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EXCISE TAXES AT TOTAL OF \$79,268,244 Ottawa, April 22.—The total revenue from excise taxes for the fiscal year ended March 31 was \$79,268,244, divided as follows:

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CONFERENCE IS CARVELL'S PLAN Says Railwaymen's Wages Should Be Reduced

Saskatoon, April 22.—Referring to criticism of the last award of the Railway Commission offered by Senator Robertson, Minister of Labor, in the Senate recently, Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Commission, addressing the Saskatoon Canadian Club at dinner last evening, blamed manipulation of working conditions by the big railway unions for the present railway problem.

PANNING GOLD AT ALASKA RIVER Lost Discovery Lode Has Been Found

Nome, Alaska, April 22.—Prospectors from the Kugruk River district declare the lost Discovery Lode, which caused the first Nome stampede, has been relocated on the banks of the river and is estimated to contain \$2,500 a pan at a depth of twenty feet.

AUSTRALIA AND LEAGUE OF NATIONS Melbourne, April 22.—Australia's expenditures for its representation in the League of Nations from its inception to the end of the present fiscal year will total about \$30,000, according to a statement made in the House of Representatives by the Federal Minister of the Treasury.

CHILDREN DROWNED Saskatoon, April 22.—When a grade school which they were home from school caved in and buried them under a deluge of mud and water, Willie and Leo Schmitz, aged eight and nine, sons of Jacob Schmitz, farmer, Sask. farmer, were drowned. A third boy who was in the rig at the time escaped. The bodies were under water two hours before they were recovered.

TROTZKY CLAIMS BOLSHEVIK ARMY HAS MILLION MEN

London, April 22.—Leon Trotzky, Russian Soviet War Minister, addressing students passing out of the military school in Moscow, declared the Bolshevik army now numbered 1,000,000 fighting men, with 150,000 officers, while the output of the Russian munitions factories had increased 400 per cent. in 1920, according to his Heisingford dispatch to The London Times.

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CANADIAN CITIES' BANK CLEARINGS

Table with columns for City, 1921, and 1920. Includes Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, Calgary, Hamilton, Quebec, Edmonton, Halifax, St. John, Victoria, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, Regina, Brandon, Ft. William, Medicine Hat, and Prince Albert.

TO SEND MINISTER TO WASHINGTON Ottawa Will Appoint Man; Money Voted

Ottawa, April 22.—Premier Meighen made it clear in the Commons last night that the Government has not abandoned the plan of appointing a minister to act for Canada at Washington. "Is it intended to make the appointment within the present fiscal year?" asked Hon. R. Lemieux.

THREE KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE SMASH

Montreal, April 22.—Canadian Press.—Three Montreal people were killed and three persons, also of Montreal, were injured at 2:30 last night when an automobile in which they were travelling was struck by a southbound train of the Delaware & Hudson Railway at Hughes Crossing, two miles north of Lacolle, Que. The dead: Isadore Beaudin, fifty, his wife and grandchild. One of the injured, the man is reported to be a chauffeur who had taken out his employer's car without permission.

WINES IN QUEBEC WILL BE CHEAPER

Quebec City, April 22.—Wine prices are to tumble on May 1 in this province, according to N. Drouin, one of the local Laborers' Union leaders. The Provincial Government will take over the sale of intoxicants on that date. "Hard stuff" will be affected in less proportion, as it is the duty of the Commission to sell it with reasonable profit to pay the cost of administration, while in regard to wines the percentage of profit will be reduced to a minimum.

MANY IRISHMEN MOVE TO STATES Increase in Numbers Leaving Disturbed Island

Dublin, April 22.—The decree just issued by the body which calls itself the Irish Republican Parliament prohibiting emigration from Ireland "without permission from the proper authority," although it is directed against all emigration, was directly unopposed by the heavy increase in emigration to the United States so far this year, it was declared here yesterday. The numbers of Irishmen applying at the United States Consulates in Belfast, Dublin and Queenstown for visas has been so great recently that the Consulate staffs have been working to the limit to keep up with the demand.

AID FOR LONDON CRIPPLED CHILDREN

Metchosin, April 22.—To aid the fund for sending London crippled children to the seaside in the summer under the care of the Shaftesbury Society, Mr. and Mrs. Coley invited a number of friends and neighbors to see their lovely Spring garden at "Greycombe," Metchosin. Tea was served, for which a small charge was made, and garden plants were sold to help along this very worthy cause. "Greycombe" is perched high upon the cliff, and the garden, with its glorious display of Spring flowers and the Olympics for a background, was well worth seeing, and everyone spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

Graceful Silk Sweaters The luxuriousness of the Silk Sweater is enhanced in these new models. The becoming tuxedo collar and long cash are features—smart by their very conservatism. Telephone 1901 Mallek's 721 Yates St.

Brown Suede Oxfords These are smart Women's Oxfords, made on a Cuban heel, with welted soles. They are a dark brown suede, Wm. Cathcart Co., Ltd. 621 Fort Street Shoe Shining Hand Shoe Repairing Pemberton Building

OTTAWA STATEMENT TELLS ABOUT BONDS

Ottawa, April 22.—(Canadian Press)—The last of the taxable Victory Bonds accumulated by the Stabilizing Committee have been disposed of to investors. The Department of Finance will issue some tax-free bonds, but it is understood the policy of the Department is not to sell any more. The method of their disposal has not yet been decided upon. They may be cancelled.

TO RAISE \$200,000

Vancouver, April 22.—The chairman of the Vancouver and District Joint Sewerage Board was authorized to arrange with the banks through the Minister of Finance, for an advance not to exceed \$200,000, to finance the Board for the next few months, at a meeting of the Board yesterday.

SPECIAL SAVINGS For the Week-End in Smart Footwear for Spring. These unusually low prices mean quick clearance. Store closes 6 p. m. Men would scarcely expect such shoes at \$5.85. Dressy shoes, as serviceable as they are stylish and every pair sewn soles, \$9.00 values. Special Saving \$5.85

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YPRES.

Six years ago to-day a thin line of khaki-clad warriors from Canada stood up against four divisions of the German army and prevented them from reaching the Channel ports.

THE CONVALESCENT CENTRE

When the petition for the establishment of a convalescent centre on Vancouver Island was presented to the Duke of Devonshire, His Excellency explained to the petitioners that constitutional limitations prevented him from being anything more than a medium through which their request would pass to the Dominion Government.

The more effective course would have been to forward the petition to the Government through the Hon. S. F. Tolmie, British Columbia's representative in the Cabinet, sending copies at the same time to the Vancouver Island members of Parliament with a request for their assistance.

Such a course, moreover, would avoid any suggestion of an attempt to go over the Government's head or any implication of lack of confidence in the good-will and ability of the Minister and members of Parliament for Vancouver Island.

REAL AMERICA SPEAKS.

No better evidence of American weariness of the attempts which have been made to involve the United States in the Irish question could be found than in the editorial sentiments of The New York Tribune this morning.

which the world was informed of the cold-blooded murder of an Irishwoman by members of the "Republican Army" a dispatch from Queenstown intimated that one thousand emigrants had embarked for the West.

ORDINARY PRECAUTION.

If the United States were a member of the League of Nations, and if the chief Allied Powers had dispensed with their war staffs in so far as they exist for the purpose of immediate use in case of necessity, there would be no occasion for the Harding Administration to inaugurate a military policy which is intended to place the Republic on all fours with the rest of the world.

POLITICAL PARALLELS.

In contemplating the rise of Mr. Stanley Baldwin to the Presidency of the Board of Trade it is interesting to recall two striking careers in political parallel which his own and that of Mr. Austen Chamberlain furnish.

OTHER PAPERS' VIEWS

ONE COST OF CIVILIZATION. (The St. Louis Globe-Democrat.) Every bird can build its own dwelling, and man can do that before he became civilized.

APPLY THE PRESSURE.

Germany seems to forget that the United States is still one of the Allied and Associated Powers which is determined to insist upon the payment of reparation in respect of damage for which she is responsible.

In view of the attitude which Germany has seen fit to adopt it may be assumed that Mr. Lloyd George has modified some of his earlier objections to the application of military pressure.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Germany asks the United States to act as a mediator on the question of reparations. The American reply is: "received and filed."

Rome celebrated her 2,674th birthday yesterday. We shall have to admit that our own city's association with B. C. must content itself with a different interpretation of the "detached" suffix.

It was mentioned in the British House of Commons yesterday that twenty-three thousand pounds per month had been sent from Moscow to England during the Winter for the exploitation of the unemployed.

Mr. S. W. Jacobs asked the Prime Minister in the House at Ottawa yesterday whether it was an "accepted fact" that there is to be no general tariff revision this year.

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SPRING CLEANING.

These are times when the minds of housewives turn inevitably to thoughts of Spring cleaning. The domestic truce is broken, and woman supreme and uncompromising will invade and disturb every nook and corner sacred to the masculine heart.

WHITWORTH FORTUNE.

STILL FOUGHT OVER Documents in 34-Year-Old Suit Brought Up By Lorry-loads

London, April 22.—Dickensiana will be irresistibly reminded of some features of a suit now before the High Court of the interminable Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce suit in "Bleak House."

The present action, which entailed the bringing of a lorry-load of documents by road from Manchester, has been occupying Mr. Justice Eve in the Lord Chancellor's Court. It goes so far back that several of the parties closely concerned in the original disposition of the property are now dead.

THE DOMINION HOTEL TO-DAY FOR LUNCHEON. We are now featuring a Merchants' Lunch for 65c

FRENCH ARMY READY AS NEW MOVES OF GERMANY DISCUSSED

In its note to the President of the United States asking that he mediate the question of reparations between Germany and the Allies, the German Government said:

"In the name of the German Government and the German people, the undersigned, technical state of war, respectfully petition the President of the United States to mediate in the reparations question and to fix the sum to be paid by Germany to the Allied Powers."

"The note bore the signatures of Chancellor Fehrenbach and Dr. Simons, Foreign Minister of Germany. President Harding's reply, sent by Secretary of State Hughes, said: "This Government could not agree to mediate the question of reparations with a view to acting as arbitrator in its settlement."

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PREDICTS LOGGERS' STRIKE OUTBREAK HERE NEXT MONTH

Sloan, Minister of Mines, and member for Nanaimo, and the Rev. Mr. Menzies, whose constituency adjoins that of Hon. Mr. Sloan. Both yesterday joined forces and protested to the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, against such a big wage cut.

ATHOL FORBES PASSES.

London, April 22.—F. A. Phillips, the novelist, died here to-day. Rev. Forbes Alexander Phillips, vicar of Gorleston, Norfolk, England, and prominent Freemason, was widely known as a novelist and dramatist.

SHOE CAUSED DEATH OF YOUNG GIRL

Mabton, Wash., April 22.—Alice Stollcker, fourteen-year-old daughter of W. H. Stollcker, died at her home here of acute rheumatism caused by

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CITY TO DECIDE TELEPHONE POLICY

To Consider Plan to Fight Rate Increases Monday. The proposal that City Solicitor H. S. Pringle be sent to Ottawa to fight the increased telephone rates desired by the B. C. Telephone Company will be brought before the City Council for consideration on Monday.

HOROSCOPE

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1921. (Copyright, 1921, by The McClure Newspaper Syndicate.) The Sun dominates the planetary rule of this day, according to astrology, and is in benefic aspect, while Uranus and Jupiter also are friendly.

LETTERS

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article, the shorter the chance of insertion.

ESQUIMALT HOSPITAL INSTRUMENTS. To the Editor:—Through the columns of your paper I would like to draw the attention of all ex-service men and citizens of Vancouver Island to the fact that it is about to be played off the tragedy that commenced with the order to close Esquimalt Hospital. I refer to the removal from Victoria of the special instruments and equipment which were used in Esquimalt Hospital for the treatment of nervous and shell-shocked cases.

NOT IDENTIFIED AS HUNTED WALL STREET CRIMINAL. Scranton, Pa., April 22.—Three New Yorkers who had come here at the behest of the Department of Justice failed to-day to identify Tito Liggi, under arrest here, as the driver of the death wagon that figured in the Wall Street explosion last September.

\$95.00 This model has been reduced in price from \$135.00. This is less than you could purchase a cabinet gramophone for before the war. We do not hesitate to recommend this Grafonola to those thinking of purchasing a phonograph, as at this price it is of unequal value.

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Store Hours: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Wednesday, 1 p. m. Saturday, 6 p. m.

Good Values in Women's Suits, Embroidery, and in Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes—To-morrow



9 Tweed Suits Semi-Tailored Styles \$29.75

Tweed Suits in semi-tailored styles, with roll collars, neatly belted and button trimmed; for the business woman the suits are especially appropriate, being of excellent wearing quality and in modest shades of grey and green mixtures. You will find these suits well made and finished, and representing extraordinary value at **\$29.75**

—Mantles, Main Floor—Phone 1910

Drawn Thread and Battenberg Runners and Squares—At Bargain Prices

Battenberg Runners, 18 x 50 inches, in 8 designs. Regular \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, for each **\$1.00**
 Drawn Thread Centres, 30-inch. Regular \$1.25. On sale at, each **75¢**
 Drawn Thread Runners, 17 x 50. Regular \$1.25. On sale at, each **75¢**
 Drawn Thread Runners. Regular \$1.75, for **\$1.00**
 Battenberg Squares, 68 x 68. Regular \$7.50. On sale at, each **\$4.75**
 —Staple Dept.—Main Floor—Phone 3350

Extra Special Values in Men's Shirts Night Shirts and Socks

Men's Heavy Cotton Tweed Working Shirts in a fawn and brown mixture; shirts made with collar, pocket and band cuff; only a few dozen left; regular value \$2.75. Now being cleared at **\$2.29**
 Men's Fine Print Negligee Shirts in various light stripes; our own brand; shirts cut full in the body and neck, and having starch collar band and soft double cuffs. Special at **\$2.35**
 Men's White Twill Cotton Night Shirts, with or without collar; in sizes 15 to 18 neck; regular \$2.00 values; Ten dozen to clear at **\$1.49**
 Men's Wool Mixture Cashmere Socks, Penman's Brand; shown in Lovat shades. Special at **85¢**
 —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

Extraordinary Sale of Fine Swiss Muslin Nainsook and Batiste Embroidery Edging and Flouncing—Saturday

Two thousand yards only in the lot, all of the same high grade; shown in many lacy and beautiful patterns. They are marked away below pre-war prices. On sale Friday and Saturday as follows:
 18 to 24 inches selling at **50¢** 6 to 8 inches selling at **25¢**
 9 to 12 inches selling at **35¢** 4 to 6 inches selling at **15¢**
 —Lace and Embroidery, Main Floor

Suits for Young Men

**\$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00
\$32.00 and
\$35.00**

In this consignment of suits for young men you are offered the newest models and patterns for Spring; suits well made and superbly tailored from the best Tweeds in the most fashionable shades. You have just to glance at the suits to feel certain that they represent the best values on the market to-day. Call at once and select your suit from this large assortment.

Also in Young Men's First Longs we supply the newest styles; all well made suits and in good qualities; sizes 31 to 36. At **\$15.00 to \$22.50**
 —Men's Clothing, Main Floor—Phone 2820



Jerseys and Jersey Suits for Children—Moderate Prices

Full-Over Sweaters in assorted colors, for the ages of 2 to 8 years; all pure wool and trimmed with combination colors; with or without collars. At **\$3.75**
 Jerseys with sailor collars, in self colors of rose, green and saxe; suitable to wear with pleated skirts. Sizes for the ages of 2 to 7 years at **\$2.90**. Sizes for the ages of 8 to 10 years at **\$3.90**
 Boys' Two-Piece Jersey Suits with turned down collar and buttoned in front with three pearl buttons; knee length pants with pockets; in colors of Paddy, saxe, navy, cinnamon, brown and white; sizes for 1½ to 5 years; regular values to \$8.25. Selling at **\$4.95**
 Children's Light Jerseys for Summer wear; made with V neck, and suitable for boys or girls; in shades of cardinal, brown and navy; sizes for 2 to 6 years at **\$2.50**. Sizes for 7 to 10 years at **\$2.90**
 —Children's, First Floor—Phone 6392

Military Heel Strap Pumps and Brogues for Women—To Match Your Sport or Walking Skirt

Two-Strap Pump with welted sole and military heel; in grey buck, brown calf, white buck. At, a pair **\$12.00**
 Black kid. At, a pair **\$11.00**
 New Shade Fawn Buckskin Brogues with round toes and military heels; fringed tongues if desired. Wonderful value at **\$12.00**
 Brown Calf Two-Strap Pumps with military heels; a smart shoe. At **\$7.50**
 Black Kid Pumps, one or two straps, and with military heels. At **\$6.00**
 Heavy Grain Leather Brogue Oxfords, the right shoes for golf or country wear; English makes. At **\$11.50**
 —Women's Shoes, First Floor—Phone 6392



Men's Flannel and Duck Pants In Best Styles

Men's English Flannel Pants, made of best grade material, with cuff bottoms and belt loops, shown in sizes 32 x 42 waist. Special at **\$7.50**
 Khaki Duck Outing Pants, made with cuff bottoms and with flap on hip and watch pocket. At, pair, **\$2.95** and **\$3.25**
 Men's Tweed Work Pants, made of a heavy material; sizes 32 to 42. Special value at **\$4.75**
 —Men's Clothing, Main Floor—Phone 2820

Saturday Shoe Specials for Men Boys, Misses and Women

Men's "Goodyear" Welted Boots, in black and brown calf, a smart medium toe on an English last. Very special value at **\$5.95**
 Boys' Solid Leather Box Calf Boots, in sizes 11 to 13. At **\$3.95**
 Sizes 1 to 5½. At **\$3.95**
 Boys' Brown Calf Boots, on a smart medium toe last; and with double soles; sizes 1 to 5½. At **\$5.00**
 Misses' Patent Strap Pumps, in sizes 11 to 2. Special at **\$2.95**
 Women's House Slippers, in black glazed kid, with one strap. Special at **\$2.95**
 —Men's Shoes, Main Floor —Women's Shoes, First Floor

Two Bargains in Quality Silks

Silk Spot Habutal, 27 inches wide, a mixture of silk and cotton patterned with a small self dot. A very suitable material for waists, in shades of grey, black, white, apricot, saxe, pink and navy. Special at **59¢**
 36-Inch Colored Silks, Messalines, Palette, Duchess, Pongee, in a large range of colors. Desirable materials for Dresses; maize, pink, white, navy, black, grey, Copenhagen, saxe, fawn, old rose, myrtle, wine etc.; all wonderful value at **\$1.98**
 —Silks, Main Floor—Phone 2283

A. Clean Up in Mattresses Some at Less Than Cost

12 Mattresses, made of layers of white felt, and covered with a good grade ticking in an attractive design. They are finished with roll edge. Regular \$24.00 values. At **\$16.00**
 16 Mattresses, of white cotton felt; all built in layers and covered with an excellent grade art ticking. Regular \$18.00. Priced to clear at, each, **\$13.50**
 Felt Mattresses, well made and guaranteed not to lump; finished with roll edge and covered with art ticking. Wonderful value at **\$9.50**
 Springy Felt Mattresses, built in layers, with roll edge and covered with a good grade ticking; all sizes. Special value at **\$12.00**
 Roll Edge Mixed Mattresses, made of selected wood fibre and covered with art ticking of a superior grade; all sizes. At **\$8.25**
 Mattresses of wood fibre, with cotton top and bottom; a comfortable mattress covered with good grade plain ticking; all sizes and good value at **\$5.75**
 —Bedroom Furniture, Second Floor—Phone 1248

Gillette Razors—At Half Price

We are placing on sale at exactly half price, all our stock of Gillette Razors. Shop early Saturday morning and obtain one. All-in Perfect Condition.
 —Drugs, Main Floor

Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles

WEEK-END SPECIALS
 Take advantage of our special sale of HYGLO Nail Preparations and Manicure Sets, Cuticle Remover, Nail White, Nail Polishing Paste, etc., at greatly reduced prices.
 50c Peppermint Tooth Paste **34¢**
 40c Castoria **28¢**
 35c Electric Oil **22¢**
 \$1.00 Vinol **50¢**
 \$1.00 Vie de Peau **50¢**
 Cuticura Soap, box of 3 cakes **68¢**
 \$1.50 Citrate of Magnesia, 1 lb. **\$1.10**
 85c Citrate of Magnesia, half pound **65¢**
 50c Emulsified Coconut Oil **25¢**
 50c Zambuk **35¢**
 \$1.50 Glaxo Baby Food **98¢**
 45c Perfection Feeders **32¢**
 15c Baby Soothers, 3 for **20¢**
 \$1.00 Eno's Fruit Salt **65¢**
 Large Jar Sulphur, Cream of Tartar and Molasses **30¢**
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 Dr. Howard's Health Salt **40¢**
 Dr. Howard's Blood Purifier, \$1.00 and **50¢**
 Dr. Howard's Celery Nerve Tonic at, each **\$1.00**
 Dr. Howard's Nerve Food **50¢**
 Dr. Howard's Chocolate Coated Cascara Cathartic **25¢**
 Dr. Howard's Parrish's Chemical Food, \$1.00, 45¢ and **25¢**
 Dr. Howard's Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, \$1.00 and **50¢**
 Dr. Howard's Quinine, Iron and Wine at **50¢**
 Dr. Howard's Babies' Fullers Earth 15¢
 Dr. Howard's Burdock and Sarsaparilla at **\$1.00**

The Maid of the Mountains Words and Music At \$1.25

A delayed shipment of this song just arrived from England; full vocal score. We cannot send them back so are clearing the lot at, each, **\$1.25**
 —Music, Lower Main Floor

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Pure Wool Blankets, all white or with blue borders; made from long staple yards:
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 8-lb. Blankets. Regular \$32.50, for **\$18.00**
 These wonderful values are now offered in the Staple Department.
 —Main Floor—Phone 3950

Towels and Towellings At Great Reductions

Crash Roller Toweling, of a reliable make. Regular 35¢ a yard. On sale at **20¢**
 Towels, made up, 2½ yards long at **50¢**
 Crash Roller Toweling, of a better grade. Regular 40¢. On sale at, a yard **25¢**
 Towels, made up, 2½ yards long at **65¢**
 Check Glass Towellings, 21-inch reliable make. Regular 55¢; for, a yard **40¢**
 White Turkish Towels, of good quality; note the sizes and prices:
 25 x 48 inches. Regular \$1.75. On sale at, each **\$1.00**
 26 x 50 inches. Regular \$2.00. On sale at, each **\$1.25**
 —Staples, Main Floor

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

Malkin's Best Tea, pound **53¢**
 Shredded Wheat Biscuits, package **14¢**
 Wild Rice or Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10-pound sack **54¢**
 Spencer's Raisin and Nut Loaf **10¢**
 Sun Maid Raisin Pies, each **25¢**
 Klim, per tin **14¢**
 Snap Hand Cleaners, tin **20¢**
 Robin Hood Oats, per package **24¢**
 Dyson's Mustard Pickles, 25¢ bottles **15¢**
 Pacific Milk, tin **11½¢**
 Mrs. Hempstead's Salad Dressing, 45¢ bottles **19¢**
 Limit 2 to a Customer
 Strawberry Jam, per tin **85¢**
 Crisco, 1-pound tins **24¢**
 2-pound tins **71¢**
 4-pound tins **\$1.40**
 Nabob Tea, pound **53¢**
 Toilet Rolls, 2 for **11¢**
 Lifebuoy Soap **8¢**
 Royal Crown Soap, package **25¢**
 Shaker Salt, per carton **13¢**
 Spencer's 18-Ounce Milk Loaf **9¢**
 Spencer's 18-Ounce French Loaf **9¢**
 White Swan Soap, package **25¢**
 Ivory Soap, cake **8¢**
 White Beans, B. C. grown, pound **5½¢**
 Rolled Oats, 7 pounds **28¢**
 Sage, pound **6¢**
 Tapioca, pound **6¢**
 Libby's Marmalade, per tin **71¢**



Provision Counter Bulletin

Standard Bacon, half or whole; at, pound **35¢**
 Standard Bacon, sliced; at, pound **40¢**
 Standard Paa Meal Back Bacon, sliced; at, pound **50¢**
 Swift's Premium Paa Meal Back Bacon, sliced; at, pound **60¢**
 Smoked Picnic Hams at, pound **22¢**
 Unsmoked Picnic Hams at, pound **20¢**
 Cooked Corned Mutton at, pound **35¢**
 Cooked Corned Beef at, pound **35¢**
 Pure Lard in bulk, at, pound, **22¢**; or 3 pounds for **65¢**
 Compound Lard at, pound **19¢**
 Spencer's Prime Highest Grade Freshly Churned Butter at, pound **35¢**
 Or 3 pounds for **\$1.10**
 Very Fine Freshly Churned Butter at, pound, **55¢**; or 3 pounds for **\$1.60**
 Honey Comb at, each **40¢**
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"And me into the bargain, Dollops," interposed Cleek, with a little sigh. "But there's an old saying, that there's no smoke without fire, and ordinary people don't make such a devilish fuss about others knowing their business if they're on the straight. What all this has got to do with the 'Frozen Flame' business I must confess somewhat puzzles me to discover. But that it has something to do with it is proved by that fishy character Dorkins, and the amiable attempt of his friend to murder so humble a person as myself. Now it's up to me to find the missing link in the chain. . . . Hello! here's a gap in the hedge here! Looks like it had been made on purpose. Let's go and investigate."

He whipped his little torch round and the circle of light flashed over the ground, revealed to their searching eyes something vastly unexpected in such a place and yet which, after all, seemed not so strange as it appeared. It was a place where so much mystery and secretiveness was in the air. They themselves, disguised as such rough characters, were in a place where the nerves of a child would have been shattered by a huge iron ring fastened to the centre of it.

Cleek whistled audaciously, and turned round upon Dollops a happy light in his eyes and a smile, almost of amusement on his lips. "Gad!" he exclaimed softly. "Game to try this, Dollops. I am going to have a shot at it myself."

"But you ain't got no firearms on yer, sir, in case of 'accidents,'" replied the literal minded Dollops, "and no man in 'is senses would attempt to go down that thing without 'em."

"Well, I've been called a lunatic before this, lad. And going down it I am, this minute. And if you've the least quints at following me, you can just watch up here and warn me with the old signal if you hear any one coming. But I'm going down, to find out where this thing leads to, and a doll's worth of a duck it'll lead to a good deal that means the unraveling of a riddle. The fellow who tangled the threads in the first place has just any one might advise. But what I want to know is what he's taking all this trouble for. Coming, Dollops?"

Dollops sent a reproachful look into Cleek's face and sniffed audibly. "Of course I'm comin', gov'nor," he made answer. "Dyer 'shook-ed up' me, and I'm goin' to let you see what I can do. You've got to watch up here and warn me with the old signal if you hear any one coming. But I'm going down, to find out where this thing leads to, and a doll's worth of a duck it'll lead to a good deal that means the unraveling of a riddle. The fellow who tangled the threads in the first place has just any one might advise. But what I want to know is what he's taking all this trouble for. Coming, Dollops?"

If yer were goin' ter see daylight again."

"And this little adventure of ours seems a fair imitation of them," returned Cleek, with insolent laughter. "Let's move a bit further on and get our bearings. Hello! here's a little sort of cupboard without a door. And, look at those sacks standing there against that other side in that little cut-out place, Dollops. Now I wonder what the devil they contain. Talk about in 'accidents'! They aren't in it with this affair."

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POLICE BUILDING NOT UNDER BOARD

A number of items of general business were dealt with by the Police Commission last night. Many letters were received in connection with advice sought from various authorities on a number of different matters, the Board being informed in some cases that it had no power to act.

Danger on the Street.
A letter was read from C. T. Harrison, City Prosecutor, stating that the Board had no power to deal with the rate of auto-vehicular traffic in the proximity of buildings. The Board was advised that a section dealing effectively with dangerous methods of driving, which was being considered by the City Council.

Police Building.
A letter from the City Solicitor advised the Commission that they had no power in any respect over the actual building of the police headquarters of jail, which was handled by the City Council.

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Pink Pills, 3 boxes	\$1.15	Horlick's, large size	90c
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COMMERCIAL PUPILS MAKE PROGRESS

Student Body Now Numbers 166 and Eleven Teachers

The commercial department of the Victoria High School has a student body this year of 166. These range in age from thirteen to sixteen years. There are six classes. One is a partial class, enrolling those students who have matriculated from the High School or who have spent two years in the general course and have successfully passed their examinations. The students in this class are always excellent in quality and a follow-up method of their work in the business office, justifies the belief that when given the time to study and opportunity to develop, they prove their value and the thoroughness of their training.

At present this is the only class which can be graduated from the commercial department in one year; the course generally prescribed being three years. There are also two junior classes, which contain in the aggregate forty-two pupils, and three preliminary classes of approximately thirty-five each. A number of these have taken general course work and have therefore brought to their commercial course a finer intelligence and appreciation of their work. Others have come directly to the High School from entrance classes, which at present they have the option of doing.

Specialists in Charge
The faculty of the commercial department of the Victoria High School is composed of eleven teachers, all of whom are specialists in the subjects taught. Twenty-three Linotype and four Remington typewriters are constantly in use and the graduating classes are instructed in the use of various adding and calculating machines. The graduates who go forth from the school with the letter of recommendation which is a good student requests and receives, are to-day occupying many positions in this city and elsewhere with credit to themselves and satisfaction to their employers.

Special Speakers
Continuing a custom which began last year, the directors of the commercial department have enlisted the services of speakers for each month of the school year, among whom have been, Miss Jessie Cameron Brown, Miss Carolyn De Wolfe, Messrs. Sam Scott, H. P. Johnson, J. F. Beckwith, J. M. Graham, (Y. M. C. A.), Mrs. Spofford and Rev. Wm. Stevenson, all of whom have given helpful talks which the students greatly appreciated.

COMMISSION DOES NOT WISH TO INTERVENE IN THE MATTER

At the close of the session of the Police Commission last night Clarence Harris requested a hearing in camera with the board of city police commissioners. Permission was granted. Mr. Harris, who laid information against certain premises in the recent lottery campaign, wished to know if the honorable body had noticed the difference in the reports of the two daily papers on the questions put to Detective Inspector Perdue by Commissioner Joseph North, at the second meeting of the board—some words were different, stated Mr. Harris.

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ESTATE OF LATE JUDGE \$3,369,234

Toronto, April 22.—The estate of the late Mr. Justice B. M. Britton, who died on November 19, 1920, in Toronto, probated at \$3,369,234.

The principal items are: Bonds, \$1,859,852.17; stock, \$228,282; life insurance, \$85,500.75; cash, \$147,349.90; mortgages, \$919,845.78; real estate, \$94,192.

Members of the immediate family receive the bulk of the estate. A trust fund of \$75,000 is to be set aside for the benefit of his son, Arthur H. Britton, his wife and children.

The six daughters of the testator, including Mrs. R. W. Brock, of Vancouver, each receive \$10,000 cash and a trust fund of \$90,000 is set aside for each daughter and her children.

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POLICE BOARD GET LEGAL ADVICE ON LANGLEY SALARY

Told \$500 Grant Was in Nature of Two Months' Salary

At a meeting of the City Police Board held last evening, a letter was ordered to be sent to the city solicitor asking advice on the legality or otherwise of the \$500 grant to ex-chief J. M. Langley. At the fourth session of the Police Board, held last night, the answer was read from Mr. Pringle.

Mr. Pringle was of the opinion that the \$500 grant had been legally given, and should hold good, basing his finding on the fact that in his opinion the grant was in lieu of two months' salary, or as two months' leave with pay for services rendered.

"But two months' salary would only be \$440," stated Mr. North. "I move we let this letter lay on the table, and look into it later."

Dr. Hall: "Better deal with it now,

we asked for his opinion, not an absolute statement of truth, just his opinion. I move we accept his opinion, and that does not necessarily tie the matter up." The motion carried.

Mr. Pringle's letter was as follows: "I think it must be admitted that the city was accepting Mr. Langley as an employee, and that his services might be considered technically as continuing even though he was absent from the city. The then existing Board did not dismiss Mr. Langley from the service, and on the contrary I think it must be assumed that his retention as Chief of Police was for some reason of value to the city, although I have not inquired or gone into the reasons that may have actuated the members of the Board as constituted in December, 1920, but I understand that the payment of \$500 was a payment of salary, which was equivalent to allowing him an extended vacation of practically two months on pay, and I should say that the payment of salary under all the conditions could be effected under Section 417 of the Municipal Act which gives the Board power to fix the remuneration of the police, and which requires the Council, subject to an appeal to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, to pay such remuneration. In view of all the circumstances, therefore, I am of the opinion that the grant was legally made."

What the Clubs Are Doing

KIWANIANS PLAN

GREAT GATHERING

Four British Columbian Clubs to Meet in Vancouver

Kiwanians will gather in considerable number next Thursday night when the Victoria, North Vancouver, New Westminster and Vancouver Kiwanis Clubs will hold a get-together meeting at the Hotel Vancouver under the auspices of the inter-city relations committee of the four clubs. The Victoria members of the organization to the number of 100 will arrive on the afternoon boat and the other three clubs will be represented almost 100 per cent. strong. Many unique features have been arranged for the programme to be followed by a dance.

At Thursday's luncheon of the Vancouver Club, Dr. Robert Telford, Walter Wolfenden, Harry Nobbs and Archie Teetzel were appointed to represent the club at the international convention at Cleveland this Summer. The constitution of the newly-organized Community Service Council was read. The Council is formed of representatives of the Kiwanis, Gyro and Rotary Clubs and will consider questions of community interest for confirmation by the individual clubs. Failure of any one club to endorse the attitude of the Council prevents action by the Council on any community project.

Allan Clark gave a five-minute talk on Kiwanis and Dr. Riggs spoke on Kiwanis objectives for the year. Open-air schools, housing of the University in adequate quarters and the city beautiful idea. In regard to the first named no definite action will be taken until the basis of municipal taxation is fixed and present school accommodation enlarged.

George Leggett, vice-chairman of the programme of the committee for the Summer. He bespoke hearty support to the Vancouver baseball team. It is likely that the Kiwanis and Rotary baseball teams will stage a curtain-

raiser to the opening Northwestern League game in the city.

Fred J. Lynch, national physical director of the Y. M. C. A., gave a short talk, and "Bill" Carter and Harold Cribb led the community singing.

Promotes School Spelling.

The Kiwanis Club, in conjunction with Municipal Inspector of Schools J. Gordon and the principals of the Vancouver schools, have made final arrangements for a spelling contest among the pupils of all the schools in the city. The primary object is to stimulate a greater interest in spelling, as when pupils enter business the ability to spell is of utmost importance.

Elimination contests will be held in each school. The best pupils of each of the four readers First, Second, Third and Fourth, will then meet in the semi-finals on June 2. The finals will be on June 10.

The Kiwanis Club is putting up prizes both for individual winners probably medals, as well as general prizes, which will be won for the school by their best spellers. An engraved plate bearing the winner's name and the date of the contest will be attached.

Though no location has been set for the final, it is hoped that St. Andrew's Church, Richards and Georgia Streets, will be obtainable. The acoustic properties of this auditorium are unusually good, and small voices would be plainly audible in every part of the room.

Tour in South Seas.

An interesting address on observations made during a trip to New Zealand was given the New Westminster Kiwanis Club Tuesday by John Blair, who touched upon the life of the Hawaiian and the Fiji Islands and also his impressions of the north island of New Zealand. Mr. Blair described Honolulu as becoming one great military and naval depot, possibly in view of the none too friendly relations existing between the United States and Japan. Half the population there is Japanese, who have become independent owing to the high wages paid in the sugar industry during the late war period. Unskilled labor at that time was drawing \$100 to \$125 per month and keep.

Touching at Suva, Mr. Blair found the communal system in vogue. Organized parties leave on fishing, hunting and municipal work, a division of the spoils being made following the hunting trips. The whole of New Zealand's supply of sugar is grown in the Fiji group.

Auckland, New Zealand, Mr. Blair found to be about the size of Vancouver, and distinctly English, there being less demarcation than one finds in Canada. Lumber is much in demand, although the exchange rate at the present time acts as a deterrent to much trading with Canada. Oregon pine, rough, brings \$125 a thousand, as compared with \$20 in the Fraser Valley. High wages were paid, and the country appeared highly prosperous.

The price of farm land is much too high, he thought. A party of 20 or 30 farmers returned on the same boat with him. They found that 400 farms within 20 miles of Auckland were priced at \$1,100 an acre. They were not so rich as those found in the Delta.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Blair at the conclusion of his address.

NEWS AND NOTES OF THE MINES

Rambler-Caribee

The annual report of the Rambler-Caribee mine shows that the mine was closed for more than half of the year on account of labor troubles and a shortage of water. Some 4,000 tons of ore was treated, producing 220 tons of lead concentrate. Lessors produced fifty-five tons of ore. The \$60-foot level was driven 405 feet into the Jennie claim, and, though no shipping ore was found, a considerable quantity of milling ore was developed. Total receipts, including a balance of \$23,345 from 1919, amounted to \$67,675.13. Ore sales produced \$31,131.35; interest, \$125.00 and stock sales, \$13,923. Cost of mining, milling and development, totalled \$32,524.74. After paying \$25,000 on the Jennie claim, there was a balance of \$10,151.

Emancipation Mine

A preliminary test of the Emancipation Mine was made in Vancouver on Saturday, when 400 pounds of mine was treated on in a Vancouver mill with satisfactory results. No attempt was made to run high-grade test being for the purpose of determining the amount of extraction.

The ore sampled an average of 3.73 ounces of gold per ton. Only inside amalgamation was made by this process. The high values in the tailings averaging 1.375 ounces or \$2150 per ton was accounted for by the coarse grinding which will be obviated by finer grinding when the mill is in operation at the mine next month. The actual test was made on the 400 pounds was 578 troy ounces or \$11.56.

The test has proved definitely to those interested in the mine the successful method of treating this class of ore, which is characteristically free-milling. The success of the trial shipment is incidental to placing a mill on the property and the actual milling of ores already sacked or on dumps and blocked out. With the opening of the Kettle Valley Railway, the mine from Hope, more active work will be prosecuted than has been possible during the winter months when the road was shut down.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF MOON VIEWED HERE

A total eclipse of the moon was viewed here last night by a large proportion of the residents of Victoria. On account of the prevailing fine weather the phenomenon was very clearly visible. The eclipse commenced at about ten minutes past ten and the total eclipse lasted for forty-two minutes. At twenty minutes past twelve the first bright rim of light reappeared on the eastern side of the moon, which left the shadow at thirty-three minutes past one.

The eclipse was visible over a large area of the world, in the Atlantic, North and South America, the Pacific, Australia and eastern Asia. Only western Asia, Europe and Africa appear to have missed the eclipse.

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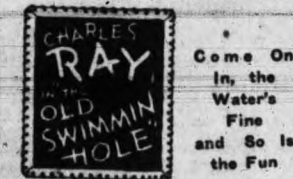
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James Whitcomb Riley's classic of American boyhood, 'The Old Swimm' Hole,' which has been adapted for the screen with Charles Ray in the role of Ezra, was written in 1887 and has run through a record number of issues both in its original language and through translations into the languages of many foreign countries.

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These and many other ethical problems made 'The Witching Hour' one of the greatest stage successes of all times. The Augustus Thomas triumph has now been filmed as a William D. Taylor Reelart special and will be shown at the Dominion Theatre all week.

To interpret this gripping play of a strong man's will Mr. Taylor needed—and secured—a really all-star cast. Elliott Dexter, famous leading man of many Cecil H. De Mille productions, was considered a high check for 'Jack Brookfield,' the gentleman gambler who came to realize that his ability to 'guess' the other man's hand was cheating just as much as if he had slipped cards up his sleeve.

PANTAGES

There are many pleasing features in this week's vaudeville programme at Pantages Theatre, ranging from a miniature circus with dogs, monkeys and ponies to musical acts which are especially high merit, headed by the Temple Four.

For the children and those of larger growth who find amusement there will be Shaw's Comedy Circus, one of the most complete little circuses anywhere, in which fourteen dogs, assisted by monkeys, ponies and mules, are the central attraction in a routine of clever tricks.

COLUMBIA

Blanche Sweet, in 'That Girl Montana,' is a splendid feature depicting the early pioneer days of the gold rush. This is one of the best pictures that the Columbia has presented for some time.

ROMANO

No one has succeeded better than Mark Twain in portraying on the printed page of boy life along the Mississippi River in the old slavery days. His immortal comedy, 'Tom Sawyer' and 'Huckleberry Finn,' are packed with rich local color.

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ENGLISH BARITONE WILL APPEAR HERE ON MONDAY

Among the foremost singers of the present day, Harold Kirby, a very brilliant English baritone, has rapidly advanced to the front rank, and is now making his trans-Canada tour from coast to coast.

THE WEATHER

Victoria, April 22—5 a. m.—The barometer is falling on the coast and fairly mild weather is becoming general. Snow is reported in the prairie provinces.

Table with weather reports for various locations including Victoria, Portland, Seattle, San Francisco, Cranbrook, Calgary, and Edmonton. Includes barometer, temperature, and wind data.

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JAPANESE CONSUL IS RETURNING HOME BY FUSHIMI MARU

S. Ukita Bids Adieu to Premier and Cabinet Ministers Here

Among the passengers sailing for the Orient this evening by the N. Y. K. liner Fushimi Maru will be S. Ukita, Japanese consul at Vancouver, accompanied by Mrs. Ukita. Mr. Ukita was in the city to-day awaiting the arrival of the Fushimi Maru from Seattle, and called at the Government Buildings to bid adieu to the Premier and his Cabinet Ministers.

Mr. Ukita has been diplomatic representative of His Imperial Japanese Majesty at Vancouver for the past four years and has won a host of friends during his sojourn in British Columbia.

To Educate Children. Mr. Ukita states that the return of himself and wife to Japan at this time is necessitated because of the desire to educate their three boys in Japanese educational institutions. The successor to Consul Ukita has not been appointed, Y. Sato being temporarily in charge of the Vancouver consulate. Mr. Sato was to-day introduced in Government circles by Mr. Ukita.

WEST KEDRON HAS SHIPMENT OF PLATE GLASS FROM ANTWERP

S.S. Bakersfield and Moerdyk Are Also Due to Make Port

Bringing a consignment of plate glass from Antwerp the United States Shipping Board steamship West Kedron, now at San Francisco, is shortly due at Victoria, according to advices received to-day by Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co.

The West Kedron has 550 cases of plate glass from the Belgian manufacturing centres for discharge at this port. Proceeding the West Kedron will be the steamship Bakersfield, also of the United States Shipping Board, which is looked for to-morrow to load over 7,000 cases of canned salmon for London, Eng. The Bakersfield is the vessel which brought out from the United Kingdom the engines for the Hudson's Bay auxiliary schooner Lady Kindersley, but which were transferred at San Francisco for coastwise shipment to Vancouver.

The Bakersfield is reported to have cleared from Seattle and she may put in here at any time. Another offshore vessel due here is the Holland-American freighter Moerdyk, inbound from Europe via San Francisco and Portland. The freight carried by the Dutchman for this port is reported to include a consignment of liquor.

In the future "wet goods" will occupy a conspicuous place on the

ALICE TO REPLACE MARY TO ALASKA

The Canadian Pacific Railway steamship Princess Alice is scheduled to relieve the Princess Mary in the Alaska service, sailing April 27 for Skagway. The Princess Mary will be laid up for one trip for general overhaul.

manifests of ships bound from Europe to British Columbia.

MARINE NOTES

The O. S. K. liner Arabia Maru is reported to have sailed from Shanghai April 17 en route to this coast. She is scheduled to leave Yokohama April 26, but was four days late in leaving Shanghai. The date of arrival at Victoria is set for May 5.

The tanker S. V. Harkness, after discharging a cargo of fuel oil at Vancouver, cleared from Victoria this morning for sea.

Bound from Karatsu for New York in the service of the Isthmian Line, the freighter Birmingham City reached Seattle last night. She will proceed to New York via San Francisco.

BLACK SQUAD CAUSED TROUBLE ON S. S. WILHILLO

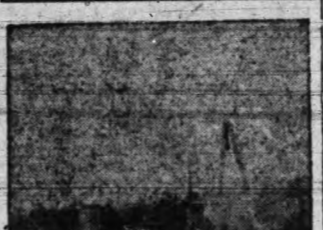
Mutinuous Outbreak Followed Drunken Spree at La Union

Outbreak of a mutiny among the members of her crew is responsible for delay to the Williams Line steamship Wilhillo, bound from New York to Vancouver. The trouble developed at the port of La Union, when members of the engine room crew went ashore, and finding themselves suddenly freed from the restraints of prohibition, proceeded to imbibe various kinds of liquor.

The trouble was so serious that the ship was forced to clear from La Union short-handed and with only two boilers in commission. Trouble aboard was quelled by the American gunboat Tacoma at the request of the master of the Wilhillo, and stood by during the run up the coast in case the short-handed condition of the ship might put her in danger in bad weather.

The Wilhillo is expected to reach Vancouver on Monday via San Francisco.

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Canadian Pacific Railway. VANCOUVER—At 2.15 p.m. daily, and 11.45 p.m. daily except Saturday. SEATTLE—At 4.30 p.m. daily. S. S. BAKERSFIELD. Sailed: Seattle, April 15, 7, at 9.00 p.m. OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE—Calling at Campbell River, Beaver Cove, Alert Bay, Port Hardy and Swanson Bay, leaving Vancouver every Wednesday at 11.30 p.m. POWELL RIVER-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver every Tuesday and Saturday at 8.30 a.m. and every Thursday at 11.45 a.m. WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND ROUTE—From Victoria 1st, 2nd, 3rd, each month at 11 p.m. GULF ISLANDS ROUTE—Every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, Nanaimo every Thursday. Connection made by B. C. E. Ry. train from Victoria, 9.00 a.m. Full information from Any C. P. R. Agent.

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GERMAN KOSMOS LINE TO RESUME News Brought by West Kedron, Now at San Francisco From Hamburg. San Francisco, April 22.—The Kosmos Line, which ran freight steamships from Hamburg to this coast prior to the world war, is shortly to engage in operation again, according to information brought here by officers of the steamship West Kedron. They said the schedule called for the dispatch of the first vessel of the first part of May.

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SUNRISE AND SUNSET. Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of April, 1921.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:52	6:42
2	5:51	6:43
3	5:50	6:44
4	5:49	6:45
5	5:48	6:46
6	5:47	6:47
7	5:46	6:48
8	5:45	6:49
9	5:44	6:50
10	5:43	6:51
11	5:42	6:52
12	5:41	6:53
13	5:40	6:54
14	5:39	6:55
15	5:38	6:56
16	5:37	6:57
17	5:36	6:58
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19	5:34	7:00
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21	5:32	7:02
22	5:31	7:03
23	5:30	7:04
24	5:29	7:05
25	5:28	7:06
26	5:27	7:07
27	5:26	7:08
28	5:25	7:09
29	5:24	7:10
30	5:23	7:11

OLD COUNTRY NEWS. Wales. Hugh Verdon, Llanerchydol Hall, Welshpool, Montgomeryshire, former Exchange, left an estate valued at \$32,000.

Ships at a Glance. TO ARRIVE. Tyndarus, Orient, Apr. 27. Katori Maru, Orient, Apr. 28. Niagara, Australia, May 1. Arabia Maru, Orient, May 1. Empress of Russia, Orient, May 16. Kashima Maru, Orient, May 23.

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Arrival and departure schedules for various ships, including the Empress of Russia, Kashima Maru, and others.

SUPERANNUATION IS A GREAT BOON

Chamber of Commerce Hears of Beneficial Legislation

"Ninety-five per cent. of men reaching the age of sixty years are dependent on their daily earnings, or on some other person for support, and not one man in twenty who retires with a competency is able to retain it to the close of his life," said Civil Service Commissioner W. H. MacInnes in addressing the members' forum of the Chamber of Commerce last night on the subject of the Government's superannuation scheme.



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the Government, which allows five per cent. interest thereon. The Provincial annuities were dole-like those of the Dominion Government annuities.

On retiring, there were a number of options which the employee might choose: First there was the single life plan under which the retiring allowance would be paid as long as the beneficiary lived and would terminate with his death; the second, an allowance as long as he lived or for a term of years and should he die before that term expires the allowance would be paid to his dependents for the remainder of the term; thirdly, an allowance to the person as long as he lived and to the wife or other dependent survivor for the term of the latter's life.

Should a beneficiary not reach the retiring age either through death or resignation his estate or himself, as the case might be, would be entitled to have his own contribution paid back to him plus interest. The beneficiary would be secured only if the employee retired on account of age.

All By Agreement. The operation of the Superannuation Act is brought into effect by agreement by both employer and employee. The Act does not fix any age at which a man must retire, he explained. This age is fixed by the regulations of the service in which he is engaged. The Act does fix, however, a minimum, and provides that whenever a man is retired after that minimum age is reached, the allowance must be paid to him.

There are three great risks to which a man is exposed and for which he can reasonably expect to make such provision as is possible, namely, disability, death leaving persons dependent on him, and the risk of old age. The Workmen's Compensation Act and the Mothers' Pension Act covered a very substantial portion of the community and this legislation was the first step in taking care of the risks to which the people of this Province are subject. But the Superannuation Act went still further. Originally, Mr. MacInnes stated, the Superannuation Act had its being in the desire to provide for members of the Civil Service alone, but the present Act could, if the municipalities desired it, be made applicable to any group of municipal employees, school teachers, or to employees in private concerns, provided employers and employees would agree to do so and carry out the terms of the measure.

The speaker explained the provisions made to cover the case of the employee over the age of 25 and the employee who already had many years of service to his credit.

Matter of Agreement. In answer to Alderman Satgert's question as to whether or not the employer was compelled to double his contribution if the employee decided to double his, the speaker explained that the Provincial Government did, in the case of municipalities and all others it was a matter of agreement.

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STREET SPEAKING ISSUE BEFORE POLICE BOARD

Commissioners Discuss Proposed Cabaret Regulations

The City Police Commission, in session last night, received a letter signed by E. W. Ellis, J. Stevenson and John L. Martin, protesting against the statements of Mr. North, as reported in the press, in reference to the fact that Commissioners would only grant the right of street speaking to the Salvation Army.

"Well, I stand as before, if they want to speak why don't they hire a hall, as I did and go to it," stated Mr. North.

"I, too, stand where I was," stated Dr. Hall. "I think if one is given the privilege of free speech on the street, all should have the right." The letter was received and filed.

It was decided to table the matter of the assistant janitor of the jail on part time until a later meeting. Lack of trustees was the necessity of a second janitor, stated Chief Fry.

Cabaret By-law. The Commission then went into a preliminary discussion of the new cabaret by-law, reading its clause by clause. After some preliminary discussion the matter was tabled. Dr. Hall wanted the license boosted from \$5 to \$500 for each six months.

Mr. North thought \$500 per six months a little hard, but stated he would be willing to make it \$1,000 a day if certain things came to pass. It was decided later to take up the matter of the cabaret by-law more fully at a further meeting, when Mr.

Harrison and the cabaret owners would be asked to attend.

In this connection, the Mayor stated the cabaret owners were willing in the past to conform to the requests made of them.

Mr. North stated he had been to the Lodge Cabaret and found it much improved. Mr. North also paid a tribute to Chief Fry for the way Chinatown was being supervised now. After frequent visits he had noted much improvement there, stated the Commissioner.

Mr. North brought in two other matters, one a request that the police do not enforce the parking regulations until the rule of the road was changed and the new by-law adopted, and another a request that the public make request or complaints straight to the Commission on the floor of the meeting. Mr. North was told that the Commission could hardly request the police not to enforce what was an operative by-law, and that in the second matter the police was an official body and that all complaints would have to be made in a uniform way, in writing to the chief and signed. Chief Fry promised to warn the officers to be more cautious, if he found that necessary or justified.

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"Now, phew, do ye two fall wa 'ink ye're goin' at this hour?" he shouted; and immediately one of the two dropped behind his friend, while both raised their hands to their shoulders as though carrying a heavy weight.

"Goin' to the wet canteen, provost!" replied one of them.

"We're takin' this bit o' wood to the canteen, sergeant."

"Phwat plank?"

"Indeed now, corporal" came the answer, in a tone of absolute surprise, as the two glanced down at their shoulders. "Hanged if we haven't gon' and forgotten the wood!"

"—Till-its."

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FINAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR CENSUS TAKING

A. J. Pelletier, of Ottawa, Confers With Island Commissioners

A conference was held this morning between A. J. Pelletier, of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, and Messrs. W. G. Gaunce, Victoria; Mr. Price, Nanaimo; E. H. Hicks-Beach, Comox and Moody, Alberni, when these four census commissioners were given final instructions regarding the taking of the census in their respective districts.

Emphasis was again laid on the fact that the present census is not to be used in any way in connection with taxation or assessments.

AN ABLE CHIEF

Mr. Pelletier, in talking to The Times, said a tribute to his chief, H. H. Coates, Dominion Statistician, who is the head of the census.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Enjoyable Social Meet.—The social given in honor of St. John's Church choir by the St. John's branch of the Anglican Young People's Association last night in the Orange Hall was a very successful one.

Three K's Concert.—The Three K's Concert Party gave another fine entertainment in Christ Church School Room last night, at which there was a large attendance and the various numbers were received with hearty applause.

Concert at Gordon Head.—Residents of Gordon Head will have the opportunity of hearing a splendid concert on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock, when Mrs. Charles E. Wilson and J. G. Brown will present the Irish program given with such success in Victoria on St. Patrick's Day.

Call on Mayor.—E. H. Wilson and H. H. Coates, Dominion Statistician, called upon Mayor Porter this morning and spent some time with him regarding the proposed increase in the police salary.

Police Estimates.—The Police Commission estimates, too, will cause more trouble, it is expected. A faction of the Council, led by Alderman George Sangster, is determined to appeal against the Commission's proposed police salary increase to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Power Off.—The electric power of the B. C. Electric Railway went off at 1:40 p. m. to-day for about twenty minutes because of a storm which is blamed for the stoppage, trouble on the power line to Jordan River.

ENGINE TROUBLE DEVELOPED ON S.S. WENATCHEE

Tokio, April 22.—The United States Shipping Board steamship Wenatchee, which sailed April 10 from Victoria, B.C., for Yokohama, has developed engine trouble, according to a wireless message received here to-day.

Temporarily discontinuing the service. During the stoppage street cars were stalled where they happened to be on the tracks, and all industrial machinery operated by electric power was temporarily brought to a standstill.

Entertainment To-night.—In Semple Hall, Victoria West, at eight o'clock this evening, a concert and dance will be given by the Victoria West Brotherhood Association.

Psychic Science Society.—On Tuesday evening the members of the Psychic Science Society held a surprise party at the home of the president, Mrs. E. J. Jellie, 1224 Empress Avenue, in honor of the visit of Mrs. Clarke, of the Spiritual Church of Vancouver.

A Ratepayer's Question.—Councillor Kingwell last night urged that the city should abandon single tax and assess buildings when striking its tax rate.

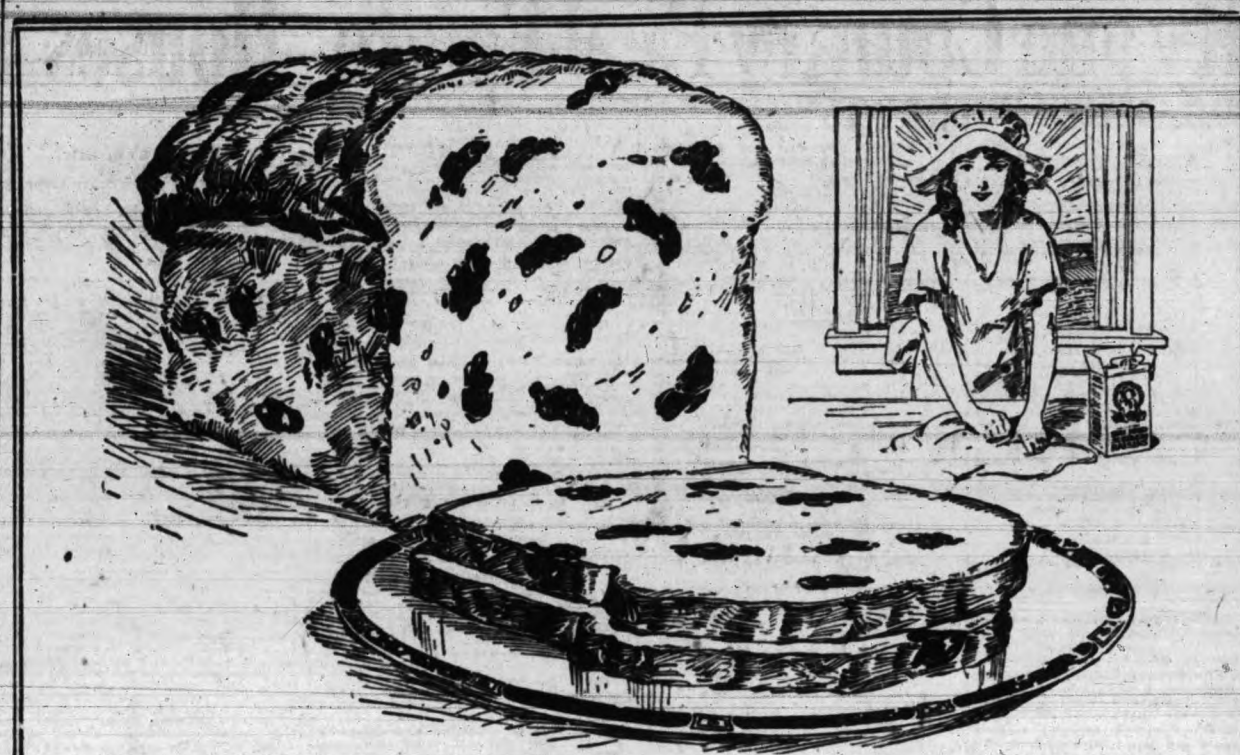
Suggest Letter Left.—After being informed that, up to the present, the City of Victoria had not acknowledged any communication from Saanich suggesting that the Elk Lake taxation question be referred to the Legislature, Councillor Kingwell last night secured unanimous support by the Saanich Council to a resolution instructing the Municipal Clerk to send a copy of the letter to the city authorities.

MINE EXPERT TO TALK William M. Brewer to Lecture Tonight on Mineralogy of This Coast.

William M. Brewer, district mining engineer and one of the expert geologists under the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, on the rock and mineral formations of this Island and Coast, will lecture in the Board Room of Belmont House at 8 o'clock to-day.

The lecture is one of a series which Mr. Brewer has been giving in the chief cities and communities of the Island. All the lectures are open to the public without charge.

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RAISIN SALAD 1 cup Sun-Maid Seeded Raisins, 1/2 cup lemon juice, 1/2 cup chopped apples or pears, 2 cups shredded shredded lettuce, 1 cup cream mayonnaise.

Wash and dry the raisins, add to the apples and lemon juice. Line bowl or plates with shredded lettuce, pile raisins and apples in center, pour with mayonnaise, serve with Neufchatel cheese balls and garnish top with small pieces of red tart jelly.

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There could be only one conclusion from such a perfect rendition, the pianist at its exhilarating climax meeting with a complete ovation.

The Old Drill Hall I am distinctly pleased to note the editorial in The Colonist, suggesting the use of the Old Drill Hall for convention and concert purposes.

CHINESE REMANDED

After having with difficulty identified Mah Chong, Sium Kee, Ching Wing, Lin Fook, Wong Quong, Hay Yen, Sam Koy, Wong Chong, Lin Him-Hock, Sing Yen, Eh Tse, Sam Ah Sam, and Ah Lum from nearly a hundred spectators at the city courtroom to-day, the prosecution was backed by B. C. Brethour, counsel for the defense, to agree to an adjournment until Wednesday next.

H. Dane was fined \$5 for leaving a motor car in front of a theatre entrance.

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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Facts About Your Name; Its History; Its Meaning; Where It Was Derived; Its Significance; Your Lucky Day and Lucky Jewel.

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DAISY.

With the possible exception of Rose, there is no flower name so popular as Daisy. According to all etymological laws, Daisy has no right to be accepted as a proper name unless it is taken in the sense of commemorating the humble but charming little flower of the field. However, Daisy is still Daisy, from whichever viewpoint she is taken. The same curious coincidence is true of no other feminine name in the English language, and her whole etymological history makes an interesting circle within a circle. Daisy is either the endearing diminutive for Marguerite, or she is the term for the little white flower with the heart of gold which brightens Summer meadows. But, as a certain Marguerite, famed in history, was assigned the little blossom as her special flower, it, in turn, was called a marguerite.

Daisy pleased the Anglo-Saxon ear, since Marguerite is unmistakably French, and Margaret, the proper English form, carries a subtle hint of dignity and reserve. It is easy, therefore, to understand its vogue in this country, which is given to contractions and diminutives. Indeed, Henry James's much discussed novel, "Daisy Miller," very nearly succeeded in making Daisy the generic term for American girls.

The pearl is Daisy's talismanic stone. Its close association with the moon—Dante calls the moon "La gran Margherita"—promises her gentleness, purity and beauty. Monday is her lucky day and 4 her lucky number.

Telephone conversations were held between Ottawa and Cuba.

SAANICH TAX RATE IS SET AT LAST YEAR'S MARK

School Costs Greatly Exceed Amount Levied For General Work

Saanich will levy the same twenty mill tax rate that was collected last year, the revenue which will accrue totalling \$205,676.60, according to estimates supporting the Tax Bylaw which was last night given its preliminary readings by the Saanich Council.

A report showing the rates necessary to raise required revenue was received from Clerk Cowper, and gave the following figures:

1920	1921
General 3.39 mills	6.52 mills
Schools 8.02 mills	8.40 mills
Debt 4.59 mills	5.08 mills

By reason of a handsome surplus on hand from last year, together with the cutting down of every item not essential to the maintenance of the properties and roads of the municipality, the Council has so arranged that the controllable expenditures will only require a rate of 6.52 mills on assessable lands valued at \$10,764,440.

The debt rate and the school levies are both practically beyond the control of the Council, and to meet the former a rate of 5.08 mills will be required, while the schools demand an assessment of \$11,290,700, this including the Craigflower district.

School Costs Rising.
Councillor Brooks remarked that had it not been for the cost of the Saanich school system, the tax rate would have been much lower than last year, the rate for general purposes showed a decrease of nearly three mills, while the schools rate was nearly two and a half mills, the debt charges absorbing an additional half mill over last year's figure.

Penalty Effective October.
The bylaw authorizing the raising of this revenue provides that the statutory impost of fifteen per cent, on overdue taxes shall come into effect on October 11 in one sum, although Councillor Ormond denounced such an addition as iniquitous, and favored the addition being made in three increments of five per cent each at monthly intervals. This suggestion was not supported, as the Council considered that such a plan would to a great extent cause the payment of taxes to be deferred until much later in the year.

LACK OF FORMAL ADVERTISEMENT MADE REGULATION HARD

Saanich to Advertise Loading Limits of Traffic Bylaw

"The difficulties we have had with our roads in the past have not been caused by our own ratepayers, but by the actions of outsiders," said Reeve Watson last night, after the Saanich Council had debated at length damage caused by hauling of excessive loads over Saanich highways.

The discussion arose when it was discovered that lack of formal advertising had imperilled enforcement of a resolution specifying load limits passed last fall.

Councillor Kingwell advocated continuation in the Summer months of the one-ton limit on gravel roads in effect during wet weather, and also the imposition of warm weather limits on the paved roads.

It was then pointed out that well constructed gravel roads stand up under almost any loading when dry, that a one-ton limit in Summer would cause complaints, and it will shortly be necessary for a revision of traffic regulations to protect asphaltic paving from damage.

The Council then decided to advertise the existing regulations, which provided maximum loadings as follows: Gravel road, one ton; macadam highways, two and a half tons; paved roads, no limit.

POLICE COMMISSION CUT SALARY RAISE AT CITY'S REQUEST

Sum of \$3,760 Lopped Off \$10,000 Suggested

The fourth meeting of the City Police Commission opened at 7.30 o'clock last night in the court room at the police headquarters, with Mayor Porter in the chair. A noticeable feature of the evening was the almost entire absence of spectators, only twenty-five being present for the session.

Request For Review.
Many matters were dealt with during the meeting, the primary reason for which had been the reconsideration of the police estimates, at the request of the City Council. A letter was read from the clerk of the commission asking the Commission to reconsider the item for a \$10,000 raise in police salaries, or in default of that, to tender an itemized account of how it was proposed this sum should be apportioned.

Mayor Porter, stating that it would be a very difficult matter to get money for a raise in any city department at the moment, advised the revision of the estimate, pointing out that the raise of five per cent for constables and ten per cent for officers would not make up the sum of \$16,000 requested.

Commissioner North placed a series of figures for different raises before the board, and suggested that the higher rate should be asked for. This series included a raise of ten dollars a month all round, totalling \$2,620 for the fifty-two men Mr. North figured were employed, or a ten per cent raise all round at \$5,400, or a straight raise of \$15 a month for every man on the force, totalling \$8,240, and this latter figure Mr. North moved be adopted.

"That would be treating them all alike, not giving more to the top men who get more anyhow," argued Mr. North. "Do you think the City Council would stand for a raise of \$6,240, Mr. Mayor?"

"I do not think so," began the Mayor.

"It is not much—just \$6,240 for a year; why I would give that much myself," replied Mr. North.

"I feel that they need it," stated Dr. Hall.

"Other departments can't get a raise," stated the Mayor.

"Well, this is the police department," continued Mr. North, "and if we want good men we have to pay for it."

The motion to give a straight raise of \$15 per man was passed, Mayor Porter requesting to be recorded in dissent.

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