

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday, 1 p.m. Saturday, 9.30 p.m.

Big Sale Values Offered for To-morrow—Every Item on This Page Holds an Interest for You

Note the Money Saving Values in Women's and Men's Shoes for To-morrow's Selling—Every Boot and Shoe the Latest Model

Women's High-Grade Low Shoes at \$7.85.

These include all our "Queen Quality," selling regularly at \$10.00, and other best makes. Oxfords, with Louis heel, in patent, brown kid, brown calf, black kid, etc. Pumps, in brown and black kid and patent. Oxfords, in white buckskin. Oxfords, with military heels; in all leathers. These are strictly high-grade shoes, and are shown in all widths.

Women's Brown Calfskin Boots at \$7.85.

These are made in that favorite leather, beaver brown calfskin. They have welted soles and all styles in heels and toes. A strong walking Boot of high merit.

Women's Boots Clearing at \$5.95.

Black kid and calfskin lace Boots; low, military or French heel and welted soles. These are \$10.00 values. Brown kid and calf Boots. This line represents broken sizes in the best-selling styles of early spring. There are lots of them, however, and you are very sure of getting your size.

Women's Low Shoes, \$4.95.

These include the following popular styles: Brown kid Oxfords, French or military heels. Patent leather Oxfords; French or military heels. Patent kid plain opera Pumps. Brown and black calfskin walking Oxfords. White Reingskin Oxfords. At \$4.95 these are bargains you should benefit by.

Women's Pumps and Oxfords, Regular \$5.00, Selling at \$3.95.

Pumps in glazed kid and patent leather, either plain or "Colonial." Oxfords in brown calf, with military heel. Get some of these bargains. They are the best values offered on the continent to-day.

Fascinating Values in Ladies' Quality Waists

Silk Waists—In plain colors of white, black, navy, rose, apricot, maize and flesh. Made with round, square and V-shaped necks, trimmed with hem-stitching and tucks. Striped silks and natural pongee are represented in this splendid line, at a Sale price of, each **\$2.50**

White Lingerie Waists—Made of French voile, plain, corded, barred and novelty stripes. Dainty laces and tucking trim the various styles. They are offered in sizes 34 to 46. Regular \$4.30 and \$3.75 values. Sale price, each **\$2.50**

Satin Stripe Colored Voile Waists, with novelty collar and cuffs of white poplin. Regular \$4.50. Sale price **\$2.50**

Colored Smocks and Coats, middie styles, trimmed with white or contrasting shades. Colors rose, green and copper. Sale price **\$2.50**

Two Pretty Styles in Silk Waists, Selling at \$2.50

These Waist styles are shown in colored stripe of Copenhagen, tan and green on a white ground. One style has a "Peter Pan" collar, finished with black moire and silk ribbon tie. The front of the waist has two side pleats, which gives a desired fullness. It has long sleeves with turn-back pointed cuffs.

Another style is made with convertible collar and turn-back cuffs of white silk. This Waist has the same assortment of colored stripes as that mentioned above, and is very special value at the Sale price of **\$2.50**. —First Floor, View

Women's Slip-on Sweaters

Women's Slip-on Sweaters—In pure wool, sleeveless, and made in fancy weave and finished with cord and pom-pom. The colors shown in this Sweater are turquoise, Nile green, rose and apricot. Regular \$3.75. Sale price **\$2.75**

Women's Slip-on Sweaters—With sleeves; made from pure Shetland wool, in novelty stitch, with deep purling from waist-line, finished with cord and pom-pom, and presented in shades of melon, apple green, apricot and Paddy. Regular price \$4.75. Sale price **\$3.75** —First Floor, View

Men's High-Grade Boots at \$7.85.

\$10.00 and \$12.00 Boots—of the best makes—in all styles and leathers; new English lasts, in brown or black calfskin or "Vici" kid. Great values at the price.

Men's Fine Dress Boots at \$6.45.

Boots in mahogany and beaver brown, gunmetal and glazed kid. They are made in all the stylish lasts and in the wider toe conservative models. Genuine "Goodyear" welted, oak tanned leather soles, or fibre soles. These are the regular \$8.50 values. Selling now for **\$6.45**.

Men's Gunmetal Box Calf Boots at \$4.95.

These are "Blucher" or Balmoral styles, having a fine soft upper stock and "Goodyear" welted soles. Black only. A better boot at the price than any sale has yet offered. See them.

Men's High Cut Work Boots, Regular \$9.00 Values, for \$6.45.

"Leekie" make, 10 inches high; have chrome tanned uppers and double soles. One of the best values offered—sold till now at \$9.00. Get a pair.

Men's High-Grade Work Boots at \$6.45.

These are double sole, "Goodyear" welted Boots, in black or brown waterproof leather, with plain toes or with tips. They are leather lined or unlined and guaranteed best qualities only. They are made on easy fitting lasts and possess wearing qualities that are absolutely dependable. They are the regular \$8.50 values, but during the sale they will sell for **\$6.45**.

Men's Black Work Boots at \$4.95.

They have waterproof, oil grain or chrome tanned leather uppers, solid leather double soles of dependable quality. These are boots we unqualifiedly guarantee as to wear. Our regular \$6.00 values for **\$4.95**. Men, don't miss these bargains.

The Staple Department Offers All Grades of Bedding for To-morrow

Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Cases and Eiderdown Comforters taken from our regular stock and reduced in price for one day only, with the quantities limited.

Our Regular \$12.75 White Blankets Are Reduced to \$8.75 a Pair

Every pair guaranteed to be full size, measuring 64 x 84, and a good quality Blanket. Comes in pink and blue borders, with a cotton filling sufficient to prevent shrinkage and add to the wear.

Grey Blankets Reduced From \$3.50 to \$2.95 a Pair Suitable for single or camp beds, not being large enough for double beds. Medium quality, hard wearers and cheap at the price.

Ready-to-Use Sheets, Regular \$3.50, Selling for \$2.95 a Pair

These are easily the cheapest ready made Sheets offered for over fifteen months, and it will be a long time before they are offered as cheap again. Extra wide, measuring two and a quarter yards, and made from strong quality sheeting.

Pillow Cases, in the Plain and Hemstitched, Regular 40c for 35c Each

Pillow Cases, in the Plain Only, Regular 35c for 30c Each

Hemstitched Pillow Cases, Extra Good Quality, Regular 65c for 50c Each

Eiderdown Comforters, Regular \$16.50 Values for \$12.50 Each

Covered with a fine quality English sateen in pretty floral effects. Ventilated, quilted and panelled; size 6 x 6.

Eiderdown Comforters, Regular \$25.00 Values for \$18.50 Each

You would have to pay at least \$35.00 for the same quality Eiderdown that we are offering for to-day only at almost half the price. These are covered with a fine quality floral silk on the front with an interlining of cambrie to make them down-proof. The back of the Quilt is covered with a strong quality sateen; and they come in shades of light pink and blue only. On sale Saturday only.

\$1.00 Values, Selling at 50c. **\$1.25 Values, Selling at 75c**
Boys' Fine "Natural" Cashmere Drawers—Light weight, ankle length, suitable for the present season. There are about eighteen dozen without shirts to match, therefore we will clear them out at the following bargain prices:
Sizes 22, 24 and 26. Regular price, \$1.00, sale price, per garment **50c**
Sizes 28, 30 and 32. Regular price, \$1.25, sale price, per garment **75c**
—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Light-Weight Night-shirts, Reg. Value \$1.00, Sale Price 75c To-morrow

These Nightshirts are made from light weight stripe flannelette. They are just the weight for summer wear. Size 13½ only. Three dozen of these to sell to-morrow. Regular \$1.00, at each **75c**
—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Dark Blue Cotton Shirts for Engineers, Shipyard Workers, Reg. \$1.25, Sale Price, To-morrow, Each 89c

They are made in a good heavy weight, with turn-down collar, band cuffs, pocket and chain hole. Don't miss this bargain.
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Sale Values in the Hardware Dept.—Bargains in Articles You Use Every Day Buy Your Screen Doors Now and Save Money

Call and give your order to-morrow and get

\$2.25 values for	\$2.00	\$3.50 values for	\$3.25
\$2.95 values for	\$2.75	\$3.75 values for	\$3.50
Door Sets—Each	25c	\$4.25 values for	\$4.00

Sizes of doors run as follows: 2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 6 in.; 2 ft. 8 in. x 6 ft. 8 in.; 2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 10 in.; 3 ft. x 7 ft.

Be sure and measure your doors before ordering, as we do not exchange at the above prices.

Three Sizes in Screen Windows—Values to 40c. Sale price to-morrow, each 25c
Measure your window before ordering

A High-Grade Lawn Mower, Reg. \$8.25, Selling at \$6.50
Here is one of the best values of the sale. A Mower with three blades, ten inches long, a light-running, clean-cutting machine that will give the best satisfaction. Regular \$8.25 each; but we will sell them to-morrow at **\$6.50**

Garden Hose, 50-Ft. Complete With Couplings, \$6.98
This is our regular one-year guarantee grade—three-ply. There is about 9,000 feet to sell at this price during the sale.
—Hardware, Second Floor

Brooks' Baby Barley

Our stock of this is a large one, and in order to give you an opportunity of trying this excellent food for infants and invalids we are placing a quantity on sale at below present cost.

25c tins for **15c**
40c tins for **28c**
—Drugs, Main Floor

TALCUM

An antiseptic borated Talcum, in violet and lily, of the valley odors, put up in 1-lb. tins, for

18c

Note—See our special sale bargains.
—Drugs, Main Floor

Handsome Fashionable Quality Skirts, Selling at Each, \$25.00

These include the most beautiful styles of the season—and at this price are indeed bargains. Barronette, Satin Skirts, plain or embroidered. Georgette Crepe Skirts, finished with tucks. Crepe de Chine Skirts, some plain, others combined with Barronette. Skirts in white Crepe de Chine, combined with black Tricolette. The colors shown in these handsome Skirts are white, pink and Champagne.
—Mantles, First Floor

A Few Odd Sizes in La Camille, Bon Ton and Thompson's Glove-Fitting Corsets, Reg. to \$7.50 Values, Sale Price, To-morrow, \$3.45

These include models in front and back lace, made with low or medium bust, long hips and back. The materials are practically all brocaded and shown in colors of flesh and pink. Sizes 19, 20, 24, 25, 26 and 27.
—Corsets, First Floor

Ladies' Zimmerknit Bloomers Superior Value. All Sizes, \$1.75 and \$1.25

Made in fine lisle thread, elastic at waist and knee; colors blue and flesh. The very best value at the price.
Directoire Bloomers—Fine Zimmerknit and well finished; elastic at waist and knee. This is an extra special line. All sizes; in colors of flesh and white **\$1.25**
—Second Floor

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For the Best of Eatables at the Lowest Price

SPECIAL SATURDAY IN GROCERY DEPT.

Empress Marmalade, 4-lb. tins. Regular 85c. for 74c

SPECIAL SATURDAY IN BUTCHER DEPT.

Boiling Fowl, per lb. 30c Shoulders of Fresh Lamb, per lb. 38c Ribs of New Zealand Lamb, per lb. 28c Pure Pork Sausages Home made 35c

SPECIAL TO-DAY AND SATURDAY IN CONFECTIONERY DEPT.

Hand-dipped Chocolates, regular 60c per lb. 39c Assorted Fruit Jellies, regular 50c per lb. 39c Special, per lb. 39c

SPECIAL SATURDAY IN FRUIT DEPT.

Princess Brand Navel Oranges—These are all selected fruit. Per dozen 55c and 60c

GROCERY DEPT.

Bird's Blanc Mange Powder, per packet 18c N. W. Fancy Biscuit, at, per packet 14c Bird's Egg Substitute, per tin 18c George Washington Coffee, per tin 33c, 64c and 98c Bird's Egg Substitute, small packets, per dozen 45c Quaker Salad Dressing, per bottle 48c and 88c

Please remember that the Auto Contest is still on. The first correct estimate wins the Car and \$1,000 if the first correct estimate is on one of our Slips.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and Bunty's Hat

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Once upon a time Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy promised Baby Bunty, the little rabbit girl, who lived with Uncle Wiggily, to take her down to the fifteen and sixteen cent store and buy Bunty a new hat.

I think it would do your stiffness good to come in. However, we shall see. So Uncle Wiggily hopped on with the lively little rabbit girl, and soon they were at the—nineteen and twenty cent store, I think. You can look back and make sure.

Social Personal

Mrs. E. J. Palmer, of Chemalvus, was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John White, of London, Ontario, are staying in the city. Major and Mrs. Cleland, of Toronto, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Buttons are a detail, but the little touches make or mar a blouse. Note the beautiful pearl buttons on every D'Allard Blouse.

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16 STORES IN CANADA 1016 Government Street.

IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

VISITOR'S PRAISE FOR ORPHANAGE CONDUCT

Guardian of English Home Impressed With Management of Protestant Orphanage

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Committee of the Protestant Orphanage was held in April and May and excellent reports of the domestic affairs in the home were received. There are now seventy-three children in domicile and at present all are in good health.

The following donations for the past two months are gratefully acknowledged: Two hundred pounds sugar, 'Cloverdale'; 20 pounds sugar, Mrs. Nicholson; Sidney, cakes, sandwiches, jams and jellies, St. John's Church, Masonic Lodge; Miss D. Dunsmuir, Returned Soldier, Knights of Pythias, Mrs. J. W. Williams, Mrs. W. G. Cameron, Mrs. E. L. Higgins, Mrs. G. A. McTavish, Mrs. J. J. Dunsmuir, J. Nit Chapter, I. O. E. D. E.; Mrs. W. J. Lewthwaite, Equimult Chapter, I. O. D. E.; Mr. Hallwright, A. Friend, Mrs. Snowcroft; potatoes, Mrs. W. Todd, Mrs. Thornton; clothing, Mrs. Huelck, Mrs. Ward, Centennial Methodist Church, Mrs. C. H. Walker, Miss Johnston, Miss Braik, Fairfield Methodist Church, Mrs. Monica Davis, Mrs. W. G. Cameron; groceries, vegetables and fish, Mrs. Thos. Shotbolt, Mrs. G. A. McTavish, Mr. Hallwright, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Lawson, oranges, Mrs. Sayward; dripping, Mr. Ringland; books, Mrs. Calvert, Mrs. Burton; football, Fragments Football Team; records, Mrs. Minckler; \$5, Mrs. Lewthwaite; \$1, A. Friend; professional services, Dr. Holmes, Dr. Lewis Hall.

The Gift Centre.

Advertisement for Mitchell & Duncan Limited Jewellers, featuring Solid Gold Signet Rings and Cuff Links.

Miss Dorothy Turner will continue her musical studies.

Nursing Sister Grace Bruce recently returned from overseas service, and is in the city for a few days pending her discharge. Later she will return to Vancouver to take up her new duties in the hospital there.

The Victoria and District Teachers' Association will launch on its social career on Friday evening next with a programme dance at the Alexandra Club. The association has confined its energies to the holding of business meetings and the consideration of matters educational, but the members have now decided to inaugurate a series of social events to be open to the general public.

Appeal to Knitters.—The Red Cross Society is appealing to knitters to help fill the big demand for sweaters for the use of the sick and wounded soldiers in the local convalescent hospitals. The society has entirely exhausted its present supply of these articles, and as there is urgent and immediate need for them it is hoped that the many women who accomplished so much in the way of socks and sweaters during the war will again take up this work.

AN ALLY FOR MOTHER.

Little Elsie (after being punished) I think papa is dreadful. Was he the only man you could get, mamma? Edinburgh Scotman.

London Dry Goods Limited advertisement with logo and store hours.

Extensive Assortments of Suits Priced From \$35 to \$59.50



WOMEN who may be seeking a new Suit will be greatly assisted by our ample stocks. Suits designed along those smart, ultra-fashionable lines, which women of fastidious taste appreciate so much, are shown in serges, gaberdine, wool poplin, tweeds and jersey cloth.

Continuing the Sale of Jersey Cloth Dresses Special, \$35.00. A truly exceptional opportunity that would not have been possible had these been bought in the regular way.

Wool Sweaters, Slipover and Coat Styles

We now have a very complete showing of pullover sweaters in new styles and colors. Among the latter are apple green, melon, Paddy, hunts green, Nile green, rose, turquoise, saxe blue, maize, pink and white. Prices from \$3.25 to \$13.75.

Dainty Neckwear Smocks From \$3.00. Presenting new styles in very attractive colors. Just now would be a good time in which to make your selections—\$3.00 to \$6.75.

Jap Silk Waists Special, \$2.95. Serviceable Waists made in a number of smart semi-tailored styles. A splendid washing silk was employed in the making.

Ready-to-Wear Hats, Simple but Decidedly Smart. Popular models designed along simple modish lines. They are Hats that are much sought after for everyday wear, whether in town or country, driving or traveling.

Women's Fibre Silk Hose Attractive Values in Corsets Windsor Ties. Women's Fibre Silk Hose—In white, black, nigger brown, light and dark grey—\$1.00 pair.

Advertisement for Women's Fibre Silk Hose, Attractive Values in Corsets, and Windsor Ties.

Advertisement for Horlick's Malted Milk for the Home.

"The Island Home of Correct Fashions for Women."



Charming Styles in Separate Skirts

Skirts of the more serviceable materials—Serges, Tweeds, Mercerized Poplin and Fancy Wool Plaids—are the subject of an excellent display at Scurrah's this week-end. The distinctive styles, exceptional fabrics and moderate pricing of these Skirts will appeal to you strongly if you are contemplating a skirt purchase. Prices—

\$6.50 to \$11.75 and \$32.50

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AN ALL-RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT NOW

Union of Sections Under the
Omsk Government Being
Completed

Washington, May 8.—The strength of the Omsk Government has reached such a stage that a formal declaration made to-day by S. Ughet, Charge d'Affaires ad interim of the Embassy, begins:

"The hour which Russian patriots and democrats have been waiting for during long months has come at last." The statement indicates that the details of the establishment of the Government at Omsk as the All-Russian Government have been completed. Thanks are given to the Allied nations for the assistance given the new Government, and especially to the Czechoslovak Republic, whose soldiers stemmed the flood of Bolshevism at the most critical time before the Omsk Government could be organized. "Russia is coming back to life," concludes the statement, "and the near future will see her a great organized state built on broad democratic principles, with equality before the law for every creed and nationality. Russia's constitutional, social and national problems will be solved through the All-Russian Constituent Assembly."

WELLINGTON COAL INTERESTS AWARDED MORE THAN \$85,000

Vancouver, May 9.—A judgment for over \$85,000 damages in favor of the Wellington Collieries against the Pacific Coast Coal Mines was filed by Mr. Justice Murphy this afternoon. The trial of the case took place at Victoria.

The plaintiff company alleged that the Pacific Coast Coal Company had trespassed on to its property and removed a large amount of coal. The defence alleged that the boundary marked on defendants' map was not the true boundary, but made its main defence that the coal had been removed by permission of the late Mr. Coulson, manager of the Wellington Collieries.

SEEK AGREEMENT TO REPLACE MACY AWARD

Conference Between Capital
and Labor Representatives
Pending at Oakland

Oakland, Cal., May 9.—A conference between representatives of approximately 25,000 men employed in the metal trades on the Pacific coast and representatives of the shipbuilders and other large employers on the Pacific coast will be held in this city next week. The conference which has been asked for by the boilermakers and shipworkers in convention here, is for the purpose of drafting an agreement to replace the Macy Award agreement. One important item of the new agreement will be abolishment of piecework in Pacific Coast shipyards and boiler shops, it is believed, as a motion to this effect was adopted at both conventions. A resolution endorsing the Mooney strike proposition was adopted by the boilermakers' convention.

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EARLY START ON VANCOUVER HARBOR DEVELOPMENT WORK

Vancouver, May 9.—An early and definite start will be made by the Government on the work of developing the port of Vancouver along the lines suggested in the report of Harbor Engineer Swan, whose scheme will be continued until completed. Such is the intimation received by the Board of Trade this morning in a telegram from H. H. Stevens and S. J. Crowe, Vancouver members at Ottawa.

Conferences have been held with the Government and officials of the Canadian National Railways which were of a most satisfactory nature and these are continuing, according to the advices from the Federal members.

SAFETY FIRST.

Head of foreign trade office—"Where would you prefer to go as our agent?"
"Young Traveller"—Well, if possible, where the natives are vegetarians."
Pearson's Weekly.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING.

Vancouver, May 9.—The Melru Maru, the big 12,000-ton Japanese ship which came in ballast to Vancouver to get a cargo of steel rails for Vladivostok is expected to sail for the Sound on Friday.
The oil tanker El Lobo sailed south

Opportunity for Cultivation is Short



A Victoria Lot Producing Food for Family

204; Special, 13; Victoria West, 373. Total, 5,576, an increase of 381 over the enrollment of last year and of 52 of the enrollment last month.

MURDERS BY BANDITS IN SONORA, MEXICO

Douglas, Ariz., May 8.—Twenty-two mounted bandits last night raided the town of Cananea, Sonora, robbed a bank, killed five policemen and the city jailer and released all the prisoners there. The chief of police was among the officers killed. The bandits stole a number of horses and escaped to the mountains.

ON A CHERRY STONE.

It is remarkable how very popular cherry-stones have always been with people who aimed at breaking the record for minuteness—people of the type of those who write the Lord's Prayer, the Ten Commandments, the Beatitudes and the Twenty-third Psalm on a threepenny-bit.

Just imagine the labor and skill required to paint a landscape worthy of a minor Gainsborough or a second-class Constable on the flattened surface of a cherry-stone! Yet this has been done, and by a lady, too! Probably none but the fair sex would have the patience!

If one applies one's best eye to a big magnifying glass the landscape can be seen in all its detail. There is a windmill, the miller and his daughter, a cart, horse and man, several trees, one water-wheel and quite a lot of water. How's that for a cherry-stone?

But it has been beaten. Once upon a time a man set to work and carved the heads of 124 popes and kings on a single stone! The former could be distinguished from the latter by means of mitres and crowns, which were all visible even to the naked eye. But it must be confessed that to tell Plus IX. from Alfred the Great needed a microscope.—Tit-Bits.

WHERE MILLIONAIRES ARE BORN

Frankfort, the famous German town on the River Main, is the birthplace of the world's greatest millionaires. It is a wealthy commercial city and quite disproportionately famous in comparison with its actual size.

The Rothschilds, whose ancestral home is now the solitary relic of the once famous Jewish Quarter of the city; the Sterns and the Speyers in this country; the Kahns, the Kuhns, Loeb and Co. in New York, would alone suffice to make it remarkable as the birthplace of international financiers.

Even more extraordinary is the number of successful financial firms which had their birth or whose founders were born on the banks of the Main. The reason which is usually given for this seemingly strange coincidence is that the geographical position of Frankfort is such that a mixture of races is fostered, and that has been proved to be specially favorable to financial genius.

AUSTRIAN PEACE DELEGATES TO START FOR PARIS MAY 11

Basel, May 9.—(Havas)—The Austrian peace delegation will leave the Austrian capital for Paris on May 11.

NEW WESTMINSTER DEATH.

New Westminster, May 9.—Mrs. Eliza Cunningham, wife of George Cunningham, sr., a well-known and much respected resident of long standing, died this morning at the age of seventy-five. She leaves four sons, Major Tom Cunningham, George, James and Samuel, and two daughters, Mrs. R. D. Hendry and Mrs. Alma McLean.

Gains Bar to Military Cross.

Supplementing the Military Cross won by him in July, 1917, Capt. Francis Carleton Hanington, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hanington of Ottawa, formerly of Victoria, has now been awarded a bar to his decoration. The official report of the action leading to the award is contained in The Canada Gazette, and reads as follows: "For conspicuous gallantry and determination during the infantry attack following the capture of the Droocourt-Queant line, 2nd September, 1918. He used his battery into action in the support line until stopped by machine gun fire. Throughout the day he engaged hostile batteries, neutralizing at least two, besides taking on numerous targets of troops and transports moving in the open. Altogether he fired 1,500 rounds from this position. His coolness and skill did much to relieve the pressure on the infantry at very critical periods."

SCHOOL ENROLMENT SHOWS AN INCREASE

School attendance in the Victoria public schools last month showed a notable increase over that of April, 1918, and over March of this year.

The enrollment in the various schools was as follows: High, 653; Boys' Central, 415; Girls' Central, 468; Bank Street, 170; Beacon Hill, 137; Burnside, 239; Cook Street, 28; Fernwood, 71; George Jay, 429; King's Road, 133; Kingston Street, 200; Margaret Jenkins, 229; North Ward, 341; Oaklands, 393; Quadra, 261; Sir James Douglas, 453; South Park, 359; Spring Ridge,



FLEET FOOT FOR STURDY WEAR

Put the boys and girls in Fleet Foot shoes this summer. They can have two or three pairs of Fleet Foot for the price of one pair of leather shoes. The low price of Fleet Foot and their sturdy wear, make them the most satisfactory and economical summer shoes you can buy for children.

The Best Shoe Stores Sell Fleet Foot. DOMINION RUBBER

The Entire Stock

Right from a pair of laces to the highest grade shoe in the store is included in this gigantic clearance.

GREAT 10 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING OPENING

The door opens up to-morrow on a very much amplified stock of this spring's shoes. Read the items on this page, see whether you can afford to pass up such a golden opportunity—THEN ACT.

AT 10 O'CLOCK Saturday Morning

A great new lot of Nov-city and Plainier High-Grade Boots go on sale. These are mostly small sizes, but are value for from \$6.00 to \$9.00 a pair. At 10 o'clock till they are all gone.

\$2 Pair

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR THE GIRLS

A fine quality "Fleet-Foot" with 6-inch top and very low quarter heel. This is a very special price on this shoe. Everybody's buying this kind. To-morrow's price **\$1.98**

STEWART

is forced to realize on a great part of the stock, and will be satisfied with simply cost price, plus necessary expenses. See these snaps.

Pumps

Half a dozen styles, all new; in patent. All sizes in this lot. Smart heels. **\$3.30**

LADIES' WHITE CANVAS PUMPS

Some with bows, some with buckles. These are value for \$3.00 to \$3.50 a pair. See the windows for these. **\$1.45**

Neolin for the Boys

A dandy Black Calf Boot, with genuine Neolin soles. Sizes 11 to 5. Worth \$5.50 or \$6.00 a pair. Boys, get busy. **\$3.45**

NOTE THE PLACE

STEWART

1321 Douglas Street Near Johnson

MEN!

Here's a bargain for you. All sizes, in a strong black muleh'd Boot, as shown. Has solid leather soles, sewn and screwed, and is one of the best values we ever saw. Worth \$4.50 a pair. To-morrow, pair **\$2.90**

BOYS' RUNNING SHOES

These come in all sizes to 5s, represent a special buy in the famous FLEETFOOT Shoes and are real money-savers. Pair **\$1.00**

LADIES' WHITE REINSKIN OXFORDS

Go on sale. All sizes. A lovely Shoe. Worth \$4.00 a pair. Stewart's price **\$2.45**

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COMMISSIONAIRES CORPS TO BE FORMED Comrades of Great War Follow Up Suggestions Made Following up suggestions made by a bank manager President R. M. King and Secretary H. E. Sutherland, of the Comrades of the Great War, have prepared plans to submit to the Executive for formation of a Commissionaires Corps...

PLANNING WELCOME FOR COLONEL PECK Date is Uncertain Yet When Hero Member of Parliament Will Reach Here At the present time it is uncertain when the Victoria members of the Empire of Britain party, who formed part of the Canadian Scottish Battalion demobilized at Winnipeg will arrive here...

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The WEATHER Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Temperature. Max. Min. Barkerville 68 50 Portland, Ore. 72 50 Seattle 62 50 San Francisco 55 50 Cranbrook 52 50 Pentlcton 75 50 Grand Forks 73 50 Nelson 70 50 Calgary 70 50 Edmonton 70 50 Qu'Appelle 60 50 Winnipeg 60 50

LEMON JUICE FOR FRECKLES Girls! Make beauty lotion for a few cents—Try It! Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

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WELL-EQUIPPED PLANT HAS OPENED IN CITY With an equipment of the most modern and expensive machinery Stapledon and Carter have opened a large machine shop at premises on the corner of Broad Street and Pandora Avenue. The reputation of a wide circle of business men is evidenced by the fact that so far the new establishment, though possessing a large staff, has to remain open at nights to attend to the volume of work which has accumulated. In fact such has been the demand that it is intended in the near future to install a lathe which will probably excel any in the city.

Clearance Sale of Samples FOUR DAYS ONLY, COMMENCING MONDAY, MAY 12th, AT 9 A. M. Including Chinaware, Vacuum Bottles, Fancy Goods, Silk Handkerchiefs, Dolls, Jewellery, Grips, Groceries, Handbags, Hardware And useful articles of every description for everybody, at less than wholesale prices. DIRECT SUPPLY ASSOCIATION Cor. Fort and Langley Streets, Opposite B. C. Electric Co.

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NEXT WEEK'S SALES

Messrs Stewart Williams & Co.
Duly instructed will sell by Public Auction on
TUESDAY, MAY 13
At 2 o'clock, at 42 Linden Avenue, Old and Modern Furniture and Effects, on

NIAGARA'S GUNS MAY BE FITTED ABOARD COAST PATROL SHIPS

Vancouver, May 9.—Two twelve-pound guns, with 200 rounds of ammunition soon will be resting on the waterfront awaiting disposal by the Government. They are the guns which have been on the S.S. Niagara of the Canadian-Australian Line during the war.

WIRELESS REPORT

May 9, 8 a.m.
Point Grey—Cloudy; W. strong; 29.97; 48; sea rough.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 29.97; 48; sea smooth.

NEW SAILING TIME FOR ADMIRAL LINERS

Governor and President to Leave Here Saturday for 'Frisco and Wilmington

Effective next week the liners Governor and President, of the Admiral Line, will be operated on a new schedule between Victoria and San Francisco.
The object of the change, according to an announcement made by R. P. Rithet & Co., is to have the steamships reach the Golden Gate port at daylight instead of during the night.

NEW YORK CONCERN BUYS COUGHLAN SHIPS

Steel 8,800-Tonners War Convoy and War Cavalry Involved in Transfer
The 8,800-ton steamships War Convoy and War Cavalry built at the False Creek yard of John Coughlan and Sons to the order of the Imperial Munitions Board, it is reported here, have been sold to New York interests.

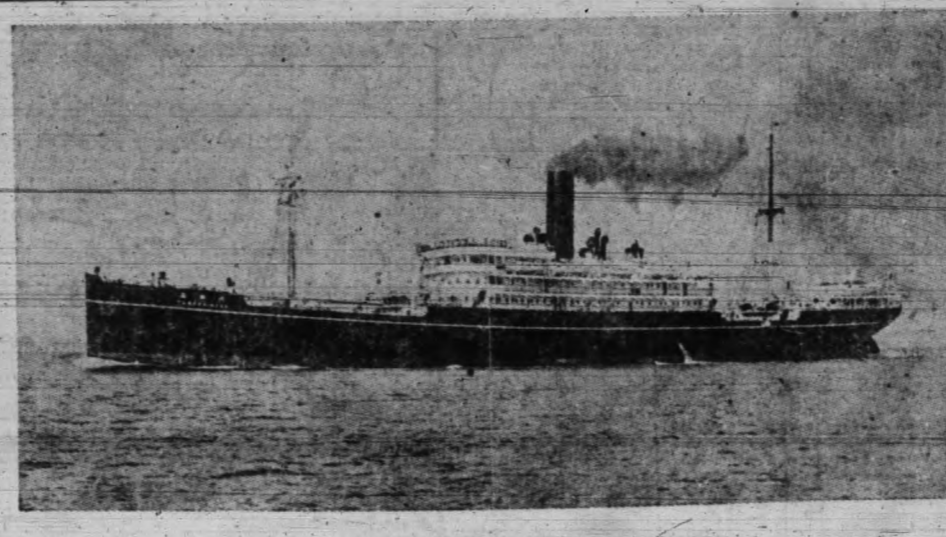
DINNER AT EMPRESS IN CELEBRATION OF SCHOONER LAUNCHING

In celebration of the launching of the Norwegian schooner Gunn at the Choberg yard yesterday, Capt. H. C. Hansen, shipowner of Porsgrund, Norway, gave a dinner party at the Empress Hotel last night.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

BRITISH COLUMBIA.
(61) Canadian List of Lights and Fog Signals—New Edition.
A list of all the lights and fog signals on the Pacific Coast of the Dominion of Canada, corrected to April 1, 1919, has just been published.

LEAVES WITH RED CROSS MISSION TO-DAY



S.S. FUSHIMI MARU

AIDED BY MONTEAGLE

Cannery Barque Levi G. Burgess, distress signals from which were answered by the C. P. O. S. liner Monteagle about 500 miles outside of Cape Flattery last Saturday, Capt. Bolton of the sailing vessel, was found to be ill and in need of medical supplies. This picture was taken from the deck of the Monteagle showing the Levi G. Burgess hove-to.

TOURIST TRAVEL TO ALASKA BEGINS

Bookings and Inquiries Indicate Rush of Business to North Shortly
Seattle, May 8.—With the sending of hundreds of workmen into Alaska country districts already completed, bookings and inquiries on Seattle steamers sailing to the North indicate that the beginning of a record season of tourist travel is now being inaugurated.

HOUSED CANADIANS

Barracks at Second River near Vladivostok, where part of the troops of the Canadian-Siberian Expeditionary Force were quartered. A number of these commodious barracks buildings were erected as military depots during the course of the Russo-Japanese war. They are well-built brick structures offering comfortable accommodation for large bodies of troops.

FUSHIMI MARU IS LEAVING FOR ORIENT

American Red Cross Party Sailing on Japanese Liner for Siberia
On her outward voyage to the Far East the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Fushimi Maru is due here about five o'clock this afternoon to take on passengers and mails.

MRS. R. PORTER TO CHRISTEN MONTCALM

Fifth Foundation Craft Built Here for French Government to Be Launched
Mrs. Robert Porter, wife of Victoria's chief magistrate, has consented to christen the 3,000-ton wooden steamship Montcalm which is due to be put afloat from the Point Hope yard of the Foundation Company on Monday next.

WORK ON GOVERNMENT SHIPS AT VANCOUVER TEMPORARILY STOPPED

Manila Maru in Touch
The Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Manila Maru, inbound from Oriental ports, was in touch with the Estevan wireless station this morning. She is expected to reach port on Sunday.

LUMBER AND MINING CAMPS TAKING CARE OF LABOR SURPLUS

Vancouver, May 9.—With the slackening down of work in the wooden and steel shipyards curiosity has been felt as to how the labor market has absorbed the surplus as well as met the employment necessities of returning soldiers. A year ago there were some 16,000 men employed in the steel and wooden shipyards of the Province. Today there are not more than 7,000.

GOOD FISH CATCHES REPORTED ON COAST

Reports from the West Coast continue to show the fishermen bringing in good catches of fine spring salmon. The work is all troll fishing, and some fine loads of fish have already come into town on the way. The New England Fish Company reports that their two tug boats, the Kitgora and the Inskip are on the way with 60,000 pounds of troll-caught salmon.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns for Time, Height, and Tide. Includes data for May 9 and 10, 1919.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Table with columns for Day, Sunrise, and Sunset. Includes data for May 9 and 10, 1919.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

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