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FOUR TONS OF EXPLOSIVES DROPPED ON LARGE MAUSER RIFLE WORKS IN GERMANY BY ENTENTE AIR SQUADRON

Forty French and British Machines Attacked Plant at Oberndorf Last Night; Shot Down Six German Machines Attempting to Defend Works; British Repulsed Germans at Point North of Somme

Paris, Oct. 13.—Forty French and British aeroplanes dropped four tons of explosives last night on the Mauser works at Oberndorf, on the Neckar river, in Germany, the war office announced this afternoon. Six German machines defending the works were shot down.

Oberndorf, which lies on the Neckar river, a tributary of the Rhine, is situated about 135 miles from the French border, being in an easterly direction from the French fortress of Nancy.

London, Oct. 13.—An official statement issued this afternoon says:

During the night the enemy attacked our lines north of the Stuff redoubt, north of the Somme, but was driven off.

"Last night 14 raiding parties entered enemy trenches in the Ypres and Armentieres areas, taking a number of prisoners and inflicting considerable casualties."

Paris, Oct. 13.—Heavy artillery fighting took place on the Somme front last night. An official announcement issued this afternoon says the bombardment was particularly severe in the regions of Morval, Bouchavesnes, Ablaincourt and Chaules.

The text of the statement follows: "The night was fairly calm on both banks of the Somme. There were skirmishes and mutual bombardments, sometimes attaining great violence, in the Morval, Bouchavesnes, Ablaincourt and Chaules sectors. "There was nothing to report on the rest of the front."

AMERICANS NOW ARE PATROLLING COAST

Also Looking Over New England Coast for Secret Wireless Plants

Boston, Oct. 13.—It was stated here today that the American destroyer patrol, ordered as a result of the recent German submarine activities, had been ordered effective from New York to Galveston. This statement lacks official confirmation, however.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 13.—A far flung patrol by torpedo boat destroyers, charged with the double duty of enforcing neutrality observance and saving lives in the event of further German submarine attacks on shipping off these shores, was put into effect from Bar Harbor, Maine, to New York today.

Official authority for the statement that such a patrol had been ordered by the navy department was obtained here this morning.

The limits of the line of coast surveillance at present effective were shown today with the arrival of the destroyer Paulding off Bar Harbor, and the activity of the destroyer Sterrett in New York Harbor. Between these two outposts were nine other destroyers. In Narragansett Bay seven others were kept at routine target practice with steam constantly up, available for an emergency call. The operations of the patrol are being directed from the flagship Birmingham, headquarters of Rear-Admiral Albert Gleaves. The Birmingham is at this port in readiness to move at any moment.

Except in war game manoeuvres, the coast has not been covered by naval forces in such a manner for years.

AUSTRIANS ADMIT ITALIANS GAINED IN TRIESTE DRIVE

Vienna, Oct. 13.—The Italians are continuing their attacks on the Austrian forces without cessation, and desperate fighting occurred throughout yesterday. An official announcement issued today says Italian troops gained ground east of Oppachiasella in the drive toward Trieste, and captured the town of Novavas. At other points the utmost efforts of the Italians gained nothing for them. The number of Italian prisoners has been increased to 2,700.

SWEDISH STEAMSHIPS RELEASED BY RUSSIA

London, Oct. 13.—The Russian government has released 21 Swedish vessels which have been held in Russian harbors, according to a Copenhagen dispatch.

MORE SHELLS NEEDED FROM CANADIAN GUNS

Preparation for Recent Attack Insufficient, Says Toronto Military Writer

MORE DETAILS DESIRED BY PEOPLE OF CANADA

Fact Wire Not Cut Should Have Been Discovered by Aeroplanes

Toronto, Oct. 13.—After analyzing the Official Eye Witness's story of the operations carried out north of the Somme last Sunday by Canadian forces, the military expert of the Toronto Globe says:

"If these statements are not exaggerated, the Canadian troops had not Magerfontein, Loos and Neuve Chapelle all in one on Sunday. They were sent against wire defences that had not been subjected to such thorough artillery preparation as is necessary before such an assault is launched. The explanation that 'close direct observation' of the German defences by day was impossible does not appear to be sufficient. The British aeroplane scout service has become marvellously proficient, and the presence of uncut wire in large quantities could have been detected at once by aerial observation. In Error.

"The defeat—for a defeat it was despite the splendid gallantry of the men who died while they sought to find a way through the wire entanglements—was avoidable and must have been due to the assumption by some highly placed officer that sufficient preparation for the assault had been made, when, as a matter of fact, the artillery had not been used as it should have been. Hundreds of dead and wounded are a heavy price to pay for disregard of the most elementary precautions. Lack of munitions may have warranted the risk-taking of men's lives against uncut wire in the early stages of the war, but that excuse no longer can be put forward.

"The Canadian people will be deeply interested in learning more about this action north of Courcellette last Sunday. The official report leaves much to be explained."

EX-SOLDIERS FOR GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Dominion Cabinet Passes Order in Council Supplementing That of Last Year

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The policy of giving preference to returned soldiers in making appointments to the government service is further emphasized by an order in council passed yesterday.

The order supplements the regulation of last year. Except where necessary, it is proposed not to appoint to the public service those eligible for military duty. The new order stipulates that both in the inside and outside services preferences is to be given to men who have served overseas and been honorably discharged, and more especially those unable to resume their regular callings. The heads and deputy heads of departments and the civil service commission are to be held responsible for the carrying out of the order.

SOLDIERS OF FRANCE ARE URGED TO HELP FRANCE'S NEW LOAN

Paris, Oct. 13.—The soldiers of France are urged to invest their superfluous cash in the new French war loan in a general order to the army issued by General Joffre. The order says in part:

"It is a sacred duty, no less imperative than military duty itself, for every Frenchman to subscribe to the loan. Soldiers who do not spare their energies and give their lives should avoid useless expenditure and buy rentes with their superfluous cash. The more money France has the more ammunition she can expend, and so economic human lives—her true wealth—and hasten the approach of victory."

GERMAN STATEMENT ABOUT SOMME FRONT

Berlin, Oct. 13.—A great attempt by French and British forces on the Somme front to break through the German lines yesterday resulted in failure, the war office announced today. Six assaults near Sully-Sailles, north of the river, were repulsed. The battle northwest of Sully-Sailles still continues.

GAINS BY BRITISH EAST OF THE STRUMA; MOTORCARS EXPLORE

Salonica, Oct. 13.—British advance guards have made some advances east of the Struma river, in Greek Macedonia, says a statement issued at entente headquarters today. British armored cars explored the region where the Seres-Demirhisar railroad joins the Seres-Salonica line, and found that the railway was being strongly held by Bulgarians.

WILL SEARCH MAILS UNDER NEW PLAN

Britain and France Reply to Protests Made by Washington

RIGHT EXISTS TO MAINTAIN A WATCH

Washington, Oct. 13.—Radical changes in the treatment of mails on neutral ships are promised in the reply of the British and French governments to the American protests against interference with the mails. The changes, while short of an abandonment of the contention of the right to search for information of value to an enemy, are regarded by the allies as sufficient to meet the wishes of the United States. Otherwise the two notes which are now under consideration at the state department are devoted to an extensive academic discussion of the whole subject of treatment of mails in time of war, with voluminous quotations from the history of the American Civil War and of other wars up to date.

RUSSIANS RETOOK SECTION OF TRENCH

Effort of Germans North of Pinsk Marshes Ended in Failure

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—German troops attacked yesterday at a point on the Shara river, in Russia, north of the Pinsk marshes. The war office announced today that the Germans captured a trench section but subsequently were expelled with heavy losses.

The text of the statement follows: "The Germans last night opened artillery fire on our trenches along the western bank of the river Shara in the region of the village of Goldovitch, and later delivered an attack which resulted in the temporary capture of a trench section. The enemy was soon driven out. "In the region southwest of Bubnov our patrols attacked enemy outposts and put them to flight. Our patrols then occupied a trench of the enemy, in which they fortified themselves. "In the region southwest of the village of Svitelki, on the river Narayuvka (on the front southeast of Lemberg) enemy troops attempted to dislodge our advance guards, but were repulsed. "In the region of Seletin, on the rivulet Suchava, in the wooded Carpathians, an enemy aeroplane was brought down."

RUSSIAN VESSEL REPORTS CRUISERS

Craft Which Has Arrived at Boston Saw Warships on Wednesday

Boston, Oct. 13.—A fleet of foreign cruisers and destroyers is off the American coast, according to Captain Linderoos, master of the Russian steamship Hesperus, which arrived yesterday from Huelva, Spain. To the pilot who boarded his ship Captain Linderoos reported that "a lot of cruisers and destroyers" had passed his vessel off Cape Sable on Wednesday heading southwest.

After being held here since the submarine raid off Nantucket on Sunday, three British steamships went out last night and today the Lord Cromer and the Marings prepared to sail.

The Kansas, of the American-Hawaiian Line, under charter to the France and Canadian Steamship Company and laden with war materials and horses for the allies, was expected also to sail today for St. Nazaire, France, and Genoa. The Kansas was the first steamship to encounter the U-53 on Sunday, but was allowed to proceed after examination of her papers.

PEACE FOR GERMANY IS SOCIALISTS' CRY

"We Declare Openly We Want Peace," Said Scheidemann in Reichstag

DREAM IS SHATTERED, DECLARED HUGO HAASE

Called for Making of Terms With Entente Powers at Once

London, Oct. 13.—The most interesting speech at the sitting of the Reichstag on Wednesday was that of Herr Scheidemann, Socialist, who, according to reports published in the Lokal Anzeiger and the Berliner Tageblatt and forwarded here in a dispatch from Amsterdam, said:

"We declare openly and clearly that the nation wants peace. All the nations have had enough of being lured to destruction by fresh and brilliant promises.

"The French censorship prevents Frenchmen from knowing that they could have the liberation of their own country and of Belgium from the German troops to-day without losing a further drop of blood and without losing a foot of territory. We wish to see the relations between nations regulated by treaties, not by brute force."

Government by People. After protesting strongly against the mismanagement of the food situation, and declaring that no power on earth could prevent the real position regarding the food situation and the war from becoming known, Herr Scheidemann declared that the censorship and the state of siege had completely broken down, and added:

"We desire a real people's government, responsible to an imperial ministry; the re-establishment of the principle that nobody can be chancellor who lacks the confidence of the Reichstag, and a universal equal franchise."

According to the Koelhaas Volks Zeitung, Hugo Haase, a radical Socialist, said:

"Millions are looking to the Reichstag for a glimpse of peace. We see everywhere an undecided battle. We wish to save what is possible from the wreck of international law. Our dream of domination in this war will never be realized. An agreement must be sought without hesitation in order to save the people from the worst."

A GERMAN DENIAL BEARING NO WEIGHT

A Long-Distance Estimate of What Commander of U-53 Said

The Hague, Oct. 13.—The special correspondent in Berlin of the Nieuwe Rotterdamse Courant, telegraphs as follows:

"I have been authorized by a competent naval authority to say that the commander of the German submarine which, operating off the American coast last Sunday, sank the Dutch steamship Bloemerdijk, can not have made a statement to the master of the Bloemerdijk to the effect that all ships which had to touch at British ports would be sunk."

A Rotterdam dispatch on Oct. 10 quoted from a report to the Holland-American line, owners of the steamship Bloemerdijk, which was sunk off the New England coast during the German submarine operations of last Sunday, that the submarine commander had "informed the master of the Bloemerdijk that he would sink any ship bound by way of a British port."

AN AVIATION SCHOOL, AEROPLANE FACTORY, IN CANADA SHORTLY

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—An aviation school is to be established in Canada under the direction of the imperial authorities. Along with it a factory for the manufacture of aeroplanes will be erected and the direction of it entrusted to the imperial munitions board. Orders from the British government for the output of the factory, including motors, are assured for the continuance of the war.

A GERMAN CLAIM.

Berlin, Oct. 13.—A successful attack by German naval submarines on Russian transports in the Roumanian harbor of Constantza on the Black Sea, is reported in an admiralty statement issued under date of Oct. 13.

VENIZELOS WILL PUT ARMY CORPS BESIDE ALLIED FORCES SOON

His Government Will Collect Taxes to Maintain Army It Will Raise; Says Constantine Regards Greece as Personal Property and Has Brought Country to Present Pass

London, Oct. 13.—The newspapers publish an interview granted Ward Price, the British official press representative on the front in Macedonia, by Eleutherios Venizelos at Salonica, in which the former premier of Greece denounced King Constantine as responsible for the present state of affairs in Greece and outlined further plans for the provisional government which include the raising of an army corps shortly to fight on the side of the entente forces against the Bulgarians.

In the interview M. Venizelos declared that it was the intention of himself and his followers to set up a formal government in Salonica which would exercise all powers of state, levy existing taxes to maintain the military service and raise adequate troops.

M. Venizelos said that when in September, 1915, he urged upon the king the necessity of fulfilling Greece's treaty obligations to Serbia, King Constantine replied:

"I am prepared to leave the internal affairs of Greece to the government, but in international relations I consider myself, and myself alone, responsible before God for their direction."

M. Venizelos said he replied to the king: "You are enunciating the doctrine of the divine rights of kings, with which we have had nothing to do in Greece. Your father was freely elected by the Greek people to be their king, and you are his successor. There is nothing divine in that title. It is based on the mandate of the people."

A Little Hohenzollern. "Clearly King Constantine has stepped outside the limits of the Greek constitution," M. Venizelos continued to Mr. Price. "What lies at the root of the king's attitude is that he regards the kingdom of Greece as his own personal property. That is the Prussian theory of kingship. We can not recognize it in Greece. The result of the king's idea of his rights has been that we have torn up our treaty with Serbia—that we are dishonored; that we have lost touch with our old friends Britain, France and Russia, and that our hereditary enemies have invaded our territory, occupied our towns and pillaged our people."

After expressing confidence in the triumph of the provisional government of which he is the head, M. Venizelos concluded: "We want to fight side by side with the allies. We hope soon to have an army corps in the field."

"The Roumanians will not falter," the king said, "in their allegiance to the cause, nor can the enemy wean them from their faith in their allies. Yet the Roumanians pray that in spite of the existing exigencies and their own huge problems, the allies will not allow the affairs of Roumania, which has staked her all in this conflict, to pass into the back of their minds and to such an extent that she may meet the fate of either Belgium or Serbia."

Great Principles. King Ferdinand said that Roumania had not been moved to enter the war by "mere expediency, but that her decision had been based on the biggest principles of nationality. "Against Germany," continued his majesty, "there was, at the beginning of the war, no hostility—rather, perhaps, friendship—for economically Germany was an asset to the development of our industries and a potent instrument in forwarding the prosperity of our country. But with the progress of the war Roumania began to feel the subtle force of enemy intrigue endeavoring in every way to force us into the struggle against our own real interests."

"A small country in a great war, which promises to last for at least another year, faces certainly internal sacrifice and the consumption of her resources. But such is the confidence of Roumania in the justice of her cause and the faith of her allies that she has cast her lot with them in the conviction that her great associates will see that she does not prove to be the third small nation destroyed in the great conflict."

AMERICAN AMBULANCES TO SALONICA FRONT

Paris, Oct. 13.—The recently formed section of the American ambulance field service which is to serve with the French army in the Balkans left today for the Salonica front. It consists of thirty ambulances, with repair cars, a kitchen car, tents and other accessories for service far from the hospital base. It is under command of Lowering Hill, of New York.

VIENNA CLAIM ABOUT TRANSYLVANIA FRONT

Vienna, Oct. 13.—The efforts of the Roumanians to stay the Austro-German advance in Transylvania have failed, the war office announced today, and they are being driven back further by Gen. von Falkenhayn's troops.

ROUMANIANS WILL FIGHT TO THE END

Ferdinand Calls on Allies to Take Greater Heed to Situation

GRANTS INTERVIEW TO LONDON TIMES MAN

London, Oct. 13.—The Times publishes an interview given to its correspondent with the Roumanian forces by the king of Roumania, in which the monarch appeals to the allies not to permit his country to suffer the fate of Serbia and Belgium.

"The Roumanians will not falter," the king said, "in their allegiance to the cause, nor can the enemy wean them from their faith in their allies. Yet the Roumanians pray that in spite of the existing exigencies and their own huge problems, the allies will not allow the affairs of Roumania, which has staked her all in this conflict, to pass into the back of their minds and to such an extent that she may meet the fate of either Belgium or Serbia."

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AMERICANS SEARCH FOR SECRET BASE

Destroyers on Guard as Result of Raid by German Submarines

Washington, Oct. 13.—Admiral Mayo, commanding the Atlantic fleet, notified the navy department today that he had ordered a survey of the New England coast to investigate reports thatelligent ships had established a base there, and that wireless plants were being operated in violation of American neutrality.

In announcing Admiral Mayo's action, Secretary Daniels said that several destroyers already had been dispatched from Newport north, and that the work would be done under the admiral's direction and without instructions from Washington. Naval officials here did not place much credence in the reports and characterized them as an outcome of the recent operations of the German submarine U-53 off the Nantucket Shoals. Numerous reports of the same character have been received by the department since the beginning of the war. Investigation was made in each case, but was unproductive.

KOENIG STATES HE WILL TRY TO REPEAT DEUTSCHLAND'S TRIP

Amsterdam, Oct. 13.—According to the Hamburger Nachrichten, Captain Paul Koenig, of the German merchant submarine Deutschland, replying to a telegram of congratulation from his native town on his voyage to the United States and return, said he was busy with preparations for a second trip across the ocean which soon would begin.

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WINTER CAMPAIGN TOO MUCH FOR TEUTONS

So Says Frenchman, Friend of Briand, Writing to New York

New York, Oct. 13.—Following is an extract from a letter received here by a widely known Frenchman, the source of the communication being inspired by the French premier, M. Briand:

"This long-expected entrance of Roumania, and probably Greece, on the side of the allies will be the decisive factor in that long struggle which now is denouement war-swept Europe."

"What and when will be the decisive victory that will bring to the feet of the triumphant allies their fierce foes? Political parties already are agitating and discussing conditions of peace. When the decisive victory is won, Austro-Germany would be divided into as many protectorates as there are allied nations."

SERBIAN TROOPS ARE IN VILLAGE OF BROD

Paris, Oct. 13.—Serbian forces, fighting on their own territory southeast of Monastir, have repulsed Bulgarian counter-attacks and obtained a footing in the village of Brod, according to an official report issued last night, the text of which follows:

"Serbian forces repulsed violent counter-attacks and gained a footing in the village of Brod. There were gun fire and aeroplanes bombarded Priepze and Philippopolis."

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The following casualties have been announced.

Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. Raymond E. Mays, Bagley, Sask.; Pte. G. Moore, South Porcupine, Ont.; Pte. R. Moore, Montreal; Pte. R. G. Morrison, Toronto; Pte. B. Murray, Charlottetown; P. E. L.; Pte. Ernest Odway, Branch in Havre, N. S.; Pte. Harry Phillips, England; Pte. Alfred Pimblet, Toronto; Cpl. Alfred Randall, Fort Vermilion, Alta.; Pte. R. J. Ross, Toronto; Pte. A. Seaman, Milton, N. S.; Cpl. H. R. Smith, Smithtown, N. S.; Pte. W. Stevenson, Vancouver; Pte. A. H. Thomson, Red Deer, Alta.; Pte. R. S. Warren, Brockton, P. E. I.; Cpl. Robert J. Watson, Edmonton; Pte. Joseph Westwood, Chatham, Ont.; Pte. Gilbert Wilkinson, Montreal.

Died of wounds—Pte. D. A. Brown, Bruce Mines, Ont.; Cpl. D. S. Curtis, Gravenhurst, Ont.; Pte. Wm. Curtis, Brantford; Pte. E. P. Hillier, Edmononton; Pte. A. King, Hamilton; Pte. Jos. Lacey, Hamilton; Pte. A. McDonald, St. Johns, Que.; Pte. A. Milligan, Toronto.

Died—Pte. Frank Kinlock, Madoc, Ont. Previously reported killed in action; no officially reported died of wounds—Pte. T. A. Reynolds, Chicago. Missing—Pte. G. Baird, Pilot Mound, Man.; Pte. C. Biels, Halifax; Pte. Ralph Boehard, Winnipeg; Pte. Wm. E. Burns, Winnipeg; Pte. Roderick Canero, Kenora, Ont.

Missing—believed killed—Pte. A. W. Dushnell, England; Pte. H. W. Cudgery, England.

Missing—Pte. G. Stupierford, England; Pte. G. Milghell, Scotland; Pte. E. G. Smith, England; Pte. H. B. Gibbs, England. Artillery. Killed in action—Gnr. Alex. McLish, Scotland.

Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. Oscar Anderson, Sweden; Pte. J. Brown, Australia; Sgt. Walter Brown, England; Pte. John Clarke, Ireland; Pte. H. G. Courtney, England; Pte. George Davis, England; Pte. Edward Davis, England; Pte. G. Fox, England; Pte. Ferdinand Ferot, France; Pte. Samuel Howkins, England; Pte. J. H. Hodges, England; Pte. G. Gurney, England; Pte. A. I. Fred Keninson, England; Pte. A. Klich, Scotland; Pte. Frank Loader, England; Cpl. Levi Lockett, England; Pte. Chas. Lowe, England; Pte. Murdoch McIvor, Scotland; Pte. George Addison, England; Pte. David Allan, Scotland; Pte. W. Abel, England; Cpl. L. W. Bolton, England; Pte. Wm. Cummings (address unknown); Cpl. Hardy Chandler, England; Cpl. Sam Charm, England; Cpl. Wm. Christie, Scotland; Pte. Leonard Devenry, England; Pte. Robert G. Dunbar, Scotland; Sgt. W. J. Hunter, Scotland; Pte. W. A. MacWilliams, Ireland; Pte. A. Mackey, Scotland; Pte. P. J. McCann, Ireland; Pte. Robert McKay, Scotland; Pte. W. J. Moore, Ireland; Pte. E. S. Dawson, England; Pte. J. Erskine, Scotland; Pte. Chas. R. Fryer, England; Pte. C. G. Hensler, Ireland; Pte. S. R. Holmes, England; Pte. S. J. Hewes, England; Pte. John Kirby, England; Pte. Alfred Morgan, Scotland; Pte. James O'Connor, Australia; Pte. Wm. O'Hern, Scotland; Pte. I. Purham, England; Pte. A. D. Smith, England; Cpl. Edwin P. Powell, England; Pte. R. Priest, England; Sgt. R. W. Ridgely, England; Pte. E. Shearer, Scotland; Pte. M. Zootux, Russia; Pte. P. B. Upey, England; Pte. P. H. Wheaton, England; Cpl. Robert Weir, Scotland; Pte. R. McPherson, Scotland; Pte. W. M. Eison, England; Pte. J. Menker, Russia; Pte. A. Metelka, Russia.

Died of wounds—Cpl. Fred Field Wick, England; Pte. B. Gunn, Scotland; Pte. Jos. King, England; Pte. A. Barton, England; Pte. Murdoch McKay, Scotland.

Previously reported missing; now believed killed in action—Pte. Harry Pugh, England.

Missing—Pte. J. Gaunt, England; Pte. A. Johnson, England; Pte. R. Morrison, Scotland; Pte. H. Wakenfeld, England.

Mounted Rifles. Wounded—Cpl. H. C. Sully, England. Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. Chas. Bailey, Calabogie, Ont.; Pte. T. A. Betts, Dundalk, Ont.; Pte. H. G. Bish, Waterloo, Ont.; Pte. R. Bolduc, Montreal; Pte. F. Collins, Winnipeg; Pte. F. Crawford, Montreal; Pte. H. Davidson, Winnipeg; Pte. T. Galloway, Edmonton; Pte. J. Hachey, Midville, N. B.; Pte. T. E. Hammond, Seaside, N. S.; Pte. Barney Henry, Montreal; Sgt. M. M. Hopkinson, Fort Burwell, Ont.; Lieut. L. H. Johnstone, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. H. A. Langridge, Winnipeg; Pte. G. P. Lilly, Montreal; Pte. F. E. Lindsay, Vancouver; Pte. W. F. Lindsay, Winnipeg; Pte. J. Alexander, Medicine Hat; Pte. C. H. Alford, Red Deer; Pte. A. Angel, Montreal; Cpl. D. Campbell, Hamilton; Pte. J. C. Lark, Calgary; Sgt. H. Crompton, Hawarden, Sask.; Pte. W. C. Connolly, Macleod, Sask.; Pte. R. F. Fleury, Prince Albert, Sask.; Pte. P. A. Macaulay, Candogan, P. E. I.; Pte. W. H. McDonald, Brandon, Man.; Pte. Jas. McDiarmid, Entwistle, Alta.; Pte. A. Park, Lethbridge, Alta.; Pte. A. Pulk, St. Stephen, N. B.; Pte. Ernest Long, Toronto; Cpl. J. M. McIntyre, Clearwater, Man.; Pte. A. Matland, Winnipeg; Pte. B. Mansfield, South Porcupine, Ont.; Pte. J. A. Bishop, Ansley, Neb.; Cpl. E. J. Clark, Newfoundland; Pte. G. L. Perdue, Lethbridge, Alta.

Previously reported missing; now killed in action—Pte. Wm. McCracken, Toronto; Pte. W. F. Riddell, Lethbridge, Alta. Missing—Pte. J. Turmain, Steelton, Ont.; Pte. A. Bais, Quebec; Pte. R. W. Miller, Lethbridge, Alta.; Pte. M. E. Poohie, Medicine Hat; Pte. E. Coulter, Quebec; Pte. Wm. Crossland, Winnipeg; Pte. W. Hardman, Winnipeg; Cpl. A. W. House, Winnipeg; Pte. T. Kenna, Antigonish, N. S.; Pte. James Lashmar, Toronto; Pte. Thos. Milburn, Herbert, Sask.; Pte. H. Miller, Winnipeg; Pte. D. Munroe, Yarmouth, N. S.; Cpl. Peter Murray, Winnipeg; Pte. J. Norris, Weyburn, Sask.; Pte. J. G. Rivers, New Glasgow, N. S.; Pte. P. Rodgers, Wilbert, Sask.; Pte. D. Ross,

Orilla, Ont.; Pte. B. R. Sheen, Winnipeg. Wounded—Pte. P. B. Aubach, Maitland Forks, N. S.; Pte. J. T. Barnard, Quebec; Pte. E. Carroll, Escuminac, N. B.; Sgt. G. Mackenzie, 2734 Forbes street, Victoria; Pte. Wm. Maxwell, Toronto; Pte. J. A. Melanson, Yarmouth, N. S.; Cpl. J. T. Menzies, Toronto; Pte. C. Morrison, Montreal; Pte. G. Pallister, Lemington, Ont.; Cpl. Robert G. Anderson, New Westminster, B. C.

Artillery. Killed in action—Gnr. R. Lucy, Ganaquoque, Ont.; Gnr. H. L. Power, Fort Louisburg, N. S.; Gnr. J. W. Wishart, Arnprior, Ont. Died of wounds—Gnr. W. G. Down, Toronto; Gnr. T. A. Kincaid, Edmonton; Gnr. S. Smith, Peterboro, Ont.; Gnr. V. M. Valenza, New York.

Services. Killed in action—Pte. C. Anderson, Calgary; Pte. J. W. Hamilton, Rosebank, Man.; Pte. C. R. Kitchen, Burden, N. B.; Pte. L. Wilcock, Winnipeg. Died—Pte. G. N. Cliff, Clinton, Ont. Infantry. Killed in action—Pte. G. D. Greentree, Drumheller, Alta.; Pte. H. Harvey, Toronto; Pte. G. C. Hubert, Estherville, N.B.; Pte. C. Mack, Eva, Alta.; Pte. A. Lee, Merrickville, Ont.; Pte. T. Wharton, Saginaw, Mich.; Pte. S. T. Gallinger, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. J. Gardner, Rapid City, Man.; Pte. T. D. Gibson, Calgary; Pte. W. Goodwin, Sutton, Ont.; Pte. Herbert A. Lawson, 1462 Walnut street, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. A. Leckie, Toronto; Pte. W. Kennedy, Calgary; Pte. H. E. L. Stewart, MacGregor, Man.; Pte. B. Richards, Kingston; Pte. J. B. Ritchie, Calgary; Sgt. J. Risson, Quebec; Pte. J. B. Swain, Irma, Alta.; Pte. F. E. Tucker, Edmonton; Pte. J. F. Wall, Campbellton, N. B.; Pte. A. Alpine, Ottawa.

Mounted Rifles. Killed in action—Pte. W. Agar, London, Ont.; Pte. A. Nodwell, Norton Station, N. B. Died of wounds—Pte. A. Habick, Lucknow, Ont.; Lance-Corpl. G. R. McIntosh, Stratford. Engineers. Killed in action—Sapper J. M. Abernethy, Campbellford, Ont. Mounted Services. Died of wounds—Pte. J. W. Hamilton, Rosebank, Man. Mounted Rifles. Killed in action—Pte. Frank Houghton, Toronto. Returned prisoners of war; admitted to hospitals—Pte. Melburn Sprague, Belleville, Ont.; Pte. Walter S. Field-Smithvale, Ont. Wounded—Pte. Reginald Fowler, Quebec; Acting Sergt. J. Innes, Owen Sound, Ont.; Pte. Charles E. Roberts, Briarley, Sask.; Pte. Frank Smith, Toronto; Pte. Fred A. Brooker, Virgil, Ont.; Pte. Hugh L. Dunston, Dauphin, Man.; Pte. John G. Fraser, Culpin; Pte. Clarence G. Watson, Toronto; Pte. Wm. Gray, Lorne Park, Ont.; Sgt. James H. Harris, Campbellton, N. B.; Acting Lance-Corpl. James McCarthy, St. John, N. B.; Pte. John A. McIntosh, Greenfield, Ont.; Pte. Albert McPhee, Antigonish, N. S.; Pte. Thomas Meagher, Montreal; Lance-Corpl. Wm. E. Mitchell, Exeter, Ont.; Pte. Edgar Pamphilon, Brandon; Pte. Joseph Robinson, Moosimin, Sask.; Pte. Marshall Smythe, Toronto.

Artillery. Wounded—Gnr. Roderick Ferguson, Lamathe, Ont.; Lieut. Henry Say, Montreal; Bomb. Thomas James, England; Gnr. Wm. McDonald, Dominion No. 4, C. B.; Cpl. Samuel A. McKenzie, Sydney River, N. S.; Gnr. Alex. J. McDonald, Ironville, N. S.; Gnr. James W. Hearne, Sydney, N. S.; Signaller Wm. Hevere, Montreal; Sgt. Roderick McDonald (remaining on duty), Montreal. Engineers. Wounded—Sapper Wm. J. Kerr, Toronto; Sapper E. H. Marson (rejoined unit), Kempville, Ont.; Lieut. Frank S. Rankin (remaining on duty), Woodstock, N. B.; Sapper Arthur Wickenden, Winnipeg; Sapper Thomas F. Forman, Calgary; Lieut. Albert Frazier, Westmount, Que. Mounted Services. Previously reported missing; now admitted to hospital—Pte. James W. Rose, Youngstown, Ohio. Wounded—Pte. Archibald A. Crow (107173), Victoria. Services. Wounded—Pte. John B. Willison, Farnham, Que.; Lieut. Gardner I. Greenham, Shaanavan, Sask. Medical Service. Wounded—Pte. Charles Holmes, Ottawa. Infantry. Previously reported missing; now officially reported killed in action—Pte. Stuart Adams, Campbellton, N. B.; Pte. Hugh Wren, Toronto; Pte. George Webb, Springbrook, Ont. Seriously ill—Pte. Homer W. Deshaw, Rockburn, Que.; Pte. John H. Rose, Toronto. Previously reported missing; now admitted to hospital—Pte. Percy R. Grandy, Cornish, Nfld. Previously reported missing; now wounded, but on duty—Pte. Leo Coughlin, Toronto. Previously reported missing; now wounded—Pte. James Boulger (returned to duty), Toronto. Wounded—Pte. Charles Anderson, Estevap, Sask.; Pte. Wm. A. Barlow, Kearney Ont.; Pte. George Bavan, Winnipeg; Pte. Edward Bloomfield (44294), Victoria, B. C.; Acting Lance-Corpl. Wm. B. Burche, Moncton, N.B.; Pte. Richard H. Clarke, Detroit; Pte. John A. Cross, Ingersoll, Ont.; Pte. Arthur T. Curzon, Halifax, Ont.; Pte. Dagle, Bathurst, N. B.; Pte. Earl H. Felty, Wareville, Alta.; Pte. Daniel J. Flynn, Edmonton; Pte. Fred L. Ford, Clinton, Ont.; Lieut. Clyde C. Gillies, Cloverbar, Alta.; Pte. James Hickey, Toronto; Pte. Wm. G. Joslin, Haystack, Ont. Services. Wounded—Pte. John W. Davidson, Port Arthur, Ont.; Pte. Thomas I. Letvins, Gilbert Plains, Man.; Pte. John

GERMANS MAKING SLAVES OF VICTIMS

Belgians Refuse to Work, They Take Them by Force.

"Instead of resorting to judiciary prosecutions, the governor may order the refractory workmen to be taken forcibly and conveyed to such places where they must work." The above is an extract from the orders issued by the German government conducted by the Germans in the occupied part of Belgium. This gives a clear idea of the tremendous pressure the Germans are putting on Belgium in their effort to win the war. Not satisfied with devastating the country, committing atrocities and attacking women and children, they are even now, after two years, endeavoring to force the Belgian men and women, whose spirit is unbroken, to work for them and the German army. Almost to a man—yes, and to a woman—the Belgian people have met all advances with stubborn refusal and only force can make them do this work. Referring to this order, Mr. Asquith said: "In other terms the governor may order that they be treated as slaves. Such is the climax of a policy which has tried unsuccessfully to break the splendid and unbending spirit of these heroic people who refuse to associate themselves with the plunderers of their native country."

"We, here in Great Britain," continued Mr. Asquith, "take note of all these acts. We do not think we shall ever forget them. And we want for all of that a just reparation. Notwithstanding that, the spectacle of the sufferings and anguish of these patient and resolute victims calls forth the sympathies, not only of the allies, but also those of the neutral states of the world."

Those sympathies, under the circumstances, must take tangible form. Belgium needs help. Her women and children—seven millions of them—are starving. They must be fed if they are to face conditions like these and still maintain the firm stand that they have taken. This is the function of the Belgian Relief Committee. This committee is providing the food that keeps these heroic, suffering people from death by starvation. It is little enough to do for them, but it is the best that can be done unless money and more money is given. Contributions may be sent to the Belgian relief committees or direct to the Belgian Relief Committee, 55 St. Peter street, Montreal.

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TOO MANY EXEMPTIONS.

London, Oct. 13.—Replying to Sir Edward Carson, who again raised the question of man power and Ireland's contribution in the House of Commons yesterday, the war minister, Mr. Lloyd George, said there was no doubt whatever about the country's available man power and reserves, but it was necessary to get at them. Enlistment exemptions, he declared, had been far too numerous; if he gave the figures he would startle the house. The exemptions had run into millions.

KINGSTONIAN SAFE.

Boston, Oct. 13.—The British steamship Kingstonian, reported as among those torpedoed by a German submarine off Nantucket last Sunday, is safe in port, according to word received by John M. Thomas, of this city, local manager of the Leyland line, which owns the vessel. Mr. Thomas said his information showed that the Kingstonian was thousands of miles from Nantucket last Sunday.

REGISTRATION OF MEN; WOMEN ARE TO WORK

Plans Being Developed by Sir Thomas Tait and His Helpers

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The twelve newly appointed directors of national service, after being in conference here for three days with the director general, Sir Thomas Tait, gave out last evening a summary of their conclusions and proposals in regard to ways and means of utilizing Canada's man power to the best advantage for the rest of the war.

There are four main recommendations: In the first place an inventory is to be made of the man power still in Canada, classified, as far as possible, according to individual aptitudes for national economic needs. The details as to how this big task is to be worked out are still under consideration.

In the second place the director in each district is empowered to grant certificates and badges to men who offer to enlist for active military service, but who are declared to be giving greater value to the state by remaining at work in their own occupation.

In the third place, men who hereafter enlist, and afterwards are declared by the district director to be more needed in their old occupations, may be released from the military forces to resume their occupations.

Women to Work
The fourth main recommendation is for the establishment of women's national service boards, with a view to the registration of woman labor and securing the proper distribution of that labor to fill the places left by the enlisted men. The active work of recruiting for the overseas forces still is left with the military organizations.

The statement follows in part: "Under the recommendations the supervision of recruiting and the coordination of all agencies, civil and military, connected with recruiting rest with the district recruiting offices, under control of the military headquarters at Ottawa.

"The subject of the better utilization of women's labor was thoroughly discussed, and it was the sense of the directors that the temporary substitution of women for men in industrial and other occupations and the more general employment of women in industrial life would help to maintain national production and promote financial stability. It also would be helpful by supplying labor necessary and by making possible the release of men for work which only men can do, in the recruiting of the military and naval forces and in the maintenance of industries vital to the state. It was decided therefore that measures should be taken to encourage offers by women for positions suitable to their capacities, and, when opportune, to induce employers to take the utmost advantage of such offers."

Boards Throughout Dominion

To carry out the policy outlined, it was decided that as soon as the necessary preliminaries could be arranged, the directors should proceed with the organization in all parts of the Dominion of Canada of committees of women, to be known as "Women's National Service Boards." The duty of these boards is to be the registration of female labor, the securing where possible of employment locally of such labor, and the performance of other work incidental to such duties. Where considered desirable, advisory committees composed of prominent employers and others are to be created to co-operate with the boards, especially with regard to the securing of employment for such labor as may be offered. The directors also will be expected to act as far as possible in promoting equilibrium between the demand and supply of woman labor. It is the opinion of the directors that the call upon the women of Canada for national service along the lines indicated will meet with a hearty response, and that it will be possible within a comparatively short time to demonstrate to employers that there is a large reserve of labor which has hardly yet been called upon.

ROGERS WILL NOT HAVE COUNSEL AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Oct. 13.—Hon. Robert Rogers was invited by the Galt commission to have counsel represent him in the argument in the Carter-Halls-Aldinger contracts case in respect to the Agricultural College investigation, and has wired to the commission declining.

Mr. Rogers replied in the following terms: "Montreal, Oct. 11. "P. A. Macdonald, Registrar, Winnipeg: "I have your letter of the 5th to say that Commissioner Galt will hear argument on behalf of all persons interested in his investigation. In so far as I am concerned, the facts have been given clearly and fully by me, and it is only with the facts that I am concerned. "I have no interest whatever in what the commissioner may choose to find. "Even had I such interest, I cannot see that it would be of any value now to have counsel present, who could only add to the facts with an argument in a matter in which the commissioner has already, and before the evidence was heard, announced his verdict. "R. ROGERS."

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(Continued from page 2.)

Services

Previously reported missing, now reported killed—Lieut. Herbert H. Whitehead, Winnipeg.

Infantry

Wounded—Pte. Ingram McKinnon, Milton, N. S.; Pte. Harry A. McLennan, Campbellton, N. B.; Pte. Frederick McGuigan, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. Floyd M. MacFarlane, Leamington, Ont.; Pte. Strarait Minnick, Port Medway, N. S.; Pte. Robert J. Gray, Toronto; Pte. Bernard Grocock, Toronto; Pte. Raymond Guerrin Hamilton, Pte. Percy F. Sedore, Toronto; Acting-Sgt. Wm. A. Shanton, Sussex, N. B.; Pte. Peter T. Shepard, Cartierville, Que.; Pte. Edward Sheldon, Toronto; Pte. Wm. A. Skitchon, Calgary; Pte. Ernest Slater, Montreal; Pte. George G. Smith, Toronto; Pte. Frederick Stialard, Welland, Ont.; Pte. Harry Stewart, Hamilton, Man.; Pte. Frank G. Still (on duty, England); Pte. Charles H. Stimpson, Winnipeg; Pte. Wm. Strain, Weston, Ont.; Pte. Wm. Estlinger, Red Deer, Alta.; Pte. Donald R. Swinson, Midland, Ont.; Pte. J. T. Bernard, Gaspiller, Que.; Pte. Frederick A. Symonds, Hamilton, Man.; Pte. James Telford, Ardley P. O., Burnaby, B. C.; Major Joseph H. Thornley, London, Ont.; Pte. Wm. H. Thornton, Edmonton.

Infantry

Missing—Pte. Peter Macdonald, Antigonish, N. S.; Pte. Clarence R. Anderson, Winnipeg; Pte. Mark Arsenault, Campbellton, N. B.; Pte. Harry S. Brown, Camden, N. S.; Pte. Oswald A. Andrews, Regina; Pte. Irving H. Brown, Windsor, N. S.; Pte. Wm. Byrne, St. Peter's Bay, P. E. I.; Pte. J. W. Corkum, New Aberdeen, N. S.; Pte. Clyde A. Dewolfe, Upper Rawdon, N. S.; Pte. Herbert Mooks, Whiteville, Ont.; Pte. George M. Bishop, Whycoocunna, N. S.; Pte. Sam Butler, Napan Station, N. S.; Pte. Richard H. Fergie, Winnipeg; Pte. Abraham G. Flanagan, Bass River, N. B.; Pte. Thomas G. Gardiner, Parry Sound, Ont.; Pte. Jas. Gear, Salmon Cove, Nfld.; Pte. Percy R. Graidy, Cornish, Nfld.; Pte. Daniel Harvey, Hilden, N. B.; Pte. Elmer J. Kennedy, Georgetown, Ont.; Pte. Fred H. Lewis, Mimosa, Ont.; Pte. Douglas M. Reid, Yarmouth, N. S.; Pte. Alfred S. Strang, Summerside, P. E. I.; Pte. Wilfred R. Underhill, Claremont, Ont.; Pte. Elsworth Young, Halifax, Montreal; Pte. W. Macintyre, Reserve Mines, C. B.; Pte. Thomas R. Meagher, Cobalt, Ont.; Pte. Dan R. McDonald, New Waterford, C. B.; Lance-Cpl. Charles R. Kendrick, Coombs, Sask.; Pte. Wm. Percy McKee, Winnipeg; Pte. Kerr, Calgary; Pte. J. P. Kidd, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.; Pte. Joseph Kiough Moulton, Valley, Que.; Cpl. A. LaJole, Montreal; Pte. Ferdinand Laplante, Montreal; Pte. Bertrand W. Latimer, Winnipeg; Pte. Eugene J. Lawrence, Tweed, Ont.; Pte. George Les, England; Pte. Ovide Lepine, Montreal; Pte. Ovide Limoges, Montreal; Pte. Charles E. Lothnar, Winnipeg; Pte. S. H. McComb, Palmerston, Ont.; Pte. P. R. McIvor, Cataract, Ont.; Pte. D. McLennan, Keswatin, Ont.; Lance-Cpl. Charles McLean, Netherhill, Sask.; Pte. J. P. McLean, Underwood, Ont.; Pte. Charles McNaughton, Westville, N. S.; Pte. Jas. W. Margeson, Hamilton; Pte. A. A. Massey, Winnipeg; Pte. M. D. Matheson, Little Narrows, N. S.; Pte. Wm. Patrick, Dartmouth, N. S.; Pte. Frank May, Hamilton; Pte. Leo Mireault, Montreal; Pte. Thomas Morris, Montreal; Major Charles A. Moss, Toronto; Pte. H. E. Murdoch, Stettler, Alta.; Pte. Francis M. Murphy, Toronto; Pte. Roy D. Murphy, Strathroy, Ont.; Pte. A. O. Nelson, Ardmore, Pa.; Lieut. J. A. Norris, 1833 Eighth Avenue W., Vancouver; Pte. Robert Gates, Toronto;

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Infantry

Wounded—Pte. Herbert Stewart, Saskatchewan; Pte. Henry A. Sutherland, Truro, N. S.; Lance-Cpl. Robert Swanson, Crescent hotel, Nanaimo, B. C.; Pte. Harry C. Vine, Barrie, Ont.; Pte. John F. Walsh, Sydney Mines, C. B.; Pte. Clarence W. Warwick, 215 Thirteenth Avenue E., Vancouver; Pte. C. A. Dawe, Cobourg, Ont.; Pte. John Dickson, Sonera, N. S.; Pte. Roy Deringer, Simcoe, Ont.; Sergt. Richard Drew, Detroit; Pte. George A. Dupuis, Quebec; Pte. G. Durouch, Montreal; Pte. John W. Dyke, Winnipeg; Pte. Foster Newell, Halifax; Pte. Joseph C. Bain, Yarmouth, N. S.; Pte. Arthur Nadon, Montreal; Pte. Elwood M. Purcell, Halifax; Pte. Lawrence W. Whitney, Toronto; Pte. Wm. A. Scott, Springhill, N. S.; Pte. Fred Seager, Point Edward, Ont.; Pte. Aurelien Starnaud, Montreal; Pte. Thomas Stockall, Halifax; Pte. Alfred P. Thompson, Hudson Heights, Que.; Gordon Van Valkenburg, Sarnia, Ont.; Pte. Hubert H. Wakeman, Winnipeg; Pte. James E. Ward, Sarnia, Ont.; Pte. James Whalen, Jacques, Nfld.; Pte. Gregory McDonald, Windsor, N. S.; Lieut. John A. McRae (remaining on duty), Toronto; Pte. Vernon Mitchell, Edmonton; Pte. Henry G. Murray, Toronto; Pte. Arthur Oldfield, Trout Creek, Ont.; Pte. Frank Racey, Toronto; Pte. Nesbit A. Richardson, Toronto; Pte. Wilfrid Robb, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. Louis Robitaille, Montreal; Pte. Robert Scott, Brandon; Pte. Ernest J. Shaughnessy, Barrie, Ont.; Pte. Charles V. Smith, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. Charles L. McKie, Harris, Ont.; Pte. Robert Lacey, England; Pte. David Meloch, Montreal; Pte. Lloyd Marston, Hantsport, N. S.; Pte. Angus McInnes, Opel, Alta.; Pte. John H. McGuire, Portage la Prairie; Pte. Edgar McNeive, Baltimore; Pte. Stephen McVarrish, Reserve Mines, N. S.; Pte. N.



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London, Oct. 13.—The coalition scored a great victory in the by-election for the Commons in North Ayrshire caused by the death of the sitting Unionist member, Capt. D. Campbell, when its candidate, Major-General A. G. Hunter-Weston, D. S. O., was elected by 5,181

votes as compared with 1,399 for his opponent, Rev. H. Chalmers, who ran as an independent. The poll, however, was small, as at the last general election 15,000 voters went to the polls, when the Liberal candidate had a small majority over Captain Campbell, who came in later at a by-election. It is estimated that several thousands of voters are absent at the front, and those no doubt would have voted for the coalition candidate.

UP TO TOTAL 11 THE TOTAL CANADIAN CASUALTIES 52,026

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—Up to October 11 the total number of casualties among officers and men in the Canadian expeditionary forces was 52,026, according to figures compiled by the Casualty Record Office, made up as follows: Killed in action, 4,131; died of wounds, 3,129; died of illness, 427; presumed dead, 1,698; missing, 1,513; wounded, 37,783.

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THE WAR

The two chief features of the war news of the last few days have been the renewal of the Italian offensive, mainly on the Isonzo front, and the military developments in the Balkan theatre. The Italians have penetrated the enemy front east and southeast of Gorizia, bagging more than eight thousand prisoners and their pressure is being continued. The hardest fighting and the scene of their greatest gain has been on the Carso plateau which dominates the road to Trieste, whose communications with Vienna the Italians are endeavoring to cut.

The isolation of Trieste would mean also the isolation of Pola, Austria's principal naval base on the Adriatic, which is near the southern tip of the Istrian peninsula. This is of vital importance to Austria, for the loss of the peninsula would mean the elimination of the dual monarchy as an Adriatic power unless it managed to retain its hold on Dalmatia, farther south, and replaced Pola with Cattaro. The maintenance of Austria's positions on that front, therefore, is of more importance to her than a successful resistance to the Russian pressure in Galicia can be. Vienna knows that well enough, but the disposition of Austrian and Hungarian forces in Germany's hands and Germany is less concerned with Austria's position on the Adriatic than she is with the state of affairs in Galicia.

The reason underlying Germany's attitude in this is easily understood. A further Russian success in Galicia involving the capture of Lemberg would force the retirement of the German eastern front to the Bug river and possibly to the Vistula and San. This would entail the evacuation of extensive Russian territory now in German hands. That, however, would not be such a serious consideration in itself, for Germany well knows that she must abandon it ultimately in any case. But if Germany were forced back upon the Bug her line would be lengthened; the east front would absorb more effective forces, for she would have no convenient interruption in the shape of the Pripiet marshes which now can be very lightly held. This in turn would weaken her western front already under heavy strain. Hence she is struggling to hold the Russians in Galicia with every Austrian and Hungarian soldier she can control, in addition to her own troops. Hence, also, Austria is exceedingly hard pressed on her Italian front.

The capture of the Istrian peninsula with its attractive military and naval possibilities, however, is only a part of the Italian programme, albeit an important part. The objectives of the advance in the Julian Alps evidently are Villach and Laibach, on the main roads to Vienna. Moreover, a general advance on that whole front would impose upon Italy the same difficulty a Russian advance would im-

pose upon Germany. It would lengthen the Austrian line, for it would give Italy an opportunity to take advantage of her superiority in man power, which cannot be done on the present restricted front. This would absorb still more of Austria's troops and hasten the enemy's collapse. In this front lengthening process, which is actually going on in all the war theatres, lies the real vital element of the entente offensives. The German line north and south of the Somme is considerably longer than it was when Foch and Haig began their advance. Germany is now defending three big arcs instead of two. On the east front, as we have pointed out, she is threatened with a similar emergency.

The Balkan situation is increasing in intensity in consequence of the Roumanian reverses in Transylvania, which in turn were due to the subordination of sound military policy to political considerations. The Teutonic powers are determined to do Roumania all the damage they can for a variety of reasons. One is that it is the only front on which they can undertake an offensive. Another is the stimulating effect of a successful irruption into Roumania would have upon their own people, while, most important of all, it would secure Bulgaria from the peril with which her geographical position confronts her, and, securing Bulgaria, will secure Turkey, the Orient railroad and keep the Bosphorus and Dardanelles closed to Russia and the western allies. It is this last consideration which transforms the Balkans into the most important battlefield of the whole war, for the moment at any rate. How the allies will counter the Teutonic movement remains to be seen. The Italian advance ought to help considerably, or the allies may relieve matters by a victory on the eastern or western fronts. But there is no reason why ample direct assistance should not be available for Roumania at the earliest possible moment. Her situation is vastly different from that of Serbia, not only in point of accessibility but from the fact that the allies are now well organized, and are operating under unity of command. It should be easy for Russia to supply Roumania with abundant reinforcements, assuming she has the equipment for them, without diminishing the force of the blows she is delivering against the enemy in Volhynia and Galicia.

Curiously enough, from the front in which the heaviest fighting has been taking place we hear the least news. Great battles have been raging in Volhynia and Galicia, with the capture of Kovel and Lemberg as their objectives, for several weeks with the Teutons and Turks for the most part holding their own. In the west the artillery activity on the Somme points to another smash on a wide front in a few days, and if past experience is any criterion to go by the next Anglo-French advance should yield greater gains than any other forward movement since the offensive began.

A DOMINION ELECTION.

Rumors of an early Dominion election are flying around again. Some of them fix the date of polling before Christmas and intimate that among the first recommendations the new governor-general will have to consider will be one calling for dissolution. This would be the government's fourth start in that direction. The first was in the fall of 1914, the next was in the spring of 1915, and the third was some months later. Mr. Rogers was the chief promoter of all of them and the fact that the governor-general would not consent to a dissolution in the early instances did not discourage his later efforts.

At first glance rumors of an early Dominion contest would appear to be far-fetched in view of the results of the various provincial and by-elections throughout Canada. Parliament has another year to run and the government might be expected to wait until some time in 1917 before going to the country, in the hope of something developing to clear the horizon. But if an election took place before the end of the present year, it would be prompted by internal rather than external conditions. It would be resorted to by the government as a sort of safety valve to avert an explosion in the cabinet. The differences between Sir Sam Hughes and Hon. Robt. Rogers are common knowledge throughout the country. The two of them mix about as readily as oil and water. Each knows the unrecorded past of the other and each knows that the other knows it. Then there is that other wild mixture of the perfervid empire-savers of five years ago and the Nationalist ministers who about the same time were talking about shooting holes in the Union Jack. For such a combination political blood-letting, a diversion in the shape of an election, might appeal to the Premier as the easiest way out of his troubles. There are really of his own making. He would have been much happier if he had appointed his own cabinet in the first place instead of permitting outside elements to select it for him.

PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN.

The movement launched at Tacoma by representatives of British Columbia, Washington and Oregon for a joint publicity campaign to stimulate tourist travel to this coast has possibilities which entitle it to hearty support. It is proposed to devote \$125,000 to two years' judicious advertisement which, it is believed with good reason, will yield a return of many millions. The governments of Washington and Oregon will be asked to contribute \$50,000 each and the government of British Columbia \$25,000. From such co-operation the best directed and most effective effort could be expected; each contributor would share equally with the others in the general result, for there would be a reciprocal diversion of travel between them. They could also depend upon the assistance of the railroad publicity organizations, and between all these agencies a very successful campaign undoubtedly could be undertaken.

A publicity movement such as that which is contemplated on behalf of this province and the two neighboring states should do more than to divert a large and profitable volume of travel in this direction. Many a substantial investment has flowed from the tour of capitalists solely on pleasure bent. It is impossible for keen men of business to come to the Northwest to view the unsurpassed scenic attractions of the country, without being impressed at the same time with the opportunities it presents for industrial expansion, trade and commerce. And it is people of this class in large numbers who would be reached by a carefully conducted joint campaign on the scale proposed.

It is a sign of the times and conditions that German socialists are permitted to express themselves frankly in the Reichstag. One of them says the chief obstacle to peace is the French censorship, owing to which the people of the republic are not permitted to learn the liberal terms upon which peace can be obtained. In that case why doesn't the Reichstag appoint some one to lay, officially, the terms upon which peace can be obtained before official representatives of the allied nations? Abstract professions in the Reichstag, or any where else, while they may be illuminative of the Hun state of mind regarding world domination and other dreams, never can be productive of practical results. Of course it is interesting to learn that some Germans are permitted to say that "conquered" territory in France and Belgium may be relinquished as an inducement for the consideration of terms of peace, but there also arises the question of the cost of restoration of the devastated parts of France and Belgium to the condition prevailing before the headstrong Hun deceived himself into the belief that they were his natural inheritance. The tentative offer must be liberally amended.

Constantine was quite willing to permit any government of Greece to regulate the domestic affairs of his nation, but reserved to himself the divine right of governing its foreign policy—substituting to the designs and purposes of the All-Highest of Germany, of course. "Little Tino," like his master, is finding out that the times are out of joint, that he and his views and ambitions are obsolete. One of these days he and his throne and all the junk of royalty will be kicked into the sea and Venizelos, a man of the people, will occupy the space he did not know how to fill.

Hun submarines have destroyed Norwegian whips of the value of thirty million dollars since the war began. Doubtless a bill for the amount and more will be presented to Germany after the war is over, but as the All-Highest already has dropped all his gold plate in the melting pot to help to meet the current expenses of his country, Norway may have some trouble in collecting. Besides, Germany may have to make an assignment for the "benefit" of her creditors.

President Wilson says he is not too proud to fight in a just cause. The trouble with the president seems to be that he would like to meet the man who can convince him that there is right or justice in any cause involved in the world war. But we observe that when the commercial and industrial interests of the United States were menaced by Germany's submarine campaign he was not too proud to change his attitude.

We observe with interest that all Conservative papers from the Atlantic to the Pacific enthusiastically commend Mr. Brewster for his announcement that he will abolish political patronage. We have yet to hear from Hon. Bob Rogers, Mr. Barnard, Mr. Green, Mr. Price (already abolished), and the re-creation of the Beaver Club in this city on the subject.

G. K. Chesterton writes in the Illustrated London News: "Education is the modern German's answer to everything; to the most ultimate and awful questions, like the question that was asked of Cain. He is always parading

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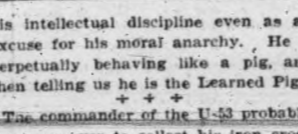
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EMIGRATION AFTER THE WAR.

Westminster Gazette. There will be emigration, and the best thing that we can do is to see that so far as possible the emigrants go to our own colonies. To bring that about will require not only aid from this country to the individual, but the help of all the colonies in making entrance to their lands as easy as possible. Here is ground upon which all the governments should work together to have a practical scheme in readiness for the end of the war.

BRITAIN IS NOT APPALLED.

New York World. Terrible as are the recent British losses, they do not appal Britain. They were lighter in September than in August, though the Somme offensive, where most of them occurred, went faster. They include the slightly wounded; they cover the fronts in Greece and Mesopotamia as well as France; and Germany can now ill afford losses which, including prisoners, must be even heavier.

VIRTUE OF ADVERTISING.

Kingsdon White. The surprise of the war in every country, but especially in Britain, France and Canada, is the invisible wealth of the masses. They have been constrained to study and practice thrift, and they have done it to advantage. The result is that when national loans have been put upon

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That this offering is welcomed by a large circle of women was fully demonstrated this morning when the sale opened, and many are glad to avail themselves of such an opportunity as this offering presents, to buy a better-grade garment for considerably less.

There is a good range of styles to choose from, including the new pleated coats with belts, and skirts with full gathered backs and high waists. There are models with collars and cuffs of self material, and others smartly trimmed with velvet. Each model is perfectly tailored and all coats are lined throughout. The principal materials are navy blue serges in fine and cheviot finish, also brown serges, and dark plaid cloths.

All sizes represented, from Misses' 14 to Women's 42 bust. Shop to-night or early Saturday morning if you would secure one.

—Selling, First Floor

Broken Assortments in Women's Shoes, a Pair \$2.85

These Shoes have been weeded out from our regular stock of Fall Shoes as representing broken assortments and sizes in many of the better values. They are good, serviceable qualities, suitable for Fall and Winter wear, and if you can find your size you have a chance to secure a rare bargain. Be sure, and look these over.—Selling, First Floor

3,000 Yards American Scrims on Sale at, Yard, 15c

This is an exceptionally large purchase of good quality American Scrims which we have secured to sell at a very low price. This will give many housewives a rare opportunity to brighten up their windows with new draperies for the winter months. There are 21 different designs and colorings to choose from, all very neat and artistic. Some with plain centres and colored borders, others in all-over effects. All 36 inches wide. Special, a yard... 15c.—Drapery, First Floor

Men's and Boys' Fall Clothing

Men's Fall Top Coats, in single and double-breasted styles, some semi-fitting, others with belt backs, and still others in the loose Balmacaan style. The materials are smart tweed mixtures, light plaids, also plaid mixtures and black and white effects. Spencer's values \$16.50 to \$25.00. Men's Tweed Suits, in semi-fitting and loose sack style, with two or three-button fastening, and ordinary or patch pockets. A style to suit every type of man, with prices ranging \$10.95, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00 to \$25.00. Boys' Smart Fall Top Overcoats, in the new double-breasted models, with belt backs, velvet collar, and some with emblem on sleeve. Well tailored, from blue, grey and brown mixtures. Price \$4.95, \$5.75 and... \$7.50. Boys' Suits in new Norfolk and double-breasted styles, with bloomer pants, fitted with watch and hip pockets. Well tailored from durable English tweeds, in brown, grey, fawn and fancy mixtures. A suit, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$7.95 and up to... \$13.50.—Clothing, Main Floor

Soap Specials To-morrow Morning

Lifebuoy Soap, 24 bars for \$1.00. Sunlight Soap, 24 bars for \$1.00. Ivory Soap, 22 bars for \$1.00. Lux, 3 plugs for 25c. Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 for 25c. San Juan Cleanser, 6 for 25c. Welcome Borax Powder, each 25c. Pearlina, 1 carton 25c. Fels Naptha, 4 bars for 25c.

LACO LAMPS, 7 1/2 to 60 WATTS, EACH, 30c. "Laco" Nitro Lamps—60 watts, \$1.10. 100 watts, \$1.25. 200 watts, \$1.50.—Hardware, Second Floor

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families were removing from the strike district to escape the danger of bullets. The body of an unidentified man was found lying in the street some distance from the strike centre to-day with a bullet wound in the head. Nothing was known as to the cause of the killing. Quiet prevailed during early hours to-day. The commissioner of public safety, Harry Wilson, declared the police had regained control. The "dead line" has been pushed back a few blocks toward the oil plants. Strike leaders offered to organize a special force of 200 men to aid in suppressing the rioting. Their offer was accepted but has not yet been made effective. "Demand Phoenix Beer. Home product."

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Psychic Research Society met last evening when it was decided to hold a Rummage Sale on Thursday, 19th inst.

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Victoria Times, Oct. 13, 1891.

Mr. Andrew Eagle addressed the mayor and council this morning on the principle of crematories, and explained fully the working of them in different parts of the United States and Canada, as well as Mexico.

Judge James G. Swan, of Port Townsend, came over to this city yesterday in answer to a telegram from Dr. Dawson, of the British Sealing Commission, and last evening in company with Capt. Charles Spring, had a long conversation with Dr. Dawson on the habits of the coast and northern seals.

His lordship British Legation leaves shortly to attend the Catholic Episcopal conference at Portland.

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The Fifth Regiment Band, assisted by R. H. Pooley, vocalist, will give their first concert of this season's series in the Royal Victoria theatre next Sunday evening at 8:45 p. m.

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Sittings Cancelled.—Owing to there being no civil cases listed the supreme court sittings fixed for Cranbrook and Fernie this month have been cancelled.

Quail in Saanich.—An open season for quail in North and South Saanich has been proclaimed, to run from October 18 to November 18, inclusive.

Change of Name.—Dominion Educational Films, Limited, gives notice in the current issue of the B. C. Gazette that one month from October 7 an application will be made for a change of name to Dominion Film Corporation, Limited.

Placer Claims Laid Over.—For the protection of men away on service all placer mining claims are laid over for a further six months—in Nelson and Arrow Lakes mining divisions, to June 1, 1917; in Portland Canal, Skeena and Bella Coola mining divisions, to July 1, 1917; in Atlin mining division, to July 2, 1917.

Timber Sale.—Tenders for the purchase of timber license X717 will be received by the minister of lands up to November 8. Under this license may be cut 50,000 feet of tamarack, fir and white pine, 300 pieces of fir and hemlock stulls, 150 pieces of cedar poles, 1,000 cords of pole lagging, and 1,000 cords of cordwood, on lots near Castlegar, in the Kootenay. One year is allowed for the taking off of the timber.

Special Survey Costs.—The cost of the special survey of District Lot 172, made by Hugh H. Roberts for the purpose of correcting errors or supposed errors, has cost \$5,522, of which the surveyor's expenses were \$6,127.15 and the compensation to be paid to owners for loss of land \$2,695.28. Of these costs the crown pays \$2,287.68 and the owners in lot 172, \$7,244.32. The complaints against the special survey by the Valley View Land Company and others are dismissed.

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AN INTERESTING RELIC

Copy of Civic Address in 1872 Has Been Presented to City.

A copy of the illuminated address to Richard Lewis on his retirement from the mayoralty in 1872 has been secured and is on view at the city clerk's office. This is the object to which Alderman Walker alluded in council on Monday, as desirable to secure for the city archives.

The address recites the esteem in which he was held by his colleagues, and is signed by the members of the council. There are photographs of the mayor and councillors, six in number, and of the city clerk, William Leigh, the second to hold that office. They are excellently done and a credit to the photographic equipment of that day, when the art of photography was still young.

Richard Lewis was a member of the councils of 1862 and 1867, and of 1866, 1867 and 1868. He died in 1875.

FOR ANTI-UNIONISTS

Rev. R. A. Macconnell Represents Opposition of Victoria Presbyterians at Convocation

At the Anti-Union Convocation which is to begin its sessions at Toronto next Tuesday, Victoria will be represented by Rev. R. A. Macconnell, of St. Columba church, who was chosen by those opposed in this presbytery to the proposed church amalgamation. The convocation has been summoned for the purpose of formulating some plan to preserve the Presbyterian Church in Canada and preserve its identity and property from being merged in the proposed union church of Methodist, Congregational and Presbyterian elements. Four Presbyterian delegates went from the lower mainland, the number being limited from these western presbyteries owing to the heavy expenses of traveling such a distance.

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

Official Returns.—On the official returns so far in the aggregate vote cast in the province stands 37,910 to 17,738 in favor of the extension of the franchise to women, and 31,525 to 24,967 in favor of prohibition.

Courts of Revision.—The registrars of voters in the several constituencies of the province are giving the customary notice of the sitting of the half-yearly court of revision, opening in each case on Monday, November 29.

An Unusual Encounter.—Reginald Sargison was brought up in the police court this morning charged with an assault on J. T. Halford and was remanded on his own recognizance till Monday for trial. Halford is a private in the 143rd Battalion, C. E. F., and it will be alleged that the accused knocked him down when recruiting for the Bantams in a local hotel lobby.

Forbidden the Mails.—The post office department has forbidden the use of the mails to the Buffalo Volksfreund, a weekly published in German in Buffalo, N. Y.; to the Dakota Freie Press and the Neue Deutsche both weeklies published in the German language in Aberdeen, South Dakota; and to Der Staats Anzeiger, a weekly published in German in Bismarck, North Dakota.

Candy Day.—To-morrow, October 14, will be celebrated throughout Canada and the United States as "Candy Day." Everyone is expected on that day to treat themselves, their sisters, aunts and cousins to a box of the toothsome dainty they like best. To popularize the idea in Victoria, the local confectioners promise a wealth of nutritious dainties for the candy-lover's benefit.

Make a Start.—The first of the day classes for women under the auspices of the school board continuation classes will be held at Margaret Jenkins school on Tuesday afternoon next, the subject being dressmaking. The classes at Victoria West and Quadra schools have not filled out and therefore those who have registered for the other schools are invited to attend at the Margaret Jenkins building, which can be easily reached by street car.

Sale of Shrubs.—The Esquimalt branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society will hold a sale of valuable shrubs and boxes of fruit, supplied by Layritz Bros. Nursery, from the "Made in Victoria" exhibition. Stewart Williams is honorary auctioneer and will conduct the sale to-morrow at 11 o'clock sharp in the St. Seraphy rooms, Belmont House. The net proceeds of the sale is to be divided between the Esquimalt and Oak Bay branches of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Neighborhood Association.—The Glenenna Mutual Society of Falkland and Glenenna has been formed and granted a certificate of incorporation under the Benevolent Societies act. Its headquarters will be in Glenenna, in the county of Yale, and it will acquire from the trustees now holding them for the inhabitants of the district the mill and grounds at that place for public uses. The first directors are F. M. Downer, farmer, Glenenna, and A. J. Ferguson, farmer, Falkland.

Collecting Stamps.—One of the many activities for boys of the Y. M. C. A. this season is to be a club for collectors of Canadian and foreign postage stamps. No fee is being asked and boys under 18 years of age who are not members of the Y. M. C. A. are eligible to membership. The club has already been fortunate in securing the services of Tom Leeming, one of Victoria's ardent philatelists, who will meet with the boys. Any boy who is anxious to join can hand in his name and address to the boys' secretary at Y. M. C. A. or to Gerald Wellburn at Times office. A meeting for purposes of organization will be called at an early date.

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BILLIE BURKE HELPS GONZALES CHAPTER

Photo-Play at Royal Victoria Assists I. O. D. E. Fund

Patriotic motives, Billie Burke and great industry on the part of several of the ladies of the Gonzales chapter, I. O. D. E., were responsible for five of the best houses that the Royal Victoria theatre has ever experienced for an individual picture drama since the screen was first introduced at this playhouse. Two matinees, at 2 and 3.30 in the afternoon respectively, and three evening performances at 6.30, 8, and 9.30, were given before abnormally good houses. Particularly popular was that at 8 o'clock, when "Peggy" was followed with laughter and tears through her lovable mad-cap career in a dignified Scottish household by about fifteen hundred sympathetic citizens of Victoria.

The undertaking was launched under very able auspices. Between them the Gonzales chapter, I. O. D. E., and the Royal Victoria theatre will share the proceeds, and Mr. Denham, manager for the latter, met the ladies at noon to-day and settled the financial end of the affair to the satisfaction of both parties concerned. It was generally agreed that the activity of the numerous ticket-sellers had been largely responsible for the remarkable changes which the sale demonstrated, as something in the neighborhood of five thousand Victorians must have attended one or other of the performances during the day. The very moderate price of the tickets made their disposition easy, as few people were approached who were not able to pay the trifling sum of ten or fifteen cents asked for the seats. About seventy-five ladies handled the tickets, and in the week preceding the pictures there were few people who were not approached and asked to patronize an event which was being given in part for so very worthy a cause as the patriotic work of the Daughters of Empire.

Among some of the most successful dispersers of tickets, it was revealed in looking over the returns, were Miss Sayward, who sold \$12.65 worth; Miss Helmsken coming second with a sale amounting to \$9.50. Mrs. Genge and Mrs. Fraser came among the topmost also, with returns of \$7 and \$6.45 respectively.

Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Rowley, of the Gonzales Chapter, were directly in charge of the I. O. D. E. part of the arrangements. Mrs. Charles Todd had the disposition of the boxes, all of which were sold for the 8 o'clock performance, while the 3.30 and 9 o'clock performance came next. His honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Barnard were among those who patronized the latter entertainment, with a party from Government house. Other boxholders were Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. Flumerfelt, Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie, Mrs. Dugald Gillespie, Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Leiser, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. Butchart, Mrs. Little, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Rithet, Mrs. Charles Todd, Mrs. McDiarmid, Mr. Bapcock, the Misses Tolmie, Mrs. Burdick, Mrs. Bodwell, Mrs. Harry Barnard, Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Rowley, Mrs. Ker, Mrs. Neame, Newton Burdick, Mrs. Biggestaff Wilson, Miss Tate, Mrs. Savage, and Miss Wigley.

Altogether from the sale of the boxes at the 8 o'clock performance about \$32 was made. An additional source of income was the sale of post-card photographs of the popular actress, Miss Billie Burke, Miss Ker and another younger member of the I. O. D. E. finding quite a number of purchasers. Half the proceeds, as with the sale of the seats, will go to the Gonzales Chapter fund.

A more attractive picture could not have been chosen for such an occasion. As "Peggy," the delightful little Scotch American who deserted the stillness of a Scotch Sabbath by motoring pell-mell direct from the boat to her stern uncle's home at Kirkwood, Miss Billie captured all hearts. For the moment, from the young "meester," himself rapidly hardening into the undemonstrativeness of his race, down to the west-end bairns and the oldest and most toothless grandpa of the village, everyone was scandalized. But Peggy, artlessly enough, exercised her charms to good advantage, and within a short space won the hearts of the household as well as of the pastor and the village folk.

Quite the most charming part of this very pretty romance is the fairy story. Peggy, clothed in regulation mechanic's costume and seated on the step of her speedy roadster, gathers round her a number of the village children and tells them a tale of fairy princes, witches, and magic happenings which must delight every little person who goes to see the picture. One is really sorry when it comes to an end, so thoroughly enchanting are the glimpses of fairy-land and at last, of the angry witch swelling so with rage, that she is unable to get outside her own hut.

AT THE THEATRES

VARIETY THEATRE.

Sessue Hayakawa, the noted Japanese actor, who will be seen at the Variety theatre to-night and to-morrow in the Jesse L. Lasky production of "The Honorable Friend," written especially for him by Elizabeth McCauley and prepared for the screen by Eva Unsell, has long been considered by the fellow dramatic artists as one of the greatest actors on the screen. It was only recently, however, that he attracted the attention of the theatre-going public. This was accomplished

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Royal Victoria To-night

BILLIE BURKE in "PEGGY" Matinee, 2 and 3.30. Evening, 6.30, 8, 9.30.

when he was seen in support of Fannie Ward in the Lasky production of "The Cheat." Shortly after that, in answer to popular demand, he was starred in a Japanese story, "Allen Souls," and again repeated his success of the former production. In "The Honorable Friend," he has the role of a young Japanese in America, and it is said to be one of the most unusual in which he has appeared. Hayakawa is surrounded by a cast of distinguished artists including such distinguished talents as Tsuri Aoki, Raymond Hatton and Billy Elmer.

DOMINION THEATRE.

Miss Mable Taliaferro, the dainty Metro star who is appearing at the Dominion theatre in "The Snow-Bird," a "filmed in Canada Metro production," is without a doubt the most prominent of the young stars on the American stage. Her successes have dated since early childhood and she says that the greatest trial of her life is in her name—the fact of its mispronunciation being a constant source of worry to her. There has been much controversy regarding this, since there are many of the same name who pronounce it "Tollifer."

"My father was of Italian ancestry," Miss Taliaferro says. "Originally the name was Tagliaterra. In the eleventh century there were three Tagliaterra brothers. All distinguished themselves for bravery, but one was killed in battle. The king took a sword and broke it in twain, and knighted the survivors by the ceremony of the breaking of the sword in the name of Tagliaterra. In the fifteenth century their descendants emigrated to England, where the pro-

nunciation was corrupted to Tolliver. In the seventeenth century the family came to America. Many settled far south, in sufficient numbers to cause their neighbors to accept their name as they pronounced it. My father's ancestors were among the stragglers who settled further north, and their neighbors insisted on pronouncing the name according to its spelling, which in point of fact is more nearly true to its Italian origin. So I am called Taliaferro, as were my ancestors of the twelfth and thirteenth centuries."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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

Mrs. Morris, of Ladysmith, is at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

A. L. Johnson, of Port Angeles is at the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

R. D. Hoyt, of Portland, is a guest at the Empress hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

J. A. Kendall, of Port Alberni, is staying at the Dominion. ☆ ☆ ☆

D. C. Milligan, of Seart, B. C., is staying at the Dominion. ☆ ☆ ☆

Andrew Benson, of Chicago, is staying at the Empress hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

E. H. Clark is down from Shawngnan lake and is at the Dominion. ☆ ☆ ☆

F. C. Perkins and Mrs. Perkins, of Seattle, are at the Dominion. ☆ ☆ ☆

Mrs. Wilkerson, of Mill Bay, has arrived at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Capt. W. H. Pipes, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

H. E. Gilmore, of New York, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday. ☆ ☆ ☆

Mrs. Checke, of Cobble Hill, is registered at the Hotel Strathcona. ☆ ☆ ☆

William Cain, of Mayne Island, is a new arrival at the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Mrs. Brooke Wilkinson, of Shawngnan Lake, is at the Hotel Strathcona. ☆ ☆ ☆

A. S. McArthur, of Kamloops, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday. ☆ ☆ ☆

R. Blackwood-Wileman, of Quamichan Lake is at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

L. H. Fullagar and Mrs. Fullagar, of Kamloops, are at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Mrs. R. H. Lloyd, of Qualicum Beach, is staying at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Grant E. Sargent, of Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday. ☆ ☆ ☆

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Moore, of Seattle, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday. ☆ ☆ ☆

Sir Clive Phillips-Wolley is down from Soanens and is staying at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

A. S. Hood, of Rivers Inlet, has returned for the winter and is registered at the Strathcona hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

H. L. Fretag, E. Duncan and S. Fitzgerald, of Vancouver, are registered at the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Major and Mrs. R. H. Tupper have returned home to Vancouver from their honeymoon trip on Vancouver Island. ☆ ☆ ☆

O. Thielens and Mrs. Thielens and Charles Atchison and Mrs. Atchison, of Vancouver, are guests of the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

M. Vodrelsky and Miss R. Ospawat, arrivals on the Empress of Japan from Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel. ☆ ☆ ☆

Mr. C. Drabin, formerly pastor of the Lutheran church here and now of Monona, Iowa, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday. ☆ ☆ ☆

Rev. the Hon. T. R. Heneage left yesterday for Vancouver, en route for the Okanagan district. He will be absent about six weeks. ☆ ☆ ☆

John Barnsley, manager for the Union Steamship Company at Prince Rupert, after spending several weeks on business in Victoria and Vancouver, has returned home. ☆ ☆ ☆

Hon. Lorne A. Campbell, minister of mines, has returned to the city from the interior, where he went to investigate the coke shortage and its interference with the mining industry. The shortage has arisen chiefly through lack of labor, many of the men who would be employed as coke-pullers at the ovens having gone to the prairie for the harvest. With the return of the harvesters the situation is being relieved. ☆ ☆ ☆

TWO MESSAGES

TO TOMMY.

Dearest, when death is busy on the field, When stricken comrades fall, to rise no more, Think of the hour in which our love was sealed, "Till cheer you onwards till the strife is o'er, A call to arms—Ah, yes, I know 't is true, But there's another—sweeter—one in store— MY arms are open, waiting, just for YOU, And you'll come back, e'en dearer than of yore.

TO JACK.

Dearest, when you are out upon the blue, Or when the battle's roar rings in your ear, Remember one who always will be true— Who is thinking of you always, only, dear, Who knows how soon that welcome peace will come, When silent will be all this awful strife? Then I'll be waiting for you sailing home, To OUR home, Jack—for life!

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The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 12-5 a.m.—The barometer is falling over Northern B. C., and rain may become general during the next 24 hours. Dense fog prevails on the Straits of Fuca, Georgia and the Sound, also down the Coast to the Columbia river. Fair, mild weather continues in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday—Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy with fog, followed by rain to-night or on Saturday. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy with fog, followed by rain to-night or on Saturday.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 40; wind, calm; rain, 0; weather, foggy. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, foggy. Nanaimo (Entrance Is.)—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, foggy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, foggy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

perature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min.
Grand Forks.....	64	..
Penticton.....	62	..
Cranbrook.....	61	..
Nelson.....	60	..
Prince George.....	60	..
Calgary.....	60	43
Edmonton.....	60	49
Qu'Appelle.....	56	22
Winnipeg.....	54	30
Toronto.....	62	42
Ottawa.....	62	42
Montreal.....	58	28
Halifax.....	52	..

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday.

Highest Temperature.

Highest.....	43
Lowest.....	38
Average.....	41
Minimum on grass.....	33

Bright sunshine, 1 hour 24 minutes. General state of weather, foggy.

DEBT OR GLORY.

The married man to the war has gone. In the first-line trench you'll find him Enduring not to brood upon The things he's left behind him.

With dauntless brow he fronts the foe, As is his bounden duty, And whistles (pianissimo) "For England, Home and Beauty."

Oh, he is one of Britain's sons— No shirker and no shammer; But 'mid the thunder of the guns He hears the broker's hammer.

Ho yet may fall in the battle grim, Or live to tell the story, Perhaps he won't care which—for him It's either Debt or Glory.

Houston Stewart Chamberlain has now become a German; he's worked hard for his downfall.

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VICTORIANS FALL IN RECENT FIGHTING

Names of Local Men Appear in List of Killed and Wounded

The casualty list still increases in size and the returns show that Victorians are bearing their part in the conflict. A number of local men are mentioned in the lists which arrived yesterday and to-day and among them are the following: Mrs. Herbert A. Lawson, of 1462 Walnut street, Victoria, received a telegram yesterday reporting that her husband, Pte. A. Lawson, had been killed in action on September 26. Pte. Lawson, who was 39 years of age, was born in Bristol, England, coming to British Columbia 8 years ago, and to Victoria 4 years later, being employed here as a carpenter. He joined the 88th Battalion and left here with that unit last May. Pte. Lawson surrendered his stripes after reaching England in order to get to the front in a shorter time and was transferred to the 7th Battalion. It was just a month from the day he left England until he was killed. His wife and one child reside at 1462 Walnut street.

Pte. Ernest Robertson Elford, who is reported killed in action, is the youngest son of T. Elford, 1462 Stadacona avenue. He was a member of the 88th Fusiliers and left here with the 4th Battalion, transferring to the 10th



THE LATE PTE. E. R. ELFORD

shortly after his arrival in England. At the time he received the fatal wound he had been nearly a year in the trenches. Pte. Elford was born in this city 24 years ago, was educated here, and was a surveyor by profession. Two brothers are with the Shawngnan Lake Lumber Co., and two sisters, Mrs. Percy Brown and Mrs. F. Norris, live here.

Lieut. P. M. J. Blakemore, son of W. Blakemore, is reported to have been wounded in the leg in Delville wood and discharged as convalescent from a London hospital. He is now off on two months' leave in order to recuperate. This is the second time Lieut. Blakemore has been incapacitated, on the first occasion being gassed at Ypres. He is in the North Staffordshire Regiment and has seen previous service in the Boer war and also in Zululand. He has a brother in the 10th.

W. Crow, 364 Richmond avenue, has received a telegram informing him that his son, Pte. Archibald Alfred Crow, had been wounded a second time, and was admitted to the war hospital at Reading on October 5 suffering from a gunshot wound in the shoulder. Pte.



PTE. A. A. CROW

Crow, who is 28 years of age, spent about twenty years of his life in this city and was for some time a member of the real estate firm of Crow Bros. He joined the 2nd C. M. R. and left here on June 4 last year. He was first wounded in the right shoulder at Ypres and was admitted to No. 3 hospital at Boulogne on June 2 of this year.

Pte. Edward V. S. Blomfield, of this city, who left British Columbia with the 54th Kootenay Battalion, is in hospital suffering from gunshot wounds in the face. He is a son of the late C. J. Blomfield and is 36 years of age. He

was born in Toronto, and in that city joined the Queen's Own Rifles. Later he joined the Northwest Mounted Police and served in that body for several years. He has engaged in mining in this province and latterly in surveying. On his arrival in England he was transferred to the 30th Battalion and again to the 29th, with which unit he was serving when he received his wound. His brother Charles A. Blomfield, joined the 15th Brigade Artillery and trained with them at Petawawa, but was rejected at the final physical test on account of a defect in his sight. Miss Blomfield, his sister, lives at 676 Battery street.

Henderson MacKenzie, of 2730 Forbes street, yesterday received a telegram reporting that his son, Sgt. George MacKenzie, had been wounded. The telegram follows: "Sincerely regret to inform you that Sgt. George MacKenzie, infantry, officially reported admitted to No. 11 stationary hospital at Rouen, October 1, gunshot wound chest." Sgt. MacKenzie enlisted in October, 1914, with the 30th Battalion, and left here with that unit in February, 1915, going to the trenches in April of the same year. He had been on the firing line for just 18 months when he was wounded. He left here as a private and won his stripes on personal merit. He is 26 years of age, was born in Scotland, and had been in this city for the past five years. Previous to enlisting he worked at the carpentering trade. Besides his parents, who reside at 2730 Forbes street, Sgt. MacKenzie has a brother James in the Australian navy and another brother, Norman, on the Shearwater.

Pte. Alexander William Innes, son of A. S. Innes, of 540 Dallas rd., has been wounded in the wrist and legs, according to word received yesterday. He has been moved to a war hospital at Reading, Berkshire, and his wounds are healing. Pte. Innes is a native son, 20 years of age. Educated at the University school, he was a keen athlete and fond of all outdoor games and sports, and played for the first football team at the school. He left here with the 88th and was drafted into the 29th Battalion after he reached England, and it was with them he was fighting when he received his wound. He was very well known among the young people of this city and was deservedly popular.

Pte. Frank Wm. Henry Gloima, whose wife and four children reside at 35 Olympia Ave., James Bay, is at the Eastbourne war hospital, where he is receiving treatment for gunshot wounds. He came to Victoria about eight years ago from Comox where he owned a ranch, but he was originally from England. He left Victoria with the 88th Battalion last May and was with the 29th when wounded. In private life Mr. Gloima is a literary man, making his living chiefly from short story writing. He was at one time fiction editor for the London Daily Mail and shortly before leaving for the front was asked by the Selig Co. to write moving picture plays for them which he did. For several years he lived at Oak Bay.

Charles H. Lowe, son of Mrs. Ella Lowe, of Beechwood Ave., was wounded on September 23 and is receiving treatment at No. 4 base hospital in France, according to information received yesterday from England. He left here with the 88th Battalion and was drafted into the 3rd Canadian Pioneers, with which unit he was serving when he was wounded. He was born in New Westminster 34 years ago and was ranching in the Similkameen before coming here to join the overseas forces.

Pte. Francis Joseph Webb was wounded on September 25, according to information received by his father Charles N. Webb, of the Government Printing office. He is 23 years of age and is one of four brothers who are serving their country. He was a member of the 8th Regiment when war broke out and he once offered his services to go overseas and with his brother William was sent to Valenciennes to train. William Webb is now a sergeant and was with his brother when he was wounded. Pte. Webb was employed with Smith & Champion before enlisting for overseas service. Two brothers are in the 10th.

Pte. R. Crowe-Stevens, well known in this city, has been wounded in France and is now in the Middlesex hospital in London suffering from rheumatic fever and shock. He left with the 88th Battalion and in England was transferred to the 29th as a sniper, after having taken a course at the school of musketry with the 30th. He has seen some heavy fighting and one night in the middle of September was with several other snipers potting away at the enemy when an explosion blew him twenty feet in the air, and he landed in a crater, where he lay until morning. In telling of the incident he says he was "climbing to heaven, when the ladder broke." When he came to his senses he found himself in a clearing hospital and later was sent to London.

Gunner James Woodhouse, who was wounded on July 8, is now in a convalescent hospital in Audershaw, England. He left here with the first draft of artillery to leave this city.

LEAVE FOR ENGLAND

Draft of C. A. M. C., Now on Way, to Be Followed by Another.

The fourth overseas draft of the Canadian Army Medical corps from district No. 11, which left recently for Europe, include a number of Victorians. They were assembled here previous to their departure. Another draft will leave soon and applications are in order from those wishing to undertake the work. The following are the names of those who left with the British Columbia draft: Capt. H. J. Henderson, A. J. Thomas, T. H. Levey and H. B. Findley, Sergeants W. R. Strowger, J. B. Walker, S. Youlden and L. Douglas, Ptes. R. H. Speck, R. Clark, W. J. Bennett and J. B. Johnson.

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

RETURNED SOLDIERS COMING TO ESQUIMALT

Large List of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men

In the list of returning Victoria soldiers reported yesterday the name which was printed S. Cox should have been S. Fox. There were two telegrams received at the Convalescent home and the name was given differently in each. Recently about one thousand men landed at Halifax and distributed to the various centres from there. The list of those who are coming here but which are not residents of Victoria include the following:

Vancouver—Cpl. Verran, Ptes. S. Harrington, J. Shannon, W. Norman, W. Anderson, W. Giles, W. Harris, L. Anderson, G. Reid, S. Walsh, R. McKay, A. Harrison, and A. Brown.

From various points in British Columbia—Pte. J. Corbett, of Natal; Sgt. F. Wright, Summerland; Pte. G. Davie, Van Anda; Sgt. W. T. Clenge, and Lee-Cpl. S. Rennant, of Vernon; Pte. T. Hardy, of Cranbrook; Ptes. P. Ivens and W. Gunnitt, of Nelson; Pte. C. Webster, Ladysmith; Pte. G. Burge, Prince Rupert; Pte. C. Dickenson and Pte. J. Delamore, Fernie; Ptes. G. Drew, R. Curry, and J. McKid, of New Westminster.

CAPT. WALLIS RETURNING

Hero of Many Fights Almost Deaf as Result of Experiences.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wallis, of Quadra street, went over to Vancouver yesterday to meet their son, Captain P. R. M. Wallis, who is suffering from shell wound and is invalided home. He is expected to arrive here this afternoon. Capt. Wallis was stone deaf for a long



CAPT. P. R. M. WALLIS

time as a result of concussion, but his hearing has slightly returned. A delegation from the High school will meet him at the boat.

Captain Wallis left here in August, 1914, with a draft from the 6th Gordon Highlanders, being at that time a lieutenant. He took part in the fighting at Festubert and other places and was promoted on the field. Before leaving he was a student at the McGill college in this city, was keenly interested in the cadet movement and was one of the best rifle shots in the province. Captain Wallis is the first of the High school boys to return.

What Thin Folks Should Do To Gain Weight

Good Advice for Thin, Underdeveloped Men and Women.

Thousands of people suffer from excessive thinness, weak nerves and feeble stomachs who, having tried advertised flesh-makers, food-fads, physical culture stunts and rub-on creams, resign themselves to life-long skinniness and think nothing will make them fat. Yet their case is not hopeless. A recently discovered combination of assimilative agents has made fat grow after years of thinness, and it is also unequalled, judging from reports, for repairing the waste of sickness or faulty digestion and for strengthening the nerves. This remarkable preparation is called Sargol. Six strength-giving, fat-producing assimilative elements of acknowledged merit have been combined in this preparation, which is endorsed and used by prominent people everywhere. It is absolutely harmless, inexpensive and efficient.

A few weeks' systematic use of Sargol should go far to produce flesh and strength by correcting faults of digestion and by supplying nourishing fats to the blood. If not, every druggist who sells it is authorized to return the purchase price. Increased nourishment is obtained from the food eaten, and the additional fat that this people need are thus provided. D. E. Campbell and other leading druggists supply Sargol and say there is a large demand for it.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you, send \$1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine St., Montreal, and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper. While this new preparation has from reports given splendid results as a nerve-tonic and vitalizer, its use is not recommended to nervous people unless they wish to gain at least ten pounds of flesh.

"Why keep people out of the Zoo?" is the title of an article by Sir H. H. Johnston; we don't know, if their friends are quite willing to pay for their food and a cage.

"I told him he was no man, and he said neither was I," remarked a woman wittily, when she was asked by a policeman the latter part of her statement was accepted without question.



CHERNIAVSKY TRIO

Who will give a recital at the Empress hotel to-morrow evening at 8.15. The plan of seats is now open at the Gideon Hicks Piano Co. store, opposite the post office.



Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and highly readable. The longer an article the shorter its chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name of the writer. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

AFTER THE WAR.

To the Editor: After reading the Duke of Connaught's farewell message to the people of Canada it seems to me that what he thought most important for Canada was to have no immigrants in the future except those of British stock. After the war we may not get all the immigrants from the British Isles that we need. Where else, then, are we to look for our British immigrants? The United States has unfortunately no country to draw its future citizens from except foreign countries and we have their plight during this war before us as an object lesson. Unless then we are as fortunate as to have an unlimited supply of staunch British-born subjects to supply our lack; men of our own race who are now shedding their blood and spending their treasure to uphold the British empire and all it stands for; men who would cultivate our land both here and in the prairie provinces and increase the wealth of Canada enormously. Then if at any future time we were so unfortunate as to have to go to war again, we Canadians could present an unbroken front to the enemy without the fear or danger of alien-born British-subjects acting the traitor.

By all means let us get all the people we can from the British Isles, but, failing there, let us allow a certain number yearly of Sikhs to come. These men are brave soldiers and fond of agriculture. They believe in one God, do not practice polygamy nor allow child marriage.

Now that the women of British Columbia have something more than their influence to use, it is to be hoped for the sake of Canada's fair name that they may soon succeed in having the barrier removed that prevents the Hindus—who are here, some bringing their wives and families. No one who has the best interest at the empire at heart and who is actuated by Christian principles can or should object to it. A few of our foreign-born subjects may do object to the people of India coming here, but that only shows what a menace such as they are to our country. Consider what it would mean to our empire should India be alienated. Some might say that the people here are surely working for that very end, let us hope unthinkingly.

A. U. E. LOYALIST.

ORIENTALS AND AGRICULTURE.

To the Editor:—I am sorry to say I read the lengthy letter of a "Soldier's Friend" with a feeling (not usual) of disgust.

Since living in Victoria my people have taken some little interest for profit in cattle. The greatest care for the health of these animals was necessary, good food and clean housing, simply because if one died a certain amount of money needs to be expended to replace same.

"Soldier's Friend" states: "But if the land we live in is to be helped, some of these animals will, by our efforts, it is good to suffer; and that cheap labor for this may be conveniently drawn from China by regular low wages, and then we, as true, grateful patriots, hand over to our brave, cursed soldiers 'cheered farms' etc. After which these 'poor sufferers,' the Chinese slaves, the cheap cleaners, can easily be cleared out, in strictly just accordance to their 'desire.'" A beautiful Christian spirit, forsooth. At the Bible Society meeting of the Foreign Bible Society of the Y. M. C. A. the Rev. Dr. Miller spoke of the great demand for Bibles in Korea and of the general revival of religious work in that country. Britons never, never, shall be slaves. Belgium invaded, the German Hun must be driven back and punished for their cruelty to Belgium.

The poor, ignorant Chinaman must need be used for cheap labor to allow our soldiers easy access to the land. "Soldier's Friend" states: "That the United States' roads and great cities have been built up with rougher and tougher

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MEN One Hundred Recruits Are Wanted at Once 143rd Battalion C. E. F. This Battalion is to proceed overseas very shortly and wants one hundred men to bring its numbers to full strength. Enlist To-Day Every recruit enrolled hastens the day of departure. Apply to Recruiting Office, 143rd Battalion Corner View and Broad Streets

was an act of brutality which, with a multitude of other small matters, ended in the extinction of a brutal, corrupt and tyrannical government. This is the only good thing that has come out of the case. Mr. Lucas has gained nothing and lost much. The members of the Ministerial Union have gained in the knowledge that what they did was in the public service, and that they were the instruments of righteousness. But the smashing of the machine was a great public benefit, and the vulgar haste of Mr. Lucas in taking out those executions contributed to it and may claim part of the glory. The Omicra Herald, of Hazelton, says of the good land that is tied up throughout the North: Within two miles of Smithers, along

A CHALLENGE TO HERBERT BROOKS The Packing Department of the White Swan Soap Co. Defies the Man Who Escapes From the Steel Chest. Mr. Brooks: We have noticed that you have been escaping from a steel chest and we, the employees of the White Swan Soap Co., do hereby challenge you to allow us to construct a large and strong packing case from one-inch timber and use what nails we wish to, guaranteeing that none will be longer than three inches, into which we nail and bind you, so that it will be utterly impossible for you to escape. We intend to place the packing case together on the stage in full view of the audience to prevent any preparation on your part. This test to take place Friday night at the second performance. Awaiting your reply, Yours faithfully, EMPLOYEES OF WHITE SWAN SOAP CO. Brooks Accepts And Will Make the Attempt in Full View of the Audience To-Night -- At Pantages CAN BROOKS MAKE GOOD?

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Pedro, Oct. 12.—Str President arrived from San Diego to-day and proceeded to San Francisco and Puget sound. Steam schooners sailing for northern ports in ballast to reload lumber to-day were the str Willamette, for Portland, and the str A. M. Simpson, for Coos bay. The str Avon arrived from Willapa harbor with a lumber cargo. The motor ship Nuanu sailed for San Francisco to-day with a cargo of crude oil.

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—Arrived: Str Mukilteo, towing barge Charles Nelson, for Port Angeles; str Hyades, for Honolulu; str Yellowstone, from Coos bay; str Coronado, from Grays harbor; str Queen, from Seattle. Sailed: Str Windser, for Seattle; str D. G. Scofield, for Balboa; str Northern Pacific, for Astoria; str Mukilteo, for San Pedro.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 12.—Sailed: Str El Segundo, Klamath and Cellio, for San Francisco.
Pravet, Ore., Oct. 12.—Sailed: Str Great Northern, for San Francisco.
Tacoma, Oct. 12.—Arrived: Str Cacique, from Sydney, N. S. W., via San Francisco; str Fulton, from Seattle; str Itsukushima Maru, for Hongkong; str Thor, for the west coast.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 11.—Arrived: Str Lansing, from San Francisco; str Empress of Japan, from Hongkong, via way ports. Sailed: Str Governor, for Seattle.
Halton, Oct. 12.—Arrived: Str Crown of Toledo, from Seattle.
Cristobal, Oct. 11.—Sailed: Str Crown of Seattle, for London.
Yokohama, Oct. 10.—Sailed: Str S. S. beria Maru, for San Francisco.
Abukini, Oct. 9.—Arrived: Str Robert R. Hind, from Seattle, thence September 16.

Pisagua, Oct. 10.—Sailed: Str Caddo, for San Francisco and Vancouver, B. C.
Batavia, Oct. 3.—Arrived: Str Karlnoome, from San Francisco.
Seattle, Oct. 12.—Arrived: Str Spokane, Southeastern Alaska; str C. S. Holmes, Point Barrow, via way ports; str Governor, Vancouver, B. C. Sailed: Str Alameda, Southwestern, via South-eastern Alaska; str Fulton, Tacoma.

YOKOHAMA DAY LATE

N. Y. K. Liner Will Leave Port Tomorrow for Parts in Orient.

Running one day behind schedule the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Yokohama Maru, Capt. Terada, is posted to leave Seattle to-morrow forenoon and is expected to reach here about 5 p. m. to take on passengers and mails. She will embark about 40 steerage passengers at the outer docks. The liner will carry a full cargo for Hongkong and way ports.

FOG DELAYED CHELOHSIN.

Delayed on her southbound trip by fog, the Union Steamship Company's steamer Chelohsin berthed at the G. T. P. wharf at 12:45 p. m. to-day from Prince Rupert.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS					
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Protailaus	Brathwaite	6,118	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	Oct. 17
Nizara	Rolls	7,582	C. P. R.	Sydney	Oct. 19
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,869	Gt. Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 19
Dramatist	Harris	2,484	Balfour Guthrie	Liverpool	Oct. 27

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES					
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	For	Due
Yokohama Maru	Terada	4,019	Great Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 14
Tacoma Maru	Hameda	3,831	R. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 15
Manila Maru	Kobayashi	6,052	R. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 27

COASTWISE SERVICES					
For Vancouver	For Prince Rupert				
Steamer Princess Victoria leaves daily at 5 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal daily at 11:45 p. m.	Steamer Prince Rupert or Prince George leaves Wednesdays at 1:30 p. m.				
G. T. P. steamer, Monday and Wednesday, 1:30 p. m.	From Prince Rupert				
From Vancouver	Prince steamer arrives Sundays 10:30 p. m. Steamer Chelohsin arrives Fridays, 7 a. m.				
Steamer Princess Charlotte arrives daily at 2:30 p. m., and steamer Princess Mary or Royal at 6:30 a. m.	From Comox				
From San Francisco	Steamer Charmer leaves every Tuesday a. m.				
Str. Governor, Oct. 13	From Comox				
From San Francisco	Steamer Charmer arrives every Sunday.				
From Seattle	For Skagway				
Steamer Princess Charlotte leaves daily at 4:30 p. m.	Princess steamers leave Fridays.				
G. T. P. steamer, Sunday and Tuesday, midnight.	Steamer Prince Rupert or Prince George leaves Mondays at 1:30 p. m.				
From Seattle	From Skagway				
Steamer Princess Victoria arrives daily at 1 p. m.	Princess steamer arrives Tuesdays 10:30 p. m. Princess steamers arrive Mondays.				
From E. Angeles	For Holberg				
Steamer Sol Duc leaves daily except Sunday at 11:30 a. m.	Steamer Tees leaves on 1st and 20th of each month.				
From Port Angeles	From Holberg				
Steamer Sol Duc arrives daily except Sunday at 9 a. m.	Sigamer Tees arrives on 7th and 27th of each month.				
	For Clayoquot				
	Steamer Tees leaves on 10th of each month.				
	From Clayoquot				
	Steamer Tees arrives on 7th of each month.				

VICTORIA ARRIVED HERE UNEXPECTEDLY

C. P. R. Steamer Forced to Abandon Seattle Trip Owing to Defective Syren

With her syren out of commission, the C. P. R. steamer Princess Victoria, Capt. Hickey, en route from Vancouver to Seattle, abandoned the trip to the Sound port early this morning and put into Victoria to effect repairs. Taking into consideration the precautions always taken by the C. P. R. boats, which is an invariable rule, during adverse weather conditions, Capt. Hickey decided that it would be unwise to proceed in the thick fog with the whistle out of order, and acting accordingly, altered the course of his vessel and brought her to this port.

The Victoria sailed from Vancouver at 11 p. m. yesterday and early this morning, when she was in the gulf abeam of Victoria, her syren refused to work. The fog was very heavy and it was realized that it would be dangerous to proceed under the circumstances. The steamer reached here about 4 a. m. and throughout the forenoon the engineers were busily engaged in repairing the defective whistle.

In order to maintain the service from Seattle, the C. P. R. at once arranged for the dispatch of the steamer Ironquois, of the Puget Sound Navigation Company's fleet, to Victoria, this vessel arriving about 2 p. m. to-day. The Victoria was bound to Seattle where she was looked after by the company and are leaving this afternoon aboard the Princess Charlotte.

The Princess Victoria left here on schedule this afternoon for Vancouver. All other C. P. R. boats were operating on schedule to-day, according to a statement made at the local offices of the B. C. Coast Service. The skipper of the various vessels report dense fog in the Gulf and on the Sound.

MARIPOSA PICKS UP SHIPWRECKED CREW

Seattle, Oct. 13.—The entire crew of the fishing steamer Independent, which was wrecked on Middleton island Tuesday, are safe on board the steamer Mariposa, according to a dispatch received by officials of the Alaska Steamship Company from Capt. C. J. O'Brien, of the Mariposa.

FREIGHTER GOES ASHORE

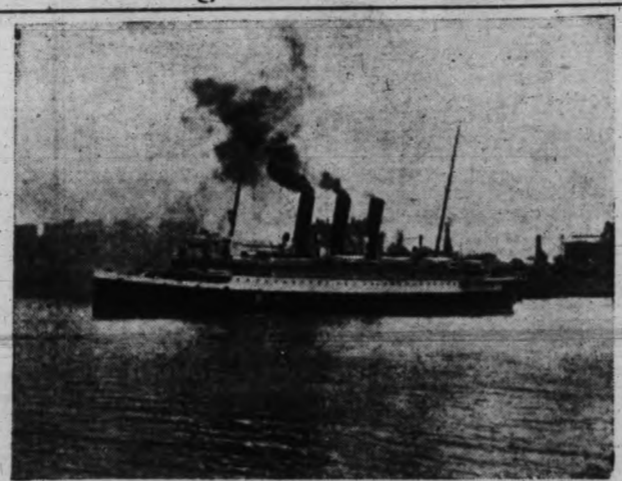
Itakushima Maru, Outbound for the Orient, Struck Bottom North of Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 13.—The Osaka freighter Itakushima Maru, outward bound with a full cargo from Tacoma for Oriental ports, went ashore at West Point, a sandy projection just north of Seattle, in the dense fog this morning, 40 feet inside the buoy. An attempt to pull the steamer off the sand will be made at 5 o'clock this afternoon. She is in no danger.

BOILERMAKERS ON STRIKE.

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 13.—Five hundred boilermakers at the Union Iron Company's plant in Alameda struck to-day following the refusal of ship fitters in the same plant to affiliate with their union. Ship fitters some time ago formed an independent organization with which the boilermakers are refusing to work. An agreement may be reached by night, company officials said.

To Inaugurate New Schedule



G. T. P. STEAMER PRINCE GEORGE

On Monday next the Prince George will leave here at 10 a. m. on her new sailing to Prince Rupert and Anxox. With her arrival from Skagway on Tuesday she completed her last trip to Alaska. Since June 12 last she has made nine round trips to Skagway and nine to Anxox, covering 30,900 miles without mishap.

MANILA CAME IN WHEN FOG LIFTED

Weather Obligingly Cleared Up to Permit Docking of O. S. K. Liner

Taking advantage of a break in the fog, Capt. W. Whiteley, local pilot, navigated the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Manila Maru, to her berth at the outer docks shortly before 6 o'clock last night. The big liner had no sooner warped alongside and made fast than the fog shut down again with greater density. Capt. Whiteley says the fog was as thick as soup in the Royal Roads.

After the Manila cleared from the William Head quarantine station yesterday noon, Capt. Kobayashi decided that the weather was too thick to attempt to make a landing, and under his instructions the course was altered and the midhook heaved overboard in a good anchorage. The liner remained at anchor until late yesterday afternoon, when the sun temporarily broke through the mist, leaving a clear course for the liner.

Earlier in the day William Allan, of R. P. R. R. & Co., agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, who went out to the Manila Maru the previous day and who was still aboard the liner when she became fogbound, had quite an experience.

It was essential that he get back to business within a reasonable period, so he accepted the captain's offer of a sampan, a flat-bottomed boat of the type usually carried in chocks, forward, on most Japanese liners. The sampan, manned by Japanese sailors, wielding long oars, with Wm. Allan sitting in the stern, put off from the ship and headed in the direction of Victoria. A little headway was being made in the wet blanket of fog when the sampan was picked up and halted by a launch with Thomas Goldsmith aboard, proceeding to William Head with supplies for the detained steamer passengers. Not wishing to leave a friend adrift in a sampan, Thomas took William aboard and transferred him to the pilot boat. The sampan went back to the ship.

The Manila Maru landed 278 tons of cargo at the outer docks and left at 3 this morning for Seattle and Tacoma. Her Seattle cargo amounts to 1,174 tons, while the through freight to be landed at Tacoma totals 7,463 tons. The raw silk shipment was valued at nearly \$1,000,000.

Eighteen steerage passengers were landed at William Head for bacteriological examination, and one first class passenger China ashore here. The through passengers numbered 3 first class and 116 steerage. All of the latter will be placed in quarantine at Diamond Point.

GOVERNOR SOUTHBOUND

Fair List Will Board 'Frisco Boat at This Port To-day.

With a large list of passengers aboard, the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's liner Governor, Capt. Thomas, is posted to arrive here on time from Seattle, and is expected to sail about 5 p. m. for San Francisco.

TUG STILL AGROUND

Red Fir Will Attempt to Salvage Edna Grace From Discovery Island.

STEAMER RAMMED SCHOONER IN FOG

C. S. Holmes Badly Damaged When Whatcom Crashed Into Her at Seattle

Seattle, Oct. 13.—With a sound of splintering timbers that could be heard all over the harbor, the passenger steamer Whatcom, inward bound from points down the Sound, in the dense fog yesterday crashed into the schooner C. S. Holmes, arriving from a 6,000-mile cruise of Arctic waters, damaging the port quarter of the sailing craft and crushing the guard rail of the Whatcom.

The fog was the worst experienced on the Sound this year and caused great inconvenience to shipping. Capt. John Backland, master and owner of the Holmes, said after the arrival of his vessel, that the Whatcom ploughed into the Holmes at full speed and that from the sound of the collision he believed his schooner had been badly damaged. Capt. R. Hansen, master of the Whatcom, reported to officials of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, owners of the vessel, that he was nearly stopped when he struck the port quarter of the Holmes, which he said was not sounding her fog signal, although it was so thick that it was impossible to see more than 100 feet.

Captain Hansen insisted that not a sound came from the Holmes until the Whatcom was within a few feet of her, when he heard a man on the deck of the sailing craft shouting to him. Officials of the Puget Sound Navigation Company said that the damage sustained by the Whatcom was slight. No one was injured in the collision and there was no excitement aboard the passenger vessel, they explained.

Capt. Backland said that the Whatcom struck his vessel a glancing blow or she would have been seriously damaged and possibly sent to the bottom of the Sound. The Whatcom crashed into the heavy timbers in the after part of the Holmes, tearing a large steel plate from the guard railing. The passenger vessel also caught a heavy tow line which was hanging over the side of the sailing craft, ripping it from its fastenings. Capt. Backland explained that the collision occurred about 300 yards off the pier of the Seattle Lumber Company, at the foot of Harrison street, while Captain Hansen described it as occurring half way between Seattle and Four-Mile Rock.

The C. S. Holmes experienced great difficulty in making her way up the strait from sea because of the heavy fog. She was delayed five days off the cape before passing in and was four days sailing up the strait to Point Wilson, where she was picked up by the cannery tender Margaret and towed to Seattle. The Margaret was on the starboard side of the Holmes with the sailing craft in tow when the collision with the Whatcom occurred.

After undergoing repairs the Holmes will load lumber, canned salmon, automobiles and other freight at this port for Wellington, New Zealand, under charter to Davidson & Co., of Wellington. Capt. John Backland, master of the schooner, expects to sail for the Antipodes the first week in November.

The Holmes brought furs and white-bone from the Arctic and canned salmon from the plant of the Kotzebue Sound Canning Company, on Kotzebue Sound. The vessel called at fourteen different points in the Far North, delivering supplies to government stations and to missions along the Arctic shores. She sailed from Point Barrow on her homeward voyage, August 27.

WIRELESS REPORT

October 13, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Fog; calm; 30.10; 42; dense.
Cape Lazo—Fog; calm; dense; 30.05; 45; sea smooth—Spoke tug Tree, 9.30 p. m., at Union Bay.
Pachena—Fog; calm; 30.02; 48; light swell.
Estevan—Overcast; calm; 29.92; 49; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Fog; calm; 29.90; 47; sea smooth.
Triangle—Fog; S. light; 30.14; 48; sea moderate. Spoke str Prince George, 11.50 p. m., crossing Queen Charlotte Sound, 10 p. m., northbound.

TOLEDO THROUGH CANAL

Bound from this port to Liverpool via San Francisco, the British steamer Crown of Toledo, of the Harrison Direct Line, arrived at Balboa yesterday and passed through the canal.

TIDE TABLE.

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24	1:45	15:45	9:18	11:45
25	1:46	15:46	9:19	11:46
26	1:47	15:47	9:20	11:47
27	1:48	15:48	9:21	11:48
28	1:49	15:49	9:22	11:49
29	1:50	15:50	9:23	11:50
30	1:51	15:51	9:24	11:51

British Columbia Coast Service FALL SCHEDULE, 1916

Princess Steamers leave Victoria 11 p. m. every Friday for Skagway, calling at Alert Bay, Prince Rupert, Ketchikan, Wrangell and Juneau. Steamship Princess Maquinna leaves Vancouver every Wednesday at 11 p. m. for Anxox, calling at Prince Rupert, Port Simpson and Alice Arm. Steamship Princess Beatrice leaves Vancouver every Wednesday at 11 p. m. for Ocean Falls, calling at Powell River, Campbell River, Quilts Cove, Alert Bay, Port Hardy and Rivers Inlet Canneries. Steamship Tees leaves Victoria 11 p. m. 1st and 20th each month for Holberg, calling at all way ports. On 10th each month to Clayoquot, calling at all way points.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY. Phone 174. 1102 Government Street

Canadian Northern Railway TRANSCONTINENTAL LEAVES VANCOUVER

9.00 A. M. SUNDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY, 9.00 A. M. SCENIC ROUTE BETWEEN VANCOUVER AND TORONTO. SHORT LINE TO EDMONTON AND PRAIRIE POINTS. NEW AND MODERN EQUIPMENT. ELECTRIC LIGHTED STANDARD AND TOURIST SLEEPING, DINING AND COMPARTMENT-OBSERVATION CARS. DAILY LOCAL SERVICE. 7.00 p. m. Leave VANCOUVER. Arrive a. m. 11.00. 9.45 p. m. Arrive Chilliwack. Arrive a. m. 9.15. 11.00 p. m. Arrive Hope. Leave a. m. 7.00. Full particulars may be obtained from any Canadian Northern Agent. City Ticket Office. Phone 4169. GREEN & BURDICK BROS. Cor. Langley and Broughton Sts.

EMPERESS LEFT AT NOON FOR VANCOUVER

Passengers Landing Here Report Dirty Passage Across the Pacific

After tugging at her mooring chains for 44 hours waiting for the fog to lift, the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Japan, Capt. W. Dixon-Hopcraft, B. N. R., left the Royal Roads shortly after noon to-day and shaped a course up the gulf, en route to Vancouver. She is expected to make her destination about sundown.

The Empress reached quarantine about 9 a. m. on Wednesday and after her steerage passengers had been subjected to a close examination, she proceeded, but was marooned in the fog between William Head and this port. Passengers arriving by the liner state that the Japanese quarantine doctor at Nagasaki refused to allow anyone to land at that port on the grounds that an infectious case was aboard. That fog is prevalent on the other side of the Pacific, as well as on this coast, is indicated by the fact that the Empress was delayed two days at Shanghai by thick weather.

In view of a delay of nearly two days here, it is hardly likely that the Empress will be in a position to sail on schedule for the Far East. She is due to leave Victoria next Thursday for Yokohama and Hongkong.

The steamer passengers carried by the liner numbered 54, while 50 Chinese were accommodated in the steerage. The same quarantine regulations at William Head require only steerage passengers from infected Japanese ports to be landed for bacteriological tests, therefore, the third class passengers aboard the Empress, who were all Celestials, were not ordered to leave the ship.

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, 11.00 per dozen.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

"Little stores become big ones by advertising in the newspapers—Little manufacturers have a still bigger chance to grow through the newspapers" Bill Wise

Loganberry Culture. Many inquiries are being made with regard to the growing of loganberries. Because of this interest Commissioner Cuthbert has taken up the matter and has arranged for the disposal of all berries grown next year, at a price not to be less than five cents a pound.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for: 800, 964, 998, 1151, 1181, 1188, 1288, 1289, 1342, 1355, 1358, 1467, 1477, 1524, 1584, 1684, 1686, 1697, 1859, 1618, 1627, 1635, 1639, 1648, 1657, 1699, 1723, 5786.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIAGONISMS—Fishes in not necessary to enable a man to swim in society. If he has the coin. Dugon Printing Co., 706 Yates street. Your initials embossed on any box of stationery in our store while you wait. Phone 1465. 015

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice, tasty lunch of four courses at the Vernon Cafe for 25c. Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies. Phone 1465. 015

COWPER APARTMENTS (new, unfurnished), Menzies street, near Beaton Hill and Parliament Buildings. Three and four-room suites, heated, modern and comfortable. Apply 210 Menzies, 015

CHEAPEST LOT IN TOWN—McKenzie street, Fairfield, near Linden avenue, 20x131; price \$500 cash, cost over \$2,500. Currie & Power, 1214 Douglas street. Phone 1465. 015

CORNWOOD—Best wood, lowest price, G. L. Walker, 2357. 015

FORD DELIVERY, with new body, price \$385, on easy terms; Ford touring car, with 1916 body, runs well, price good, terms easy; Studebaker roadster, good running order, any reasonable offer accepted; Winton Six truck, any reasonable offer; Wood Motor Company, Limited, 819 Rockland Ave. Phone 4890. 015

FOR SALE—Cheap, good parlor organ, also sewing machine, inquire 1069 Amphion street. 015

FOR SALE—Lawn rollers, 230 Florence, Willows. 015

THE RAMBLERS' CLUB of the Reformed Episcopal Sunday school will hold a sale of work and tea, in aid of the Sir John Kirk Haged School Union, at the residence of Mrs. J. D. Heineken, 915 Moss street, on Saturday afternoon, October 14, from 2 to 6. 015

SINGER SEWING MACHINES, all guaranteed, from \$7.50. At Ferris's, 1419 Douglas. 015

HAMMERSHOT, Douglas and rifles from E. Ferris, 1419 Douglas. 015

GRAM-PHONES AND RECORDS, 1419 Douglas, and save hundred per cent. 015

NICE DRIVING PONY, trap and harness for sale, or will exchange for good Jersey cow, must be good. Ferris, 1419 Douglas street. Phone 1878. 015

FREE RENT and use of store, centrally located, in exchange for answering phone calls. Inquire Box 1682, Times. 015

SIXTY CENTS AN HOUR for your plumbing repairs. Phone 1915. Standard Plumbing Co., office 25 Finch Bldg. 015

TO RENT—Furnished bedroom (private family), suit one or two friends, \$2 month, near town. Phone 3556. 015

OH! YOU HEAT PIE AND COFFEE, 15 cents. Try them. Piercy's Lunch, 629 Fort street. 015

WANTED—An experienced saleslady for furs and trimmings department. Apply in person, Gordons, Limited, 730 Yates street. 015

SONS OF SCOTLAND meet to-night, 8 o'clock, Foresters Hall, Broad street, Initiation. 015

STRAYED to 330 Robertson street, fox terrier puppy. 015

WANTED—The Merchants' Casualty Company of Canada wishes to engage the services of a gentleman who would like to make a permanent connection and make a good income. Apply 311 Union Bank Building. 015

LOST—Pomeranian Spitz pup, 4 months old, answers to name of "Bill". Please return to 245 Russell street and receive reward. 015

FOR SALE—Cheap, modern, six roomed house, completely furnished, Fairfield district. Apply Box 1682, Times. 015

MODERN FLAT, on sea front, furnished or unfurnished, close in; reduced rent, 12 Boyd St. 015

CITY MART, 136 Fort street. We have the finest selection of second-hand furniture, carpets, etc., in the city. Inspect our stock and compare prices. Furniture bought or exchanged. Phone 1433. 015

NATIVE SON KILLED IN ACTION AT FRONT

Major W. Irving Left Here With Royal Canadian Artillery

Word was received this afternoon that Major William Irving, son of Capt. John Irving of this city, had been killed in action. No further information is available. Major Irving left here with the first Canadian contingent in charge of a heavy battery of artillery and has seen a good deal of service in France. He joined the artillery about nine years ago. Previous to leaving he had a commission in the Royal Canadian Artillery and was stationed at Halifax, Quebec and Esquimaux. His last station was Esquimaux, from which place on the outbreak of war he transferred to the expeditionary forces and went away with the 1st Canadian Divisional Artillery, holding the rank of captain. He was a native son, about 28 years of age, and his father and mother and two sisters reside in this city. Last year in London he married Evelyn Hay, daughter of Archibald Cook, K. C. of Quebec.

LOCAL NEWS

Dainty and Pretty Halloween Party Decorations now being shown by Macey's Stationery Shop, 617 View street.

Guaranteed by Haynes—Means Haynes wants you to return your watch to him, if it is not absolutely satisfactory, after he has repaired it.

"Candy Day"—Oct. 14 has been set aside and will be observed all over as "Candy Day." Candy is becoming one of life's necessities. It is one of those necessities that is readily welcomed and even relished by all normally healthy people, not only by the young but by the old as well. Everybody likes candy, and good candy is a healthy, wholesome food—one that in more senses than one, sweeten life and adds to its pleasure and enjoyment.

"Candy Day" special K. Mixture, 20c per lb. This mixture is made from the best and purest ingredients—absolutely no substitutes or adulterates—that is guaranteed. Wiper's were awarded while in competition with the leading British firms 14 gold and silver medals and numerous diplomas for excellence and purity of their manufactures. Wiper & Co., 1210 Douglas street, and 607 Yates street.

English Mail In—Ten bags of English mail, which left London on September 29, arrived to-day.

Victoria Bank Clearings—The total bank clearings for the week ending October 12 totalled \$1,562,668.

Appointed a Justice—Louis Gilbert Fredette, Hudson Hope, has been appointed a Justice of the peace.

Public Market—Week-end market will witness a large attendance of producers and full lines of all seasonal produce. Saturday's market is expected to break previous records.

Esquimaux Police Court—Three youths were brought before Magistrate Jay yesterday afternoon in the Esquimaux police court on a charge of willful damage to the street signs. They were ordered to pay one dollar each damages.

W. E. Gilmore, of New York, who arrived on the Empress of Japan, is manager for the Standard Oil interests in Sebu and adjacent islands of the Philippine group. He is homeward bound on a vacation.

Dr. J. H. King, Cranbrook, G. G. McGeer, J. W. Weart and J. S. Cowper, Vancouver, all members-elect of the legislature, are in the city in connection with the count of the soldiers' vote. M. A. Macdonald arrived on the afternoon steamer.

Fleet Surgeon J. J. Gasperine arrived at the Empress hotel to-day. He regretted that regulations prevented him discussing the war. He states he is on a private visit, and while he has met some of the naval officers who are recruiting in Canada for the British navy, his visit has no connection with this delegation from England.

C. H. Sawie, editor of the Omineca Herald, published at New Hazelton, was in the city to-day for a few hours. The Herald is one of the few newspapers in the outlying parts of the province which have supported Liberal principles, and it has done splendid service in the cause, and is largely responsible for the result in the north country.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Malcolm Lamont, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison, dated 22nd day of September, A. D. 1906, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 27th day of October, A. D. 1916, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of October, 1916.

WILLIAM MONTREITH, Official Administrator.

COUNT COMMENCES OF SOLDIER VOTE

First Stage is Opening of the Bags and Distribution of Ballots

ONE COX BAG REJECTED SUSPICIOUS SEALING

Some Presiding Officers Neglected to Follow Instructions Given

Promptly at ten o'clock this morning the proceedings in connection with the count of the soldier vote commenced at the parliament buildings.

The stage had been set in the members' room in the west wing under the direction of A. Campbell Reddie, deputy provincial secretary, who by the statute is constituted the official in charge of the count, and who will make the final declaration of election of the successful candidates, and S. Banwell, of the provincial secretary's office, who has been assisting Mr. Reddie in the carrying out of the arrangements for the taking and coming of the vote.

There were a number of scrutineers and assistant scrutineers present at the opening when Sydney Child, returning officer for Victoria, who is in charge of the count for Mr. Reddie, explained the procedure which he intends to follow, this being satisfactory to all.

E. J. Bowden is the chief Liberal scrutineer; Marshall P. Gordon is chief of the government party scrutineers; Mrs. Powers this morning, and Mrs. Ledingham this afternoon, were present to represent Mrs. Gordon Grant, who is the chief scrutineer for the woman suffrage vote; A. R. Dingman, Vancouver, is looking after the interests of the prohibitionists; and James Hunter is watching the count on behalf of the Merchants' Protective association.

During the course of the day members-elect and ex-members who strolled in and watched the proceedings for a while were: M. A. Macdonald, Vancouver; Dr. J. H. King, Cranbrook; Henry C. Hall, Victoria; John Hart, Victoria; J. W. Weart, South Vancouver; Gerald G. McGeer, Richmond; J. S. Cowper, Vancouver; J. P. Shaw, the defeated member for Kamloops, who remained for some hours; Chas. A. Campbell, who was last evening re-elected president of the Vancouver City Liberal association; C. E. Patterson, Vancouver, secretary of the Provincial Liberal association, and others.

The bags and receptacles containing the ballots had been kept under lock and key by Mr. Reddie since their receipt here in the Oak room, the old members' room in the legislative wing. There was one arse packing case, which came from the eastern camps, several wrapped up in brown paper which had come from small places by registered mail, and the loose bags used in the camps in and about the city and Vancouver.

These were wheeled to the members' room under the watchful eyes of scrutineers of all parties, and were piled in an alley, where they would be under an eye of Mr. Child. In the centre of the room is a large table at which the count will later take place, and around the walls stand forty-one ballot-boxes, two large ones for Vancouver, two for Victoria, and one each for the other thirty-seven constituencies. The arrangements have been admirably made, and the convenience of all who have to participate in any way in the tedious task of counting the vote or keeping a scrutiny on the work has been thought of by Mr. Reddie and Mr. Child.

Mr. Weart made a formal representation to the presiding officer at the outset in regard to the ballots cast in the ridings of South Vancouver and Richmond. South Vancouver municipality is divided east and west of Fraser avenue, the portion to the west being in Richmond and that to the east in South Municipality constituency. His information was, he said, that the presiding officers at some camps, at least, insisted upon the voters who gave their address as in South Vancouver voting in the constituency of the same name, although their residence was in Richmond and some of the men who voted are on the Richmond list. He gave notice that when the count for South Vancouver comes on he will object to the acceptance of any envelope which discloses the address of the voter as being on the Richmond side of Fraser avenue.

There were 113 bags or receptacles to be dealt with of which eight were white canvas bags which were never sent out at all, not having been required. These were first examined by the scrutineers and put on one side, leaving 105 bags to be counted, all but one of which had been sent out from Victoria. The exception was the receptacle used at Niagara Falls, where one had to be made and was passed as good by all the scrutineers acting there.

One by one Mr. Child took the bags and slashed through the side with a sharp knife along the edge of the leather bottom, after all the scrutineers as well as himself, had been satisfied that the seals had not been tampered with. The topscap envelopes containing the ballots, and bearing on the face the voter's affidavit, were taken out, counted and checked with the presiding officer's slip enclosed in the bag stating how many ballots he was sealing up in it.

While Mr. Child was opening bags as fast as he could, with Mrs. Powers, Mr.

Bowden, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Hunter and Mr. Dingman looking on and examining the seals, his assistants, under the scrutiny of the assistant scrutineers for the several interests, were segregating the envelopes already taken out and placing them in the ballot-boxes to await the next and very important proceeding, the scrutiny of each individual envelope and the affidavit on it.

There was one bag rejected this morning, the eighth picked up, and whose would anyone think it was? Why, one of the bags that Captain W. J. Cox, of the Bantams, had had the handling of. It contains the ballots, or some of them, at any rate, that were cast by the British Columbia soldiers at Camp Hughes.

It was seen the moment that Mr. Child took it from the pile that it would bear close scrutiny, as the manila label provided for sealing over the orifice was flapping loose at one end. The label bore a note made in the provincial secretary's office to the effect that it had been received in that way. Beneath the loosely-hanging label was a scrap of white paper half an inch wide pasted over the middle of the length of the orifice, and secured with sealing wax at each end. Some initial was written on the scrap.

Possibly the label may have come loose where it was sealed and the bit of paper been put on by some one in whose hands it was as a measure of safety, but in that case the soldiers who are disfranchised will have to thank Cox's carelessness in sealing the bag for their loss.

The Liberal and other scrutineers were doubtful about the propriety of accepting the bag, but the prohibition scrutineer clinched the matter by objecting to its being taken, and so it was rejected.

There was a wide diversity of sealing of the orifice, although there had been pretty definite directions given as to how it should be done and, as stated, manila labels were provided to be sealed down over the opening. The bags filled at Sidney under the presidency of George Pirie had a narrow strip of white paper laid over the opening, seated at each end and along the middle of each side with a small dab of red wax. At first these were eyed suspiciously, as they were not properly sealed, but as there were no evidences of tampering they were accepted.

The James Island bag was sealed as if for all eternity, the label being almost hidden under a coating of wax. Another bag had three rows of small seal prints down the centre of the label and completely around the edges.

Just as the Rainbow vote was the first to be taken in all Canada, and also being the first vote ever taken under these circumstances, so the bag No. 7, used to hold the ballots cast there was the first to be opened this morning. Its 43 envelopes were taken out and found to tally with the slip as to number.

Two bags from Sidney camp contained, respectively, 72 and 66, and two from Victoria had 135 in one and 82 in the other. The Todd Hill bag had 16 votes in it and one spoiled envelope. There were 26 votes taken at James Island.

Immediately after the Cox bag from Camp Hughes had been thrown out another was picked up. This came from Petawawa camp, and was not sealed in the regular way. There was a bit of black tape, like nothing supplied to presiding officers from the department here, which was sealed down along the length of the opening very effectively. This created a doubt in some minds, but as it appeared to be the original sealing it was accepted, and the 143 envelopes inside distributed.

It is expected that the segregation of the ballots will be completed this afternoon, and then the various ballot boxes will be padlocked. To-morrow they will be taken one constituency after another, and the envelopes will be subjected to a careful scrutiny. As each one is passed it will be opened, the ballots inside taken out and dropped without being unfolded in the box to await the last stage of the proceedings, the actual count.

NO DEPORTATIONS FROM NEW YORK OR BOSTON

New York, Oct. 13.—The deportation of aliens from New York and Boston has been suspended by the bureau of immigration until the German situation is cleared up. About 400 foreigners, half of them Teutons, are awaiting deportation.

DO YOU IMAGINE

that your skin trouble is incurable because ordinary treatments have failed? If so get Zam-Buk and prove, as thousands of others have, that Zam-Buk is capable of healing after everything else has failed!

Mrs. Horgan, of 153 Manning Ave., Toronto, writes: "For eight months my little son's face was simply covered with sores. The pain and irritation were so intense that he could not sleep. He received treatment at a hospital, but it did him no good. Then I heard of Zam-Buk and commenced using it. It really worked wonders. The pain and irritation soon disappeared, and I could notice a decided improvement. I persevered with the treatment until now his face is quite free from sores and his skin is perfectly clear. I cannot be grateful enough for what Zam-Buk has done, and I shall never be without it."

Zam-Buk is equally good for ringworm, salt rheum, blood-poisoning, ulcers, old sores, piles, burns, scalds, cuts and all skin injuries. 50c. box, 3 for \$1.25, all druggists or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

BOARD OF TRADE

Recommendation Being Made Regarding Development of Natural Resources.

This afternoon the quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade is being held in the rooms on Easton street, with Charles H. Lugin presiding. The committee on trade and commerce are making an interesting report in which it is suggested that plans be made at once to develop the natural resources of the district with a view to providing employment for the soldiers when they return. The committee state that only a few of the men will care to take up agricultural work and that the timber,

ASK LEGISLATURES TO FINANCE PLAN

Newly-Formed Tourist Association Will Become Active

The provincial legislature of British Columbia and the state legislatures of Oregon and Washington are to be asked to finance the newly formed North Pacific Coast Tourist Association, of which Alderman A. E. Todd and Commissioner Cuthbert are respectively president and secretary, and the appointment has been made in the following ratio: British Columbia \$25,000 and Washington and Oregon each \$50,000, covering a period of two years. That is the scheme which has been arranged provided the support is forthcoming. It was pointed out at the meeting at Tacoma that inasmuch as the whole of the country covered by the activities of the association will benefit from the publicity, the only fair way to finance it would be from grants by the legislatures concerned.

President Todd, who returned yesterday afternoon, is very enthusiastic in regard to the new organization, and says that it should have been formed long ago. Discussing the meeting and its results with a Times representative this morning, he said:

"The meeting at Tacoma was the third to be held, those preceding being at Seattle during the months of August and September. The attendance was very large and practically all the districts were represented. Delegations came from as far east as Spokane in Washington and Hood River in Oregon, and south as far as Eugene. Six representatives were present from Vancouver and three from Victoria.

"A feature of the gathering was the frank recognition on the part of speakers of the fact that local jealousies have existed in the past and still do exist, and that in an organization of this kind clashes of interest are sure to occur. But while this was recognized it was made plain that these differences were going to be overcome, and any differences will be fought out in the meetings.

"A number of debatable points arose, one being the matter of representation and the other the financial contributions which shall be asked from each area. It was finally decided that representation on the board of directors should be equal for each area, British Columbia, Washington and Oregon each getting eight. In the matter of contributions, while Washington and Oregon states are to give \$50,000 each for the two years, British Columbia is assessed only half that amount. Some of the speakers thought representation should be on the basis of population or of the amount of money contributed. It was, however, a matter of gratification to the British Columbia representatives that while we were to contribute only half the amount we were given the same representation as the others.

"Another debatable point was the matter of location of the central offices. All the larger cities advanced strong claims for this, but it was admitted that, other things being equal, the selection should go to the city most obviously located. While this was the obvious opinion of the meeting, it did not go on record, but apparently this narrowed the contest down to Tacoma and Seattle. Early in the discussion Tacoma made a strong bid by offering centrally located offices free of rent as long as the organization remained in the coming session. Therefore, what I thought might be an important element for consideration—that at the last trial the panel, with the exception of two persons, was exhausted by challenge and standing aside before a jury was secured—does not arise.

"Apart from that element, the application, so far as the surrounding circumstances are concerned, is almost on all fours with the application made before Drake, J., in Regina v. Nicoll (4 C. C. I.) The only real ground set up in the affidavit filed in support herein is that the matter has been the subject of political discussion. The material filed in support of the application in Regina v. Nicoll was of much the same character.

"The contention in both cases was that owing to the political bearings of the facts to be investigated a fair trial could not be expected. The affidavit filed on the Nicoll application showed that the prosecutors were at the time the application was made, and had been, actively interested and prominent in politics, and that the controversy was political.

"In the face of the decision in that case I feel compelled to dismiss this application. Leave is given to make further application on further material."

No date has yet been set for the assizes here, although dates have been fixed in every other case.

FROM SAVANNAH.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 13.—The British steamer Noxa, whose sailing was delayed when there were reports of German submarine activities off the Georgia coast, sailed for Liverpool to-day with cotton.

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FIRE PRECAUTIONS AT CITY SCHOOLS

Inspection Shows That Some Teachers Regard Regulations Very Lightly

The report of Chief Davis on the fire equipment at the city public schools, as a result of the inspection of the last two days, will be critical in some respects. While some of the schools are well prepared to respond to an alarm, others are not and no fire drills are held.

What he particularly proposes to recommend to the school board is that the teachers shall be required, when the schools are emptied at a fire drill, to take their attendance registers with them and have a roll call in the grounds, so that it may be known whether all the children have left the building. When two schools were called out this week, a subsequent inspection showed that children had remained in the building, oblivious of the directions.

Some of the schools like the High school, George Jay, Burnside, Oaklands, Sir James Douglas and South Park, showed promptness of pupils in leaving the building, while the same applied to the North Ward school, but there a manual training room which offers the greatest danger from fire is located at the top of the building, and is therefore, in his opinion, a menace. Those schools which have the Gamewell fire alarm system installed are efficiently protected, he finds, while the greatest danger is in the old wooden buildings, where in some cases no fire drills had been held, while in others bells are used, whose noise is drowned in the voices of children during singing lessons. One school, it was found, used a whistle, but the whistle could not be found when it was proposed to call the children out. At George Jay he found that Principal Charlesworth had given the pupils addresses on fire dangers and the roll called on the grounds, but this excellent example was not generally followed.

The report, when it is presented to the board, will contain some interesting comments. During part of the inspections yesterday the party of officials was joined by Trustee Deaville, chairman of the buildings and grounds committee.

GOSDEN MUST STAND SECOND TRIAL HERE

Judge Acts on Precedent in the Nicoll Case, Decided in 1899

Robert Raglan Gosden will have to stand trial here for the second time on a charge of perjury. Mr. Justice Murphy having refused his application for a change of venue.

His lordship indicates that he would have given weight to the jury panel being the same as at the summer assizes if this had been the case, but as it was not he follows the late Mr. Justice Drake in the Walter Nicoll case—when the editor of the Province, then published in Victoria, was prosecuted for alleged criminal libel on the late Hon. C. E. Fooley and Hon. J. H. Turner. In the written reasons for his judgment his lordship says:

"It appears that there will be a complete new panel of jurors summoned for the coming assizes. Therefore, what I thought might be an important element for consideration—that at the last trial the panel, with the exception of two persons, was exhausted by challenge and standing aside before a jury was secured—does not arise.

"Apart from that element, the application, so far as the surrounding circumstances are concerned, is almost on all fours with the application made before Drake, J., in Regina v. Nicoll (4 C. C. I.) The only real ground set up in the affidavit filed in support herein is that the matter has been the subject of political discussion. The material filed in support of the application in Regina v. Nicoll was of much the same character.

"The contention in both cases was that owing to the political bearings of the facts to be investigated a fair trial could not be expected. The affidavit filed on the Nicoll application showed that the prosecutors were at the time the application was made, and had been, actively interested and prominent in politics, and that the controversy was political.

"In the face of the decision in that case I feel compelled to dismiss this application. Leave is given to make further application on further material."

No date has yet been set for the assizes here, although dates have been fixed in every other case.

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PORT HAMMOND WAS VISITED BY FIRE

Estimated Loss Caused by Blaze Early This Morning is \$75,000

Vancouver, Oct. 13.—Fire swept through the business section of Port Hammond, 25 miles from Vancouver, on the main line of the C. P. R., early this morning, causing a loss conservatively estimated at \$75,000, destroying the hotel there, the Hammond stores, the Bank of Hamilton, the B. C. Telephone Company's warehouse and several other buildings.

GERMANY FEARS TO ANTAGONIZE HOLLAND

Receding in Matter of Sinking of Dutch Steamship Bloomersdijk

The Hague, Oct. 13.—The Dutch government today received from the German legation a statement that implicit instructions had been given commanders of submarines to sink neutral steamships in no case unless the vessels could be destroyed in accordance with the German prize law.

VISCOUNT CLIVE DIES

London, Oct. 13.—Viscount Clive (Percy Robert Herbert), eldest son of the fourth Earl of Powis, died in London today from wounds received in action.

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GREEK CONSPIRACY NIPPED IN THE BUD

Plotters Unable to Mass Troops and Supplies Behind Entente Armies

London, Oct. 13.—According to the correspondent of the Times at Athens, a conspiracy existed in Greece to officer the Greek fleet with anti-entente sympathizers and to concentrate in Thessaly, in the rear of the entente armies, troops, guns, stores and material from Athens and elsewhere.

"To-day was a sad day for the Greek tars, who are insufficiently acquainted with politics to understand why they must abandon their ships to a foreign power," says the Reuter correspondent at Athens.

"The allies took every precaution in case of resistance being offered. Russian battalions trained their guns on the cruiser Averoff and the battleships Kilkis and Lemnos, while French torpedo boats, ready for action, cruised to and fro.

WOMEN HAVE EARNED THE BALLOT FULLY

So Declares Sir Wilfrid Laurier in Speech at London, Ont.

GERMANS MOVED FROM HALIFAX TO AMHERST

Prisoners Now Are Quartered at Camp at Latter City; Well Fed

Halifax, Oct. 13.—All the German prisoners who had been interned for months at the Citadel here now have been removed to the prisoners' camp at Amherst.

REGINA COMMISSION HEARS DEVLIN AGAIN

Regina, Oct. 13.—Edward H. Devline, member of the legislature for Kinsington, under sentence of three years in connection with the Brown road frauds, appeared again before the Wetmore commission this forenoon to answer questions relating to evidence given by J. M. Gallagher, a guard at the jail.

POLICE CHIEF CHARGED

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Warrants charging Chief of Police Healey with conspiracy and with malfeasance in office will be applied for by State's Attorney Hoyne. The charges are said to have their root in the chief's administration of law with regard to vice, saloons and gambling.

GERMAN STATEMENT

Berlin, Oct. 13.—The Roumanians have been expelled from a further portion of Transylvania and are being pursued by the Austro-German forces, it was announced officially today.

ENGINEER KILLED

Minneapolis, Oct. 13.—Engineer Frank S. Shepperd was killed instantly here today when the engine of passenger train No. 6 from Aberdeen, S. D., on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, left the rails at the city limits.

DRIVE BY ITALIANS HELPS ROUMANIANS

Cadorna Generously Launched Great Attack Fortnight Before He Had Planned

Milan, Oct. 13.—The new drive on the Carso plateau will relieve the Austro-Hungarian pressure against Roumania, Roumania's cause is dear to the hearts of the Italians, and popular feeling in Northern Italy at any rate, is waxing wroth over the seemingly excessive regard shown by the allies for Greek susceptibilities, while there is danger of Roumania being overwhelmed.

"Before the attack the Italian lines in the Gorizia valley were bounded on the east by the Vertobolza river. Then they ran in a southerly direction east of Sagardo and west of Loquizza, then behind Hill 202 and behind Villanova and north of Hill 208, then along the eastern slope of Hill 144, and thence forward in almost a straight line to Hill 85, directly east of Monfalcone.

PREMIER HEARST NOT BOUND FOR THE BENCH

Toronto, Oct. 13.—Hon. W. H. Hearst, Premier of Ontario, in an interview yesterday declared he had not been offered a judicial position.

ONE-CENT GAIN ON WHEAT AT CHICAGO

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Opening quotations for wheat were fractionally lower, but the market rallied during the course of the day to a point about one cent up from Wednesday's close.

BRITISH MADE GAINS SOUTH OF BAPAUME

Attacked in Direction of Bapaume-Peronne Road; Progress by French

London, Oct. 13.—The following official statement was issued last night: "This afternoon we delivered an attack on the low heights which intervene between our front and the Bapaume-Peronne road. We already have secured successes and captured a number of prisoners, which still continues."

NEW YORK CURE PRICES

Commodity	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat	102.15	102.15	102.15	102.15
Barley	102.15	102.15	102.15	102.15
Oats	102.15	102.15	102.15	102.15
Flax	102.15	102.15	102.15	102.15
Wool	102.15	102.15	102.15	102.15
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LITTLE BUSINESS AT COMMITTEE TO-DAY

Civic Undertakings Halted Till Return of Delegates to Municipalities' Convention

Owing to the absence of several members of the council, the meeting of the streets and sewers committee this afternoon will not develop much business of interest.

The former is inspecting seawalls on the continent, the latter looking into experiences of public bodies with cement roads.

The regular business of the committee will be short and will not occupy much time.

RULE OF THE ROAD

Chief Newspaper in Kootenays Calls for Change to Dominant System.

There is an agitation on foot in the Kootenays for a change in the rule of the road, and at the late convention of associated boards of trade of the province a resolution was adopted for presentation to the government.

"Success of a tourist resort depends upon the comparatively little things. A country with the finest scenery in the world and the most wonderful sporting attractions will never gain the full benefit of these advantages unless it has good hotels, competent guides, good roads and all the other comforts and conveniences that go to make the trip of the tourist an enjoyable one."

HELPED TO DESTROY ZEPPELIN; HONORED

London, Oct. 13.—The following official announcement was made here to-day: "The King has appointed to the Distinguished Service Order Aviator Second Lieutenant Walsby Joseph Templest for gallantry and devotion to duty in connection with the destruction of an enemy airship."



Dr. Chase's Ointment advertisement with text: 'BEAUTY OF THE SKIN is the natural desire of every woman, and obtainable by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment.'

EXPERTS HERE TO INSPECT SEAWALLS

Representative of the United States Bureau of Statistics Arrives With Party

Two interesting men in the city to-day are R. J. Wig, of the bureau of statistics of the United States government, and L. R. Ferguson, chief engineer of the association of cement manufacturers.

The former is inspecting seawalls on the continent, the latter looking into experiences of public bodies with cement roads.

Mr. Ferguson says that the growth of cement roads is one of the features of road building in the United States to-day, and will become increasingly a feature as governments and municipalities extend the principle of laying hard surface roads.

It is flattering to the city that the United States government should think the experience with construction work here of sufficient value to have experts examine public undertakings.

LUMBERING INDUSTRY IN THE PHILIPPINES

Prominent Lumberman Arrives on Empress of Japan; Mahogany Chief Export

Engaged extensively in the lumber industry in the Philippine Islands, Fred L. Wilson, of the Kolambagan Lumber and Development Company, at Kolambagan, Mindanao Island, arrived on the Empress of Japan yesterday and left again to-day for the south.

Mr. Wilson says the bulk of the cut in the mills of the southern islands is mahogany, which is very durable and makes splendid material for interior finishings.

"Our methods of lumbering," he said, "are in many respects similar to those in British Columbia, as we have a number of experienced men from the Pacific coast in charge of departments, but on account of the heavy weight of the best qualities of lumber it is necessary to use logs of heavier kinds to form rafts for the carriage of the more valuable timber. These rafts are made of several sticks lashed together with rattan and they are moved down stream by the natives who guide them with poles. The natives are very dexterous with these poles and logs are transported considerable distances according to the mills. The rules for lumbering laid down by the Philippine government are somewhat similar to those in force on this side of the Pacific, but are more stringent than the regulations prevailing in the Dutch East Indies. There are a number of lumber firms in Borneo and Sumatra who are able to compete with us very closely. One market to which we are all turning is that of Australia. The hard woods there lack some of the varieties which the islands off Asia can provide, and a recent exhibition of our product at an exhibition in Fremantle, Western Australia, was very flattering received."

THE NEWEST REMEDY FOR Backache, Rheumatism and Dropsy.

Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid troubles bring misery to many. When the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body. There follow depression, aches and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and limbs, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes forms into gravel or kidney stones. When the uric acid affects the muscles and joints, it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to try "Anurie." Send 10c for trial package.

"Anurie." Send 10c for trial package. During digestion uric acid is absorbed into the system from meat eaten, and even from some vegetables. The poor kidneys get tired and backache begins. This is a good time to take "Anurie," the new discovery of Dr. Pierce for Kidney trouble and Backache. Neglected kidney trouble is responsible for many deaths, and Insurance Companies examining doctors always ask for it. An applicant before a policy will be issued. Have you ever set aside a bottle of water for twenty-four hours? A heavy sediment or settling sometimes indicates kidney trouble. The true nature and character of diseases, especially those of the kidneys and urinary organs, can often be determined by a careful chemical analysis and microscopic examination. This is done by expert chemists of the Medical Staff of the Invalids' Hotel. If you wish to know your condition send a sample of your water to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and describe your symptoms. It will be examined without any expense to you, and Doctor Pierce or his Staff of Assisting Physicians will inform you truthfully.

Alexander Macneil, barrister of Fernie, president of the Liberal Association for that riding, arrived in the city this morning and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

ESQUIMALT RED CROSS CLEARS HANDSOMELY

Returns From Home Products Week Over \$1,741; Superfluties Branch Busy

The Esquimalt Red Cross has issued a statement of receipts and disbursements in connection with their various enterprises at the Home Products Exhibition held in the Hudson's Bay Building, October 2 to October 7. Counting donations totalling \$200, the income for the week from the undertaking amounting to the magnificent sum of \$1,741.78.

The following is the statement: Receipts for days: Oct. 2, \$121.38; Oct. 3, \$208.81; Oct. 4, \$270; Oct. 5, \$268.16; Oct. 6, \$237.75; Oct. 7, \$416.68; Oct. 10, boat raffle (Lang), \$25. Total, \$1,541.78.

Receipts in detail follow: Candy booth, Mrs. Musgrave, \$94.44; home products booth, Miss Dooley, \$146.40; M. Zurick (Mrs. Edwards), \$62.45; Panther exhibit, \$50.67; engine model and rugs exhibit, G. S. McTavish, \$16; Gaudeville, T. Watson, \$316.80; Jack Horner's case, Mrs. Bessette, \$145.67; fancy work and picture raffles, Mrs. Story, \$194.40; raffle re J. Morris rug, \$20.80; Catalillo cigars, sold, \$14.85; Kitchener's letter raffle, \$19; silhouettes, Mrs. Seeley-Smith, \$16.25; Nowater soap raffle, \$4.50; one-half sodawater sold, \$16.70; one-half raffle re Tray, Mrs. Crompton, \$2.50; raffle re steamboat (Lange), \$25.

Donations—Arthur Cole, revive Esquimalt, municipal donation, \$50 and life membership, \$25; P. Austin, councillor, municipal donation \$25, and life membership, \$25; H. Fitzherbert Bullen, donation, \$50; Henry Slater, C. A., Great West Permanent Loan, life membership, \$25.

The disbursement totalled \$126.90 and a cheque for \$1,614.88 was sent to Chas. Williams, Hon. Secretary Treasurer, Canadian Red Cross Society, Temple block.

The following gave their services without charge: Messrs. Hawkins & Hayward, electricians, wiring; Messrs. Drake Hardware Co., stoves and oil; Philip J. Teune, 218 Pandora Ave., loan of canvas and flags; chairs from Marants; No. 5, Mrs. Ker and Miss Mara, with whom N. T. Burdick, assisted by several helpers; No. 7, Mrs. Harry Barnard; and No. 8, Mrs. Bowser, helped by the Willows' Camp Chapter, I. O. O. E. girls.

Among the societies who sent helpers and took part in the collection were the Women's Canadian Club, the Daughters of St. George, the different chapters of the I. O. O. E.; the Girl Guides, the Women's Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the Red and Blue Cross and Returned Soldiers' Guild, and others. About one hundred collectors in all were out canvassing the city, and are remaining at their posts until after 9 o'clock to-night. As to-night is a late evening for the stores it is anticipated that many people will be in the city and will contribute until the last workers go in.

Mrs. Barnard was present at the headquarters helping the greater part of the day, and showed great interest in making the Victoria women's share to the gift to her royal highness as large as possible.

WOMEN AS DELEGATES TO CHURCH CONVENTION

St. Louis, Oct. 13.—A resolution was introduced in the House of Deputies of the Protestant Episcopal general convention to-day to give women the right to sit as delegates. This resolution, which would alter a policy that has prevailed since the organization of the church in the United States, was introduced by Robert H. Gardiner, of Gardiner, Maine.

George Gordon King, treasurer of the board of missions, reported that during the last three years the board of missions had received \$4,000,654, that all payments had been met, and that the reserve on hand was \$748,776.

More than half the mission receipts came from the parish churches, the contributions from this source amounting to \$2,246,312. The Sunday schools contributed \$569,456, and from legacies \$184,560 was derived.

This is the day of American missionary opportunity in the western hemisphere, the Right Rev. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York, president of the board of missions of the Protestant Episcopal church, told the delegates when he presented the report of his board at a joint session of the two houses comprising the convention.

VICTORIA WOMEN CONTRIBUTE TO GIFT

Duchess of Connaught's Prisoners of War Fund Helped by "Tag Day"

The women of Victoria are to-day having an opportunity to subscribe to the presentation gift to H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught's prisoners of war fund. The appeal was meant specially for women, as the gift is going to her royal highness "from the women of Canada. But the men of Victoria have been extremely generous, and although there will be no official division in the returns the contribution of the men will not be at all insignificant in the grand total.

A meeting was held earlier in the week by representatives of the various women's organizations in the city, and plans were then decided upon for the operation in Victoria of the canvas which is now in progress for the Duchess' gift from the women of Canada. Officers were arranged for in the empty building at the corner of Broad street and Trounce alley, and the Daughters of St. George spent yesterday cleaning out the premises and getting them in readiness for occupation as headquarters to-day. Mrs. Arthur Burdick has acted as convener of the "tag-day" committee, and has assisted her a corps of the ladies of Victoria, who are sparing no effort to make the affair the success that is intended.

The following are the district headquarters, with the ladies in charge of each: No. 1, Mrs. Dolis; No. 2, Mrs. Williams, with headquarters at the Empress hotel, and assisted by the members of the Red and Blue Cross and Returned Soldiers' Flower Guild; No. 3, Mrs. Rhodes, Belmont block, assisted by members of the Women's University Club, the Daughters of St. George, and the Daughters of England, and relieved from duty at the rooms alternately by Mrs. Hartman, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. Weller, and Mrs. Ferguson. Two nurses from the Jubilee Hospital helped on this section, and Mrs. York and Mrs. Rathum took sections of the "beat"; No. 4, Mrs. Collis, Grey's corps of helpers from the Girl Guides; No. 5, Mrs. Ker and Miss Mara, with whom N. T. Burdick, assisted by several helpers; No. 7, Mrs. Harry Barnard; and No. 8, Mrs. Bowser, helped by the Willows' Camp Chapter, I. O. O. E. girls.

The collection of the women of Victoria and Ottawa to-morrow will be presented to the Duchess of Connaught for the prisoners of war. Three small dogs helped out well with to-day's collection: "Peter," belonging to Mrs. Duce; "Caddy," belonging to Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton; and Mrs. Woodward's Pomeranian.

Messrs. Neame and T. Wright Hill helped the ladies very much by counting the money as the collectors brought in their boxes. The boxes, incidentally, were very attractively covered, and the arrangements for the window at headquarters was prettily arranged with maple leaves, a beaver occupying the central place.

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF RECRUITING OFFICER

Windsor, Ont., Oct. 13.—The authorities are carefully investigating what appears to have been a deliberate attempt to murder Major T. B. Balfour, a recruiting officer, at Amherstburg, on Thursday night.

The major was dining with his wife at the home of Levi Wright when a shot was fired through the window, just missing his head. He hurried out and saw an automobile driving away.

Two months ago Major Balfour, who has secured hundreds of recruits by personal work, was fired upon late one night while sitting alone in the barracks at Amherstburg.

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MANY MATTERS BEFORE MUNICIPAL DELEGATES

Suggestions Considered at Session of Convention at Vernon Last Evening

Vernon, Oct. 12.—A recommendation from the South Vancouver council that recall and councillors be elected on the recall system was turned down by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities at the session of its convention here last evening. Another recommendation from South Vancouver that power to begin the councils to fix standard weights of bread was adopted. A proposal from Victoria that permission be secured to allow the investment of debenture sinking funds in the purchase of a municipality's own local improvement debentures was not approved. In the discussion it was stated that although this practice is in vogue in Vancouver, yet it is a rather dangerous financial expedient.

All the railways operating in the province had been invited to send official representatives to confer with the convention on the question of limitation of railway property, but none accepted the invitation, so the matter probably will be threshed out with them before the municipal committee of the legislature at the next session. In connection with the treatment of tuberculosis the convention decided to recommend to the provincial government that provision be made for the construction and equipment of a building at the Tranquille Sanatorium for the treatment of advanced cases, and further that the whole institution be taken over and operated by the government as a provincial institution. At the same time the Dominion government is to be asked to pay the cost of treatment of all patients at the sanatorium who have not resided in the province for at least one year previous to admission. The convention will seek assistance of the various women's organizations throughout the province on this matter.

KNOWS ALLIES WILL NOT GRANT PEACE

Words of Dr. David, Socialist Leader, in German Reichstag

Berlin, Oct. 13.—Speaking in the Reichstag on Wednesday, Dr. David, the Socialist leader, said: "The chances for peace at this moment are small. Our enemies want no 'immature' peace before the annihilation of Germany. Restricted submarine warfare, however, will not hasten the advent of peace, but will further prolong the war."

"We understand German indignation against the British policy of starvation and against the British plan of warfare after the conclusion of peace. England invariably pretends that Germany was glad to go to war. Therefore the events of the final twelve critical days can not be described too often."

"On July 30, 1914, the world thought that it could breathe once more in peace. Sir Edward Grey and Prince Lichnowski (German ambassador and declaration from Berlin to Vienna on July 20, 1914) with the assent of the Russian ambassador at London, had found the formula for an understanding, thus: 'If the Austrian advance against Belgrade is stopped, the power shall examine in what manner Serbia can satisfy Austria's demands without compromising her foreign rights and independence.'"

"On the same day our chancellor telegraphed our ambassador at Vienna advocating a direct conversation between Vienna and St. Petersburg, and declaring that Germany would decline to be drawn into the world war if her suggestions were not heeded by Austria-Hungary. Vienna simultaneously accepted the formula of the understanding."

"This was the situation upon which the news of the Russian mobilization fell. England's guilt is thus an unresolvable telegram to St. Petersburg similar to that from Berlin to Vienna on July 20. Russia was sure that England would follow her."

Dr. David insisted that peace would come as soon as Germany's enemies understood the impossibility of annihilating her. Pointing out that not all Englishmen share the views of Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, and others who, he said, preach a war of annihilation and war after the end of the war, Dr. David emphatically repudiated the idea that Germany could be conquered by inner discord and indirection.

"Ours is a war of defence," he continued. "This binds us all together. We wish the re-establishment of independent Belgium—a Belgium Independent of Great Britain and France."

ROYAL STANDARD FLOUR advertisement with logo and text: '—is milled after our expert Analyst—in his scientifically equipped laboratory—has made thorough daily tests of the No. 1 Canadian Hard Wheat from which ROYAL STANDARD is milled.'

MUNICIPAL VOTERS' LIST, 1917 advertisement with text: 'Those desiring to qualify to vote at the next Municipal Election (in January next) either as: 1. Assessed owners of property held under agreement to purchase. 2. Authorized representatives of corporations. 3. Household, or 4. Licensees, may obtain the necessary forms for that purpose at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, who is authorized to take the necessary declarations. The time within which such assessed owners of property or representatives of corporations, may qualify as voters expires on the 30th day of November next, at 5 p. m., and that for receiving the declarations of householders and licensees is during the month of October, 1917. WELLINGTON J. DOWLING, City Clerk. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C. October 5, 1916.'

REPAIRS TO ROSS BAY SEA-WALL advertisement with text: 'Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to 4 p. m. on Monday, October 23, 1916, for approximately 1,600 (one thousand) tons of Rubble Pitching, to be placed at the toe of Ross Bay Sea Wall. Specification can be secured from the City Engineer. Tenders must be addressed to the City Clerk, and marked on the outside of the envelope, "Tenders for Ross Bay Sea Wall Repairs." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. WELLINGTON J. DOWLING, City Clerk. City Clerk's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C. October 10, 1916.'

Strathcona Lodge SHAWNIGAN LAKE advertisement with text: 'Offers special Winter Rates for week-ends, weekly and monthly guests.'

DENT'S GLOVES advertisement with image of a hand wearing a glove and text: 'You can buy Dent's Gloves at the leading stores, but be sure you see the name on the gloves, it is your guarantee of perfect style, fit and wearing quality. There is a great shortage of the finer glove making materials so more than ever it is to your advantage to INSIST ON DENT'S'

When in Seattle advertisement with text: 'stop with DR. R. L. THOMSON and H. C. BOWERS at the New Calhoun Hotel'

MORE PROGRESS BY BRAVE ITALIAN TROOPS advertisement with text: 'Rome, Oct. 13.—In the Pasubio region of the Trentino, Italian troops have taken strong Austrian positions between Sette, Crocia and Monte Rotte, says an official statement issued to-day. Austrian attacks in the same region were beaten back. Italian troops also have made considerable progress on the Carso plateau, where there has been heavy fighting during the past few days.'

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At the same time a number of boxes of apples, pears and plums will be disposed of.

The above constitutes the whole of the Layritz exhibit at the Hudson's Bay building last week.

For further particulars apply to Honorary Auctioneer, Stewart Williams, 410-411 Sayward Bldg.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co., duly instructed by G. T. Mercer, Esq., will sell by Public Auction at his Farm, at the corner of the Carey road and Glanford avenue, on Tuesday, Oct. 17, at 2 o'clock, the whole of his herd of Holstein Milch Cows (eight in number). Further particulars apply to Mr. Mercer at his farm or with The Auctioneer, STEWART WILLIAMS, 410 and 411 Sayward Block. Phone 1234.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT. MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The Voters' List for the forthcoming Municipal Elections is now being prepared, and the following classes of voters must furnish the following information to the Clerk before being placed on the Voters' List:

PROPRIETORS—When the assessed owner of real property is the holder of the last Assessment or Purchase Agreement, such owners, before having his name entered on the Voters' List must file with the Clerk before 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th day of November next, a declaration proving that he or she is the holder of the last Assessment to Purchase, or the last Assignment thereof, by the terms of which such holder or assignee is liable to pay the taxes and has paid the current year's taxes.

CORPORATIONS—Corporations whose names are on the Voters' List can only vote by a duly authorized agent whose authority must be filed with the Clerk before the 30th November, such agent shall be a resident in the Province and a British subject of the full age of 21 years.

HOUSEHOLDERS AND LICENSE HOLDERS—Persons of this class who are desirous of having their names placed on the Voters' List must, during the month of October, file with the Clerk a Statutory Declaration as prescribed by the Act.

Declaration forms may be obtained at the Municipal Hall.

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Albert H. Maynard Has Over One Hundred Historic Weapons

"Great guns! Little guns, big guns, short guns and long guns, cheap guns and expensive guns; what a display for the collection of firearms which has been made by Albert H. Maynard, of this city. Carefully he turns them over and tells of their particular points of interest, their merits and demerits.

Mr. Maynard has been collecting guns for many years, and he now has over 100 of them. Occasionally he uses one, for he is a sportsman, and his wife has a little 25 gauge Riley that she uses when she goes to the woods with her husband. For his own choice Mr. Maynard has a Wesley Richards which was once a breach-loader but which was converted to a muzzle-loader.

An interesting weapon is an old Hudson's Bay trading rifle, with the dragon mark of the company on the side. It is long in the barrel and was traded to the Indians for a pile of furs standing as high on the ground as the gun was long. It was once a flint lock, but was converted into a percussion cap style. There was a good excuse for making the barrel of that gun 3 feet 9 inches long, for every inch of barrel meant one or two extra furs.

There are rifles which were used in the American Civil war and others used by Indians in Custer's last charge. Another interesting historical relic is a short muzzle-loader with one of the barrels rifle bore and the other for shot, which was picked up on the site of the Hute Inlet rebellion after the massacre of Waddington's party by the Indians. It was found by a man named Bennett, and sold by him to Phil Hall, of the Hall saloon on Fort street, from whom Mr. Maynard acquired it.

The rifle that was picked up on the site of Custer's last fight is a Spencer repeater, and is said to have been taken from an Indian who had been killed with the gun in his hands.

The cavalry guns are considerably in evidence. One is a Japanese carbine with a copper breach, while among the long guns is a Kentucky rifle with a large bore, a muzzle-loader. Military rifles, too, such as Martini-Enfield, Snider, and a few German and Austrian weapons.

One of the first Winchester guns to be made in the collection. It was formerly the property of the late C. W. R. Thomson, owner of the Victoria Gas Co.

Among the oddities is a matchlock from the interior of China, the same kind as are used there to-day. It has a long barrel and the ignition is by means of a smouldering piece of hemp which, on pulling the trigger, is plunged down into a small bit of powder loose in the pan, and communicated by means of a small aperture with the charge of powder inside the barrel. Another oddity is a seven-shot rifle. It has seven distinct 22-bore barrels, in which seven cartridges are used, and all go off at once. It is almost like a miniature gatling gun. The bullets do not spread much and the result is that game is apt to be mangled considerably. It is also difficult to keep clean.

Something not often seen is a very high grade Fenton muzzle-loading shot gun without any socket for a ramrod. This type was used by rich people in England who always had a servant to do the loading, so that there was no need of carrying a ramrod on the gun.

Of the short pocket guns or pistols there is a great collection, including several Towner pistols with flint locks, and a number of Colt revolvers, as well as the old pistol that the late Captain Watrous carried for many years and which was sold at auction and purchased eventually from a second-hand store in the city.

Hammerless and triggerless pistols, cowboy guns, are to be seen, but one of the curiosities is a six-barrel revolver, which has the appearance of being a Colt revolver without the barrel. It was purchased at a second-hand store for fifty cents by a man who knew what it was, whereas the storekeeper thought it only part of a broken pistol.

Walkingstick guns and oddities of all kinds comprise a unique collection. The late Jack Fanning's gun with which he killed so many of the big game specimens in the Provincial Museum is there, as well as the gun with which the McLean brothers murdered Johnnie Usher and for which they were hanged at New Westminster.

One of the first guns Mr. Maynard ever used was a big horse pistol brought to this country by his father in 1859 and which he had acquired in 1862. He had it with him at the gold diggings on the Fraser river and up the Stikine in 1862. Mr. Maynard fitted up a stock for it and used it with which to learn to shoot when he was a boy. The stock was made of hoop iron and is quite unique.

Mr. Maynard came to Victoria in 1862, visited Cariboo in 1865, when only 12 years of age, and has for many years been engaged in business selling photographic supplies. He is also an expert naturalist, somewhat of a connoisseur and takes a great interest in everything which pertains to the early history of the place, and also to future development. He is proud of his guns, and will talk of them for hours at a time to anyone who is interested. Just now he is preparing labels for them so that their historic value may not be lost.

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FISHING CONCERN AT SIDNEY INCORPORATED

Will Take Over the Cannery Business of John Broder at North Sidney

The Sidney Canning Company, Limited, at the back of which is Port Angeles capital, has been incorporated to take over the business of John Broder at North Sidney. The head offices of the company will be in this city and its authorized capital is \$40,000.

A general fishing, curing and canning business will be carried on by the company, and it will also cultivate shellfish, manufacture manures and products derivable from fish-offal, and have other powers necessary to carry out these objects.

Other companies incorporated during the past few days are: Cypress Lumber Company, Limited, head office at Vancouver, capital \$10,000; Eagle Timber Company, Limited, Vancouver, \$25,000; McArthur and Harper, Limited, Kamloops, \$40,000; Trelawney, Limited, Vancouver, \$50,000; Weir Machinery Company, Limited, to take over the business of J. B. Weir & Co., Vancouver, \$25,000; Western Canada White Lead, Limited, to acquire the rights of J. P. Hodgson and F. P. King in the Eytan-Barrett process of corroding lead and other metals, Vancouver, \$10,000; Neah Bay Trading Co., Tacoma, is registered as an extra-provincial company.

SHIPPING COMMISSION RULES ARE APPROVED

Regulations Made for Meetings of That Body, and Fees Fixed

In this week's Gazette appears a schedule of regulations governing the meetings and procedure of the Shipping Credit Commission, which consists of H. B. Thomson, F. Buscombe, of Vancouver, and W. J. Gospe, deputy minister of finance.

The regulations are as follows:

- The head office of the Shipping Credit Commission of British Columbia shall be in the parliament buildings, Victoria, British Columbia.
- The regular monthly meeting of the commission shall be held once in each month, on the date and at the time fixed in the notice thereof to be signed by the superintendent or the secretary; and if no quorum be present, the meeting shall be deemed to be adjourned until 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of the next business day, and so from time to time.
- No notice of intention to introduce a resolution shall be necessary, and it shall be a sufficient method of introducing a resolution for a director to deliver a written or typewritten copy of the intended resolution to the secretary, over the signature of such director as introducer, and thereupon such resolution so delivered and signed shall be submitted for consideration and vote to the meeting of the commission then in session or at the next following meeting, or to such further or later meeting as the commission may direct and as convenience of business may allow.
- Full and accurate minutes of every meeting of the directors shall be entered in the minute-book, and upon being read and confirmed shall be signed by the chairman and secretary, and thereupon each set of minutes so signed shall constitute and be official and complete minutes and records of the business of the commission as therein set forth.
- It shall not be necessary to insert in the minutes the name of the mover, or the name of the seconder of any resolution or of the names of the directors voting for or against any such resolution, unless any director shall at the meeting request that such names be inserted. Any director may in respect of any resolution request that all names be set forth upon the minutes, and thereupon the secretary shall enter upon the minutes the name of the mover of the resolution, the name of the seconder of the resolution, if there is a seconder, and the name and vote of each director voting in respect of such resolution.
- Forms of application are given as approved for loans and for entry and register of a ship as entitled to subsidy. The fees payable are:
 - On the presentation of an application for a loan or for entry and register of a ship as entitled to subsidy, \$100.
 - For the examination and approval of the plans and specifications of a ship, and for superintendence during construction thereof on behalf of the commission, and for ascertaining the value thereof one-half of one per cent. of the ascertained value of the ship.
 - For preparing and filing each mortgage or instrument of charge in respect of any loan, \$10, and any actual fee paid to the registrar of ships.
 - Such further and other fees as may from time to time be fixed and prescribed by the commission.

ACTION IS DISMISSED

Special Jury Find for the Defendant Company in Twenty-Thousand Dollar Suit.

Having spent the afternoon in listening to addresses of counsel and judge, and then deliberated for some hours, the special jury in the case of Mrs. Joseph Tracy against Grant Smith & Company and MacDonnell, Limited, returned into court last evening at 7 o'clock with a verdict in favor of the defendant company, the finding of the jury's decision was in favor of the defendant company, the finding

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We were fortunate in securing for this big sale a manufacturer's entire line of sample caps, in colors pink, sky, navy, rose, paddy, reverse, canary, grey, black and white. Values up to \$1.50.

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Women's Vests, in natural wool, high neck and long sleeves. Price	\$1.65
Combinations, in fine weight cotton, same style as above. Price	\$1.25
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Children's Combinations, Vests and Drawers. All Sizes.	

Week-End Specials From the Bargain Basement

Women's Mercerized Messaline Under-skirts, full cut, with deep accordian-pleated flounce. Colors light and dark saxe, navy, rose, paddy, grey, cinnamon and black. Regular \$2.50. Sale Price **\$1.65**

Ladies' Heavy Jap Silk Waists, made of white Jap silk with convertible collar and trimmed with large pearl buttons. Price **\$2.50**

Another line in same quality silk with one pocket and trimmed with small pearl buttons. Price **\$2.50**

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