

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 a.m. Tuesday: Fresh to strong southerly winds, partly cloudy and mild with showers.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal Kiwanis Minstrels, Capitol—Dick Turpin, Dominion—The Birth of the World, Coliseum—A Life of the Ocean Wave, Playhouse—The Birth of a Nation, Columbia—Going Up.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

STRUGGLE LOOMS AS DUNKHOBORS FLOUT LAW

HONGKONG'S AMBASSADOR TO WEMBLEY WORKING FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF CHINA

Sir Robert Ho Tung, Member of Hongkong Legislative Council, Sowed Seeds for Reorganization Conference of Which Great Things Are Expected for China.

Arrayed in picturesque Mandarin costume and wearing decorations bestowed upon him by His Majesty King George, Sir Robert Ho Tung, member of the Hongkong Legislative Council and official representative of Hongkong at the Wembley Exhibition, arrived in this morning on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada en route to London.

Sir Robert was at Wembley last year as Hongkong's Chinese commissioner.

WORKING FOR CANADA'S GOOD

He is the man who is credited with sowing the seeds which led to the Reorganization Conference in Peking and out of these conferences Sir Robert looks for a "comprehensive programme" of reconstruction capable of practical accomplishment.

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In elaborating his policy, Sir Robert stated that it was of the utmost value to provide something of an educative value concerning the manufactures of the East to the masses in England and at the same time afford them a glimpse of the physical magnificence of the island and the thousands of tons of shipping and busy waterfront.

Sir Robert stated that the exhibition made heavy demands on his time and strength. The silk exhibition and other matters in connection with the exhibition occupied his mornings and in the afternoon his time was fully taken up by his activities.

"It is only because I feel that the colony of my birth should have every help in presenting the best possible display that I go to London at all," declared Sir Robert, who became quite enthused in explaining the wonderful Hongkong exhibit.

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SIR ROBERT HO TUNG

PRINCE OF WALES AT FREETOWN TO-DAY

Royal Traveler Greeted by Great Crowds in Sierra Leone

London, April 6.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Sierra Leone, West Africa, says glorious weather marked the arrival of the battle-cruiser Repulse with the Prince of Wales on board in Freetown Harbor at 7 a.m. to-day. Huge crowds thronged every available spot to await the landing of the Prince, who with the Governor stepped ashore at 10 o'clock. There was a busy outburst of cheering while the garrison battery boomed as the ship landed.

No Prohibition in Western Australia

Perth, Australia, April 6.—The prohibitionists of Western Australia were badly beaten on Saturday when a poll was taken to decide whether the state should remain "wet" or "dry." The prohibition leaders required thirty per cent of the votes on the roll and a three-fifths majority of the votes cast, about half of the qualified number, they obtained barely half the votes secured by the anti-prohibitionists, and were in minority in every electoral district in the state.

Farm Season in Ontario Now Open

Toronto, April 6.—With farmers everywhere on the land, a busy week in the farming areas of Ontario opened to-day. The season is quite two weeks ahead of last year, with the frost well out of the ground, and the land fit for cultivation and foliage bursting into bud.

1,000 NEW SETTLERS COME TO B.C. AND POINTS ON PRAIRIES

Winnipeg, April 6.—Approximately 1,000 new settlers will arrive here during the coming week for distribution throughout the West. Twenty-eight families under the "Empire Settlement Scheme" are included in the total. Nearly 400 settlers are expected to arrive Tuesday morning. Seventy-two are to go on to British Columbia and seventy-one to Alberta. These are passengers from the liner Montclair who left Montreal Saturday.

FOUR KILLED BY TORNADO IN FLORIDA

Twenty-three in Hospitals in Miami Region as Result of Storm

Property Damage Estimated at \$150,000; Several Buildings Were Demolished

Miami, Fla., April 6.—Four persons lost their lives and twenty-three were in hospitals to-day, the toll of a tornado which swept from the Everglades yesterday and left \$150,000 property damage when it vanished over the Atlantic.

The bulk of the damage was done at a dairy six miles west of Miami, where Mrs. Mathilda Schultze, seventy was killed, several injured and six buildings demolished.

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PREPARING TO LEAD ARCTIC EXPEDITION; D. B. MacMILLAN



ARCTIC EXPLORERS TO USE AEROPLANES

Men of MacMillan Expedition This Summer Will Seek Land North of This Continent

Records of High Altitude Temperatures and Weather Are to be Kept

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BUDGET VOTE IN COMMONS ON APRIL 16

Division is Expected on That Day; Six More Days of Debate Probable

Independent Group of Thirteen Is Recognized as Fourth Party

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STARTS SERVING LONG PRISON TERM; DR. FREDERICK COOK



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POLICE FORCES MASS FOR ACTION AS 2,500 DUNKHOBORS DEFLY B.C.

Parade of Whole Colony Threatened, as Mass Meeting Refuses to Obey Government Orders to Send Children to School; Premier and MacLean Firm on Having Laws Carried Out.

Despite all Dunkhobor threats, the Government will proceed to carry out the law, Premier Oliver and Hon. J. D. MacLean, announced this afternoon.

Nelson, B. C., April 6.—Grand Forks to-day becomes the base of operations for the Government's campaign to enforce the school law against the Dunkhobors.

In the absence of Inspector W. R. Dunwoody at the front, Staff Sergeant E. Gammon of the Nelson detachment, is in charge of "B" division of the Provincial Police here. He states no check is being kept on the Brilliant end at present as the Government now possesses no school there and the Boundary district will see the first clash, if any.

Nelson, B. C., April 6.—Twenty-five hundred Dunkhobors at a mass meeting in Brilliant yesterday afternoon declared to Inspector W. R. Dunwoody of the Provincial Police and School Inspector E. M. Sheffield that they would not send their children to school.

Messrs. Dunwoody and Sheffield told the meeting of the definite refusal of the Dunkhobors to obey the school law of British Columbia, they said, because these laws were contrary to the laws of God.

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SOUTH AFRICAN TARIFF

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ment of the recommendations of the Imperial Economic Conference in regard to imperial preferences.

DIFFICULT TASK

"Although assurances have since been given by Premier Stanley Baldwin of his favorite attitude toward the imperial preference proposals," the Dominion continues, "there is a definite feeling that the free trade opinion of Great Britain would make it difficult for the Conservative Government to realize fully the hopes raised by the conference. It is possible that the shock occasioned by South Africa's proposed action, by startling the British free trade opinion out of its habitual complacency, may prove a blessing in disguise. In the meantime the South African proposal must be regarded as a very disquieting symptom."

TWO SHOT TO DEATH

Albany, N.Y., April 6.—Two men were shot to death and two others were wounded, one probably fatally, and four have been arrested following a gun fight in a street here today.

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Nice Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 55¢, or 3 lbs.	\$1.65	Fresh Broken Biscuits, per lb.	15c
Heinz Pork, Beans and Tomato Sauce, 2 cans for	25c	Swift's Pure Lard, 3 lbs. for.	67c
Clark's Tomato Catsup, per bottle	25c	Fresh Alberta Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. for 75¢.	38c
Beach Eakins Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin	75c	Maple Leaf Bread Flour, 49-lb. sack.	\$2.50
3 in 1 Milk, 3 cans for	25c	Libby's Asparagus Soup, 3 cans for	25c
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CANADA AT LAST LEADS ALL WORLD IN PAPER BUSINESS; U.S. ADMITS HIGHER OUTPUT

By Times Staff Representative
Ottawa, April 6.—Even the United States has had to admit Canada's supremacy in the great newsprint manufacturing industry. Canadian mills surpassed their American competitors for the first time in history during the month of February. The Wall Street Journal, organ of America's Big Business, acknowledges that Canada now leads the world in turning out the world's newsprint supply.

Canada's supremacy has been wrested from her neighbor by steady growth in newsprint production since 1912 while the United States' output during these years has remained stationary. The last fourteen years have seen Canada's newsprint tonnage grow from 256,000 tons annually to 1,471,000 tons last year. It was only in February of this year, however, that the Canadian mills forged ahead of their American competitors.

Figures just compiled here show that Canada's enormous strides in newsprint production have been linked with decreasing export of raw pulpwood as compared with paper manufacture here. In 1923 the amount of unmanufactured pulpwood exported was 1,348,230 cords as compared with 1,055,020 ten years before; but in 1923 3,270,433 cords were manufactured into paper here or 70.3 per cent. This is a big increase in the proportion of home manufacture. In 1913, for instance, only 36.3 per cent of the wood cut for pulp production was manufactured into paper in this country.

FUTURE GROWTH HERE

American companies realize that the newsprint industry will develop fastest and to its greatest proportions not in the United States but in Canada. This is shown by the continual investments of American firms in Canadian pulp and paper projects. The American pulp men know that they cannot develop paper manufacture in the United States on a large scale merely with the use of a limited quantity of Canadian pulpwood.

Canada's pulp and paper industry

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Dr. W. J. Gibson, associated with Dr. Lewis Hall, 656 Yates Street.

Miss Hanman will leave Victoria in May for an indefinite period. Appointments should be made without delay, 22 Winch Building.

Taxation Returns—Dominion and Provincial compiled or checked by Vincent C. Martin, accountant and auditor (late assistant surveyor of taxes), 509-10 Union Bank Building; Phone 469.

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Passion cantata, "The Cross" or the "Seven Last Words of Christ" by Flaxington Harker, at the First Congregational Church, Good Friday evening, April 10, 8:15 p.m. Mrs. A. W. Stokes, Mrs. S. S. Morton, Mr. Percy Edmonds and augmented chorus. Collection.

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Kiwanis Minstrel Show

The minstrel show which the Kiwanis Club is staging at the Royal Victoria Theatre to-night and to-morrow will commence promptly at 8:15 o'clock. The production is being staged in aid of underprivileged children.

NEW COMET STUDIED BY ASTRONOMERS

London, April 6.—An agency dispatch from Copenhagen says Professor Stromgren and Hansen of the Copenhagen observatory confirm the existence of a new comet, which is said to rise between one and two o'clock in the morning. It is not visible to the naked eye.

HONGKONG'S AMBASSADOR

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position last year aroused the greatest interest for its novelty and originality.

PRINCE WAS INTERESTED

At the Wembley exhibition last year the Prince of Wales spent considerable time inspecting the Hongkong silk exhibit and listened attentively to Sir Robert's explanation of the interesting features of the exhibition. His majesty was not the only novelty promised for the Wembley Exhibition this year. Sir Robert mentioned that all the Chinese consulates under contract to wear Chinese costume, which would greatly add to the picturesque effect of the colony's exhibition.

MAY RETURN VIA SIBERIA

On his return to Hongkong, Sir Robert will probably travel over the trans-Siberian Railway. Sir Robert said that his son Robert is going to England with him to enter Sandhurst for military training. His youngest son, Edward is now studying commerce and finance in London.

PEKING CONFERENCES

Asked if he had abandoned his plan for a round-table conference to solve China's problems, Sir Robert explained that he could do little more along that line for the present.

His idea was being taken up in the North and he hoped that the conference in Peking would be productive of the best results and culminate in a comprehensive program of practical accomplishment. It was only recently that Sir Robert received a letter from a leading British banker in London who wrote that "The Reorganization Conference which is now sitting in Peking—has sprung, I imagine, to some of your living now in Autumn."

"It has been suggested to me that I could put my time to better advantage by traveling to Wembley to serve as a commissioner for Hongkong again," said Sir Robert, "and I am inclined to believe in looking to the political situation in China."

Sir Robert laid emphasis upon the glamor attaching to Hongkong as a place unique in the Far East. He was illustrating his point that the colony would have lost prestige if it had failed to respond to Wembley's call this year. This glamor, he suggested, was one of the reasons why he had been so cordially received during his last visit by members of the Royal Family, the leading officials of the British Government, and other distinguished personalities who granted him special appointments.

Hongkong's Ambassador Ho Tung in England.

ARMY CHANGE IS PLANNED IN ITALY

Rome, April 6.—The Italian Government, according to the press, intends to restore the position of Chief of the Army Staff as it existed during the Great War, leaving to that post official military control while the War Minister will direct the political and administrative affairs of his office. It is stated Gen. Badoglio will be made Chief of Staff.

Under-Secretary of War Clerici has resigned.

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POLICE FORCES MASS

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When Inspector Dunwoody and Inspector Sheffield pointed out that the Doukhobors, in refusing to obey the law, were opposing not only the Government of British Columbia but all the people, the Doukhobors said they recognized the power of the law, but declared they wanted to be left alone to live their own lives and that their chattels were seized and sold to pay fines, they could only, like Peter Voregin, "go down," which they explained meant they would die through hunger.

A minute or two later the question was put to the whole mass: "Will you obey the school law?" and from the crowd came the chorus, in Russian, "No," the loudest response being from the women, who frequently during the meeting showed even more clearly than the men their determination not to send their children to school.

NO PROHIBITION THERE

Perth, Australia, April 6.—West Australia has decided against prohibition. In the polling on the question on Saturday 35,006 votes were cast for prohibition and 64,377 against it.

ARCTIC EXPLORATION

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their craft to the aid of man's struggle to map the mysteries of an area of more than 1,000,000 square miles between Alaska and the North Pole.

ENDORSED BY GOULDING

Although not a Government project, the plan has been approved by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur and endorsed by President Coolidge and also will have both the financial and scientific backing of the National Geographic Society.

As thus having a private status and differing in this respect from the project abandoned last year for a polar expedition with the navy dirigible Shenandoah, the naval pilots to accompany the expedition will be granted an extended leave for the purpose.

BYRD TO GO

Of those, Commander R. E. Byrd will be one, with the others, of whom there will be at least two along with two or three mechanics, still to be chosen from more than a score of applicants from both the navy and marine corps. Commander Byrd is in charge of all flight operations. Two planes of the Loening amphibian type will be supplied, having a cruising range of more than 1,000 miles and a speed of more than 120 miles an hour.

In charting the unknown regions, as well as the many other scientific undertakings projected, including high altitude temperatures and weather observations, Captain MacMillan believes more can be accomplished with planes in two months than has been done in the last century.

TO START JUNE 15

Leaving Wiscasset, Maine, about June 15, on a vessel already chartered, the expedition will make its way along the Labrador and Greenland coasts up to Axel Heiberg Land, at the northern point of which probably 250 miles from where the ship will establish an advance flying base.

From there the planes will venture over the unknown Northwest to determine whether land exists there. Such land probably could be utilized for aircraft bases in flight routes from Europe to Asia.

TO EXPLORE RUINS

Explorations of the ancient Norse ruins in Labrador and Greenland, recovery of the records which Peary left at Cape Columbia before his final dash from there to the Pole, and extensive radio experiments for which Eugene McDonald, Jr., of Chicago, president of the National Association of Broadcasters, will accompany the expedition, are among the other undertakings projected.

WAR VETERAN MURDERED

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strengthened to-day when a Captain Appley told the police he was a captain in Buchanan's regiment in the Canadian Highlanders, that the latter was a "splendid soldier," and that he had no enemies. It was also learned the man was engaged to Miss Beattie McKenzie until eight months ago, when the engagement was broken.

The girl was said to be living now in Detroit.

Robbery and the satisfaction of a grudge held by some army comrades of Buchanan's were among the theories advanced by the police as to the murder. The man's watch was missing when a passerby found the body in an abandoned greenhouse on a lonely hillside near the hospital and the pockets were turned out, but \$2.51 in cash was found scattered near the body.

VISITED SISTER

Buchanan left Boston last Friday to make one of his regular visits to a sister, Christine, a nurse in the Deaconess Hospital. He left at 4:30 o'clock that night, the police learned, to visit his mother in the home of a cousin, twenty minutes' walk from the hospital. The body was found at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The head and ears were bound with twine, the gas mask being tied tightly upon the face. A cloth gag was in the mouth and hands were bound together behind the right knee. No gunshot wounds or knife marks were discovered.

Buchanan's home was in Sugarloaf.

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NEW HELIUM LAW IN UNITED STATES

Washington, April 6.—The United States Bureau of Mines, under an act passed late in the last Congress, will take over from the navy about July 1 the production of helium; the gas used in inflating the giant dirigibles Los Angeles and Shenandoth. This transfer is not expected by Dr. S. O. Lind, chief chemist here, to involve any marked change in policy. No appreciable quantity of helium is being exported now, and the new law provides that export applications must be made to the Secretary of the Interior and permission obtained from the President, or the joint recommendation of the Secretaries of War, Navy and Interior. This provision was put into the law to prevent future United States transoceanic air lines to have a supply of helium on hand at their foreign terminals. Officials of the bureau are careful to point out that the new law against helium exportation will not militate against foreign scientists who desire a small quantity of the gas for their laboratories.

MUST STAND TRIAL Washington, April 6.—Gaston B. Means was indicated here Saturday for forgery in connection with the Senate Daugherty investigation, in which he was a spectacular witness. He pleaded not guilty and was released on \$10,000 bail. He is charged with having forged the name of Senator Smith W. Brookhart to a letter purporting to direct him to deliver all his records, files, diaries and letters to the Daugherty committee.

Special to The Times Sidney, April 6.—The Spring flower show and daffodil silver tea which was held in Matthews Hall under the auspices of the Women's Guild of St. Andrew's, was very successful. The following were the prize-winners: Six large trumpet daffodils—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Philip. Six short cup daffodils—1, Mrs. Thomas; 2, Mrs. Wilson. Six large daffodils—1, Mrs. Wilson; 2, Mrs. S. Layard. Collection of daffodils, three of each—1, Major Birch; 2, Mrs. Thomas. Bowl of daffodils—1, Mrs. C. C. Cochran; 2, Major Birch. Six polyanthus narcissi—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Wilson. Six narcissi, any kind—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. S. Brethour. Three hyacinths, any color—1, Mrs. C. Layard; 2, Mrs. C. C. Cochran. Six jonquils—1, Mrs. Wilson; 2, Mrs. White; 3, Mrs. Philip. Collection of primroses and polyanthus—1, Mrs. White; 2, Mrs. Philip. Collection of wallflowers—Mrs. Simulated. Collection of auriculas—Mrs. Harrison. Bunch of violets—Mrs. Whiting. Bowl of willies—1, Miss G. Cochran; 2, Mrs. Wilson. Collection of wild flowers—1, Miss Eileen McKenzie; 2, Miss Coleen Cochran.

Vancouver Island News

SPRING FLOWERS ON SHOW AT SIDNEY

Prize-winners at Function Arranged by Women's Guild

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SAANICH LIBERALS ELECT OFFICERS

Alexander MacDonald Chosen as Leader; Delegates Named

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Langford News

Special to The Times Langford, April 6.—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lemay from Victoria are now residing at their summer home on Leigh Road, Langford Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Hay-Currie from Cedar Hill Road are now living at "The Trylles," Langford Lake. It is anticipated that the best concert of the season will be given in the school house Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The teachers have a fine time and trouble teaching fancy drills and songs to the pupils. In addition the attractive programme includes solo, dances and recitations by artists from Victoria. The proceeds of the sale of work and concert will be devoted to the school piano fund.

WORKERS The committee for the flower show were Mrs. Wilson as convener, and Mrs. Philip, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Whiting. There was a candy stand which did a good business in charge of the Misses Thomson and Gertrude Cochran and Iris Goddard. The tea committee was Mrs. McNaught as convener, assisted by Mrs. White, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Laidler. The dining room was prettily decorated with daffodils and Spring flowers. Mrs. C. C. Cochran and Mrs. G. Cochran poured out the tea. During the afternoon Mrs. Barlow, Miss Margaret Cochran and Mrs. McKenzie played the piano. Little Eileen McKenzie sang two solos very sweetly. Mr. Straight judged the exhibit.

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Alberni News

Special to The Times Alberni, April 6.—One of the most successful dances of the season was held in Clark's Hall on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Alberni Girls' Club, when there was a large turnout. The hall was very prettily decorated for the occasion, and the supper arrangements were excellent, the various committees in charge are to be congratulated on the way they carried out their duties. The president, Miss Kathleen Frost, wishes to thank all those who assisted them in any way. The music was supplied by Hunt's Orchestra from Victoria and left nothing to be desired in that respect.

Sidney News

Special to The Times Sidney, April 6.—The Sidney Social Club held their card party in Matthews Hall. Winners of the first prizes were Mrs. R. N. McAuley, Miss I. Hearn, J. Nelson and S. MacDonald. Winners of the highest bid were Mrs. J. Hambley and J. Gilman. The hostesses for the evening were Mrs. A. Crichtley and Miss H. Lidgate. Mrs. Gooch who has been staying at the Sidney Hotel for some months has returned to California. Mrs. T. Lidgate of Fourth Street is spending a holiday with her mother, Mrs. Dunne of North Vancouver. Mr. H. Jackson of Vancouver has returned home after a few days spent with Mr. and Mrs. R. Jackson of Deep Bay. Miss Price of Quebec is staying with Col. and Mrs. Belsou. Mr. Victor Goddard of the Canadian Customs who has been in Victoria for the winter months, has returned to Sidney for duty. Mr. N. Armstrong of Vancouver spent a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of East Road. Mr. and Mrs. Towers and their small daughter of Bradley Dyne have taken Mr. Elmer Johns' house at meadows. Mrs. C. Layard of Deep Bay has returned home after a visit to Salt Spring Island. The Sidney Tennis Club will hold a progressive five-hundred card party in Matthews Hall on April 25. The Women's Guild of St. Andrews will hold the regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 8, at 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. J. White. The Ladies' Aid of the Union Church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Ramsay, Fifth Street, Wednesday at 3 o'clock. (See also Page 7)

Co-operation in Palestine Urged

Haifa, Palestine, April 6.—The Earl of Balfour, who came to Palestine for the opening of the new Hebrew University at Jerusalem last Wednesday, has visited Petach Tikvah and Benyamini. In reply to an address of welcome at the latter place, he said: "I hope and believe the experiences which have been given us in this district will be found throughout the whole area of Palestine and that the preposterous suggestion that the Jews and Arabs can not live together in harmony will be finally exploded and will not be admitted into national political controversy." The future of Palestine, Lord Balfour continued, depended upon homogeneous and harmonious co-operation between the peoples. When the train left, Jewish cowboys raced alongside, waving flags and cheering.

HALE WAS SEIZED

Ningara Falls, N.Y., April 6.—A carload of Canadian ale was seized in the Erie freight yards here today. The car contained 1,100 cases of ale, valued at about \$4,000. It was brewed in Montreal and shipped for local delivery. Loms men said no name of signee was given.

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COWICHAN LITERARY SOCIETY MEETING

Special to The Times Duncan, April 6.—The Cowichan Literary Society held its usual monthly meeting Friday evening. "The Importance of Being Earnest" was read, the different characters being taken by members. Next evening when it is hoped each member will bring an original contribution. Someone will be appointed "editor" and the compositions read and judged. At the following meeting a paper on "Barrie" will be given.

Observe These Rules

- 1. Any man, woman or child who is not in the employ of The Vancouver Daily Star, or a member of an employer's family, may submit an answer. 2. All answers must be mailed by April 15th, 1925, and addressed to Laughlin Gillies, Puzzle Manager, The Vancouver Daily Star. 3. All lists of names should be written on one side of the paper only, and numbered consecutively, 1, 2, 3, etc. Write your full name and address in the upper right hand corner. If you desire to write anything else, use a separate sheet. 4. Only such words as appear in the English Dictionary will be counted. Do not use obsolete words. Where the plural is used, the singular cannot be counted and vice versa. 5. Words of the same spelling can be used only once, even though used to designate different objects or articles, or parts of objects or articles. An object or article can be named only once. 6. Do not use hyphenated or compound words, or any words formed by the combination of two or more complete words, where each word in itself is an object. 7. The answer having the largest and nearest correct list of names of visible objects and articles shown in the picture that begin with the letter "C" will be awarded First Prize, etc. Neatness of style or handwriting have no bearing upon deciding the winners. 8. Any number of people may co-operate in answering the puzzle, but only one prize will be awarded to any one household; nor will prizes be awarded to more than one of any group where two or more have been working together. 9. In the event of a tie for any prize offered, the full amount of such prize will be awarded to each tied participant. 10. Subscriptions (both new and renewal) payable in advance at \$3.00 per year by mail or carrier delivery in Canada will be accepted. However, in subscribing for the \$500.00 Bonus Rewards at least ONE new subscription must be sent in. 11. A new subscriber is anyone who has not been receiving The Vancouver Daily Star since March 10th. 12. All answers will receive the same consideration regarding whether or not a subscription to The Vancouver Daily Star is sent in. 13. All new subscriptions will be carefully verified by the Puzzle Manager. Candidates making old subscriptions as new will positively forfeit the credit of such subscriptions as qualifying for the Maximum Bonus Rewards. 14. Three prominent Vancouver citizens having no connection with The Vancouver Daily Star will be selected to act as judges to decide the winners and participants by sending in their answers agree to accept the decision of the judges as final and conclusive. 15. The judges will meet on April 27th, and an announcement of the Prize Winners and correct list of words will be published in The Vancouver Daily Star as quickly thereafter as possible. LARGE PUZZLE PICTURE SENT FREE ON REQUEST

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The Easter-Frock may favor printed silk, satin or crepe. In either case it will be very smart and flared or perhaps with a circular fullness gathered to the front. There are scores of charming styles to select from in all the newest colors and fabrics for Spring. Choose your new Easter Frock here this week, while such a splendid selection is available. Priced up from \$25.00

Smartly Styled New Spring Coats in Great Variety

Featuring this week a Pre-Easter showing of smart and attractive New Spring Coats for women and misses in tailored and novelty styles in all the newest colorings and colors for Spring. You will be delighted with the splendid values being offered in the coat section. Prices start from \$16.75. These coats are marked at prices you can well afford

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For the Eastertide—From Our Tailored Stock

\$27.90 and \$49.75

Spring Suits of Poiret Twill and Triotine, designed with medium length coats, slit pockets, notch collars and finished with a self or button trimming. The skirts are made in wrap-around style and have slit pockets. Great values at **\$29.75**

Smart Tailored Suits with knee length coats, tailored notch collars, fitted sleeves, silk lined and trimmed with self material or buttons. The skirts are wrap-around or two-seam style with neat pockets. The suits are of excellent grade poiret twill. Shades black and navy or navy and black with invisible check line of white. Excellent values at **\$49.75**



Women's House Dresses

New House Dresses in slipon styles, made up from attractive plaid and check gingham, trimmed with bright colored pipings in a variety of styles. Special, each **\$1.25**
 Crepe House Dresses in attractive styles trimmed with touches of hand embroidery. Each **\$1.75**
 Novelty House Dresses of chambray and gingham, plain colors and two-tone effects—trimmed with applique designs on front and pockets. Each, **\$1.95, \$2.25** and **\$2.50**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Girls' Crisp Tub Frocks for the Holiday Season

Gay Colored Gingham Dresses in all the latest styles and shades, shown in plaid, check and stripe designs, made belts, tie sashes or beltless. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Priced from, each **\$1.50** to **\$3.75**
 Smart Wash Dresses of chambray, shown in many neat styles, with touches of hand embroidery, worked in contrasting shades. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Priced from, each, **\$2.50** to **\$3.50**
 Children's Bloomer Dresses of gingham and chambray in all good styles and colors. Bloomers are finished with elastic at waist and band at knees. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Priced from, each, **\$1.25** to **\$2.75**



Girls' Flannel Dresses \$5.75 to \$7.95

New Styles

Flannel Dresses in new colorings and great assortment. Many styles to select from, and sizes for the ages of 6 to 14 years. These are specially priced at **\$5.75** to **\$7.95**

—Children's, First Floor

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Our Rent On Approval Offer Extended Just Thirty Days
 Let us send the Sweeper-Vac and the Electric Vac-Mop on approval to your home. You will find it the most economical and efficient helper you can have.



Try the idea combination of powerful suction and a motor-driven brush on your rugs, and other household furnishings. Use the exclusive Sweeper-Vac feature—the Vac-Mop—to clean hardwood floors, walls and ceilings by vacuum. Then, if you like it, keep the Sweeper-Vac to do all the hard work of house cleaning, by paying three dollars down and the balance in easy payments.

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A Colorful Accessory For The Easter Outfit

Colored Lawn Handkerchiefs, with scalloped edge and border embroidered in black; colors are rose, orange, orchid, blue and green. Each **25¢**
 Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, in beautiful range of colors, plain or jazzy effects, with silk stitch, scalloped border; 16 shades to select from. Each **25¢**
 Radium Lace Handkerchiefs, of very attractive and snappy appearance. Shown in flame, sky, jade, peach, apple green and China blue. Each **25¢**
 Crepe de Chine, All Silk Quality Handkerchiefs, hemstitched border and shown in all the newest shades. Each **20¢**
 Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, with tatted edge, in contrasting shade; something quite new and very attractive. Shown in grey, fawn, nut brown, red, canary, Nile, orchid and purple. Each **30¢**
 Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in plain colors, with self check designs and contrasting embroidered corners; a beautiful range to select from. Each **25¢**
 Gingham Design Handkerchiefs, some have all-over checks; others are white, with fancy gingham stripe borders; a fine quality, in good washing fast colors. Excellent values at **2¢** for **25¢**
 Colored Lawn Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched border and embroidered corners in contrasting colors; a large assortment of designs in the most popular colors. Each **15¢**

—Notions, Main Floor

French Ivory

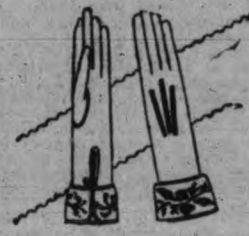
EASTER WEEK SPECIALS

The following list of remarkable values affords a special opportunity of selecting an additional article to your friends collection as an Easter Gift.

- French Ivory Hair Brushes, 25 only; \$4.75 values for **\$2.95**
 - French Ivory Hair Combs, 12 only; \$1.00 values for **55¢**
 - French Ivory Combs, 50 only; 75c values for **42¢**
 - French Ivory Hand Mirrors, bonnet shaped; 25 only; values \$5.75 to \$7.50 for **\$3.25** to **\$4.50**
 - French Ivory Pillar Clocks, 6 very handsome clocks; value \$6.75 for **\$4.25**
 - French Ivory Scissors, 20 pairs; \$1.25 value for **75¢**
 - French Ivory Buffers, 20 only; Special values at **\$1.00**
 - French Ivory Manicure Articles; files, cuticle knives, buttonhooks, etc.; 50c values for, each **25¢**
 - French Ivory Boudoir Lamps, each with globe and pretty shade. \$6.75 values **\$4.95** \$4.95 values **\$2.75**
 - French Ivory Perfume Bottles, 50 various designs; values to \$1.25 for, each **55¢**
 - French Ivory Puff Boxes; an excellent assortment to clear at **HALF PRICE**
- These are on view in our French Ivory Section. Make your choice early while they last.

Correct Gloves

Of Kid and Chamois to Complete the New Easter Costume
 Trefousse Glace Kid Gloves, regulation wrist length, two dome fasteners, oversewn seams, shown in shades of tan, brown, grey, beaver, mode, black and white. A pair **\$1.95**



- Trefousse Glace Kid Gloves, pique sewn, two dome fasteners; a splendid fitting glove in all the wanted shades. A pair **\$2.50**
- Trefousse French Suede Gloves, pique sewn, beautiful finish and perfect fitting gloves in grey, beaver, brown and black. A pair **\$2.50**
- Trefousse Glace Kid Gloves, made of soft pliable skins with two pearl dome fasteners and contrasting welt at wrist. Distinctive gloves in grey, brown, tan, mode, navy, black and white. A pair **\$2.95**
- Trefousse Novelty Kid Gloves, with short flare cuffs finished with chainstitch embroidery and harmonizing embroidered points. A very smart glove and an excellent value at, a pair **\$2.75**
- Trefousse Novelty Kid Gloves in all the newest cuff effects, turnback and short flare styles, handsome two tone silk embroidered points, pique sewn seams and in all the new Spring shades. Priced from, a pair, **\$3.75** to **\$5.25**
- Washable Chamois Leather Gloves, pique sewn. These are shown in two pearl button fastening or slipover gauntlet style in white or natural. A pair **\$2.50**

—Gloves, Main Floor

New Scarves for Eastertide

Silk Georgette Scarves shown in all the newest and most popular shades, 72x18 inches. Special, each **\$3.75**
 Crepe de Chine Scarves in plain and fancy designs, including black and white. Priced from, each **\$3.75** to **\$8.75**

—Neckwear, Main Floor

Women's Sweaters

Silk and Wool. New Designs for Easter **\$5.95**

Cardigans of silk and wool of superior grade and made from medium weight yarns; plain styles with perfect fitting sleeves and turnback cuffs. There is a neatly designed border at the bottom in silk and wool diamond effect of self shade. They have five-button fasteners and shades are cinder, white and sheepskin; sizes are 36, 38 and 40. Big value at **\$5.95**

Sweaters in pullover style in ribbed effect, with silk and wool turnback cuffs, convertible collar, bound with silk braid and fastened at neck with two small buttons. The bottom is a designed pattern of silk and wool, and shades are white, orange, cinder and sheepskin; sizes 36, 38 and 40. Very smart and fashionable. At **\$5.95**

—Sweaters, First Floor

New Curtain Fabrics For Spring

Now On Display In The Drapery Section "Nudrape" Mesh Casement



Colored Bordered Mesh Casement or English Marquissette, 42 inches wide, fast colored lace insertion borders in shades of rose, blue and gold on ivory ground. A dainty window curtaining. Special value, a yard, **85¢**

Lace Insertion, Bordered Mesh Casement Cloth, 42 and 45 inches wide. Fine quality double thread marquisette with lace net insertions and edges. A wide selection in ivory or ecru. A yard, **75¢** and **95¢**

Large Shipment of English Curtain Nets

Bungalow Nets, 42 inches wide and heavy texture. A serviceable net for, a yard **50¢**

Lace Net, 45 inches wide; a range of beautiful nets in small filet designs and shadow effects. A yard **65¢**

Lace Nets, 50 inches wide; extra fine grade and neat designs; a good selection. A yard, **\$1.00** and **\$1.10**

English Checklone Marquisette; a crossbar check fabric with pretty colored borders; a ground of white or ivory; 36 inches wide. Special, a yard **39¢**

—Drapery, Second Floor

Boys' Caps, \$1.25 to \$2.50

Boys' Caps in an assortment of fancy tweeds and velours in all the latest shades and patterns; the kind of cap that the boy who dresses smartly desires. Sizes range from 6 3/4 to 7. Prices **\$1.25** to **\$2.50**

—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor

Women's Undermuslins for Easter

Bloomers of pink or white nainsook with elastic waist and knees. All sizes, a pair **50¢**

Bloomers of strong check dimity, in white or pink. Splendid values, a pair **65¢**

New Stripe Satinette Bloomers, well made garments, in shades of orchid, pink, apricot and white. Pair **\$1.00**

Crepe Bloomers in plain and novelty weaves, single or double elastic knees. A pair, **95¢, \$1.25** and **\$1.49**
 Bloomers of strong cotton in natural shade, good wearing qualities, in all sizes. A pair **\$1.00**
 Outsize Bloomers of heavy quality broadcloth, in peach, orchid, brown and black. A pair **\$2.50**
 Envelope Chemise of white or pink nainsook, strap or built-up shoulders, finished with hemstitching or lace trimming. A fine assortment of styles. Special, each **95¢**
 Envelope Chemise in new designs of white nainsook, trimmed with Val. lace and fine embroidery. Priced from, each, **\$1.25** to **\$2.50**
 Corset Covers of fine nainsook in a variety of styles, trimmed with filet and Val. lace or embroidery, ribbon run. Sizes 36 to 50. Each, from **69¢** to **\$2.50**



—Whitewear, First Floor

Men's Sweaters For Easter Holidays

Pride of the West Cardigan Knit Sweater Coats with collars, medium weight with two pockets, all wool, shades fawn, heather and Oxford. Special, each **\$5.95**
 Brush Wool Sweater Coats, Pride of the West. They are collarless, have two pockets and correct weight for golfers or for sports wear; fawn shades. Very special, each **\$5.95**
 Pure Wool Sweater Coats, Pride of the West Brand, collarless and with two pockets; shown in marl or tweed shades. Great values, each **\$10.50**



—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

No-button Hatchway and Zimmerknit Underwear for Men

Spring Weights

Hatchway No-button Naincheck Combinations; athletic style. A suit **\$1.50**
 Hatchway No-button Natural Balbriggan Combinations, with short sleeves and ankle length. A suit **\$1.75**
 Hatchway No-button White Balbriggan Combinations; short sleeves and knee length. A suit **\$2.00**
 Zimmerknit Natural Balbriggan Combinations; three styles; short sleeves and knee; shore sleeves and ankle; long sleeves and ankle; all sizes. A suit **\$1.50**

—Men's Underwear, First Floor

MEN'S EASTER TIES

Art Silk Knit Ties, club and fancy stripes; great value. Each **50¢** to **\$1.00**
 Pure Silk Knit Ties in fancy and bar stripes. **\$1.00** to **\$2.00**
 The latest in Silk and Wool Crepe Ties, Mogodore stripe, pure silk, in club stripes and polka dots and plain shades. Each **50¢** to **\$2.00**
 New Elastic Bow Ties or Adjustable Sporting Bow Ties. Special, each **50¢**
 The newest Narrow Sports Ties, fancy stripes. These will not slip but stay tied. Special, each **75¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

First Consignment of the Season's Stock of Refrigerators Has Arrived

Our Stock of Refrigerators this season will afford you a large choice and values are especially good.
 Refrigerator No. 1031 is made of selected hardwood, in golden finish. It has five walls insulated with waterproof paper, cleanable flues, galvanized steel lined ice and provision chamber which is white enameled. Excellent value at **\$19.00**
 Refrigerator No. 1034 is very practical for the average household. The case is made of thoroughly season hardwood and in golden finish. It has five walls insulated with waterproof paper and dead air space, cleanable flues, ice chamber lined with galvanized steel; provision compartment has removable shelf and finished with white enamel. Price **\$24.50**
 Porcelain Lined Refrigerator, made of select hardwood in golden finish. It has five walls with air space, cleanable flues, large size ice chamber lined with galvanized steel and provision chamber with two removable wire shelves and balance porcelain lined. Each **\$55.00**

—Furniture, Second Floor

Specials for Tuesday

- Robin Hood or Five Roses \$2.48
- Flour, 40-lb. sack
- Rogers Syrup, 2-lb. can 16c
- Finest Rolled Oats, 7 lbs. 35c
- Kellogg's, 7 lbs. 35c
- Spaghetti, pkg. 15c
- Campanelli's Pork and Beans, 12c
- Life Buoy Soap, 2 for 15c
- Brain's Lankin Tea, 1-lb. pkt. 58c
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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Roller Skate

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 By HOWARD R. GARIS

When Uncle Wiggily limped down the stairs of his hollow stump bungalow one morning, he thought he would find the breakfast table set, and a pot of hot corn coffee steaming on the stove. And the rabbit gentlemen were much wished some hot corn coffee for he was lame from the rheumatism, and could hardly walk, to say nothing of jumping.

"But dear me! Something must be wrong with Nurse Jane!" said Mr. Longears to himself as he saw no table set, and heard no coffee bubbling in the pot. "What's the matter?" he called.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily! I'm so sorry!" moaned the voice of the musty lady housekeeper from up in her bedroom. "I'm so sorry, but I have such a dreadful headache that I can't come down to get your breakfast. You'll have to wait on yourself."

"I shall not mind that," spoke the bunny gentleman cheerfully. "But what about you? Hadn't I better call Dr. Possum to cure your head?"

"I would like Dr. Possum to come and give me some medicine if I can't get my head any better," spoke the musty lady.

"No trouble at all," said Uncle Wiggily, politely. "I'll call him on the telephone. But when he tried to call this the bunny uncle found that the telephone was broken, and wouldn't work. "No matter, I'll just go to Dr. Possum's office myself," said Longears. "Perhaps it will do my rheumatism good."

Though he could hardly move, so stiff was he, Mr. Longears started from his hollow stump bungalow, calling to Nurse Jane that he would go after the doctor because the telephone was broken.

As he stepped outside his hollow stump bungalow Uncle Wiggily saw a roller skate on the step. One lonely roller skate.

"Some of the animal children must have left that," said the bunny rabbit. "Now, if I had two roller skates I could glide on them down the hill from my bungalow to Dr. Possum's office, and tell him to hurry and cure Nurse Jane. But

what can I do with one roller skate? Wait a minute though. Seems to me I have seen Susie Littlelial glide along on one roller skate. I'll try it."

Mr. Longears put the skate on his left hind paw and gave himself a push with his right paw. He slid along, a little way, and he cried:

"Ah! This is great! I'll soon be at the doctor's office."

But all of a sudden the skate slipped off his paw and down he fell, bumping his pink, twinkling nose.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear!" sadly sighed the bunny, sitting up and rubbing several sore places. "I must have had the skate on the wrong paw. I'll try the other foot."

So he put the roller skate on his right hind paw and gave himself a push on the sidewalk with his left paw. For a few feet he went along beautifully. But, all of a sudden, the roller skate slid off his foot and down he went, ker-bunko, bumping his pink, twinkling nose again.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear!" sadly sighed the bunny, sitting up and rubbing his sore places. "I'm so lame and hurt, so, and yet I must get the doctor for Nurse Jane. Oh, why didn't they leave two roller skates instead of one? That's the trouble!"

Just then Uncle Wiggily saw a piece of board lying beside the path. That gave him an idea.

"I know what I can do!" he bravely cried. "I'll put the board on the skate and then I'll sit on the board. It will turn the roller skate into a little wagon. I will coast down the hill on it to Dr. Possum's office."

No sooner said than done! Uncle Wiggily put the board on the skate and then he sat on the board. He balanced himself carefully, gave himself a push, and down the hill he rolled just like a hoop.

Safely he reached Dr. Possum's office, and the doctor got out his auto for the ride back to the hollow stump bungalow, taking Uncle Wiggily with him.

"For we can't ride up hill on one roller skate," said Dr. Possum, laughing. He soon cured Nurse Jane's headache, and Uncle Wiggily's rheumatism was made better by his fall off the roller skate, which belonged to Johnnie Bushytail, the squirrel. So it all happened for the best, you see. And if the spoon doesn't jump out of the ice cream soda and try to dance with the lump of sugar, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Billie's snow.

MRS. COLIN CAMPBELL I.O.D.E. PRESIDENT FOR FOURTEENTH TERM

Winnipeg, April 6.—At the concluding session of the thirteenth annual meeting of the provincial I.O.D.E. Mrs. Colin Campbell was re-elected president for the fourteenth term.

Resolutions were passed inviting the 1927 national meeting of the order to Winnipeg, endorsing the proposal that the National Chapter meet bi-annually; urging the Federal Government to grant homesteads to British women and requesting the Dominion Government to deport all those writing or printing sedition literature and uttering or teaching such propaganda.

TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

TUESDAY, APRIL 7

This day's progress, according to the prevailing astral influences, may be furthered by remaining fairly quiet and refraining from the impulse to abrupt and unplanned change, removal or travel. There may be some slight setback or disappointment, but with care the financial outlook seems promising.

Those whose birthday it is, may have a rather quiet year, but a fairly successful one if they will postpone changes, removal and journeys and give proper attention to their affairs. The finances are favorably affected. A child born on this day should be assisted to curb a tendency to restlessness and changeableness.

Y.W.C.A. Board Meeting.—The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y.W.C.A. will be held on Thursday this week instead of Friday, owing to the regular meeting date falling on Good Friday.

CORNS

Relief in One Minute

Now!—get relief in one minute from corns, callouses and bunions with Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads. They remove the cause—friction and pressure. Thin, easy to apply, antiseptic, healing. Three sizes. Nothing so quick and sure. At your druggist or shoe dealer.

Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads
 "Put one on—the pain is gone!"

IN WOMAN'S TRAIN

OAK BAY COUPLE WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Fifty years of conjugal happiness will be quietly celebrated tomorrow by Mr. and Mrs. John C. Spinks of Quamichan Avenue Oak Bay, when they attain the golden anniversary of their wedding day.

Mr. and Mrs. Spinks were married in Manchester Cathedral, Manchester, England, April 7, 1875. They have been residents of Victoria for the past thirty years and since 1915 Mrs. Spinks has been a devoted member of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, holding the office of treasurer all that time.

There are two sons of the union. The elder, William Henry Spinks, is in Calgary, the younger General Chariton Watson Spinks has had a distinguished military career and is at present inspector-in-chief of the Egyptian army in which post he was brought into close association with the late Sir Leo Stack and General Lord Allenby.

POPULAR MEMBERS CITY TEMPLE WED

Nuptials Saturday of Miss Anne Smith and Hugh Duffield

A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday evening in the Congregational Church, when Anne Pearson Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, 816 Kings Road, and Hugh Duffield, son of Mrs. James Duffield, 824 Stafford Street, were united in marriage. Rev. Dr. Clem Smith, pastor of the City Temple, of which both young people have been active members for some time, officiated, and Ivor Blake presided at the organ. The church was a bower of foliage and Spring flowers, the decorations having been arranged by Mrs. Hoy and the girls of the Pilgrims' Bible Class, of which the bride was a member.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked lovely in a graceful gown of Ivory Canton crepe with the conventional veil and orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses. Attending her as bridesmaid was Miss Winnie Blecher, wearing a frock of pale blue crepe de Chine with hat of powder blue georgette, and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. Charles M. O'Neill supported the bride, while Mrs. Smith, mother of the bride, wore a gown of cocoa shade Canton crepe, and the bridegroom's mother a dress of silver crepe and georgette. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome suitcase, to the bridesmaid a bracelet, and to the best man gold cuff links.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, among the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Murlion and family, Miss Mary Atchison and Miss Dolly Broad, all of Vancouver.

The handsome three-tier wedding cake was the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Norrington of Norrington's Bakery, where the bride has been employed for the past five years. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, among which was a carving set presented by the Crusaders' Bible Class, to which the bridegroom has belonged for some years, also a fine damask tablecloth presented by the Pilgrims' Bible Class to the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Duffield left by the night boat for Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent prior to leaving for the northern part of the Province, where they expect to remain for five or six months.

Miss Gann to Address Authors.—Victoria and Island Branch Canadian Authors' Association will meet this evening in Victoria College, Craigdarroch, at 8 o'clock. Miss Gann, of the staff of Victoria College, will deliver a lecture on "Modern Tendencies in Recent Poetry."

China Inland Mission.—Rev. Charles Thomson will address the monthly meeting of the China Inland Mission at the Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday, April 7, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. David Horne, who have been spending in Victoria for several months in Victoria as guests at the Angela, are leaving to-day for Vancouver en route to their home in Winnipeg.

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Fahrul, who have been visiting in Victoria as the guests of the doctor's mother, Mrs. Fahrul, Oak Bay, left yesterday en route to their home in Winnipeg.

Mr. J. B. Malins, general manager of the Havoline Oil Company of Toronto, after spending the weekend in Victoria, left this afternoon for Seattle en route to his home in the East.

An interesting engagement announced in Vancouver is that of Patricia Louie, second daughter of Mr. G. H. Cowan, K.C., and Mrs. Cowan, 4870 Osler Avenue, and Mr. Aeneas McBean, Bell-Island, of Tientsin, China, and youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bell-Island, "The Strands," Harwood Street, Vancouver.

Dr. Bliss Carman, who was in Victoria over the week-end as the guest of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver where he will remain a few days before continuing his journey East. Dr. Carman has been wintering in California.

Friday evening the Civil Service Girls' Basketball Club were hostesses at one of their delightful dances at the Club Rooms, Menzies Street. Ray Kinloch's Orchestra supplied the excellent music. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Hopper and the Misses Ethel Brown, May Murray, Daniel, Myra Milby, Evelyn Florence, Winnie Ferriman, Alice Limmer, Dorothy Feden, Madeline Priestley, May and Kathleen Giesse, Gertrude Giesse, Jean McLachlan, Rita Hicks, Margaret Taylor, Nellie Catterall, Phyllis Nunn, Annie Crawford, Doris Morley, Margaret Fisher, C. Pasnor, Blanche Armour, Rita Humber, Elise Mekus and Edna Penty and Messrs. N. Taylor, Gordon Robson, Langton Plumb (Portland), B. Huxtable, A. Saunders, Bob Crawford, Alf Food, Tommy Catterall, Stafford Meldrum, Ralph Butler, Bud Hocking, Maurice Green, Stan Moore, Bert Butler, F. Hurley, Alfred Tripp, Walter Yeaman, Gordon Sward, Jack McCready, Carl Mills, Bill Auchincloss, Wilfred McGregor, L. Hooper, A. Wallace, T. Walker, A. Partridge, C. Homer and others.

V.O.N. TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of the local branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses will be held on Tuesday, April 7, at 2.30 p.m. at 424 Linden Avenue. There will be no more Lenten sewing meetings, the work allotted having been finished.

ITALIAN BEAUTY AND CHILDREN—Marchese Lay Spolina

is what the continental society, especially in Rome, where she makes her home. The Marchese is daughter of Commander C. E. Ella, who thirty years ago invented the deadly submarine mines. Her two children, are spoken of for their beauty.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Macara returned to Victoria on Saturday from a motor trip to Campbell River.

The Misses Turner of Windermere are spending a few weeks in Victoria as guests at Cherry Bank.

Mrs. H. Cowan of Cherry Bank is spending a week in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. George Walkem.

Dr. and Mrs. Wright and small daughter of Calgary are visiting in Victoria and are guests at Cherry Bank.

Mrs. Fred Robertson, B.C. of Shaughnessy Heights, Vancouver, spent a few days in Victoria at the end of the past week.

Mr. W. P. Dodge, who has been a guest at the Angela for the past three months, is leaving this week on a visit to Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugald Gillespie of "Highwood," Three Street, left on Saturday for a month's holiday in Europe.

Miss Mamie Fraser arrived yesterday from Stewart, B.C., and will spend some time visiting Mrs. McQuade, 1123 Rockland Avenue.

Mrs. Angus McKeown, who has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. P. Scott and Mrs. Frank Gow in Vancouver, returned to the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hirsch, after spending a few days in Victoria, have returned to their home in Vancouver.

Mr. Dabry McKill, after spending a few days in Victoria, returned to Vancouver Saturday and will leave shortly to resume his work at Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Martin, who have been guests at the Empress Hotel for the past few weeks, are returning to-day to their home in Stewart.

Mr. J. S. Maxwell, manager of the Western Canada Flour Mills Co., at Brandon and Mrs. Maxwell, who have been spending the winter in Victoria, started for their home to-day.

Mr. R. F. McLaren, who has been a guest of his mother, Mrs. J. R. McLaren, Logan Avenue, is returning to-day via Portland to his home in Helena, Montana.

Among the passengers on the Empress of Canada inbound from the Orient this morning was Lady Severn, wife of the secretary of the Colony at Hongkong, who is on her way to England.

Mrs. Oswald Pearson of Killiney, Ontario, has arrived in the city to spend the Easter holidays with her sons, Messrs Vincent and Hugh Pearson, who are attending Brantwood College.

Mrs. Smith of Edmonton, who has been visiting in Victoria for several weeks, has left accompanied by her daughter, Miss Nancy Smith of St. Margaret's School, for Westholme to spend the Easter holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Horne, who have been spending in Victoria for several months in Victoria as guests at the Angela, are leaving to-day for Vancouver en route to their home in Winnipeg.

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Fahrul, who have been visiting in Victoria as the guests of the doctor's mother, Mrs. Fahrul, Oak Bay, left yesterday en route to their home in Winnipeg.

Mr. J. B. Malins, general manager of the Havoline Oil Company of Toronto, after spending the weekend in Victoria, left this afternoon for Seattle en route to his home in the East.

An interesting engagement announced in Vancouver is that of Patricia Louie, second daughter of Mr. G. H. Cowan, K.C., and Mrs. Cowan, 4870 Osler Avenue, and Mr. Aeneas McBean, Bell-Island, of Tientsin, China, and youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bell-Island, "The Strands," Harwood Street, Vancouver.

Dr. Bliss Carman, who was in Victoria over the week-end as the guest of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver where he will remain a few days before continuing his journey East. Dr. Carman has been wintering in California.

Friday evening the Civil Service Girls' Basketball Club were hostesses at one of their delightful dances at the Club Rooms, Menzies Street. Ray Kinloch's Orchestra supplied the excellent music. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Hopper and the Misses Ethel Brown, May Murray, Daniel, Myra Milby, Evelyn Florence, Winnie Ferriman, Alice Limmer, Dorothy Feden, Madeline Priestley, May and Kathleen Giesse, Gertrude Giesse, Jean McLachlan, Rita Hicks, Margaret Taylor, Nellie Catterall, Phyllis Nunn, Annie Crawford, Doris Morley, Margaret Fisher, C. Pasnor, Blanche Armour, Rita Humber, Elise Mekus and Edna Penty and Messrs. N. Taylor, Gordon Robson, Langton Plumb (Portland), B. Huxtable, A. Saunders, Bob Crawford, Alf Food, Tommy Catterall, Stafford Meldrum, Ralph Butler, Bud Hocking, Maurice Green, Stan Moore, Bert Butler, F. Hurley, Alfred Tripp, Walter Yeaman, Gordon Sward, Jack McCready, Carl Mills, Bill Auchincloss, Wilfred McGregor, L. Hooper, A. Wallace, T. Walker, A. Partridge, C. Homer and others.

FRENCH CHAUSONS HAVE STRONG APPEAL

Madame Sanderson-Mongin's Address Illustrated by Programme

The final lecture of the series of four arranged by L'Alliance Franco-Canadienne given in Victoria College on Saturday evening by Madame Sanderson-Mongin who was introduced by the president, Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie. Her delightful subject "The Chansons de France," made of this lecture the gayest and most brilliant of the entire Winter session. In her happiest manner Madame held up for the admiration of her audience, the divine gift of music, particularly of song, which dwells in each and every one with comforting grace. The shading and technique of the trained singers, the marriage and funeral chants of the early Greeks have been perpetuated in the choros of the Greeks, but of the Romans, who celebrated their feasts in song, no records are to be had.

Madame cited many quaint examples of songs with haunting, recurring refrains, referring to the "Chansons de Roland" made by the medieval troubadours, the Chanson de Renon, and the Wanderling Jew with its twenty-four couplets.

Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake illustrated the semi-pathetic songs of the Crusades by singing "Malbruc s'en va ten Quere" the melody of which as preserved and sung by the Arabs was recognized by Napoleon's army in Egypt. Mrs. Drake sang also a poem of the Middle Ages set to modern music. These songs were enthusiastically received. Mary Stuart's farewell to France with gallant songs of Henry IV's reign were touched upon. Madame Sanderson-Mongin gave an inimitable rendering of a curious old song for which Mrs. A. J. Gibson had composed a most suitable melody.

Miss Maraquita Nichol's fresh sweet young voice was heard with charming effect in "Cecelia," an old song of France Canada, brought over in the Seventeenth Century and also in the true version of "A. clair de lune." A curious connection was shown between the old French song "On the Shores of the Seine," which is sung in Canada as "A. la claire fontaine."

To illustrate the artificial simplicity of the Eighteenth Century, Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake sang three little songs by Shepherdesse. These proved very delightful. Mrs. Drake was accompanied with much grace by Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie. Songs of the Nineteenth Century were particularly droll and sometimes risque. Those in Napoleon's day show the love and reverence of the people, the patriotic love of the Provinces and the picturesque part played by the Vivandieres was sung by Mrs. Aubrey Jones with much spirit. Mrs. Jones also sang a popular war song, to which the poet in the Great War marched to victory, as the British marched singing "Tipperary."

The lecture concluded with the singing by Mrs. P. G. Aldon of Victor Hugo's charming poem "La Vie," set to music by a modern composer, and extremely beautiful and well sung. Madame Sanderson-Mongin warmly thanked for her highly entertaining evening by M. Georges Halet in a particularly graceful speech in which he complimented

the singers to whom so much of the enjoyment was due and the very able and sympathetic accompanists, Mrs. A. J. Gibson and Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie.

On Friday a most enjoyable afternoon was spent at the Banquet of the Federation Movement, London, England, at the home of Mrs. P. M. Campbell, 889 Hampshire Road. The programme was rendered in which the following took part: Solo by Miss Johnston, Miss Welch, Mrs. H. B. Bowers, Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Hebdon; recitations by Miss Hayman and Miss Ruth Peterson, Durbin and Mrs. Parsons. Those on the reception committee were Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. McEwan. Mrs. Gale and Mrs. McEwan poured tea, the tea-cups being read by Mrs. Routledge. Besides numerous gifts which were tabulated by Mrs. Leung and Miss Ensor, a goodly sum was donated.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cave, 1129 Hollywood Crescent, on Wednesday evening entertained for the twenty-first birthday of her daughter, Miss Ethel Cave. Novelty dancing was given by Professor Larmen's orchestra. The rooms were decorated with carnations, daffodils and irises. Among the present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cummings, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. H. Blake, Mrs. Poulton, Miss Ivy Renon, Miss Hazel Fisher, Miss Gilbert, George Edwardson, Bud Fisher, Martin Cave, Vincent Cave, Clarence Fleish, Bert Lashmore, Alec McKenzie and Reg. Wood.

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Men's Smartly Tailored Chesterfield Coats, of all wool Cheviot, in a serviceable clerical grey. Made in button-fly front style with set-in sleeves. Lined with strong black sateen; sizes 36 to 42. **\$22.50**

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Made from good quality percale in a variety of neat patterns. Cut in coat style with stiff neck band and double cuffs; all sizes. Price **\$1.79**

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One of this season's most popular fabrics for Spring wear. Shown in rope stripe designs on ivory ground. Coat style with stiff neck band and double cuffs; all sizes. Price **\$1.95**

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Shown in a good selection of dressy patterns, coat style, with double cuffs; all sizes. Price **\$2.50**

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"Forayth" Shirts, made from Irish balloon cloth, in colors of mauve, blue, white and ecru, coat style, with double cuffs and stiff neck band; has separate collar; all sizes. Price **\$3.50**



Hudson's Bay Company

MANY VISITORS AT METCHOSIN SHOW

Prize-winners at Bulb and Spring Flower Exhibit

Special to The Times
Metchosin, April 6.—A very successful bulb and Spring flower show was held in the Metchosin Hall on Friday afternoon, the 3rd inst., under the auspices of the Metchosin Women's Institute. There was a very good attendance, and several visitors from Victoria. The show was opened by the Rev. F. Comley, vicar of the Metchosin and Sooke parishes. Following is the list of prize-winners:
Daffodils, long trumpet, yellow—1, Miss Higgs; 2, Mrs. Taylor; 3, Mr. H. G. Pierce.
Long trumpet, white and yellow—1, Miss Higgs; 2, Mrs. Howard; 3, Mrs. Beckingham.
Medium trumpet, yellow—1, Mrs. Howard; 2, Mr. H. Gentile; 3, Terry McCrelight.
Short trumpet—1, Mrs. Howard; 2, T. McCrelight; 3, Mrs. Rising.
Double daffodils—1, Mrs. Howard; 2, Mrs. Beckingham; 3, Mrs. Taylor.
Collection of daffodils—1, Mrs. Beckingham; 2, Mrs. Higgs; 3, Mrs. J. H. Smart.
Narcissus poeticus—1, Miss Galloway; 2, Mrs. Taylor.
Narcissus polyanthus—1, Mrs. H. Baynes; 2, Mrs. Beckingham.
Narcissus, double white—1, Mrs. Beckingham; no second.
Narcissus, double yellow—1, Mrs. Howard; 2, Mrs. Beckingham.
Narcissus, any other variety or color—1, Mrs. Baynes; 2, T. McCrelight; 3, Lady Emily Walker.
Jonquils—1, Mrs. Beckingham; 2, Mrs. Witty; 3, Mrs. Howard.
Tulips, early flowering—1, Mrs. Higgs; 2, Mrs. Bradford; 3, Mrs. J. M. Milne.
Hyacinths—1, Mrs. Baynes.
Collection hyacinths—1, Mrs. J. M. Milne.
Graps hyacinths—1, Mrs. Witty; 2, Mrs. Beckingham; 3, Mrs. F. A. Pearce.
Collection primroses—1, Mrs. Taylor.
Collection violets—1, Mr. Bradford; 2, Mrs. Taylor.
Collection bulbs—1, Miss Higgs; 2, Valerie Ellwood; 3, Mrs. H. Baynes.
Collection Spring flowers—1, Mrs. Taylor; 2, Mrs. Comley; 3, Mrs. A. Munckton.
Best buttonhole—1, Mrs. Ellwood; 2, Beth Ellwood.

Best bouquet—1, Enid Ellwood; 2, Valerie Ellwood.

Foliage house plant—1, Mrs. F. Comley; 2, Mrs. J. Saltmarsh; 3, Mrs. Rising.

Flowering house plant—1, Mrs. F. Comley; 2, Miss Bertrand; 3, Mr. H. G. Pierce.

Collection house plants—1, Mrs. F. Comley.

Special prize to youngest exhibitor—Elizabeth Leonardt.

Fern in pot—1, William Milne; 2, Kenneth Sellers; 3, Lynn Gadden.

Collection of Spring flowers from school garden—1, Valerie Ellwood; 2, Stanley Witty; 3, David Roberts.

Collection of bulbs—1, Valerie Ellwood; 2, Ronald Weir; 3, Enid Ellwood.

Lady's buttonhole—1, Katherine Milne; 2, Eileen Thain; 3, Esther Roberts.

Gent's buttonhole—1, Desmond Bradford; 2, Norma Weir.

Nanoose Bay News

Special to The Times
Nanoose Bay, April 6.—The whist drive held at Red Gap on Thursday evening by the Straths Pastime Club was very successful. Mrs. George Roscoe carried off the ladies' prize and Mr. Wayne Pendleton the gentlemen's. Consolation prizes were given to Mrs. Hayes and Mr. George Roscoe.
Miss Payne of Vancouver, who has been the guest of Mrs. Alex. McKenzie, Island Highway, has gone to spend a few weeks at Chemaluis.
The many friends of Mrs. Harold Park of Powder Point will be pleased to hear she has been able to leave the Nanaimo Hospital, where she has been a patient for the past six weeks.
Rev. J. Stevenson and Mrs. Stevenson of Vancouver have charge of the Nanoose Mission Church in the absence of Mrs. Campbell Brown, who is on a business trip to the Okanagan.
Mr. Joe Costella who has been a resident of Nanoose for several years

has left to take up residence on the mainland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doran and son Jimmy, are spending a few days at Nanaimo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Doran Sr.

NANAIMO BOWLERS BEAT NANOOSE TEAM

Special to The Times
Nanoose Bay, April 6.—Following are the bowling results in the games between the Pastime Club of Nanaimo and the Powder Point team, the Nanaimo club being victors:

Pastime Club		
E. Sedola	151	138
C. Loor	165	145
J. Lobley	152	137
T. Koula	115	115
J. Waring	159	142
Total	732	677

Powder Point		
B. Wood	121	136
A. Erickson	127	125
E. Edmunds	169	145
H. Valley	183	138
W. Thatcher	109	159
Total	719	712

PUPILS' CONCERT AT DUNCAN IS ENJOYED

Special to The Times
Duncan, April 6.—The demonstration given by the Grade 1 pupils of the Public School, on Friday afternoon, under Mrs. Ruffell, proved conclusively that the modern methods of teaching these tiny tots is excellent and produces splendid results in a short time.
Mrs. Ruffell explained the "Intelligence Test" which is being used largely now and which trains the pupil to observe and think for himself. Music too is another important factor.
Great credit is due to Mrs. Ruffell for giving the parents this opportunity of seeing their children at work in school and the methods used in their training.
The little ones giving solos were Doris Fox Margaret West Patricia Murray Marjorie Wallace Eileen Ford Bert Kyle Don Purver and Francis Potts.
"Yes, my daughter's taking singing lessons abroad."
"Jolly thoughtful of her, too!"

New Dress Crepes and Voiles

Dress Crepes
A semi-rough fabric in plain colors that is particularly suited for outdoor attire. Will wear and wash splendidly and make up into very charming frocks. Shown in all the newest shades; 35 inches wide. Per yard **98¢**

Silk Check Crepes
Dainty in weave and soft in texture. Choose from rose, apricot, coral, jade, ivory and mauve; 35 inches wide. Per yard **98¢**

Novelty Rayon Silk Crepes
The vogue for crepe weaves is decidedly strong. We are showing this crepe in a full range of new and wanted shades and recommend it highly for dainty dresses. Colors include sky, honeydew, mauve, pink, grey, sand, almond and yellow; 35 inches wide. Per yard **\$1.50**

Swiss Satin Stripes Voiles
A rich, shimmering voile of exceptional beauty for dresses, overblouses or lingerie. The lovely new colors for Spring include coral, grey, jade, tan and mauve; 35 inches wide. Per yard **\$1.75**

Novelty Swiss Voiles
Heavily embroidered in the most winsome color variations. Rose, navy, helle and grey are represented in combination with other shades; 36 inches wide. Per yard **\$1.98**

Extra Outsizes in Women's Underwear

Vests 79¢
In fine knit cotton, tubular finish, built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Extra outsizes. Price **79¢**

Vests \$1.25
In fine silk, built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Extra outsizes. Price **\$1.25**

Combinations \$1.50
In fine knit cotton, built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Extra outsizes. Price **\$1.50**

Women's Spring Underwear

Vests 29¢
Knit Cotton Vests with strap shoulders; sizes 34 to 42. Price **29¢**

Vests 39¢
With strap shoulders or short sleeves; sizes 34 to 46. Price **39¢**

Vests 49¢
Opera or built-up strap shoulders, plain or ribbed, plain or crochet tops; sizes 36 to 42. Price **49¢**

Vests 89¢
Fine knit cotton, tubular finish, opera top, built-up shoulders or short sleeves; sizes 34 to 44. Price **89¢**

Bloomers 59¢
Durable Quality Knit Cotton Bloomers, full-cut garments with gusset, in shades of mauve, pink and peach; also white and black; sizes 36 to 46. Price **59¢**

Bloomers \$1.25
Fine Lisle Bloomers, reinforced full cut. Shown in platinum, pink and sage; also white. Price **\$1.25**

Combinations \$1.75
Fine Lisle Combinations with strap shoulders, light or wide knee; sizes 36 to 44. Price **\$1.75**

Hudson's Bay Purity Groceries

Demonstration of Del Monte Brand Canned Goods Now in Progress

Del Monte Brand Small White Asparagus, per tin 47¢, 3 tins for **\$1.35**
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Robertson's Golden Shred Marmalade, 12-oz. jar **25¢**

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Pascale's Dainty Novelty, containing chocolate eggs and chicks. Each **25¢, 30¢, 35¢, 40¢ and 50¢**
Pascale's Woodward Nests, containing chocolate eggs and chicks, **40¢ and 50¢**
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Although fashioned in the very latest styles, just as correct as any seen in the Style Shops of London or New York, these New Spring Frocks, Suits and Coats are priced extremely low. From our large and well assorted collection you may select with the utmost confidence—confident that the styles are right and confident that you are receiving full value for your money.



Novelty Sports Frocks at \$15.00
Straight line models in stripe and check flannel, with side trimmings of buttons and crossway bands of material, some having smart little tailored pockets. They show the new wide patent and suede leather belts, in all the newest colors; sizes 16 to 20. **\$15.00**

New Sports Frocks of Kashmir and Broadcloth Flannel
New One-piece Frocks, in the new kashmir and broadcloth flannel. They are well tailored in a variety of new plaids, over checks and stripes, with collars and cuffs in plain, contrasting shades. Others are in plain colors, with skirts in an effect of Roman stripes. Some fasten from neck to hem, with pearl or metal buttons; others show V necks, turnover or two-way collars. Choice of jade, alcazar, new blue, bisque and others; sizes 16 to 38. Price **\$25.00**
Other styles in sports frocks, from **\$7.95 to \$14.95**

New Tweed Coats at \$25.00
These coats are man-tailored on the very latest lines. They have slightly fitting fronts with breast and side pockets, loose backs with strap. Tailored sleeves with turn-back cuffs shoulders well lined. Shown in new tweeds of black and white and brown and white effects; sizes 16 to 40. Price **\$25.00**

Knitted Wool Frocks at \$7.95
They are knitted in two-tone effect on straight lines, with narrow belt at waist, have V necks and small turnover collar in contrasting shades with cuffs to match. Shown in brown, cocoa, navy, camel and light blue; sizes 16 to 42. **\$7.95**
Other styles in knitted dresses, in all wool and wool and silk mixture, **\$6.95 to \$25.00**

Slenderizing Coat Styles for Large Women

Being straight of line, these New Spring Coats for large women, have a decided slenderizing effect. They are finished from the newest materials such as charmeen, tricotine, poiret twills, etc. Have loose sleeves and crushable collars trimmed with military and soutache braid and novelty buttons. Colors include seal brown, navy, slate grey and black; sizes 42 to 46. Price **\$45.00**

Silk and Wool Knitted Suits, \$19.95
These new suits for Spring are shown in a fine silk and wool mixture, both light in weight and warm. The coats are double breasted with front in plaid effect and collar rolling to waistline; plain and ample skirts. Shown in combination shades of navy and silver, black and grey, brown and sand; sizes 16 to 40. Price **\$19.95**



Easter Millinery

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A pleasant surprise awaits you if you haven't visited our Millinery Department during the last few days. Hundreds of new and charming hats have been added to our displays, including a large number of smartly trimmed Ready-to-wear Hats in tanzel, Milan, vicca and hemp straws. Small roll-up brims, wide drooping brims and cloche-fitting styles that are shown with trimmings of tailored bows, silk scarves or fancy ribbon rosettes. Prices from **\$1.95 to \$5.75**

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matrons. Moderately priced at **\$5.75**

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In black patent leather, cut-out design with gore effect, full Spanish heel, all sizes. Price **\$9.50**
Another Pleasing Model
The opera style pumps with cut-out vamp, in black kid or patent leather; Baby Spanish heels. All sizes. Price **\$9.75**

Patent Leather Lace Pumps
In the latest French "Thong" pattern; a Roman cut-out tie effect with medium Spanish heels. All sizes. Price **\$9.50**
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In the new "Thong" pattern, with medium Spanish heels. All sizes. Price **\$10.00**

Fashionable New Scarves for Easter Wear

Figured Silk Scarves
In bright coloring, finished with silk fringe at ends. Priced at **\$4.50**

Black and White Crepe de Chine Scarves
In block designs, finished with long silk fringe at ends. Priced at **\$5.00**

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In colors of blue and tan, henna and brown, black and red, finished with long fringe at ends. Price **\$6.75**

Novelty Handkerchiefs Introducing New Colors

Heavy Quality Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs
With allover designs; also in plain colors with hemstitched borders. Shown in jade, helle, navy, maize, coral, sky, brown, peach and beige. Price **50¢**

Crepe de Chine and Silk Handkerchiefs
Crepe de Chine, China Silk and Radium Silk Handkerchiefs with scalloped borders, plain or printed centres, all over designs. Price **25¢**

Pre-Easter Blouse Sale

New Overblouses, Values to \$5.95 for \$2.98
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COMMERCE CHAMBER ELECTION THIS MONTH

Committee to Handle Election Approved by Directors To-day

Officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be named this month in accordance with the constitution. The election will be on the same grounds as last year. The general membership will name the directors. The directors will name

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A roof fire at 1470 Rockland Avenue gave the fire department a run at 10 a.m. yesterday. The damage was slight.

An unidentified Chinaman found lying injured at the scene of a motor accident on the Coal Creek Hill, Books, yesterday, was taken to hospital by F. E. Harris.

B. S. Heisterman, C. Hoard, A. Humphreys, C. H. Harrison, A. R. Heiter and W. H. Munroe were visitors at the meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce to-day.

The weekly dance of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association will be held at the Fraser Street headquarters to-night, with dancing to take place between 8.30 and 11.30 p.m.

A meeting of the Graduate Nurses' Association will be held next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Alexandra Club, Pemberton Building. Dr. C. Wace will be the speaker of the evening.

Dr. Charles G. D. Roberts, the well-known Canadian author who is now making a lecture tour of the Dominion, is expected in Victoria on April 23, according to advices received in the city.

Miss Margaret Clay, president of the B. C. Librarians' Association, has written the City Council urging the advisability of extending an invitation to the American Library Association to visit Victoria when holding their annual convention in Seattle on July 6-10.

J. P. Forde, district engineer of the Public Works Department in Victoria, will tell members of All Victoria branches of the Engineering Institute of Canada at Victoria College, Wednesday, at 8 p.m., about the new drydock at Esquimalt. Lantern slides will illustrate the lecture.

Members of the 67th Battalion, Westland, were reminded of the Dominion dinner to be held at the Dominion Hotel next Saturday night at 7 o'clock. This dinner is to commemorate the month anniversary of the evacuation leaving Victoria for France.

A meeting of the Oak Bay Municipal Voters' League will take place to-night at 8 o'clock in the Municipal hall to which all residents of the municipality are invited. It is understood that questions of great importance to the welfare of Oak Bay will be discussed.

A decree absolute with custody of the child was granted Albert Reginald Manser in the divorce action brought by the petitioner against Ivy F. M. Manser before Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald in Supreme Court this morning. E. H. McPhee appeared for the petitioner in the undefended action.

A general meeting of the Spanish Liberal Association will be held to-night at Marigold Hall at 8 o'clock for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the convention which will be held on April 23 for the purpose of choosing a candidate for the next Dominion election. All Liberals of Spanish are invited to attend.

The tariff of Port Warden fees should be uniform in all British Columbia ports. E. Hawken, Deputy Minister of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, stated to the Chamber of Commerce directors in a letter received to-day. He enclosed a copy of the fees in force at Vancouver.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, informed directors of the Chamber of Commerce to-day in further letter regarding the prohibition of goods packed in straw entering Canada that the regulations could not be relaxed. He pointed out that disease in Texas cost the U.S. Government \$4,000,000 or \$7,000,000 besides practically killing their trade activities, for many months.

Following a series of thefts reported from automobile owners and suburban stores ten boys of juvenile age have been rounded up by the police for investigation in connection with the thefts. They will appear before Magistrate Jay in the city juvenile court this week, following arrests made last night. Two automobiles and a quantity of tobacco and candy were reported stolen.

At the last annual meeting of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association, the following amendment was made to the constitution, allowing recording at reduced rates to those who have not previously been recorded in the Canadian National Live Stock Records. The amendment reads as follows: "That the fee for registering whole flocks which have been registered in American Flock Records recognized by the Canadian National Live Stock Records, be \$50 registration regardless of age, providing such were registered in the American Flock Record prior to January 1, 1925. This privilege expires January 1, 1925."

Delegates from the governing body of the Order in Canada, the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of British America, after a convention in Vancouver from July 20 to 26; will be visiting informally here for two or three days. The announcement was made here yesterday by Mr. W. T. Jago, Provincial field secretary of the British Columbia Grand Lodge, who is here in connection with matters affecting his organization. After an interval of seventeen years the governing body will be on the Coast under its grand master, Hon. W. J. Edwards, M.D. former member of the Federal Cabinet.

Prompt action of Ray Rickinson, a passerby, averted on Saturday afternoon what might have been a serious clash between a Chinese laundry truck and the noon passenger train of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway at Wilson Street, Victoria. The truck was almost astride the tracks when the train appeared at a level crossing. Mr. Rickinson signalled the engineer, who applied the brakes and almost brought the train to a standstill almost at the moment of collision. The Chinese driver of the truck was slightly out of the body and fainted from the shock. He was rushed to hospital by passing motorists. The truck was damaged.

An organ recital will be given at St. John's Church on Monday, April 13, at 8 p.m., when Mrs. Harry Briggs, soprano, and Mrs. King, contralto, will assist.

PATTULLO CUTS LAND PRICES, INTERIOR BUOYANT AS SETTLERS MOVE TO BRING IN NEW SETTLERS

Hon. J. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, returned to his office this morning from Penticton where he had been visiting the Government Irrigation Project at Oliver.

The Minister reports the settlers just as enthusiastic as ever as to the future of the district.

"The buoyant spirit of the community is most gratifying," said the Minister. "The people there have the most unshakable faith in the future of the district; all that is required are more settlers."

As an inducement to encourage further settlement in the district the price of the land has been reduced twenty-five per cent; no interest to be collected for the first two years and only half interest for the next three years deferred interest to be funded over a further period of fifteen years; on principal a payment of twenty per cent, cash is requested on April 23, and no further payment of principal for ten years, when the balance

THEUNIS CABINET RESIGNS IN BELGIUM

Brussels, April 6.—Premier Theunis handed to the King yesterday morning the resignation of the Cabinet. The King asked the Premier to continue until a new Cabinet could be formed.

Parliamentary elections were held yesterday throughout Belgium. The returns in the district of the King were such that the Socialists were making most of the gains. They appeared to have won ten seats while the Liberals lost six or seven seats.

ASK PRIORITY FOR CARNIVAL AT CRYSTAL GARDENS

Mayor Pendray Urges Claims of Carnival Committee on Basil Gardom

Mayor Carl Pendray and the carnival committee this morning discussed with Basil Gardom, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the system of operation of the Crystal Gardens during the opening days of the Victoria's Crystal Garden Carnival.

Chairman Russell Kemp, David Leacock, Capt. J. W. Kemp, Alfred Carnichael and Manager Winkel composed the delegation supporting Mayor Pendray. Their arguments were directed towards incorporation, in any lease between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the operators of the garden, of a clause requiring a satisfactory arrangement be made with the Carnival Committee for their July week of celebrations.

Mr. Gardom, in a practical sympathy with the arguments placed before him and promised Mayor Pendray a definite answer in the course of the week.

Mr. Gardom made an appointment with Mayor Pendray for a tour of the Empress Hotel grounds, to see the site for the proposed site of the Bellvue and Douglas Streets, for which work the C.P.R. had declined to surrender a few feet of garden.

Members of the Gyro Club were guests of the Gyro Salvage Company at luncheon to-day on the new salvage ship, the Gyro King, which is being towed to the city by the Gyro Harold Elworthy, secretary of the company, took the Gyros in tow and after regaling them with the best of the ship's galley took them above and below decks and showed them the many interesting points of the new ship.

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Former Seattle Detective to Ask Speedy Hearing, it is Understood

According to Provincial police authorities to-day, Ross Watson, formally committed for trial by higher court on a charge of being implicated in the bank robbery hearing, will appear in County (criminal) Court at that city to-morrow.

The accused, who was formerly a detective in the Seattle police force, will ask speedy trial, it is understood. The prosecution, as far as could be ascertained to-day, will oppose any motion for trial except by judge and jury at the regular sessions of the Spring Assizes.

MURDER HEARING THIS WEEK

A. M. Johnson, K.C., Crown counsel in the bank robbery hearing, will return from Nanaimo at the conclusion of to-morrow's hearing in time to open the preliminary trial of Paul Stromberg, charged with complicity in the Beryl G. Blacking, in this city this week. The murder hearing will not take place before Thursday, it is expected.

The regular monthly session of the Sanjour School Board will be held at the Royal Oak Municipal Hall on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Nelson Harkness will be the speaker at the Kiwanis Club luncheon to-morrow, the entertainment feature has not been divulged by the Kiwanis Club and his entertainment committee.

The regular educational meeting of the Women's Liberal-Conservative Club will be held in the association's rooms, Campbell Building, on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Miss Brown will read a paper on "Women's Citizenship."

WANTS SEALING INDUSTRY BACK AGAIN

Alderman Todd Brings Resolution Before Chamber of Commerce

Directors on Record as Opposed to Treaty Renewal

A resolution aimed to throw open the sealing industry again was brought before the Chamber of Commerce directors to-day by Alderman A. E. Todd, who voiced an earnest plea against the renewal of the treaty keeping closed the sealing grounds to hunters. The resolution, which was held over for further discussion, read as follows:

"Whereas the Pelagic Sealing Treaty expires next year; and whereas, prior to the treaty, sealing was an important British Columbia industry, employing large numbers of white men and Indians, and adding materially to the prosperity of the Pacific Coast, and it is desirable that the industry shall be renewed;

And further, it is desirable that any industry training and accustoming young men to a hardy, seafaring life shall be encouraged;

Therefore, be it resolved, that the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce go on record as being opposed to the renewal of the said treaty, and that the Dominion Government be communicated with and requested not to renew the said treaty, and that notice of such termination be served upon the other parties to the treaty, such notice, at the expiration of fourteen years, as provided by the treaty, being twelve months in advance of the expiry date.

"And that it be resolved, that communications requesting support, be forwarded to Victoria's representatives in both the House of Commons and in the Senate."

VICTORIA TYPIST SECOND IN CONTEST

Miss Irene Plowman Took Honors in Canadian Intermediate Competition

Toronto, April 6.—In a typewriting contest held to-day in the Canadian championship, held simultaneously Saturday night in Toronto, Brockville, Victoria, Vancouver and Calgary, the results in the four latter points being reported to Vancouver judges here by telegraph, Miss Florence Wilkins of Toronto, carried off the senior honors, writing 105 words a minute for fifteen minutes. Miss Irma Wright, Toronto, was second with ninety-nine words, and Miss Rita Spencer, Toronto, fourth, with ninety-six words.

James McNally, Toronto, captured the intermediate honors with seventy-six words a minute and Miss Irene Plowman, Victoria, second, with seventy-two words.

Miss Wright won the highest distinction in the one-minute contest, writing 115 words.

Miss Ruth Moore, Toronto, won the accuracy contest, writing seventy-two words a minute for fifteen minutes without a mistake.

George Hosfield, four times world champion typist, in an exhibition, wrote 157 words in a minute from rapid dictation.

WHICH VACCINATION OBJECTORS MOVE IN VANCOUVER

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VICTORIA AFFIDAVITS

A telegram from Victoria was read which contained the information that the City Council of the Island centre had opened a special office in the City Hall where conscientious objectors to vaccination might obtain affidavits free of charge.

Chairman Copestake stated he knew of no other affidavits for conscientious objectors.

IN NEW WESTMINSTER

New Westminster, April 6.—Children of the public and high schools of New Westminster will come under the order of compulsory vaccination for smallpox following a decision arrived at between the Board of School Trustees and Dr. D. A. Clark, medical health officer.

The order states that to continue attendance at school each pupil must either have been vaccinated within the past two years, produce a certificate of physical unfitness for vaccination, or produce a parent's affidavit of conscientious objection.



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OBITUARY

The death took place yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital of Jesse Barton, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus John Smith, of 311 Mary Street, Victoria. Besides her parents and her brother aged four years, funeral services will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel to-morrow at 2 o'clock and interment will be at Ross Bay cemetery.

The death occurred this morning at the Jubilee Hospital of Anton Wadon, aged seventy years. He was born in Norway and had been a resident of British Columbia for thirty years, coming to this city two years ago. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Norman Wright of Sidney are mourning the loss of their one-day-old daughter, Daphne Wright. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will be held.

Andrew Alexander Cox of Patricia Bay, passed away yesterday, aged 63 years. A native of Scotland, he survived by five children, Stuart and Lawrence Cox, of Sidney, Miss Helen Victoria, of Victoria, Miss Margaret Cox of Vancouver, and Douglas Cox of Esquimalt; one brother, William Cox, at Bridgeton, Ontario, and a sister, Mrs. Cowie of Cleveland, Ohio. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of William Moyle, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Wednesday, took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The presence of many friends testified to the high esteem in which the late Mr. Moyle was held. Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell officiated and the hymns sung were "Blessed Assurance" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Messrs. Fred Hancock, Her-

bert Pearce, P. Archard, T. Jarvis, J. Nolan and James Wilcocks acted as pallbearers. The remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak burial park.

The funeral of the late George Lovatt took place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros' funeral home. A large number of friends attended the service and by their floral tributes gave testimony to the esteem in which the late Mr. Lovatt was held by his many friends. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick conducted the service, after which the remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay cemetery, where the following friends acted as pallbearers: G. Kirk, V. Morrow, F. Ormiston, D. C. McKennis, W. Laurison and A. E. Jones.

A Nova Scotian barrister, in the person of Arthur Reginald Lilly, received call and admission to the B.C. bar to-day before Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald. Harold B. Robertson, K.C., introduced Mr. Lilly, who will practice in Ferris.

Results of examinations announced by the Benchers in session to-day are as follows: First intermediate: A. C. Wattson, W. S. Owen; second intermediate: G. S. Clark, J. W. Braut, and E. K. Mackay.

Orangemen of Saanich and visiting brethren at Saanich on Saturday evening honored Grand Master F. V. Hobbs upon his election to the highest post in the order of the Fraternity at the sessions of the Grand Lodge held at Revelstoke last Friday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS TO EUROPE FROM ST. JOHN TO LIVERPOOL TO CHEYBOURG

TWO ORIENT SHIPS ARRIVE TO-MORROW Toyooka Maru Has 816 Tons For Victoria; Alabama Has Big Steerage List

HUGE MAIL SHIPMENT FROM ORIENT DISCHARGED BY EMPRESS OF CANADA Fifteen Hundred Bags of Mail Matter for United States Put Ashore Here To-day by Canadian Pacific Liner in From Far East.

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NOTED ENGINEER ON WORLD TOUR Sir John Wormald is Visiting Relatives Here on Way Back to London On a world tour which has taken him to Australia and the Orient, and which has now brought him to the Pacific Coast of Canada, Sir John Wormald, a director in the firm of Mather and Platt, and a noted British engineer, is visiting relatives here to-day and plans a short stay in Victoria.

VESSLS MOVEMENTS Montclair, at St. John from Liverpool. Minnedosa, at St. John from Glasgow.

POSITIONS BY WIRELESS ESTEVAN, 4 p.m.—LE. HAVRE MARI, 15.34 N., 152.31 W. INBOUND. HANNAWA, bound Seattle, 377 miles north of San Francisco.

TURPIN'S CELEBRATED RIDE TO YORK IS RE-ENACTED FOR SCREEN BY FOX STAR

Tom Mix is Dashing Swashbuckler Who Mounts Tony in Dare-devil Ride Featured in "Dick Turpin," Showing at Capitol Theatre.

A pronounced departure marks the appearance of Tom Mix as "Dick Turpin" at the Capitol Theatre. Turpin was a dashing English stage-actor of the early eighteenth century and Tom Mix therefore shines on the screen clad in gorgeous costumes of that colorful period.

As "Dick," the William Fox Western star appears as a dashing rascal, lovable qualities and his superb horsemanship is thrillingly demonstrated in his famous "Ride to York." This feature is so magnificently done that the pulse of the onlooker is at top speed as the wild ride and the relentless race continues.

Unusual attention to detail marks this latest Mix offering and there is evidence of a careful study of history in the massive settings of London's streets and the inns and taverns along the York Road which Turpin "patrolled" when he was gaining the flattering title "Robin Hood of the Road."

Clad in the heavy brocaded velvet coat, satin breeches, ostrich plumed hat and lace trimmed sleeves of the period, Tom Mix makes a far finer figure than his admirers have hitherto seen him portray. To stick to tradition he even kept his wonder horse Tony in the stable and bought and especially trained a superbly black mare to enact the role of Turpin's famous mount, Black Bess. The horse of the bandit could have been no greater than this magnificent addition to Tom's stable.

Another feature, second only to the famous ride to York, is the reproduction of a London ring fight in the famous old Blue Boar inn. This is taken from ancient prints of the battle between Lord Marsh's hideous bully "Old Buckhorse," and Harry Grey the Clock Maker, which took place in 1742. In the Turpin version, Jack Herrick, Dempsey's sparring partner, enacts the role of "Old Buckhorse," and Turpin, substituting for "Bully Boy," enters the ring and fights a savage battle.

In support of the Western star, in this radically different picture, is the most powerful cast he has ever been aided by. Alan Hale, the famous heavy, has the splendid role of Turpin's associate robber, Tom King, and his work adds to his great fame. Kathleen Meyers, one of the handsomest young women on the screen, is fine as leading lady, James Marcus proves again that he is one of the sterling character actors of his time, and Bull Montana, Lucille Hutton, Ed Jordan, Fay Holderness and Jack Herrick are adequate.

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NATURE PROVIDES GREAT CLIMAX IN COLORFUL FILM DEPICTING VELDT LIFE

Paramount Production "The Top of the World" Offers Thrilling and Dramatic Story at Dominion Theatre This Week.

Realism comes into its own in Paramount's latest cinematic thriller, "The Top of the World," a George Melford production of Ethel M. Dell's greatest fiction success, the picture showing at the Dominion Theatre this week.

After a series of tense, dynamic situations, in which the three leading characters become hopelessly involved in a unique love tangle, nature suddenly steps in, lets loose a couple of aquatic thunderbolts and lives the triangular problem with one of the most exciting and awe-inspiring floods ever put on the screen.

Action is the keynote of this production—vivid, compelling action that rips the interest like a vise from the moment the film begins to unwind its virile, dramatic story. The plot revolves around Sylvia Ingleton who pins all her faith upon the lover of her early youth. Her trust in him is so complete that after five years' separation from him, she is not afraid to turn to him for refuge when the second marriage of her father makes her own home no longer endurable.

But Guy Ranger, the lover, falls her at this most critical moment of her life, and she is thrown instead upon the chivalry of his cousin, Burke Ranger. The complications that ensue, when Sylvia marries Burke, with the understanding that she is to be his wife in name only, and the bitter struggle that follows between the old love and the new, lead to some startling developments that almost result disastrously.

Most of the action takes place out on the picturesque African veldt, and the opportunities for colorful settings and backgrounds have not been overlooked. George Melford, the director, has taken full advantage of the many unusual angles to the story which contains virtually every desirable film element—love, thrills, fights and some amazing camera effects.

A specially selected cast of popular screen players interpret the respective roles. The part of Sylvia Ingleton is in the capable hands of Anna Q. Nilsson, and is a particularly congenial one to this delightful actress, since it affords her an even wider dramatic scope than she has previously played. James Kirkwood portrays a dual role, that of the two cousins, and rises to heights of acting that makes his performance a memorable one.

Sheldon Lewis has one of the fendish characterizations for which he is noted, and Raymond Hatton impersonates an English cavalry captain with admirable effectiveness.

Running through it are several love stories and touches of romance which materially heightens the action. On the same programme, the Frank Morton Company offers "Why Men Leave Home," a high class comedy which is proving a veritable riot of laughs. The usual excellent musical numbers, specialties, and ensembles are introduced throughout the play. Daily matinees are the rule at the Playhouse this week.

Those who were fortunate enough to hear her at the Empress marveled at her glorious playing and many indeed were the compliments heard regarding the Chickering Grand.

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Hincks' Players in Amusing Comedy At Coliseum
"Nellie, the Beautiful Cloak Model," is Film Presentation
"A Life On the Ocean Wave," this week's stage presentation at the Coliseum Theatre, is another Hinck's success. When it comes to merry-making, this delightful aggregation is well-at-home, and the comedy provided by the pen of Reginald Hinck is one long riot of pep, fun and frolic.
Ernie Patch is the Captain of Saucy Sai and he has a wife, played by Eileen Allwood. George Brydson is his Mate with an amorous disposition and a pair of very nimble dancing feet while the rest of the crew is a Mr. Codfish, in the person of Will Marshall, and a Mr. Seesalt, taken by Reginald Hinck's.
There is also a third person, a Mr. Smith who nearly causes bloodshed and who later turns out to be Peggy Lewis.
Goldwyn's picturisation of Owen Davis' "Nellie, the Beautiful Cloak Model," is the film now showing at the Coliseum.
It is capably acted by the cast which contains the names of several of the most popular players in the silent drama. Claire Windsor's beauty lends itself perfectly to the role of Nellie, the cloak model, while Mae Busch gives another one of her life-like portrayals as Polly Joy. Lew Brown adds one more to his long list of screen villains, while Hobart Bosworth in a dual role again proves himself one of the ablest screen entertainers.
Edmund Lowe, in the role of Nellie's lover, makes of that character an attractive and sympathetic human being. Raymond Griffith's taxi driver is an excellent bit of work done in a comedy style that is most entertaining. Others in the cast are Lilyan Tashman, William Orlamond, Arthur Houseman and Dorothy Cummings.

Douglas MacLean In "Going Up" Has Rollicking Role
Columbia This Week Features Star in Lively Story
Thrills! Laughter! They run a dead heat in the most exciting and ludicrous picture that Douglas MacLean has yet appeared in. "Going Up," now showing at the Columbia, has been adapted from the Broadway play success, which first appeared as "The Aviator," a straight farce by James Montgomery, and then later as a musical comedy, with the revision done by Otto A. Harbach and Louis A. Hirsch.
MacLean, the youthful screen star makes every foot of the celluloid way of "Going Up" unusually hilarious. MacLean is breezy, vigorous and dynamic; he's an actor of exceptional skill, a comedian of great latitude knows how to steam up a picture climax to the immense satisfaction of movie fans. MacLean is a comedy scream in "Going Up."


Tex Howard's Band Back at Dominion
Owing to the many requests from Dominion patrons to again have an opportunity to hear Tex Howard and his famous band, the management takes pleasure in announcing that they have secured this popular musical organization, and it will again appear at the Dominion this week. Tex and his band will be heard in an entirely new programme which will contain some of the very latest musical novelties. The band will also play novelty instruments



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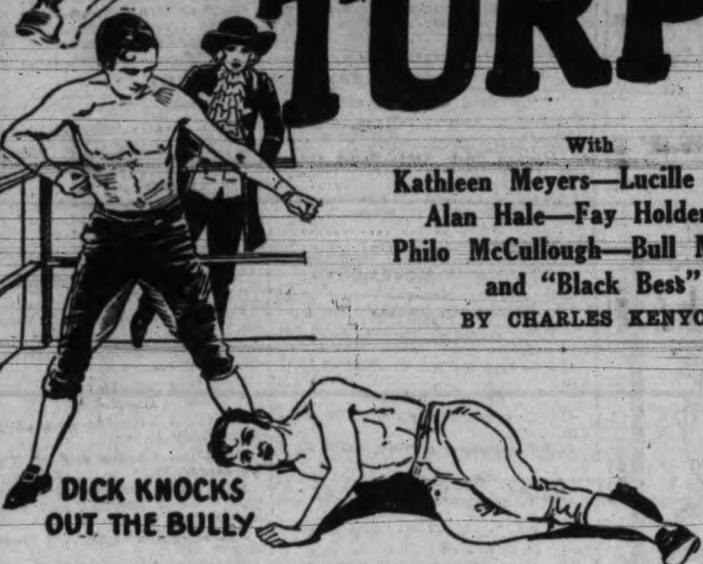


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BRITISH NAVAL EXPLOIT AT ZEEBRUGGE MOLE IS TO BE SHOWN AT ROYAL

Realistic Film of Historic War Event Has Attracted Widespread Attention and Comment on Both Sides of the Atlantic.

The British naval raid on Zeebrugge, the glorious exploit of the British Navy, the success of which turned the tide on the western front, has been reproduced in moving pictures in a most wonderful way.

The whole story is thrilling from start to finish, permeated with that British spirit that won the war, and accompanied by appropriate music. The story of Zeebrugge was reproduced under the guidance of the officers of the British Admiralty, surviving officers and marines, who actually took part in the heroic raid, going through their part, but this time before the camera. Twenty per cent of the net profits go to the survivors of the raid and dependants.

Bruge, six to eight miles up the canal from Zeebrugge, in Belgium, on the North Sea, was used by the Germans for a submarine base, and

from this protected harbor the U-boats found their way into the English Channel, the North Sea and the Atlantic to torpedo ships of the merchant marine carrying food supplies to the British Isles and the Allies fighting in France. To impress the United States as to how Germany was winning the war the U-boats took several motion pictures of their dastardly work at sea. Several merchantmen were torpedoed, shelled and blown up with charges, the crews being left in small boats to the mercy of the high sea. In answer to the S.O.S., the British torpedo boat destroyers are seen speeding to the scene and in the case of the motion pictures the British captured them. They are actual pictures taken by the Germans, but instead of being used to impress the U.S., they are being used to show the world what the Germans resorted to, to win the war.

The whole action at Zeebrugge is accurate in every detail, the soldiers on the deck being real soldiers, and the smoke screen being supplied by Alan Brock, of Brock's Fireworks, the brother of the wing commander who lost his life gloriously during the fighting on the Mole. The close up action makes one's blood race through the veins, the British spirit being ever present in the fighting, and the rescuing of the wounded. The ships appear off the Mole within two minutes of schedule time and are successful in the face of a murderous fire, and the Lieut-Comander Sanford puts his explosive laden submarine in under the viaduct, connecting the Mole with the land, and blows up the bridge works. German reinforcements rushing on to the Mole go headlong into the sea.

The action closes with the British raiding fleet leaving the artificial harbor at Zeebrugge, the last speck being the British naval ensign floating in the breeze, and the spirit of Nelson appearing at the side.

The picture was first shown at the Marble Arch Pavilion, London, Eng-

AT THE THEATRES

Royal—Kiwans Minstrels.
Capitol—"Dick Turpin."
Dominion—"The Top of the World."
Columbia—"A Life on the Ocean Wave."
Playhouse—"The Birth of a Nation."
Columbia—"Going Up."

MUSICAL DIRECTOR

THOMAS E. AINSCOUGH
who will lead the orchestra at the Kiwanis Minstrel Show at the Royal Victoria Theatre to-night.

land, where their Majesty, the King and Queen, witnessed it and incidentally attended a moving picture theatre for the first time.

Music Lovers' Night At Capitol To-night

A programme has been arranged by A. Prescott, director of the Capitol orchestra, for Music Lovers' Night at the Capitol to-night, which will contain many new and novel features, especially the numbers from Neil Gwynne (Gwynne) song, "O Promise Me" (De Koven); song, "Cherry Ripe" (Dibdin); extracts from Beggar's Opera" (Austin).

PARENTS APPRECIATE STUDENTS' RECITAL

Monthly Columbia School Programme in Hands of Juveniles

Continuing the seventh monthly recital at the Columbia School of Music was given Friday evening, when an interesting programme was in the hands of the juvenile students of the pianoforte, violin and elocution departments, especially pleased a large turnout of parents and friends. Notable examples were shown in the advance of many of the students, and throughout there were evidences of the care and experienced teaching by the principal, Mrs. Burdon-Murphy and her staff. Those taking part in the pianoforte division, in the order of their numbers, were Lucille Kissinger, Laverne Libby, Mildred Wyndham, Doreen Hurst, Agnes McBrayer, Opal Day, Ruth Windan, Ruby Aldred, Marjorie Chittenden, Josephine Reid, Weldon Reid, Noel Bass, Kenneth Whitworth, Muriel Graham, Phyllis Grant, Evelyn Dawson, Mary King, Dorothy O'Connell, Horace Peck, Essie Sains, Gertrude Hunt, Phyllis Boden, Roma Trudel, Stella Williamson, Edna Graham and Hilda Graham. Rosette Lee, in the violin division, created favorable comment on her playing, her solo being executed cleverly and with natural talent in grace and style. Others in this division were Brian Burdon-Murphy, Francis Biggin and Myrtle Haig, while the elocution department was represented by Katherine Roberts and Opal Day. The violin numbers were accompanied by the principal in most supporting manner. The announcement was made that the eighth recital would be given by the intermediate grades of all departments of the institution.

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SCIENTIST TO SEE "HEAD SQUEEZERS"

British Anthropologist to Visit Strange Tribe in Northern South America

London, April, 6.—Efforts to solve the mystery of the "human head squeezers," a tribe of which almost nothing is known and which lives in the wilds of the mountains between the main Amazon basin and the northern Andes, is to be one of the aims of an exploring expedition to South America to be made during the coming summer by Dr. William M. McGovern, one of Britain's most daring anthropologists. Dr. McGovern, who was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., visited Laas, the forbidden city of Tibet, disguised as a Buddhist monk, last year, and has headed numerous other expeditions in various parts of the world in the interest of anthropological research work.

HAVE DIAMOND MINES

The "human head squeezers," who have a way of reducing the heads of their victims to the size of a person's fist, according to Dr. McGovern, also are supposed to be the possessors of gold and diamond mines in their native haunts just to the north of the Amazon jungles. The Londoner plans to spend seven to ten months in their midst, studying their

habits and customs. No white man has ever solved the process of how heads are reduced in size without so much as disfiguring any of the victim's features and in the interest of science Dr. McGovern hopes to be able to overcome this riddle in the course of his explorations of this tribe and its haunts.

Dr. McGovern plans to leave London early in May and in the trip across the Andes will cover parts of Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador and Peru where no white man, so far as known, has ever before set foot.

Dr. McGovern will carry a wireless receiving set, cameras and other apparatus necessary for expeditions of this kind. He purposes to make observations and drawings which will be of future use to scientists throughout the world.

BIG ROCK TEMPLES

"I shall be particularly interested in anthropological research work in the Amazon basin—where interesting remains, such as great rock temples, of prehistoric tribes, are supposed to exist but to this day have never been seen by a white man," said the explorer. "Diamonds and

gold nuggets have been bought from some of the natives on the edge of the unexplored country, and there is a belief that the natives have discovered mines within their haunts from which they extract the precious stones and metal now and then. These natives of the interior have not even been seen by white men, so far as I know, and have been dying out and the schools, which have attempted to invade their territory." The expedition will terminate at Lima, Peru, perhaps early next year.

EPIDEMIC DIES OUT

Wellington, N.Z., April 6 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters)—The epidemic of infantile paralysis which has taken a toll of about 150 lives since the outbreak in December last, is dying out and the schools, which were closed at Christmas, will be reopened April 15. There were about 1,000 children affected by the disease.

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Wall Street TO DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, April 6 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The market became more animated in the late afternoon trading with prominent strength being displayed in the oil group, and the general list participated in the development of strength.

We are of the opinion that the decline in the business week will be along constructive lines, and the stock market we believe is now going through the processes of discounting an improvement in things in the basic lines of endeavor.

New York, April 6 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct wire)—Wall Street's Wall Street Journal's stock market edition today says: Instead of having things pretty much their own way, the market is now being held in check by a number of factors.

Call money tightened to 4 1/2% in the afternoon, reflecting the calling of loans by clearing house banks desirous of building up their cash position.

Bears on oil stocks are in for a few surprises when first quarter statements are made by public companies like Marland, Phillips and others.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, APRIL 6, 1925

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks including Atlantic Coast, Canadian Pacific, and others.

PLATINUM CONTROL SOUGHT BY GERMANS

London, April 6 (Canadian Press).—Cables from Johannesburg, South Africa, indicate the reason behind the recent boom of South African platinum stock in an effort by Germany to secure control.

Nelson Mines Call Starts Big Rush

Nelson, B.C., April 6.—So many accounts from outside points indicating Spokane, have come for the convention here next Wednesday to complete organization of the chamber of mines for Eastern British Columbia.

Montreal Stocks

Table of Montreal Stock Exchange prices for various stocks including Abitibi, Canadian Pacific, and others.

VICTORY BONDS

Table of Victory Bond prices for various denominations and dates.

LOCAL PRICES

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Local hothouse tomatoes arrived

Table of local market prices for various commodities like potatoes, beans, and other vegetables.

WHEAT PRICES SWING UPWARD

Winnipeg, April 6.—Despite a comparatively inactive session which betrayed pronounced symptoms of nervousness, wheat prices advanced appreciably to-day with the May delivery closing 2 1/2 higher at 146 1/2, July 146 1/2, two cents up and October at 128 1/2, a gain of 1 1/2.

TO-MORROW BEARS CHICAGO THINKS

Chicago, April 6.—The Chicago grain trade is waking up to the fact that there has been too much bearishness and that it is time to look for constructive influences.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Table of Chicago Grain prices for various types of wheat and other grains.

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MINING STOCKS

Table of Mining Stock prices for various companies like B.C. Silver, Phoenix Silver Mines, etc.

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TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Table of Today's Exchange rates for various international currencies like Great Britain, France, Belgium, etc.

Money Market To-day

New York, April 6.—Call money firm; high 4 1/2; low 3 3/4; ruling rate 3 3/4; closing bid 4 1/2; offered at 4 1/2; last loan 4 1/2; call loans against acceptance 2 per cent.

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It is expected that this tunnel will have to be driven in about 540 feet to strike the Cabin Vein at 250 feet of depth; 200 feet of this tunnel have been completed to date and it is expected that it will proceed at the rate of ten feet per day.

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SCHEER, 115-50, Sons of Canada Military Band, 1000th Street, Tuesday, 8.30. Admission 25c. Good spots. 1123-23-24

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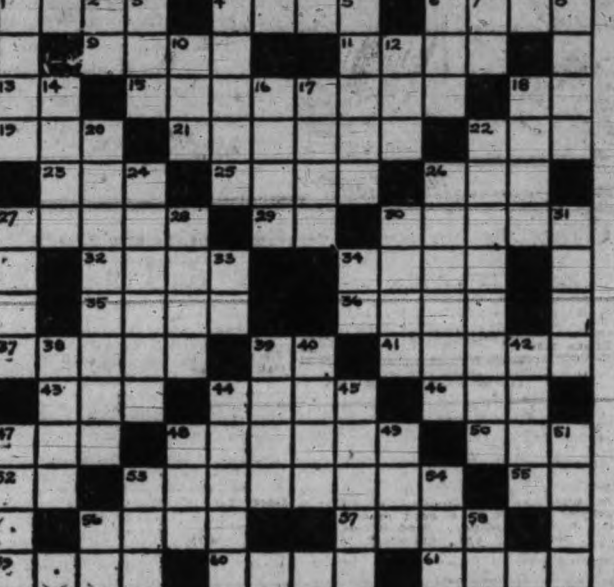
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Royal Oak, B.C., March 27, 1925.

TIMES CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

The only words that may be found difficult here are the four four-lettered words along the sides of the puzzle. The two middle letters are unkeyed. But they're all simple words, so no extra help will be offered.



Cross-word Puzzle 0220

HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE
Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal; if above it, the word is vertical. The same number may of course begin both a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form, one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross-clues to the words linking with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you cannot solve the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions. The correct solution of to-day's puzzle will be printed in the next issue of The Times.

- HORIZONTAL**
1. Front part of leg below knee.
 4. Carbonated water with ice cream.
 8. Where you live.
 9. Twelve inches (pl.).
 11. Placed.
 13. Masses of foods (pl.).
 14. You and I.
 15. Perfect score.
 16. Opposite of cathode (pl.).
 17. Tin container.
 18. Large cooking vessel.
 19. Island.
 20. To damage.
 21. Near.
 22. Joyful.
 23. Cow-headed goddess.
 24. Fairy.
 25. Attar; but it may be a boy's name.
 26. To leave out.
 27. The money you pay for speeding (pl.).
 28. Toward.
 30. Slowest creature in the world.
 31. The world money standard.
 32. Measure for cloth.
 33. Sun at the end of an arc.
 34. Sneaky.
 35. Raisers of stock.
 36. Direction of Cape Good Hope.
 37. Headgear (pl.).
 38. One who recolors your clothes.
 39. Always.
 40. Spikes of corn.
 41. Drop of fluid from the eye.

- VERTICAL**
1. To ooze; to percolate slowly.
 2. Whether.
 3. Knots in wool fibre.
 4. Rock.
 5. Foreigner.
 6. Personal pronoun.
 7. Alleged force that produces hypnotism.
 8. Level.
 9. Age.
 10. Paid publicity (pl.).
 11. Fluid rock.
 12. A law or precept.
 13. To prepare for publication.
 14. Opposite of wool.
 15. Reasonable.
 16. Chief of state.
 17. To try for verification (past tense).
 18. Soldier-sailor.
 19. Top of house.
 20. Perches.
 21. Sewa dress bottom.
 22. Shriek.
 23. Therefore.
 24. River in Italy.
 25. An image.
 26. To make a rent (past tense).

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Answer to Cross-word Puzzle 2019

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CHAPTER V
GERTRUDE'S ENGAGEMENT

At ten o'clock the Casanova hack brought up three men. They introduced themselves as the coroner of the county and two detectives from the city. The coroner led the way at once to the locked wing, and with the aid of one of the detectives examined the rooms and the body. The other detective, after a short scrutiny of the dead man, busied himself with the outside of the house. It was only after they had got a fair idea of things as they were that they went for Mr. Jamieson.

I received them in the living-room and I had made up my mind exactly what to tell. I had taken the house for the Summer, I said, while the Armstrongs were in California. In spite of a rumor among the servants about strange noises—I cited Thomas—nothing had occurred the first two nights. On the third night I believed that some one had been in the house; I had heard a crashing sound, but being alone with one maid had not investigated. The house had been locked in the morning and apparently undisturbed.

Then, as clearly as I could, I related how, the night before, a shot had roused us; that my niece and I had investigated and found a body; that I did not know who the murderer was until Mr. Jarvis from the club informed me, and that I Armstrong should steal into his father's house at night. I should have been glad to allow him entrance there at any time.

"Have you reason to believe, Miss Innes," the coroner asked, "that any member of your household, including Mr. Arnold was a burglar, shot him in self-defence?"

"I have no reason for thinking so," I said quickly. "It is that Mr. Armstrong's theory is that Mr. Armstrong was followed here by some enemy, and shot as he entered the house."

"I don't think I have a theory," I said. "The thing that has puzzled me is why Mr. Armstrong should enter his father's house two nights in succession, standing in like a thief, when he needed only to ask entrance to be admitted."

The coroner was a very silent man; he took some notes after this, but he seemed anxious to take the train back to town. He set the inquest for the following Saturday, gave Mr. Jamieson, the younger of the two detectives, a few instructions, and, after gravely shaking hands with me and regretting the unfortunate affair, took his departure, accompanied by the other detective.

I was just beginning to breathe freely when Mr. Jamieson, who had been standing by the window, came over to me.

"The family consists of yourself alone, Miss Innes?"

"My niece is here," I said.

"There is no one but yourself and your niece?"

"My nephew," I had to moisten my lips.

"Oh, a nephew. I should like to see him, if he is here."

"He is not here just now," I said as quietly as I could. "I expect him at any time."

"He was here yesterday evening, I believe?"

"No—yes."

"Didn't he have a guest with him? Another man?"

"He brought a friend with him to stay over Sunday, a Mr. Bailey."

"Mr. John Bailey, the cashier of the Traders' Bank, I believe?" And I knew that someone at the Greenwood Club had told.

"When did they leave?"

"Very early—I don't know at just what time."

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



Mr. Jamieson turned suddenly and looked at me.

"Please try to be more explicit," he said. "You say your nephew and Mr. Bailey were in the house last night, and yet you and your niece, with some women-servants found the body. Who was your nephew?"

"I was entirely desperate by that time."

"I do not know," I cried. "But be sure of this: Halsey knows nothing of this thing, and no amount of circumstantial evidence can make an innocent man guilty."

"Sit down," he said, pushing forward a chair. "There are some things I have to tell you, and, in return, please tell me all you know. Believe me, things always come out in the first place. Mr. Armstrong was shot from above. The bullet was fired at close range; entered between the shoulder and came out, after passing through the heart, well down the back. In other words, I believe the murderer stood on the stairs and fired down. In the second place, I found on the edge of the billiard-table a charred cigar which had burned itself partly out, and a cigarette which had consumed itself to the cork tip. Neither one had been more than lighted, then put down and forgotten. Have you any idea what it was that made your nephew and Mr. Bailey leave their cigars and their game, take out the automobile without calling the chauffeur, and all this at—let me see—certainly before three o'clock in the morning?"

"I don't know," I said, "but depend on it, Mr. Jamieson, Halsey will be back himself to explain everything."

"I sincerely hope so," he said. "Miss Innes, has it occurred to you that Mr. Bailey might know something about this?"

Gertrude had come down-stairs and just as he spoke she came in. I saw her stop suddenly, as if she had been struck.

"He does not," she said in a tone that was not her own. "Mr. Bailey and my brother know nothing of this. The murder was committed at three. They left the house at a quarter before three."

"How do you know that?" Mr. Jamieson asked oddly. "Do you know at what time they left?"

"I do," Gertrude answered firmly. "At a quarter before three, brother and Mr. Bailey left the house, by the main entrance. I—was there."

"Gertrude," I said excitedly, "you are dreaming! Why, at a quarter to three—"

"Listen," she said. "At half-past two the down-stairs telephone rang. I had not gone to sleep, and I heard it. Then I heard Halsey answer it, and in a few minutes he came upstairs and knocked at my door. We talked for a minute, then I put on my dressing-gown and slippers, and went down-stairs with him. Mr. Bailey was in the billiard-room. We all talked together for perhaps ten minutes. Then it was decided that—that they should both go away—"

"Can't you be more explicit?" Mr. Jamieson asked. "Why did they go away?"

"I am only telling you what happened, not why it happened," she said evenly. "Halsey went for the car, and instead of bringing it to the house and rousing people, he went by the lower road from the stable. Mr. Bailey was to meet him at the foot of the lawn. Mr. Bailey left—"

"Which way?" Mr. Jamieson asked sharply.

"By the main entrance. He left—it was a quarter to three. I know exactly."

"The clock in the hall is stopped, Miss Innes," said Jamieson. Nothing seemed to escape him.

"He looked at his watch," she replied, and I could see Mr. Jamieson's eyes snap, as if he had made a discovery. As for myself, during the whole recital I had been plunged into the deepest amazement.

"Will you pardon me for a personal question?" The detective was a youngish man, and I thought he was somewhat embarrassed. "What are your—your relations with Mr. Bailey?"

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CHOIR TO PRESENT EASTER CANTATA

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The full programme for the evening follows: Hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," choir and audience; anthem, "Near the Cross" (Emerson), choir solo; "He Was Crucified" (The Messiah); Miss Nora Jones; hymn, "Hear the Cross of Jesus"; choir and audience; anthem, "Blessed Jesus" (Dvorak); choir; cantata, "The Seven Last Words of Christ" (Dubois).

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INFORMATION ASKED BY SERVICE LEAGUE

Seek to Locate Family Believed in Victoria; Annual Meeting Arranged

At the regular monthly meeting of the Social Service League held on Friday final arrangements were made for the annual meeting to be held in Christ Church Memorial Hall on Friday, April 17 at 8 p.m.

The general secretary reported for the month 125 cases, 87 office interviews, 278 telephone interviews, 52 letters written, three meetings attended, and 149 visits made.

ST. JOSEPH'S CLASS TO HOLD EXERCISES

The 1925 class of St. Joseph's Hospital training school for nurses will hold their graduation exercises on Thursday, April 16, at 3 o'clock in the auditorium of St. Joseph's Academy.

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BUSINESS EXPERTS HELPED BALTIMORE

Heads of Corporations Loaned Members of Staff at Request of Mayor

Made a Cut of Fifty-seven Cents in the Tax Rate on Three Years

How a staff of business experts loaned by the heads of successful corporations came to the rescue of the city at the request of the mayor is the subject of an article in The Evening Post Press, which has been forwarded to Fred Landsberg of this city, an advocate for a change in the present plan of city government.

"If a private corporation was run like the city, it would be bankrupt. The remark is not infrequently heard. Mayor Howard Jackson of Baltimore took it to heart. He contacted with the heads of a dozen large and successful corporations. They agreed to loan the city from their staffs at no cost the services of experts in business methods, engineering and law.

"Major Jackson told his advisers that the municipal machinery in all its functions and let him how to operate it with the efficiency and economy of a big corporation. This was in May, 1922.

"In 1924 the tax rate was cut seven cents per \$100. A deficit of \$1,100,000 (equivalent to a 15-cent levy) was also cleared off.

"For 1925 the rate was reduced by thirty-two cents. For 1926 a further reduction of at least eighteen cents is in prospect. In other words, a cut of fifty-seven cents in three years, diminishing the rate from \$2.97 to \$2.40 per \$100, is made possible. This means a saving of \$4,500,000 to the taxpayers.

"Municipal functions were simplified and consolidated. At the instigation of the commission an organized effort to obtain payment of \$1,200,000 of taxes in arrears. A delinquent account bureau was set up to force payment of other bills owing to the city. Automobile owners and others, who had been in the habit of tearing up their bills from the city, were put on a 'pay in advance' basis.

"For 1924 receipts of current taxes were close to ninety per cent. of the levy, whereas in former years receipts ranged from eighty to eighty-four per cent. Back taxes received during the year exceeded the entire levy by more than \$1,500,000. The efficiency commission deposited in the bank \$500,000 to meet an expenditure that will have to be made in 1925 for a new gasometer system. The taxpayers that year will get the benefit of this foresight.

"In place of forty departments the commission established two departments, operating and maintenance bureaus are relieved of all accounting work, and of all payroll work, which is concentrated in a central payroll bureau.

"Issuance of licenses and permits, formerly scattered through fifteen and eighteen departments, is concentrated in one central bureau conveniently located and also given charge of all complaints.

"The logan of the commission has been 'fewer and better' qualified employees, more efficient service in all departments, greater economy to lighten the burden on the taxpayers, and consolidation and concentration in all dealings with the public.

"It is estimated that if the city sought to buy the expert services and advice it is getting for nothing it would cost at least \$500,000.

"Why were the corporations willing to give the city this half million? It was sound business for them. They pay many millions a year in taxes. Civic economies resulting in reduced taxes will more than repay them in a few years.

"Business men in many Western Canadian provinces and cities would doubtless be willing to act upon the example the Baltimore business men have set. Assuredly there is necessity here for the kind of work that has been so successfully performed in Baltimore."

OPPORTUNITIES HERE SAID BY SOUVENIR

S. Frank Mussared Toured From Quebec to Victoria Pays Tribute to Work of Colonization Department

After nine months' travel and observation in both the urban and rural areas of Canada, S. Frank Mussared, of the South African Irrigation Association, Johannesburg, is "perfectly satisfied with the possibilities Canada has to offer the right type of settler."

"I have the honor to advise you that I have just completed a tour of the country from Quebec to Victoria, B.C., from June, 1924, to March, 1925.

"Landing as an ordinary immigrant in Quebec, I have made a detailed study of agricultural conditions in Sherbrooke, Toronto, Northern Ontario, Hamilton, Niagara, Guelph, Kitchener, Winnipeg, South Saskatchewan, Calgary, Vancouver, Okanagan, Fraser Valley and Victoria, B.C. My investigations have been entirely those of a 'free lance,' but with the benefit of agricultural experience in Scotland, Africa and Australia.

"I may say I landed in Quebec, coldly critical of a country of whose possibilities I had heard so little. After nine months' strenuous work in urban and rural areas, entirely on my own initiative, I conclude my tour warmly enthusiastic and perfectly satisfied of the possibilities of Canada as to offer the right type of settler.

"As a free lance investigator, I am prompted to write these few words, solely for the large amount of adverse criticism of your country which has appeared in the old Country Press. I may say that criticism of Canada, after a tour of Canada in 1924, is futile in the extreme; nothing would have given me greater pleasure than to have refuted the criticism on a public platform. I am, however, in closing, I should like to pay a tribute to the efficiency of your rank and file in the Colonization Department."

MISS MURSET NEW CHAMPION TYPIST

Won Sprott Shaw Challenge Cup at Saturday's Competition

Miss Alice Murset won the title of champion typist of Victoria and district at the annual local competition held Saturday at the Sprott-Shaw School. She defeated last year's winner, Mrs. Lillian Maas Shore. With the title went the Sprott-Shaw Challenge Cup. The accuracy test was won by Miss Doris Jewell, whose score was 100 per cent. efficient.

The full results follow. Senior—Open to all who began the study of typewriting before August 1, 1924. Miss Alice Murset, 24.4 words net. Sprott-Shaw and St. Ann's; 2. Miss Jean Robertson, 71.3 words net. St. Ann's; 3. Mrs. F. Chappell, 67.1 words net. Sprott-Shaw, Vancouver. One minute test won by Miss Jean Robertson, 78.5 words net.

Intermediate—Open to all who began the study of typewriting on or after August 1, 1923-1. Miss Irene Plovman, 72.2 words net. Sprott-Shaw; 2. Miss Dorothy Officer, 63.5 words net. Sprott-Shaw; 3. Miss Kathleen Robinson, 35 words net. Victoria High School. One minute test won by Miss Irene Plovman, 84 words, perfect.

Novice—Open to all who began the study of typewriting on or after August 1, 1924-1. Miss Virginia Arent, 48.1 words net. Sprott-Shaw; 2. Miss Doris Hicks, 45 words net. Sprott-Shaw; 3. Miss Margaret Mackie, 40.4 words net. Sprott-Shaw. One minute contest won by Miss Alys Downard, 68 words, perfect.

ACCURACY PRIZE The accuracy prize was won by Miss Doris Jewell, who wrote at the rate of 59.6 words a minute for fifteen consecutive minutes without an error. Miss Jewell was trained at the Victoria High School and at the Sprott-Shaw School. She wins the prize for accuracy presented by St. Ann's Academy, and may possibly win further prizes in the Canadian contest, which was held at 8 o'clock last night at Massey Hall, Toronto.

The Sprott-Shaw Students Challenge Cup, open to all students of Sprott-Shaw School who began the study of typewriting within one year of the date of the contest, was won by Miss Irene Plovman. Miss Plovman began the study of typewriting at the Sprott-Shaw School on April 22, 1924. She graduated with the Sprott-Shaw diploma for stenography the end of December, 1924. Miss Plovman, in addition to, winning the intermediate championship, comes second in the city of Victoria, and is, therefore, runner-up to Miss Murset, winner of the championship contest. She has made a very good record. Miss Plovman is seventeen years of age.

SNOW WAS LACKING; LAWSUIT IS RESULT Innsbruck, Austria, April 6.—Because there was no snow in the mountains, as set forth in an advertisement, a group of Englishmen has entered suit against a travel bureau asking for damages, railroad fares and hotel expenses. The English tourists were in Innsbruck seeking winter sports, but the weather was so mild that nowhere could they find snow or ice. They read an advertisement of a certain resort saying the snow was the most would be, deep, and the lakes all open. So they traveled thither, only to find on arrival that the reported snow was a myth and the lakes all open. Aggrieved and out of pocket, they have now started suit against the travel bureau responsible for the misleading announcement.

NO GOVERNMENT AID OFFERED TO OAK BAY

Council Learns That Dominion Will Not Help in Building of Sea Wall

Oak Bay will not receive any financial aid from the Dominion Government in the building of their \$60,000 sea wall on Beach Drive, near the Oak Bay Hotel, it was learned by the members of the Oak Bay Council at their regular meeting on Saturday night, through a communication from J. P. Forde, district engineer for Public Works. The wall will be built for preventing further washing away of the land by the sea.

The council was informed by engineer Forde that work of this kind does not come under the jurisdiction of the Federal Public Works Department, as it is not a matter affecting the interests of navigation but is solely for the protection of the property of the municipality.

The council was first advised about building this wall in the annual report of municipal engineer Robert Fowler. He reported that according to a map made in 1891 the shore line facing the hotel is twenty-eight feet farther out than it is to-day. The total width of the road opposite the hotel, is only fifty-four feet, and some kind of protection would be necessary.

The council favored the idea of arbitration on the question of the Northwest sewer but will not appoint their members on a proposed joint Victoria, Oak Bay and Saanich committee to decide on the form of arbitration until the Municipality of Saanich reaches a decision on the entire proposal.

It was decided by the council to apply, through the Union of B. C. Municipalities, at the next session of the Legislature, to have amendments made to the Municipal Act so as to give municipalities special powers to regulate the seating capacity of any building, and to provide that no persons shall stand in passage-way or stairway.

P. Jordan, representative of Dempster & Sons of Eland, Yorkshire, Eng., who supervised the installation of the Victoria Gas Company's new gasometer here, desires to correct the news item to the effect that a number of slight leakages developed. He says no leakages developed and declares that the gasometer is tight.

JUNIORS' PAGEANT IS GREAT SUCCESS

"Spirit of Easter" Presented By League of Wesley Church

The pageant given under the auspices of the Junior League of Wesley Church Friday evening was a great success. The programme was opened by the Girls' Choir singing "O Canada" and "I Love Thee, My Country." A pantomimed missionary hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains," introduced by Miss Ruby Dimmick, was sung by the Junior League, and was most effective with its colored illuminations.

The main item of the programme was the pageant "The Spirit of Easter." This commenced with a number of girls representing various countries—Evelyn Rose (India), Celia Blakeway (Mexico), Roberta Hopkins (Turkey), Maquima Daniels (India), Amy Heath (Siam), Alice Strickland (Japan), Rhoda McGrath (Korea), Edna Watling (China), Watson (Italy), Barbara Daniels (Africa)—appearing on the stage followed by the Spirit of Easter (Lillian Dimmick), accompanied by her attendants, Love (May Lewis), Joy (Marjorie Hopkins), Peace (Ruth Shaw), Hope (Phyllis Williams), Light (Luella Blakeway), Life (Miriam Light) and Herald (Miriam Williams). The Spirit of Easter and her attendants decorated the cross and explained to the assembled nation its meaning. Ruth Shaw sang "There Is a Green Hill," Miriam Williams sang "The Plea," and Barbara Daniels "Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus."

Other numbers included songs by the primary department and choir. The whole programme was effectively carried out and reflected credit on those who had so carefully trained the children. Rev. J. P. Dimmick was chairman.

AFRICAN CUSTOMS SUBJECT OF LECTURE IN ALBERNI CHURCH

Special to The Times. Alberni, B.C., April 6.—The Rev. W. R. Welsh of Haliburton Street Methodist Church, Nanaimo, who had exchanged pulpits last Sunday with the Rev. H. A. Bain of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Alberni, gave a very interesting lecture on Africa, its customs and people in the Union Church in Port Alberni, here a good sized audience. He also had a number of primitive African weapons on exhibit.

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INSANE DOUKHOBOR ESCAPED FROM GUARD

J. Makaroff Jumped Through Railway Car Window at Carmi, B.C.

Nelson, B.C., April 6.—John Makaroff, one of two insane Doukhobors being taken to Essondale from the Nelson jail, dived through the window of a coach on the westbound Kettle Valley train at Carmi Sunday morning and escaped from the escort. Constable W. R. Henley is hunting for him.

"Kurdistan Prince" Back in U.S. Now

Halifax, April 6.—Among the passengers on the liner Celtic, which stopped here Saturday en route to New York from Liverpool, was the deportee who claims to be His Royal Highness Naimeddin Said Bey, Prince of Kurdistan, commander-in-chief of the Kurdish army and a direct descendant of Sheikh Haroun-al-Raschid. Contrary to previous reports, which had stated the prince had been deported from Great Britain in a third-class cabin, he was found Saturday in the first-class quarters. He claims his deportation from the United States to Great Britain, where

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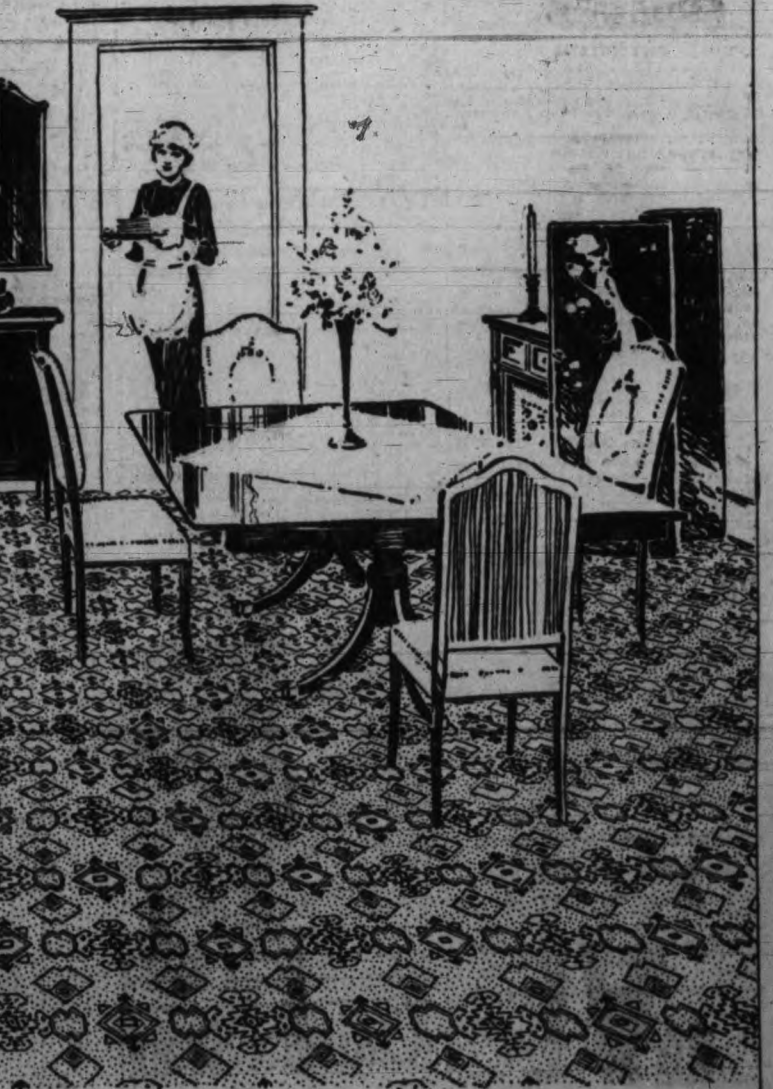
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