTERNATIONAL BODIES TO CONTROL NAVIGATION OF RHINE RIVER AND DANUBE**

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of France, Switzerland and some non-partisan states into the present Mannheim Convention between Germany and Holland covering the navigation of the Rhine.

The European Commission controlling the mouths of the Danube will be continued, representatives of present enemy states being excluded from it, and a similar international Commission will be established provisionally for the upper Danube. This will last until a new general Danube Convention is established.

**Elbe and Oder.**

A new international Convention covering the navigation of the Elbe and Oder Rivers is recommended to protect the interests of Poland and Czechoslovakia and give them freedom of navigation without discriminating duties, down through German territory to the North and Baltic Seas. These states would be further given free port privileges at certain North German harbors in order that to enable them to develop their export and import commerce, a regulation applying to Salonia after the Balkan wars, by which Siberia benefitted, being taken as the model for the plan.

**Free Zones.**

The report recommends that a pledge be exacted of Germany in the peace treaty to maintain unimpeded the free zones at Hamburg and other ports under conditions as they existed before the war.

**Czecho-Slovakia.**

To provide a southern outlet for the trade of Czecho-Slovakia, the report recommends that the new state be given the right to run its own trains with their own crews over certain designated railways in Austria-Hungary, without, however, making any provision to insure further transit through Jugo-Slavia or Italian territory lying between what is left of Austria-Hungary and the Adriatic. An attempt to introduce some general regulation of this problem broke down against opposition within the Commission. Recommendation is made in the report, however, for an extension of the present Berne Railway Convention, providing for interchange of traffic on continental railways, which expires January 1 next, until a new Convention can be negotiated.

**PAYMENT BY GERMANY OF \$5,000,000,000, ON BILL IS FORESHADOWED**

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curious thing yesterday. American propagandists or newspapermen, knowing that President Wilson had summoned to Brest the ship which is to take him back to the United States, saw in this natural order an opportunity for blackmail. They made with the disapproval of all Americans who are friendly to France, a bold-faced attempt at intimidation. If you are not more accommodating, they went all over the city saying, "our President will return home and you can extricate yourself from your difficulties by yourself."

**Reparation.**

Paris, April 9.—The first interim report of the Second Sub-Committee of the Peace Conference Commission on Reparations dealing with the financial capacity of the enemy states and the means of payment was adopted yesterday by the Commission. It was decided to present this report and the report of the First Sub-Committee on categories of damages and methods of valuation to the General Secretary of the Peace Conference.

**TROOPS FIRED ON MOBS IN CAIRO ON THURSDAY LAST**

Cairo, April 4.—(Delayed.)—(Reuter's)—in official communication says: "During yesterday's disturbances troops several times had to fire on mobs, killing nine and wounding fifty-six. A number were wounded by the mob. All was quiet in Cairo today."

**TURKS AND THE CONFERENCE.**

Constantinople, April 8.—Via London, April 9.—(Havas)—The Turkish commission appointed to draw up a report dealing with the national rights of the Ottomans before the Peace Conference has concluded its labors. The report will be submitted to the High Commissioners of the Allies directly.

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**SMUTS RECEIVED AT PRAGUE BY MASARYK CZECHO-SLOVAK CHIEF**

Prague, April 7.—Delayed.—General Jan Christian Smuts, who was sent to Budapest by the Peace Conference at Paris to confer with the leaders of the new Hungarian Government, arrived here yesterday and was received today by Professor T. G. Masaryk, President of Czecho-Slovakia.

**"GYPSY QUEEN" IS JAILED FOR MURDER**

Baltimore, April 9.—The trial here of Mrs. Annie M. Smith, known as the "Gypsy Queen," for the killing of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Lena Smith, aged seventy-three, on May 7, 1917, ended last night in a verdict of murder in the first degree without capital punishment. She was sentenced to life imprisonment. The woman also was indicted for the murder of her husband, Albert Smith, aged fifty, whom she killed before shooting and killing her mother-in-law.

**RUMORS OF BOLSHEVİK AGITATION IN STATES**

Washington, April 9.—Reports that a Bolshevik agitation in the United States is being financed by a number of wealthy persons, particularly women, have reached the Department of Justice, but have not been taken seriously. One report related that a wealthy American woman had undertaken to pay the expenses of agitators to work among negroes in the south to get them to organize soviet committees. No evidence of this agitation has developed.

**GERMAN GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS PLAN OF ASKING THE ALLIES TO GARRISON COUNTRY OF TEUTONS**

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It is pointed out that a stoppage of the entire industry of the country would be inevitable, and that the employees would not only endanger their own position, but that of their wives and children.

**Landsburg.**

London, April 9.—Landsburg, Minister of Justice in the National German Government, who was rescued at Helmsdorf from a party of revolting Magdeburg soldiers who were conveying him to Branewick, has been sent to Hanover, according to a Berlin dispatch to The Daily Mail.

The Police Commissary of Helmsdorf, with whom Landsburg had taken refuge, learned that another party of insurgents was approaching. He put the Minister in an automobile and ordered it to proceed to Hanover.

**CALIFORNIA VOLCANO IS ACTIVE AGAIN**

Redding, Cal., April 9.—After lying dormant for about one year, Mount Lassen, in the Sierra Nevada near here, became active to-day. A steady stream of white sulphurous smoke is issuing from the peak's crater.

**LETTERS**

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short, and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

**AS TO BAKERIES.**

To the Editor.—For the information of Walter Dandridge and Alderman Johns as to where their bread comes from will state that if they purchase their bread and cakes only where the union card of the Bakery and Confectionery Workers' Union is displayed, they will run no risks of having the labels licked by the so-called "dirty Chink," as no Chinese bakers are employed in any union bakery. HARRY JACQUE, 1829 Crescent Road, Business Agent Bakery and Confectionery Workers' Union, No. 242.



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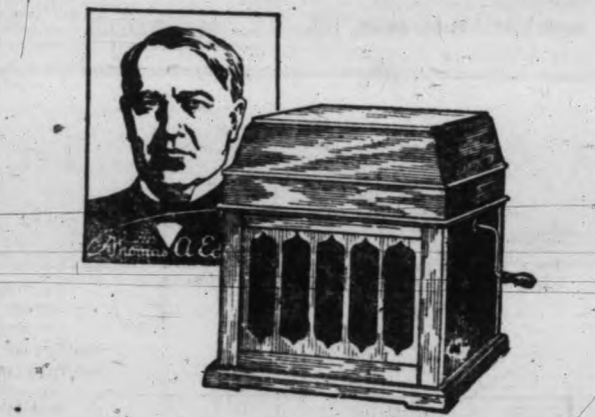
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 Victoria Times, April 9, 1894.

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**KENTUCKY EXPLOSION KILLED FOUR MEN**

Jackson, Ky., April 8.—Four men were killed at the plant of the Home Torpedo Company at Torrent, near here, to-day, when 1,000 quarts of nitro-glycerine exploded. The cause is undetermined. The bodies of the victims were hurled 300 feet and practically every window in the village was shattered.

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The prices of these Mowers have been placed very low for quick selling. Call and inspect them. —Hardware, Second Floor, View

## That Easter Suit—It Is Here In Our Clothing Department Made for You in the Latest Style; Well Tailored and Distinctive

Easter time always brings a desire for a new Suit, and this Easter is no exception to the rule, as proved by the many stylish Suits which leave our Clothing Department every week. When you are supplied with your Easter Suit here you may depend on every stitch, every inch of cloth to give the best results, and more than this, you may depend upon getting the very latest model which fashion has decreed perfect.



## Young Men's Junior Suits From \$18.00 to \$25.00

In these are represented the latest styles in the newest shades of greys, browns and checks. These models give you a smart, well-dressed appearance and the prices quoted allow you to select your Easter Suit at a cost you will appreciate.

## Something Smart in Business Men's Suits

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## Smart Spring Styles for Boys

In these some very trim models are shown, with "slash" pockets, some in Norfolk effects. The pants are "bloomer" cut, Governor fasteners, hip and watch pockets. The colors shown are light and medium greys, browns, fawns, greens and fancy mixtures. The prices range from \$9.75 to .....\$25.00

## Excellent Values in Boys' Top Coats

In these Top Coats are represented the latest spring styles in black and white checks, greys and browns. They are made in belter and reefer styles, with velvet or self collars. Very best values at \$4.75 to .....\$9.50

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### A BEDTIME STORY

UNCLE WIGGLY AND THE NEW BROOM  
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(By Howard R. Garis.)

"Well, there is no use in me trying any longer! It can't be done!" exclaimed Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper in Uncle Wiggly's hollow stump bungalow, one day.

"What can't be done?" asked the bunny rabbit gentleman, who was reading the flypaper in the dining-room. "Please don't tell me you can't bake a peanut pudding, or make me some sassafras fritters!" and his pink nose twinkled twice as fast, he was so excited.

"Oh, it isn't anything like that," said Nurse Jane. "What I meant was that it isn't any use for me to try to sweep your bungalow any more with the old broom. It is worn out, and it makes the place look worse, after I have finished, than when I started."

"What do you want me to do?" asked Uncle Wiggly.

"Get me a new broom, if you will," answered Nurse Jane with a hopeful smile.

"Get you a new broom! Of course I will!" exclaimed Mr. Longears, and away he hopped over the fields and through the woods toward the new broom store. It was kept by a grocery cat, who kindly gave the bunny rabbit gentleman just what he wanted, and Uncle Wiggly was soon on his way back to his hollow stump bungalow, with the new broom for Nurse Jane over his shoulder.

"There is no use talking!" thought Uncle Wiggly. "Nurse Jane is a good housekeeper. Some muskrat ladies I know would use the old broom, no matter how the place looked. But Nurse Jane is different."

So he hopped along, thinking of peanut sandwiches, and things like that, until, all of a sudden, he came to a place where some new spring ferns were growing in the woods.

But the pretty green clumps of fern leaves were in a sad plight. Some of them were trampled down or broken off and many of them were twisted so they did not look nice at all.

"Why, I wonder who has treated the ferns like this?" said Uncle Wiggly, speaking out loud, and, somewhat to his surprise, the clump of ferns answered. For they spoke part of the language of flowers.

"The bad old Pipsiswah trampled on us and pulled some of us up by the roots," said the unbroken ferns that were still waving green in the gentle wind.

"The bad old Pipsiswah, eh?" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly, looking over his shoulder. "Is he around here?"

"He was," answered the ferns. "He came in here, and rolled himself over and over in the middle of our best green clump. Then he clawed some of us up and tore more out by the roots."

"Was he hungry?" asked the bunny, as he swung his new broom to and fro. "Well, he didn't eat any of us," answered the fern clump. "But we heard him say he was hungry for some of the ears of a rabbit and—"

"Oh, he means me!" he means me!" cried Uncle Wiggly. "That Pipsiswah certainly meant me, and I'd better run!"

"Too late!" howled a voice behind the clump of ferns, and out popped the bad Pipsiswah. "Too late!"

"I have been hiding here waiting

for you!" went on the unpleasant creature. "I haven't had any sense off your eggs in a long while, and now I am going to take some."

"Oh, please don't!" begged Uncle Wiggly.

"I shall, too!" cried the Pipsiswah, and he was just going to grab Mr. Longears when the rabbit gentleman thrust the new broom in the face of the Pip, as I call him for short. And the new broom so tickled and pickled the Pipsiswah that he gave a howl, and a yowl, and snatched the broom out of Uncle Wiggly's paws.

"I'll teach you to try and sweep me away!" cried the Pipsiswah. "I'll go through your new broom in the ocean, and then I'll come back and get you!" and away he ran with Nurse Jane's new broom.

"Quick, Uncle Wiggly!" whispered the ferns. "Run, now, to your bungalow before the Pipsiswah comes back."

"Yes, I suppose I ought to do that," said the bunny. "But what about the new broom for Nurse Jane? The Pip has it and if I go home without it—"

"Take some of our fern leaves that are torn up," said the green clump. "Tie them on the end of a stick, and it will make a very good broom until you can get another new one."

So Uncle Wiggly tied a bunch of ferns on a stick, and made such a nice broom that Nurse Jane liked it very much. And the Pipsiswah didn't get any worse after all. And if the looking glass at the clothes basket party doesn't make funny faces at the bread pudding, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly and the sneezing sunshine.

#### TOURS THE INTERIOR

**Mrs. C. D. Neroutos, Education Secretary of Navy League, Lectures.**

Mrs. C. D. Neroutos, Educational Secretary of the British Columbia Division of the Navy League of Canada, has just returned from a trip embracing the interior of the province, and she reports a lively interest in Navy League affairs, and all that appertains to the history of the sea.

The trip occupied two weeks and during that time many points were visited. Mrs. Neroutos met J. Irvine, Secretary of the Alberta Division, at Field, the latter being equipped with the League's moving picture machine and slides used for the purpose of spreading Navy League propaganda. The two addressed packed meetings and during the course of the tour hundreds of school children were told the story of the British Navy and the Merchant Marine.

Follow Victoria Women's Lead.—At the meeting of the Vancouver Local Council of Women on Monday last the members decided to take steps to establish a hostel for nursing sisters in Vancouver similar to that to be opened here. Mrs. A. U. de Penle reported for the annual meeting of the Victoria Local Council, to which she was a delegate, stating that the Local Council there had nominated a candidate for aldermanic honours, and suggested that Vancouver might be "thinking along the same lines."

Aped Women's Home.—The Committee of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home wish to thank the following for donations: The Times and Colonist for papers; Miss Mary Spencer for flowers and cakes; Mrs. Cookson for papers; Mrs. E. L. Higgins, milk; Mrs. Todd, papers; and Mrs. (Dr.) Russell's Bible class for a very enjoyable entertainment. Red Cross work handed in during the month included twenty-four pair of socks and three sweaters.

## IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

**Social Personal**

Mrs. C. S. Albright, of Calgary, arrived in the city yesterday.

Edward A. Hough, of San Francisco, is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Loveridge, of Saskatoon, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Harry Webb, of Winnipeg, have registered at the Empress Hotel.

Lieut. J. H. Davies and V. Freeman, of Kinnel Park, have reached the city from overseas.

Mrs. M. Mutrie, of this city, has gone up to Pentelton, in the Okanagan Valley, on a visit to Mrs. C. Beatty.

G. C. McGeer, M. P. P. for Richmond, and Mrs. McGeer were among the guests registered at the Alice Hotel, Harrison Hot Springs, recently.

Mr. Justice Eberts and Capt. and Mrs. Eberts have been spending the past few days in Vancouver, where they are guests at the Hotel Vancouver.

Lester Patrick went to Vancouver yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Joseph Fall, the member of the late Canadian hockey team who died in Seattle.

Mrs. George Davis went over to Vancouver on Monday accompanied by her grandson, Teddie Temple. She will remain in the Mainland city for two weeks, as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sparkes, Semlin Drive.

Major-General R. G. Edwards Leckie, C. M. G., G. O. C., M. D. 11, has come over to Vancouver, where he will address a meeting of the General Leckie Chapter, I. O. D. E., at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. D. Gillies, this afternoon.

Mrs. Duff and Mrs. McLennan were among the Mainland delegates who arrived in the city to-day to attend the annual meeting of the Provincial Women's Missionary Society. They are representing the W. M. S. of the Chalmers Church, Vancouver.

Hon. Dr. and Mrs. J. H. King, who returned from Vancouver on Sunday, have as their guest for a few days, Graeme, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King, of Vancouver. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Coleman, of Winnipeg, were the guests of Mrs. King, leaving on the night boat for Vancouver en route for the East.

The many friends of Mrs. E. A. Taylor, of 1059 St. Patrick Street, will regret to hear of the bereavement she has suffered in the loss of her sister, Mrs. Hoyt, who passed away in Vancouver on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Taylor, and her daughter Miss Doris Taylor, were called to Vancouver on Friday last by the serious illness of Mrs. Hoyt.

Major J. Brechin, who went overseas with the 102nd Battalion, and later transferred to a forestry battalion, returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon. He was met in Vancouver by Mrs. Brechin, who went over to the mainland on Monday evening. During their brief stay in the mainland city Major and Mrs. Brechin were the guests of the latter's sister, Miss A. Hilliam, of Haro Street.

Miss Thel Bridges, an Easter bride-elect, was the guest of honor at a surprise party given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bridges, of Cloverdale, last night. Miss Bridges is a member of the choir of St. Mark's Church, and a number of her fellow-christians and friends attended the happy little gathering and showered the bride-elect with numerous gifts in honor of her approaching marriage.

Mrs. W. E. Sanford, President of the National Council of Women, is on her way to the coast, and will address the Vancouver Local Council on Monday next. The president and officers, conveners of standing committees, representatives of affiliated societies and the elected delegates are by the kindness of Lady Barnard invited to Government House to meet Mrs. Sanford on Friday at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. L. A. Walker, of Vancouver, accompanied by her baby daughter, has arrived in the city on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Grace Davenport, of Hampton Court. She will remain here for some weeks, pending the arrival of her brother, Lieut. Milton C. Davenport, of the U. S. Army. Lieut. Davenport is expected to arrive on Monday, accompanied by his two cousins, Mrs. Caldwell and Miss Ruth Patterson, of Texas, and will be the guest of his mother for some time.

Lady Lougheed entertained at a bridge on Monday afternoon in the blue room of the Hotel Vancouver. The guests included Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Elberts, of Victoria, Mrs. Creighton, Mrs. Douglas Creighton, Mrs. Bonafille, Mrs. Percy Geddes, Mrs. Norman Lougheed, Mrs. George E. Macdonald, Mrs. Langford, Mrs. Sydney Gibb, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. C. H. Macaulay, Mrs. W. H. Merritt, Mrs. McCarter of Calgary, Miss Cameron, Mrs. Norman Lougheed

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### CHAPTER MAKES MANY GENEROUS DONATIONS

Local Undertakings Not Forgotten by Lady Douglas Chapter

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., held its regular monthly meeting at headquarters yesterday afternoon. Mrs. R. B. McMicking, the regent, presiding. The business included the hearing of an excellent report from Mrs. Worlock of the annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter, and from Mrs. Colin Cummins of the work of the Conservation of Waste Committee.

Conservation of Waste.

Mrs. Cummins announced that after sending a donation of \$10 to the Comrades of the Great War for their tag day, the sum of \$24.15 was left in the committee's treasury. She expressed her thanks to Mayor Porter for his assistance in removing the Waste Depot from the premises formerly occupied by the present quarters over Terry's store on Fort Street, and thanks to Mr. Terry for generously placing this room at the committee's disposal. In this connection Mrs. Cummins stated that there were still a number of tins available for sale.

Miss Gill reporting for the field comforts, stated that 34 pairs of socks and 4 sweaters had been handed in by members during the past month. The regent gave a comprehensive report of the change taken by the chapter in welcoming home the men of the 2nd C. M. R., to whom the chapter had given cards of welcome and cigarettes as well as contributing to the refreshments.

Generous Donations.

Following the reading of Mrs. J. D. Gordon's excellent report on work in the military hospitals, the chapter voted the sum of \$100 to the carrying on of this work. A donation of \$25 was passed to Mrs. Appleby of the Soldiers' Graves Committee for the completion of soldiers' graves at Ross Bay cemetery. The members also voted a donation of \$10 to the Local Council of Women.

Correspondence read during the meeting included a letter from the Comrades of the Great War expressing thanks for the chapter's gift of six dozen sheets and pillowcases; books for furniture, for the donation of \$10 from the chapter's funds towards the tag day collection and for a similar sum from the Conservation of Waste Committee. Mrs. Thomas, regent of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, wrote calling the members' attention to the "Seven Ages of Woman" sale to be held at the Victoria Club on April 24.

Roll of Honor.

Members of the chapter who have received war clasps were reminded to send in the name, regiment, particulars and when wounded and of decorations, if any, of their relatives who have seen service. To Mrs. W. H. H. of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, who is in charge of the honor roll. At yesterday's meeting five new members were added to the chapter's roster.

Ladies' Auxiliary Army and Navy Veterans.—Do not forget Silver tea, Saturday, April 12, 3 to 6 p. m., 212 Pemberton Bldg.

## Coats and Capes

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THOSE women who will be choosing their Easter Coat during the next few days will take delight in the extensive showing of new and original modes that we are now featuring. The smart garments that we introduce to you here represent the handsomest and most distinguished styles of the season. Women who appreciate fineness of quality and careful tailoring as well as ultra-smart lines will be particularly pleased with these models. Prices from \$32.50 to \$105.00.

Dolman Coats and Capes from \$49.50 to \$97.50.

### Easter Finery for Junior Girls

These exquisite lingerie Dresses reflect the new styles in a most satisfactory manner.

The assortment includes dresses of sheer white voiles, and muslins trimmed with the daintiest of laces and embroideries. They are in sizes for girls of 1 to 12 years—\$2.50 to \$12.50.

### Smart Veils

Play a prominent part in women's appearance. We are showing all the newest meshes in hexagon, octagon and square meshes with various dots and scrolls, many featuring chiffon edges. All the becoming colors to go with the Spring Hat. Prices—\$5¢ to \$4.50.

### Blouses in Chic Styles

Blouses that are worthy of the prominent part that they must play in a woman's Easter garb are here displayed in refreshing styles and beauty. We have many attractive models of georgette that are shown in a wide range of full and delicate tones and trimmed with either beaded or embroidered designs.

The charming developments of the round and square neck and the new novelty cuffs are worthy of your notice.

We are featuring elegant models from \$10.00 to \$35.00.

### Pique Collar and Cuff Sets

Smartly tailored Sets in a splendid selection of new styles. We have them from \$1.50 to \$2.25.

### A Novelty Vestee to Add Charm to Your Costume

It is surprising how one of these accessories will "set off" the appearance of your Spring Costume. We have a very complete assortment in pique, jersey silk, and various novelty silks and satin. Prices from \$2.00 to \$10.00.

### Trefousse Gloves for Women

The popular Gloves for women at all seasons. Trefousse Kid Gloves, in white, white with black trimmings, tans, navy, beaver, champagne, and French grey—\$2.50 a pair.

Trefousse Kid Gloves, pique sewn in white, tan, champagne, or wine—\$2.50 a pair.

Trefousse Washable Kid Gloves, in white or white with black points, at \$3.00 a pair.

Trefousse Superior Kid Gloves, at \$3.25, \$3.50 and \$3.75 a pair.

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### PRIMROSES FOR RED CROSS.

There are over 1,200,000 primroses in bloom in the gardens of Victoria just now, next week there will not be nearly as many. This is why the Red Cross is conducting a bargain sale of primroses on Saturday, the headquarters for which will be in the Red Cross Building at 911 Government Street. The Committee in charge would like about half the available supply of primroses, say 600,000 picked and delivered at 911 Government Street on Friday, any time before 6 o'clock, so that they may be arranged ready for the rush on Saturday. The proceeds of this sale will be used for the local work of the Red Cross in this district. Gifts of primroses for this purpose will be gratefully received all day on Friday.

### Every girl needs one Georgette Crepe Blouse. This week we are showing many lovely new Georgettes at from \$6.50 up.

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### ATTENDANCE INCREASES

Number of pupils at Public Schools Shows Upward Tendency.

Probably on account of the disappearance of influenza, the average attendance at the Public Schools of Victoria in March was considerably over that of February, and was a substantial increase over the corresponding month of 1918.

Statistics of the various schools for March were as follows: High, 675; Boys' Central, 404; Girls' Central, 471; Bank Street, 165; Beacon Hill, 131; Burnside, 223; Cook, 31; Fernwood, 63; George Jay, 423; King's Road, 133; Kingston Street, 210; Margaret Jenkins, 256; North Ward, 339; Oaklands, 291; Quadra Street, 239; Sir James Douglas, 445; South Park, 346; Spring Ridge, 206; Special, 373; Victoria West, 373. Total, 5,524. This is an increase for the corresponding time over last year of 282, and over February of this year of 104.

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WOMEN DEBATE ON PUBLIC HEALTH PLANS
Frank Discussion on Issues Tending to Improve Physical Condition of Citizens
The matter of public health, and the various factors contributing to it, were the principal topics discussed at the conference of the Women's Department of the Victoria Reconstruction Group at the morning session.

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COL. LORNE ROSS ON INDUSTRIAL FUTURE
Well-Known Officer Speaks on Present Conditions in British Columbia
Lt-Colonel Lorne Ross, D. S. O., special representative of the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, has just returned from Ottawa, where he reported to the Government on industrial and employment conditions in the Province of British Columbia.

Labels on Loaves Attached in Baking
Stamping of Bread Would Be Impracticable, in Bakers' Opinion
In answer to a letter which was received by the City Council on Monday evening local bakers state that labels are apparently the most satisfactory means yet devised for marking bread.

How to Make a Real Wrinkle Remover
In these days of cleverly advertised "beautifiers" and "rejuvenators" it is hard for a woman to believe she can make a simple home remedy for the removal of wrinkles which will do her more good than the average made preparation.

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MAJOR HALL HOME
After an absence of four years from this city Major George Hall, D.S.O., returned to Victoria yesterday.
During the various changes to the Battalion he became separated from his pal, Jack March, with whom he enlisted. Following the declaration of the armistice the latter was ordered to Germany with the army of occupation.

Build up for the Spring Attack! Put the body in condition for an invasion of the germs of grip, pneumonia or "Spring fever."
At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin and white lips.

Winnipeg's Efforts.
Mrs. Perry, of Winnipeg, gave a review of the work accomplished by the League of Winnipeg which investigated the conditions obtaining in that city and finding them derogatory to public health recommended a "clean-up week."

Stabilizing Living Cost.
Asked as to how he found cost of living throughout the Province, Col. Ross said that this was a matter in which he was strongly in favor of applying to this Province the system adopted in the United States, namely, the appointment of an outstanding man in an advisory capacity on industrial boards to study the problem of reducing and stabilizing the prices of food-stuffs, textiles and so on.

WITNESSED RIOTS AT KINNEIL CAMP
Pte. Gordon Archibald who was present at Kinneil Park, Rhyll, when the recent riots took place there, has returned to Victoria after three years of service. He will leave for his home at Cowichan Lake immediately.

OBITUARY RECORDS

The funeral of the late Robert Richards who passed away on March 25 will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Friday morning at 10.30.
The funeral of the late Peter Schlans, who passed away on March 21, will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Friday morning at 8.45, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be solemnized at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

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TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Royal Victoria—Dorothy Gish in "The Hope Chest."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Dominion—Marguerite Clark in "Little Miss Hoover."

ROYAL VICTORIA

To be different from any one else in the world and still to be liked by every one who knows you, is the desire of Dorothy Gish, who will be seen in a picture of Mark Lee Luther's book, "The Hope Chest," at the Royal Victoria for four days commencing to-day.

Miss Gish has created every part of importance she has ever played. She finds things to do that are original, funny, and highly entertaining. Her every action is something that has never been seen on any screen at any time, and she has a new way of doing everything that is done on the stage.

While at work in the studio she is a constant source of surprise to every one around her. If she is not "cutting up" with the director or playing tricks on some one she is sitting in some secluded corner figuring out the next move that will bring a round of laughter from the company or in many cases at her own expense.

Her director, Elmer Clifton, says he never knows what she is going to do next, and she very enthusiastically agrees with him and says she doesn't either. Her work on the screen is spontaneous, much of it entirely different from the way it was rehearsed, and every bit of it is natural.

In "The Hope Chest" Miss Gish has a delightful role, and her support is made up of picked players from the David W. Griffith studio. George Pawcett, the veteran actor, has an important part, while Richard Barthelmess plays opposite to the star.

DOMINION

Throughout the war prominent society women of wealth and high social standing, did not disdain to do their bit to render the struggles of democracy against autocratic militarism successful. Among these was Nancy Craddock.

Service First

VARIETY

TO-DAY MAE MARSH in "The Racing Strain" Also Episode 3 HOUDINI THE MASTER MYSTERY

COLUMBIA

TO-DAY BERT LYTELL in "Unexpected Places" Also 8th Chapter "THE WOMAN IN THE WEB" Comedy

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE

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ROMANO

TO-DAY William Russell in "All the World to Nothing" Also TOTO COMEDY

COLUMBIA

COMING—THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

PAULINE FREDERICK

IN

"Her Final Reckoning"

A Paramount Feature

a charming young woman of Washington, D. C., who adopted as her slogan the motto, "eggs will win the war" and who went to a farm and raised chickens in behalf of American troops in France.

In her new photoplay, "Little Miss Hoover," which is now at the Dominion Theatre, Marguerite Clark appears as Nancy, and it is said to be one of her most artistic creations. As stated, the story deals with a Washington society girl, who resolves to do her bit toward winning the war by enlisting in the army of the Food Administration. Accordingly, she buys a pedigreed White Leghorn rooster and six beautiful Leghorn hens and goes farming.

In the course of her efforts she reunites her grandfather with her grand-uncle who had fought on opposite sides in the Civil War, changes a fading Maryland estate into a modern win-the-war farm, gets rid of a suitor to whom she has promised herself, annexes a gentleman whom she has grown to love and makes everybody happy.

John S. Robertson directed Miss Clark and they went to Washington for the first scene, which have the streets of the Capitol City and the White House for their background. The leading man is Eugene O'Brien.

VARIETY

Springing upon an assailant from behind and grabbing at the throat with all one's strength is the newest way of overpowering a villain, as introduced by Mae Marsh in a thrilling scene of "The Racing Strain," her latest picture, which is this week's attraction at the Variety. The golden star is subjected to some rough handling before she surprises her antagonist with her leg and her throat hold. Houdini, the magic worker, is also featured on the current Variety programme in the third episode of the big serial, "The Master Mystery."

ROMANO

"That everything in life is more or less a gamble" is fairly well substantiated in "All the World to Nothing," the William Russell feature which will appear on the Romano screen for the last time to-day. It opens with a three-night poker game where Richard Chester gambles away a fortune.

The next venture is where he marries to save himself from arrest, and becomes the husband of an heiress whom he has never seen before and whose fortune will be of no benefit to him.

COLUMBIA

Bert Lytell, who will be seen as the star of "Unexpected Places" at the Columbia for the last time to-day is not content with being known to fame only as an actor, but also has aspirations as an author and playwright.

In making the screen version of "Unexpected Places," which was adapted from the story of that name written by Lieut. Frank E. Adams and published in the Blue Book Magazine, A. S. Levino, scenario, writer for Mero, collaborated with Mr. Lytell.

PANTAGES

The new Pantages headliner is a girl-and-music production away above the average in tabloids, and filled with plenty of surprises for the audiences. Humor is the big element in the feature and it is supported by plenty of other attractiveness to make an entirely satisfactory offering. The costuming and stage setting is unusually elaborate. This is shown particularly in the "Bachelor" number which is costumed with the most elaborate novelties such as are seen only at the New York Winter Garden. The music was especially written for this act by Joseph Burrows, a composer of the young school who is becoming famous for his work in some of the Winter Garden productions. The numbers are tuneful and catchy. Dave Seed is the

DOMINION

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Marguerite Clarke in "Little Miss Hoover"

Mack Sennett Comedy, "CUPID'S DAY OFF"

Also Chester Outing Films, "SCALES TO ANTLERS"

DOMINION

star comedian of the offering and works the act up to a fitting climax of merriment for a successful bill of six acts.

POLLYANNA GLADDENS HEART OF AUDIENCE

Rays of Sunshine in Delightful Drama Quickly Chase Away All Clouds of Gloom

A lesson in good cheer, taught with much laughter and a few tears, is contained in the delightful drama, "Pollyanna," which gladdened the hearts of the audience at the Royal Victoria Theatre last night.

The delicate pathos and the bubbling joy of the character created by Eleanor Porter was portrayed with rare understanding and appreciation by Viola Harper. Her pathetic attempt to "be glad" under the most perverse circumstances and her ability to radiate happiness among everyone about her were the most charming feature of Catherine Chisholm Cushing's strong play.

Pollyanna's coming from her missionary home to live with her extremely proper aunt, her cold reception but wonderful knock-out punch into smiles, and smiles into rippling laughter form a romance in which the talent of the star and her support is given wide scope.

In the strong role of King Grouch George Allison displays a complete mastery over a difficult part and he, too, in the eyes of the hearts of the audience when brought under the ray of Pollyanna's irresistible sunshine.

Jimmy Bean is a character in the creation of which the author has shown a complete understanding of children, and in this guise little Billy Blaisdell wins more of his share of everyone's heart.

Herbert Fortier as the jolly doctor, Blanche Douglas as the aunt, and Winifred Hanley as Nancy, the maid, render Pollyanna a delightful surprise. The Ladies' Aidlers are parts humorously handled by Helen Tracy, Gertrude Rivers and Helen Gurney, while in the less important roles Frederick Cartwright and Jack Morton maintained the high standard of acting so evident throughout the whole production.

AT CROSSROADS ON TABLELAND OF ASIA

Rev. A. Moore Has Been Among Many Peoples on Roof of the World

Life on the roof of Asia presents many singular features, among peoples of whom the world knows little hitherto. Rev. A. Moore, of the China Inland Mission, who is now visiting in the city with Mrs. Lambert, Government Street, has made a close study of the races in the high altitudes of western China, in Kan-su province, Turkistan and Tibet. While his headquarters have been at Lan-chow-Fu in Kan-su, his work has taken him right through the deserts, and amid the mountains of the central territory which buttress the Asiatic plateau.

While naturally a keen observer of racial and religious types, his interest in history and archaeology of the lands from which so many centuries ago Genghis Khan set out to conquer the world has been stimulated by the explorations of Sir Aurel Stein, the Oriental antiquarian. He had the good fortune to meet the explorer, whose work has since revolutionized the world's knowledge of Central Asia, during Stein's second period of archaeological research, and talk over with him on the actual scene of his explorations into forgotten nations. Those discoveries dealt largely with peoples who flourished when Rome was at the zenith of power, and whose civilization in homes, in agriculture, and in trade vied with the departed glories of the Euphrates Valley and the Nile delta. The Sandstorms now blow in a trackless desert where smiling orchards were once watered by a river which has now disappeared.

Still Caravan Routes.

To-day, says Mr. Moore, the only routes across the Turkestan desert are those of the caravans, by which the mediaeval trade to and from China was conducted. The Buddhists, Mahomedans and Confucians move about in the same way as their ancestors, knowing little of the world, and but slightly affected by the dissensions which tear China asunder. In fact, he says, they have been scarcely touched by the series of revolutions which have occupied Chinese politicians since the overthrow of the Manchus. One of the factors which have saved Kan-su, the northwestern province which is wedged in between the outer nations of China, Tibet, and the Nile delta, the most equal division of the province from a religious standpoint between the Chinese, and the Turkish peoples professing the religion of Islam.

On the Borderland.

Although on the border-line, and so far from railway service, everything having to be packed by mule or cart, the city where he makes his headquarters has electric light in the administrator's yamen, and a modern bridge spans the river. However much of the interior of the Province is essentially in a wild state, without the influence of any outside force.

From a Christian standpoint, he adds, there is a great field for work, though the missions are few. On his travels he has seen a substantial display of British and American articles, decreasing of course as the war shut off intercourse east and west and south, with a small supply of Russian-made goods. Japanese commodities have begun to find their way even into the remote villages of the plateau.

He proposes to tell something of his work, of travel, and conditions in that part of the world at a meeting to-night at Victoria West, under the auspices of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, at 7.30 o'clock.

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UNIVERSITY CORPS RECEIVES TROPHY

Presentation by Lady Barnard of Cup Given by Vancouver I. O. D. E.

An interesting ceremony took place at the University School, Mt. Tolmie, yesterday afternoon, when Lady Barnard presented to the school cadets corps the handsome trophy won by them in 1918 as the track corps of the Province. The cup is the gift of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., of Vancouver, and among the visitors who witnessed the function yesterday were a number of the local officers and members of the order.

Old Boys' Fine Record.

The corps presented a smart and soldierly appearance when drawn up for review by Lady Barnard, and she made a gracious little speech complimenting them on their splendid achievements. The company was then addressed by the Rev. W. W. Bolton, who made special reference to the work of the donors of the cup, the Daughters of the Empire, congratulating them upon their splendid record of war service.

The headmaster, J. C. Barnacle, in a

brief address, recorded that the school had sent some 260 old boys to the front, all of them former members of the Cadet Corps. Over one hundred of these had held commissions, while seventeen had won Military Crosses, three Military Medals, one the D. S. O., one the Croix de Guerre and three were mentioned in dispatches.

Many Trophies.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the visitors were entertained at tea by Mrs. Barnacle in the Warden's room, where the table was aglow with flame-colored tulips and yellow daffodils. The guests availed themselves of the opportunity to view the splendid collection of cups, shields and trophies won by the students in the sports field, and which formed a handsome mural decoration to the room in which tea was served.

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Army and Navy Veterans in Canada.—General monthly meeting Thursday, April 10, 8.15 p. m., Belmont Bldg.

Police Dance, Wednesday, April 9, 8.30 to 11.30. Ozard's Orchestra.

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### PIONEERS ORGANIZE

First Canadian Pioneer Club Formed Last Night; to Hold Dinner on April 23.

Returned members of the First Canadian Pioneer Battalion, which left here in the summer of 1915, under command of Lieut.-Col. Hodgins, met in the Belmont House last evening and decided to organize a club to be officially known as the First Canadian Pioneer Club. The objects of the club will be to further the interests of the members of the battalion, principally in respect to their restoration to industrial occupation, as a large number of the men who left with the unit were mechanics and artisans. The club will also use its power in the best interests of the city and will take part in any move which will be beneficial to Victoria.

A committee, with Col. Hodgins as its chairman, has been appointed to deal with industrial problems and to draft a constitution for the club.

The members decided to hold a reunion dinner in the Dominion Hotel on April 23.

### Lawn Mowers Ground—Keen razor-like edge.

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### The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist Church will hold a sale of work on Thursday afternoon and evening, April 10, in the church. There will be tables for fancy work, home cooking, plain sewing, children's work, candy, ice cream and tea will be served.

### Ladies' Auxiliary Army and Navy Veterans—Do not forget Silver Tea, Saturday, April 12, 3 to 6 p. m., 212 Pemberton Bldg.

### Egg Crocks—1 gall. 45c; 2 gall. 80c; 3 gall. \$1.20; 4 gall. \$1.60; 5 gall. \$2.00; 6 gall. \$2.40; Water Glass, 35c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

### Lodge Princess Alexandra, No. 16, Daughters and Maids of England. Regular meeting Thursday, April 10 at 7.30 sharp. After meeting a social for the welcoming of two sisters back from overseas. All members requested to attend. S. G. Bridges, Secretary.

### Police to Be Gay To-night.—The police dance to be given at the headquarters building, Fisgard Street, promises to be a grand affair. Ozard's Orchestra will furnish the music and dancing will be from 8.30 o'clock to 11.30 o'clock. Practically all the tickets for the affair have been disposed of and as the police have the reputation of being "hosts of the best," a good time is assured.

### Vocational Training for Young Soldiers.—In the advertising columns will be found a notice requesting all young men who have seen service in the Canadian forces, and who wish to take advantage of a vocational training course to send their names and particulars to the General Secretary, B. C. Returned Soldier Commission, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

### Stomach So Bad THOUGHT HE WOULD DIE CAN EAT ANYTHING NOW.

But for indigestion and dyspepsia, many a life might be a pleasant one. The misery which stomach troubles caused the sufferer knows only too well, and any one who has suffered knows what joy it would give to be able to eat three good meals a day and not be punished for it after.

Nearly everything that enters a weak stomach acts as an irritant, and even the little that is eaten causes such torture and is digested so imperfectly that it does little good.

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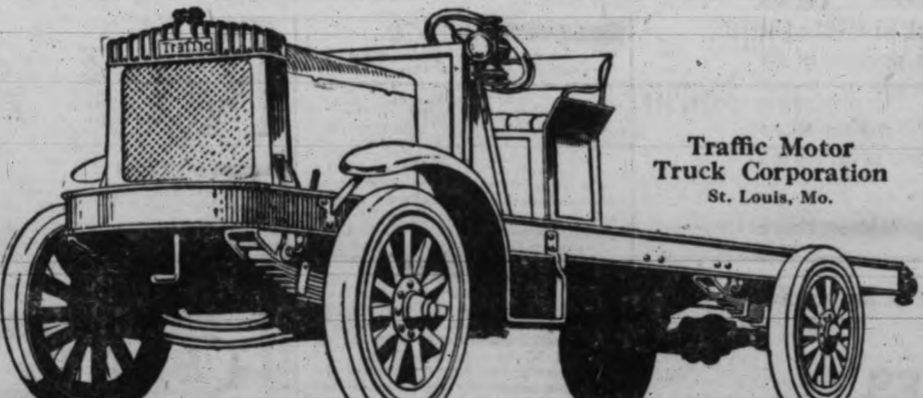
Mr. H. L. Fairweather, Cumberland Bay, N. B., writes: "I was troubled with my stomach for two years, and sometimes was so bad I thought I would die. I tried everything I ever heard-tell of, and had medicine from three doctors, but continued to grow worse. One day I read of some wonderful cures made with Burdock Blood Bitters. After taking two bottles, I could eat any kind of food without any bad effects, and by the time I had taken four I was in perfect health." Burdock Blood Bitters is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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### MAJOR BRECHIN BACK FROM FRANCE TO-DAY

Saw Twenty-Eight Months' Service in France

After twenty-eight months' service in France, Major James Brechin, formerly of the 225th Kootenay Battalion and latterly with the Forestry Corps, returned to the city this morning to rejoin his wife and family of three, who have been resident in Victoria since the Major left for duty overseas.

The Major is an old friend of the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, upon whom he called at the Parliament Buildings this morning.

Prior to leaving for France Major Brechin held captain's papers, but in order to get into the fray he reverted to the rank of lieutenant, gaining his majority on the field.

While serving with the 225th in the Lens sector Major Brechin was badly shaken up by the explosion of a shell. He was in the act of entering a trench in company with his sergeant when both were precipitated violently into it by the force of the explosion.

Following hospital treatment for shock the Major was invalided to the Forestry Corps and placed in charge of an aeroplane spruce mill shipping the prepared material to Paris.

Major Brechin will remain in the city with his family for the time being.

### ESQUIMALT COUNCIL TO CONSIDER HOUSING

Will Deliberate Carefully Before Undertaking Administration of Fund

The Dominion Housing Scheme will probably come up for discussion at the next meeting of the Esquimalt Council on Monday evening. The Council has not yet decided whether it will administer the money allocated to it under the scheme and in order to have a clearer idea of the whole proposal it has invited R. H. Poulley, M.P.F., to present to the council further information. As with other municipalities Esquimalt realizes the responsibilities entailed in the administration of the fund, and is anxious to know just where it stands before going ahead. On the other hand, it is not desirous of losing the money altogether, as the city fears it may do by refusing to administer it.

It is probable that consideration of the Esquimalt estimates will be concluded at the next meeting. They will probably include such extra appropriations as \$5,000 for the laying of macadam tar surface on part of Esquimalt Road and about \$1,000 for the purchase of a truck for municipal work. It is understood that members of the Council are pressing for the early survey of the Lang Cove area in order that the present irregularities in property boundaries may be straightened out before other buildings are erected in the vicinity.

### Stole a Watch.—Damar Johnson, colored, was sentenced in the police court this morning to three months' imprisonment for stealing a watch owned by Engineer Goodwin, of the tug Beatrice. The watch was worth \$40, and Johnson sold it to a second-hand dealer for \$7.

### SEVERAL MENTIONED FOR IMPORTANT JOB

Mayor Gale Has Company in Race for Commissionership.

His Worship Mayor Gale, of Vancouver, is by no means alone in his aspirations for the highly important post of Public Utilities Commissioner. It is understood, however, that there will be no appointment made by the Government for a few days, or at least until the relative merits of all applicants can be properly examined by the Executive Council. And while there is a desire to fill the post as quickly as possible, the nature of the duties that will devolve upon the successful applicant, is undoubtedly governing the Cabinet in its desire to avoid a hasty decision.

In addition to Mayor Gale, both Mr. Justice Murphy and Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald have been mentioned, although it is thought unlikely that either would leave his position on the bench to accept the Commissionership. Other members of the legal fraternity freely mentioned in connection with the post are Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., and Douglas Armour, K. C., as well as a Mr. Macdonald, a returned soldier-harrier of Vancouver.

C. H. Hunt, who filled the position of City Engineer here until recently, also appears on the list of those whose names have been mentioned, but who, it is stated, have made no formal application for the job. Major H. St. J. Montzambert, a brother of the local manager of the Bank of Montreal, who was for some time engaged with the British Recruiting Mission in California after his service in France, is also regarded as the choice of the Great War Veterans' Association.

Several members of the Legislature are also believed to possess ideas on the subject of the Public Utilities Commissionership; but so far as can be ascertained have not definitely applied for special consideration.

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### FORMER COMMISSIONER TO WINNIPEG OFFICE

L. B. Beale Commences Duties for Imperial Government of Canada

The Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, left the city on last night's boat for Vancouver on matters of a Departmental nature. He was accompanied by L. B. Beale, former Lumber Commissioner for this Province in Europe, and now His Majesty's Trade Commissioner to Canada, with headquarters in Winnipeg.

During his short stay in the city Mr. Beale placed himself in touch with the several business organizations as well as with all the leading industrial establishments. He conferred with the President of the Board of Trade on several matters relating to the future development of this section of Vancouver Island. While on the Mainland last week Mr. Beale similarly went very carefully into industrial conditions there.

Speaking to a representative of The Times prior to his departure, Mr. Beale expressed the view that his particular knowledge of British Columbia's needs would stand him in good stead and enable him to keep an eye on the interests of the Province in all matters where business on a practical basis can be thrown this way.

Automobiles Collide.—Two motor cars collided at the corner of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street at 11 o'clock this morning. Although one of the cars was slightly damaged no one was injured. Dr. Vye, medical officer of Saanich, was driving one of the cars.

D. C. M. Man is Home.—Corpl. James Lawrence, D. C. M., of the Fort Garry Horse, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lawrence, of 1513 Ebor Street, has returned to this city after nearly four years overseas' service. He left here with the 54th Battalion. He won his D. C. M. during the latter days of

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the war when the Fort Garry Horse was only slightly damaged and he did not think it necessary to report the matter, which represented only a nominal sum to repair.

Failed to Report Accident.—For failing to report an automobile accident, Sealrook Young was fined \$5 in the police court this morning. Mr. Young explained that he was taking home some returned C. M. R. men and accidentally struck a bicycle. The wheel

Returning on Saturday, Eke. A. Hughes, who left here with the 48th Battalion, will arrive in Victoria on Saturday, accompanied by his wife and child.



# VICTORIA NORTHWEST WORLD

## ORGANIZER FORESEES SUCCESSFUL SEASON

### Bob Brown Thinks Victoria Ripe for a Big Ball Revival

Jack McNulty, catcher; Young Hoffman, first baseman and catcher; W. Morton, pitcher; Jimmy Clark, pitcher; Armstrong, shortstop; Corrigan, first baseman; Easterly, outfielder; Pat Cullen, outfielder; Nick DeMaggio, outfielder.

Speaking on the Victoria Club in the International Northwest League at a meeting held last night, Manager Jim Brown announced that the boys as mentioned above have been secured to jump into a Victoria baseball uniform to put the island club head of the pennant race this season. Another good outfielder, and a strong second baseman, and the Victoria club will be in readiness for the opening games on April 25. Jimmy Hamilton has dropped from the managerial position that he had been billed to hold, and the Victoria club was temporarily set back as a result. It is probable that Ted Easterly, when he gets to Victoria, will be appointed playing manager of the team.

#### Here in a Few Days.

Most of the players are in California at the present time, and the transportation is being sent to get them in Victoria ready to work out during the next two or three days, in readiness for the exhibition game Friday, April 18.

F. J. O'Brien presided at the meeting held last night when Dunc Hamilton was elected president of the Victoria Club. W. Gibson, treasurer, and Jim Brown, business manager.

#### Enthusiastic Organizer.

Bob Brown, the organizer of the

league and a brother to the Victoria business manager, had a few words to say about baseball in the Northwest. "There will be a better chance to see good baseball than there has been since 1912," said Brown. "Overhead expenses have been cut down to an absolute minimum, and Victoria, I believe, has never been as ripe for base-



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ball as she is at the present time." By cutting down the overhead expenses, and by having the players play only two days a week, it meant clubs only had two days' expenses. The players would work four days a week and therefore would not be wholly dependent upon the salary they drew from baseball. This assured they would be able to get a higher class of baseball without paying a salary which the club was unable to stand. Hotel expenses would also be reduced to a minimum. He believed a man was a better baseball player if he worked as well as played ball. He had business obligations and was a more responsible man, and two nights' practice a week and two days in the league games was enough to keep a man in shape.

## AUSTRALIANS DEFEAT U. S. TENNIS PLAYERS

London, April 9.—In the first round of the covered court tennis championship at Queen's Club yesterday, the Australians, Stanley Doust and Aubrey Jones, defeated Major Mathew and Captain W. M. Washburn, of the American Army, 6-2, 6-0, 6-1.

## BOBBY MORGAN DEAD FROM SPANISH FLU

### Popular Athlete Who Played With Foundation Team Died at Seattle

Bobby Morgan, popular all-round athlete, who helped the Foundation puchchasers to carry off the championship of the city league, died on Monday night at Seattle from influenza. Bobby, although only nineteen years of age had had an athletic career that promised to place him in the front ranks in sporting circles. He played with equal aptitude, lacrosse, baseball, football, and hockey and his performance in hockey had made him a prospective player in the big league games.

#### Went Overseas.

At the beginning of the war Bobby went overseas with the 65th Regiment from Saskatoon, where he was living at the time. Soon after his return to Canada he went to James Island, and played lacrosse and baseball for the James Island team. When the hockey season came, his services were secured to play for Duthies team in Seattle, and he threw in his lot with the Foundation septette when the strike was on in the Sound City, helping the shipbuilders of Victoria to fight their way to the head of the league. He returned to Seattle to play baseball for Duthies this season, and would have made his appearance as catcher for the shipyard nine had not his career been so sadly ended.

#### Promising Youngster.

Morgan was one of the youngest goal tenders in hockey that ever played in a senior amateur championship, guarding the net for Saskatchewan when he was only sixteen years of age. The Saskatchewan team that year won the amateur championship. He also played catcher in Saskatchewan for the winning team of the baseball championship.

The body was brought to Victoria by his father, R. J. Morgan, of Fletcher Brothers, and a military funeral will take place on Friday afternoon.

## WANTS LALONDE FOR LACROSSE.

Vancouver, B. C., April 8.—Two members of the Canadian hockey team, Neway Lalonde and Odie Cleghorn, are wanted for Coast sports this summer. Lalonde's services would be acceptable to the "Jones," Vancouver's lacrosse magnate, while the International Northwest League baseball men are after Cleghorn.

Army and Navy Veterans in Canada. General monthly meeting Thursday, April 10, 8.15 p. m., Belmont Bldg.

## ANGELS TAKE FIRST COAST LEAGUE GAME

### Sacramento Lost to Oakland; Salt Lake Lost to Vernon

Los Angeles, April 9.—Los Angeles bunched hits in the thirteenth inning yesterday and took the opening game here of the Pacific Coast League season from Portland, 5-4. The game was hard-fought from start to finish, and both teams put up a high-class exhibition in the field.

About 8,000 persons attended, it was estimated. The first ball was pitched by Mayor F. Woodman and was caught by Frank Chance, well-known veteran major leaguer.

#### A Heavy Field.

Salt Lake City, April 9.—Vernon won the opening game of the season here to-day, 4-3. The attendance was approximately 7,500. The weather was cold and raw and the field was soft and heavy.

Babe Barton's home run in the seventh inning, with two on bases, spelled defeat for Salt Lake. Dell outplayed Leverenz.

#### Two Over the Fence.

Sacramento, April 9.—Sacramento lost to the Oakland club yesterday in the opening game for the Pacific Coast League season for 1919. Score, 4-2. Denny Wille, his big bat and a heavy wind blowing toward right field was responsible for the victory of Del Howard's club. In the third inning Wille hoisted one over the right field fence with nobody on, duplicating the feat again in the ninth, sending Buz Ariett in ahead of him with the winning run. Both Ariett and Piercy pitched effectively. Governor William D. Stephens pitched the first ball.

#### Ty Accepts Terms.

Augusta, Ga., April 9.—Ty Cobb left his home here yesterday to join the Detroit American League team to-day at Rock Hill, S. C., where the Tigers play an exhibition game. Cobb said he had accepted the terms offered him.

At Sacramento—R. H. E. Oakland..... 4 3 3 Sacramento..... 2 4 4 Batteries—Ariett and Mitze; Piercy and Fisher.

At Salt Lake—R. H. E. Vernon..... 4 3 1 Salt Lake..... 3 6 1 Batteries—Dell and Devormer; Leverenz and Spencer.

At San Francisco—R. H. E. Seattle..... 5 5 1 San Francisco..... 11 11 3 Batteries—Bowman, Mains, Malls, Bigbee and Land; Smith and McKee.

At Los Angeles—R. H. E. Portland..... 4 10 3 Los Angeles..... 5 11 5 Batteries—Fenwick, James and Baker; Brown, Fertis and Boles (12 innings).

Jacksonville, Fla., April 9.—Manager Wilbert Robinson, of the Brooklyn Nationals, announced to-day that Jack Snyder, catcher, had been released to Toronto of the International League.

## CUPS PRESENTED TO SOCCER CHAMPIONS

### Officers Re-elected at Annual Meeting of Football Association

Arthur Manson as President, and A. C. Hill, Secretary-Treasurer, were re-elected at the annual meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association held last night. J. F. Mosher was elected Vice-President. A. C. Hill and A. W. Bird, with Sergeant-Major Bradley as alternative were elected delegates to the British Co-



ARTHUR MANSON.

lumbia Football Association. Mr. Manson and Mr. Hill were nominated as President and Secretary-Treasurer respectively for the provincial body.

#### More Soccer.

Two more soccer games in Victoria are promised. The final for the McBride Shield will take place here on Good Friday, and a match between a Victoria team and a team from Nanaimo League may be arranged.

S. Abraham, for the Fragments, received the Garrison Cup for the championship of the City League, and Mr. Fawcett, of the Foundation Company, received the Tait Cup for the Foundation Company as the trophy for the championship of the Intermediate League.

A change in the constitution was made, making it necessary for players to be registered seven days before a game instead of four.

## VICTORIA TENNIS MAN TO ORGANIZE SPORTS

A special meeting has been called for all members of the Air Service Association in Vancouver who are interested in any sport. It is suggested that the association will be able to enter several strong teams in different leagues. They are planning to get in touch with the other teams that could not enter the City League and see what can be done concerning another league.

The committee which is in charge of the sports of the association includes G. E. Bailey, N. Usher, D. R. McCallum and T. A. Stringer. The latter is well known in the Air Force in connection with his management of the baseball team of the 42nd wing at Toronto. He is also a well-known Victoria man, being especially active in tennis circles.

## SPORTS EQUIPMENT FOR QUALICUM INVALIDS

Ten days ago the Red Cross called attention in these columns to the fact that the season for sports was opening and that there is need for tennis rackets, fishing tackle, cricket bats, golf clubs. Since then some golf clubs have been received and a little fishing tackle, but no cricket and tennis outfit. The situation as to cricket is complicated by the fact that the Red Cross has purchased the only two cricket bats at present available in the city. Now is the time for the veteran cricketer to hunt up an old bat and pads and take them to the Temple Building for the use of the returned men under treatment at Qualicum. The Red Cross will be able through the offer of a friend to have the bats oiled and put in shape for use.

As to tennis, it must be that the appeal was a little too early; there must be many dozens of people in the city that have rackets that they can spare for this purpose, and the Red Cross hopes for a generous response this week.

Games of all kinds play an important part in the treatment of the returned men, and besides the Red Cross intends to see that they get the enjoyment of it.

## FIGHT FOR RIGHT TO REPRESENT THE STATES

Boston, April 8.—Ashton Donze, New Orleans, 115 pounds; Frank B. Cassidy, New York, 135 pounds, and Sam Lagonia, New York, 158 pounds, earned the right to represent the United States at the boxing tournament in Scandinavia this summer, by winning their championship in their classes to-night at the annual competition of the A. A. U.

Donze defeated James Tomakuo, New York, who was the only 1918 champion entered in this year's bouts. E. F. Egan, of Denver, a member of the 121-pound class of the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale, won the heavyweight championship by defeating J. J. Tully, of New York. Egan was recently discharged from the service. He also took part in the 175-pound class, in which he was defeated in the semi-final round by Al Roche, of Boston, who won the final in that division. Other champions are: 125-pound class—W. P. Corbett, Boston; 108-pound class—D. Kamins, New York.

145-pound class—David Rosenberger, New York. Frank Grayber, of Pittsburg, who was entered in three classes, worked hard to win a title for that city, but failed. He forced Roche, of Boston, to an extra round in the 175-pound class final.

New York City boxers won most of the bouts, getting four championships, while Boston earned two and New Orleans and Denver one each. The bouts were hard fought and the decisions in the finals met with the approval of the 1,500 enthusiastic fans.

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### FUNERAL OF JOE HALL TOOK PLACE YESTERDAY

Vancouver, B. C., April 8.—The body of Joseph Henry Hall, veteran hockey player, who died in Seattle last Saturday, was interred here this afternoon in Mountain View Cemetery. The remains of the late member of Les Canadiens, of Montreal, were carried to the grave by men with whom he had been associated in his long athletic career—Lalonde, Couture and Berlanquette, of the Montreal team; Taylor and Griffis, of the Vancouver club, and Lester Patrik, of the Victoria club. Many of the Pacific Coast League players were present, as well as representatives of other athletic organizations.

The services were conducted by Rev. Harold G. King and Rev. Dr. E. A. Henry.

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### BRITISH EX-SOLDIERS TO THE DOMINIONS

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## VIMY ANNIVERSARY IS OBSERVED TO-DAY

Two Years Since Canadians Won Undying Fame on Historic Ridge

### MANY VICTORIANS SHARED IN EVENT

Some Reflections on the Counter Event Planned Year Ago

As the second anniversary of what is frequently described as Canada's greatest triumph in the Great World War, to-day will forever live fresh in the memory of the people of the Dominion as the day when its gallant sons firmly established the military reputation won at Ypres, the Somme and other sections by their brilliant capture of the German's dominant position at Vimy Ridge. Thousands of brave lads on that day made the supreme sacrifice to win undying fame for the Canadian army. Thousands who took part in the memorable battle will to-day look back upon the scene as they pore over an office ledger or carry on some other duty of ordinary life and for the moment hardly recognize themselves as the mud-covered, determined warriors they are able to picture in their mind's eye as they review the scene which they are able so vividly to picture again.

Then and Now. Along with every other city in Canada, there are many in Victoria who will have cause to grieve, although that grief will be considerably eased by the pride they feel that their loved ones should have died in securing that history which makes one proud to be a Canadian. It was the fighting qualities shown by the men from Canada two years ago to-day that for weeks filled the papers of the Allied countries with eulogies of the Canadian troops and made history which will be ever read with pride. To-day most of the men who took part in the great battle for Vimy Ridge—two years ago are either resting under a little white cross in France or carrying on duties which can hardly be reconciled with the man who took part in the famous action.

It requires an effort, great as may have been the impression created, to transport the scene of the returned man in Victoria to-day to the scene in France two years ago. The spring weather of the last few days is a sharp contrast to the hurricane storms and continual rain experienced in France for weeks previous to the attack on the Ridge. But around this time two years ago boys from Victoria, for months in water-filled shell holes and trenches, held a shell-torn front line at the foot of Vimy against the fierce bombardments of German artillery.

Period of Waiting. In brief spells of relief from front line duty they were practicing again and again in drill movements how the big advance over No Man's Land to the crest of the Ridge was to take place. Wearied with arduous duties in the line, carrying up ammunition in readiness for the great battle and numerous other duties they were in between times drilled and instructed in the duties upon which everything depended until, when the date set for Easter Sunday, every man knew exactly what particular part he had to play. A change in the date set for Easter Monday as the day for the big action and Easter Sunday saw the men lining the front line and jumping off trenches waiting tensely for the zero hour. How they plunged through the shell-torn territory to victory is history.

The Famous Ridge. One hundred thousand Frenchmen had given up their lives in the fight for possession of the Ridge, and once before the British gained the Ridge, but under the tremendous concentration of German guns were compelled to retire.

The dominating position, on high ground had been held for two years by the Germans, and was lavishly hemmed with wide belts of some of the toughest and longest barbed wire used in the war. It was certainly a big task, but was undertaken as confidently by the Canadian troops as if there was no possible chance of their failure. They pushed forward from line to line just as planned, to plant the blow at the vital core of the German system. They pushed forward from line to line as though meeting the enemy by appointment.

The attack began just as a rainy, stormy dawn was breaking, and it began in a manner which a Canadian veteran officer described as "the Somme's most terrific day, much more so." When the men reached the German front line it was hardly to be



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recognized as a result of the shelling of the previous days.

Terrific Force. An official description of the fierce onslaught which followed—the three days' bombardment declared that it was pressed with special and terrific force on the morning of April 9 from massed artillery and many field guns hidden in advanced positions. The greatest of the British guns bombarded the enemy positions on and behind the Ridge and trenches, dugouts and emplacements and roads were smashed to uselessness. An intense barrage of shrapnel from the field guns stretched by the indirect fire of hundreds of machine guns, followed along the front and at 5.30 a.m. the Canadian troops advanced in three waves of attack. Flurries of snow drifted over the battlefield as the Canadians left their jumping off trenches. Behind the rolling barrage the light was sufficient for manoeuvring purposes, and yet obscure enough to obstruct the range of vision and lessen the accuracy of fire by the German riflemen and machine gunners. The first stage of advance was made over ground indescribably tangled with obstacles of all sorts, with great mine craters, with thousands of shell holes which had churned the whole field into a vast puddle of mud, with crumbling trenches, coils and hedges of torn entanglements and barbed wire. But over this difficult ground, over and around the craters and tangles, into and under the fire of the enemy, the long lines of Canadian infantry moved forward steadily on the fringe of a rolling curtain of shrapnel fire.

By one o'clock in the afternoon the Canadians were in possession of the Ridge and were able to look down upon the level plains of Douai with the villages of Fausse, Vimy and Petit Vimy lying at their feet and not far beyond those of Baillieux, Atrieux and Mericourt.

A Year Ago. One-year ago to-day, the first anniversary of the taking of the Ridge, the Canadian Corps still found itself guardian of the sacred territory, despite vain boasts by the German command that their hordes would re-take the ground at all costs, and that within a round of the corps that most likely about dawn on April 9 the Hun would make an attempt to drive the Canadians from the high ground and thereby enable Ludendorff to continue his advance on the Somme. As long as Vimy held any further drives to the north or south were greatly imperiled and the ridge was salient into which the Boche was poking himself.

During the black days last spring the Canadian corps while not engaging in any serious fighting was called upon to give rapidly and hold a large frontage. When things went bad on the Somme the First Division was pulled out of the line at Loos and trekked to the Somme to jump into the fray, but on reaching there was ordered to re-tire to the Arras front. During the last days of March the whole corps was moving. The Fourth Division was sent in on the south end of the Ridge to bolster the line. The Boche had attacked in great force, and the 17th Scottish Corps had been ordered to evacuate the hill-crest of Monchy and retire to a line about four miles from Arras.

As a result of the great indentation which had been made on the Somme through the failure of the Fifth Army to hold fast, and the necessity of the Third Army to roll back its south flank to keep in touch with the Fifth, Vimy Ridge was in danger of being outflanked. The ridge was subjected to a heavy cross-fire, and if the Boche closed in much more to the south of Arras the ridge would have to be evacuated.

As an added protection against the attack which the Boche was reported to be preparing for taking the Ridge, a No Man's Land from five hundred to a thousand yards in width was opened up. The wounded, the infantry and machine gunners, a great advantage. They would be able to account for a large part of the attacking force before it reached the front line. The field artillery was arranged so as to give the greatest support to the Canadian troops. In most cases two guns from each battery were taken well forward, and used for sniping and general duty. The remaining four guns of each battery were dug in about three miles behind the front line, and were very seldom fired on anything but "S. O. S.'s." In this manner the rear guns would be able to pick up the Boche in case he came over, and in event of him getting through, could keep reducing the range for some time without the necessity of having to "hook in" and retire to a new position.

Failed to Come. While all these preparations were going on for many hours the front line labor men and Chinese were feverishly digging trenches all the way back from the Arras-Lens road to Mont. St. Eloi. The great attack was expected from the south, and most of the trenches were constructed so as to afford protection from that quarter. A frontal attack against the ridge would have been suicide. Dug in on high ground the Canadian machine-gunners would never have let a Boche get over.

And while the folk at home were wearing anxious looks and trying to find the silver lining, the Canadians on Vimy were waiting for Fritz. There were no doubts in their hearts as to what the result would be if the Boche came over. "He will get hell if he tries anything around here," they said. During the days of waiting instructions as to what was expected of every man in the corps were issued by General Currie, commander-in-chief. He informed them that there must be no retreat, that they must fight to the last

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So the Boche was expected over on April 9. The rumor had it that he would take the ridge back. During the previous night the artillery was shelled with a little H. E., and considerable gas, and was called upon to "stand to" on four different occasions. The troops "stood to" about an hour before dawn ready to greet the Boche with a regular avalanche of shells and bullets.

Dawn broke, but the Boche did not come.

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THIS!

I'D MOVE OUT THIS MINUTE  
ONLY I DON'T PAY ANY RENT  
HERE. I'LL ASK JEFF WHAT  
HE THINKS I OUGHT TO  
DO ABOUT IT!

JEFF, THIS IS SOME DUMP!  
LOOK AT THE DEAD CAT  
I FOUND IN MY BED-  
DUMMIT THAT THE LIMIT!  
I WAS WONDERING  
WHAT I OUGHT TO  
DO ABOUT IT!

WHY DON'T YOU  
ADVISE ME IT  
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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS**

**DIED**  
MARTYR—The death occurred April 8, at the Jubilee Hospital, of Martha Martyr, aged 43 years, beloved wife of Henry Martyr, 2411 8 Street, Cloverdale. Funeral service will take place Thursday, April 10, at 2:30 o'clock, from the Thomas Funeral Chapel, Bay St. W. Plinton officiating. Interment at Rose Bay Cemetery.

MORGAN—On April 7, at Seattle, R. G. Morgan (Bobby), only son of Mr. H. J. Morgan, of Fletcher Brothers, aged 19 years, and born in Ottawa. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his father, one sister, Miss Ethel Morgan, of Portage, Sask. He was a member of the Great War Veterans Association, of this city.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, the service being at the Grand Funeral Chapel at 1:45 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later service will be conducted at Christ Church Cathedral, by Dean G. S. Quainton. Interment will be made at Rose Bay Cemetery.

KING—On April 9, 1919, at No. 14 Stationary Hospital, Winnipeg, Francis, Norman, Sister Jessie-Nelson King, Medical Service, of cerebro spinal meningitis, aged 26 years and months, born at Stonyville, B. C., eldest daughter of the late Norman King, Commissioner, and granddaughter of the late Capt. J. M. King, R. N.

(Vancouver, B. C., and Montreal papers please copy.)

**IN MEMORIAM**  
WATERS—In loving memory of Pte. W. S. Waters, who was killed in action at Vimy Ridge, April 9, 1917.

He little thought when leaving home That he would not return,  
But now he lies in a lonely grave  
To those he loved so well,  
No loving message can be sent,  
No loving word we can say,  
He was gentle, loving, true and kind,  
And his spirit still lives on,  
Although his grave we cannot see,  
Like a soldier fell he died.

—Inserted by his sister, Mrs. A. A. Alexander, Buenos Aires, and his nephew, Norman S. E. Alexander, Victoria, B.C.

**Answers to Times Want Ads**

Replies on March 23—128, 227, 248, 263, 276, 279, 290, 344, 345, 445, 456, 457, 474, 484, 521, 542, 546, 552, 546, 592, 597, 747, 747, 754, 774, 818, 826, 837, 858, 857, 939, 940, 949, 952, 956, 956, 1066, 1075, 1076, 1040, 3410, 993, 5012, 5120, 5125, 5145, 5146.

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**SEALED TENDERS** addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Neurological Ward, Military Hospital, Vancouver (Shaughnessy)," will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, April 10, 1919, for the construction of a Neurological Ward, Military Hospital, Vancouver (Shaughnessy), B. C.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa; the Superintendent of Works, Ottawa; the Superintendent of the Victoria Hospital, Harbor Building, Vancouver, B. C.; and of the Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., or of the Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., and of the Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., or of the Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C.

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Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or war bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, April 2, 1919.

**IN THE MATTER OF THE British Columbia Canning Company, Limited, and Reduced,** and  
**IN THE MATTER OF THE Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a Petition has been presented to the High Court of Justice in England for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its Capital from £40,000 to £30,000. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 31st day of February, 1919, may be inspected at the offices of the Company at 57-59 Union Bank Building, Victoria, British Columbia, and at 11 Cannon Street, in the City of London, or at the office of the undersigned, at 2 Devonshire Square, in the City of London, at any time during usual business hours, on payment of the charge of one shilling.

Any person who claims to have been a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the list and claims to be so entered, must on or before the 4th day of May, 1919, send in his name and particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any) to the undersigned at 2 Devonshire Square, in the City of London, in default of which he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.

Dated the 2nd day of March, 1919.  
GEO. E. W. WRIGHT,  
Solicitors for the said Company.

**EXPRESS WORKERS  
THREATEN STRIKE**

Section of Employees of Canadian Express Company Not Satisfied

Montreal, April 9.—Judgment was rendered to-day by the Board of Appeal appointed by the Minister of Labor in connection with the dispute between the Canadian Express Company and those of its clerks, drivers, porters and messengers who are members of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad Employees, granting them increases in wages. John Pullen, president of the company, notified the Minister of Labor that the company accepted the award and would introduce the salary increases as from February 1. The men, however, still demand the full award of the Conciliation Board, headed by Judge Gunn, from which the company appealed and threaten to strike to-morrow unless the award is introduced.

**Eight-Hour Day.**  
Montreal, April 9.—Over 1,000 employees of the Canadian Express Company have resolved to strike on Thursday evening for extra wages, amounting variously from thirty to fifty per cent., and an eight-hour day.

For some time the company and the men have been discussing the points in dispute. A Conciliation Board was called in. That not resulting in union, a Labor Board, as a court of appeal, was resorted to, but the men, not waiting for the decision of this body, have taken a vote and resolved to strike.

Apprised of this, John Pullen, president of the Canadian Express Company, has issued a notice to the public declining on the part of the company to carry parcels which cannot be reasonably expected to reach their destination by April 10, and "recommends" shippers to use freight service where possible, or other express companies, until our own service is resumed.

**U. S. NAVAL VESSELS  
BRING MEN HOME**

London, April 9.—The recent suggestion by Agent-General Wade of British Columbia that the Grand Fleet be used for relieving the pressure in returning the Canadian soldiers home, has received some endorsement in the action of United States Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who announced to the American soldiers in Paris that the United States Government is returning men on fighting ships despite objections originally raised by naval authorities. The same idea also is now being considered by the British Admiralty.

War Service Gratuity—A reply has been received from the Department of Naval Service at Ottawa by the Victoria unit of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada which contains the information that the war service gratuity as authorized by the Order-in-Council of December 21 applies only to officers and men who were on the strength of the naval or land forces of Canada on active service on November 11, 1918.

**Winners of Prizes.**—Out of three Canadian Club prizes awarded yesterday for the highest marks in Canadian history no one went to a boy. A framed photograph of Sir Arthur Currie and the prizes and medals were awarded to Madge Daniels, Victoria; West; Louise M. Noble, South Park; Iva Eleanor Cramer, North Ward. The children of the latter institution had prepared the following programme for the presentation ceremony but the Canadian Club representatives were too busy to remain to hear it. This morning the following were awarded prizes: Dorothy Marchbank, Girls' Central; James O. McNamee, Boys' Central; Marjorie Ballard, Sir James Douglas School; Jan. Kenneth Hackett, Margaret Jenkins.

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**COUNCIL OF FOUR  
MET AGAIN TO-DAY**

Responsibility for War and Disposition of Saar Valley Considered

Paris, April 9.—The Council of Four met this morning. The questions of responsibility for the war and the disposition of the Saar Valley were under consideration by the four leaders—Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando and President Wilson.

In an article to-day the Matin gently criticizes the Peace Conference under large captions reading: "Disquieting mystery in Council of Four. In five months allied Governments have not solved single problem. Odessa in power of Bolsheviki!"

The newspaper declares it has been the method of the Conference to put the concerns of France last. Britain and the United States having got all we come, with our Frankish demands, and if we do not get satisfaction our country will be financially dead. Such will be the fruit of our sacrifices.

**OFFICERS AND AIRMEN  
CAME ON MEGANTIC**

Hull, April 9.—Among the officers who returned to-day on the steamship Megantic was Colonel J. P. Daly, C. M. G., D. S. O., of Calgary, who went overseas as a lieutenant in the 1st Battalion, and latterly commanded the 27th Battalion.

Major F. J. Ewing, of Vancouver, who had been Assistant Director of Supplies and chief officer of the Canadian army in England with headquarters at Argyle House, also returned on the Megantic. He went overseas as a captain in the C. A. M. C. in 1916.

Major Ewing was non-committal on the subject of the Order of the British Star and the French Military Medal.

Major Linton was the officer commanding the troops aboard the Megantic. He reports an especially pleasant trip.

**CASUALTIES AMONG  
CANADIAN SOLDIERS**

Ottawa, April 9.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.  
Died—Pte. F. S. Oliver, Shore Acres, B.C.

Services.  
Ill—Pte. P. H. Craig, Vancouver.

**DR. H. E. YOUNG TO  
SPEAK IN DUNCAN**

Duncan, April 9.—Dr. H. E. Young, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, will deliver a public lecture on some questions pertaining to public health in the Old Fellows' Hall here to-morrow at 2.30 p.m. The question of a local district nurse will be discussed.

The Cowichan Girl Guides' Committee held a meeting of parents and those interested in the Guide movement. About thirty ladies were present and Mrs. Paterson, president of the Association, presided. The meeting was very enthusiastically in favor of extending the work being done. The present Guides will be divided into two companies and additional companies will be formed as soon as officers are available. An officers' training class is being conducted and Guide meetings will be continued in May.

**BRITISH TROOPS ARE  
MOVED HOME QUICKLY**

London, April 9.—During question time in the House of Commons to-day Lord Robert Cecil said it was very remarkable how rapidly demobilization had progressed in France. "We are now very near the limits fixed for the army there during the occupation period," he said.

**NEWSPRINT PAPER  
INQUIRY AT OTTAWA**

Ottawa, April 9.—The total result of this morning's session of the newspaper inquiry was a decision by Commissioner Pringle that he will not for the present take evidence as to mill costs since December 1. He needs it for his own use in any event for the purpose of fixing prices since December 1.

The Commissioner declared that it has been communicated to him that fixing of the price of newspaper will end the moment peace is signed.

"The time has come," he said, "for the manufacturers and publishers to get together and fix prices for 1919."

Mr. Pringle intimated that the Court must get down to the beginning of the evidence this afternoon.

**BRITAIN PURCHASES  
MEXICAN OIL LANDS**

Government Getting Control of Properties in Various Parts of World

Washington, April 9.—The recent purchase by the British Government of oil properties in Mexico has been confirmed in official advice and it has been learned that officials of the State Department were much interested in the situation because of the apparent establishment by Great Britain of a new policy of outright ownership, vested in the Government, of all property.

Great Britain, it was said, had not waited for action by the Mexican courts or by the new Congress called to meet May 1, but had purchased the interests of her nationals which were involved in the question. These are the same properties involved in the dispute that led to the dispatch of notes by the British, French and United States Governments protesting against the "confiscatory" features of the Mexican constitution.

This action was said by a high official to indicate that Great Britain does not intend that the property acquired by British subjects in good faith and under the existing laws of Mexico at the time the interests were acquired shall be "confiscated."

Great Britain, this official said, is the responsible power in the matter, producing lands throughout the world to insure carrying trade for her merchant marine and cheap fuel for her navy and commercial vessels.

**VOTE ON LIQUOR  
IN ONTARIO CAUSES  
FORCES TO LINE UP**

Toronto, April 9.—The fight over the Ontario Temperance Act involved in the referendum vote on four questions submitted by the Ontario Government is lining up into a no-compromise attitude by the temperance forces with a "negative" vote on all questions.

The liquor forces will attempt to carry that one of the four questions which proposes to grant standard hotels the privilege of selling light beers, and "No compromise; vote 'no' on all questions," is the slogan of the temperance forces, according to George Warburton, of the Committee of 100, for its forthcoming campaign.

"The proposals which are to be submitted to the voters regarding prohibition are not satisfactory as any four propositions could be," he said.

W. E. Allen, secretary of the Ontario License and Allied Trades Association, which he states is composed of standard hotels throughout the province, would not discuss whether the organization would put up a campaign or not.

"The questions submitted seem reasonable," he said.

George Wright, of the Hotelkeepers' Association, stated that he had only glanced at the questions. The attitude of the hotelmen, he said, was non-interference.

**MATHERS IS HEAD OF  
NEW INDUSTRIAL  
BOARD FOR CANADA**

Ottawa, April 9.—The Commission to inquire into relations between employers and employees will consist of:

Chief Justice Mathers, of Manitoba; chairman; Senator White, Montreal; Charles Harrison, M.P., representing the public; Carl Riordan, Montreal; P. Faus, Montreal, representing the employers; Tom Moore, chairman of the Trades and Labor Congress; J. W. Bruce, a member of the Labor Appeal Board, Toronto, representing the employees.

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**DROP IN CHICAGO  
GRAIN PRICES TO-DAY**

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

Chicago, April 9.—The grain market ruled strong at the opening. Sentiment is generally bearish, but offerings were scarce for the first hour. Long corn started to come out, and prices dropped two cents. Those bearish about the market, but the advancing movement rallied the market, but the advance could not hold in the face of lower cash markets. Final figures showed a loss of from two to three cents.

May	153	150	150 1/2	150 1/2
July	152 1/2	150 1/4	150 1/4	150 1/4
Sept.	148 1/4	148 1/4	147 1/4	147 1/4

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May	36.50	36.00	36.00	36.00
July	34.75	34.50	34.50	34.50
Oct.	31.25	31.25	31.25	31.25
Jan.	27.25	27.25	27.25	27.25
Old May	24.92	25.00	24.92	24.92

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**FINANCIAL NEWS**

**IRREGULAR STOCK  
MARKET AT NEW YORK**

Big Gains Recorded in Specialties; Standard Stocks Lower

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

New York, April 9.—Interest was again centred in the specialties to-day, with outside buying carried a number of issues into new ground. The motor stocks as a class made the greatest gains. General Motors up five, Studebaker up three and Chandler Motor up eight. Industrial Alcohol was again in the limelight with an advance of five points. Central Leather made two and Baldwin Locomotive over two. On the other hand the general market hung back and U. S. Steel showed signs of heaviness. The railroad stocks had very little life.

Stock	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Allis-Chalmers	28 1/2	27 3/8	..	..
Best Sugar	112 1/2	111 3/4	..	..
Am. Sugar Ref.	121 1/2	120 3/4	..	..
Am. Can Co. com.	51 1/2	50 5/8	..	..
Am. Oil & Gas	45 1/2	44 3/4	..	..
Am. Cotton Oil	43 1/2	42 3/4	..	..
Am. Locomotive	67 1/2	66 3/8	..	..
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	105 1/2	104 3/4	..	..
Am. Tel. & Tel.	108 1/2	107 3/4	..	..
Am. Wool com.	57 1/2	56 3/8	..	..
Am. Steel Pld.	92 1/2	91 3/4	..	..
Asaconda Mining	62 1/2	61 3/4	..	..
Chas. & M. Co.	108 1/2	107 3/4	..	..
Chlorine	92 1/2	91 3/4	..	..
Baldwin Loco.	122 1/2	121 3/4	..	..
Baltimore & Ohio	45 1/2	44 3/4	..	..
Beaumont	22 1/2	21 3/4	..	..
Briggs & Stratton	21 1/2	20 3/4	..	..
Canadian Transp.	21 1/2	20 3/4	..	..
Canadian Pac.	109 1/2	108 3/4	..	..
Central Leather	77 1/2	76 3/4	..	..
Crucible Steel	55 1/2	54 3/4	..	..
Crucible Steel	55 1/2	54 3/4	..	..
Chas. & M. Co.	108 1/2	107 3/4	..	..
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41 1/2	40 3/4	..	..
China Copper	27 1/2	26 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel com.	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 5 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 4 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 3 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 2 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/2	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/4	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/8	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/16	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/32	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/64	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/128	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/256	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/512	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/1024	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/2048	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/4096	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/8192	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/16384	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/32768	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/65536	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/131072	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/262144	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/524288	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/1048576	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/2097152	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/4194304	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/8388608	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/16777216	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/33554432	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/67108864	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/134217728	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/268435456	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/536870912	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/1073741824	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/2147483648	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/4294967296	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/8589934592	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/17179869184	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/34359738368	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/68719476736	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/137438953472	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/274877906944	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/549755813888	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/1099511627776	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/2199023255552	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/4398046511104	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/8796093022208	23 1/2	22 3/4	..	..
U.S. Steel 1/1759218				



# PADEREWSKI—MASTER PIANIST AND NATION MAKER USES NUXATED IRON

### To Obtain Renewed Energy, Power and Endurance

Dr. Kenneth K. MacAlpine, for 16 Years  
Adjunct Professor New York Post  
Graduate Medical School and Hospi-  
tal, Says That in His Opinion Nuxated  
Iron is

### The Most Valuable Tonic, Strength and Blood Builder Any Physician Can Prescribe.

Ignace Jan Paderewski, one of  
the greatest musical geniuses of  
the age, at a time when his un-  
tiring work for Poland overtaxed  
his strength and impaired his  
health had recourse to Nuxated  
Iron to help rebuild his wasted  
forces and restore his old-time  
health and strength.



Ignace Jan Paderewski  
the new Polish Premier  
who took Nuxated Iron when he  
was in a weak and run-down con-  
dition and needed something to  
build up strength and energy.

Dr. Kenneth K. MacAlpine, says: "If pro-  
fessionals would realize that iron is just as  
indispensable to the blood as air is to the  
lungs and be just as particular about keeping  
up a sufficient supply at all times, there  
would in my opinion be far less disease re-  
sulting from anemic, weakened conditions."  
"Nuxated Iron, by enriching the blood  
and creating new blood cells, strengthens the  
nerves, rebuilds the weakened tissues and  
helps to instill renewed energy into the whole  
system whence the patient is young or old.  
In my opinion Nuxated Iron is the most  
valuable tonic, strength and blood-builder  
any physician can prescribe."

If you are not strong or well you owe it  
to yourself to make the following test: See  
into muscular tissue and brain. Without  
iron there is no strength, vitality and en-  
durance to combat obstacles or withstand  
severe strains. To help make strong sturdy  
muscles and iron there is nothing  
better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron.  
Mr. Paderewski says: "I am using Nuxated  
Iron very frequently and consider it as an  
excellent tonic."

A prominent New York Surgeon and  
Former Adjunct Professor of the New York  
Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital,  
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# SOLDIERS JOYOUS ON ARRIVAL HERE

### Vanguard of Canadian-Siberian Force Reached Port on Empress of Japan

Hurling expressions of satisfaction  
over the side as the liner slowly warped  
to her berth a joyous crowd of Cana-  
dian soldiers, invalided members of  
the Siberian Expeditionary Force and  
the vanguard of the returning military  
contingent, reached port last night on  
the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Japan  
from Vladivostok.

The unit comprised seventy-nine men  
all told, and was made up of six officers  
and seventy-three non-commissioned  
officers and rankers.

As the steamship slowly glided  
through the gathering dusk cheer after  
cheer rent the air and many varied  
were the joyful shouts of greeting em-  
anating from the khaki-clad soldiers  
lining the starboard rail and manning  
the shrouds.

"Good old Victoria," and "It's good  
to see the old burg again," were typical  
of the expressions flung ashore as the  
winches rattled, and the stout hawsers  
shortened the distance between the  
ship and the dock.

Capt. H. R. Hendy and a number of  
officers of the headquarters staff were  
on hand to meet the returning soldiers  
and make arrangements for their accom-  
modation and make relatives and friends  
of the soldiers were on hand to give  
welcome.

### Seven Landed Here.

With only seven men in uniform des-  
tined for Victoria the disembarkation  
was rapid, and within about half an  
hour of her arrival the Empress was  
on her way to Vancouver.

Capt. Handy went on to the main-  
land with the ship to arrange for the  
landing of the troops.

Those coming ashore here and trans-  
ferred to the dispersal station were:  
Capt. J. W. Shepherd, Sergt. F.  
Trendle, Sergt. R. A. Ellen, Sergt. A.  
M. Fenton, Sergt.-Major R. Ramsay  
and Privates R. S. Laughlin and P.  
J. Murray.

The returning soldiers were in charge  
of Lieut. F. H. French, a former officer  
of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.  
The remaining officers, all of whom  
had been invalided home were: Capt.  
H. A. Campbell, formerly with the Or-  
dnance Department at Work Point;  
Lieut. H. O. Connell, Capt. Frank  
Duckworth and Lieut.-Col. C. Brassard.

The men were heartily glad to be  
back, and on the whole expressed  
themselves as satisfied with condi-  
tions at Vladivostok. It was not ex-  
actly a picnic, but under the military  
jurisdiction the conditions were made  
as endurable as possible.

The boys brought word that the re-  
mainder of the Canadian contingent,  
disinfiltrated with lack of action in Sib-  
eria, are eager to get back. The next  
contingent will arrive on the liner  
Monteagle.

The men arriving on the Japan deny  
the stories that have been circulated  
that owing to Bolshevik activities in  
Vladivostok the members of the Cana-  
dian force were barred from going  
aboard on the streets at night unless  
in pairs and armed.

There has been absolutely no dis-  
order in Vladivostok, they say, and  
the soldiers were permitted to go about  
without restraint when on leave from  
the camp, which was located outside  
the city.

One soldier stated that but one day's  
rain had been experienced from Oc-  
tober last until the day of embarka-  
tion. Owing to the exposed position of  
the port the snow did not lay thickly  
about Vladivostok.

The invalided troops embarked on  
the Empress of Japan at Vladivostok  
on March 1, and since that time they  
have touched at most of the principal  
ports in the Orient.

From Vladivostok the liner proceeded  
to Hongkong, Nagasaki, Kobe and  
Yokohama, and the voyage across the  
Pacific was completed under most fav-  
orable conditions.

# FOUNDATION CO. MAY BUILD STEEL SHIPS IN FRANCE

According to the current issue of  
"Shipping," of New York, the Founda-  
tion Company is completing arrange-  
ments for the establishment of a steel  
shipbuilding plant in France, where it  
is proposed to build a large fleet of  
steel cargo carriers for the French  
Government. Local officers of the  
Foundation Company have no official  
knowledge of the reported contract to  
lay down a steel shipbuilding yard in  
France.

# WIRELESS REPORT

April 9, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey—Rain; calm; 29.95; 43  
thick seaward.  
Cape Lazo—Rain; calm; 29.98; 38;  
sea smooth.  
Pachena—Rain; S. E., fresh; 29.81;  
45; light swell.  
Estevan—Rain; S. E.; 29.68; 44; sea  
moderate. Spoke str. Genchu Maru,  
2.45 a. m. position at 8 p. m., lat. 50.10  
N., long. 135.30 W., eastbound; spoke  
str. Macedon, 1.30 a. m. position at  
8 p. m., lat. 49.96 N., long. 128.22 W.,  
eastbound.  
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.69;  
48; sea smooth. Spoke str. Jefferson,  
5 p. m., eight miles north of Alert  
Bay, southbound.  
Triangle—Rain; E., light; 29.85; 42;  
sea rough. Spoke str. Alaska, 10 p. m.,  
off Boat Point, 8 p. m., southbound;  
spoke str. Prince Rupert, 11 p. m.,  
Millbank Sound, northbound.  
Dead Tree Point—Drizzling rain;  
calm; 29.91; 39; sea smooth.  
Ikeda Bay—Rain; S. E., light; 29.88;  
41; light swell.  
Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm;  
29.80; 39; sea smooth.  
Pachena—Rain; S. E., fresh; 29.68;  
45; sea moderate.  
Estevan—Rain; S. E., light; 29.48;  
44; sea moderate.  
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.48;  
47; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Drizzling rain; E.; 29.85;  
41; sea moderate. Spoke str. Camo-  
soun, 9.35 a. m., Millbank Sound,  
southbound; spoke str. motorship Apes,  
10.15 a. m., Millbank Sound, north-  
bound.  
Dead Tree Point—Overcast; S. E.,  
light; 29.85; 42; light swell.  
Ikeda Bay—Overcast; S. E.; 29.80;  
42; light swell.  
Prince Rupert—Overcast; S. E.,  
light; 29.70; 43; sea smooth.

# SHE SUFFERED FIVE YEARS

### Finally Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Key West, Fla.—"For five years I  
suffered from irregularities, with ter-  
rible pains and an  
awful weakness in  
my body. The doc-  
tor gave me differ-  
ent medicines but  
they did me no good.  
A friend asked me to  
try Lydia E. Pink-  
ham's Vegetable  
Compound and I  
found it to be the  
best medicine I ever  
tried because it  
made me well, and  
I can now do my  
housework. I am telling my friends  
about it."—Mrs. M. CASUS, 728  
Caroline St., Key West, Florida.

Many women at some period in their  
life suffer from ailments peculiar to their  
sex and which in most cases may be  
readily relieved by this famous root and  
herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound, just as Mrs.  
Casus found it helped her after suffer-  
ing for years and trying everything else  
in vain.

If you have any annoying symptoms  
you fail to understand, write Lydia E.  
Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.  
The results of their 40 years' experience  
in advising women on this subject is at  
your service.

# Admiral Line May Build Fast Ships For Coast Service

Seattle, April 9.—Bringing San  
Francisco within thirty-six hours of  
Seattle by steamship, and reaching  
San Diego in forty-eight hours steam-  
ing time, is the fond hope of the Pa-  
cific Steamship Company, which, ac-  
cording to Vice-President and General  
Manager A. F. Haines, is a possibil-  
ity within the construction of two  
speedy new liners early this summer.  
The proposed vessels will be built  
especially for the Pacific coastwise  
trip and will be of twenty-one knots  
speed and 800 feet in length. Early  
plans now in the process of evolution  
call for vessels of the most up-to-date  
equipment, safety and speed.

# FREIGHTER MUSICIAN DUE HERE TO-MORROW

### Harrison Boat Cleared From San Francisco on Monday Night

With shipments of general freight  
from the United Kingdom the Harrison  
Direct Line steamship Musician is ex-  
pected to reach port to-morrow night.  
The Musician sailed from San Fran-  
cisco on Monday night, according to  
word received by the agents, Balfour,  
Guthrie & Co.

She is the second of the Harrison fleet  
to arrive on this coast since the res-  
umption of the Panama service, her  
immediate predecessor being the  
steamship Professor.

Unlike the Professor, the Musician is  
an old-timer in the North Pacific trade,  
she having made numerous voyages  
here in pre-war days.

While at San Francisco the Musician  
took aboard part cargo for the return  
trip to the United Kingdom. Her in-  
ward cargo was not very large, but she  
will be a full ship on the homeward  
voyage.

After discharging here the Musician  
will go on to Vancouver, and later to  
Seattle, from which port she will clear  
for Liverpool and Glasgow via San  
Francisco and the Panama zone.

Following her in the service is the  
British steamship Crown of Cadiz, a  
new vessel acquired by the Crown  
Steamship Company, of Glasgow, which  
concern operates to this coast in con-  
junction with the Harrison Line.

# EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

Look at tongue! If feverish,  
bilious, constipated,  
take no chances.

"California Syrup of Figs" can't  
harm tender stomach, liver,  
bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child.  
See if tongue is coated; this is a sure  
sign its little stomach, liver and bowels  
are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of  
cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't  
eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-  
ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a  
teaspoonful of California Syrup of  
Figs, and in a few hours all the foul  
waste, the sour bile and fermenting  
food passes out of the bowels  
and you have a well and  
playful child again. Children love  
this harmless "fruit laxative," and  
mothers can rest easy after giving it,  
because it never fails to make their  
little ones feel clean and sweet.

Keep it handy. Mothers! A little given  
to-day saves a sick child to-morrow,  
but get the genuine. Ask your drug-  
gist for a bottle of "California Syrup  
of Figs," which has directions for  
babies, children of all ages and for  
grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Re-  
member there are counterfeits sold  
here, so surely look and see that yours  
is made by the "California Fig Syrup  
Company." Hand held with contempt  
any other fig syrup.

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His Honor—"Rufus, didn't you hear  
that you had to work or fight?"  
-Rufus—"Yas, boss, I sho' don't hyer  
dat. So I goes an' gits married right  
away."

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# SAYS JAPANESE ARE NOT AVIATORS

### Lieut. F. Harmond, Disting- uished French Flyer, Not Impressed With Material

While giving Japan praise for initia-  
tive and resourcefulness, Flight-Lieut.  
F. Harmond, a distinguished member  
of the French aviation service, who  
arrived on the Empress of Japan last  
night is not so sure about the flying  
accomplishments of the little brown  
men.

Lieut. Harmond has been in Japan  
since shortly after the signing of the  
armistice, having been a member of a  
French aviation mission sent to Japan  
at the request of the Japanese Govern-  
ment to inaugurate a school of avia-  
tion.

He is returning to France convinced  
that the Japanese will never become a  
nation of flyers. The Imperial Japanese  
Government, he says, called for volun-  
teers from the army to train for the  
aviation service, but in spite of the  
inducements offered but a very small  
percentage responded to the call for  
all recruits.

Speaking generally the French officer  
stated that the Japanese are by no  
means enthusiastic about the air ser-  
vice, and are not keen to investigate  
the higher studies.

### Bombing Expert.

Flight-Lieut. Harmond is the hero of  
many a thrilling air fight over the Ger-  
man lines in the great war, but he is a  
modest fellow and was indifferent  
about his achievements aloft. But the  
numerous decorations adorning his  
breast are mute evidence of his valor.  
Lieut. Harmond was all through the  
bombing raids over Germany, and was  
conspicuously identified with the great  
raid which resulted in the destruction  
of numerous plants and cities. The  
last bombing flight he made over the  
enemy lines was just before the Ger-  
mans threw up the sponge and negoti-  
ated for an armistice. Seventy bombing  
machines, he says, were in the big  
raid to Karlsruhe.

Lieut. Harmond is returning to  
France to rejoin the air service. He is  
accompanied by Joseph Bordes, from  
Vladivostok.

The Lethbridge Y. M. C. A. gives free  
membership to boys fourteen years old  
and under.

# HULL CONSTRUCTION TO BE SLOWED DOWN

### Progress at Foundation Yards Too Fast for Outfitting Plant

Owing to the rapid progress that has  
been made on hull construction at the  
Foundation yards and to avoid con-  
gestion at the Ogden Point assembling  
plant the company has decided to re-  
vise its launching programme to con-  
form with the altered conditions. Con-  
sequently, it was announced this morn-  
ing, construction work on the hulls now  
under way at Point Hope and Point  
Ellice will be slowed down, and this  
plan has necessitated the laying off of a  
large number of men.

The launching of Hull 219, scheduled  
for April 17 from the Point Ellice yard,  
has been postponed, and pending the  
rearrangement of the launching pro-  
gramme, work on the superstructure of  
this and other ships will be advanced  
as far as possible, and at the same time  
not to inconvenience the installation of  
machinery.

The first engine and boiler units are  
about due for delivery, and immedi-  
ately the first shipment is put ashore  
at Ogden Point the outfitting of the  
Metz and Strasbourg will commence.

It is proposed to handle four vessels  
at a time at the Outer Harbor plant.

### Launching To-Morrow.

The launching of the wooden steam-  
ship Mulhouse will take place at Point  
Hope as originally scheduled to-mor-  
row at noon, when Mrs. John Hart, wife  
of British Columbia's Finance Minister,  
will perform the duties of sponsor. The  
last touches are being put to the ship,  
and everything is now practically in  
readiness for the event.

# SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Arrivals, April 8.—Steamers Venusia, at  
New York from London; Pittsburg, at  
New York from St. Thomas; Mercian, at  
Dublin from Boston; Tunisian, at Liver-  
pool from St. John; Baltic, at Liverpool  
from New York; U. S. S. Inoquois, at  
Halifax from St. John's; Mid., at Sarnowit,  
at Halifax from Baton Rouge; Chignecto,  
at Halifax from West Indies; Launtylum,  
at Halifax from Gibraltar. Departures:  
Steamer Digby, Halifax for Liverpool.

# Suggestions to Women "Just Ready to Drop"

When you are "just ready to drop," when you feel  
so weak that you can hardly drag yourself about—  
and because you have not slept well, you get up  
as tired out next morning as when you went to  
bed, you need help. Vinol will help you just as it  
did these two women. Why not try it?

### HERE IS PROOF

Pittsburgh, Pa. "I keep house for my husband and  
myself and I got into a weak, run-  
down, nervous condition and no appe-  
tite. I heard how Vinol helped other  
ladies and it built me up so I am  
strong, have a good appetite and  
feel better in every way."—Mrs.  
James Croker.

For all run-down, nervous, anemic conditions, weak nerves, overworked  
feeble old people and children, there is no remedy like Vinol.

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Wrigley's Spearmint Gum  
THE PERFECT GUM  
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THE PERFECT GUM  
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### A New Broom

Sweeps clean—but a new broom from this store sweeps clean—and long. Remember this high quality, then glance over these prices:

Clean Sweep Brooms, reversible, strong and light; will outlast two corn brooms. Price ..... \$1.25  
 Floor Brooms, 14-inch fibre ..... \$1.25  
 Floor Brooms, 18-inch heavy fibre ..... \$2.50  
 Hair Brooms, 18 and 16-inch, \$1.50 and ..... \$3.95  
 Shoe Brushes, best bristle, \$2.25 to ..... \$2.75  
 Shoe Brushes, with dauber, 25c  
 Window Brushes, \$1.00 and, 50c

Corn Brooms, heavy ..... \$1.20  
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### THE GERMAN SPY WHO SERVED WITH CANADIANS

Every man who was with the Canadian Corps after the breaking of the Drocourt-Queant line, better known as the Wotan Switch, will recall vividly the consternation which swept through their ranks when they were told of the amazing intelligence which had been given to the German command by a spy, Private Miller, who had been serving with their forces. It was only through the fortunate discovery of a certain document that Miller was branded as a traitor and not as "missing," as had been supposed for some time. The spy is now being hounded by the British secret service and when found the Canadian Corps will readily furnish a firing party to place his soul alongside that of Roger Casement, Bolo Pasha and Sonkhomloff and other notorious traitors to the Allied cause.

To impress upon the Canadians the urgency and necessity of keeping their mouths shut, in case of being captured by the enemy, the intelligence given by Miller to the Germans was read on parade to all ranks in France. To say the least, it surprised everyone to know that any one man could obtain such a huge amount of valuable information. Usually the private interested himself only in his front and gave little heed as to who was on his flanks. When he went behind the lines for a rest his attention turned to other than military matters.

But Miller was different. Without creating the slightest suspicion, he amassed a wonderful amount of information regarding the movements and actions of the Canadian Corps. One night in July last—his first night in the front line—he was sent out with a patrol and managed to slip away in the dark. The patrol returned and Miller next morning did not answer at roll call. He was officially recorded as "missing."

Following this the shelling of the back areas, cross roads and roads chosen by the infantry on going forward, as well as horse lines and lorry parks, were subjected to an increased amount of shelling. At the time it was thought that the Hun had decided on a more destructive harassing fire on that front, which made it necessary for additional precautions to be taken. The break through at Arras, however, revealed the true cause for Heinle's activity. Miller's information had been the cause.

Amazing Statements.  
 "I remember quite well," stated a returned man to-day, "of hearing the full story of Miller's espionage. After going out into No Man's Land with the patrol he made for the German front line, and being a Hun and understand-

ing their language, passed the sentries and swears and was it filleted to headquarters, where he made the most amazing and alarming statement.

While we were having a short rest behind Vis-en-Artois, after we had punctured the Wotan line, we were all assembled on parade one Sunday morning and our commanding officer read Miller's confession. It was disbelieved through the corps to show the boys the great amount of injury they would do to their comrades if they gave away information when taken prisoners. If it was our misfortune to be taken prisoner we were told to keep our mouths shut. The O. C. pointed out to us that while both sides wanted to get the information out of a man, still even the Boche recognized the soldierly quality of the man who said it was his duty to say nothing.

The Papers Captured.  
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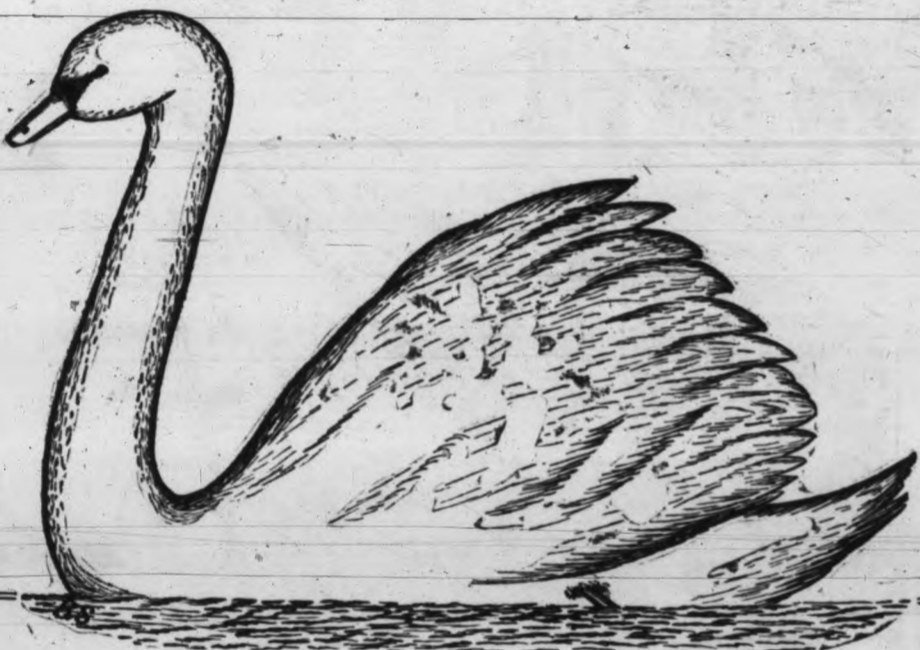
"Needless to say, we are all anxious to find Mr. Miller. We wish the British secret service the best of luck in their hunt for the traitor."  
 Miller, enlisted in the American Legion and claimed that he was an American. On reaching England he was sent—drafted—to France to the 18th Battalion. It is understood that his name on the other side was Muller and that he is of German parentage. By this time Miller should have been repatriated by the German if considered as a prisoner of war. He no doubt has sought refuge in his own country, being aware of the consequences which necessarily follow such an act in case of arrest.

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### WESTERN SCOTS HAVE ORGANIZED SOCIETY

Will Be Composed of All Ex-Service Men Who Served With 67th Battalion

At a largely-attended meeting of ex-members of the "Western Scots" held at the Comrades Club last night, it was unanimously agreed to form a Western Scots Association to be composed of all ex-service men who were at any time on the strength of the 67th Battalion and sailed from Canada with an overseas unit or draft.

Major Christie, formerly second in command of the Battalion, was elected President, and ex-Hon. Quartermaster-Sergeant R. Macnicol, secretary-treasurer. It was agreed that the officers and committee be re-elected when the bulk of the 67th Battalion members returned to Victoria. The following committee of seven was appointed: Comrades R. M. King, W. Dawson, W. Wisbart, F. P. Slavin, R. Gemmill, J. M. Smith and J. Macnicol.

The secretary was requested to keep in touch with the officers and men who are still overseas, so that a fitting welcome may be extended to them upon their return.

It was also suggested that an annual re-union and dinner be held on March 24 of each year. It was agreed that it be left to the Committee to arrange for a Re-union and Dinner immediately upon the return of the Fourth Division to Canada, it being explained that a considerable number of the Western Scots were still serving in the 54th, 102nd and 124th Battalions, which were at present attached to the Fourth Division.

The committee will meet at the Comrades Club on Monday, April 14, at 7.30 p.m.

Army and Navy Veterans in Canada.—General monthly meeting, Thursday, April 10, 8.15 p. m., Belmont Bldg.

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was in Victoria in September, 1917, on behalf of the Canadian Overseas Chaplain Fund. He was then senior chaplain of the Fifth Division. His Canadian tour was conducted as special representative of the Canadian Chaplain Services in England. He was for fifteen months on the front line in France and Flanders, and recently a message came through that Col. Fallis was the first Canadian to reach the Rhine, having been sent forward on a special mission shortly after the armistice. The others named in connection with the vacancy are Rev. Salem Bland, of Toronto, and Rev. Dr. Eber Crummy, of Moose Jaw. When a man begins to argue with his conscience as to whether a thing is right or wrong, the chances are it is wrong.

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