

WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate
northerly winds, fine and warm.
Lower Mainland—Fine and warm.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal—The Palm Faces.
Paradise—Vaudeville.
Dominion—Eye for Eye.
Variety—The Woman on the Index.
Columbia—Danger, Go Slow.
Romano—The Amazing Imposter.

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GERMAN DELEGATION ASKS FOR MORE TIME

GERMANS DESPERATELY TRYING TO INFLUENCE WILSON AND STATES

Teuton Cabinet Issues Statement to Associated Press Saying Germany Will Not Sign Treaty Because It Does Not Fulfill Fourteen Points

Berlin, May 20.—Via London, May 21.—Germany declines to sign the peace terms laid before her because they spell the "economic destruction, political dishonor and moral degradation of the entire German nation, not for the present but also for still unborn generations," was a statement authorized by the Cabinet this morning through the Associated Press.

"That these consequences must logically follow acceptance of the peace conditions the American press itself has recognized without question," the statement continued. "Toward them Germany takes the standpoint that acceptance of such conditions could not be demanded and that the Entente was unjustified in imposing such demands."

"Germany has not only a moral right to compliance with the general promises made her, but a firmly grounded, definite, clearly defined claim, according to the basic rules of international law, on all the Entente Powers, and especially on the United States, a specific recognition of the rights of Germany and of the German peoples to a peace of right, justice and reconciliation, instead of the paragraphed song of hate which was written at Versailles was contained in the note of American Secretary of State Lansing dated November 5, 1918.

"In the secretary of State notified the Swiss Minister at Washington unconditionally that the established basis of President Wilson's fourteen points should be authoritative for the peace conditions. Secretary Lansing announced further that the Entente Governments, after careful consideration, also were prepared to recognize the conditions set up by President Wilson as the basis for the conclusion of peace.

"Imagine a 'breakdown.' "The declaration of rights emanating from these specific declarations of all the Entente Powers and the United States constitutes a moral breakdown in the general moral breakdown of all international politics which has found unsurpassable expression in the Versailles terms.

"Germany answers them with a clearly juridical right in international law. Toward the politico-moral bankruptcy of Versailles the German nation stands in a non-partisan manner and did not insist upon justice toward all, no matter how the war ended. We demand nothing which we are not ready ourselves to admit."

"And the German people demand nothing more than that which President Wilson announced in this declaration. We demand nothing more than that the Americans place the fourteen points opposite the peace terms. We do not believe that anyone in the United States will then have the courage to claim that there can be found in the peace conditions one single trace left of the President's programme.

MAY BE FIRST DIRIGIBLE TO CROSS ATLANTIC OCEAN



BRITISH AIRSHIP R-33. The giant dirigible pictured above was put in commission some time ago. At last reports, received about a week ago, the huge craft was being tested and put in condition for an attempt to fly across the Atlantic. The R-33 is described as some feet longer than her sister airship, the R-34, completed a short time previously. The R-24 is 679 feet in length.

CIVIL ENGINEERS OPERATE WATERWORKS OF WINNIPEG AND FULL SUPPLY GIVEN

Winnipeg, May 21.—Efforts of the Central Strike Committee to maintain control of local public utilities and industries met with the sharpest opposition to-day that has been shown since the general strike was declared last Thursday. When the union men at the city waterworks plant to-day declined to furnish full pressure as the Council had ordered, they left the building and their places were filled by a force supplied by the Manitoba Society of Civil Engineers.

Deliveries of gasoline, food and ice were made and a number of small delivery automobiles moved throughout the city. The leaders of the Central Strike Committee were in conference until this afternoon, but no announcement was authorized. The Winnipeg branch of the Great War Veterans' Association announced this morning that the Association had decided to remain strictly neutral during the strike. The announcement also (Concluded on page 4.)

NEW PIPE LINE IS NOW IN OPERATION

William Head to Be Supplied by Latest Addition to Sooke Lake System. The pipe line which extends some nine miles from Langford to the Quarantine Station, William Head, has been completed, and is now in operation, it was announced to-day. Though a few minor details yet require attention, already a number of houses along the route are obtaining water from the newly completed addition to the Sooke Lake water system.

The work of installing the new pipe line was commenced about nine months ago by the Dominion Public Works Department, while the Water Works Department installed a six-inch Trident Compound Meter near Iray's Farm, Goldstream, for the connection to the Sooke main. While the pipe line was primarily intended to serve the Quarantine Station, it accelerates the completion of plans drawn up when the Sooke Lake water system was established to link up outlying areas.

An agreement between the Dominion Government and City fixed the charge for the water conveyed by the pipe line at six cents per thousand gallons. It was also decided at that time that other consumers making connection to the main would be charged \$1.11 for the first three hundred cubic feet and fourteen cents a hundred cubic feet for quantities greater than this, the profits to be shared equally by the Dominion Government and the city. The city undertook to keep the main in ordinary repair for five years.

The Sooke Lake water system now supplies Sooke Harbor and William Head en route to the city. Part of Saanich and Oak Bay obtain water from the city through meters at the boundaries.

GERMAN DELEGATES SAY THEY ARE WRITING MORE NOTES AND CANNOT FINISH THEM BEFORE TIME LIMIT

CANNOT SHAKE OFF RESPONSIBILITY

Germans to Blame For Acts of Former Government, Allies Declare

Paris, May 21.—The Peace Conference has made public the text of the note from Secretary of State Lansing to the German Government in regard to the question of responsibility for the war. The German delegation can not admit that there could arise out of a responsibility incurred by the former German Government in regard to the origin of the world war any right for the Allied and Associated Powers to be indemnified by Germany for losses suffered during the war.

Old "Defense" Myth. "The representatives of the Allied and Associated Powers have, moreover, declared several times that the German people should not be held responsible for the faults committed by their Government. The German people, however, always remained convinced that this war was for them a defensive war. The German delegates also do not share the view of the Allied and Associated Governments in regard to the origin of the war. They can not consider the former German Government as the party which was solely or chiefly to blame for the war. The draft of the treaty which contains no facts in support of this view; no proof on the subject is furnished therein. The German delegates therefore beg you to be so good as to communicate to them the report of the Commission set up by the Allied and Associated Governments for the purpose of establishing the responsibility of the authors of the war."

Allies' Reply. The reply of Premier Clemenceau says: "In your note you state that Germany, while 'accepting' in November, 1918, the obligation to make reparations, did not understand such an acceptance to mean that her responsibility was involved either for the war or for the acts of the former German Government, and that it is only possible to conceive of such an obligation if its origin and cause are the responsibility of the author of the damage. You add that the German people would never have undertaken a war of aggression. 'Yet, in the note from Secretary of State Lansing of November 5, 1918, which you approve and devise in favor of your contention, it is said that the obligation to make reparations arises out of Germany's aggression by land, sea and air.'"

No Protest. "As the German Government did not at the time make any protest against this allegation, it thereby recognized it as well-founded. Therefore Germany recognized in 1918, implicitly but clearly, both the aggression and her responsibility. It would be impossible, you state further, for the German people should (Concluded on page 4.)

SOCIETY LEADERS OF NEW YORK AID DRIVE OF SALVATION ARMY

New York, May 21.—New York's society leaders, after spending most of the night cooking doughnuts in Mrs. Vincent Astor's kitchen in her Fifth Avenue home, peddled them up and down Broadway to-day as voluntary recruits in the Salvation Army's drive for a \$13,000,000 fund. Wall Street was early invaded and doughnuts at a dollar apiece sold faster than oil stocks on the curb.

"The demobilization of the military forces of the country has progressed to such a point that it seems to me entirely safe now to remove the ban upon the manufacture and sale of wines and beers, but I am advised that without further legislation I have not the legal authority to remove the present restrictions. I therefore recommend that the Act approved November 21, 1913, entitled 'An act to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to carry out, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, the purpose of the Act entitled 'An act to provide further for the national security and defence by stimulating agriculture and facilitating the distribution of agricultural products, and for other purposes,' be amended or repealed in so far as it applies to wines and beers.' "Dry" Attitude. Both the Republican and Democratic "dry" leaders have joined in vigorous statements dissenting from the President's suggestions and proposals. (Concluded on page 4.)

Brockdorff-Rantzau Asks Allies to Extend Time for Teutons' Reply to the Peace Terms Beyond One o'Clock Tomorrow Afternoon

Paris, May 21.—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, has asked an extension of time for Germany to present her reply regarding the peace terms.

A note from him stated that further notes were being prepared and it would be impossible to complete them by 1 p. m., Thursday, when the time limit is up. The note added that the Germans desired more time to study a number of questions in the treaty which they had not yet had an opportunity to examine.

There is no official intimation regarding the decision of the Allied and Associated Powers on the request. It is believed, says the Havas Agency, that the request for an extension will be granted.

Troops of Poland Move Ahead in Their Campaign in Galicia

Warsaw, May 20.—Via London, May 21.—(Associated Press).—Drohobycz, Boryslav and Mikulaj have been captured by the Poles in their campaign in Galicia, says an official statement issued here to-day. The Poles have crossed the Dniester River near Rosawod, according to the statement, which adds: "The prisoners taken have not yet been counted as the enemy is fleeing in a panic."

No Trace Discovered of Harry Hawker's Atlantic Aeroplane

St. Johns, Nfld., May 21.—Hopes for the safety of Harry G. Hawker and Commander Mackenzie Grieve, missing since they set out eastward through the air on Sunday in their Sopwith biplane for Ireland, were virtually abandoned to-day by the British fliers preparing here to take wing in their wake.

PEACE COMMITTEE MET IN BERLIN

National Assemblymen and Cabinet Considered Further Notes to Allies. Berlin, May 20.—Via London, May 21.—(Associated Press).—The Peace Committee of the German National Assembly met the Cabinet this evening, the session being under guard and held in strictest secrecy. Even members of the Assembly not belonging to the Committee were barred. Bernhard Dernburg and Wisel, Minister of Social Policy, who had returned from Spa, participated in the discussion.

It is understood that the German mission at Versailles shortly will transmit a series of important notes dealing with the issues involved on the eastern frontier, in Alsace-Lorraine and occupied territory, the size of the indemnity, the manner of its payment, German private property in hostile countries, and the rights of labor.

MAYOR OF DENVER

Denver, Colo., May 21.—Dewey C. Bailey, Commissioner of Safety and Excise, was elected Mayor of Denver by a plurality of between 4,000 and 5,000 over all candidates in yesterday's non-partisan municipal election.

WOULD USE LARGER PLANES THAN N.C.'S

American Commander Says They Could Cross Atlantic Without Stopping. Ponta Delgada, Azores, May 20.—"I believe a trans-Atlantic flight is practicable without a stop with planes a little larger than the N.C. type," said Commander John H. Towers to the correspondent here of the Associated Press. Commander Towers was describing the flight of the N.C.-3, which alighted on the surface of the sea and finally reached this port under her own power, Commander Towers being in charge of her crew.

"Exceptionally bad weather, which was totally unexpected, was the sole reason for the failure of all three of the American navy's seaplanes to fly from Trepassey to Ponta Delgada on schedule time," he said.

"The N.C.-3 encountered heavy clouds at one o'clock Saturday morning. The light instruments on board failed and we sailed the plane above the clouds in order to get the benefit of a moonlight reading of the instruments.

"We kept in sight of the N.C.-4 until nearly daylight Saturday, and with the N.C.-1 until shortly after daylight. All the planes were flying in formation, but the N.C.-1 and the N.C.-4 were under the clouds part of the time, because their light instruments were good.

Was Guided. "The N.C.-3 had no difficulty in being guided by star shells, searchlights and smoke from the station ships until we reached station ship 14, which was not seen. I assumed we were off our course, but did not know on which side, so I began flying a parallel course in what I thought was the direction of Ponta Delgada. Shortly after daylight we encountered a heavy fog, rain squalls and high winds, all of which continued until the N.C.-3 went down upon the water."

"Before alighting on the surface of the sea my calculations showed us to be in the vicinity of land, but with only two hours' fuel supply on hand and with the weather clearing, it was decided to alight and ascertain our exact position. Our radio kept sending messages, assuming that the torpedo boat destroyers were picking them up. We did not know the radio was useless and that the destroyers had not been receiving the messages.

"All the crew thought the sea would be moderate, but the plane was so badly damaged in the high billows that we were unable to rise again. "We were sixty miles southwest of Pico when we alighted, the position (Concluded on page 4.)

Raynham at Work Repairing His Plane in Newfoundland

St. Johns, Nfld., May 21.—The skeleton of Frederick R. Raynham's Martinysde plane, a type of frail appearance, stripped of its covering of linen and veneer, was set up in a repair shop here to-day to be reassembled. Capt. C. W. F. Morgan indicated that he would not fly with Raynham in the attempt to win fame for which the machine is being rebuilt. He said that when he recovers from his injuries he would make an effort to obtain a new plane and start an independent flight for the British Isles.

An attempt is to be made by the several expeditions here preparing for flights to obtain more satisfactory weather reports than heretofore received.

TURKISH SULTAN, SHORN OF POWER, MAY BE ALLOWED TO STAY IN CONSTANTINOPLE

Paris, May 21.—Great Britain's desire that a semblance of the Turkish Empire may be preserved in order to avoid religious complications such as might be brought about through Mussulman dissatisfaction is causing continued discussion in Peace Conference circles of plans by which this end might be effected. It is understood that the plans in their present aspect provide for the Sultan to remain in Constantinople as head of the Moslem faith, but with only nominal temporal authority.

The Times will not be issued on Saturday, May 24, so as to allow the members of the various departments of the paper, including the delivery boys, to celebrate Victoria Day.

MISSION TO RUSSIA IS SCHEME URGED

Kerensky and Other Patriots Wish Democratic Nations to Act

Paris, May 21.—(Associated Press).—A. P. Kerensky, former Premier of Russia, and seven other members of the Russian Constituent Assembly and members of the Parisian Union for the Regeneration of Russia, to-day issued an appeal to the democracies of the world for prompt action with a view to helping Russia out of her present chaotic condition. It proposes the organization of a mission composed of delegates from all the powers and including representatives of organized labor, which would go to Russia and explain to the people and the different Russian Governments the democratic aims they are pursuing.

N.C-4 May Get Away From the Azores for Lisbon To-morrow

Washington, May 20.—Resumption of the trans-Atlantic flight by the naval seaplane N. C.-4 again, was delayed to-day. A message to the Navy Department early to-day from Admiral Jackson, at Ponta Delgada, said one of the plane's engines had developed trouble and that the start for Lisbon would not be made to-day. No mention was made of weather conditions.

FOODSTUFFS FROM U. S.

Washington, May 21.—The United States Trade Board has announced that foodstuffs may be shipped to the Scandinavian countries, Holland and Switzerland, without the issuance of import certificates and may be consigned directly to the purchaser abroad instead of the importing association as heretofore.

LIST OF SAILINGS AND SOLDIER PARTIES ARRIVING

Revised to Noon, May 21. The Troop-Special 1444, from the S. S. "Olympic," with 29th Battalion and other ranks for this district, left Winnipeg 5:30 p. m. May 20. The C. P. R. Special 1440, from the S. S. "Orduna," should arrive Vancouver to-day and Victoria men 8 a. m. on May 22. The S. S. "Aquinas" is due at Halifax May 23 with 65 other ranks for Victoria.

NO SHIPMENTS BY EXPRESS TO DETROIT

Detroit, Mich., May 21.—An embargo on all express shipments destined for Detroit has been declared by the Railroad Administration owing to the strike of 600 truck drivers and freight handlers employed here by the American Railway Express Company, according to advices from headquarters at Washington.



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Host of Inventors Submitted Schemes to Washington to End War

Washington, May 21.—The latest war secret to leak out is how friendly inventors all over the world gave to the United States their ideas for death-dealing machines for the destruction of Germany.

A companion secret is how all those ideas were kept from the enemy by the "Secret Serious Sphinxes" of the Patent Office. This was a board of seven men, of unquestioned loyalty and sworn to secrecy, empowered to examine and withhold patents on war machinery until the war was over and meanwhile turn ideas of promise over to the Government.

More than 2,000 devices which it was thought might be of value to the United States or the Allies were passed upon and 200 were important enough to get before the military authorities. Some of them, it is said, helped to win the war.

MRS. WILSON DID NOT FLY OVER VERSAILLES

Paris, May 21.—A statement appeared in one of the Paris morning newspapers to-day to the effect that Mrs. Wilson, wife of the President of the United States, had made a trip in an aeroplane over Versailles and its suburbs. This statement was authoritatively denied this morning at President Wilson's Paris residence.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, May 21.—The following casualties were announced to-day:

Infantry.
III—Pte. Inkster, Vancouver.
Engineers.
Died—Sapper C. Haynes, Vancouver.
Siberian Expeditionary Force—Infantry
III—Pte. Edward Pool, Vancouver.

"I SIMPLY HAD TO FIGHT FOR BREATH" SAYS PHIL SMITH

Flu Left Vancouver Man All Run Down; Tanlac Builds Him Up; Gains 17 Pounds

"I have not only gained seventeen pounds since I commenced taking Tanlac, but all my troubles have been overcome, and I feel better in every way than I have for a long time," said Phil Smith, a valued employee of the London Hotel, and who lives at 3755 Sophia Street, Vancouver, the other day.

"About eight months ago," continued Mr. Smith, "I was up to the fact that my stomach was in very bad condition, and that my food was not digesting properly. Everything I ate just seemed to form into a solid lump in my stomach, and would cause me to have the worst pains you ever heard of. Then, this sour, undigested food would cause gas to form, and I would be perfectly miserable for hours at a time. Very often this would keep me up at night, and it would cause my heart to palpitate something awful, and I would feel just like I was going to smother in spite of all I could do, and in fact, I just simply had to fight for breath. Sometimes I would be so badly swollen that I would have to loosen my clothing around my waist. I also suffered with spells of dizziness, and would feel so weak that I would have to grab hold of something to keep from falling. This in the condition the 'flu' left me in, and I had begun to think that I was going to be in this fix the rest of my life.

"Everything is quite different now, however, for I have been taking Tanlac, and it has simply knocked all my troubles winding. The most wonderful thing I ever heard of was the way my troubles commenced to disappear after I had taken a few bottles of Tanlac. To tell you the truth, I was actually surprised. Why, it just looks like I can't get enough to eat, and the best part of the whole business is, everything I eat agrees with me perfectly, and I never know what it is to suffer from indigestion or sour stomach after meals. It is simply wonderful the way I have gained in weight, and all my strength and energy have come back to me, and I am enjoying as good health in every way as I ever did in my life. I don't believe there is another medicine on earth as good as Tanlac, and I never lose an opportunity to boast this wonderful medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. M. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas Avenues.

CHEAP ALCOHOL CAN BE MADE IN CANADA

At Thirty Cents a Gallon, Commons Committee Is Informed

Ottawa, May 21.—Dr. R. F. Rutian, of Montreal, was the chief witness before the Resources Committee of the Commons yesterday. During the war, he said, experts had bent their energies to discovering whether alcohol could be made without using an ounce of foodstuffs, and they had been successful. They had investigated the production of alcohol from waste liquors of the sulphite mills and other mills and satisfied themselves that they could produce alcohol at from 32 to 35 cents a gallon, and compete actively with those who produced it from molasses and other waste products.

Alcohol, he said, could be made at about 25 to 30 cents a gallon, and it looked very much as if some of the mixtures in which alcohol was playing an important part would soon be used in direct competition with gasoline.

PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT CANADA IN AUGUST NEXT

Ottawa, May 21.—The Prince of Wales will visit Canada in August of this year and will open the new Ottawa Parliament Buildings. Sir Thomas White stated in the House yesterday afternoon that he had received the following message from the King through the Governor-General: "I am very glad to tell you that, with my entire approval, the Prince of Wales will visit Canada this year in August. He will open the new Parliament Buildings in Ottawa."

ALLIES ASK SWISS ABOUT BLOCKADE

Geneva, May 20.—Via London, May 21.—The Swiss Telegraph Agency says it learns that the Allied Governments on Monday demanded to know of the Swiss Federal Council if the Council was ready to take vigorous measures concerning the application of the blockade if Germany should refuse to sign the peace treaty. The Federal authorities will reply to the note shortly.

HENRY P. DAVISON RETURNS TO STATES

Washington, May 21.—Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Board of Governors of the League of Red Cross Societies, has sailed from France for the United States on a communication connected with the new League. It was announced to-day at the headquarters of the American Red Cross.

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MUST ADMIT THEIR RESPONSIBILITY

Germans Cannot Avoid Blame For War, Council of Four States

Paris, May 21.—The answer of the Council of Four to the German note regarding reparations points out in reply to the German refusal to admit responsibility for the war that it is impossible to dissociate responsibility from reparations.

The reply recalls that the Germans raised no objection to Secretary Lansing's note of March 5, in which he spoke of German aggression. The Council of Four also refuses to admit that the German people may disclaim responsibility for the actions of the former German Government.

Another Note.
The German delegation sent another note to the Secretariat of the Peace Congress last night. This was the tenth communication forwarded by the enemy representatives.

The arrival of Max von Wasserman, one of the managers of the Reichsbank, who came to Versailles on Monday with Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, was understood to be preliminary to an effort on the part of the Germans to secure verbal exchanges with the Allied and Associated Powers regarding the financial terms of the peace treaty.

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Count Max Montgelas and Prof. Hans Delbrueck.

To Poland.
Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German delegation, yesterday requested passports for a delegation of four persons to proceed to Poland in connection with arrangements for food supplies for Germany. His request was granted.

Because of protests against the exclusion of the public from the Trianon Park, the authorities have decided to re-open the greater portion of it, restricting the German peace mission members to sixty acres of the enclosure.

Ratification of Treaty.
Paris, May 21.—The text of the clause of the peace treaty under which the treaty will become operative, between the ratifying countries as soon as three of the principal powers and Germany sign the document, is as follows: "The present treaty shall be ratified."

Deposit of ratifications shall be made at Paris as soon as possible.

"Powers of which the seat of government is outside Europe will be entitled to inform the Government of the French Republic through their diplomatic representatives at Paris that the ratifications have been given, and in that case they must transmit their ratifications as soon as possible."

"A process verbal of deposit of ratifications will be drawn up as soon as the treaty has been ratified by Germany and Associated Powers. From the date of this process verbal the treaty will come into force between the high contracting powers who have ratified it."

YOUTH KILLED.

Tacoma, May 21.—Paul Ebert, aged twenty, was killed and Albert Carter, aged nineteen, was seriously injured when a motorcycle on which they were riding, was hit by an automobile last night.

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VANCOUVER COUNCIL WOULD LOOK INTO COST OF LIVING

Vancouver, May 21.—A telegram to the Acting Prime Minister, Sir Thomas White, and Messrs. Stevens and Crowe, Vancouver members of Parliament, was sent yesterday afternoon by Mayor Gale, calling for the rescinding of the present Order-in-Council and the passing of a new Order-in-Council which would permit the city to hold inquiries into the reasons for the high cost of various necessities of life.

The telegram, which was authorized by the City Council, sets forth that the continued increase in the cost of the necessities of life is absolutely unjustifiable, and a serious contributing cause to the general unrest throughout the Dominion. It goes on to say that the Order-in-Council passed on December 14, 1918, rescinding the former Order-in-Council is a cumbersome and inoperative, rendering cities powerless to regulate or control prices.

Authority is asked for a civic committee to enter upon premises of firms complained of, take evidence under oath and investigate the business, finally making a finding which the city would have power to enforce.

LOGGERS AND WILSON.

Portland, Ore., May 21.—The board of directors of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen, meeting in executive session here, endorsed President Wilson's effort at the Peace Conference and went on record as favoring requests to be made to the representatives of the three Northwest states in the national congress to study carefully public sentiment at home in regard to the matter.

WILL FIGHT FOR RIGHTS OF PROVINCE

Premier Oliver Speaks of Attorney-General's Trip to London

Vancouver, May 21.—That the visit of Attorney-General Farris to London represents the first gun in the fight of the Provincial Government against the further usurpation by the Federal authorities of provincial rights was an important declaration made by Premier Oliver at the complimentary banquet tendered by executive officers of the Vancouver Liberal Association last night.

Premier Oliver, in outlining the Attorney-General's visit to London, at once opened with the declaration that the Attorney-General was going over to the seat of the Empire to plead the cause of justice, of freedom and of right on behalf of the people of this Province.

One of the specific cases which was taking the Attorney-General to the Privy Council was the grant of land to the E. & N. Railway, which the Premier explained in detail.

The validity of that Provincial Act had been maintained in all the courts, but the Ministers at Ottawa had constituted themselves judges of the Government and of this Province, and it was a condition which their representatives could not sit under. They must fight any such usurpation of their rights.

A travelling bag was presented to the Attorney-General, and after Mr. and Mrs. Farris had been toasted with musical honors, Mr. Farris responded briefly but with deep acknowledgment of the kindness shown him.

NEW PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT IS AT WORK IN HUNGARY

Paris, May 21.—Dr. Julius Boraniss, Foreign Minister of the Hungarian Provisional Government, is quoted by the Vienna correspondent of The Times as saying: "The Entente knew of the formation of our Provisional Government and did not attempt to hinder it in any way. This fact seems to imply that the Allied Powers bear us no ill will. Let us even hope that we may rely upon their assistance."

"We also have tried to get in touch with the neighboring states, Roumania and Jugoslavia. Our advances have been favorably received and we feel convinced that our Provisional Government will be on friendly terms with these states."

"Some Hungarian military contingents took part in the military operations against the Bolsheviks. We are going to try to increase their number, having already called volunteers to the colors. We also are proceeding with the organization of public services as we do not intend to bring into discussion the question of a republic or a monarchy. We are only a provisional and temporary government, and we have no other task to fulfill besides the restoration of legal order in Hungary."

PURCHASE OF NEWSPAPER.

Sacramento, Cal., May 21.—Announcement that Ben S. Allen, formerly connected with the London office of the Associated Press and a veteran newspaperman of San Francisco, had purchased The Sacramento Union from the Sacramento Publishing Company, of which C. M. Wooster, formerly of San Jose, Cal., is president, was made here last night. The new owner will take possession of the property Thursday.

AMERICAN LUMBER.

Tacoma, May 21.—Organization of export agencies to place American lumber on European markets and deal with the questions of shipping and distribution was urged by John L. Walker, Trade Commissioner of the United States Department of Commerce, at a banquet of the West Coast Lumbermen's Association here last night. Mr. Walker spent eighteen months studying trade conditions in Britain, France, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland and Italy with a view to determining possibilities for American lumber.

ONTARIO BRANCH OF DOMINION ALLIANCE MEETS IN TORONTO

Toronto, May 21.—Charles E. Steele, in his presidential address to the annual meeting of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance in Massey Hall here yesterday, speaking on the question of the prohibition referendum which is to be taken in this Province, said:

"We had hoped that the question would be submitted in simple form. Other questions, however, will be submitted on the same ballot and the danger of defeat of the temperance cause is that the people may not realize that it would be fatal to our cause to open the door to the liquor traffic even if it is only called 'light wine and light beer'."

Rev. Ben H. Spence submitted his annual report as general secretary. He said there were signs that an attempt would be made by liquor interests to create dissatisfaction among the Canadian troops and make it appear that some advantage had been taken of their absence.

BOSTOCK'S PLAN FOR NATIONAL RAILWAYS FAILED IN SENATE

Ottawa, May 21.—A proposal in the Senate to have the board of the Canadian National Railways reduced in size and made responsible to Parliament rather than to the Government was defeated yesterday.

The amendment, offered by Senator Bostock, leader of the Opposition, called for the appointment of a chief and two assistant directors for the administration of the railways, the three to be appointed by the Government for seven years, but to be removable only for cause and the removal to be confirmed by Parliament. Senator Bostock said the purpose of the motion was to bring the board more closely under Parliament, to give its opinions more publicity and further remove it from the influence of the Government. Under the present bill the Government, without giving reasons, could drop any director whose actions did not please it. The amendment was declared lost.

RAILWAY BILL WAS ADVANCE AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, May 21.—Yesterday was one of the House's working days. The Consolidated Railway Bill was under consideration in committee, and its 400 non-contentious clauses were passed. The more controversial clauses were considered, but those of a really contentious nature, such as the power clause, were left over.

At the evening sitting Mr. Mackie, East Edmonton, advocated the giving of annual passes to judges on the ground that their remuneration is inadequate, but Hon. J. D. Reid could not see why the railways should be asked to make such concessions.

R. L. Richardson opposed the principle of free transportation for judges. At a late-hour the old controversy over the question of the compensation which is allowed to be charged by the Bell Telephone Company on other trunk lines for long-distance connection as the result of a Senate amendment was revived. The supporters of small companies denied the right of the large enterprises to charge compensation at all.

A vote was taken and Captain Wallace's amendment to delete the words carried. There were only two ministers in the House. Hon. J. D. Reid voted against the amendment, as did Hon. J. A. Calder.

AMERICAN FARM PRODUCE TO BRITAIN

Washington, May 21.—Edward A. Foley, of San Francisco, has been appointed to represent the United States Bureau of Markets in the United Kingdom, the Department of Agriculture announced today. He will be the first Agricultural Trade Commissioner sent abroad. He will sail for Liverpool May 24 to commence an investigation of farm products distributed there, with a view to developing markets for American agricultural products.

Mr. Foley served as solicitor for the enforcement division of the Food Administration during the war.

WAGES INCREASED.

Hamilton, Ont., May 21.—The Sanford Company, Copley, Norris and Randall, and Thornton and Douglas, Hamilton's three largest clothing firms, have granted a thirteen-per cent wage increase voluntarily to their garment workers. This comes on top of the recent concessions in the way of a forty-nine-hour week, also granted voluntarily.

MUCH SILVER WAS SHIPPED TO INDIA

U. S. Government Melted and Sent 265,000,000 Silver Dollars in Year

Washington, May 21.—Now that the Government has completed its wartime shipments to India of silver and melted dollars, Director of the Mint Baker has disclosed how thousands of tons of the metal were hauled from the Philadelphia Mint to San Francisco in special trains guarded by armed men without the loss of an ounce and without general knowledge of the procedure.

Eighteen of these treasure trains made the trip across the continent in the twelve months ended last April 23, with the silver, like big bricks, piled high in each of the five express cars composing each special train. Two men with automatic pistols at their hips and sawed-off shotguns on their laps sat in each car and later guarded the secret transfer of the bars from train to ship at San Francisco.

Each silver train weighed about sixty-two pounds and was worth \$1,000 and each train carried between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 worth of the bricks. Guarded shipments of silver dollars also were made from the United States Treasury in Washington and from the New Orleans Sub-Treasury to Philadelphia.

More than 265,000,000 silver dollars were melted and shipped to India during the year to meet urgent war demands for coinage.

VANCOUVER WELCOMED MACHINE GUN MEN

Vancouver, May 21.—With a Royal Northwest Mounted Police escort, Lieut.-Col. C. H. Muerling, D.S.O., M.C., Croix de Guerre, headed the final parade of the 2nd Canadian Motor Machine Gun Brigade through the city streets here yesterday, when the unit took its colors to the City Hall, where they were handed over to Mayor Gale for temporary safekeeping.

Of the hundred odd men who arrived yesterday, only a small number went away from this Province with the original Yukon Machine Gun Battery, which formed the nucleus of the 2nd M. G. Brigade. A delegation of the Yukoners Association headed by J. H. Falconer was present at the station to welcome the troops, as also were Mayor Gale and Lieut.-Col. Walker, who returned a few days ago in command of the 1st Motor Machine Gun Brigade.

The colors borne yesterday by Lieut. Lyman Black, son of Captain George Black, former Commissioner of the Yukon, who was first commanding officer of the Yukon Battery, and by Lieut. Nelson, were presented to the brigade at Seafoed last month by Lady Perley. They were the gift of the people of Dawson City and Vancouver, the presentation being organized by Mrs. George Black.

Seven men of the above unit boarded the C. P. R. steamer at Vancouver last midnight and arrived in Victoria this morning.

LYNCHING AVOIDED IN AN IOWA TOWN

Des Moines, Ia., May 21.—A band of farmers who gathered last night at the city jail of Ankeny, near here, and demanded that Chief of Police Kelly turn over to them Charles Walker, of Des Moines, who had confessed to having assaulted and murdered Mrs. Lizette Coyne, disappeared after a speech by Kelly. The two sons of the slain woman were in the crowd.

Walker also confessed to an attack upon a fifteen-year-old girl near Des Moines.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Montreal, May 21.—A verdict of accidental death was returned this morning by a coronor's jury in the case of John Peter Thirlwall, a returned soldier who died from a stab wound. The evidence showed that Thirlwall, who was drunk, attacked his wife with a knife when she refused to give him money. She threw herself at him and grabbed him. In the struggle Thirlwall's knife entered his breast.

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View Window Display

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Fine White Lisle Thread Hose, with strong garter tops and reinforced soles, at per pair, 50¢. 75¢ and 90¢. White Fibre Silk Hose, at per pair, 75¢, \$1.00, \$1.35. "Luxite" White Silk Hose, with ribbed top, at per pair, \$1.25. "Holeproof" White Silk Hose, at per pair, \$1.05. "Venus" Pure Silk Thread Stockings in white, at per pair, \$1.75.

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THE WINNIPEG STRIKE.

News from Winnipeg is fragmentary, as might be expected, but there are faint glimmerings which appear to light the way to a settlement of the trouble.

A great many fantastic reports have come from Winnipeg during the last few days, not the least fantastic of which was the statement that a Soviet Government had been established there.

There is, besides, a Vigilance Committee of one thousand citizens fully organized and capable of being reinforced by thousands of others who have volunteered their services to cope with any subversion of law and order.

Hence, so far it has been a peaceful general strike. But unless there is a settlement soon the situation is very likely to change for the worse.

THE VETERANS' RESOLUTION.

Whether all the measures urged upon the Dominion Government in a resolution adopted by the Victoria Branch of the Great War Veterans yesterday evening are practicable or not may be debatable, but there is no doubt that the programme set forth includes important features not only practicable but urgently desired.

The limitation of the export of certain food products until the home market has been reasonably provided for is a requirement dictated by elementary common sense.

The removal of duties and war taxes from imported foodstuffs and other necessities is a similarly sensible recommendation.

The elimination of the restrictions upon the implements of production is one of the cardinal planks of the platform of the Prairie and Ontario farmers, who very pertinently want to know how they can be expected to produce more when they are at the mercy of a heavy tariff in respect of the things needed by them for production.

The resolution advocates the fixing of the price of wheat at \$1.50 per bushel, but in view of the prediction of leading grain authorities of the United Kingdom, that before many months the price of wheat in the world market will be around \$1.25 per bushel, this might be a mistake.

WANT A GYMNASIUM.

At the solicitation of several members of the House of Commons, the Minister of Public Works has promised to consider the advisability of installing a gymnasium in the new Parliament Buildings.

speakers on one side have challenged opponents to repeat outside what they have said in the House. A few years ago a septuagenarian Senator challenged an octogenarian colleague to a foot-race or a fight on the parliamentary lawn.

On the other hand, the establishment of a gymnasium on Parliament Hill would have certain disadvantages. It would develop the vigor and wind of narrow-chested members who now want to make long speeches but cannot do so on account of their physical handicap.

It is not generally known, but it is nevertheless true, that the physical condition of the members is an important factor in the determination of the length of the Session.

"I TOLD YOU SO."

When Mr. Lloyd George referred to "the idle rich" in his Limehouse speech a few years ago he little thought that the verbal brickbats which came his way in consequence would one day automatically convert themselves into bouquets.

But the war came and changed it all. Great Britain was thrown on her own resources and nobody grumbled if the changing circumstances did mean the filling of Lloyd George's prescription so long as food could be produced.

Of particular interest, however, is the announcement just made to the effect that 368,000 acres of the Duke of Sutherland's Scottish estates have been sold for £355,550, a figure considerably less than the rate asked of the Government.

CANADIAN WARNS IMPERIALS.

Not a little prominence has been given in the British Press to a speech delivered by Lieut.-Col. C. L. Flick, of Nicola, B. C., in which he mingled a farewell to the 6th Battalion of the Devonshire Regiment with a warning against Bolshevism.

"When you return to England you will find that national habits, customs and thoughts have undergone great changes," said Colonel Flick to his Devon men. "The England of 1914 has disappeared—its place taken by a more outspoken, more courageous, more free England."

Colonel Flick referred to concerted industrial strikes and he warned his men against the attempt of agitators at coercion by means of cutting off water supplies from large cities, stopping coal miners working, causing trains to cease running and generally creating industrial paralysis.

This British-Columbian's conception of Bolshevism was by no means dimmed by two years' service in the heat of Mesopotamia, and it should be safe to predict that the "men of Devon" will remember the words of their commander for many a long day.

CANNOT SHAKE OFF RESPONSIBILITY

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be regarded as the accomplices of the faults committed by the former German Government. However, Germany has never claimed, and such a declaration would have been contrary to all principles of international law, that a modification of political regime or a change of governing personalities would be sufficient to extinguish an obligation already undertaken by any nation.

Finally, you ask that the report of the Commission on Responsibility be communicated to you. In reply we beg to say that the Allied and Associated Powers consider the reports of the Commission set up by the Peace Conference as documents of an internal character, which can not be transmitted to you.

WISHES BAN LIFTED ON WINE AND BEER

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that no beer and wine repeal will be passed. Opinion in both the Senate and House, as ascertained by Leffers, is said to be general that the ban on beer and wine will not be lifted.

Some Republican leaders charged the President with shifting responsibility to the Republican Congress and said that all he would gain would be criticism from the prohibitionists.

GERMANS DESPERATELY TRYING TO INFLUENCE WILSON AND STATES

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(concentrate on the prosecution of the task of winning the war) with all the greater zeal and enthusiasm because we know that for us this is a war of high principle, debated by no selfish ambition or conquest or spoils. It is because it is for us a war of high principle, in which all the free peoples of the world banded together for the vindication of right, a war for the preservation of our nation and all that is best in our civilization.

WOULD USE LARGER PLAES THAN N.C.'S

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being where we had figured we were coming down," continued Commander Towers. "The clearing of the weather proved only temporary, for later a storm came up and continued forty-eight hours. With both lower wings wrecked, the pontoons lost and the hull leaking and the tail of the machine damaged, the plane was tossed about like a cork."

"In order to conserve the remaining 170 gallons of fuel we decided to 'dash' backward, hoping to sight a destroyer on the way. We did not pass a single ship, however, until we reached Ponta Delgada. Off the port we declined aid proffered by the destroyer Harding, which had been sent out to meet us, and 'taxied' into port under our own power."

"During the two days' vigil of seeking land or rescue ships we fired all our distress signals, none of which apparently was seen. Without informing the crew of the fear that I had that we would be lost, I packed our log in a waterproof cover, tied it to a lifebelt and was prepared to cast it adrift if the N.C.-3 should sink."

"The nervous strain was terrible while we were drifting and the men smoked incessantly. This was the only thing that kept them awake. "Wire trouble in the instrument box was the only mechanical defect experienced by the N.C.-3."

CIVIL ENGINEERS OPERATE WATERWORKS OF WINNIPEG AND FULL SUPPLY GIVEN

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stated that James Wanning, president of the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council, had told the Association that there was a possibility of a settlement of the strike within a few days.

H. G. Veitch, a member of the executive committee of the Central Strike Committee, announced this morning that negotiations were in progress to develop the "conciliatory conversations" which had been taking place between the drivers and the union.

The Central Strike Committee admitted to-day that there had been a disagreement between Mayor Charles F. Gray and the union forces regarding the Mayor's order demanding that placards announcing that bakery and other wagons were operating with the consent of the strike committee be carried by the drivers instead of tacked to the wagons.

Ottawa, May 21.—A feeling of optimism prevails in Government circles here as a result of the Winnipeg strike situation. What advice have

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been received from Winnipeg indicate that matters are moving steadily in the direction of negotiations and conferences, which it is believed will result in a big improvement over the present conditions.

At the Railway Department it was reported that news had been received indicating the probability of the operating staffs of the railways going out in sympathy with the strikers.

LETTERS

DONATION ACKNOWLEDGED.

To the Editor.—The Patriotic Service Committee, I. O. D. E. begs to acknowledge with much appreciation a generous donation of \$250 for the "Widows, Orphans and Dependents' Fund, from the Princess Dramatic Company, being the net proceeds of the recent production, "What Happened to Jones."

UNFAIR TREATMENT To the Editor.—L. N. Anderson, who pays over \$800 taxes yearly and is not delinquent to the extent of \$1.00, is put to unnecessary heavy expense through the inadvertence of the City Council.

Mr. Anderson sought the approval of the Council of a map which was prepared by a land surveyor for the purpose of registration of properties upon which the city had been collecting taxes for the past twenty years or more. The application was refused after being earnestly appealed to on the merits of the case.

MEDICAL AUTOCRACY AND DESPOTISM.

To the Editor.—It is possible in the march of social evolution that measures originally intended for the protection of the public may possibly be means whereby the individual may be victimized and the public made to suffer.

In the following story the public may read a chapter of individual injustice, provincial medical monopoly and national disloyalty, all for the protection (sic) of the public, while uneducated quacks are allowed to practice in every city in the Province.

Let the public read, the voter mark, and the members of the Legislature learn and inwardly digest, that British Columbia Medical Council be shorn of its arbitrary powers, that no more such outrages be permitted. What an insult this is to the faculty of Manitoba University, who knew this man's ability better than the little coterie of men who are more interested in preserving dignity and power than extending to those who sacrificed for our safety, the common principles of justice!

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A "Slip-on" Middy made from colored jean, in the regulation style, has a sailor collar, full-length sleeves and is finished with three rows of white braid. It is shown in shades of cadet and navy, all sizes, and sells moderately at \$2.50

Another Middy, in a coat style, is made from beach cloth. It has a sash girdle, sailor or novelty collar and is very attractive, in colors of rose, apple green and Copenhagen.

In Novelty Smocks a very full range is shown, in all white and colors. In these smocking, novelty collars and belts are featured, and the prices range from \$2.50 to \$5.75

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In Ready-Made Sheets we have sizes to suit all beds, and in various qualities, from the medium grades to the heavy make of Sheetings. The sizes vary from one and three-quarter yards wide to two and one-quarter yards wide; all two and one-half yards long. Our prices range from \$3.35 for the smaller sizes, to, for the larger sizes, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$5.00, \$5.25 and \$6.00

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Campers' Blankets—In the light and dark grey shades; sizes to suit all makes of beds, in the various qualities. Priced from as low as, a pair, \$3.50, \$9.00, \$9.75, \$12.00 to \$18.00

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Other Needs You May Get in Our Book Department

- Flags—In silk and cotton; all kinds, sizes and prices from 10¢ to \$3.00
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Consider the quality, then the prices, and you will conclude that here are values worth taking advantage of. Call in to-morrow when down town and investigate this offering. Here are the Gloves you have been wanting for some time.

- Ladies' Silk Gloves, in Kayser and Queen Quality makes, in grey, tan, Palm Beach, mole, black and white. They have double tips and are exceedingly good value at 85¢
- Ladies' Silk Gloves, 2-dome style, extra heavy double tips, in colors of grey, Palm Beach, black and white. This is a value that will please you, at \$1.50
- Ladies' Silk Gloves, 2 dome, with double tips, in shades of black and white, with self or fancy points. Be sure to inquire for this value at, a pair \$1.00
- Ladies' Chamousette Gloves, in grey, mastic, natural, black and white, with self and black stitching and 2 dome fastening. Extra quality \$1.25

—Gloves, Main Floor, Douglas

Dainty Cotton Drawers for Children

White Cotton Drawers—Trimmed with embroidery and lace. Made with loose and tight knee; in sizes to fit the ages of from two to twelve years. Priced at 35¢ and 50¢

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The same Shirt as above, but made with double turn-down collar and loops attached, also button-down "flap" pocket. Sizes 14 to 16½. Each \$2.85

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- Nelson's Celebrated Rosebuds, a box 25¢
- 1-lb. Boxes of Chocolate, very finest, a box 50¢
- Bulls' Eyes, regular 50c, selling for 30¢
- Peanut Brittle, regular 45c, selling for 30¢
- Marshmallows, regular 50c, selling for 35¢
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A BEDTIME STORY
Uncle Wiggily and the Little Pond
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Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, was hopping along through Woodland near the Orange Ice Mountains, not far from Asbury Grove, where he had built his hollow stump bungalow. Mr. Longears was looking first on one side of the path and then on the other with his pink, twinkling nose.

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Social Tea

Capt. C. H. Nicholson was in the city yesterday from Vancouver.

John E. Rice, of Bellingham, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Capt. J. C. Bowen Colhurst, F.R.G.S. is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. F. S. Dowson, of Santa Barbara, has arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fraser have gone over to Vancouver, where they will take up their residence.

Mrs. W. H. Bullock-Webster went over to Vancouver on Monday on a visit to Mrs. Sidney Kelly, Bidwell Street.

Miss Doris Bagshaw has returned to her home in this city after spending the past two weeks in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. A. J. Henken.

H. C. Hall, M.P.F., returned to the city yesterday afternoon from New York and Ottawa. Important business engagements took Mr. Hall to the other side.

Miss Dorothy Loughbeed, who has been spending the winter in Victoria, and Vancouver, will leave the Coast at the end of the week for her home in Calgary.

Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Municipal Regent, L.O.E., has gone up to Shawnigan to recuperate after her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diether, Sr., of Vancouver, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth McDowell, to William Kenneth McCarter, of Victoria.

Miss Irene Moody, Chairman of the Vancouver School Board, has returned to her home on the Mainland after a ten days' visit in Victoria and on Vancouver Island.

Mrs. J. H. MacGill, Juvenile Court Judge, of Vancouver, who addressed the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon, was the guest of Dr. Helen Ryan, Battery Street, during her brief stay in this city.

Mrs. Denham Stewart and her daughter, Miss Thelma Stewart, have arrived from England and will spend the summer months with her parents, Col. and Mrs. James Peters, of Esquimalt. Later Mrs. Stewart will leave for China, where her husband Capt. Stewart, R.N., is now stationed, he having been transferred from Plymouth to the China station.

On April 17 at St. Mary's Church, Bathwick, Somerset, England, the marriage was solemnized by the Rev. H. Symonds, of Sgt. James Alexander Watson, Canadian Artillery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, 1734 Bay Street, Victoria, to Vinie Kathleen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Nash, of Bathwick, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nott, Devon.

Pte. R. G. Stinson, son of Mrs. E. H. Stinson, of 1246 Acton Street, an "original" of the 56th Gordons, is expected home to-morrow morning after an absence of nearly five years overseas. Pte. Stinson left in August, 1914, with the 56th Gordons from Victoria, later transferring to the 14th Battalion. After six months in the trenches he met with an accident resulting in a broken ankle, rendering him unfit for further service in the firing line, and he was transferred to the ambulance section, with which he has since been on duty.

The Ladies of First Baptist Church Ladies' Aid are holding sale of home cooking in the Market Friday, 23rd Inst. All ladies of the Church and congregation are earnestly requested to send in donations early Friday morning to the Market. The proceeds are to be donated to the Church Debt Fund.

As fast as they could. So did the Skuddlemagoon. Pretty soon Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty came to the big pond.

"Oh, if only this pond were little now," sighed Uncle Wiggily, "we could jump across it."

"What good would that do?" asked Baby Bunty.

"Why, once on the other side, we would be safe from the Skuddlemagoon," answered Uncle Wiggily. "The policeman dog lives on the other side of this pond. But as it is now, it is too big for us to jump across, and if we have to run all the way round it the big chap may catch us."

And then, just as true as I'm feeling you, all of a sudden the big pond began to shrink up. It shut its banks close together and became so little that Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty could easily jump across, without getting wet.

All the way across the pond they jumped, and when they were safe on the other side, the little pond suddenly stretched into a big one again and it was so large that the Skuddlemagoon couldn't jump over.

"Oh, we're safe, Uncle Wiggily!" cried Bunty. "We're safe! But what made the big pond get little and then big again?"

"I don't know," answered Mr. Longears. "We made the big pond get little for you," said the green stalks and leaves on the bank. "We shrank, and also stretched the pond for you. We are rubber plants, you know, and rubber can stretch and shrink."

That's just how it happened. Weren't those stretchy rubber plants good to Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty? They were. The bluebell flower doesn't ring so late in the morning that the alarm clock gets late for school, and can't have any sweetest candy for recess, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the tummy stump.

"Please do!" begged the plants growing on the edge of the big pond.

So Uncle Wiggily drove away the biting bugs by tapping on the green, thick-leaved plants with his crutch, and the plants thanked the rabbit gentleman very much.

"If we can ever do you or any of your friends a favor we shall be glad to," they said.

Uncle Wiggily hardly thought a plant could ever do you a favor, but just you wait and see. On and on through the woods hopped the rabbit gentleman until pretty soon he came to a cute little shady dinky dell, and there was Baby Bunty lying on the grass fast asleep. In one paw was her wooden doll—Sarah Jane Samaras Rice-pudding.

"Oh, Bunty! Wake up!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "Nurse Jane wants you to come home! It's nearly supper time!"

Baby Bunty awakened with a start, rubbed her eyes, and then, holding her doll, Matilda Arabella Flonododia, in one paw, the little rabbit girl took hold of Uncle Wiggily's coat tail and hopped back to the hollow stump bungalow they started.

They had not gone very far, and they were hopping toward the big pond of water, when, all of a sudden, out from behind a stump popped the bad old Skuddlemagoon.

"Oh, ho! Now I have you!" cried the Skuddlemagoon.

Uncle Wiggily and Baby Bunty ran

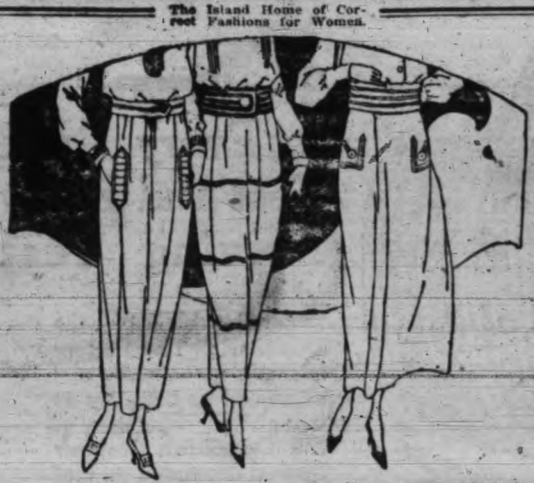
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These popular Slipover Sweaters can be had with sleeves, or sleeveless, with collar, or collarless. The styles are new and smart and they are offered in a wide range of fashionable colors.
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Sports Hats of tassel straw, trimmed with bands of white or some contrasting tone; orchid, apple, maize, tan and white—\$7.50.
White Milan Straw Hats, trimmed with silk bands. These are shown in newest shapes, ranging from the small roll brim to the large drooping Sailor Hat. Splendid quality—\$7.50 to \$18.50.
Middy Belts
Offered in tan, white, black, cardinal and grey. They are of nice quality and have fine patent leather finish. Prices, 25c to 85c.
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Skirts of White Drill, made in a neat style, with fancy pockets, belt and in a fashionable fullness. Splendid quality and values at \$2.25.
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Chamoisette Gloves in white, grey, natural or mauve. Self or black points, \$1.25 a pair. Chamoisette Gloves, in white, black, grey, pearl, brown or natural, with heavy or light stitching. Special, \$1.00 a pair.
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Practically all fashionable shades are represented in this collection of crepe de chine ties. They are of fine quality, too—75c and \$1.00.
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Vote for Miss Myra Carlow, our candidate in the Popular Girl Contest.
Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E.—Owing to the absence of the Regent, the general meeting of the Municipal Chapter has been postponed until Thursday, May 23, when special business will come up for discussion. Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock there will be special meeting of the executive only.
S.P.G.A. Presentation.—In the Police Court yesterday Magistrate Jay fined Dunko, a Hindu, \$15 for driving a lame horse after the Humane Society's inspector had warned him that the animal was not fit for work.



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BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF VLADIVOSTOK

In which city the Canadians of the Siberian Expeditionary Force were quartered.

OKANAGAN SCHEME IS NOW WELL UNDER WAY

Tenders for First Unit to Be Called for by Mr. Pattullo Early in June

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, announced this morning that tenders will be called for by his department in the first week in June for the first portion of the irrigation work which the Government will undertake in the 22,000-acre tract recently acquired by the Province for the purpose of soldier settlement.

Since the beginning of the spring a corps of engineers have been on the ground gathering a plentiful supply of data upon which the further development of the project will be based, the preliminary report now being in the hands of the Minister. The first contract will be for the removal of 250,000 cubic yards of dirt.

At the end of the present week Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Cleveland, the department's chief engineer, will go to the dry belt to investigate the general irrigation conditions with a view reaching a decision as to the best method of dealing with the whole situation.

ACTION EXPECTED

Case of the Vancouver Assessor's Office Now in the Hands of the Government's Legal Department.

Although no official statement has been made at the Parliament Buildings in connection with the recent report of an investigation into alleged irregularities in the office of the Vancouver Assessor and Surveyor of Taxes, it is reported that in the case of P. Power and L. W. Campbell, both officials will be dismissed from the service and proceedings taken against them. The matter is in the hands of the Government's legal department, however, and both the Hon. J. W. deR. Farris and Deputy Attorney-General Johnson are in Vancouver where the matter is now being dealt with.

TO DISCUSS GRIEVANCES

Civil Service Association Recommends Three of Its Members and Asks for Three Government Appointments.

Three representatives of the Victoria branch of the Provincial Civil Service Association and three to be named by the Government is the suggestion for the personnel of a committee to delve into a number of grievances under which members of the service alleged they are laboring.

There is considerable dissatisfaction felt over the amount and apportionment of the bonuses, and a general desire that the Government take into consideration the needs of the service in meeting the present cost of living.

As he brushed his coat, Robinson was pouring out his woes to his sympathetic adviser, Jinks.

"Do you know," he began sorrowfully, "my wife's pet Persian and fluffy fidos practically rule our house." Jinks, however, immediately began to laugh.

"Nothing to grin about!" said Robinson, fiercely. "Just so, old chap; but I was thinking that it was a case of reigning cats and dogs."

GRAY HAIR

Dr. Tremaine's Natural Hair Restorative, used as directed, is guaranteed to restore gray hair to its natural color or money refunded. Positively not a dye and non-inducious. For sale in Victoria by Dean & Hiscocks, Druggists, cor. Yates and Broad Streets.

WOULD DREDGE FOR SHIPYARD WHARVES

Inner Harbor Association Asking Docking Facilities For Cholberg Plant

The Inner Harbor Association, which has been very active in past years in recommending improvements to the Inner Harbor channels, is now seeking to get a deepening of the channel alongside the Cholberg shipbuilding plant and an extension of the wharf on the west side of the plant so that ships may be brought alongside the shipyard.

When the Norwegian vessel, the Gunn, was launched a few days ago there was no place available for docking her near the shipyard, and she had to be taken elsewhere.

Reports of the ship H. C. Hansen coming to load lumber has again drawn attention to the fact that there are no facilities for landing her, or any other vessel alongside the Cholberg yards at present.

A letter has been sent to Superintendent K. C. Cameron, at Ottawa, by the Inner Harbor Association asking the Government to carry on the necessary dredging work, which will necessitate continuing excavation back from the line where dredging ceased, owing to the big demands on the country for the war.

WOULD STABILIZE STEEL INDUSTRY

Labor Considers Adoption of New Agreement With Placing of Orders

Vancouver, May 21.—Consideration of a proposition that if adopted will go far toward stabilizing the steel shipbuilding industry in British Columbia is now being given by the Metal Trades Council. The representative body of the union men is considering a new agreement to be adopted with regard to new orders for ships. It is proposed that such an agreement be entered into when the local shipyard's obtain the orders that were tentatively promised by the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne some time ago. The proposal is to arrive at an agreement with the construction company that will be satisfactory to both sides and will endure through the period of any new contracts.

STANDARDIZATION OF FARM MACHINERY

Ottawa, May 21.—The need of steps being taken to standardize farm machinery was brought to the attention of the Commons Committee on Agriculture this morning by A. B. McCoy.

Mr. McCoy spoke of the large increase in the cost of agricultural machinery which the farmers must bear, because this machinery is not interchangeable. He dwelt upon the inconvenience of the present situation of the farmers generally.

Mr. McCoy received strong support from other members of the Committee. Frank Glass, East Middlesex, approved the proposal to standardize parts of farm implements. He moved that Messrs. Anderson, McCoy, Best, Kay, Harold and Dr. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, be named as a committee to frame a resolution before the next meeting of the Committee, to be sent to the manufacturers.

Deputy Minister Grisdale, who was called upon on the suggestion of Mr. McCoy, told the Committee that the question of standardization of parts of agricultural implements had been engaging the attention of the Department of Agriculture. He thought something could be done along these lines.

ANDERSON ON HIS KNEES, BUT MAKES A COMEBACK

Calgary, May 20.—Fight fans saw the best yet when Paulson and Harry Anderson met in what, according to the referee's decision, was a 10-pound draw. Anderson, through carelessness, was knocked to his knees in the first round for the count of nine, but staged a whirlwind comeback that nearly swept Paulson from his feet.

HASTENING CORN CROP

The corn growers in the colder and more northern parts of Canada might find some advantages from the use of superphosphate as a fertilizer. Dr. F. T. Shutt, Dominion Chemist, points out in an article in The Agricultural Gazette for May that one of the more important functions of a phosphoric acid fertilizer is to hasten maturity, and expresses the view that an application of it will materially hasten the ripening of the corn crop, more especially in an adverse season. By this means the corn may reach the "glazing" stage before there is much risk from early autumn frost and the time for cutting has arrived. He suggests an application of, say, 350 pounds of superphosphate per acre broadcasted or drilled in on prepared land before planting. In order that the effect might be noted, Dr. Shutt suggests that a strip alongside should be left untreated.

At a church conference a speaker began a tirade against the universities and education, expressing thankfulness that he had never been corrupted by contact with a college. After proceeding for a few minutes the bishop, who was in the chair, interrupted with the question.

"Do I understand that Mr. Dobson is thankful for its ignorance?" "Well, yes," was the answer; "you can put it that way if you like."

"Well, all I have to say," said the prelate, in sweet and musical tones—"all I have to say is that he has much to be thankful for."

VICTORIA STATUE FOR PARLIAMENT GROUNDS

Decade-Old Order of Province About to Be Delivered From England

About ten years ago the Province of British Columbia ordered a statue of her late Majesty Queen Victoria. It was completed just prior to the outbreak of war, when the question of delivery from the sculptors in England was held in abeyance until more propitious times.

A cable was received by Premier Oliver this morning from the Agent-General in London, in which Mr. Wade states that the Harrison, Line has consented to carry the statue to Victoria free of freight, delivery free on board at the ship's port of loading. The steamer is to be free from all responsibility for loss or damage or injuries in transit.

It has not yet been decided what section of the Parliament grounds the statue will be erected, the decision will be made upon its arrival.

RETAIL CLERKS AND HOLIDAY RULES—Objections were registered at the regular meeting of the Retail Clerks Union last night at the attitude of some of the merchants in keeping their stores open Wednesday afternoon, it being pointed out that by working on the regular afternoon holiday and late on Friday previous to Victoria Day, the clerks would be working eight hours extra previous to the holiday.

The opinion was expressed that the stores which opened Wednesday afternoon would not keep open late Friday night, and this was declared to be favorable to the employees. Proprietors of stores which opened Wednesday afternoon will be approached to close at the usual time Friday, and it was thought this request would be generally acceded to without any suggestion of friction.

COLD AIR MAY HAVE AFFECTED MOTOR OF HAWKER'S PLANE

St. Johns, Nfld., May 21.—The lack of news regarding the Sopwith aeroplane men continues greatly to depress all here. The opinion of airmen and others now is that the machine must have collapsed within a short time after leaving St. Johns, because no wireless message was received from the airmen nor any indication of their being afloat during the five or six hours necessary to bring them into the liner track, which they should have reached before nightfall, owing to the length of the daylight period in this latitude at the present time. Belief also is expressed that the wireless equipment of the plane collapsed, as it had on test flights here six weeks ago, as otherwise the men could have sent some signals.

The opinion is gaining ground that the vast bodies of field ice and bergs extending for 100 miles off the coast may have affected the working of the engine, the intense cold perhaps congealing the oil. United States airmen flying to Trepassay from Rockaway Beach found this condition caused them serious inconvenience and seriously disturbed all their engines, some of which virtually burned out from this cause.

A return tabled in the House of Commons gives the total expenditure for the Advisory Council for Industrial and Scientific Research for the last fiscal year at \$59,111. Assisted researches cost \$2,854; forestry studies, \$2,400; fellowships, \$1,000; and salaries, \$19,500.

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Oscar W. Schwartz, nautical expert of the United States Shipping Board, writes from Portland to Thomas Sorby, Secretary of the Inner Harbor Association, asking for a great deal of detail in connection with the port of Victoria.

The letter from Mr. Schwartz reads: "It is requested that this office be furnished with the latest information and data in regard to the port facilities at Victoria. By this is meant a list of docks, whether private or Government owned, their length, width, storage capacity, whether or not they are covered, trackage and depth of water alongside; list of shipyards, whether wood or steel, and what facilities they have for repairing ships; also drydock facilities, length, width, depth, lifting capacity, and the depth of water on sill of the drydocks; list of marine railways and their capacity; number of mooring buoys and the approximate depth of water; cable and telegraph communications; grain elevators and their capacity; and list of regular steamship lines running in and out of port."

Mr. Sorby has written to Mr. Schwartz giving the latter all the information he has asked for. It is not known for what purpose Mr. Schwartz requires the information regarding this port or whether similar information is being given to the United States, or any of its officials, by all other Canadian ports.

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France and still more Belgium, are clamorously for Canadian products, and extensive orders may be expected from the two countries by Canadian manufacturers, according to Mr. A. G. Lambert, assistant secretary of the Council of Agriculture for the Province of Quebec, who is just returned from the Lyons Fair.

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Y. M. C. A. Directors Decide to Care for Lads Whose Fathers Fell in France

Last evening the monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the Association building, when a dozen busy men spent about three hours in thoughtful consideration of the work of the institution and in planning for a larger and more effective programme for the future.

The reports showed that the Association building was being extensively used by large numbers of young men who were making it their "Home away from Home" and enjoying the various privileges and appreciating the numerous services rendered.

Carrying out the suggestion made by individual directors during the recent Red Triangle campaign it was officially decided to furnish free membership tickets to boys 12-18 years of age who had lost their fathers in the war. Steps will be taken at once to secure a complete list of such boys from the proper authorities, so that they may be able to avail themselves of the C. B. E. T. programme in the fall which provides for their four-fold development.

Overseas Officials.

The directors have resolved to secure the best men possible for the offices of the Boys' Work Secretary and Physical Director and are in communication with the National Y. M. C. A. offices to have two of the most capable men who have had overseas experience assigned to the Victoria Association.

It was decided to hold the annual meeting of the Association on Friday evening, May 20, when a review of the past year's work and a detailed statement of the financial operations will be presented, and six directors elected to take the places of those who are retiring.

With the enthusiasm which the members of the Y. M. C. A. are showing it is quite apparent that this institution will play an important part in the work among the boys and young men in the coming days.

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WILL STAND TRIAL ON ATTEMPTED MURDER CHARGE

Charged with attempting the murder of a young girl, Provincial Constable H. V. Harris was yesterday committed for trial at Queen's Bench on a charge of attempted murder.

The alleged shooting took place in the post office at Quenel at 8.30 last Wednesday evening. Harris and a Miss Evelyn Moffatt were standing before the wicket when, it is charged, the constable fired a shot into her breast. The young woman managed to walk to a nearby drug store, saying that she had been shot. Fainting from the pain, she was rushed to a hospital where she received medical attention immediately. Harris was arrested and held on a charge of attempted murder.

The police authorities at headquarters here are at a loss to understand the motive for the alleged crime. Constable Harris, it is pointed out, has been a member of the force for nine years, and is known as an unusually capable and good-headed officer. He is a married man with children. His trial, it is presumed, will take place at the Fall Assize.

JAPANESE "Y" MAN HERE

Masura Omura, Secretary of Yokohama Association, Arrives to Study Work in America.

Masura Omura, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Yokohama, and one of the leading association workers in the Orient, arrived in Victoria this morning on board the Osaka Shosen Kaisha steamship Chicago Maru. Mr. Omura will visit all the principal Y. M. C. A.'s in Canada and the United States to acquaint himself with the latest equipment and construction of buildings and also study the social work.

It has been the policy of the association in Japan to send one worker abroad every year. Omura is a member of both the National Committee and National Executive of the Y. M. C. A. in Japan. He has been engaged in the work in Yokohama for eight years, during which time he has accomplished a great deal of important work amongst his countrymen.

MISS MAUD SCRUBY TO ASSIST AT CONCERT

Miss Maud Scruby, the well-known "celist, ever-ready to place her talent at the service of any good cause, has kindly consented to assist in the concert to be given at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening next in aid of the fund of the Local Council of Women. In addition to several solos, Miss Scruby will play cello obligato to several of the vocal numbers.

The assisting vocalists, all well-known members of the younger musical set, will be Miss Mona Misener and Miss Dorothy Dorrell, sopranos, and the Misses Loras Griffiths and Nora Southwell, contraltos.

The candidate was rather surprised when he faced the "audience," to find it consisted of one solitary person. Realizing, however, that an election may be won by one, so he spoke, he braced himself up, and delivered his address as to "a packed house."

After an hour and a half of pledges and promises, he wound up with: "And now, my dear sir, I will not encroach upon your valuable time any longer."

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ARBITRATION CASE

Argument in County Court Falls Mackenzie & Mann Townsite.

Argument in the arbitration case of Merrill-Ring-Moore Logging Company and Mackenzie & Mann Company, Ltd., was heard in the County Court yesterday before Judge Lampman.

The latter company owns a townsite at Duncan Bay, Seymour Narrows, and the former are running a logging railway through the townsite. The question under arbitration is the yearly rental for a term of ten years during which the logging company wishes to have the privilege of running its logging trains through the townsite. The argument in the case was partly heard in Vancouver last month and was resumed here. W. M. Griffin, of Vancouver, is counsel for the logging company and H. A. Maclean, K.C., is appearing for Mackenzie & Mann.

WOMEN ARE CARELESS.

This has been proved over and over again during the war. They overestimate their physical strength and overtax it. Their ambition is commendable, but does not compensate for the hours and days of misery which they suffer from symptoms caused by female ills brought on by overwork. Women who are weak, nervous, despondent, with headaches, backache and dragging-down pains should remember there is one tried and true remedy, that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, now recognized everywhere as the standard remedy for such ailments.

GOT A GRANT

Provincial Government Will Spend \$12,000 on Hard-Surfacing in Delta Municipality.

Following his interview with the Provincial Cabinet on Monday last, Reeve Paterson, of the Delta, has been advised by the Premier that the Government will donate \$4,000 per mile for three miles of hard-surfacing on the trunk road near Ladner.

This is the road which runs eastward through the Municipality of the Delta and links up Ladner with the Pacific highway. Of recent months it has become a popular route for tourists motoring to and from Vancouver, and its use as an alternate route has been welcomed.

Salvation Band to Play.—The local Salvation Army Band is to give a musical festival at the Citadel, Broad Street, to-night, as a preliminary to its concert to be given in Seattle on May 24 and 25. At the special invitation of the Seattle corps the thirty-bandmen and thirty-five members of the Victoria corps will leave for the Sound City on Friday afternoon to assist at special services on Saturday and Sunday.

Slandering the Liberal Press

From The Toronto Globe.

Mr. Lemieux, sheltered in the "pill-box" of Parliamentary privilege, makes another attack on the Liberal Press, or on that portion of it which by its support of compulsory military service at a time of national crisis, put principle and conviction above party solidarity.

The member for Gaspe professes to think there is no honest explanation of the support given by Liberal newspapers to the Military Service Act and Union Government. It would be underrating his intelligence to say that he believes his own slanders. He is trying to gratify his malice by attacking those who were guilty of independence, a species of treason in the eyes of rule or ruin politicians. The newspapers embraced in Mr. Lemieux's calumnies acted from patriotic and unselfish motives, and reached their conclusions only after anxious thought, in which the claims of public duty were balanced against the reluctance to break with party traditions and a venerated leader. Speaking for itself, The Globe advised the policy of compulsory military service before the old Government had declared for it, and continued to urge a Coalition or Union Administration when negotiations for that purpose had nearly fallen through. In this trying period the attitude of the English language Liberal newspapers toward the Union project, with scarcely an exception, was identical with that of The Globe. On July 26, 1917, a meeting of Ontario Liberal Editors was held to discuss the situation, at which were represented The London Advertiser, Brantford Expositor, Woodstock Sentinel-Review, Stratford Beacon-Kingston Whig, Hamilton Times, Toronto Star, Guelph Mercury, Niagara Falls Review, St. Catharines Journal, Ingersoll Chronicle, Orillia Times, Belleville Ontario, Simcoe Reformer, Richmond Hill Liberal, Acton Free Press, Mitchell Recorder, and Owen Sound Sun. The following resolutions were adopted, only the representative of The Mitchell Advocate dissenting: "1. Canada's task is to organize her man-power and resources for the winning of the war, including compulsory military service, conscription of wealth, progressive income tax, increased food production, control of profiteering, nationalization of munition plants, national and personal thrift and economy."

"2. It is essential that our troops be backed up by the needed reinforcements, and that the Liberal party in Ontario should stand squarely for compulsory military service, and that no candidate should be supported who will not support this."

"3. Sir Robert Borden and his Government have proved themselves unequal to these tasks. No other purely party Government at the present time could deal with them. A War Cabinet and Government representing both parties and the strong forces of the nation working for the winning of the war is, therefore, necessary."

Two or three newspapers subscribing to these expressions of opinion shifted their ground during the election campaign, possibly under party pressure—certainly not because of corrupt influences. In the West the Lib-

eral Press was more nearly unanimous in supporting Union Government. The most important dailies in the Maritime Provinces took the same position. Mr. Lemieux's own views were defined in a speech at Hochelaga on November 25, 1917. As reported in the Montreal Liberal organ, Le Canada, he said: "We have no interest on the other side of the ocean. . . . The Tories have imposed conscription on Canada—why? In order to create a precedent so that Canada may become for England a reservoir of men for the wars of the future. That is the basis of Imperialism. We have raised a ready more than 450,000 men from a population of 7,000,000. The United States, with a population of 112,000,000, to equal our effort must raise and transport to Europe 5,000,000 soldiers. I say that before doing more—and we have already done enough—we should wait until the United States has furnished at least 1,500,000 men."

Holding these opinions, which were applauded the next day by Le Devoir and the National doctrine, Mr. Lemieux was logical in opposing Union Government, but he was not so consistent in supporting Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who favored the continued enrollment of men under the military system. On the other hand, those who believed that the solemn duty rested upon the Canadian people to sustain by reinforcements the Canadian battalions at the front, and that only compulsory service would suffice, could not conscientiously follow a party leader pledged, if returned to power, to suspend the operation of the Military Service Act, pending the dilatory process of a referendum.

Mr. Lemieux's allegation that Liberal newspapers adopted this course because they were bribed by Government advertising in a slander which no public man would father unless he had lost his sense of truthfulness and fair play. Mr. Lemieux has taken care not to formulate specific charges or ask for an inquiry, at which he would be obliged to prove his accusations or convict himself of reckless defamation.

The Liberal Press can be proud of the part played in shaping the policy of the country during the war. The attack upon it by men of the type of Mr. Lemieux, whose vanard may be believed by some credulous persons, is one of the penalties it is paying for its moral courage, but Canadians who be-

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lieve that party is a means to an end, and not an end in itself, should pray that Canadian newspapers will continue to serve Canada as faithfully as they served it in the emergency of 1917.

It is authoritatively stated that the bill to amend the Bankruptcy Act recently introduced by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Solicitor General, will be passed by Parliament at the present session. For some reason or another an impression has gone abroad that this bill is likely to be dropped, with the result that scores of messages are pouring in on the Government from all parts of the Dominion asking that it be proceeded with.

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Dr. Paul Higgins has removed his office to rooms 305-309 Jones Building, 713 Fort St.

The Ladies of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, are holding a bazaar at the Alexandra Club on the afternoon of June 6, followed by a concert in the evening.

Will Any Person noticing a red chow dog wandering at large kindly notify Mrs. Geo. R. Elliott, phone 5622R. A suitable reward offered for his return to 2829 Prior Street.

Dance at Foundation Club House, Wednesday evening, May 21. Proceeds to furnish swimming club at Gorge. Ladies, 25c.; gents, 50c.

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Elks—Flannel dance, Thursday, May 22. Those wishing invitations please phone Sec. 856.

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The oiling of a number of city streets commenced this morning. Esquimalt Road was the first highway to receive attention, while a start will be made on the Choberg Shipyard Road this afternoon. The warmer weather will facilitate the oiling operations considerably, and it is expected that the number of the thoroughfares about the city will be improved in this way. The laying of oil and sand, in the opinion of many of the Aldermen, is a most satisfactory method of keeping down the dust and of maintaining a proper surface.

The Engineer's Department will shortly begin the work of laying macadam trails on a number of streets in accordance with the recommendations of a special committee which toured the entire city recently.

Clearing Beach

A large gang of men started to clear Fowl Bay beach this morning, following the inspection of the resort by an Aldermanic party yesterday. Numerous logs which at present block the path down to the sands will be rolled away and towed out to sea.

During the inspection of the beach yesterday, Alderman Andrews, Chairman of the Parks Committee, discovered that caterpillars were infesting the trees in the district and making havoc with the foliage. As a result, a number of boulevard workers were sent to "make war" with the voracious insects.

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Ladies' Aid First Baptist Church, Sale of home cooking, Market, Friday, May 23.

May 24th—Reserve your dances at the Gorge Park Boat House.

Victoria 50 Years Ago—Pioneer Days in Victoria—Lecture, illustrated by lantern slides by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maynard, at St. Columba Church schoolroom, Oak Bay, 8 p.m., Thursday, May 22. Adults 25c.; children, 10c. Take Oak Bay car.

Forty-eighth Battalion—Steps for the formation of a Forty-eighth Battalion Association were taken last night at a meeting held at the Knights of Columbus Hut. About sixty former members of the battalion were present and the election of officers was left over until Tuesday, when the organization will be completed. Sergeant-Major Green, Sergeant Rowe and Corporal Burnett were appointed a committee to arrange for the next meeting, and the social features which will bring the members together and cement the comradeships made while serving with the Unit.

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Treatment of Delinquents Reviewed by Judge MacGill, Vancouver Juvenile Court

"The system in British Columbia of dealing with grown-up delinquents belongs to the dark ages. It still follows the old idea of 'an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' Any system of punishment that follows wrong-doing without taking steps for the reformation of the evil-doer is wrong and useless," was the criticism levelled by Mrs. J. H. MacGill, Judge of the Vancouver Juvenile Court, during the course of an enlightening address on the subject "Our Delinquent Citizens." Mrs. MacGill was addressing the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel last night. Her criticisms, based on long experience in the juvenile court, provided much food for thought.

Parole Board System

Containing that to shut criminals up together in the hope that they would improve each other if kept incarcerated for a sufficient length of time was a logical method of treatment. Mrs. MacGill made a strong plea for the establishment in this province of the Parole Board and the "indeterminate" sentence. This system had been in use in Ontario for some time and had proved its value in the reclamation of the offender. Under the British Columbia method a prisoner was released after sentence, often with no money and without friends except those of the criminal classes. Hampered by the jail stigma she was unable to find work or friends among decent people, with the result that, no matter how much the offender wished to reform, she would be sent back to the depths of the prison every effort made to help her go straight.

Herded With Criminals

Another objection to the present jail system for women offenders, continued the speaker, was that there was no medical inspection, no classes to teach the girls to be of some use to themselves and others, and first offenders were not segregated from the older criminals. The result was that a girl in for a first offence came in contact with prostitutes, "dope fields" and other criminals, and when she left the prison without means or friends she invariably fell to the hands of these women, and her downward career was swift of descent. Under the Parole Board system the girl was protected from these evil influences, and Mrs. MacGill expressed the hope that the system would be established in this province before many moons had passed.

Child Offenders

The great difference between the procedure in the Juvenile Court and that in the Peace Court, Mrs. MacGill summed up in the sentence, "In the Juvenile Court it is not what you do, but why?" Taking the view that the child committing a serious offence is often merely a victim of circumstances, she investigated and every factor contributing to its delinquency is taken into consideration before sentence is pronounced. At the conclusion of the child's case, Mrs. MacGill expressed the hope that the child would be placed in a good home, should she assist in the work of the court officials taking the stand that no person has a right to exploit character.

Need More Juvenile Courts.

If probation fails after being given a fair trial, the child is sent to the Industrial Home, where she is treated under an honor system and made to do school, domestic or domestic science classes. There they remain until their moral reformation is complete when they are recommended out on probation. Every child offender should be tried in the Juvenile Court. Mrs. MacGill, in sexual cases it was not right that a young girl should be tried by men, while her appearance in the police court often led to her being marked by undesirable men and women.

"It is a remarkable thing that although B. C. has had a Juvenile Court Act since 1912, there are only two juvenile courts in the Province," observed the speaker, pointing out that under the law it was possible to establish a Juvenile Court without expense.

The Attorney-General could appoint a judge and the judge in his turn had power to appoint a probation officer. So that in the case of the trial of a child all that was needed to ensure its examination in the Juvenile Court was the interest of a few older citizens. In this connection she urged the women of Victoria to work for an extension of the local Juvenile Court so that child offenders from the outlying districts could come under its jurisdiction.

Mothers' Pensions.

The juvenile delinquent and the Juvenile Court had a much closer bearing on the community and the home life than was generally realized, said the speaker, urging the women to work for the establishment of more courts. Her work in the Vancouver Court had brought home to her

COMMENCE OILING OF CITY THOROUGHFARES

Attending to Esquimalt and Shipyard Roads; Clearing Fowl Bay Beach

The oiling of a number of city streets commenced this morning. Esquimalt Road was the first highway to receive attention, while a start will be made on the Choberg Shipyard Road this afternoon. The warmer weather will facilitate the oiling operations considerably, and it is expected that the number of the thoroughfares about the city will be improved in this way. The laying of oil and sand, in the opinion of many of the Aldermen, is a most satisfactory method of keeping down the dust and of maintaining a proper surface.

The Engineer's Department will shortly begin the work of laying macadam trails on a number of streets in accordance with the recommendations of a special committee which toured the entire city recently.

Clearing Beach

A large gang of men started to clear Fowl Bay beach this morning, following the inspection of the resort by an Aldermanic party yesterday. Numerous logs which at present block the path down to the sands will be rolled away and towed out to sea.

During the inspection of the beach yesterday, Alderman Andrews, Chairman of the Parks Committee, discovered that caterpillars were infesting the trees in the district and making havoc with the foliage. As a result, a number of boulevard workers were sent to "make war" with the voracious insects.

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Ladies' Aid First Baptist Church, Sale of home cooking, Market, Friday, May 23.

May 24th—Reserve your dances at the Gorge Park Boat House.

Victoria 50 Years Ago—Pioneer Days in Victoria—Lecture, illustrated by lantern slides by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maynard, at St. Columba Church schoolroom, Oak Bay, 8 p.m., Thursday, May 22. Adults 25c.; children, 10c. Take Oak Bay car.

Forty-eighth Battalion—Steps for the formation of a Forty-eighth Battalion Association were taken last night at a meeting held at the Knights of Columbus Hut. About sixty former members of the battalion were present and the election of officers was left over until Tuesday, when the organization will be completed. Sergeant-Major Green, Sergeant Rowe and Corporal Burnett were appointed a committee to arrange for the next meeting, and the social features which will bring the members together and cement the comradeships made while serving with the Unit.

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The resolution was moved by Comrade O'Halloran and seconded by Comrade Bapty, and drew attention to the lightning rapidity with which the price of the essentials of life had soared. Since 1914 the prices had trebled, and during the past year they had increased forty per cent. The resolution drew forth considerable discussion, and resulted in an alternative plan being proposed by Comrade Duggan. He suggested that, providing the Government did not take action in regard to the prices of food, it should establish a minimum rate of wage based on the cost of living and fixed monthly.

The resolution along with Comrade Duggan's plan, will be forwarded to the Provincial Convention of the G. W. V. A. to be held in Vancouver next month and if approved of there will be

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The WEATHER

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Victoria, May 21—5 a. m.—The barometer is high over this Province, and being low to the southward line, warm weather is becoming general.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Harkerville—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 39; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Max. Min.

Tatoosh	58	56
Portland, Ore.	76	56
Seattle	66	56
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Penikese	72	54
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PRESIDENT OF PRESS ASSOCIATION VISITS CITY DURING TOUR

W. J. Taylor Outlines Work and Responsibilities of Canadian Newspapers

On a tour of inspection of the western division of the Canadian Press Association W. J. Taylor, President of that organization, arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon. Mr. Taylor left the city this morning en route for Prince Rupert, his intention being to travel East over the Grand Trunk Pacific line. While in Vancouver Mr. Taylor addressed British Columbia members of the Association, and outlined the work and responsibilities of Canadian newspapers.

The Press's Status.

"The question of capital and labor," he said, dealing with the position of the press in its relation to the public, "places a great responsibility upon the newspapers. There was never more need for an enlightened press, for there was never a time when so many influences were working to destroy the very foundations of civilization."

"Another duty of the press is to emphasize the importance of citizenship as being essential in the life of the

nation. Loyal and enlightened citizenship is a necessary foundation of national greatness. To obtain this we must have good educational systems and systematic control of immigration. We should not invite foreigners faster than the country can assimilate them. With proper educational facilities conducted with the right spirit, much of the difficulty with the foreigners will eventually disappear. After all, of course, the schools but lay the foundation of education, for the newspapers are the real textbooks of the masses. The general public looks to the press for light and instruction.

"The first duty of the citizen is to think nationally. This is impressed on us now more than ever before. If the newspapers are to emphasize this view they must be able themselves to think nationally."

"A most important part of the work of reconstruction is the establishment of more friendly relations between the great civilized nations of the world, and here the press has tremendous influence, with corresponding responsibility. The press of Canada is in a position to render service of the utmost value in connection with the relations between the British Empire and the United States."

Labor's Position.

"The press must relieve itself of the suspicion that it is merely the mouthpiece of capitalism," continued Mr. Taylor. "The papers should stand by the working men when he is right. It is not merely enough to say that he is entitled to a living wage. If he is capable of earning more than that under fair conditions, then he should get more."

"Now that the war is over there is a disposition in some quarters to minimize the service rendered by the men who placed themselves between the enemy and ourselves. Against this feeling on the part of many people the press should use its strongest endeavors. One of the great problems of the day is the replacement of returned men in civil life with recognition of their services and sacrifices. We may not be able to do everything for them that is asked, but we should never permit the impression in the country that Canada is ungrateful or is unworthy of the sacrifices which were made for it."

Mr. Taylor argues that the press, in order to deal with pressing problems, must prove its ability to deal with the matters it undertook to discuss. It must establish its right not only by its intelligence, but also by its honesty, he declared.

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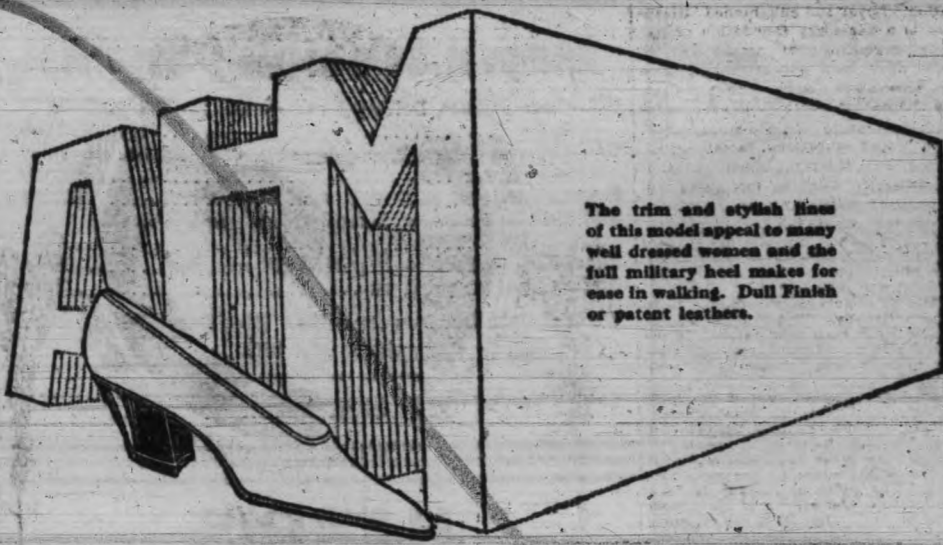
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COMING WEST THURSDAY



E. W. BEATTY, K.C., President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will arrive in Victoria to-morrow week, and will address the Canadian Club at noon on "The Railway Problem," at the Empress Hotel.

FEDERAL MINISTER

ASKED TO RESIGN

G. W. V. A. Says Hon. J. A. Calder Failed to Represent Interests of Soldiers

Through the failure of Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, to meet the demands of all soldiers in regard to the repayment of fares to soldiers' dependents who returned to Canada from England prior to armistice, the Great War Veterans' Association at its regular meeting last evening, passed a resolution calling upon the minister to resign his office.

The soldiers pointed out that they were asked to bring their wives back prior to armistice. Failing this they would not be able to bring them back for a year or two after peace had been declared, due to the fact that all space would be reserved for home-ward bound troops. As a result they paid the passage of their dependents to Canada. Immediately after the cessation of hostilities the Government began to provide free accommodation for wives and dependents.

The soldiers who complied with the wishes of the Government are now desirous of having the fares refunded to them. For some months the matter has been taken up with the Government, but no satisfaction has been obtained.

After outlining the grievance and the steps taken the resolution reads: "Be it therefore resolved, that this matter be brought to the attention of the Dominion Government for immediate action before the session closes, with the request that the necessary legislation shall be enacted covering the refunding of an amount of money sufficient to reimburse such soldiers and dependents as have suffered pecuniary loss through the direct action of the military authorities in England acting under the Canadian Government."

"And that the Hon. J. A. Calder be requested to resign from office on the grounds that he has not represented the interests of the soldiers and their dependents."

Comrade Winkel is Choice
After a great deal of discussion, the association decided to endorse the recommendation from the central committee of the ex-soldiers' organization, of Comrade William C. Winkel for the position of Industrial Commissioner.

It was pointed out that Comrade Winkel asked his name to go forward after Col. W. W. Foster, Brig-Gen. J. W. Stewart and Col. V. Spencer had declined to accept the nomination. Several resolutions were also passed that the post was too big for one man and were of the opinion that at least three men should be appointed, but as it was advanced that money that likely there would be an advisory board, the discussion was dropped.

Delegates to Convention.
Five delegates were appointed to represent the local association at the Provincial Convention to be held in Vancouver next month. Comrades Axon, Duggan, Hart, O'Halloran and A. R. Berry will journey to the Terminal City to present a number of very important resolutions and also to assist in the solution of several matters of great interest to the welfare of the association.

Several other resolutions were drafted for presentation to the two conventions. One calls for the creating of an office on the executive of the association at Ottawa to be filled by an ex-Imperial man to convey his attention to all matters regarding the Imperial pensions, and gratuities.

Another resolution is that the Provincial executive should have a naval delegate attached to the body in an advisory capacity.

As a result of another resolution no comrade of the Victoria branch who is subject to the King's Rules and Regulations will be allowed to hold executive office.

After considerable discussion it was decided to exclude any member of the District Intelligence office from meetings of the Association. Some of the comrades did not favor the move as they feared the public would think the association was trying to keep some of its workings dark.

The matter of the granting of similar pensions, war gratuities, and hospital allowances to Imperial reservists who went to England and have now returned to Canada, as are paid to Canadians, was discussed and will be referred to the two conventions. It was pointed out that the Imperial Government had offered to do a great deal in increasing the various payments to Canadians who served in the ranks of the Imperial, but the matter had been held up at Ottawa.

Similar action was taken in regard to a resolution calling for the payment of the same war gratuities to members of the R. C. V. N. S. who were invalided out of the service prior to Armistice Day, as is paid to members of the C. E. F.

Branches of Canadian chartered banks on February 25, 1919: In Canada 1,760; Ontario 1,268, Quebec 532, Nova Scotia 134, New Brunswick 88, Prince Edward Island 26, Manitoba 26; Alberta 332, Saskatchewan 525, British Columbia 179, Yukon 3; in Newfoundland 26; elsewhere 161. Total 3,969.

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JIMMY BRITT IN CITY TALKS ON THE HEAVYWEIGHT BATTLE

Ex-Lightweight Champion, Is Appearing at Panlages This Week; Tells of Some of His Battles

Jimmy Britt—the Jimmy Britt—ex-lightweight champion of the world, who handed the K. O. to such boys as old Battling Nelson, Joe Gans and Kid Lavigne, is on a visit to Victoria. Jimmy is not exactly here to take in the sights of the city, although the wanderlust has got the ex-fighter since he quit the ring and he has been taking in the sights of pretty nearly every part of the world.

Britt has been in vaudeville for the last nine years or so, and the reason of his visit to the capital of B. C. is that he is traveling the Pantages circuit, and he is telling the audiences stories of the ring, and a lot of other stories besides.

Britt is a great little Beau Brummel who travels around with his eyes wide open all the time, and when he walks to the stage he doesn't have to worry about how he will interest his audience. Jimmy has had such a fund of experience and such a lot of interest to talk about that he only has to consider how much time he has for his turn.

Just at present Britt wants to talk San Francisco. The old home calls strongly after four years' absence, and in spite of the love of wandering all around the globe Britt likes more than anything to have a return ticket to the old home which is the scene of most of his ring triumphs.

The ex-champ was talking fight generally. Jim was born a fighter and he has been fighting ever since until he got into the vaudeville game. The first Christmas present he ever received was a pair of boxing gloves, and he has won the light-weight championship, he hitched his wagon to a star, dodged all preliminaries, and stepped right after the professional title. Jimmy struck it ducky, and "copped" the crown.

The Big Fight. Speaking on the Willard-Dempsey fight Jimmy remarked: "Personally, I think Dempsey will win and I will try and give some of the important reasons for so thinking."

"In the first place Dempsey is a young, strong fighter with enough punch where it will do the most good. In addition to that he has been active in the ring for the last four years and has all the confidence that comes with a long string of victories by the knockout route. Then, again, he has youth and the starting power and stamina that only youth can give."

Now let us take Big Jess. Willard is long past the age when fighters are at their best and has been living a life of comparative ease for his ten-round bout with Moran three years ago he has not fought since he defeated Johnson down Cuba way.

"Past experience has taught us that a fighter cannot lay off for any length of time and come back and make a good fight the first time out."

"No better illustration of this can be found than the Jeffries-Johnson fight. Jeff who at one time was a strong, powerful brawler, was after a five-year lay-off, only a child in the ring with the giant negro. To illustrate this more fully you can take Benny Leonard now at the top of his fighting form and keep him out of the ring for the same length of time, even though he will be physically better at twenty-six than at his present age, twenty-three. Now contrast this with the condition of Big Jess. He will have to face on July 4. He is long past the best fighting age and has been out of the game five years."

Britt was in Australia when the war broke out and did a lot of recruiting "down under." Then he went over to England, and while over there he used to put in his mornings at Endell Street Hospital showing the convalescent soldiers a few tricks in fighting.

Except for a dislocated thumb and an arm slightly out of fracture, Britt has none of the earmarks of a man whose time is time again. Referring to his broken thumb he mentioned that he got it in the fifth round of the fight with Kid Lavigne and then he handed out a sleep-producer in the eighth. He picks his right hand with Young Corbett as the most exciting of his career. In the eighth round he got the injury to his arm, and then went the full twenty and got the decision.

"If you keep fighting while the injury is fresh, except in the case of a clean break, you are all right," the ex-champ commented. "If you stop for a few minutes and let the injury cool off you would not be able to put your hat on, let alone fight." Some of the fans who have seen Britt in the ring will recognize in the little remark the spirit that made Jim able to sidestep all preliminaries and run right through to the title.

THEY WOULD NOT FIGHT. Vernon, Cal., May 21.—The boxing bout between Eddie Pinkman of Seattle and Herb Brodie of Los Angeles, welterweights, scheduled for four rounds, was stopped in the third round here last night and declared "no contest," by Referee Dick Donald. Donald said he took that action because neither Pinkman nor Brodie would "stand up and fight."

WILLARD STARTS GRIND. Toledo, Ohio, May 21.—Jack Dempsey began his conditioning grind today in preparation for his heavy-weight championship match with Jess Willard here July 4. The challenger covered six miles over the sandy beach of Maumee Bay. Half a dozen sparring partners will be in his camp before the end of the week.

AMERICAN LEAGUE BEATS U. S. SENATE, HE SAYS. Chicago, May 21.—President Ben Johnson, of the American League, today exhibited a letter from Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall acknowledging receipts of a season pass to American League games.

SOL DUC WILL RUN FOR GAME AT PORT ANGELES

Jim Brown, manager of the Tyees, hands out the information that arrangements have been made for the Sol Duc to pull out of Victoria Sunday in time for the fans who wish to take in the Sunday game against Tacoma in the Victoria-Tacoma series. Brown has been working hard to arrange for a service that will allow of the game being played at Port Angeles, and believes that the sailings of the Sol Duc in future will allow the fans to attend regular games Sunday at Port Angeles.

PRIZE OFFERED TO FANS GUESSING ON HOLIDAY SERIES

Record Baseball Crowd Anticipated for the Games With Tacoma

Since the advent of professional baseball to the Capital City, it has been clearly demonstrated that the local fans welcome the return of the great American national pastime. Victoria has easily outstripped any of the cities in attendance of the International Northwestern League. The splendid aggregation of ball players that the Tyees have gives promise of a banner year. The enterprising management here made many innovations such as ladies' day Friday, "Kids Night" on Friday night, granting the Blue Band Boys free admittance to the best seats.

All these have helped to swell the attendance, and at the same time stir up enthusiasm which is needed to make baseball popular with every one. This Week's Series. The attendance this week will no doubt surpass an attendance at any other series ever held here. The Tyees are considered the strongest team in the league and playing the winning ball as they have been will pack the Athletic Park for the complete series of games with the Tacoma Tigers Friday and Saturday.

Prize For Fans. The local management are offering a season ticket to the nearest guess to the total attendance of the four games, and ask all those sending in their estimates to mail same to the baseball office, 211 Central Building. For information, the Baseball Club states that the seating capacity of the Ball Park is 2,500 and standing room with automobile parking space of another 2,500.

The May 24 game which is called at 4 p. m. following the lacrosse match, will no doubt pull out the banner crowd ever held at a baseball game in Victoria.

A New Shortstop. Armstrong's place at shortstop will be filled by the popular Teley Raymond. Raymond may not be as hard a hitter as Armstrong, but he has him outclassed at fielding, and is a pretty fair batter. He is a useful man to have on a ball club, and as manager of the Seattle team led the boys to the pennant.

THE NANAIMO SHOOT

In order to accommodate the many competitors from the mainland, the Nanaimo Gun Club's shoot, set for Victoria Day, has been postponed to Sunday, May 25. A big entry both from Victoria and Vancouver has been made. The programme includes seven events, viz., two fifteens, four twenties and a ten-bird consolation race. Hon. W. Sloan has offered a \$10 gold piece for the highest aggregate.

TROEH TARGET SMASHING AT SPOKANE TOURNAMENT

Spokane, May 20.—Frank M. Troeh, of Vancouver, Wash., broke 293 targets out of 2,000 to-day in the Inland Empire trapshoot tournament and won the event. He broke 133 targets straight. C. C. Hedger, of Oroville, Wash., was second with 292 and W. K. Franks, Rock Creek, Ore., third, with 289. Troeh also won the Inland Empire handicap shoot.

Wenatchee won the 2-man team shoot with 72 out of a possible 75. Palouse, Wash.; Lewiston, Idaho; and Kallispell, Mont., tying for second with 71.

The Inland Empire handicap went to Troeh after he had tied with George Gregory, of Plains, Mont., and E. Couger with 48 targets out of 59. In the shoot-off Troeh broke 25 straight.

SUITS FOR STOUT MEN

Semi-ready Designers Tailor Big Suits for Heavyweights. Many a stout man in the best of health and spirits has been greeted with, "You are not as stout as you were!" This is a tribute to his tailor, very often. In the Semi-ready Book of Style the designers show how a stout man can dress so that he will appear well proportioned. Model No. 517 shows a stout man's suit, and in plates Nos. 519 and 520 are shown the proper style of business sack which a stout man should wear.

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Boyd Makes Statement on Ex-Soldier's Amateur Status

Amateur cards will be issued to all returned soldiers and athletes who have not habitually taken money for participating in sport since December 31, 1918, but the reinstating of declared professionals who have refrained from competing for a number of years will have to go before the governors at the annual meeting of the amateur union. This statement has been issued by Tom Boyd, President of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

The following is a copy of the letter sent out by Mr. Boyd: "I have been studying over the situation that has arisen in amateur circles in Canada, due largely to the war and the enlistment of so many of our splendid men who undertook the larger game of bucking the Hun, in this way, leaving the carrying on of our athletic activities to the younger element who, largely without competent leadership, departed in many ways from the strict observance of the amateur laws, and as the annual meeting of the union has been again postponed, I am taking upon myself the responsibility of issuing the following ruling on the careers of the amateur athletic work of the Dominion until the next annual meeting is held, when they can be confirmed or abrogated:

"First—Any returned soldier who has served overseas in any capacity but not habitually taken money since December 31, 1915, or played against professionals, upon recommendation of the registration committee of any branch, may be granted a temporary card, upon the evidence being submitted to the head office of the union. (This does not apply to those whose offence occurred prior to the above date.) The question of allowing amateurs and professionals to play with or against each other in games where a gate is charged is not allowable.

"The reinstating of declared professionals, who have refrained from competing for a number of years, will have to go before the governors at the annual meeting of the union for consideration. The first two clauses are to clear up the situation that has arisen and to allow those who are amateurs at heart an opportunity of participation in the season's games. This, I hope, will largely clear the atmosphere and tend to revive all clean amateur sport throughout Canada."

COMBINED FOR SPORT

At a meeting of sportsmen representing Vernon, Kelowna, Enderby and Armstrong, held at Vernon, arrangements were concluded whereby the foregoing towns will be provided with a plethora of summer sports. The Northern Okanagan Lacrosse League will be represented by Vernon, Kelowna and Armstrong, and the Northern Okanagan Baseball League by Kelowna, Vernon and Enderby. A schedule was drawn up, calling for eight games to be played by each team in both leagues.

The opening game in Kelowna is set for May 23 for both baseball and lacrosse, Vernon opening the season. Kelowna plays its first baseball game away from home, at Enderby, on June 5. The first lacrosse game away from home for Kelowna will be at Armstrong on June 12.

All players are to be registered and must be resident of the town they are registered in fourteen days before they are allowed to play. At the conclusion of the league series in both sports the winners of the Northern League will play off with the winners of the Southern League for the Valley championship.

GOOD PITCHING IN BEACON HILL GAME

After a hard pitched battle the Centrals and Beacon Hills called a tie in the eighth inning for an average of one each, following darkness preventing the game going the full distance. Dangerfield, of the Centrals, struck out eighteen would-be hitters and Givens had fourteen strikeouts to his credit. The teams were: Centrals—Mercer, 3b; Pierce, 1b; Hughes, 3b; Wright, r.f.; Leethen, c.f.; Dangerfield, p.; Watson, l.f.; Scott, c. Beacon Hills—Robertson, 3b; Campbell, ss.; Patrick, 1b; Davey, c.f.; Ready, r.f.; Temple, c.; Givens, p.; Webster, l.f.; Allen, 2b.

BILLIARD HANDICAP

In the Billiard Handicap at Two Jacks last night W. H. Wilkerson (receives 60) beat Moas (scratch) by one point. Moas made a break of 40, and Wilkerson caught up with several fair breaks. One of 18. Wilkerson's game was steady and consistent throughout. Grice (scratch) defeated Harris (receives 100) by 42 points.

JUNIOR DIVISION GAME

In the Second Division of the Junior Cribbage League yesterday, the victors School beat St. Michael's by twenty-eight runs, the score being as follows: St. Michael's. McPhillips, c and b Holman 2; Connell, b; McLog 2; Holman, c and b Hodgins 2; Hodgins, b Holman 2; Hennell, b McLog 2; Hyndman, b Holman 2; Richardson, b Hodgins 2; Connell, b McLog 2; Hole, b McLog 2; Scott-Moncrieff, not out 0; R. Jones, run out 2; Extras 2; Total 20; Collegiate. Ellis, m. a. b Powell 2; Payne, c and b Powell 0; Holman, c and b Hodgins 4; McLog, c and b Hodgins 1; Ellis, m. a. b Hodgins 2; Dunn, b Hodgins 2; Richardson, b Hodgins 2; Archibald, b Hodgins 2; Lot, b Powell 4; Curtis, c and b Powell 3; Crawford, not out 0; Extras 7; Total 45.

BASEBALL

Table with columns for Coast, National, and American leagues, listing teams and scores.

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BOB INGERSOLL ADDED TO PITCHING STAFF

Bob Ingersoll, who played in the Northwestern League for Vancouver in 1911-12, and was added to the Tyees pitching staff. Bob went to Minneapolis from Cincinnati, and was with the last named club until he was drafted. Uncle Sam's uniform. Manager Jim Brown figures he has made a great catch, and states that Ingersoll's return was unnoticed by Minneapolis, leaving him a free agent. He is a burly twirler and pitches a fast right hand ball. Brown figures on using him Friday against Tacoma.

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The Theatres

TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Pantages—Vaudeville.
Dominion—Nazimova in "Eye for Eye."
Variety—Pauline Frederick in "The Woman on the Index."
Royal Victoria—Henry B. Wallall in "The False Faces."
Columbia—Mae Murray in "Danger, Go Slow."
Romano—Mary Miles Minter in "The Amazing Imposter."

ROYAL VICTORIA

Iary Anderson, leading woman for try B. Walthall, star of "The False Faces," by Louis Joseph Vance, a mid Thomas H. Ince Paramount-craft special picture, which will be wa at the Royal Victoria again toht, is one of the best-known of in-ua, whose work always has been racterized by an original vivacity i refreshing sincerity. Miss Ander- has done much delightful work as omedienne and ingenue, always giv- to the roles for which she was cast, retness of viewpoint and an artie- touch which means so much in any ture.

for work with Mr. Walthall in this duction is said to be the best that has done in a long time, the role ing her ample scope for her divers- i talents. Irvin V. Willat directed e False Faces," which appeared e as a serial in the Saturday Even- Post.

The comedy end of the programme made up of Charlie Chaplin in one his funniest comedies, "A Night at Show."

DOMINION

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ALL WEEK The Great **NAZIMOVA** IN "Eye for Eye"

VARIETY

Pauline Frederick "The Woman on the Index" Also **Fatty Arbuckle** In "Sea Nymphs"

ROMANO

Mary Miles Minter in "The Amazing Imposter" **Fatty Arbuckle** 2-Reel Side-Splitting Comedy Pearl White, in "The Lightning Raider"

COLUMBIA

Mae Murray In "Danger! Go Slow" 14th Chapter "THE WOMAN IN THE WEB"

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE THE STAMPEDE RIDERS 5 Other Big Acts William Duncan in "Man of Might" Another Big Serial

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week. The smallest details were so faithfully copied that those who know this city situated on the edge of the great African desert will recognize the landmarks immediately. This wonderful set was the combined work of Art Director Menesier and Technical Director Edward J. Shulter and takes up the entire floor space of the Nazimova New York studios. The scene depicts a bazaar and market place. A group of square white-plastered houses with red-tiled roofs surrounded an open square—on the left the French Embassy—on the right the market place filled with picturesque Orientals of every description—Arabs with their striped berouses, bare-legged vendors of fruit and wines sitting cross-legged behind their wares, drowsy and nodding, except when some possible purchaser would bring them to the inevitable bargaining and bargaining without which no Oriental ever sells anything. A fountain stands in the market place where women and girls come to fill their flasks, made from the skins of goats. Small boys play up and down the broad steps leading to the fountain while pigeons wheels and circle above the motley throng. Here and there a beggar squats in a shady corner while his everlasting cry for "back-shesh" rings in a narrow street winds a caravan on its way to the desert beyond the edge of the city—the slow, swaying camels heavily laden with valuable wares from the town. Suddenly a shiver of expectancy seems to ripple through the throng and all eyes are strained toward a square block by which a tall Arab is standing. Around him can be seen a score or more of girls—cowering and afraid—the play-who are to be sold to the highest bidder. Haasouna, played by Nazimova, is among them—the most beautiful of them all.

As this passionate and primitive girl of the desert Nazimova displays an artistry which has never been surpassed.

PRINCESS

"The American Citizen," which Mr. Hincks is producing for an eight-night run commencing Friday evening next, is indeed a play that is well worth seeing. Somewhat different from the recent productions, it provides a change as well as a welcome opportunity to display the versatile powers possessed by Mr. Hincks and his talented associates. The rehearsals have been marked by a keenness on the part of the players that augurs well for a successful run, and it is anticipated that "The American Citizen" will secure for the Princess Dramatic Society the same degree of popularity which its members have enjoyed since its inception. That it will prove a great additional holiday attraction is unquestioned, and crowded houses are expected to attend the opening performances on Friday and Saturday evenings next.

COLUMBIA

"Danger, Go Slow," a five-reel production, by Robert Leonard and Mae Murray, which features the latter as a girl in boy's clothes, who escapes from a band of crooks in New York, finds herself in a small town, is the attraction at the Columbia for the last time to-day. The subject is one of the most human and interesting in which Mae Murray has yet appeared and is pleasing Columbia audiences immensely. In addition to this attractive feature the fourteenth episode of "The Woman in the Web" is also being shown.

VARIETY

"The Woman on the Index" bristles with interesting situations and offers complication after complication not to mention a smashing climax. It is Pauline Frederick's first Goldwyn Picture, an adaptation by Willard Mack of George Broadhurst's play which achieved success on Broadway this year and is proving a very popular feature at the Variety this week. Early in the play the unusual character of the story becomes apparent. The scene is a thieves' den in the slums of New York. "Louis, the Count," one of the crooks, so-called because of his irreproachable attire and suave manners, carries into the den a beautiful woman who lies in his arms unconscious. It is Pauline Frederick as Sylvia Martin.

ROMANO

"The Amazing Imposter" was specially written for Miss Minter. The plot is most unusual, and it gives the winner some star and her carefully selected company of players every opportunity for versatile character delineations. Don't fail to see "The Amazing Imposter," Joseph Poland's latest comedy drama, produced by the American Film Company. "The Amazing Imposter" will be seen at the Romano for the last time to-day in addition to another chapter of Pearl White's serial, "The Lightning Raider."

PANTAGES

Miss Flores La Due, star of Guy Weadick's "Stampede Riders" top-lining the Pantages show this week, and the world's champion lady roper, competed for honors in horsemanship with the best riders of the crack English cavalry regiments in London in 1914. It was at the Anglo-American exposition. Riders from such regiments as

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RUTH ST. DENIS Pantages

Ruth St. Denis, America's premier danseuse, will bring her own company of dancers to the Pantages Theatre on Monday for an engagement of one week in Victoria. She will offer a series of medievale, oriental, and dramatic dances.

The act which Miss St. Denis will present is identical with that she played on the big time vaudeville circuits this season in Eastern Canada and the United States. It was in Chicago on her return to the west that Alexander Pantagen was able to obtain this exceptional attraction for his circuit.

Miss St. Denis is receiving double the salary from Pantages for her act that the larger vaudeville circuits were paying. It was this unprecedented offer that induced Miss St. Denis to tour the Pantages chain of theatres. She is presenting intact her original company of four dancers in the same dances which created a furor three

months ago at the Palace Theatre in New York. This is the first season that Miss St. Denis has ever offered her Siamese ballet. The novelty of the dance brought immense offers from New York theatrical managers who sought to purchase the idea of the dance. The ballet was originated by Miss St. Denis, and is presented by her company with Edna Malone as solo dancer. Miss St. Denis herself appears in the dance of Empress Theodora of Byzantium, in which she wears a gown the material of which alone cost a thousand dollars. The famous danseuse also appears as an Algerian coffee house girl with a replica of the street of the dancers in Algiers as a setting. On Thursday and Friday, Miss St. Denis will present her world famous Peacock Dance. This is the best known and most discussed of all her numbers. Assisting Miss St. Denis are: Betty Horst Peters, Wheeler, Edna Malone and Doris Humphrey.

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RENEW OBJECTION TO SOME TEACHERS

G. W. V. A. Will Send Stronger Delegation; Want Returned Men Given Promotions

Considerable indignation was aroused at the regular meeting of the G. W. V. A. last night when the committee appointed to interview the Victoria School Board in regard to certain appointments on the teaching staff, reported that they had received scanty treatment and no satisfaction in regard to the questions they discussed. As a result it was decided to send a stronger delegation to talk over the matter with the school board at an early date.

The committee's report in part was as follows: "This delegation was sent to point out to the trustees the justice of giving back the positions belonging to the Victoria teaching staff the promotion they would have gained had they not gone to the war."

Your delegation brought to the notice of the board several promotions which had been granted since the commencement of the war. One of these promotions—principalship of the Oaklands School, was given to a single man, who was called up under the Military Service Act. He applied for exemption, and was still fighting for it when the armistice was signed.

"Another promotion was given to a single man of military age in the Quadra Street School. "Your delegates asked the board to promote returned teachers to these positions, and to give a definite reply before closing the interview."

"The trustees replied that they would consider the matter when arranging the staff for the next term, but your delegation was not satisfied owing to the decided opposition of two members of the board.

"The school inspector suggested that our returned teachers probably would not have been promoted had they not gone to the front, but we consider that the men who had the grit to fight for their country are the men capable of upholding the right principles in the school-room."

Members of the association immediately wanted to know the names of the two trustees who were so strongly opposed to returned soldiers, but Comrade Auld, Chairman of the delegation, said that they would be announced in good time.

MRS. FAHEY DELIGHTS HUGE AUDIENCE

Popular Victoria Soprano Gave Attractive Programme Last Night at Empress

After an eight months' absence from the local concert stage, Mrs. Macdonald Fahey re-appeared in recital at the Empress Hotel last night and evoked the spontaneous enthusiasm of an audience numbering nearly seven hundred. Endowed with a striking personality and wonderful charm, the singer won her audience before her opening note, and the bounteous measure of her art was received with an appreciation of which the freshest putpur of applause gave but superficial evidence.

A pleasing catholicity marked the programme, the numbers ranging from the classic arias of the operas to tender little French chansons and old-time folk songs. Few singers would care to undertake the burden of such an exacting programme, but Mrs. Fahey last night gave evidence of that versatility and comprehensive equipment which have won for her an enviable reputation in the West. Perhaps her best work was in the realm of the operatic, where she reveals that wealth of emotional power which makes of her a great dramatic soprano. Her singing of Dinorah's songs, her best work was in the realm of coloratura work, showing the full range of her instrument, and calling into being all the art with which the singer is so generously equipped.

Of marvellous flexibility, warmth of tone, and brilliance, Mrs. Fahey's voice adds to these priceless attributes a power and volume which made her opening number, Verdi's aria, "O Don Patale," one of the most dramatic numbers on the programme. In marked contrast was a second group of Greig numbers, interpreted with a quiet charm and well-sustained purity of tone.

Three modern French songs proved delectable titbits of melody and revealed the singer's excellent enunciation powers and musical sense. Perhaps the most pleasing from the popular point of view was the group of old-time ballads in which the beautiful old song, "Callie Herrin" (Lady Nairne), was outstanding for the wealth of appealing sentiment with which the singer imbued it. The close of the programme was the signal for an outburst of enthusiasm, culminating in an ovation to the artist who was the recipient of several beautiful floral tributes.

In Mrs. Irene Walsh Nasmith, the singer had an accompanist whose skillful and sympathetic playing added much to the success of the recital.

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Want Surface Drainage—A number of residents of the district requested the City Council by letter last night to install surface drains on Redfern Street, between Cowan Avenue and Cowichan Avenue. The matter was referred to the Engineer for report.

Charged With Desertion—Samuel McKean appeared in the police court this morning on a charge of desertion. He was formerly a member of the 260th Battalion, Siberian forces. The case was remanded until to-morrow morning.

Will Consider Salary Schedule—Minor changes in the salary schedule, as desired by the Teachers' Association, will be considered by the School Board to-night.

Girls' Corner Club.—The Girls' Corner Club will meet on Thursday at the Oddfellows' Hall, Douglas Street. Tea will be served at 4.15, followed by a social time and an address by Mrs. Martin.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

Section 24.

In the Matter of Part Fifty-one Feet by Seven-eighths and Five-sixths Feet (51 ft. x 75.6 ft.) of Lots Eleven Hundred and Forty-nine (1149) and C. E. Seven Hundred and Thirty-nine (1139), Victoria City.

PROOF having been filed in my office of a copy of Certificate of Title, numbered 2229-C, to the above mentioned lands in the name of Charles H. Beveridge and A. S. Beveridge, Trustees, dated the 22nd day of December, 1918, I HEREBY give notice of my intention to issue a Certificate of Title in accordance with the provisions of the said Certificate of Title in lieu of such Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., on the 11th day of March, 1919. FRANK J. STACPOLE, Registrar-General, Titles. No. 5649.

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By the 20th May, 1919, the list of real properties of the

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Will be advertised, and in order to save costs, general and local improvement taxes for 1914 and previous years should now be paid.

Up to the day of the sale all arrears to end of 1917 can be paid in full or on the TEN YEAR PLAN, under the provisions of the "Victoria City Relief Act, 1918, No. 2" as amended.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer & Collector.

TAKES FOR 1919 Are Payable by 31st May Inst.

Other than change of address or other cause this year's notice has not reached any taxpayer, please inform the undersigned.

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GLUTEN FLOURS TO BE INVESTIGATED

Senate Committee to Determine Whether Canadian Manufacturers Fooling Customers

Ottawa, May 21.—Manufacturers of gluten flours have been fooling their customers, according to evidence given the Senate yesterday by Senator DeVeber. He secured authority to have the Health Committee of the Senate investigate such flour with a view to enacting legislation to punish misrepresentations. By the same resolution, there will be an inquiry into the character of infants' soothing syrups that are said to be doing a good deal of damage in the Province of Quebec and elsewhere.

Senator DeVeber said it was the misfortune of many men, especially after the age of forty, to suffer from diabetes. They had to abstain from starchy foods.

Special Flour.
Manufacturers catered to the needs of such men by preparing special flour for them. The United States standard required twenty per cent. protein, and allowed only forty per cent. starch in gluten flour. A collection of alleged gluten flours made in Canada showed percentages of starch running as high as sixty per cent.

Senator Murphy said that a man suffering from diabetes could expect to achieve a ripe old age on a proper diet. Such persons would not thrive on such gluten flours.

4,496 WERE GIVEN STEADY EMPLOYMENT

Dominion-Provincial Employment Service Sets Up Record For One Week

Ottawa, May 21.—A new record was established by the Dominion-Provincial Employment Service during the week ended May 21, when seventy-six offices reported 4,496 applicants placed in regular jobs. This was an increase of 500 over the preceding week. In addition, applicants were placed in 546 "casual" jobs, an increase of ninety-nine.

Of regular placements, 352 were reported in Manitoba, a decrease of 113; 208 in Saskatchewan, a decrease of twenty-two; 753 in Alberta, an increase of 157; and 674 in British Columbia, an increase of eighty-six.

During the week 4,871 applicants were registered. The corresponding figure for the previous week was 5,350. At the end of the week 7,768 applicants in Saskatchewan, a decrease of 1,006 vacancies remained unfilled. Of the unfilled vacancies, 3,602 were for farm laborers and 1,391 for women workers, these two classes together accounting for seventy-one per cent. of the total. On the other hand, only seventeen per cent. of the placements were farm laborers, and 6.4 per cent women workers.

SEVENTEEN UNIONS ARE OUT ON STRIKE IN ST. PAUL, MINN.

St. Paul, Minn., May 21.—Members of sixteen different labor unions here went on strike at 8 a. m. to-day in sympathy with the common laborers, who are on strike demanding fifty cents an hour, which would be an increase of ten cents an hour, and a nine-hour day and recognition of their union.

EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN TACOMA

Tacoma, May 21.—The delegates to the National Editorial Association and the State Press Association meetings in Tacoma, August 13 and 14, will be given a dinner by the Commercial Club here, it has been decided by the Tacoma and Seattle representatives outlining a combined programme.

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U. S. RAILWAY CLERKS

Cincinnati, May 21.—Dallas, Texas, was chosen as the place for holding the next triennial convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employees. Grand President James J. Forrester, of Washington, D. C., was re-elected for three years.

PLANE CRASHED AT VANCOUVER TO-DAY

Miss Brown, Social Editor of Vancouver World, Was Injured

Vancouver, May 21.—Miss Edna Brown, social news editor of the Vancouver World, is at the General Hospital with a broken leg and other injuries following an aeroplane accident at Minnetonka at noon to-day when a Curtiss machine "crashed" after a flight of fifteen minutes. The plane was piloted by Lieut. G. H. Hoy.

Lieut. Hoy and his passenger remained aloft for fifteen minutes, the machine working splendidly. Just after the nose of the plane had been pointed down for the descent Lieut. Hoy discovered that there was trouble with the rudder control. He could not straighten the machine out. He saw that a crash was imminent and shut off the engine, all the time trying to work the rudder. The efforts he made were so energetic that the heel came off his boot. "Spring" Hoy was going to pile up Lieut. Hoy started up the engine again, hoping to clear the ground, but it was no use, the plane landing nose first.

The aviator was not injured, although the machine suffered some damage. Miss Brown was extricated from the machine and it was discovered that her leg was broken.

SS. AQUITANIA AT HALIFAX FRIDAY

Sir Robert Borden and 4,688 Returning Soldiers Are on Board

Ottawa, May 21.—The Aquitania, with 4,688 Canadian soldiers on board, as well as Sir Robert Borden and his family numbering twelve, and seven dependents, will reach Halifax May 23, according to advices received by the Militia Department. She carries units for Montreal and Toronto, as well as drafts for every other dispersal area in Canada.

The Montreal units are: 10th Battery, 2nd Brigade, C. F. A.; 27th Battery, 4th Brigade, C. F. A.; 1st section, 4th Divisional Ammunition Column and details.

For Toronto—Second Motor Transport Company; 9th, 11th and 12th Batteries, Third Brigade, C. F. A.; 13th, 19th, 21st Batteries, 4th Brigade, C. F. A.; 2nd and 3rd Sections, 4th divisional ammunition column and details.

By Districts:
Victoria—Fifty-five other ranks.
Revelstoke—One officer and seven other ranks.
Vancouver—Eight officers and 123 other ranks.
Edmonton—Four officers and forty-six other ranks.
Calgary—Sixty-one other ranks.
Medicine Hat—Twelve other ranks.
Saskatoon—Two officers and twenty-four other ranks.
Regina—One officer and fifty-four other ranks.
Brandon—Nineteen other ranks.
Winnipeg—Eight officers and 303 other ranks.
Port Arthur—Three officers and sixteen other ranks.

Manitoba.
Quebec, May 21.—Following is a list of the officers who arrived on the S.S. Aquitania, which docked here last night:
Military District No. 11.—Lieut. J. F. Lewall, Kamloops; J. C. Johnson, Vancouver; Captains J. Milne, Cranbrook; H. D. Hicks, Victoria; Major H. T. Chiffey, address not stated; Brig.-Gen. P. Clark, Victoria.

Among the vessel's cabin passengers were Lieut. C. E. Colliard, of Montreal; Brigadier A. R. Harmon, Kelowna, and Admiral Copeland-Sparks, C. M. G., of London, Eng.

The vessel proceeded at 9 a. m. to-day to Montreal.

AMERICAN MILLERS AND WHEAT PRICE

Louisville, Ky., May 21.—Approximately 1,500 members of the Community Flour Millers' Association of America, in annual convention here to-day, adopted a resolution requesting Director Barnes, of the United States Grain Corporation, to withhold decision regarding application of the wheat guarantee law until resolutions of the Association are presented. The Association, representing 10,000 millers, shortly will ask for representation on the advisory board of the Grain Corporation, and a larger voice in price-fixing and disposal of the 1919 wheat crop.

STOCK HELD BY GERMANS IS TAKEN OVER BY CANADA

Montreal, May 21.—Stock in a number of Canadian companies owned by Germans to the value of \$1,000,000 was ordered transferred to the Dominion Under-Secretary of State by Mr. Justice Dugas this morning.

A CIVIL SERVICE INQUIRY AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, May 21.—The Committee of the Commons appointed to inquire into civil service matters met yesterday under the chairmanship of Dr. Michael Steele. Arrangements were made for securing evidence. The Committee will be called first, in discussing ways and means of securing information regarding employment and the amount of work done. Mr. H. M. Mowat, said the Committee could assist the Civil Service Commission in getting "rid of a lot of deadwood." It was understood that there were "poor people in the service who can not live unless they get their salaries."

Mr. Mowat said this raised the question of superannuation. One of the greatest evils, he believed, was that of over-lapping.

ANTI-LIQUOR PLANS IN UNITED STATES

Washington, May 21.—Notwithstanding President Wilson's recommendation for repeal of war-time prohibition insofar as it relates to wine and beer, the opinion seemed to gain ground in the Capitol to-day that all repeal measures would be kept in committee until after July 1. In the meantime, however, prohibition leaders planned to enact legislation for amendment of the war-time prohibition act and the constitutional amendment. Senator Sheppard, a Democrat, of Texas, author of the war-time act, said to-day he was confident enforcement legislation would be passed before July 1.

PRINCE OF WALES ATTENDED DINNER IN CURRIE'S HONOR

London, May 21.—The Prince of Wales was present at a dinner at the Savoy Hotel given by the Canada Club in honor of Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie. The Prince announced his visit to Canada three months hence and was greeted enthusiastically.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE MEASURE IN U. S.

Washington, May 21.—The woman suffrage constitutional amendment resolution was adopted to-day by the House after less than three hours' debate. The vote was 304 to 88, or 42 more than the necessary two-thirds majority.

The resolution now goes to the Senate, where supporters plan to urge speedy action. Final enactment of the measure within two weeks was predicted by some suffrage leaders.

FERID PASHA IS FORMING CABINET AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Constantinople, May 20.—Via London, May 21. (Havas).—As a result of the resignation of the Turkish Cabinet, provoked by the Allied occupation of Smyrna, Ferid Pasha will be Grand Vizier and Foreign Minister.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

UNSTABLE GRAIN MARKET AT CHICAGO

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
Chicago, May 21.—Cash corn ruled strong to-day, offerings scarce and receipts light. The options followed the cash until the last hour when the more distant options had a sharp reaction. A good many corn traders have shifted into oats, where their orders are an open market.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
May	177	178 1/2	176 1/2	177 1/2
July	185	187 1/2	184 1/2	185 1/2
Sept.	198 1/2	199 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2

Wheat
July 79 1/2 81 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2
Sept. 85 1/2 86 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE
(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Bowena Copper	22	30	22
Canada Copper	150	200	150
Consolidated M. S.	10	20	10
Cork Province	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2
Crow's Nest	25	26	25
Dream Lambs	10	10	10
Granby	55	58	55
Here Lambs	10	10	10
International Coal	22	23	22
Macmillan	15	15	15
Locky Jim	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2
Nabob	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2
Northwest	10	10	10
Stamler-Cariboo	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2
Silverton	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Standard	10	10	10
Summit	25	25	25
Surf Inlet	42	45	42

NEW YORK STOCKS WERE DEPRESSED

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
New York, May 21.—A few specialties in the oil group were strong in the morning session, while a considerable amount of profit-taking was in progress in the industrial. The talk about marine common and preferred was not so bullish and the action of the stocks made it appear that the recent developments had been discounted. The common stock closed ten points lower than yesterday and the preferred three. The action of these shares, together with profit-taking from Europe and the over-bought condition of the market brought about a reaction of considerable proportions in all groups in the final dealings.

Group	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	82 1/2	82	82 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	101	101	101
Am. Sugar Ref.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Am. Can. Co.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Am. Car. Ed.	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Am. Cellulose	34	34	34
Am. Locomotive	82 1/2	80 1/2	81
Am. M. & E.	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Am. T. & T.	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Am. Wool	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2
Am. Steel P.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Am. Iron Works	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Am. Lumber	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am. Paper	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am. Glass	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am. Foundry	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am. Machine	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
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HEAVINESS OF MERCANTILE MARINE SHARES AFFECTED MARKET

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
New York, May 21.—A few specialties in the oil group were strong in the morning session, while a considerable amount of profit-taking was in progress in the industrial. The talk about marine common and preferred was not so bullish and the action of the stocks made it appear that the recent developments had been discounted. The common stock closed ten points lower than yesterday and the preferred three. The action of these shares, together with profit-taking from Europe and the over-bought condition of the market brought about a reaction of considerable proportions in all groups in the final dealings.

STOCK HELD BY GERMANS IS TAKEN OVER BY CANADA

Montreal, May 21.—Stock in a number of Canadian companies owned by Germans to the value of \$1,000,000 was ordered transferred to the Dominion Under-Secretary of State by Mr. Justice Dugas this morning.

POLISH TROOPS AND UKRAINIANS FIGHT IN EAST GALICIA

Vienna, May 20.—Via London, May 21.—Fighting of the most severe character is in progress between Polish and Ukrainian troops in Eastern Galicia, according to reports received here.

M. Holubowicz, Premier of West Ukraine, in a statement telegraphed here, says: "The insane policy of the Allies in supporting the Poles is responsible for the situation. The Allies stipulated that General Haller's army should not be used against us, but it is being done. Premier Paderewski is making a comedy threat of resigning because of being unable to keep his promises."

"May the blood of thousands of Poles in the Ukraine be upon the heads of those who are directing or permitting the attacks and the destruction of the Ukraine's hopes to be free."

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Month	Open	High	Low	Last
May	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
July	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Oct.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Dec.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Jan.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
March	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2

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Second Contingent of Siberian Troops Return

Liner Empress of Japan Reached Port This Morning From Vladivostok; Victoria Party Sent on to Vancouver to Be Demobilized

Every vantage point aboard ship was occupied by boisterous soldiers when the C.P.O.S. liner Empress of Japan early this morning fetched alongside the Outer Docks after a direct passage from Vladivostok. The arrival of the Empress liner marked the home-coming of seven hundred members of the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force, the second contingent to be repatriated since the abandonment of the Siberian campaign. Shortly before midnight the Empress steamed into Parry Bay and dropped anchor off William Head, and soon after daybreak she was boarded and granted pratique by Dr. H. Randle Nelson.

Many at Wharf

Despite the early hour of arrival a large crowd of relatives and friends were at the wharveside to welcome the returning troops. Considerable disappointment was evident when the edict went forth that the large majority of the Victoria men would be taken on to Vancouver for discharge. Only a few were permitted to come ashore here.

Not a little dissatisfaction was openly expressed at the decision of the military authorities to transport the local men to the mainland. Pertinent remarks were made reflecting upon the judgment of those responsible for the unnecessary haulage and extra expense of transporting the men back to their homes here by coastwise steamers.

On the whole the returning men were particularly fit. Several cases of mumps developed during the passage, but none were seriously indisposed. The boys were heartily glad to be back from Siberia, where they have been stationed for many weary months without any prospect of trying conclusions with the Bolsheviks.

Twelve Days

The Empress of Japan sailed from Vladivostok on May 9, and made the run across the Pacific in the fast time of twelve days. Owing to the fact that the liner carried over sixty first class passengers the troops were confined largely to their quarters fore and aft, and not a few complaints were registered regarding the conditions in confined space. The men, however, made the best of the situation, and philosophically resigned themselves to the monotonous voyage.

Engaged in Sports

The monotony of the passage was relieved by a series of deck sports, and the fine weather experienced added greatly to the success of these events. A feature of the sports was a series of hockey games played on deck between picked teams of soldiers and the liner crew. Nets were rigged up at either end of the promenade deck, and some exciting games were witnessed between the rival teams.

These games were thoroughly enjoyed by the men and they created a diversion for the saloon passengers.

The Empress of Japan brought word that the liner Empress of Russia, which is bringing the balance of the Siberian force home, is due to arrive here on June 2.

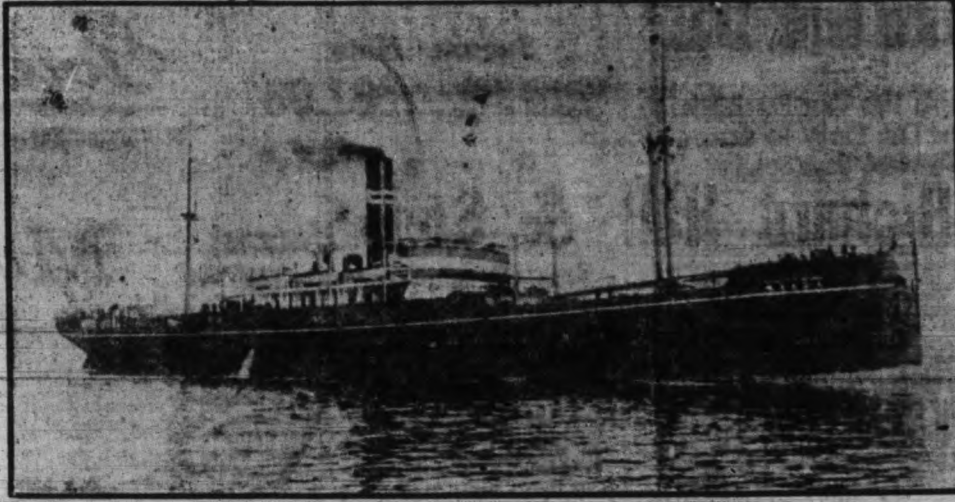
Capt. W. Dixon Hopcraft, R.N.R., master of the Empress of Japan, reported a splendid voyage from Vladivostok. Calm seas and many skies were the rule, and under these conditions the returning troops were enabled to spend the greater part of the time on deck.

Saloon Passengers

The following saloon passengers arrived on the liner:

Louise Bady, Blanche R. Blair, Stephen A. Back, Sarah H. Back, Sarah H. Back, Frances Back, Katherine Back, Wayne Cadwalder, Silvio Comodonica, Giovanni Comodonica, Harriet

IN PORT THIS MORNING FROM ORIENT



O. S. K. LINER CHICAGO MARU.

LINER CHICAGO MARU BRINGS LIGHT CARGO

O. S. K. Boat Made Port To-day With Less Than 3,000 Tons Aboard

After a run of fifteen days six hours from Yokohama the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Chicago Maru, Capt. Yamane, arrived in port this morning, reporting an uneventful passage. The Chicago Maru brought in 182 passengers, including nine in the cabin for Seattle and ninety-one steerage passengers for Victoria. The party landed here included forty Japanese and fifty Chinese.

An exceptionally light cargo was stowed in the holds of the Japanese liner. The total freight amounted to 2,625 tons, one of the smallest cargoes ever shipped across the Pacific by a vessel of the O. S. K. fleet.

While the liner discharged sixty-six tons, and for Seattle she carried 211 tons. The Tacoma shipment amounted to 2,066 tons. For the silk train the ship brought 1,465 bales of raw silk, and 264 packages of silk goods. This will be shipped overland from Seattle.

Capt. Yamane, who last voyage succeeded Capt. Saito as master of the Chicago Maru, was formerly master of the 10,000-ton O. S. K. freighter Alps Maru, and brought that vessel here on her maiden voyage. The Alps Maru is now in the round-the-world service of the company, and is shortly expected in these waters for coal en route from New York via the Panama Canal to the Orient.

New Freighter Ready

Another O. S. K. freighter of the 10,000-ton variety will shortly be put in commission, according to word brought by Capt. Yamane. She is the Amur Maru, and will be operated in the world service between Yokohama, London, New York, New Orleans and Yokohama.

The Amur Maru will be commanded by Capt. Hamada, formerly of the Arabia Maru, and one of the veteran skippers in the service.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of May, 1919:

Day	Hour	Min.	Hour	Min.
1	4:46	43	7:28	43
2	4:45	42	7:29	42
3	4:44	41	7:30	41
4	4:43	40	7:31	40
5	4:42	39	7:32	39
6	4:41	38	7:33	38
7	4:40	37	7:34	37
8	4:39	36	7:35	36
9	4:38	35	7:36	35
10	4:37	34	7:37	34
11	4:36	33	7:38	33
12	4:35	32	7:39	32
13	4:34	31	7:40	31
14	4:33	30	7:41	30
15	4:32	29	7:42	29
16	4:31	28	7:43	28
17	4:30	27	7:44	27
18	4:29	26	7:45	26
19	4:28	25	7:46	25
20	4:27	24	7:47	24
21	4:26	23	7:48	23
22	4:25	22	7:49	22
23	4:24	21	7:50	21
24	4:23	20	7:51	20
25	4:22	19	7:52	19
26	4:21	18	7:53	18
27	4:20	17	7:54	17
28	4:19	16	7:55	16
29	4:18	15	7:56	15
30	4:17	14	7:57	14

CAPT. COOPER IS GIVEN COMMAND

C. P. R. Skipper Will Pilot Coughlan-Built Ship to United Kingdom

Capt. A. O. Cooper, veteran skipper in the C. P. R. coast steamship service, is to be given the command of one of the 5,800-ton steel steamships being turned out by John Coughlan & Sons at Vancouver to the order of the Imperial Munitions Board, it was learned here to-day.

It is expected that the vessel to be taken over by Capt. Cooper will be the War Columba, which was recently launched from the False Creek plant. Capt. Cooper will take command of the vessel assigned to him as soon as she has been made ready for sea, and will navigate her to the United Kingdom by way of the Panama Canal.

One of the old-timers of the C. P. R. coasting service, Capt. Cooper saw considerable ocean service in his early days.

He was selected for his experience in offshore navigation to take the C. P. R. steamship Princess Esna on two voyages to the Far East.

Capt. Park, formerly with the Union Steamship Company of British Columbia, has also been assigned to one of the Coughlan ships. He will take out the steamship War Cavalry.

WIRELESS REPORT

May 21, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.86; 53; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 29.92; 50; sea smooth.

Palena—Clear; N. W.; fresh; 29.12; 48; sea moderate.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.88; 48; light swell. Spoke str. Gray, 6.15 a. m., entering Kyugot, southbound.

Triangle—Clear; N. W.; fresh; 29.69; 44; sea moderate. Spoke str. El Segundo, 6.10 p. m., 322 miles from Ketchikan, northbound; spoke str. Burnside, 5.39 a. m., 35 miles from Triangle, northbound.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.13; 39; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Overcast; N. W.; strong; 30.08; 43; sea rough.

Alberca—Clear; calm; 29.92; 35; sea smooth. Spoke str. Princess Esna, 6.30 p. m., entering Skeena, northbound.

Non.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.96; 54; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 29.90; 58; sea smooth. Spoke str. Admiral Nicholson, 10.25 a. m., off Cape Mudge, northbound.

Palena—Clear; N. W.; fresh; 29.64; 59; sea moderate. Spoke str. Princess Maquima, 9 a. m., northbound.

Estevan—Clear; S. E.; 29.79; 58; light swell.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 29.92; 49; sea smooth.

Triangle—Cloudy; N. W.; fresh; 29.65; 48; heavy swell. Spoke str. City of Seattle, 9.19 a. m., Milbank Sound, southbound; spoke str. Camosun, 9.55 a. m., Milbank Sound, southbound; spoke str. Curacao, 10.20 a. m., Queen Charlotte Sound, northbound; spoke str. Norwood, 10.45 a. m., Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; N. W.; light; 29.99; 46; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Overcast; N. W.; strong; 29.98; 44; sea rough.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 29.90; 55; sea smooth. Passed in, str. Prince Rupert, 11 a. m., northbound.

N.Y.K. LINERS BOOKED UP TO SEPTEMBER

Agents Report Exceptional Rush of Travel to the Far East

Indicative of the increased amount of travel across the Pacific the agents for the Nippon Yusen Kaisha here state that all passenger accommodations on outbound ships of the Japanese fleet has been fully booked up to September. The same condition applies to freight, it being announced that huge cargoes of merchandise are scheduled for shipment to the Far East during the next few months.

Inquiries for passenger space are insistent, but despite the fact that the N. Y. K. operates four of its largest liners on the North Pacific route it has been found impossible to handle the flood of prospective bookings with the consequence that a large number of intending travelers will either have to wait for future sailings or take passage by other lines.

Five N. Y. K. sailings are scheduled between now and September 2, and all passenger space has been taken. The liner Kama Maru will leave here on June 2 with every berth occupied. She will be followed by the Suruga Maru, Kasima Maru and Pushimi Maru.

Swus Due Next

The Swus Maru is scheduled to arrive here from the Orient on June 2. During the summer months the N. Y. K. transferred its most palatial liners from the European trade to the Hongkong-Yokohama-Victoria-Seattle route with the intention of diverting the big ships back to the European run after the war. The operation of these ships on this route, however, has proved a profitable venture, and while the present business keeps up it is highly probable that the company will consider its original plans. In the meantime the N. Y. K. is going ahead with its proposal to construct several huge passenger liners which will have a speed of at least twenty knots.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Kobe, May 12.—Arrived: Str. Melko Maru, Seattle.

Yokohama, May 12.—Arrived: Str. Empress of Asia, Vancouver.

Hongkong, May 11.—Sailed: Str. Windber, Seattle.

Everything in the dear old village seemed the same to Giles after his absence of four years as a prisoner of war in Germany. The old church, the village pump, the ducks on the green, the old men smoking their pipes while the women talked—it was so restful after the treatment he had received at the hands of the enemy. Suddenly he missed something. "Where's Hodges' other windmill?" he asked in surprise. "I can only see one mill, and there used to be two." "The native gazed thoughtfully around as if to verify the statement. "Then he said, slowly: "They pulled one down. There weren't enough wind for two of 'em!"

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GUNN NOW MOORED AT CHOLBERG YARD

Schooner Back at Plant With All Masts Stepped; Hansen Shortly Due

After having her masts stepped at the wharf of the Victoria Machinery Depot the schooner Gunn, first ship to be launched by the Cholberg Ship Company, was this morning towed to the Cholberg plant. The vessel is now moored alongside dolphins immediately adjacent to the wharfford where she will be outfitted for sea.

When the auxiliary schooner H. C. Hansen completes engine overhaul at Seattle she will come to this port to be recalculated by the Cholberg Company. For this purpose the vessel will be hauled out on the ways at the Victoria Machinery Depot. Another Norwegian auxiliary schooner is also shortly due at the Cholberg plant for repairs.

On being rigged and outfitted the Gunn will low to Vancouver to load a cargo of 2,000,000 feet of lumber at Hastings Mill for Europe.

GUESTS INVITED TO ATTEND LAUNCHING OF STEAMER ONTARIO

The following list of guests has been invited to attend the launching of the steamship Ontario which is scheduled to be sent afloat from the Point Ellice yard of the Foundation Company at 8:30 p. m. on Thursday:

Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard.

Hon. and Mrs. John Oliver.

Hon. W. J. and Mrs. Bowser.

Hon. and Mrs. E. F. Tomlin.

Hon. and Mrs. W. G. Winterburn and family.

Captain Emile Trigueux.

Captain and Mrs. J. Jackman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haviside.

Mr. Frank Haviside.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayly Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Thompson and Miss Thompson.

Mr. Scott Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Higgins and family.

Mrs. Chaloner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoard.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Mah.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaskin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McKay.

Mrs. J. Bertram.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. H. Godson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Smith.

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FERRY SHOULD RUN FROM OUTER DOCKS

Victoria Has Vast Possibilities and Can Easily Be Great Terminal, Says Speaker

"I doubt if the business men of Victoria have come to a realization of the importance of the advent of the Canadian National Railways to Victoria and Vancouver Island," said J. G. Thomson, a transportation man who has an extensive knowledge of the transportation services of Canada and the United States, in the course of an address to representative business men in the Belmont Block last night. The occasion was a meeting called by the Victoria and Island Development Association to discuss the development of ocean facilities at this port, and the meeting was attended by the Mayor and members of the Council, members of the Board of Trade, Rotary Club and other local bodies.

Mr. Thomson drew attention to the fact that Victoria was not really isolated by reason of being located on Vancouver Island, an island capable of sustaining 1,500,000 people, and that the car-ferry facilities provided by the Canadian National Railway were practically equivalent to all-rail services.

He called attention to the fact that the advent of the Canadian National Railways and the operation of the Outer Docks with the area and facilities for the handling of ocean cargo would bring to Victoria an identity as one of the prominent Pacific Coast ports. He told of car-ferry operation between various points in the United States in competition with all-rail service that was decidedly to the advantage of the car-ferry service.

Experience Elsewhere

As a striking instance of this situation he quoted the operation by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul car-barge service between Bellingham and Seattle in opposition to the all-rail service of the Great Northern; also to a similar service maintained by the Pennsylvania Railroad between Cape Charles, Del., and Norfolk, Virginia; also to the lake ferries plying across Lakes Ontario, Erie and Michigan.

Here were cases where a car-ferry would carry a whole trainload of cars at the expense only of the maintenance of the ferry, while a freight train operated for a like distance would save every item of expense in the maintenance of that piece of track charged proportionately against the operation of every train that passed over it.

Mr. Thomson also went into the question of virgin territory to be developed by the Island lines and the industrial possibilities made possible by the immense natural resources along such railway lines, all of which, if developed, would make business for Victoria and her car-ferry service. Victoria is the logical centre of Island traffic and trade.

"I would like to draw attention to the industrial possibility that the Canadian National Railways service to Victoria will develop by reason of the transportation competition that this offers in comparison with the one-company transportation service that Victoria has heretofore had to rely upon," he said.

Pulp Industry

Mr. Thomson then referred to the Vancouver Island pulp industry, which he said was one that should be developed to the greatest possible extent; also to the development of the fresh fish industry for the port of Victoria, inasmuch as the Canadian National Railways offered refrigerator service equipment on passenger train service to points in the East, which would be carried direct from Victoria. He called attention to the canned salmon industry of the West Coast, which furnished another good field for transportation from a point on the Algebril Canal through Victoria.

Mr. Thomson's remarks were greeted with hearty applause, and Stephen Jones moved a hearty vote of thanks for the instructive and interesting address.

Mr. Jones, in speaking on the subject of increased transportation through Victoria, seconded Mr. Thomson's remarks, and in substantiation of the previous speaker's statement that considerable tonnage could be secured from the two big Japanese lines that now make Victoria a port of call en route to Puget Sound, drew attention to the fact that the City of San Francisco had not held out receptive arms to the Japanese steamship interests, and the result was that Seattle to-day securing the bulk of the trans-Pacific tonnage controlled by Japanese steamship interests, showing that the Canadian National Railways and the port of Victoria stood in a favorable way of securing a large portion of this trade.

Beaumont Boggs also agreed with what Mr. Thomson had said, and thought that the service the Canadian National Railways was to give to the port of Victoria assured a new era of development of Victoria's trade, both rail and ocean, and every support should be given to Dr. Tolmie, M.P., in his representations to Ottawa and the Canadian National Railway to make Victoria in every respect the Pacific Coast terminal.

The Resolution

Frank Higgins, K.C., spoke very strongly in support of the following resolution which he presented to the meeting and which was carried unanimously, his remarks being along the

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line of what the resolution contains. The resolution reads:

"In as much as the Dominion Government, after the careful investigation necessary where extensive expenditure is entailed in the construction of public works and warranting such expenditure, was encouraged to construct and did construct on Victoria harbor a unit of ocean docks which is now practically completed and ready for operation, and in view of the extensive expenditure in the construction of these docks the Government undoubtedly fully recognized the importance of the geographical and consequent strategic importance of the port of Victoria, and the unquestioned future development of the requisite traffic both trans-Pacific and Coastwise, to maintain the operation of these docks and as it has transpired that these docks have been turned over to the Canadian National Railways for operation.

"He it resolved by this assembly of representative business men of Victoria that the business interests of Victoria view with much favor the advent of the railway ferry steamer, Canora, and feel that Victoria can be made a large and flourishing distributing point by the inauguration and maintenance of a fast ferry service between Victoria and the Mainland, and they respectively desire that:

"1. The Canora immediately furnish a continuous service from the Government docks at Victoria to the terminus of the C. N. R. system on the Mainland.

"2. That the C. N. R. inaugurate an aggressive policy for business over their lines by employing agents to solicit business from the merchants of Victoria and by sending representatives to the Orient and elsewhere for the purpose of diverting tonnage to their system via the port of Victoria.

"Resolved that this meeting strongly support and endorse the efforts being put forward by Dr. S. F. Tolmie, M.P., and J. C. McIntosh, M.P., for the consummation of the above objects."

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