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## ESSAD PASHA TAKES ALBANIAN FORCE TO SALONICA; PROGRESS

### Troops Led by Chief of Albanian Government Join Allied Armies; French Advance West of Vardar River; Serbians Continue to Move Forward on Vetrenik Front; Repulse Attacks by Bulgarians

Salonica, Aug. 30.—An Albanian contingent is ready to join the forces of the five allied nations in Macedonia. This Albanian force already has disembarked here. It will be commanded by Essad Pasha, chief of the Albanian government, who arrived at Salonica yesterday.

Paris, Aug. 30.—Severe fighting is in progress on the Macedonian front. An official report issued to-day says French troops gained ground west of the Vardar river.

A Bulgarian attack west of Lake Ostrovo was repulsed by Serbians.

Entente forces bombarded Bulgarian positions on the Struma front and near Lake Doiran.

Violent artillery fighting continues in the region of Ostrovo and Vetrenik.

The announcement says:

"On the Struma front and in the Lake Doiran region we bombarded enemy organizations."

"West of the Vardar we made some progress. Violent artillery fighting continues."

"A Bulgarian attack west of Lake Ostrovo came under the fire of Serbian batteries. The Bulgarians fell back, having sustained serious losses."

Batteries Silenced.

London, Aug. 30.—Bulgarian batteries were silenced by British guns after an artillery engagement on Monday and Tuesday, the war office announced to-day.

"On the Struma front," the announcement says, "hostile artillery shelled the Kopric bridge on Monday night and the following morning. Our artillery retaliated and succeeded in silencing the enemy batteries."

"Yesterday our aeroplanes bombarded the Drama station and troops and transports at Porta, apparently with some results."

"On the Doiran front, near Doldzelle, our batteries dispersed an enemy working party."

Artillery Actions.

Salonica, Aug. 30.—Artillery fighting is in progress to-day along the whole line from Lake Doiran to Lumnitza, according to an official statement issued at the allied headquarters here.

"The Serbians continue to progress on the Vetrenik front," the announcement added. "After preparation yesterday evening by heavy artillery, Bulgarian troops attacked in force three times last night along the Banica-Ostrovo road. They were repulsed each time. To-day cannonading is in progress on this front."

According to reliable information received here, all the Greek forts at Drama and Kavala are now in Bulgarian hands.

## MUCH THOUGHT NEEDED IN PLACING SOLDIERS

### Manchester Guardian Deals With Scheme of Putting Them on Land

London, Aug. 30.—The Manchester Guardian, discussing Sir Rider Haggard's scheme for placing soldiers on the land in the overseas dominions after the army has been disbanded at the end of the war, reminds its readers that just before Sir Rider arrived in Australia the acting prime minister of Australia warned his colleagues against passing rash resolutions in connection therewith.

"It is questionable," continues the Guardian, "whether the war will lead to immigration on a scale often expected of it. Those connected with the problem here hesitate to become enthusiastic on this subject."

"A prominent Canadian immigration official invariably denials to be told who is going to pay the passages of the thousands of ex-soldiers whom it is proposed to ship out, and adds that the Royal Colonial Institute might probably have considered that point at the very first."

## ZEPPELIN, AEROPLANE, ATTACKED BUCHAREST

Bucharest, Aug. 30.—Bucharest was bombarded Monday night by a zeppelin and an aeroplane.

## Roumania Decides to Demand Bulgarians Move Out of Serbia

London, Aug. 30.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch filed in Athens on Monday gives a report from Salonica that Roumania has decided to present an ultimatum to Bulgaria demanding the evacuation of Serbian territory.

## Signs Greece Will Join the Entente Against Bulgaria

London, Aug. 30.—The Greek government is considering re-organization of the cabinet to include Former Premier Venizelos, according to a Renter dispatch received to-day from Athens.

## ELECTORS THROUGHOUT PROVINCE ARE DETERMINED TO SWEEP BOWSER GOVT. FROM POWER, DECLARES MR. BREWSTER

### People Are Looking to Liberal Party to Grant Relief From Intolerable Conditions Created by Tory Administration; Leader Reiterates Pledge to Obliterate Every Vestige of Patronage System

Having completed a most successful tour of the province, H. C. Brewster, leader of the Liberal party, returned to the capital to-day and at once busied himself with a multitude of matters connected with the local and provincial campaigns.

Mr. Brewster is looking very fit and sun-browned after a travel of nearly 5,000 miles, a large portion of which was by motor.

To a Times reporter to-day, Mr. Brewster expressed his confidence in the result of the poll on Sept. 14.

"If Premier Rowser has a safe seat in the province of British Columbia I would like to know what particular one he thinks it is," said Mr. Brewster on his arrival. "My colleague and I have visited practically every constituency in the interior, north and south, and we know of none that the government can rely on winning. Even in those that have in the past been considered solidly Conservative we now find every indication of a Liberal support almost as solid."

Opposed to Government.

"Everywhere there is a sentiment of the most deep-rooted character against the government. It has been forming and intensifying during the last few years, and is to-day unassailable by any arguments the government can advance, material or otherwise. It is spread generally among the electorate and is not confined to any one class of people nor to any one portion of the province. Conservatives, Liberal, labor men and Socialists; farmers, artisans, merchants and professional men; all are united in the one aim of sweeping the Bowser government out of power and its members out of public life. This situation reminds one of nothing so forcibly as of the great public movements which history records, moving irresistibly on to an emphatic assertion of the truth that the people are sovereign, and that no government which arrogates to itself can long survive."

"At every place we visited, whether we had time for a meeting or not, we found the people eager to see and hear us. They are looking to the Liberal party for relief from conditions which, in the northern portions of the province especially, are proving intolerable and are seriously hampering development."

Criticism Justified.

"We return from our tour of the northern interior more strongly convinced than ever of the justice of all our criticisms of the government's land policy. If we have erred it has been in dealing too leniently with this accursed system, and with the development of the patronage evil which it has fostered in the north. We purposely forsake the railway line and journeyed through the outlying districts by motor and team for hundreds of miles. Having done so, we are prepared to challenge more strongly than ever all Mr. Rowser's statements about land for the pre-emptors and his misleading all-red maps."

"Frequent inquiry was made from settlers; some of them men who have been in there for years, as to available pre-emptions. In no case could they direct us to any. The pre-emption lands there, on which immense sums have been wasted in useless surveys, are for the greater part inferior lands or barren mountainsides, so far back that it would tax any treasury to supply roads, trails and bridges to settlers who would take up such lands through the country. One well known settler, making a success of a splendid farm which he has occupied for seventeen years, enumerated to us four hundred thousand acres of similar land encroaching his farm, held out of cultivation by Seattle, Victoria and other syndicates. He showed us the pre-emption land in sight of his place, mounted above the timber line, surveyed by Victoria surveyors who stayed at his house while at the work. He expressed his opinion of it by saying he would not give one cent an acre for it."

"With a heritage of magnificent land, designed by the Maker to be the home of prosperous and contented millions, we have worse than squandered it. There are fewer people on the land in the north to-day than there were when

## CALIFORNIA FRUIT GROWERS WILL LOSE

### Embargo Placed by Railroads Cuts Off Shipment of Huge Quantities

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—Tremendous losses are threatened to producers and shippers of California fruits and vegetables by the embargo placed on perishable shipments by the transcontinental railroads yesterday in anticipation of a strikers' strike. The table grape crop worth, it is estimated, \$2,000,000 and largely exported to the east, will bring practically nothing at the wineries, the only local market available.

Four hundred cars of fresh fruits and vegetables were being forwarded east daily, each car worth about \$1,500, a total daily value of about \$600,000.

## PROGRESS MADE BY FRENCH NEAR FLEURY

### Minor Enterprise East of Meuse Last Night Was Successful

Paris, Aug. 30.—French troops made some progress east of Fleury, on the Verdun front east of the Meuse, the war office announced this afternoon. The text of the statement follows:

"There was the usual cannonading along the whole front. There is nothing to report in regard to the operations of last night except a minor enterprise which permitted us to advance east of Fleury, east of the Meuse."

German Claims.

Berlin, Aug. 30.—German troops north of the Somme river repulsed strong British attacks along a line from Oivillers to Pozieres, and between Guillemont and Maubuis last night, says a statement issued to-day by the war office. British detachments which had penetrated the German positions at points north of Oivillers and Pozieres were defeated in hand-to-hand fighting.

## WOULD HAVE THE NEXT IMPERIAL CONFERENCE IN ONE OF THE DOMINIONS

London, Aug. 30.—Maj.-Gen. Sir Sam Hughes returned from Shorncliffe yesterday and attended a dinner in honor of the Australian high commissioner, Sir Andrew Fisher, who, in speaking, said he hoped that the next imperial conference would be held in one of the overseas dominions. It was fitting that the mother should visit the homes of her sons and daughters.

## TWO SWEDISH SHIPS SEIZED BY GERMANS

London, Aug. 30.—The Swedish steamship Roslagen, 1394 tons gross, of Stockholm, and the Tor have been seized by German torpedo boat destroyers and taken southward, says a dispatch from Copenhagen.

Three steamships named Tor are listed in the marine registers, two of which are small vessels, while the third, 1,037 tons, sails from Stockholm.

## DOMINIONS COMMISSION AT VANCOUVER SEPT. 22

Ottawa, Aug. 30.—The remainder of the itinerary of the Dominions Royal Commission, which will hold sittings throughout Canada during September and October to inquire into trade conditions, has been completed. Four days will be spent at Vancouver, September 22 to 26, and 2½ days at Vernon, September 27 to 30.

## LIBERAL CAMPAIGN

The three Liberal candidates, JOHN HART, GEORGE BELL and HENRY C. HALL, and others, will address electors at Presbyterian Church Building, To-night

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## ROUMANIA'S TROOPS MARCHING IN HUNGARY; RUSSIANS HAVE CAPTURED PANKER MOUNTAIN

## BULGARIANS TOOK DRAMA FROM GREEKS

### Having Given Their Pledge to Greece, They Proceeded to Break It

## GREEK GARRISON WAS CAPTURED BY THEM

Paris, Aug. 30.—The city of Drama, in northeastern Greece, has been seized by Bulgarians after a battle with the Greek garrison, telegraphs the Athens correspondent of the Matin.

The dispatch says that Bulgarian troops captured three forts and took prisoner the Greek garrison of 120 men, and that a number of soldiers were killed. This news is confirmed, the correspondent adds, by refugees who have reached Athens.

Drama, on the Salonica-Constantinople railway, is one of the principal towns in northeastern Greece, 75 miles northeast of Salonica, in the district east of Struma river, which the Bulgarians have been occupying for the last fortnight. There have been other reports of fighting between Greeks and Bulgarians.

The French war office on Friday last stated that the Greek garrisons at Kavala and Drama were still in possession of the towns, and had not been attacked. Later Bulgarian troops occupied all but one of the forts at Kavala after a fight with the Greek garrisons. Then British warships, as announced by the French war office, bombarded the Kavala forts in which were Bulgarian troops.

The occupation of Kavala by Bulgarian troops was a breach of a written undertaking which Germany and Bulgaria had given the Greek government that their troops would not enter Kavala, Drama or Seres. In speaking to a representative of the Associated Press, M. Venizelos, a former premier of Greece and now a great popular leader in the country, said that he had predicted that the promise given by the Bulgarians would be broken by them within five days. He pointed out that Bulgarian troops had entered Kavala just four days after the making of the solemn promise by the Bulgarian government that they would not do so.

## WILSON'S LAST PLAN A DIRECT REQUEST

### May Publicly Ask Railroad Employees to Rescind Strike Order

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson was making efforts to-day to have the railroad brotherhoods call off or postpone the strike order effective September 4. There were intimations that unless action is taken by the brotherhood leaders in the near future, the president may publicly ask the railway workers that the strike order be rescinded.

Brotherhood officials, after securing copies of the proposed bills affecting the railroad situation, went into conference at the department of labor with Secretary Wilson. Afterwards the brotherhood heads insisted that they had not been requested by President Wilson or any other administration officials to postpone the strike and that nothing except a satisfactory settlement of their demands could prevent a walkout.

Preparations.

Railroads of the nation, in view of the threatened strike, rushed preparations to-day to enforce an embargo on perishable freight. Shipments of livestock and perishable goods were reduced by many roads to-day; others issued warnings that perishable freight which can not reach its destination by September 2 will not be accepted.

From Chicago, the railroad centre of the country, orders were flashed to ticket agents to inform passengers that unless they should reach their destinations by Sunday night they would be subjected to "perplexing delays."

Big manufacturers and business houses swamped telegraph companies with messages urging that their shipments be rushed along. Many of them authorized sending their orders by express. Several large commercial houses already have recalled their travelers.

## DANISH W. INDIES LOOK TO STATES

### Three Legislatures Urge Danish Government to Hasten Sale of Islands

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Aug. 30.—The legislature of Santa Cruz has adopted and cabled to the Danish government at Copenhagen a resolution favoring the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. The colonial councils of St. Thomas and St. John, the two other islands of the Danish West Indies, already have taken similar action.

The resolution adopted by the Santa Cruz legislature follows:

"The colonial council unanimously requests the ministry to hasten the negotiations toward ratification of the treaty with the United States, which is the only means of relieving the insupportable and ruinous state of affairs of the island. There is no hope otherwise of rectifying our condition in the future."

## Reported Ferdinand's Troops Have Been Advancing into Transylvania For Nearly Whole Day; Austrian Resistance Weak; Have Occupied Two Important Cities; Height on Border Taken by Russians

London, Aug. 30.—A dispatch received from Bucharest by way of Rome, says Roumanian forces, operating in conjunction with Russian forces, have captured the principal passes of the Carpathians leading to Hungary. For twelve hours, the dispatch says, the Roumanian troops have marched uninterruptedly on Hungarian territory, meeting only weak resistance.

Paris, Aug. 30.—The Petit Parisien publishes a report that Roumanian troops, having forced their way into Transylvania, have occupied two important cities beyond the mountains.

Petrograd, Aug. 30.—Russian forces have captured Panker Mountain, in the Carpathians, on the Hungarian border, the war office announced.

London, Aug. 30.—"It is persistently rumored here," wires the Central News correspondent at Zurich, "that Roumanian cavalry has crossed the Rotherthurn Pass and is approaching Hermannstadt, Hungary."

Shelling Towns.

London, Aug. 30.—Hungarian war correspondents, so quoted in a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam, report that the Roumanians have begun bombardments of the Danube towns of Rastchuk, Bulgaria, and Orsova, Hungary.

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## WILHELM'S NAME CUT FROM MEMORIAL IN ROME BY THE CITY

Rome, Aug. 30.—Workmen to-day chopped off the names of Kaiser Wilhelm and the German Crown Prince Frederick William, which had been placed on a marble memorial in the senatorial palace on the capitol hill during a visit of Kaiser Wilhelm to Rome 20 years ago. The names were ordered removed by the city government.

## AUSTRALIA TO VOTE ON CONSCRIPTION

### Government Has Decided to Ask People to Determine the Question

## RESULT OF HUGHES'S VISIT TO EUROPE

Melbourne, Aug. 30.—The federal government has drawn up a proposal to hold a referendum on the question of establishing compulsory military service in Australia. Rt. Hon. William M. Hughes, the prime minister, on his return from England recently suggested the adoption of a conscription plan. This aroused some opposition, which led to the adoption of the present proposal.

Mr. Hughes spent some months in England, having traveled from Australia by way of Victoria and across Canada and the Atlantic. He addressed many meetings and spoke at numerous dinners and banquets and was a delegate at the great economic conference of the entente powers at Paris. He visited the front, where he made a close observation of the operations, and he also saw the details of training in England. Throughout his addresses he made statements which indicated his belief that the entente powers must put forth their utmost efforts to achieve an early and complete triumph.

## 800 MILES MORE FRONT FOR ENEMY

### Roumania's Move Means That Morahit Very Careful in His Remarks

Berlin, Aug. 30.—Major Morahit, in the Tagelatt, writes:

"Our front now is lengthened by nearly 800 miles, from Bukovina to the Roumanian border north of Varna. In view of Roumania's peculiar geographical conformation, she will have to attach importance to her fortresses in case of an attack proceeding from Hungary."

"Roumania's mobilization is of very limited interest to us, since, like Italy's mobilization, it was practically concluded before the declaration of war. We may assume, therefore, that little time will elapse before the first clashes take place on the Hungarian border."

"Roumania's network of strategic railroads is characterized as efficient. From her central position Roumania can shift her army in any direction according as she wishes to attack in the region of Bukovina or Siebenburgen, or the Danube."

"For a Russian march through Roumania, the railroad through Kischinev-Galatz is available. From there the Russian army, whose goal is Bulgaria, probably would have to march about through Dobruja."

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### SERBIAN TROOPS ARE CONTINUING ADVANCE

Moving Toward Vetrenik; Paris Points Out Falseness of Bulgarian Claims

Paris, Aug. 30.—The following official statement dealing with the Balkan operations was issued last night: "There is nothing new on the Struma sector. "Since yesterday there have been lively artillery actions around Lake Doiran and on the banks of the Vardar, where we destroyed the Marzenet aviation field, west of Lake Doiran. Our progress continues in the direction of the Ljumnica river. "The Serbians yesterday continued their advance toward Vetrenik, and repulsed strong Bulgarian attacks on Hill 1,566, northwest of Lake Ostrovo, and farther to the south. A number of prisoners, including several officers, were left in Serbian hands. "The Bulgarian official communications continue to allude to alleged successes of their wings toward the east and south of Kozitza, southwest of Florina. In reality, since the beginning of operations the Bulgarians have occupied only the undefended portion of Greek territory, while to the west of Lake Ostrovo the left wing of the Serbian army has stopped all enemy attacks and has inflicted heavy losses."

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### MINOR ACTIONS ON FRONT IN FRANCE

15,489 Captured by British Since July 1; Wilhelm Dismisses Falkenhayn

London, Aug. 30.—The following official statement was issued last night: "The only infantry engagement to-day, besides the usual trench-bombing encounters, was the approach of a small hostile force toward our trenches near the Pozieres windmill, north of the Somme, which was quickly dispersed by our fire, leaving seven men killed. "Although heavy thunder storms made observations difficult, there was considerable artillery activity, the enemy shelling the Delville wood heavily (this morning, and also the vicinities of the Pozieres windmill, Authuille and the Thiépval wood during the afternoon. On other parts of the line there was artillery shelling by both sides near the Hohenzollern redoubt, in front of Quency, Givency and the Ypres salient. "Twenty prisoners were taken in the last 24 hours, making the total captured by us since July 1, 286 officers and 15,489 other ranks, in addition to 55 guns and 166 machine guns, besides other war material. "Yesterday in aeroplane encounters four enemy machines were accounted for, two being destroyed and two badly damaged. Two of ours are missing."

Weather Bad.

Paris, Aug. 30.—The following official report was issued last night: "There is nothing of importance to report. During the day had weather hampered operations on the greater part of the front." Falkenhayn Goes.

Berlin, Aug. 30.—Kaiser Wilhelm has dismissed Gen. Erich von Falkenhayn and appointed Field Marshal von Hindenburg chief of the general staff.

Copenhagen, via London, Aug. 30.—The Ritzau News Agency publishes a dispatch giving the official announcement of Gen. von Falkenhayn's dismissal by Kaiser Wilhelm as chief of the general staff and the appointment of Field Marshal von Hindenburg to the post. Gen. von Ludendorff, von Hindenburg's chief of staff, the dispatch adds, has been appointed first quartermaster general.

It has been stated on several occasions that von Falkenhayn had fallen into disrepute with Kaiser Wilhelm and the public, chiefly because of the complete failure at Verdun. It also was said that the higher authorities had determined to make him a scapegoat, the crown-prince being really responsible for the great reverse to German arms.

### FURTHER SUCCESSES REPORTED BY ROME

Along Whole Front Italians Cheered Entry of Rumania into War

Rome, Aug. 30.—"Along the Trentino front," said an official statement issued last evening, "our troops gained some brilliant successes."

"In a skirmish on the slopes of Monte Majo, in the Posina valley, we drove back the enemy with heavy losses, taking about twenty prisoners. "On Monte Cimone we compelled the enemy to withdraw on a section of his front north of the summit. "In the Fussa, area of Avisio, our Alpine troops gained possession of the rocky peak of Monte Cauriol, which rises abruptly 8,000 feet. The position was consolidated and is being held. "The enemy shelled heavily our positions on Monte Sief, in the upper Cyprevalle, on Castelletto Tognano and in the upper valleys of the But and Fria. "On the lower Isongo the outskirts of Gorizia and the Gradisca were occasionally shelled. "An enemy aeroplane dropped bombs and arrows on the Cortina d'Ampezzo basin without causing damage. "Yesterday along the whole battle-front our first line troops cheered the entry into the war of Rumania, our new ally. The enemy replied with a fierce artillery fire and with trench mortars and machine guns, but was promptly silenced."

Vienna, Aug. 30.—An official statement issued yesterday said: "After obstinate fighting, Monte Cauriol fell into the enemy's hands."

### TURKS DRIVEN FROM POSITIONS ON LINE WEST OF LAKE VAN

Petrograd, Aug. 30.—The following official statement was issued last night: "In the region of Toboly-Helini an enemy attack on our position on the western bank of the Stockhod river was repelled. During the day 17 enemy fired 2,000 phosphating gas shells in this region. "Caucasian front: On the line from Kykl to the western shore of Lake Van our troops have driven the enemy out of his positions. An attack launched by Turks west of Ognott was repulsed. Before the front of one of our battalions about 400 killed were found."

The sales of Noblemen Cigars have more than trebled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

### NO DOUBT CRANBROOK WILL VOTE LIBERAL

Only Speculation is as to Dr. King's Majority; Brewster Spoke There

Cranbrook, Aug. 25.—This constituency is one of those which the Bowser press is grudgingly conceding to the Liberals. There is no doubt as to how the people are going to vote; they intend to elect Dr. J. H. King by a majority so large that it is likely to mean the Bowser candidate losing his deposit. Four meetings were held in the riding by Mr. Brewster and Mr. Macdonald in support of Dr. King's candidature, that held in the Auditorium in this city being attended by over 500 people. At it Mr. Macdonald, who resided here for some years, was the recipient of an ovation and of expressions of confidence second only to those he got from his constituents in Vancouver. One of the ablest of the Liberal candidates now seeking election and all are men of high type is Dr. King, who has been a resident of Cranbrook since the early days of construction of the C. P. R. West Pass branch. He is a son of Senator King, a name linked closely with New Brunswick Liberalism, and he has always taken a keen interest in politics and public affairs. A graduate in medicine of McGill University, he has taken several post-graduate courses, in British, Continental and American hospitals. He is an exceedingly clever surgeon and a general practitioner of wide experience. In great part the reputation of the general hospital here is due to him. His services are sought by patients from every part of the Kootenays, and he is a very busy man indeed. Esteemed Citizen.

To the people of Cranbrook Dr. King is the beloved physician, both by reason of his professional attainments and his fine personal character. Their esteem for him was shown early in his residence here by his election to the legislature in 1904, and in 1907 he was elected. While in the legislature he took an active share in the business of the House, and his colleagues appointed him chief opposition whip. His defeat in 1909 was chiefly due to the plugging which was resorted to on behalf of the government candidate, the same whom he is shortly to have the satisfaction of soundly defeating. In 1911 he was chosen to contest Kootenay for the House of Commons. Dr. King's popularity and ability are being used against him in a quiet way in canvassing by the Bowser party. The argument (?) is advanced that if elected it will mean his absence from the city for a couple of months in the year, and that in the event of a Liberal victory he is more than likely to be lost permanently for so long as a Liberal cabinet remains in office. In the bills advertising the Bowser meeting here it was announced definitely that Dr. King would speak, this little ruse being resorted to in the hope that it would secure a larger attendance. At Wycliffe.

At Wycliffe are situated the mills of the Staples Lumber Company, established by the late Otis Staples, whose death is still a matter of vivid regret through all this neighborhood. At that point there are about 150 men employed at the rear round, and there is a daily cut of some 90,000 feet. This is shipped to the engorging prairie market, both as rough and planed lumber, and in the raw as material for manufacture in sash-and-door factories. The industry is being managed by the sons of the late Mr. Staples, who inherit their father's business ability and woodman's instinct. Mr. Brewster held a meeting in the recreation hall of the Staples mill, a large and airy room, fitted up for gymnasium purposes and with an excellent dancing floor, in which 45 employees of the mill who were off shift assembled. They listened to Dr. King and Mr. Brewster as they discussed the issues of the day and the policies of the Liberal party, and testified their approval by hearty applause. Many of them went down to Cranbrook in the evening and heard the speeches in greater detail there. At Sullivan Mine.

The Sullivan mine stands on the forehead of a hill, 900 feet above Kimberley town, two miles away by road. There the Consolidated Company has 210 men at work digging out silver-lead ore and shipping 500 tons a day to the smelter at Trail. From the little town at the mine there is one of the vistas when one gets up 4,500 feet or more. Twenty miles to the south, lying at the foot of Mount Baker—not the snow-capped mountain which looks over the Gulf of Georgia, but a lesser elevation named for the late Col. Baker, a one-time minister of the crown in British Columbia—lies Cranbrook, invisible behind intervening hills. Looking across miles of what is approximately level ground lies the rampart of the main range of the Rockies, covered with a light covering of snow on its topmost peaks; close by with the illusion of hills, but actually from 40 to 50 miles away. A payroll of \$27,000 is largely spent in Kimberley. The miners are an excellent type, and about 60 of them are voters. At Marysville, five miles away and in view among the trees, there was established a smelter several years ago. This has not been in operation for a long time, the legislation put on the statute books of British Columbia not being such as to encourage the operation of small smelters. An open air meeting was held at the Sullivan mine. The miners sat on the edge of the veranda at the bunk house or on the grass in front, while Mr. Brewster, Mr. Macdonald and Dr. King spoke from the veranda. The feeling among the men is strongly in favor of the Liberal candidate. Fort Steele.

Fort Steele is an old-time post, one log-building still in use as a store-bearing the date of its erection, 1854. It

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lies in the valley bottom between the Parsell and the Brisco ranges, on the banks of the Kootenay and St. Mary rivers. Mining was carried on along Wild Horse Creek half a century ago. There is agriculture and stock-raising carried on, and rail transport is afforded by the Kootenay Central branch of the C. P. R. northward and southward. The district is almost solid for Dr. King. Several of the electors were met by Mr. Brewster and they appreciated the honor of a call from the future premier. At Bull River the C. P. R. has a large lumber mill and extensive yards. Much of the lumber used on the Crow's Nest Pass line and the Kootenay branches is cut there. In the same district lies Wardner, a busy sawmill town, where the Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company cuts the lumber from its limits up the Columbia valley. With a daily capacity of 150,000 feet, the mill is running to capacity on a ten-hour day. It discharges a steady flood of sawn lumber on the markets of the treeless prairie. At Wardner a meeting was held by Mr. Brewster, Mr. Macdonald and Dr. King, the feeling being ten to one in Dr. King's favor. There were 110 men at the meeting, at the close of which resounding cheers were given for the leaders and the candidate. On the occasion of the Bowser visit to Fort Steele R. F. Green was telling the people that after the war Canada would fill up rapidly with settlers. An old miner snapped out: "Ay, Chapsmen," and Mr. Green switched off to something else. All through the tour of the Kootenays Mr. Green got scant hearing from audiences, and it is a pretty safe guess that he will not be elected to the Commons, if he is a candidate again.

Cranbrook Roads. Cranbrook has some peculiar vagaries of its own to offer to students of public roads. Perhaps T. D. Caven had this in mind unconsciously when so spoke of his success in securing votes for roads. Ordinarily, in human experience, one road by the most direct route is all that any traffic demands, but here a friendly government has rewarded local support by prodigal expenditure of funds contributed by the province at large. For instance, there are five roads between here and Fort Steele, one of them devious, and from here to the Mission three roads run. Why is this? Is there such a heavy traffic that a constant stream of travel on many roads keeps the highways crowded? Not at all. Roads are built in this riding, as they are everywhere by the Tory government solely for their political effect, or else because incapacity has led to their being located time after time in the wrong place. What would any city or town think of an engineer who laid out a road where rising floods at times would submerge it, where sliding side-hills would obliterate it or where impossible grades would render it difficult to haul anything over it? Yet that has been done in other places than Strathcona Park; done in areas of the province where the people being served are not the wealthy touring class from an alien land but the men and women who are, comparatively speaking, striving to make a home for their little ones and build up a prosperous province. The Reasons.

The innumerable roads to nearby places are due on the one hand to engineering incapacity, augmented by party interference, and on the other to the supposed need to placate this or that other supporter by ruining a road past his land. It is a very significant fact to consider how some of the needless roads to the Mission and Fort Steele run, and to what farms and ranches they give access. The ownership gives more than excuse for the charge that roads are built not for public convenience but for the reward of party supporters. In addition to some of the roads, built one after the other, because in some cases the lower level had been reached by the rising water of the river, becoming flooded in the spring freshets, there are many which do not conform to the engineers' idea of a good road. Instead of a competent engineer being sent out to locate a road in the proper place and with reasonable grades, first one road is built and then, when it is washed out or because it is necessary to continue the road work for its political uses, another and another is started. This, by the way, is not peculiar to Cranbrook; it has been heard of in diverse districts of the province. Reid's Folly.

There are some strange roads in all countries; so-and-so's folly is not an infrequent sobriquet. In the vicinity of Wycliffe is Reid's folly. The grandfather of the thoroughfare, if such it can be called, is the road superintendent of the district. He conceived the idea of building a road up from the flat on which the Staples mill is situated to a higher level, and tried to drive it through a sand-hill. The side-cut will always keep sliding and blowing down on the roadway, and the track itself is so heavy that it takes every ounce of strength in a powerful

### PORTUGUESE GUNBOAT DROVE OFF SUBMARINE

London, Aug. 30.—The German submarine U-23 attacked a Portuguese gunboat off the entrance to the harbor of Lisbon on Monday night, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from the Portuguese capital. The torpedo fired by the submarine raised its mark and the submarine submerged when the gunboat opened fire on it.

### BRITISH CASUALTIES.

London, Aug. 30.—The war office has announced that the British casualties last week totalled 31,272. Of these 1,047 were officers, of whom 278 were killed. The casualties among enlisted men were 30,225, of whom 4,891 were killed. The reason there are so many divorces is that up-to-date society hasn't discovered a way of keeping fools out of matrimony.

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Order of Public Service Commission of Washington as It Affects Seattle

Seattle, Aug. 30.—The termination of all existing contracts providing for a lower telephone rate than that of \$2 per month is the net result of the public service commission's order to the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company as it affects Seattle patrons, according to an interpretation given by the city's utilities department. The order provides that "all so-called 'absolute rates' shall be eliminated from the company's rates and schedules beginning Sept. 1, the tariff of rates being: Individual business wall set, \$7.50 per month; individual residence wall set, \$3; two-party residence wall set, \$2.50; four-party residence wall set, \$2. These are flat rates. The company in its published tariffs refuses to install unlimited service telephones in theatres and restaurants, or to put in hall telephones in apartment houses. The result will be to increase the revenue of the company 26 per cent annually over the \$180,186 net revenue now obtained. The valuation of the company's property in Seattle, with its 53,289 telephones, as fixed by the state commission, is \$6,644,889.05. An additional provision in the new order is the \$3.50 charge which the company may make for the installation of a telephone.

### BEQUEST FROM STATES TO BRITISH REGIMENT

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 30.—A bequest of \$100,000 to his Britannic majesty's 10th Lincolnshire Regiment is contained in the will of Charles L. Austin, late resident of Boston and Portsmouth, who once was an officer of the regiment. Under the terms of the will, the money is to be available in twelve years for the purpose of caring for sick and wounded of the regiment in time of war. In time of peace the money may be used for celebrations, on birthdays of former, present and future kings and queens of Great Britain and on mess nights.

### 430,000 IRON CROSSES.

Copenhagen, Aug. 30.—The Kiel Zeitung says that 430,000 iron crosses have been conferred up to the present, of which 420,000 were of the second class, each weighing 18 grammes and composed of half cast iron and half silver.

### FAY ESCAPED.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 30.—Robert Fay, said to have been a former German army officer, convicted of conspiracy against the United States in connection with ammunition plots in New York, escaped from the federal prison here yesterday, with William Knoblock, another prisoner.

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

OTTAWA, Aug. 30.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. J. Bourgois, Quebec.

Died of wounds—Pte. H. L. Hallam, Toronto.

Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Pte. H. Allison, Winnipeg; Pte. Leo Belanger, Montreal; Lieut. W. A. McKenzie, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Pte. Roseman, Providence, R. I.; Pte. E. A. Young, St. Thomas, Ont.

Dangerously ill—Pte. Thos. Palmer, Elgin, Neb.

Wounded—Pte. M. G. Fulton, Vegreville, Alta.; Pte. Arthur Howell, Saskatoon; Pte. C. M. Leaman, North Bay, Ont.; Pte. C. W. McCann, Bradford, Ont.; Pte. Jos. Magines, Vancouver, B. C.; Pte. Wilfred Morrison, Selkirk, Man.; Pte. Joe Morin, St. John, N. B.; Pte. Bannie Gougan, Cape Bald, N. S.; Pte. J. Raled, Winnipeg; Pte. J. T. Thompson, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mounted Rifles. Reported missing; now officially reported prisoner of war—Pte. W. R. Nixon, Redpath, Sask.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. G. R. McCormack, Arden, Man.

Wounded—Pte. E. Sanderson, Regina; Pte. Amos Murdoch, Irish River, Man.; Pte. Jas. Robinson, Toronto; Pte. W. Reed, Yorkton, Sask.

Artillery. Wounded—Gnr. J. R. Davison, Vancouver, B. C.; Gnr. Thomas McDonald, Sydney Mines, N. S.; Sgt. Henry C. Harris, Vancouver.

Killed in action—Pte. A. E. Adams, Toronto; Pte. A. W. Briggs, Orillia, Ont.; Pte. Thos. Burdett, London, Ont.; Pte. Jos. Connolly, Prince Edward Island; Pte. A. Day, Wilton, Ont.; Pte. T. B. Henderson, Edmonton; Pte. W. E. Mullin, Stratham, N. B.; Pte. Leo Wickens, Hamilton; Pte. Fred Williamson, Calgary; Pte. M. W. Ryan, Ottawa.

Died of wounds—Pte. W. W. White, Brydges, Ont.; Pte. J. H. Ellis, London, Ont.; Pte. Thos. McGeorge, Scotland; Pte. R. H. Myles, Regina; Pte. G. Newman, Sarnia, Ont.

Died—Pte. A. E. Hewitt, Hadley, Sask.

Previously reported killed; now officially reported prisoner—Lieut. F. G. Russell, St. Catharines, Ont.

Seriously ill—Pte. I. F. Hudson, Hall, N. Y.

Previously reported wounded; now officially returned to duty—Lieut. F. D. Raymond, Montreal.

Wounded—Pte. R. L. Kalne, McAdam, N. B.; Pte. H. D. Morton, Acadiaville, N. B.; Pte. Frank Smith, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. Alfred Todd, Ottawa; Pte. Geo. Thompson, Ottawa; Pte. R. A. Ward, Toronto; Pte. W. A. White, Toronto; Pte. Fred Adams, Scarborough, Ont.; Pte. T. G. Bancroft, Whitby, Ont.; Pte. Frank Beasley, Marysville, N. B.; Pte. Jos. Dawson, Tomorden, Ont.; Pte. E. E. Duette, Bloomfield, Ont.; Pte. F. A. Edgecomb, Fredericton, N. B.; Pte. John Egan, Frensham, Ont.; Pte. R. M. Ford, Toronto; Pte. W. J. Hawkins, St. John, N. B.; Pte. F. M. Jorjoux, Toronto; Pte. F. S. Leach, St. John, N. B.; Pte. H. McArthur, Belleville, Ont.; Pte. Chas. Mason, Woodstock, Ont.; Lieut. F. H. Mingle, Montreal; Major Frank S. Povah (on duty), Toronto; Pte. Jas. Robinson, Charlottetown; P. E. T.; Pte. H. Topp, Montreal; Pte. H. Vermette, Montreal; Pte. W. H. Walker, Oshawa, Ont.

Mounted Rifles. Killed in action—Cpl. C. Collins, Hamilton; Pte. D. G. Cooke, Toronto; Pte. G. F. Douglas, Toronto; Pte. H. T. Harper, Toronto; Pte. Alex. Woodworth, Ancaster, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. E. G. Clark, Mount Denis, Ont.; Pte. P. J. Walsh, Toronto; Pte. P. D. Corning, Yarmouth, N. S.; Pte. W. C. Gillies (returned to duty), Red Deer, Alta.; Pte. Stewart Harcus, Toronto; Pte. J. R. Leonard, Franklin, Man.; Pte. Alfred Pitt, Sutherland, Sask.; Pte. S. G. Platt, Redney, Ont.; Pte. W. E. Prece, Toronto; Pte. H. W. Reid, Prince Albert, Sask.; Cpl. E. O. Rula, Agincourt, Ont.; Cpl. Richard Rusik, Gainsboro, Sask.; Pte. B. Therien, Quebec.

Artillery. Killed in action—Sgt. R. N. Tobin, Sydney, N. S.

Died—Gnr. Thos. Goldie, Guelph.

Previously reported missing; now

officially reported dead—Gnr. F. J. Murphy, Halifax.

Wounded—Gnr. Dan Moylin, Ottawa, Engineers.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported dead—Sapper S. F. Robinson, Summerside, P. E. I.

Wounded—Sapper John Greenhaigh, Toronto, Engineers.

Died of wounds—Pte. K. Colebrook, England.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially, prisoner—Pte. Chas. Ward, England.

Wounded—Pte. John Patterson, Scotland; Sgt. John Jolly, England; Pte. C. H. Jones, Wales; Pte. James Ledingham, Scotland; Pte. Daniel Lewis, South Wales; Pte. Wm. Moret, Italy; Pte. James McGregor, Scotland; Pte. John McLaughlin, Scotland; Pte. J. J. McKinnon, Ireland; Pte. Fred Nash, England; Pte. Walter Noworthy, England; Pte. Thomas Rees, Wales; Pte. Arthur Rowe, England; Pte. R. S. Sidders, England; Pte. Richard Storey, England.

Mounted Rifles. Killed in action—Pte. W. F. Hetherington, Ireland; Pte. R. J. Purdy, Ireland.

Died of wounds—Pte. John Allan, Scotland.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially, prisoner of war—Cpl. T. F. Burridge, England.

Reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoners of war—Cpl. Wm. Braybrook, England; Pte. E. A. Hancock, England; Pte. Chas. Henrman, England; Pte. John Forbes, Scotland.

Reported missing; now officially reported prisoner—Pte. A. Wadsworth, England.

Wounded—Pte. C. Gartner, England; Pte. Henry Hayman, England; Pte. Thos. Sands, England; Pte. James Stewart, Scotland.

Artillery. Died—Gnr. J. M. Wallace, Scotland.

Previously reported unofficially, now officially, prisoner of war—Gnr. E. G. Russell, England.

Engineers. Dangerously ill—Sapper Andrew Wright, England.

Wounded—Sapper A. J. Bell, England; Capper D. P. Brown, Scotland; Sapper T. G. Harris, South Wales; Sapper Thomas Hayes, England; Sapper T. W. Johnson, England.

Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. M. Lyons, Edmonton; Pte. Wm. Harrison, Edmonton; Pte. D. James, Oakville, Ont.

Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Pte. O. Crain, England; Pte. A. Donaldson, England; Pte. Thos. Girham, Toronto; Pte. A. Leveille, Montreal; Pte. H. McLean, Edmonton; Pte. Fred Peers, Edmonton; Pte. F. W. Reeves, Hamilton; Pte. Wm. Ritchie, Bayaida, Ont.; Pte. J. Squires, Winnipeg; Pte. R. McLaughlin, South; Pte. Wm. S. S. Pte. Frank Napier, Toronto; Pte. J. Soden, New York; Pte. Thos. Waterfield, New Aberdeen, C. B.

Wounded and missing—Pte. J. McLaren, Vancouver, B. C.

Seriously ill—Pte. Norman Kay, 6th Battalion, Victoria, B. C.

Wounded—Pte. G. Debrock, Moose Jaw; Pte. John Whelan, Cedarville, Ont.; Pte. P. Bettrah, Walawright, Alta.; Sgt. Major John Bowen, Halifax; Pte. Thos. Collins, Cactus, Sask.; Pte. Thos. Daniel, Red Deer, Alta.; Pte. H. M. Douglas, Toronto; Pte. John Duff, Quebec; Pte. A. Evans, Rainy River, Ont.; Pte. J. Garnham, Toronto; Pte. Geo. George, Harrys Bay, Ont.; Pte. George Giger, Newcastle, N. S.; Pte. Augustin Goulet, Quebec; Pte. J. Foley, Wardenville, Sask.; Pte. R. H. Newell, Edson, Alta.; Pte. Chas. Sidell, Quebec; Pte. Wm. Wilson, Marlinghurst, Man.

Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Pte. John F. Hamilton, Hamilton; Pte. John Hamilton, Winnipeg.

Previously reported missing; now returned to duty—Pte. Edward Webb, Mannville, Alta.

Mounted Rifles. Died—Pte. J. Brown, Toronto.

Wounded—Pte. Edward Squire, Toronto; Pte. John Henderson, Shelbrooke, Sask.

Artillery. Died of wounds—Gnr. Edward Grant, Bella Cooga, B. C.

Wounded—Gnr. W. J. Hurley, Brantford; Gnr. H. McPherson, Indianapolis, Engineers.

Killed in action—Sapper Wm. Gray, Joggins Mines, N. S.

Wounded—Driver M. W. Carden, Anxox, B. C.

Mounted Services. Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Lieut. John Gait, Winnipeg.

NORWEGIAN VESSEL SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Rottensdam, Aug. 30.—The 1,000-ton Norwegian ship Rottensdam has been sunk. Nineteen of her crew arrived in the waterway to-day on a tugboat.

NANAIMO AUDIENCE LAUGHED AT BOWSER

His References to Being Returned to Power Greeted With Derision

Nanaimo, Aug. 30.—Roars of laughter and cries of "Yes, you will!" greeted Premier Bowser at his meeting in the opera house here last night whenever he made any reference to his being returned to power on September 14.

The opera house was crowded. Mr. Bowser reviewed the record of the government and criticized the campaign tactics of the Liberal leader. Although the premier was given an attentive hearing, with little interruption, he also was but little applauded and the feeling of the meeting was shown by roars of laughter and cries.

On the Atlantic exclusion question Mr. Bowser said the Dominion government alone had control over immigration and that his government could take no action in the matter. He was surprised that Mr. Sloan, the Liberal candidate in Nanaimo, had this plank in his own platform because when Mr. Sloan was a member of the federal House he had said not a word in that regard.

A voice: "Did you know that the federal government alone had complete jurisdiction over Asiatic exclusion when you passed your notorious Natal Act in 1907?" No answer.

Mr. Brewster talked about abolishing patronage, which was foolish, said Mr. Bowser. Up in the Okanagan the only complaint Mr. Brewster had to make was something about a carpet and government used in the entertainment of the bureau at Victoria. The premier suggested that they should add spittoons.

A voice: "Brewster can use those spoons on the 14th."

SASK. COMMISSION SCORES TORY SCHEME

Conservatives Trying to Use Battleford Asylum Investigation Politically

Regina, Aug. 30.—That the Tory lawyers handling the investigation into the construction of the Battleford asylum on behalf of J. E. Bradshaw, Conservative member of the Saskatchewan legislature for Prince Albert, merely come before the royal commission inquiring into the contract and stir up a row, is the opinion of the commission. The commission, which is presided over by Sir Frederick Haultain, chief justice of Saskatchewan and chairman of the royal commission, the remark was occasioned by an insinuation by J. F. Bryant, senior Tory counsel, that certain documents on file had been specially prepared by the contractors for viewing by the commission in other words, fake evidence. Sir Frederick said he would not allow questions of that sort to be asked, and that the accusations were entirely unwarranted.

Nothing Done. Mr. Bryant also received a very straight intimation from the commissioners that the time has arrived when he should come down with evidence in an effort to substantiate the charges made. The commission held its first meeting on March 14 last, five and a half months ago, and Sir Frederick intimated that no evidence had yet been brought before it to substantiate the particulars filed in respect of the charges.

"The sooner you get down to a line of examination of positive evidence different from that which you have been conducting during the last two weeks, which as far as we know at present leads nowhere, the better for the sake of justice," said Sir Frederick. "The time has come when you should put in positive evidence. I must confess I am growing a little impatient at the line of examination of the last two weeks."

Throughout the entire sittings yesterday the commissioners had to call the Tory member's counsel to a proper appreciation of the work they were engaged on, and to insist that they get away from generalities and insinuations against witnesses, and produce evidence to support the charges before the commission. At one stage the chairman stated to Mr. Bryant that it looked to him as though he, Bryant, went through government files produced in an effort to find something wrong rather than bring his proof that something really was wrong.

Everything Produced. The government has produced to counsel all the files and documents asked for. Every department engaged in any work on the asylum has been ransacked by government officials in order to place every paper and document before the commission. A room in the parliament buildings has been placed in commission to hold these documents, and a special constable is in attendance in order to see that nothing goes astray. With all these documents before them and all the assistance given, the Tory counsel repeatedly come before the commission and make insinuations against witnesses in a deliberate attempt to influence not only the commission, but also the public. At a recent sitting Judge Newlands, one of the commissioners, openly charged Mr. Bryant with an attempt to deceive the commissioners in the matter of evidence.

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JOHN KEEN WILL REPRESENT KASLO

People Will Elect Him Over R. J. Long; Brewster Spoke in Riding

Creston, B. C., Aug. 24.—A tour from north to south of the constituency of Kaslo impresses upon an impartial visitor from without the certainty of the election of John Keen, the Liberal candidate, who has for long years been one of the stalwarts of the party in the Kootenays.

To the mining district which formerly was the major portion of the old constituency has been added the agricultural district of Creston from the now defunct constituency of Ymir. The two portions lie on opposite sides of Kootenay lake, Kaslo west, towards its northern end and Creston at its foot.

In Mr. Keen the Liberals have a splendid candidate, a man who has had experience in the House, where he made his mark, who knows his riding like a book and who has the esteem of everyone. He is an old artillery man, and saw much service for the empire before he settled in the Kootenays. His abilities were availed of for some time in the position of government agent at Kaslo. The Bowser candidate is Robert J. Long, a farmer on a large scale living a few miles outside this town. Mr. Long is well thought of, and has a great many friends, but neither he nor any other candidate can carry the load of the Bowser record in this constituency, and some of his closest friends openly declare their intention of voting against him.

Kaslo.

The town of Kaslo is charmingly situated on a hillside, looking out over the north arm of Kootenay lake. Its homes are set in glorious gardens and invite the visitor to linger. Mining is reviving in this old-established mineral area, from which great wealth will yet be taken, and this helps to keep the commercial interests of the town in a prosperous condition.

Mr. Brewster and those in his party reached Kaslo from Procter on board Rev. Dr. Calvert's missionary launch, which Dr. Calvert placed at his service and ran himself. In this little craft Dr. Calvert serves the lake settlements, holding service and providing a quick means of conveying medical assistance.

The famous Bluffet mine, from which ore has been mined for over fifty years, is in plain view at Rondel, on the east shore of the lake. A fair amount of fruit-growing is carried on about the benches on both shores. One of the settlements passed on the way is Mirror lake, which has its own electric light plant, run by water power. Every house is connected with the system and a row of lights twinkles along the waterfront after dusk.

Creston.

Creston is a thriving community, with a wide-awake population and a live board of trade. It has natural advantages which its people are making the most of, and they could do even better were there a business government in power. With this in view, the electors will do their share towards securing such a government by electing the Liberal candidate in Kaslo.

The number of orchards in this district is large, and on the increase. Sheltered by hills on the north and east from nipping winds, the district is exempt from frosts. At Wyndel, a few miles north, strawberries are being grown on an extensive scale. This season, from the district as a whole, there have been shipped out 30,000 crates of strawberries, raspberries and currants. The output has been from fifty to seventy-five per cent. in advance of last year. The increase in the apple crop, while not so great, will be very considerable. The growers find the railway accommodation for small-lot shipments a handicap, and they seek the assistance of whatever government may be in power to secure the provision of ice cars for small-lot shipments just as for car-load lots.

South and east of the town lie level meadows which are overflowed by the Kootenay river at high water and in its part are always submerged. There are 20,000 and 40,000 acres of these rich lands, which the people of Creston are anxious to see reclaimed. The presence of Mr. Brewster was taken advantage of by the board of trade to present him with a memorial dealing with this and other matters deemed of local concern.

Roads. The district has its own road troubles, which were brought to Mr. Brewster's notice. Some of the roads mentioned could be made infinitely more useful by their continuation for from one-half to three miles. The Great Northern railway at present is dismantling its line from Port Hill, Idaho, to Wyndel, and the people are anxious that the province should secure the right-of-way before the bridges are taken out for use as a wagon road.

School Taxes. The injustice of the present law in regard to the collection of school taxes presses here, as in so many other rural centres. The arrears which the government is allowing to accumulate means a serious reduction in the resources of trustees, as the government refuses to make any payment in advance of the collection of taxes, and the deficit left each year hampers the work of boards and is a set-back to education. Here the shortage in the collection of the school taxes by the government is considerable.

One personal result of it, and one which ought not to exist, is that teachers are left in arrears of salary. The summer trustees had to advance money to teachers out of their own pockets to enable them to get away on their mid-summer vacation. If there is any class that should not have to wait for sal-

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Called His Bluff. The premier when here indulged in a cheap fling at the opposition on the score that it had no candidates in uniform, and he endeavored to create the impression that the Liberal party is lacking in loyalty. Mr. Bowser's livid way has gone him one better, with his contemptible and calculated falsehood that the opposition in its heart is disloyal. Mr. Bowser told his audience that he had eighty acres of land which he would be glad to hand over to any Liberal who would take it off his hands. He did not say whether he thought it would be an act of patriotism to do this.

Robert Lamont, a prominent farmer and land-owner, called his bluff. He made an offer, as yet unaccepted, that gives the premier a two-to-one chance. He is willing, in case the government is sustained, to hand over 160 acres of land to be sold for the benefit of the patriotic fund, if Mr. Bowser will agree to devote his eighty acres to the same cause in case of defeat.

Machines Busy. The use of patronage to keep the voter in line, and the unwholesome activities of officials, as political agents of the government are as great an evil in this riding as in others. The road superintendents and foremen, five wardens and other cogs of the machine are all busy, and so is J. H. Schofield, who represented the Creston-half of Kaslo when it was in Ymir. It is only the other day that "Jim" Schofield, a fire warden, a game warden and a weed inspector were seen on a certain hotel veranda with a copy of the voters' list, canvassing who were friendly and who were in doubt!

TURKISH STATEMENT.

Berlin, Aug. 30.—Turkish troops are advancing step by step in the Caucasus and have broken the resistance of the Russian troops who had occupied dominating heights. It was announced to-day by the Turkish war department. One Turkish detachment, it is said, found 1,000 Russian dead on the field.

Milton "Gibson doesn't seem to be getting rich at poultry raising." Bolton—"No, but he says his hens have taken to eating their own eggs, and he has hopes they'll become self-supporting."—Farm and Home (British).

announced to-day by the International & Great Northern Railroad.

Boston, Aug. 30.—The Boston & Albany railroad to-day notified its agents that all classes of freight should be accepted for shipment subject to delay.

Great Loss. Walla, Walla, Wash., Aug. 30.—An embargo on all fruit shipments and other perishable goods has been announced by the railroads here unless shipments can reach their destination by Saturday night. Big commercial orchardists have notified pickers and packers they will not be needed until the embargo is removed. Unless relief comes, the Walla Walla valley will lose half a million dollars worth of prunes.

Tacoma, Aug. 30.—Agents of the Northern Pacific railway were instructed last night that an embargo has been placed on perishable freight and livestock which can not reach its destination by Saturday night.

Portland, Aug. 30.—The Southern Pacific railway issued orders to-day declaring an embargo on freight shipments. Effective at once, all the non-perishable freight would be accepted subject to delay.

Would Work. Omaha, Neb., Aug. 30.—Judge Willis E. Sears, of the district court of Douglas county, to-day issued an order restraining the general and local officials of the Order of Railway Conductors, calling or enforcing a strike on the lines of the Union Pacific.

The order was issued on petition of Edwin A. Hamilton, a conductor on the Union Pacific and a member of the Order of Railway Conductors, who declares that he and many other employees of the road are anxious to continue at work.

Hearings. Washington, Aug. 30.—The senate interstate commerce committee adopted a resolution providing for hearings on proposed railroad legislation in the impending crisis beginning Thursday at 9 a. m. Railroad officials, brotherhood officials and representatives of shippers are invited to appear.

Each side will be given three hours in which to discuss its views of the legislation proposed by President Wilson to prevent the threatened strike and to provide for operation of trains in the event of a strike.

The committee has under consideration tentative drafts of three bills, one covering the proposed 5-hour day and creating a wage commission of three members, two to be recommended respectively by the railroads and the brotherhoods, which shall observe the administrative and financial effects of the institution of the 5-hour day. Another amends the Newlands Act to make arbitration more effective along the line of Canadian principles. The third provides for government operation of roads for military necessity.

Denver, Aug. 30.—The Denver & Rio Grande railway to-day issued an embargo on the receipt of all perishable freight and livestock which can not reach its destination before 11.59 p. m. on Sept. 2. Notice of the embargo has been sent to all stations along the system.

Houston, Tex., Aug. 30.—An embargo on all perishable food products and livestock, effective immediately was

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WHO NEXT?

What prospects are there of other nations now neutral being drawn into the orbit of the great war?

It is impossible to see how Holland can avoid intervening on the side of the entente powers before many months have passed.

But apart from the probability of a clash between Germany and Holland over submarine outrages there are other elements of combustion.

It is more likely, however, that whatever further trouble Germany blunders into will be due to atrocities by her submarines.

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ELECTION PROSPECTS.

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While in a political contest, as in all affairs of life in which opposing forces are arrayed against each other.

A VITAL PRINCIPLE AT STAKE.

The Premier admits that the government paid to the Pacific Great Eastern nearly \$7,000,000 in defiance of the law.

This contention of the Premier, of course, strikes at a fundamental principle of representative government.

Mr. Bowser claims that the government was justified in ignoring the law in respect of the overpayment to the Pacific Great Eastern.

We do not believe Mr. Bowser's views on this most important subject can be altered.

UNCLE SAM'S RAILROAD TROUBLE.

President Wilson has failed to bridge the gap between the railroad companies and the employees.

Undoubtedly a strike would operate greatly to the disadvantage of the present administration.

It is said that President Wilson's chief claim to re-election is the fact that he has kept the United States out of the conflict which is raging in Europe.

Our contemporary says it is without sufficient information to be able to say whether Foley, Welch & Stewart ought to retain their stock in the Pacific Great Eastern.

The morning paper says the stock of the Pacific Great Eastern if offered for sale would have realized "only a fraction" of its face value.

A correspondent writes suggesting that the storekeepers of Victoria probably are not conversant with the principles and penalties of the half-holiday act.

The Bowser organ is suffering agonies in its alleged desire to learn about the policy of the Liberals.

Mr. Hayward says the Liberals have a machine as bad as the Bowser apparatus.

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THE CAREFUL MR. HUGHES. Springfield Republican.

NOVELTIES IN PATRIOTISM. Christian Science Monitor.

GERMAN "HONOR." New York Herald.

TO WHICH DOES SIR SAM BELONG? From the Toronto Star.

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Queen Mary's Needlework Guild.—An informal meeting had been arranged to take place at the Empress hotel on Friday afternoon at 3.30 for the purpose of affording Miss C. Welland Merritt, honorary secretary of the Queen Mary Needlework Guild (Canadian branch), an opportunity to deliver a message from her majesty to the women in Victoria who are interested either in this particular undertaking or any other patriotic service. It is hoped that ladies who have the leisure will make an effort to be present.

Y. W. C. A. Auxiliary.—The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Y. W. C. A. annual meeting was held yesterday afternoon, Miss Edith Beard, vice-president, being in the chair at the commencement of the proceedings. The election of officers was one of the principal matters of business, and resulted as follows: Honorary president, Miss Edith Beard; president, Mrs. Herbert Pendray; vice-president, Miss Marlett; secretary, Miss Bromley-Jubb; treasurer, Miss Edith Mitchell. The elections were by acclamation. Miss Beard expects shortly to leave Victoria for the old country, having been accepted as a Red Cross nurse for overseas service. An officer of the auxiliary since its formation she will be greatly missed by the members, and Miss Bromley-Jubb very fittingly expressed the regret with which they parted with her although all realized that at this time they should think less of their own loss than of the important work which had to be done for the sake of the empire. A reception has been arranged by the auxiliary in honor of Miss Marlett, the newly-appointed general secretary. This function will take place at the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday evening, September 7, from 8 to 10 o'clock, when there will be a musical programme and refreshments. The public is invited.

Beauty Contest.—In connection with the grand field day and novelty meet to be held under the auspices of the V. I. A. A. in honor of the visit of H. M. S. Lancaster on Saturday next, there will be a beauty contest for Victoria's beautiful children. There are three classes for entry, viz: Baby to two years, boys up to six years of age, and girls up to six years of age. Splendid silver cups will be given to the winners in each class, the Judges to be officers of H. M. S. Lancaster. The judging will take place immediately after the parade.

Advertising Island Roads.—Charles L. Harris, secretary of the Island Automobile Association, went over to Seattle this afternoon, taking with him a number of photographs of the Malahat drive for use in the Post-Intelligencer in connection with the articles to be written by D. Shelor, the automobile editor. Mr. Shelor was unable to secure suitable photographs as the light was not right at the time he went over the famous drive. He left for Seattle yesterday.

Dispute about the credit to the by-law for material removed is also the cause for holding up the St. Andrew's street by-law from approval. With the exception of Henry street, where a principle is at stake, and which was one of the special objects of the inspection yesterday, the other streets do not involve any question of importance, and are merely referred back for reports on details.

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Another Leprosy Discovered.—A second case of leprosy has been discovered, of a more dangerous type than that referred to recently. The patient is in an advanced stage, so much so that it has been impossible to remove him to D'Arcy Island, and he is being detained at the Isolation hospital. The first Chinese leper has already been taken to D'Arcy Island, pending deportation. The new patient has been a resident of Canada for some time.

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### LANCASTER CONCERT A UNIQUE EVENT

Esquimalt Red Cross Should Benefit Considerably by Entertainment on Friday

The entertainment to be given by the officers and crew of H. M. S. Lancaster next Friday night in the old Victoria theatre in aid of the Esquimalt Red Cross should be of exceptional interest, as the ship's company has had previous rehearsals and critics present pronounce the programme as being one of unique interest.

A strong committee of Esquimalt ladies has the matter in hand, and several meetings have been held which have been attended by Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Beasonette, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, the Misses Montelth, Miss Alice Pooley, Miss Nora Lugin and Miss Dorothy Kirk, who have had charge of the arrangements. The entertainment and stage-managers are: For lighting and decoration, Mr. Rawlinson, R. N.; pianist, Esquimaire Lieut. McMillan, R. N.; conductor, Bandmaster Stagg; stage and general manager, Mr. Bishop, R. N. R. Signal-Boy Titcombe will make sketches of prominent citizens from the audience. These will be sold by auction by Mr. Venables, R. N., for the benefit of the Red Cross. Mr. Venables' father was a resident of the province some years ago, being well-known on the west coast as a prominent Church of England clergyman. All the performers are artists in their line, and the advance sale of seats has been so good that it is very doubtful if any will be left for sale on the evening of the concert.

Tickets are on sale at Fletcher's Music Store, T. N. Hibben & Co., B. C. Stationery, Gideon Hicks Piano Co., J. M. Whitney Jewellery Store, Mrs. Ross', Brown's two drug stores in Esquimalt, and George Mesher, Esquimalt; also at the offices of the chairman of the Esquimalt branch of the Red Cross Society, 511 Union Bank Building.

### ADJOURNED SITTING

Court of Revision on Local Improvements Met Again This Afternoon.

The more difficult cases adjourned from the court of revision on local improvements last Thursday are before the members this afternoon. An inspection of several of the streets in question was made yesterday, as a preliminary to the adjourned meeting.

Promise of considerable criticism with regard to Gorge road and Shelburne street has already been made at earlier attempts to confirm the assessment on these streets. Gorge road being dragged out a long time after being initiated, and was part of the group of streets done at the time of relief work under a special schedule of pay for laborers. The Shelburne street case is rather peculiar, as the owners object to being charged for a boulevard, claiming that the street should have been paved right across. There was a quantity of rock taken out of this street in the grading, which received partial credit against the by-law, but nothing like the amount they claim.

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### TO BORE FOR GAS

Vancouver People Stake Three Square Miles of Land Close to City.

The suggestion has been made that Victorians are living above a large deposit of natural gas, and that all that is necessary is to tap the reservoir, and there will be a sufficient supply to provide light and heat for the city. At any rate three Vancouver people believe in the possibilities to such an extent that they have taken the trouble to stake each a square mile of land on the west side of the Cedar Hill road, where they will ask permission from the next session of the legislature to bore for gas, coal oil or petroleum. The stakes are driven on property used for grazing purposes by Day & Roberts, the dairymen. They were put in this week, and they look like the real thing.

### LANCASTER TO PLAY JACKSONS TO-MORROW

The fast soccer team of H. M. S. Lancaster will play the Sir John Jackson team on the Canteen grounds to-morrow at 4.45. The Jacksons have lined up a good team and will make the sailors play their best game to win. There should be a large number of soccer enthusiasts at the game as the great play of Walker and Gulvin, the stars of the sailors, has aroused great enthusiasm among the football followers. The following will represent the Jacksons: Downey, Tunnicliffe, Grant, Rennie, Green, Allen, E. Bridges, Muir, Lieut. Filmore, Shrankish and Douglas; reserve, P. Bridges.

What Next!—The Socialists are aiming at the conversion of the capitalists, not at their extermination. Read Leaflet, No. 7, by the Socialist Democratic Party and vote for their candidates—Dan W. Poupard and Phil R. Smith.

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Third Troop, Boy Scouts.—The regular weekly meetings of the 3rd Troop Victoria Boy Scouts, will be resumed on Friday next. Scouts must be on parade at 7.25 p. m. Absolutely no leave will be granted from this week's parade.

Buried Yesterday.—The funeral of William Henry Smith took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral chapel. Rev. H. B. Hadlow officiated. The deceased was very popular, and there was a large attendance the floral tributes being numerous. The pallbearers were Messrs. William Armstrong, B. Goodfield, J. Burnett, R. Dewar, H. Fossies and E. Nock, all members of the B. C. Electric Railway Company. Employees of the company attended in a body.

Returned Soldiers' Association.—There was a large attendance at the weekly meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Association held at the headquarters, 701-3 Belmont House, last night. The question of social events

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"I am not a queen at present; I am a fellow sufferer and helper."  
No words ever uttered could express more forcefully the attitude of the entire Belgian populace than this pronouncement of Elizabeth, queen of the Belgians. This noble woman—noble in lineage and in character—has left home and children behind and, like her husband, is doing her share towards the succor of her country.

When King Albert said to his prime minister: "If necessary, you, my dear minister, and I will take our rifles and go into the battle." Queen Elizabeth, who was present, added, "And I, and with me all the Belgian women."  
Queen Elizabeth did not literally shoulder a rifle, but she has made her way among Belgium's suffering populace ever since the outbreak of the war, and has rendered invaluable assistance in the work of relieving those suffering the pangs of hunger and privation inflicted on them by the Germans.

Canadian women are urged to look upon her and ask themselves if they have helped as they should. Belgium is still suffering, and will continue to suffer until her rehabilitation after the war, and Canada and the other allied nations must give the support to her people that will keep up their moral strength—that great asset that held back the German hordes while Britain prepared. Hardly a Canadian woman but could save \$2.50 out of the money she spends carelessly during a month. That \$2.50 would keep a Belgian mother and her helpless babe from starving for a whole month, providing the money is sent to the local committee or the central Belgian relief committee, 89 St. Peter street, Montreal.

### PANTAGES THEATRE

It has remained for Harry Coleman, novelty ventriloquist, appearing this week at the Pantages theatre, to originate a walking manikin—the little figure which usually sits propped up on the knee of the performer. Coleman's "dummy" is a truly remarkable creature of his work. It is probably the cleverest mechanism ever used in an act of this kind. A lot of people would like to know how it works, but that is Coleman's secret and, since the manikin is a very constant companion of its owner, there is little opportunity offered for surreptitious investigation.

Mr. Coleman impersonates a warden in his act and gives his assistant exercise along the corridor of the prison in which he is confined, for the dummy is a prisoner in stripes.  
"I am the only ventriloquist who has been able to invent a walking dummy," said Mr. Coleman. "I hit upon an idea to make it practical and have been able to keep the secret. It is of course a novelty and a surprise to the audience, who are astonished when they see the dummy bending its knees in the dancetep we do together."

"A peculiar thing about my work is the fact that I never think of the part of the dialogue to be spoken by the dummy, but only of my own lines. What he says comes spontaneously and without thought on my part. Of course I know the dialogue for the dummy, otherwise I could not speak it, but subconsciously I deliver his speeches." Coleman and his remarkable act are great favorites on this week's bill. They were given a great reception at the opening show and their popularity increases as the week progresses. They

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### CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Leo Cherniavsky at age of 7  
To-day birthday congratulations are due Leo Cherniavsky, the violinist with the Russian trio, who celebrates his twenty-sixth anniversary as an inhabitant of the terrestrial sphere by taking part in the first recital of his 1918-17 tour. Everyone in this evening at the concert at the Empress Hotel will have a foretaste of the enjoyment which the three brothers are to afford their numerous audiences in the course of an important tour which is to embrace practically all the leading cities in North America.  
Among the many interesting photographs which have been preserved of the Russian trio is one of Leo Cherniavsky on the occasion of his first public appearance in Russia in 1897, nineteen years ago, when he was a boy of seven. The concert was in the open air, and he was accompanied by an orchestra of forty-five musicians. In succeeding years he was joined by his small brother Jan, the pianist, and by Mischel, the cellist, and in 1905 a pairing of the three young prodigies, playing as a trio, took first prize in an exhibition competition in one of the big cities of Europe.  
To-night's programme is to open with the Schubert trio, Op. 99 in B-flat major, a work which the trio have prepared during their summer vacation at "Clovelly," Esquimaux. They will leave by the midnight boat for Vancouver, to commence their 1918-17 tour.



LEO CHERNIAVSKY AT AGE OF 7

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

J. G. Hough, of Toronto, is at the Dominion.

Leon Munson, of Seattle, is at the Strathcona hotel.

E. Ed. Allen, of Friday Harbor, is at the Dominion.

S. Holmes, of Ganges harbor, is at the Strathcona hotel.

S. G. Kerr, of Montreal, has arrived at the Empress hotel.

J. W. Crawford, from Nanaimo, is at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Mae Pratt, of Friday Harbor, is at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Sylvia R. Ryan, of Los Angeles, is at the Strathcona hotel.

D. L. Sinclair, of Toronto, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

A. A. Penney, of Seattle, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Wm. Aitken, of San Francisco, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Miss C. K. Loper, of Philadelphia, is staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Fisher, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress hotel.

Miss H. B. Millar, of Taber, Alta., is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss Ethel Chamberlin, of Edmonton, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. White, of Kansas City, are guests at the Empress hotel.

J. Jubb and Mrs. Jubb, of Chilliwack, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stone, of Vancouver, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Miss Helen Grace Cadwell, of Honolulu, has arrived at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barr, of Winnipeg, are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. J. Herchner, of Kamloops, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Katherine Burger, of Honolulu, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

E. Williams and Mrs. Williams, of Tacoma, are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Reginald V. Robinson and family, of Seattle, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

C. W. Snider and Mrs. Snider, of Waterloo, Ont., are guests of the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ross, of Los Angeles, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Garrigue, of Seattle, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hoffman and Miss Hoffman, of Philadelphia, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Misses M. McCallister and Daisy N. McCallister, of Seattle, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

R. H. Cobb and family of Kenora, who have been touring the Island, have returned to the Strathcona hotel.

Oliver Gardner and Mrs. George Gardner are visitors from Detroit, Mich., staying at the Strathcona hotel.

George A. Horsman and family are over from Vancouver and are making the Dominion hotel their headquarters.

Amongst yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion hotel were Mrs. J. Hopgood and Miss Maude Hopgood, of North Bend.

E. A. Shaw, J. S. House, H. S.

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Southern, W. B. Leavins and Louis Sands, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion.

Vancouver arrivals at the Strathcona hotel include: George A. Scott, Mrs. S. Olson, C. C. Atkinson and Mrs. Atkinson, W. T. Kelly and Mrs. Arkley Martin.

### PUBLIC MARKET

The attendance at the mid-week market was good and business was generally satisfactory in all lines. Prices ruled at the following average figures:

Fruit—Cherries, 3 lbs. for 15c; apples, 10 lbs. for 25c; pears, 10 lbs. for 25c; peaches, per box, 50c; plums, 10 lbs. for 25c; loganberries, 3 lbs. for 25c.  
Dairy produce—Eggs, per dozen, 40c and 45c; butter, per lb., 40c and 45c.  
Vegetables—Tomatoes, 3 lbs. for 25c; beets, 3 bunches for 10c; carrots, 3 bunches for 10c; onions, 2 bunches for 10c; rhubarb, 1 bunch for 10c; marrow, each, 1c; lettuce, each, 1c; celery, each, 5c; peas, 6 lbs. for 25c; beans, 3 lbs. for 10c; cucumbers, each, from 10c; potatoes, 10 lbs. for 25c; cabbage, from 10c; corn, per dozen, 20c.  
Meats—Lamb, per lb., 15c to 20c; mutton, per lb., 15c to 20c; veal, per lb., 15c to 20c; beef, per lb., 10c to 15c; pork, per lb., 15c to 20c; chicken, per lb., 25c; fowls, per lb., 25c; duck, per lb., 25c.  
Fish—Spring salmon, per lb., 15c to 18c; halibut, per lb., 12c; cod, per lb., 10c; fresh herring, per lb., 10c; smelts, per lb., 10c; smoked black cod, per lb., 15c; smoked salmon, per lb., 15c; smoked best fillets, per lb., 15c; smoked cod tips, per lb., 5c; kippers, per lb., 10c; blonkers, per lb., 10c.

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POLICY OF LIBERALS IS CONSTRUCTIVE

Well-Attended Meeting Hear Candidates in Hollywood School

There was a well attended meeting last night in the Margaret Jenkins school, Hollywood, to hear Henry C. Hall and George Bell, two of the Liberal candidates at the forthcoming election, and J. B. Warnicker, speak on the Liberal policy and the need of a change of government.

climatic conditions they delighted to live here. Everyone knew what the government had done in the past and they were promising to spend even more in the future. It was time to get rid of this spending government and put in its place one which stood for economy and the rights of the people.

turning officers' certificates bearing the date March 15, 1912. He believed the court of appeal would hold a special session to determine the question. The procedure is simple and a decision would set at rest any doubts on this matter.

ELECTORS THROUGHOUT PROVINCE ARE DETERMINED TO SWEEP BOWSER GOVT. FROM POWER, DECLARES MR. BREWSTER

(Continued from page 1)

I passed through two years ago. People have to leave because they can not get their produce to a market, and for the reason also, that they can not get their children educated so long as conditions exist which prevent settlement of neighbors and so render it impossible for them to have a school established.

WRIGLEYS



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Read the Prohibition Act

Mr. J. A. Smith, Well-Known Trades Unionist, Says Fullest Investigation of the Measure Should Be Made By Electors.

Mr. J. A. Smith, Secretary of the B. C. Workers' Equal Rights Association, yesterday discussed the proposed B. C. Prohibition Act as follows: "Read the Act" the campaign slogan of the active opponents of the B. C. Prohibition Act, is having a noticeable effect upon the unbiased electors of the province, who are being impressed with their evident sincerity and honesty in courting the fullest investigation and enquiry by voters before deciding the issue.

which such province enacts for itself. It will protect that province against being interfered with by the bringing of liquor into that province from other provinces. . . . If the province thinks that what it wants to prevent is the use of liquor, then automatically under this law it will be an offence to send liquor in for a use which the province has prohibited.

George Bell dealt with the constructive policy of the party. He said that all were familiar with the record of the government, and it was for them to try to redeem the time and see how they could pull British Columbia out of the difficult position. The province was rich in timber, mineral, fish, and agricultural land. It would be the Liberal policy to deal with the resources of the country that the people might benefit thereby.

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missing the interviewer, "I would not have any of those who desire to see a change in the conduct of our affairs relax one jot of their vigilance. With a desperate government in the dying throes, as this one certainly is, and with the remembrance of the 46,000 Japanese, the forged telegram, and other nefarious devices of the last six months, we may expect some such attempt to stampede the electors at the eleventh hour.

COLD RECEPTION AT GORDON HEAD HALL

Conservative Candidate Tries to Defend Patronage System. A slim group of silent farmers went out to listen to Hon. Dr. M. Eberts at the Gordon Head hall last night. Several automobile loads of people arrived from town to do the cheering, but the local people showed no enthusiasm, except when questions were asked, and then they clearly sided with the attitude of the questioner.

fused to do relief work, and this the candidate could not deny. F. A. Pauline and H. C. Brewster were criticized by the candidate for statements they had made during the campaign. When asked why a promised payment of \$50,000 had not yet been made to the Saanich municipality by the works department, Mr. Eberts said that a letter of credit would be forthcoming, but he was sorry it was not going into better hands.

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TAMBA MARU IN PORT FROM ORIENT

Capt. H. Kawai Succeeds Capt. Fujino as Commander of N. Y. K. Liner

With Capt. H. Kawai, her former first officer in command, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru reached port at 11 o'clock this morning after a good run of 14 days, 10 hours from Yokohama. Capt. Kawai, who took over the Tamba at Yokohama, succeeds Capt. Fujino, the latter having been given command of the Toyohashi Maru, a new freight steamer of the Tatsuno type, plying in the Yokohama-London service. It is four years since Capt. Kawai was last at Victoria as mate of the Yokohama Maru and prior to that time he acted in a similar capacity on the Tamba Maru. In the interim he has been master of a number of smaller steamers of the N. Y. K. fleet, his last ship being the Tenchin Maru, on the Bombay run.

The Tamba Maru experienced splendid weather throughout the voyage until she approached the Vancouver Island coastline, when she bumped into dense banks of fog. Capt. Kawai says it was particularly thick off Swiftnose about 2 o'clock this morning. It being necessary to drop anchor until the mist lifted. Under a slow bell she steamed back her way up the straits and arrived at William Head shortly after 9 a. m.

The Tamba Maru is running two weeks' behind schedule owing to the fact that she was seriously delayed by the longshoremen's strike when last on the North Pacific coast. An effort was made to cut down some of the load time with the result that the liner made port a day ahead of the revised date set for her arrival.

A full passenger list, made up of 24 saloon, 9 second cabin and 173 steerage, was brought in by the liner, and her holds were filled to capacity with Oriental freight. The first class passengers, other than Japanese, included S. C. Hudson, Mr. Martinez, Mrs. Martinez, Mrs. P. C. McKinnon and Miss M. H. McKinnon. Twenty-one Japanese steerage passengers disembarked here, while 47 Japanese and 111 Russians in the steerage were booked through to Seattle. This is the largest number of Russians yet crossing the Pacific from the Orient by a Japanese liner. The majority of them are from Poland. Objecting to German rule they fled the country and are seeking work in the United States. On learning that Roumania had entered the war on the side of the allies, and one of their number, speaking in broken English, remarked that it would now be easy for Russia to invade the territory of the enemy by way of the intervening state. He intimated that Russia had maintained a large and well-equipped army near the Roumanian frontier for some time.

The Tamba Maru is discharging 530 tons of freight here and is expected to sail about 4 p. m. for Seattle. The local cargo included 1,585 chests of Japan tea and 700 bags of rice, in addition to miscellaneous shipments of porcelain, canned goods, toys and curials.

For Seattle the Tamba has 4,689 tons, including 10,500 tins of oil, 8,631 chests of Japan tea, 3,898 chests of Oolong tea, 2,323 slabs of copper, 1,289 bales of gunnies, 7,194 cases of rubber, 1,022 cases of porcelain and 749 bales of raw silk, the latter shipment being valued at \$374,500.

O. S. K. BOATS SPOKEN.

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Manila Maru, Capt. Kobayashi, which left here on August 4, arrived at Shanghai on Sunday and is due to make Hongkong on Friday. On her return trip she is scheduled to sail from Hongkong on September 14. The liner Tacoma Maru, of the same fleet, also outbound from this port, reached Manila yesterday.

WAS AFIRE IN THE ORIENT



JAPANESE STEAMER KOMAGATA MARU.

IMPACT OCCURRED WITHOUT WARNING

Both Humboldt and Providencia Damaged as Result of Yesterday's Collision

Seattle, Aug. 29.—As a result of the collision in a thick fog off Point Lip-tip yesterday, the steamship Humboldt, and the Mexican freighter Providencia were so badly damaged that both vessels have gone into dry dock for repairs.

No one was injured when the vessels came together, but the Humboldt suffered a badly crushed stem, which will have to be replaced, while the Providencia has a number of heavily dented steel plates. Each blames the other for the collision.

Both vessels were proceeding cautiously, when without warning the collision came. The vessels swung apart for a moment and then bumped together again before finally swinging clear. Neither vessel let in water.

The lifeboats of the Humboldt were swung out on davits, however, and everything was made ready to put the passengers ashore if necessary. Following a brief examination of the vessel swung about and returned to Seattle under her own steam, the Providencia following, as a convoy, and continuing her trip to this city instead of Port Gamble. The Humboldt arrived at pier 7, foot of Union street, at 1 o'clock yesterday, and discharged her passengers and perishable cargo. The freighter went to the docks of the Seattle Construction & Dry Dock Company, where the dented plates will be repaired.

According to statements made by Capt. A. E. Winkler, commanding the Providencia, the Humboldt rammed his vessel abreast of the fore-rigging, about one-fourth the ship's length from the bow on the port side.

The Providencia was recently purchased by the Compagnie du Boleo, a shipping company of Santa Rosalia, Mexico. Capt. E. G. Baughman, who has commanded the Humboldt for many years, refused to make any statement regarding the accident. Officers of the Humboldt Steamship Company declare, however, that the Mexican vessel rammed the Humboldt.

The Humboldt was struck by the Providencia, and it is natural that an attempt is made to shift the blame," said M. Kalish, vice-president and general manager of the company. "If there is any serious dispute on this point, the matter undoubtedly will be settled through court proceedings."

MISHAP TO MAQUINNA

C. P. R. Steamer Touched Bottom in Fog and Sustained Slight Damage.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—The C. P. R. steamship Princess Maquinna arrived this morning from Northern British Columbia ports, one day late, and her Columbia ports, one day late, and her passengers report a bump somewhere off Bowen Island early this morning. The steamship got clear and came into Vancouver with damage to the fore-foot and she has been withdrawn from service pending an examination at a Victoria shipyard. The vessel is the only one of the fogbound coasting fleet to meet with mishap, and it is regarded as hard luck that she should have hit a rock so close to port after navigating so skilfully the fog and smoke conditions of the north.

The local offices of the British Columbia coast service confirm the news to the effect that the Princess Maquinna touched bottom when nearing Vancouver. The damage is thought to be slight. The vessel will be hauled out at this port for survey and repairs.

TOLEDO IS SPOKEN

Harrison Freighter Now Looked for at This Port Next Week.

The British steamer Crown of Toledo, Capt. Grimley, of the Harrison Direct Line, is now due at San Francisco, en route from Liverpool, Glasgow and Cardiff, via Santa Rosalia, to Victoria. She arrived at San Pedro yesterday, and after discharging 100 tons of cargo left for the Golden Gate. While at Santa Rosalia the Toledo discharged 2,000 tons of coke. It is expected that the freighter will reach Victoria about the middle of next week.

GIVEN COMMAND OF NEW PACIFIC LINER

Capt. A. W. Nelson, Author of "Yankee Swanson," Now Master of the Ecuador

Seattle, Aug. 29.—Capt. A. W. Nelson, famous as the author of "Yankee Swanson," one of the most popular of sea stories, is now in command of the Pacific Mail liner Ecuador, which left San Francisco on Sunday on her initial trip to the Orient. The Ecuador, together with her sister ships, the Columbia and Venezuela, are to be operated in a monthly service between the Golden Gate and ports in the Far East.

The three vessels were recently purchased by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company with which to re-establish its transpacific service. They belonged to a Dutch company, but because of the provisional registry given them after they had been placed under the American flag, the vessels will not be allowed to handle coastwise traffic. This also precludes their carrying passengers and freight to and from Honolulu, but they will touch at the Hawaiian port both on the outward and return trips.

Capt. Nelson was formerly master of the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia, and later was transferred to the Korea, of the same fleet.

After the passage of the American seamen's law the Pacific Mail disposed of the Mongolia, Manchuria, Korea and Siberia, and discontinued its service across the Pacific. After these vessels had been sold, Capt. Nelson was given the command of the steamship Santa Cruz, and while that ship was on her last trip to Victoria, he handed her over to Capt. Lobe and remained ashore at San Francisco to await the arrival of the Ecuador.

PRINCE GEORGE GOES NORTH ON SCHEDULE

Owing to Late Arrival Here Usual Trip to Seattle Was Eliminated

Fourteen hours behind schedule the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George, Capt. D. Donald, arrived in port at 12:40 p. m. to-day from the north, having been seriously delayed by fog.

Capt. Donald reported having met with fog on the northbound trip to Wrangell and on the southbound voyage she was delayed by thick fog and smoke, which obliterated nearly the whole coastline. Clear weather was experienced while crossing Queen Charlotte Sound on the southern trip.

Owing to the delay to the Prince George the usual trip south to Seattle was eliminated, the vessel being turned round here and left on time at 3:30 p. m. for Prince Rupert and Anox via Vancouver. All Seattle passengers coming south on the George were transferred at Vancouver, while north-bound passengers from the United States were brought to Victoria by the C. P. R. boat and joined the steamer here. The present trip of the Prince George will terminate at Anox. She will return on Sunday night and leave the following day for Skagway. Travel is still heavy on the northern run, a large list of tourists having been already booked for the next sailing of the Prince George to Alaska.

ALICE AT VANCOUVER

C. P. R. Boat Anchored at Alert Bay Until Fog Lifted.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—The C. P. R. steamship Princess Alice, Capt. McLeod, arrived at 8 a. m. to-day, two days late. She met with the adverse conditions and anchored at Alert Bay until conditions were better for running through Seymour Narrows. Capt. McLeod is regarded as the most experienced and careful navigator on the northern run.

The sales of Noblemen Cigars have more than tripled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

BARQUE CELTICBURN REACHES QUEENSTOWN

Well Known British Windjammer Reports 145 Days Out From Neah Bay

After one of the smartest passages yet recorded covering the movements of this season's grain fleet, the British barque Celticburn, Capt. Derrier, arrived at Queenstown yesterday from Tacoma, 145 days out from Neah Bay. Laden with a cargo of grain, the Celticburn left Tacoma on April 2, but owing to adverse weather-conditions the Cape she was forced to put into Neah Bay, finally putting to sea on April 6. Fast passages by sailing vessels this season have not been the rule. Windjammers have been known to make the run from the North Pacific via the Cape of Good Hope to the United Kingdom in slightly over 100 days. One of the longest trips of the season was completed the other day by the French barque La Fontaine, which, laden with grain, arrived at Ipswich, 170 days out from Seattle.

The four-masted barque, Celticburn is a familiar craft in these waters. After a tempestuous voyage two years ago she arrived at Victoria and subsequently swung at anchor for some months in Esquimalt harbor during which time she effected repairs to her rigging.

One of her owners, T. A. Shute, of the Ship Celticburn Co., Ltd., came out from Scotland to superintend the repair work and at that time Capt. Derrier was placed in command of the vessel. Later she was chartered at a high rate to load grain on the Sound for Europe.

The Celticburn is a vessel of 2,500 net tons register and was built in 1892 by Barclay, Curle & Co., Ltd., at Glasgow. She is registered at Greenock.

Schooner Inca Due. The five-masted schooner Inca, Capt. Rasmussen, which is under charter to load lumber at Chemainus, is fully due at this port from Melbourne, Australia.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—Arrived: Str Daisy Freeman, from Astoria; str Quinalt, from Willapa; str Matsua, from Honolulu; str Coronado, from Gray's Harbor; str Kanagawa Maru (Jap), from New York; str Admiral Schley, from Seattle; str Speedwell, from Coos Bay; str J. L. Luckenbach, from Hilo; str Argyll, from Tacoma; str Albert Meyer, from Papete; str W. G. Irwin, from Roche Harbor; str Santa Rita, from Seattle, via Tacoma; str Congress, from San Diego. Sailed: Str L. G. Scofield, for Seattle.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 29.—Passed in: Str St. Bede, from Yokohama, for Nanaimo, B. C. Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 29.—Arrived: Str St. Bede, from Hongkong, via Yokohama, for New York.

Tacoma, Aug. 29.—Arrived: Str Governor, from Seattle; str Admiral Dewey, from Seattle. Sailed: Str Valdez, for Seattle.

Portland, Aug. 29.—Arrived: Str Johan Poulsen, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str Oleum, from San Francisco; str Wallamette, for San Diego.

Flaxville, Aug. 29.—Sailed: Str Northern Pacific, for San Francisco.

Seattle, Aug. 29.—Arrived, Aug. 29: Str Humboldt, returned in disabled condition; str Ravalli, Southeastern Alaska; str Lyman Stewart, Southwestern, via Southeastern Alaska; str Providencia, San Francisco (account of collision with str Humboldt); str Acapulco, San Francisco, in tow of tug Tatoon; str Valdez, Tacoma; str Morning Star, Vancouver, B. C. Sailed: Str Humboldt, Southeastern Alaska; str Curacao, Southeastern Alaska; str City of Seattle, Southeastern Alaska; str Governor, Vancouver, B. C., via Tacoma; str Admiral Dewey, Tacoma.

TALTHYBIUS REPORTS

Blue Funnel Liner Making William Head at 4 a. m. To-morrow.

Dodwell & Co., agents for the Blue Funnel line, were notified by wireless to-day that the inbound steamship Talthybius will reach William Head at 4 a. m. to-morrow from Hongkong and Yokohama. The liner is delayed outside the Straits by fog she is expected to come alongside the outer docks at 6 o'clock in the morning. As the Talthybius has only 100 tons of Oriental cargo for this port it is likely that she will discharge before proceeding to Seattle. Forty-one Chinese steerage passengers will come ashore here.

BESSIE DOLLAR COMING

The Robert Dollar steamer Bessie Dollar, Capt. Abernethy, sailed from Muroan, Japan, on Monday, en route from Vladivostok to Vancouver.

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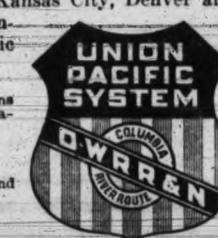
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# SPORTING NEWS

## ATHLETIC MEET HAS VARIED PROGRAMME

Feature Events Have Been Added to the Usual Track and Field Sports

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F. S. Murray, former captain of the Leland Stanford, Jr., University track team, now a resident of the east, and A. W. Richards, champion all-around athlete of the United States, are among those named as follows:

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Edgar Stout, San Francisco, one and five miles.

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Hennett, 2 b.	4 0 1 1 1 1
Garry, s. s.	4 0 0 1 5 0
Killary, l. f.	4 0 1 2 0 0
Boeckel, 3 b.	4 0 0 2 1 0
Pappa, r. f.	1 0 0 2 2 0
Crisp, c. f.	0 1 2 0 0 0
Sheehan, r. f.	4 0 0 4 0 0
Hester, l. b.	2 0 1 10 0 2
Killary, p.	3 0 0 1 0 0
Totals	31 0 4 24 10 2

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Kipert, c. f. l. f.	4 1 1 1 0 0
Levin, 3 b.	4 1 2 2 1 0
Pittsinnons, s. s.	5 0 1 4 4 0
McCarthy, l. f.	4 1 2 5 0 0
Johnson, r. f. c. f.	2 3 2 1 0
Stekke, l. b.	4 2 2 7 0 0
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NIAGARA FOR SYDNEY.

The Canadian-Australian liner Niagara, Capt. Robt. on her outboard voyage to the Antipodes, left Vancouver at noon to-day and is expected to berth at the outer docks at 5 p. m. She will get away about an hour later for Auckland and Sydney. The liner is taking on a good list of saloon passengers and a full cargo.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for: 24-254, 256-257, 412, 502, 538, 540, 550, 551, 624, 667, 735, 741, 754, 758, 764, 824, 825, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIGGONISMS—Some women are both good and true. Most of them are too good to be true. Diggon Printing Co., 76 Yates street. School supplies, school supplies, school supplies. 23

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice tasty lunch of four courses at the Delhi Cafe for 25c? Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies. 23

HOCKING, James Bay Plumber, Plumbing repairs, cells made, ranges connected. 34 St. James street, James Bay. Phone 3711. 23

TO LET—Four roomed cottage, also garage, near Fernwood car line, cheap. Phone 4371. 23

SAFETY RAZORS, value \$5, free. Particulars see window, London House, Johnson street. 23

STORE FOR RENT, with living rooms and complete fixtures, suitable for grocery, just newly painted; rent \$15. Phone 708. 23

WANTED—Practical gardener, with knowledge of greenhouse work, must be willing to be generally useful. Apply Box 495, Times. 23

STOP, LOOK AND THINK of the bargains in furniture, carpets, ranges, at the City Mart, 78 Fort street. Plugs 1458. We buy and exchange furniture. 23

VICTORIANS, turn out in your thousands and help boost complimentary sports to H. M. S. Lancaster, Oak Bay park, Saturday, 2 p. m. 23

USE TO INVEST, with services, in anything genuine. Box 516, Times. 23

YOUNG MAN, ineligible for service, seeks situation, any kind of light employment. Box 517, Times. 23

SUITE TO LET, two blocks from City Hall, Apply 121 Quadra. 23

SMALL GROCERY and bakery business for sale, suburban, on car line, doing nice trade that could be profitably developed; good opportunity for a practical man. For particulars apply P. J. Box 564, Victoria. 23

SIXTY CENTS AN HOUR for your plumbing work. Phone 1918, Standard Plumbing Co., office 25 Winch Building. 23

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER must have work; would like position of trust with reasonable salary. Box 826, Times. 23

PICKLING PEARS, Gravenstein apples, 50 the E. Walter corner Mr. Toib's road and Lansdowne. Phone 3881. 23

LOST—On Fuel Bay car, or between Fort street and Post Office, small parcel of real estate papers. Return to Joseph Young, Howarth street. 23

DRESSMAKER, leaving town immediately, wishes to dispose of high-class business connection. For particulars write Box 829, Times. 23

TO RENT—Modern, 8 roomed house, in excellent condition, unfurnished, \$20 per month to careful tenant. 1821 Fort St. Phone 1831. 23

EVINRUDE MOTORS to hire by week or month. Tel. A. A. Sears, 506 Market street. 23

BEAUTIFUL BABY CONTEST, Oak Bay park, Saturday, 2 p. m. splendid prizes. Phone 223 for particulars. 23

GIRL, for light house work. 3127 Quadra street. 23

CABIN LAUNCH, 37 ft. well built, 15 h. p. Ferro engine, speed 8 to 9 miles per hour, dynamo storage battery, electric light, double set of spark coils, one electric horn, fuel capacity 150 gals., about twenty days' steaming, sleeping accommodation for six, pilot cooking stove, 40 searchlight, everything in all condition, one rowboat goes with it. Cash for it. This is less than half price. Box 822, Times. 23

TWO YOUNG GOATS for sale. Phone 3468. 23

TO LET—Completely furnished front apartment, from \$12 per month; no children. 1176 Yates. 23

LOST—Short gold chain. Reward. 724 Pemberton road. 23

SHOTGUN, hammerless, 12-gauge, 41 in. English make, cost \$40; selling for \$40. Ferris, 1419 Douglas. 23

SEWING MACHINES—Just arrived, a new shipment of first-class machines, prices from \$5 to \$25. See net. Buy machines until you have inspected our stock. The Bargain House, 1000 Douglas street. 23

WANTED—To rent, small cottage, furnished or partly furnished, no heat, but reasonable rent. Box 454, Times. 23

WANTED—Small range, with hot water attachment; state make and price. Box 461, Times. 23

A TALL MAN can get a 24-inch frame, second-hand cycle, in good order, with coaster brake, for \$14, at Plimley's Cycle Store, 611 View street. 23

A NEW SIDE CAR, makes an ordinary pedal bicycle into a splendid light delivery rig. Fits any cycle, cost \$28. Thus Plimley, bicycles, etc., 611 View St. 23

FOR SALE—Or exchange for clear title lot, automobile, in good shape; cost \$400. Box 833, Times. 23

ACRE FARM, Saskatchewan, to exchange for good house. Box 852, Times. 23

WANTED—Furnished houses in James Bay and Fairfield districts. Dalby & Lawson, 65 Fort. 23

RETURNED SOLDIER COULD NOT VOTE

Man Who Had Fought Refused Right Which Boy of Fourteen Gets

One of the returned soldiers was yesterday refused permission to vote at James Island because his name was not on the returning officer's list. A boy of 14 was given the vote, but the man who had already been to the front and done his bit was left out. Twenty-six votes were taken at the Island, and it is supposed that the man who was refused the vote will be allowed to cross to Sidney and cast his ballot there. The law specifically provides that every male British subject who has served in the military or naval forces of Canada in the present war and who had resided in the province for six months previous to enlistment, shall be allowed to exercise his franchise. This morning between 9 and 12 service-men at the navy yard were given an opportunity of voting, and to-morrow the poll will be taken at the naval hospital and the guard at the oil-tank. Returning Officer James M. Smith is in charge of the voting at these places, and the scrutineers to-day were George H. Mahon for the Liberals, A. McCallum for the prohibition movement and Mr. Tubman for the anti-prohibitionists.

LOCAL NEWS

Eight Watchmakers. Haynes has developed the largest watch repair business in Victoria. Satisfaction, reliability and moderate prices did it. Bring your repairs to Haynes. 23

Phoenix Stout, 2 qts. for 25c. 23

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, 3 for 25c. 23

Grass Fire.—The fire department were called to-day to put out a grass fire on Langford street. 23

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Meeting Postponed.—The Red Cross meeting that was to have been held to-morrow at the residence of Mrs. Eberts has been postponed until next Thursday. 23

Crushed to Death.—Fusayiro, Usehara, a Japanese 38 years of age, was killed near Coombs by a falling tree while engaged in clearing a site for a bunkhouse. The deceased was well known in Nanaimo, having been porter of the Nanaimo Club for seven years. 23

Will Be Sentenced To-morrow.—J. H. McDowell, late of the 66th Highlanders, was found guilty on two, and pleaded guilty to other counts of the charges brought against him for housebreaking and wrongful possession of articles, in the city police court to-day. He will be sentenced to-morrow. 23

Victoria Volunteer Reserve.—The shooting range will be opened to-morrow evening at 7.30 o'clock and the finals for this month's competitions will be decided. No list will be issued, but all those members who have entered for the spoon during the current month are eligible to be present and shoot in the silver or wooden class. 23

Is Remanded.—Robert Shields, charged with converting to his use a cement mixer and engine, was remanded in the city police court to-day till Wednesday for trial. Henry Mitchell, who shot a dog by accident, through the bullet rebounding, was called upon to explain discharging firearms in the city limits. He was allowed to go. M. W. McLeod was fined \$5 for failing to stop an automobile in passing a stationary street car. 23

Gold Medal Offered.—A gold medal is being offered by the Island Automobile Association to the first man who makes the trip through Canada between Winnipeg and this city by award. The terms governing the award provide that he must make a continuous trip under the car's own power, must not go outside of Canada, traveling on railway tracks is not permitted, and it is not a speed or reliability trial. Ferrying is to be allowed but not more than two miles, except in British Columbia on the regular ferry steamers. 23

\$1,000 REWARD!!

FOR A CASE OF INCURABLE CONSTIPATION

To any person who cannot be cured of Constipation by Dr. Hamilton's Pills, the above reward will be paid. No medicine gives such lasting satisfaction or effects such marvelous cures as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Relief instantly follows their use. That blinding headache goes forever, that feverish feeling in the skin is soothed away, bilious fits and stomach disorders are stopped. Don't be nervous about using Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they are mild enough for a child to use, yet certain and effective in action in the most chronic cases. Get a 25c. box to-day; they bring and keep robust good health.

NO PERISHABLE FREIGHT.

New York, Aug. 30.—The Southern Pacific S. S. Company announced to-day it would not accept perishable merchandise and all freight would be taken subject to considerable delay. Ships of the line, connect at Galveston, Tex., with rail service from the Pacific coast over the Southern Pacific line.

BEAUMONT BOGGS SPEAKS TO-NIGHT

Address Will Be Given by President of Imperial Conservatives

A meeting will be held to-night in the Athletic hall, formerly the St. Columba Presbyterian church, Hulton street, Oak Bay district, for the purpose of giving the people the views of those who are opposed to the present government. Beaumont Boggs, president of the Imperial Conservative Association, and F. A. Pauline, Liberal candidate for the Saanich riding, will give addresses, in addition to the candidates, John Hart, Henry C. Hall and George Bell. It is understood that there will be a large attendance from Oak Bay of those who would like to hear Mr. Boggs's views on the political situation, in view of the fact that he has for many years been an uncompromising Conservative and still claims to be loyal to the principles for which that party stands. To-morrow night there will be a meeting at the North Ward school, when the candidates and others will give short addresses. At 8 o'clock on Friday night there will be a social gathering to which all the residents of the district are invited. Addresses will be given by A. W. McCurdy, the Liberal candidate, and several of his supporters. The speeches will be interspersed with music and Highland dances, and after refreshments have been served by the ladies of the district, the floor will be cleared for dancing.

Premier Howser is billed to speak at Sidney to-night on behalf of Major W. W. Foster, after which he will leave for the mainland, where he will give a number of addresses.

Tourists are being attracted to island.

Development Association Endorses Request for Lower Rates for Autos

At a meeting of the executive council of the Victoria and Island Development Association held yesterday afternoon, a resolution submitted by the Island Automobile Association asking for cheaper transportation for cars bringing parties to Vancouver Island was endorsed. The resolution has been already endorsed by the Victoria Board of Trade, the Nanaimo Board of Trade, the Victoria City Council and the Esquimalt Municipal Council; and the Vancouver Board of Trade has promised action on it at the next meeting of that body. Commissioner Cuthbert submitted a report of his recent trip through Washington and Oregon and part of the state of Idaho. He told of the valuable advertising that was being done and of the successful efforts of the association in interesting motor parties in Vancouver Island. Those who came this year would form an important medium of publicity. Mr. Cuthbert then told of the work they were doing in connection with the home products exhibition, which is being held the first week in October. The committee then adjourned to join with officials of the board of trade in visiting the scene of the shipbuilding operations at the Songhees reserve.

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FLICKERING OUT OF CHINESE REVOLT

Passenger Alludes to Canton Fighting; British Intervention Offered

Considerable fighting had been reported in and around Canton just before he left for this coast, according to S. C. Hudson, of the Chinese customs service at Amoy, who arrived on the Tamba Maru to-day from the Orient. It was reported that if the Chinese could not restore order, the colonial government at Hongkong had offered to send troops to relieve the situation. The reason for the project of intervention came from the threatened damage to Shameen, the foreign concession in Canton, which has close commercial interests in common with Hongkong. Within a mile of Shameen the battle of Shikewitong took place during the night of August 5 and early next day, an American gunboat and a Japanese man-of-war, which were moored in mid stream, were hit by rifle shots. The various foreign hospitals were dealing with the wounded, on account of the lack of adequate services by the native general. Many of the Chinese had been badly wounded, and a considerable number of buildings in Shameen were damaged by the cross firing. Mr. Hudson says that Amoy is one of those ports which has entirely changed in the diverted currents of trade. When the British occupied Amoy in the China war the tea trade of this busy port of Fukien province was famous. Gradually, however, owing chiefly to the Japanese control of commerce of Formosa having altered affairs, the tea trade has dropped, and the principal business is the transportation of coolies to the plantations and towns in the Malay peninsula. These coolies are always coming and going in hundreds, returning home as soon as they have saved a little money. The foreign settlers, who are few in number, live on an island opposite the main city from the concession. In the native city strict hours have been imposed on the residents since the outbreak of the latest revolution, and no one has been allowed about after dark.

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ASKS COUNCIL TO PREVENT DUMPING

Wholesale Fruit and Produce Association Refers to Unfair Competition

When a municipal authority is invited to assist in preventing "dumping," a phrase dearly loved by the tariff maker, it is not easy to act. However, the efforts of the city council are invited by the Victoria Wholesale Fruit and Produce Association in restraining what has become a serious competitor. In a letter received to-day it is pointed out that it has become the practice of mainland producers, principally Chinamen, to send over large quantities of foodstuffs, chiefly potatoes, and undersell the local firms who have heavy taxation to pay. The argument is used that not only do the local business houses suffer by these articles being merely warehoused at the wharves till sold, but that the primary producers in the city market are affected. A strong case for intervention is presented in the communication. There will not be a meeting of the streets and sewers committee on Friday afternoon. It has been the intention to meet the owners on Davis street to hear their views either for a macadam or asphalt surfacing. However, the alternative figures for a surface of either character was not ready, and the meeting will therefore be postponed. There cannot be any successful challenge, it was reported at the city hall to-day, to the reduction in the weight of the loaves which is being made this week as the bakers renew their contracts for flour at higher prices. The by-law which is proposed will merely enforce the labelling of the bread, which at present is optional, thus if a loaf purports to be 14 or 12 ounces, it will actually be that weight. The city does not possess the powers which Vancouver does of an assize of bread, hence its impotence to regulate the weight. The legislature's committee had these facts before them this spring, but declined to afford any remedy for a course of events which was inevitable.

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Mayor Gill's Answer to "Prohibition is a Failure in Seattle" A CONVERTED MAYOR Mayor Hiram C. Gill, of Seattle, whom many Victoria people know, is now an out and out advocate for Prohibition of the liquor traffic. He used to be a strong anti-Prohibitionist. To an interviewer he has explained the change: "I voted 'wet' in the election. I don't know why, now. I can't tell why. From my present standpoint it seems a fool thing to have done. A young man might vote that way for the sake of his 'personal liberty,' but it certainly is not the part of wisdom for a father. I was a fool, all right, but I must have convinced myself that I was doing a wise thing. No man is likely to be a fool knowingly." The mayor chuckled good humoredly. "It is a fine thing to be whipped when you are on the wrong side, and it is a fine thing to get it into your blood that the whipping was deserved, and get over on the right side. Since I now have the law behind me, I am making the best fight I know how to make to give the coming generation a better chance than we had. I want to help hurry the time of national Prohibition. I want to see the whole world 'dry.'" The mayor told of the saving to the city by the abolition of the saloons. He believed it would eventually greatly lessen the cost of city government; that it would greatly increase the earning capacity of every body. "I haven't had three women in here this year to ask for help because their husbands drank up their wages. I used to have that many a day. Do you know what that means to me?" PROHIBITION HEADQUARTERS Vancouver Island Branch. 101-2 Union Bank Building, Victoria. Phone 4319

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### BANDITS GOT \$7,600 IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—Daylight bandits this afternoon held up the Mission branch of the Anglo-California Trust Company at Sixteenth and Mission streets, fleeing in a commandeered automobile with loot estimated at \$7,600. One was captured.

Two thousand or more men, women and children witnessed the flight of the robbers from the bank, pursued by E. Sutter, receiving teller, who opened fire. Twenty or more automobiles, ranging from jitney busses to big trucks, took up the chase, in which a throng of pedestrians joined. Shots were plentiful in the first blocks of the pursuit, the bandits' machine being shot full of holes.

### BAD WEATHER STILL ON THE SOMME FRONT

London, Aug. 29.—Bad weather continues on the Somme front and the operations are confined to minor enterprises, the war office announced this afternoon.

"Two half-hearted attempts by the enemy to advance in the vicinity of Gaillemont were easily frustrated," said the statement.

#### NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Thomas, Late of North Saanich District, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly certified, to the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of September, 1916.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1916.

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### HASTENING IN AND OUT OF NEW YORK

Expected 700,000 People Will Move in Anticipation of Railway Strike

New York, Aug. 30.—Railroad traffic both to and from New York City showed feverish activity to-day in anticipation of a general strike. It is estimated that before Sept. 1, the threatened date of the tie-up, this city will rid itself of a floating population of nearly 350,000 and receive about the same number of residents who have been on vacations. Passenger traffic just before Labor Day is always heavy even under normal conditions.

Railroad executives here expressed hope to-day that if a strike were called they could run enough food trains to keep the city from starvation. The city's milk supply, they said, would be the first to receive consideration. Sept. 1, the threatened date of the tie-up, this city will rid itself of a floating population of nearly 350,000 and receive about the same number of residents who have been on vacations. Passenger traffic just before Labor Day is always heavy even under normal conditions.

### AT MINNEAPOLIS

Minneapolis, Aug. 30.—Every flour mill in Minneapolis will be closed thirty minutes after the order for a nation-wide railroad strike becomes effective, according to an announcement to-day by the Washburn-Crosby company.

"All the mills in the city are filled to capacity and with no available storage space and no way in which to move the output it will be necessary to discontinue operations immediately the strike order becomes effective," said an official to-day.

### Freight Handlers.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Approximately 5,000 union freight handlers are ready to go on strike to-day to enforce a demand that business agents be allowed to collect dues, from union members during certain hours of employment at the freight houses. At a meeting of the freight handlers' union last night the strike was authorized to-day unless the railroad officials at a conference grant demands of the men. No question of wages or working conditions is involved in the controversy.

### Will Not Strike.

Duluth, Aug. 30.—Employees of Duluth, Messabe & Northern and Duluth & Iron Range will not strike, according to statement of employees to-day. Agreements between the men and the roads are considered binding by the men.

### FOR U. S. SENATE.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—Governor Johnson, active head of the Progressive party in California, was nominated for the United States Senate by the Republican party to-day, having triumphed over Willis H. Booth, a Los Angeles banker.

### TRIAL OF THREE FORMER MINISTERS AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.—A. G. Cameron, a structural engineer who was employed in the office of the provincial architect and who drew plans for the caissons and steel work of the parliament buildings, was on the stand this forenoon at the trial of Sir Rodmond Roblin, George R. Caldwell and J. H. Howden, former provincial cabinet ministers. He was called by the court, and when the crown expressed no inclination to question him, he was turned over to A. J. Andrews, K. C., senior defence counsel, who had not concluded his examination at noon. Mr. Cameron defended all his plans. He said he had designed the caissons with no consideration other than that of securing a good job and he declared there had been no waste steel in his various plans.

The crown protested vigorously against a good deal of the evidence, but the judge said he would allow considerable latitude.

Mr. Cameron denied a suggestion by Mr. Craig that there were 1,000 tons of waste steel in the grillage plans as prepared by the witness.

He told of giving Howden data for an estimate on the north wing steel, and he did not consider the 25 per cent. for rivets, etc., included in this estimate an unreasonable allowance.

### MANUFACTURER FROM U. S. DIED IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Aug. 30.—Christian W. Menning, a wealthy pickle and vinegar manufacturer of Des Moines, Ia., aged 64, fell dead in a bathroom at a local hotel this morning.

With his wife, Mr. Menning was making a tour of British Columbia and Alaska on pleasure. In Victoria they learned of the threatened strike on the American railways and decided to rush back with all speed. He was about to enjoy his usual morning shower when death came. Death was due to heart disease.

### GERMANS CONFISCATING ROUMANIAN PROPERTY

Berlin, Aug. 29.—All property in Germany belonging to the Roumanian government is to be confiscated, according to an official decree issued here to-day, which also orders German business houses to pay no money to Roumanian subjects or corporations.

### INFANTILE PARALYSIS INCREASES IN N. YORK

New York, Aug. 30.—The confidence of health department officials that the epidemic of infantile paralysis was under control was shaken to-day by another increase in the new cases reported. There were 28, against 23 yesterday. The deaths were 22 for the 24 hours ended at 10 a. m. to-day, against 32 yesterday. There has been a steady increase in the number of new cases reported since Sunday.

### A Tool of Germany, Turkey Has Declared War on Roumanians

London, Aug. 30.—Turkey has declared war on Roumania, says a Reuter dispatch from Constantinople.

### MONTENEGRINS AND ALBANIANS AT WORK

Have Swept Away Weak Austrian Patrols From Hill Fastnesses

Paris, Aug. 30.—The Spanish press reproduces statements from Vienna to the effect that great anxiety is felt there over the Albanian and Montenegrin situation. Albanian columns, whole families, men, women and children—under patriarchal leadership, it is reported, have swept away the weak Austrian patrols from the hill fastnesses and in Montenegro, where they were aided by the withdrawal of Austrian troops in consequence of the Russian and Italian victories, the natives are said to have retaken their "Black Mountain," the Austrians only maintaining a hold on the capital and a few strong points on the main route lines.

### EMBARGO ORDERS ON ALL ROADS IN U. S.

Unless Strike Order Rescinded That Will Be Case in Few Hours

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Associated Press dispatches from all parts of the country indicate that within 48 hours, unless a delay in the railroad strike be ordered, embargo orders will be effective on practically every road in the country. Commercial and industrial organizations, as well as individual firms and corporations throughout the country, are reported "hoping for the best and preparing for the worst."

Railroad men hoped this forenoon that many members of the brotherhoods would not obey the strike order. In fact it was rumored that little pressure would be brought to bear on the older generation of engineers and conductors whose seniority has placed them in well paid positions, many of them with pensioned leisure not far away.

Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth were reported as making systematic arrangements for motor truck service. Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and many other states where the interurban service has been highly developed, will use the electric facilities to the limit.

### CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 30.—The following casualties were announced to-day:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. Sam A. Stacey, Pte. Wm. M. McKie.

Died of wounds—Pte. H. R. Barnes, Pte. S. B. Yeaton.

Died—Pte. G. H. Cummins (pneumonia).

Previously reported missing; now rejoined regiment—Pte. Wm. E. Noble.

Wounded—Pte. Albert Barham, Pte. G. W. Baly, Pioneer Edward Billings, England; Pte. Alex. N. Burness, Pte. J. O. Brooks, Pte. Thomas Chambers, Corp. Wm. E. Davis, Pte. Wm. J. Dowle, Pte. E. L. Drake, Cpl. James B. Fraser, Pte. J. W. Howard, Pte. Thomas Murray, Pte. Charles McGrath, Pte. A. H. Scott, Pte. Wm. J. Stevenson, Pte. A. F. Stanford.

Mustered Rifles.

Wounded—Pte. Osborne Morgan, Pte. Geo. Sherman.

Engineers.

Killed in action—Lieut. James D. Simpson.

Wounded—Corpl. Albert Everit, Artillery.

Wounded—Bombardier A. S. Abercromby, Gr. Lt. L. Kerry, Sergt. A. B. Ritchie.

### SHOTS EXCHANGED BY AMERICANS, MEXICANS

Mercedes, Tex., Aug. 30.—Four shots fired into the camp of "A" company of the 1st Minnesota Regiment stationed at the Mercedes pumping station, from the Mexican side of the Rio Grande last night, resulted in a general exchange. About 150 shots were fired, but no Americans were injured. It is not known if any American bullets reached their mark.

### AIRMEN CAUSED NO DAMAGE AT BUCHAREST

Bucharest, Aug. 30.—The following official statement was issued here: "During Monday night a zeppelin and a foreign aeroplane threw several bombs on Bucharest without causing the least damage. Artillery drove them off."

"Enemy aeroplanes threw bombs on Balcic, Platra and Nlmita without doing any damage."

### WASHINGTON HOPEFUL ABOUT THE RAILWAYS

Feeling in Congress and Administration Circles Strike Will Be Avoided

Washington, Aug. 30.—With both sides making last hour preparations for a great railroad strike on Monday morning, President Wilson turned to-day all the influence of his administration toward persuading the Brotherhood leaders to postpone or rescind their strike order until Congress has had opportunity to act. There were intimations that should the labor leaders continue firm, President Wilson even might make a public appeal to the railway workers themselves to direct their leaders to postpone it.

Despite denials of the labor leaders that President Wilson or anyone else had asked them to postpone the strike, there were abundant evidences that such was the case, and somehow there was a feeling in Congress, in administration circles and in other places that a way would be found to avoid the walk-out. No one knew what it was, but the feeling prevailed.

After a conference with Secretary Wilson at the department of labor the Brotherhood leaders reiterated that no power on earth except a satisfactory settlement would avert the strike and that they had no power to rescind the order. Nevertheless, efforts were continued to bring about a postponement.

The first legal phase of the situation developed with the temporary injunction issued by a local court in Nebraska restraining the conductors from calling or enforcing a strike on the Union Pacific. This brought up for the first time the effect of the much-discussed Clayton anti-injunction act passed by Congress at the behest of labor. The Brotherhood leaders unreservedly expressed the opinion that the injunction was in contravention of the law and could not stand. There were intimations that similar injunctions might be asked for in different parts of the country where the sentiment of the men is known to be against the strike. While every effort was being made to prevent the strike, both sides continued to make preparations to meet it.

The Senate Interstate Commerce committee also considered a law passed by Congress in 1912, authorizing the president to take possession of railroad and telegraph lines when in his judgment public safety might require it.

Seattle, Aug. 30.—The Great Northern railway advised its agents to-day to refuse all fruit freight that cannot be delivered before Sunday. Express shipments of fruit will be accepted with the understanding that the Great Northern will not be responsible if connecting lines decline to accept the shipments.

Great quantities of goods urgently needed by Russia are being shipped from Seattle to Vladivostok. In case of a strike, shipping men said to-day, the Canadian railroads would handle material from the eastern United States, and the vessels would load at Vancouver.

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### GERMANS ORDERED TO KILL EVEN WOUNDED

London, Aug. 30.—The Times' correspondent on the Somme front quotes a letter written by a German prisoner and captured on him. The letter shows that German troops of the 15th corps, to which this man belonged, had received the following orders: "Take no prisoners, but dispatch them all with the bayonet."

"That would not be so bad, but they always get prisoners from us; too; and then what would they do with them?"

### TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.—Wheat dropped 2 1/2 cents in October, 2 1/2 in December and 2 1/2 in May; oats, 1 in October and 1 down in December. Hayley was up 1/4. Flax dropped 4 1/2 in October, 4 in November and 4 in December. The market to-day was brisk and actively bullish in the morning and quiet and expectant towards noon and then panicky near the close. Some good export business made Winnipeg the strongest market. When that was exhausted the market went to pieces and everybody wanted to sell. A considerable amount of short-selling took place and, as the market is a day to day affair, they lost wheat towards the close. This took profits towards the close. The market was a little from the low points. The general trade was professional. Spreading and scalping was the best outside the export buying. The cash market was strong and is expected to be strengthened further by the strike in the States should one develop. Oats and wheat were both in fair demand, with little offered.

### NEW YORK CURE PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Ann. Marconi	34	35
Caledonia	60	61
Can. Copper	14	15
Can. Marconi	1	2
Crown Reserve	40	45
Cuban Cane Sugar	53 1/2	54
Int. Phone	39	40
Goldfield	30	31
Hedley Gold	14	14 1/2
Hollinger	28	29
Howe Sound	42	43
Keer Lake	42	43
La Roca	60	61
Magma	154	155
Midvale	62 1/2	63
Mines of Ana.	2	2 1/2
Nipissing	58	59
Standard Lead	1	1 1/2
Stewart	30	31
Success	34	35
Tonapah	6	6 1/2
Tonapah Belm.	48	49
Tonapah Exten.	54	55
Yukon	2	2 1/2

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Open. High. Low. Close.  
Jan. 15.77 15.90 15.70 15.80-81  
Feb. 15.82 15.95 15.75 15.85-86  
March 15.94 16.01 15.87 15.95-96  
May 16.07 16.18 16.00 16.08-09  
July 16.15 16.29 16.06 16.11-12  
Sept. 16.22 16.39 16.08 16.28-29  
Oct. 16.30 16.48 16.09 16.34-35  
Dec. 16.37 16.56 16.06 16.47-48

### NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Aug. 30.—Raw sugar 40 1/2; centrifugal, 41.80; molasses, 14.12; refined (cut); fine granulated, 42.00.

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	Bid.	Asked.
Blackbird Syndicate	17.00	23.00
Can. Copper Co.	1.50	1.50
Crow's Nest Coal	70.00	78.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	30.00	30.00
Coronation Gold	14	14
Granby	80.00	90.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	36	31
Lucky Jim Zinc	25 1/2	25 1/2
McGillivray Coal	29 1/2	29 1/2
Portland Tunnels	35	35
Portland Canal	30 1/2	30 1/2
Howe Sound M. Co.	1.00	1.00
Standard Lead	1.00	1.25
Snowstorm	35	45
Stewart, M. & D.	73	73
Slocan Star	22 1/2	23
Stewart Land	7.00	7.00

### NEW YORK MARKET

AWAITING AFFAIR

Dominated by Possibility of Railroad Strike Throughout Whole Country

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, Aug. 30.—Opening quotations for stocks were fractionally lower and the railroad strike situation continued to dominate the market during the entire session. On the whole the market was more of a waiting affair than anything and some short covering at the close put quotations up again. Motor issues and Marine coming and preferred were exceptions and were well bought, the latter being especially strong.

### MONTREAL STOCKS

(By F. A. Borden & Co.)  
Montreal, Aug. 30.—The Steamship market became quite active in the local market to-day and a gain of 2 points was made in the common. No particular reason was given for the sudden demand.

At the Dominion Iron's meeting to-day the back dividends on the preferred were all cleared up by a declaration of 7 per cent. The common showed considerable strength after an easy opening and the balance of the market was without feature and eased off slightly. There seems to be a waiting tendency which probably will prevail until something definite is known regarding the prospect for a settlement of the railroad trouble in the United States.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Ames Holden, com.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Do, pref.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Bell Telephone	109	109	109 1/2
Canadian Traction	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
C. P. R.	176 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
Can. Cement, com.	67	64 1/2	65 1/2
Do, pref.	93	93	93
Can. S. S. com.	31	29	29
Do, pref.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Can. Car Pdy, com.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Do, pref.	73	73	73
Can. Locomotive	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Can. Cottons	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Can. Gen. Elec.	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Cons. M. & S.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Crown Reserve	42	42	42
Civ. Inv. & Ind.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Detroit United	115	115	115
Dom. Bridge	223 1/2	223 1/2	223 1/2
Dom. Cannons	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Dom. I. & S.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Do, pref.	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Dom. Textile	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Illa. Traction	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Lyall Constn. Co.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Laurentide Co.	187	187	187
Laurentide Power	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
Ogilvie Flour Co.	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Macdonald Co.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Montreal Tram	38	38	38
N. S. Steel, com.	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Do, pref.	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Ontario Steel Prod.	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Ottawa Power	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Ottawa Water	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Penman's, Ltd.	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Quebec Railway	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Riordan Paper Co.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Shawinigan	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Shawinigan Pulp	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Do, pref.	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Spanish River Pulp	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Toronto Railway	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Twin City	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Winnipeg Elec.	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Winnipeg Pulp	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Dom. War Loan	98 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2

### RAILROAD SITUATION FACTOR AT CHICAGO

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Chicago, Aug. 30.—The railroad strike situation became an acute factor in the grain market to-day and opening prices for wheat were off from one and a quarter to two cents. There was a rally shortly after the opening which carried quotations back to yesterday's closing levels, when the market became quiet. Towards the close there was enormous selling, which broke prices down over five cents and closing quotations were only about a cent better than the lowest. Export business was at a standstill pending some definite strike news. The Liverpool cargo market was firm, and Buenos Ayres was reported strong with a better inquiry.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	142 1/2	142	142	142 1/2
Dec.	146 1/4	147	143	142 1/2
May	149 1/4	150	145 1/2	145
Nov.	85	86	85	85 1/2
Sept.	72 1/2	74	72 1/2	73
Dec.	70 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
May	41 1/2	42	41 1/2	41 1/2
Nov.	51	51 1/2	50 1/2	



CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY SECOND SUPERFLUITIES RAFFLE

The first raffle for forty prizes was such a success, that the committee has decided to hold a second raffle. There will be 100 PRIZES

All the prizes have been donated to the Red Cross Society. All the expenses have been donated. Messrs. O'Connell, I. J. Government street, have kindly given the use of their shop window.

The price of tickets is 10c. The whole proceeds of the raffle, without deduction of any kind, will go to the Red Cross Funds.

- Prize No. 1—Fine piece of Marble Statuary. 2—Pair of Bartolozzi Engravings. 3—Set of valuable old Engravings. 4—Old English India Ten Caddy. 5—Pair of old Chinese Blue Jars. 6—Antique Chinese Blue Bowl. 7—Antique Cameo Set in Set. 8—Valuable Miniature mounted in set. 9—Violin. 10—Old gold Inseper Chinese Smoking Box. 11—Antique Jewelled Necklace. 12—Antique Gold and Moonstone Pendant. 13—Sealed Envelope containing interesting document. 14—Musical Mirror. 15—Carat solid Gold Watch. 16—Gold and Turquoise Pendant. 17—Antique Chinese Gong. 18—Panel of Tapestry. 19—Pearl and Diamond Gold Bracelet. 20—Five Stone Opal Ring. 21—Pearl and Ruby Gold Ring. 22—Hair Ornament. 23—New Panama Hat, valued at \$20.00. 24—China Plaque. 25—Indian Curio (Clove). 26—Indian Curio (Basket). 27—Camera, 5 by 7. 28—Camera, English quarter plate, cost \$5. 29—Picnic Tea Basket. 30—Ostrich Quail, Blue by P. H. H. 31—Water Color, by A. M. Collins. 32—Black Ostrich Feather Fan. 33—Japanese Silk Scarf. 34—Hand-painted Fan. 35—Irish Crochet Scarf and Fichu. 36—Hand-painted Table Centre. 37—Framed Picture. 38—Eight days Travelling Clock. 39—Camera (No. 4 Bullet). 40—Hand-chased Silver Gift Card Case. 41—Set of Mathematical Instruments. 42—Case of Berry Spoon, Sugar Sifter. 43—Malagany and Jewelled Picture Frame (28 ins. square). 44—New Vacuum Cleaner, cost \$10. 45—Picture by Maude Earle. 46—Large Photo. 47—Edison Phonograph. 48—Lined Press. 49—Ladies' Saddle. 50—Ladies' Saddle. 51—Ladies' Bicycle. 52—Oil Lamps, by N. Sikes. 53—Historic Bride. 54—Set of Victor Hugo's Works. 55—Set of Novels, assorted, 20 vols. 56—Set of Scientific and Historical Works, 20 vols. 57—More than one hundred Books of Operas, Oratorios, Piano and Choral Works. 58—Mountain Sheep Head. 59—Mounted Buffalo Horn. 60—Mounted Buck Head. 61—Mounted Sheep Head. 62—Seawagon. 63—Large Mounted Map of British Columbia. 64—"Success" Vacuum Cleaner. 65—Patrol. 66—Silk Cushion. 67—Silk Cushion. 68—Brass Lamp. 69—Brass and China Lamp. 70—Brass and China Lamp. 71—Mantel Lamp. 72—Electric Lamp. 73—Electric Lamp. 74—Stove. 75—Stove. 76—Organ Movement for Piano-forte Attachment. 77—Candelabra Flower Stand. 78—Spiral Level. 79—Folding Trussers Stretcher. 80—Framed Picture. 81—Photo Frames. 82—Set of Poems. 83—Copper Tripod Stand and Spirit Stove. 84—Violin. 85—Old Print Framed. 86—Framed Picture. 87—Folding Nursery Screen, donated by the Lamson Street School children.

"TAG DAY" TO HELP Y.M.C.A. "HUT" SCHEME

Women's Canadian Club Will Appeal for Contributions on Friday

On Friday of this week the Women's Canadian Club will ask the people of Victoria to make a contribution to the work of the Y. M. C. A. in local military camps.

The extent of the magnificent enterprise of the Y. M. C. A. in connection with the army is probably not fully realized by many people. Wherever the British armies have gone during the last two years there is also to be found the Y. M. C. A. For 70 years the association pursued its quiet way, growing to a healthy organization should, but receiving no special notice beyond a recognition of its worth as a factor in the development of an all-around manhood in its members.

In this work the Canadian association, both in the size and number of its establishments, compares favorably with that of any other country. It bears its full share when the war broke out a deputation of Y. M. C. A. men visited Ottawa and arranged with the military authorities to send a certain number of secretaries with each division of troops.

For this overseas work the National Council is entirely responsible, and the support of the work at home is left largely to the people in the locality where the troops are stationed. The Victoria branch has up to the present, through the support of private individuals, churches, the battalions themselves at times, the I. O. D. F. and many others, been able to meet the requirements of the case, and is sure, with the continued sympathy and support of its many friends, to rise to all demands that the future may make.

The German military power is engaged indirectly in a struggle against the united public opinion of the rest of the world, and directly with the arms of France, Belgium, England, Russia and Italy, to stop with principals. In its desperation it throws off, one after another, the established laws of human intercourse because of their restraint. The naked German soul and purpose is gradually perceived to be fighting against the armies of civilization.

If Your Throat Is Husky, Catarrh May Be Starting. A weak or irritated throat is the first step towards Catarrh. Every thing depends on your remedy. A cough mixture slips quickly over the weak spots, drops into the stomach and does little but harm digestion.

DAYLIGHT SAVING COMPLICATIONS



COUNSEL—Now, sir, be very careful how you answer. Where were you, precisely at 8 o'clock—old time, of course—on the night of Aug. 15, the year before last.

TELLS OF VISIT TO BRAMSHOTT CAMP

Former Resident of Province Witnessed Departure of Canadian Troops

A letter from a Londoner for over 33 years resident in British Columbia, tells of a visit paid by him to the Canadian camp at Bramshot is of interest. "I got there on Saturday evening. I was not sure that I would see any of the boys. But I saw quite a batch of them—I knew in the Yukon on the following morning. They were mostly from White Horse. I saw a few from Victoria, B. C. that I knew as well.

The response of the people both in the United Kingdom and in Canada has been greater than the most optimistic ever anticipated. Already England alone has subscribed practically ten million dollars to the work of the Y. M. C. A. among its troops. Last June the British Weekly asked for enough money to build four huts at the front, and in the four weeks given the public in which to make their subscription enough was raised to build eight huts. Last May the Canadian Association raised, east of Winnipeg \$50,000 for the building of huts for Canadian soldiers overseas. The more permanent of these huts, including equipment, cost about \$5,000.

CANADIANS INSPECTED

Sapper Barf, Former City Employee, Writes From England. The following is an extract from a letter written by Sapper Barf, formerly a member of the city building inspectors' staff, and now of the 12th Field Co., Canadian Engineers, to a friend in this city.

"I am keeping in excellent health, and have just returned from a four days' leave which I spent at the old home town, and enjoyed very much. Since returning we have been busy preparing to go to the front, and tonight I am voting on the provincial election, prohibition and franchise for women."

LEAVE BRAMSHOTT.

According to a letter from an officer of the 67th Battalion, Western Scots, the corps was to leave Bramshot for France on August 13. He stated that a base company of 125, under Capt. Edden, was being left at the camp. Lieuts. Stanley Okeill and Marsden were in the hospital at the time the letter was written, but would rejoin the battalion when they recovered from vaccination.

LITTLE MAN'S GREAT HEART.

An officer who was wounded near Lonzueval began to breathe, the German man, and lost consciousness. "You'd never guess who I next found myself," he said in an interview. "I was wedged in the forked branches of a little tree, on the highest ground near, and on the ground below me was my orderly, unconscious and bleeding a good deal from the flesh wounds in his arms and shoulders that he'd got from the some shrapnel that hit the rest of us. That little chap had carried me three hundred yards, over the roughest sort of going, with any number of bullets flying round, and himself running blood from half a dozen flesh wounds. He'd been taught to make for high ground when gas was about, so before he'd fainted he planted me in that little tree. How he managed it I can't think, because I must be nearly twice his weight, and he's small all round—except in the matter of his heart."—Dundee Weekly News.

FIFTY-FIVE MEN TO FILL UP BANTAMS

143rd Battalion Nearing the Thousand Mark; Band is Assisting in Recruiting

Fifty-five men are required to-day to bring the 143rd Battalion, C. E. F., to full strength. The enrolment of the Bantams is now proceeding well toward the thousand mark, and to-day there is but one battalion in the province which exceeds this unit in point of numbers, the 172nd at Vernon, which is well over strength. The 131st, the senior battalion, is about 35 men short of its establishment and as this unit is expected to leave very shortly efforts are being made in Vancouver and New Westminster to recruit the additional men required.

The work of collecting the required 55 men to bring the Bantams to their full fighting strength is being hurried, as it is anticipated that as soon as the required number are enrolled the order will be sent forward for the battalion to proceed overseas. An energetic recruiting campaign is being waged by the Bantams and the noted band of the battalion is being used to assist in this. The band is at Vancouver this week playing a series of open air concerts and nightly public speakers make telling appeals for men in connection with these concerts. Next week the band will play in Victoria and efforts will be made here to enrol more men than are coming in now. The band is attracting considerable attention at Vancouver, where it is being praised on all sides, the consensus of opinion being that it is the finest military band heard in this city.

HAVE BEEN PROMOTED

A London dispatch announces that the following have been promoted temporary lieutenants: Sergt. Norwood and Sergt. Shawyer, 67th Battalion.

Pte. A. V. Hill, 30th Battalion. Sergt. R. Corbett, 14th Battalion. Sergts. Norwood and Shawyer left here with the 67th Battalion, which sailed for overseas service on March 24, in command of Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross. The 30th Battalion, of which Pte. A. V. Hill is a member, is another Victoria unit which left early in 1915 for the front. The 16th Battalion is made up of drafts of numerous Canadian units.

GIVEN COMMISSION

Corporal Grafer Goes to England to Take Officers' Course. Cpl. Godfrey W. Grafer has been sent to England from France to take a course of instruction to prepare him for a commission for which he has recently been selected. He has served for many months in France with the Canadian Scottish. As a N. C. O. he has been very successful and his promotion is the result of merit.

Lieut. Grafer is well known in Victoria where he was engaged for some time in the real-estate business, and he also was connected with the C. P. R. for a number of years.

REJECTED HERE, ACCEPTED IN ENGLAND.

Second Lieutenant W. Walsh, who has died from wounds received in action, was in his twenty-second year. He was educated at Sevenoaks and St. Paul's schools, and went to the Ontario Agricultural college some five years ago to learn scientific farming; from there he graduated at Toronto University this year. From the commencement of the war until November, 1915, he had made several attempts to join the Canadian forces, but owing to his eyesight was unsuccessful; however, in November last the British government offered through his university commissions to members of the Canadian Officers' Training Corps. This time the use of spectacles was not a disqualification. He arrived in England in February of this year, and on March 3 was gazetted second lieutenant in the Gloucester Regiment. This extract is from his last letter: "I rather like the life so far. The nearer I get to going into action, the less I seem to trouble about it. I am quite happy now that I am doing my duty."—London Telegraph.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

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

MOHA SIGNED FOR BOUTS.

Bob Moha, the Milwaukee heavy-weight, has been signed by Jess McVie for three bouts. One is to be with Charlie Wehnart and another with Jim Coffee and Jack Dillon. McMahon hopes to get Frank Moran's signature to a set of articles for the other bout.

SONTAG GETS CHANCE.

Joe Welling and Johnny Dundee will box to-night in an important ten-round bout in New York, and as a semi-wind-up Val Sontag, the Seattle amateur champion of the coast, will make his professional debut against a Gotham middleweight. Sontag left Seattle some time ago in quest of bouts, and he has been working out with Welling for his coming scrap.

CONSECRATED FRANCE.

There is none of us but knows what France has lost and suffered, and how nobly that suffering and loss have been borne, with what magnificent calm she has looked the most fearful national peril in the face, and with what heroic vigor gripped and plinned it down, with what high-hearted resolution and fearless confidence she is preparing now for the supreme effort of the long history of French arms. Ever since the first disasters, the whole evidence of those observing France under misfortune has been to the same effect. The entire people, dismissing every other thought, has consecrated itself to the purpose of shattering German ambition, exacting the full penalty of the menace of German savagery. The body, the intellect, and the spirit of France, simultaneously incited and outraged, are to be vindicated once and for all. The nation has given itself up to that ideal with a cold concentration, a serene readiness to bear every strain and every pang, that have won the astonished admiration of the world. The moral of her magnificent troops was never stronger than it is at this moment; the people behind them are enduring all things with a stoical composure, facing all things with a clear-eyed realism, that are a new thing in the record of nations at war.—London Telegraph.

Meeks: "My wife prefers tea for breakfast, while I prefer coffee."—Bleeks: "Then I suppose it is necessary to have both, eh?" Meeks: "Oh, no; we compromise." Bleeks: "In what way?" Meeks: "We have tea."—Indianapolis Star.

The Prohibition Act Means the Sending of Enormous Sums of Money Out of the Province. This means that just as much money may be spent for liquor under the Prohibition Act as is now the case. BUT—MARK THIS—The Money Must Be Sent Out of the Province. READ THE ACT Learn What It Means VOTE "NO" Phone 4589 for a copy of the Act.

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## REV. DR. MATTHEWS ON PROHIBITION

Seattle, Pastor Addresses Large Gathering at the Old Victoria Theatre

"The individual members of the vast gathering that congregated at the old Victoria theatre last evening were appealed to by Rev. J. G. Matthews to 'get busy' and pass the prohibition bill on September 14. 'The liquor people have lots of energy and enthusiasm and money to put up,' said Mr. Inkster. 'The moral reformers and Christians are too often mean and stingy and indifferent when it comes right down to helping the thing they are after.'"

"The meeting was under the auspices of the People's Prohibition League, and was for the express purpose of giving Rev. Dr. Matthews, of the First Presbyterian church, Seattle, an opportunity to appeal to the people of this city to support the bill. Joseph Patrick acted as chairman, and a male quartette contributed numbers during the evening."

"No peace has ever been produced by compromise," declared Dr. Matthews, who spoke eloquently for over an hour. "The liquor traffic is a social evil. You cannot create a diplomatic service between hell and heaven. If there is any agency that Satan has which is greater than the liquor traffic I should like to see it. There is no one agent that has done more harm in the world than intoxicating beverages. They have bereaved the home, wrecked hearts, opened the gates to the devil, and ruined the nation. It is the robe of your judiciary, corrupted your legislators. Yet you sit in indifference when you are asked whether you will consent to the continuance of the traffic. The astonishing thing is that we ever consented to the building up of the business. There is no argument that any man in the world can make for the existence of the barroom."

"They did try many years ago," said Dr. Matthews, "to give the liquor traffic to the government, but the prohibitionists were trying to take away the poor man's club. I come from the poor man's rank, and I resent such a statement. The poor man does not need the amusement of hell for his club. The poor man's club is 'Home, Sweet Home,' and it is the liquor business that is trying to spoil that."

Advocates of Temperance.

"When we began this fight we began it along the lines of temperance," he continued. "Since then, 25 years ago, the liquor men have been on the platform and posing as angels of light, but temperance as a plank in their platform."

"No man ever commenced like a drunkard," declared Dr. Matthews with anger. "He started the fires of appetite burning with the temperance use of spirits. Lust and licentiousness go hand in hand with drunkenness. Every conceivable companion of evil that the world has ever known is clustered round the liquor traffic. Where are your thugs, thieves, murderers, gamblers and prostitutes to be found? If they come to your city they will go to the saloons, because there is one solid phalanx of evil hurled against virtue. Why have we allowed this saloon to come into prominent existence in America? Because during the time of our great civil strife Lincoln was persuaded to consent to it as a 'war measure.' He stipulated that when the war was over the traffic should be lifted. But the promise was not kept. It fastened itself upon us, and from the traffic last year we gathered \$283,000,000 in revenue. And the weak-kneed politician whimpers when there is any movement against it. 'Where are we going to get that \$283,000,000 revenue?'"

"The average politician," he said, "is the guardian of the people, the poor man's Lord, provider, and protector. But when he gets in office he is too busy to listen to the wall of the widow and the cry of the orphan."

"I have read every line of your prohibition bill. It is a good bill. They say (the liquor men) that it is a bad bill. But I want a better jury and judges than they. They say it is bad because it does not prohibit. Suppose the Ten Commandments were put on the same grounds. Of course men will violate the law. Have you any law that man will not and does not violate? When they say that no prohibition bill prohibits they might just as well say the same thing about any law. The law was made for violators. It was predicated to catch them. The Ten Commandments were given after men were doing the things that they should not do."

"So, you liquor people, we wrote the bill because we knew you were doing it. We wrote the bill!"

"When they were trying to pass prohibition in Seattle the opposition said that it would stop people from British Columbia's neighboring cities visiting there, and they would lose by it. 'I resented it when they told me such a thing,' said Dr. Matthews. 'I know that you did not come to our port to visit the disreputable houses and saloons. And if Seattle depended on that sort of tourist traffic for her up-keep then so much the worse for Seattle.'"

Dr. Matthews contended that the more saloons the more "blind pigs." And the existence of the former made it more difficult to find the latter because they both wiggled the same way. Before the passing of their prohibition law there were 400 establishments licensed to sell liquor, and an additional 500 "blind pigs." No "dry" territory in the United States had ever had anything like the number of "blind pigs" that existed under "wet" conditions.

Depends on Men in Office.

Five or six of the saloons which called themselves "drug-stores" had been opened by liquor men in Seattle after the passing of the act. These kept \$24 worth of drugs, engaged a licensed pharmacist, in order to keep a good "face," and made up the rest of their stock in trade with \$2,000 worth of in-

toxicating beverages. No law enforced itself, not even the immigration law. It depended on the men in office.

"If you are going to put 'boot-leggers' in office you will have a boot-legging machine. If you put paper men in office the law will be enforced 90 per cent. to the good. On the one hand the liquor interests say that the law cannot be enforced; on the other hand they say that you are interfering with 'British freedom.' They say the process for seizure and seizure should not go on in a man's home and castle. But when a man prostitutes his home and makes it into a barroom it ought to come under the law for seizure and search. Suppose I grant that the bill is not so good as it seems. Anyway, my friends, it is a beginning. No human law written exclusively by human power has been perfect in itself. You must make a big stride toward a reasonable statute. Stand by it and enforce it, and you will be proud of the day that you passed it."

"Some say: 'You are putting to flight prosperity, peace and happiness.' In England they spent a billion dollars last year in liquor. From whom did it come? If this amount is not spent on liquor will these beautiful golden-avenue take wings and fly away? No! No! No! They will remain in the pockets of free sovereign Britons."

"They said we would go into bankruptcy," continued the speaker. "But deposits have increased something like \$3,000,000 during the past six months under prohibition. Our building permits increased 251 per cent. over July of 1915. I quote the Trade Journal of Seattle: 'If prohibition took away the money with what did we increase our building? They said rents would go down, that the 315 places occupied by saloons would be empty. But go and find, if you can, 315 empty business houses in Seattle to-day. Sixty per cent. of them have been fumigated and turned into legitimate places of business. Before, the saloons cashed thousands of cheques each Saturday night and the men went home unfit to meet their families.'"

"Somebody said that Canada's securities would decrease if you voted out the saloon. For your sakes I resent this. Canada's securities, mortgages and bonds do not rest on the liquor interests. Your securities are your manhood and womanhood; the manhood and womanhood of a people that has never and will never be prostituted."

"When your great sovereign almost literally sat on his knees, and said, 'In the liquor interest of Great Britain, Gentlemen, I beg you for the sake of the cause, for the sake of the country, consent at this time to a curtailment of your business.' They literally laughed in his face and said in effect: 'To hell with Great Britain. We will sell liquor or die.'"

"If I were a subject of your king or in any other way affiliated with your country I would sacrifice every drop of my blood in the fight against liquor and the insult which it has offered to your sovereignty and the great cause in which you are fighting," said Dr. Matthews.

"I have already sworn that I will help you in this fight. I will help you to continue it. I will be willing to go to any part of the country where the British flag floats to help you to fight the traffic because of that insult!"

A final reason given by the speaker was that he wanted to see the banner of temperance waving over the whole of North America. Here in the Northwest section, many of the great problems of the world were eventually to be solved. This territory should be absolutely free. It should be a place where the brain and brawn and character of the man might come and build its home in safety, security and happiness.

The Chairman.

The worst of the public was that it read the liquor traffic advertisements because they were in big type. But they did not read the act, said Mr. Patrick, who enumerated the mechanical and scientific purposes for which alcohol could be used when prohibition came into force. Great laughter was caused by his rally of two strong arguments of the liquor interests. First, that there was going to be more traffic after the passing of the bill than before; second, that was going to put a terrible lot of people out of business.

Rev. Mr. Inkster.

"The brewery trade is built up by exploiting human weakness," said Mr. Inkster, quoting St. George R. Taylor, a well known Canadian. Mr. Inkster spoke vehemently against the business, and referred to the fact that the newspapers had both contained interviews with Edward Mackay Sprigg, law partner of Messrs. Sprigg & Co. of England, who had said (quite naturally from their standpoint) that the passing of prohibition in British Columbia would shake the confidence of capitalists in the old country who had an eye on affairs here.

"Are we going to allow that state of things, are we going to let the octopus get at our throats?" he asked.

Gen. Luigi Cadorna, head of the Italian army, has just scored a marked success through the capture of Gorizia which has for upwards of a year blocked the Italian road to Trieste. Those unfamiliar with the ground over which the Italians had to fight sometimes thought their progress extremely slow, but they had no knowledge of the almost insuperable difficulties of campaigning several thousand feet above the sea level. Cadorna, who was largely responsible for his country's entrance into the war on the side of the allies, has been connected with the army since he was a boy. He is now sixty-five years of age and is generally regarded as being one of the ablest tacticians in the world. As a matter of fact his books on army tactics have been adopted by the Germans. He belongs to the nobility, but is a thorough democrat and recognizes ability as the only reason for promotion.—Montreal Journal of Commerce.

To an old darky haled before him, Southern judge put this question: "Why did you burn your house down just after getting it insured?" Whereupon the old darky replied: "Yo' honor, a pore man like me can't afford to have a house and insurance, too."—Case and Comment.

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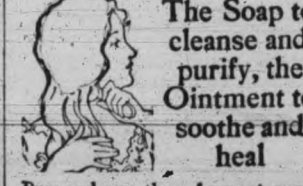
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## CONSIDER PAVING PROVISION ON HILLS

### Saanich Works Committee Suggests Modifications for Heavy Grades in New Paving.

Considerable discussion took place in the works committee of the Saanich council last evening with regard to making provision for the horse drawn traffic of the district, in connection with the paving of heavy grades for the road improvement undertaking.

For months past the councilors have been receiving complaints from residents who still use horse drawn vehicles of the slippery nature of the bitulthic and oilcrete paving, particularly of the former, on the hills. This has forced them to use the macadam roads wherever possible to reach the city. At a recent meeting it had been explained that after the pressure of new work is over, the contracting company will meet the request of the council and roughen the surface of the hills already paved to avoid accidents.

Meanwhile the question arose last evening with regard to the new work in hand on the East road and Burnside road, more particularly the Burnside hill and Young's hill on the East road. The revee, as a motorist himself, pointed out that if the council was to lay an eight foot paving in the centre of the road on the hills in question, and make up a good macadam paving wide enough for traffic on either side, the horse drawn vehicles could move freely, and automobiles would use the hard surface, merely pulling over on the macadam in order to pass. Before action is taken on the matter next week, it was decided that the chairman of the works committee, Councilor Borden, and other councilors would consult with the engineer and reach some recommendation to make to the council at its next session.

As to the effect of roughening the surface of the hills on existing paving, it is stated it will mar the appearance, but if the difficulties experienced already can be overcome the councilors are not inclined to quibble about appearance. The hill known as Young's mentioned above is one of the worst in the municipality, and a determined effort has been made to divert the roadway in order to avoid the present dangerous grade.

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