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SAYS REVOLUTION IS PLANNED IN GERMANY; CENTRES ARE CHOSEN

One of the Leading Teutonic Socialists in United States Has Received Information From His Country About the Scheme

New York, June 13.—Ludwig Lore, secretary of the German Federation of the Socialist Party in the United States, has stated that a revolution will be started in Germany on September 27 of this year. According to the information received by Lore, the principal uprisings are planned to occur in Potsdam, Breslau, Erfurt, Berlin and Frankfurt-on-Main.

Although the information which came to Lore and other Socialists in the United States concerning the possibility of a revolution in Germany is by no means definite in character, it is presumed that the Teutonic Socialists and radicals favor the abdication of Kaiser Wilhelm and the establishment of a German republic.

Work along the line of aiding the revolutionaries and fostering the spirit of revolt is being done now in the United States and abroad by the Friends of the German Republic, an organization, which was formed recently for the avowed purpose of aiding the German people to rescue themselves from the perils of the military autocracy and to overthrow the "Kaiser and Kings and their blood-stained helpers and backers."

190 PERISHED WHEN S.S. SEQUANA SUNK

French Vessel Had Senegalese Troops on Board; Leyland Liner Sunk

Paris, June 12.—The South Atlantic liner Sequana, with 550 passengers on board, has been torpedoed and sunk in the Atlantic with a loss of 190 men. Among the passengers was a detachment of the Senegalese Rifles.

The Sequana, formerly the City of Corinth, was owned by the South Atlantic Navigation Company of Paris. Her gross tonnage was 5,557. She was 430 feet long and was built in Belfast in 1898.

Anglian Sunk.
Boston, June 12.—The Leyland liner Anglian, which left Boston May 29 for Liverpool, has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine and five men of the crew are missing, according to cable advices received by the line's agents here to-day.

Officers of the Leyland Line said they had no information regarding the attack at which the Anglian was sunk on her last voyage from Boston she was commanded by Capt. Lawrenson and carried a general cargo. The ship and cargo were valued at \$2,000,000. The Anglian, formerly the Megantia, was a British steamship of 5,532 tons gross and was built at Glasgow in 1896.

\$250 FOR SOLDIERS.

Ottawa, June 12.—Robert Bickerdike, Liberal, Montreal, has given notice of a resolution in the Commons that he will move that the pay of soldiers be increased from \$1.10 to \$2.50 a day, and that the pay of officers be raised in proportion.

DEPOSITION OF KING CONSTANTINE CAUSE OF SATISFACTION; GREECE IS TO BE AIDED TO RESTORE HERSELF

Paris, June 13.—The vigor with which French Senator Jonart, on a special mission to Athens as the representative of France, Great Britain and Russia, started the settlement of the Greek problem in obtaining the abdication of King Constantine and Crown Prince George has caused much satisfaction.

That he will succeed in helping Greece to get on her feet again in the shortest possible time, notwithstanding many difficulties which still remain, is the unanimous opinion. The new Greek ruler, Prince Alexander, Constantine's second son, is expected to prove friendly to the Allies.

The Salonica expedition has been attacked by many in France as useless, but everyone is agreed that the force, once there, ought to be given every opportunity to accomplish its purpose. It was admitted that with the perpetual menace of a stab in the back from the Greek royalist army,

the expeditionary force was doomed to partial inaction. Encouraged by the moderation of the Entente Powers, whose over-patient policy was attributed largely here to the opposition of the late Russian regime to strong measures, Constantine eluded fulfillment of most of the guarantees exacted from him during June and December of last year and continued his intrigues with Germany. The blockade alone kept him from active hostility. If he could have got the Thessalian crops into his hands, not only would the Entente have lost a weapon, but he would have counted considerably to the difficulties of the Venizelist forces, who are aided on gaining a part of the crop.

M. Jonart, after a series of rapid consultations with the Entente Ministers and with the Greek Premier, Alexander Zaimis, decided upon quick and drastic action and proceeded to Salonica, where he arranged with General Sarrail for military assistance.

Thirty-Two British Merchant Ships Sunk During Past Week

London, June 12.—The weekly shipping report issued by the Admiralty to-day states that 22 British merchantmen of more than 1,000 tons, 10 merchantmen of less than 1,000 tons, and 6 fishing vessels were sunk.

The report last week told of the loss of 15 vessels of more than 1,000 tons, 3 of less than 1,000 tons, and 5 fishing vessels. The report of the week before told of the loss of 13 vessels of more than 1,000 tons, one of less than 1,000 tons and 2 fishing vessels.

British Repulsed a German Attack at Souchez River

London, June 12.—The repulse of a German counter-attack on the positions newly gained by British forces along the Souchez River was announced to-day by the War Office.

Paris, June 12.—The following official communication was made public here this afternoon:

"Artillery fighting occurred in the region of the Moulou-de-Laffaux, Mont Carnillet, the Butte-du-Mesnil, Hill 204 and Des Parochea. A surprise attack undertaken by enemy troops in the vicinity of La Haute Chevauchas was repulsed. Everywhere else the night passed quietly."

NORWAY BEING DRIVEN TO SIDE OF ENTENTE BY GERMANY'S METHODS

New York, June 13.—American and Norwegian passengers on the Norwegian-American liner Bergensfjord, which arrived to-day from Christiania, Christiansand and Bergen, declared they thought it would be only a matter of a few weeks before Norway entered the war on the side of the Entente. The Norwegian Parliament will convene for its summer session on June 28. The passengers, many of whom had recently traveled extensively through Norway, said there was an almost universal demand that King Haakon, in his opening address to the legislative body, ask that a state of war be declared.

"In Government circles there is an almost unanimous conviction that Norway will be at war with Germany in a month," said a returning diplomat. "Norway has suffered terrible privations in the last year. The food shortage has risen to such proportions that the people in the smaller villages are living on one meal a day. Coal last winter increased in price to \$100 a ton, and even then was unobtainable. Wheat is so scarce that it is seldom used for ordinary bread, while meat and dairy products exist in name only. The great majority of the provision ships have been captured or sunk by the German U-boats, and Norway is pinched beyond belief."

Poor Fishing.
"The poor fishing has added greatly to the nation's hardships. This is one of the chief occupations in ordinary times of the Scandinavian countries. But large numbers of the fishing smacks have been sunk by stray mines or captured by the Germans, and the constant explosion of mines has driven the fish away from their former breeding grounds and out to sea."

Other passengers reported that in many of the smaller villages petitions against the high cost of living are being passed for signatures of the heads of families, who also petition that they be allowed to fight the German menace openly.

WELCOME NOTE BY PRESIDENT WILSON

Russians Supporting Provisional Government Pleased but Socialists Stand Off

Petrograd, June 12.—Russian feeling on President Wilson's note emphasizes a cleavage between the Provisional Government and the Socialist movement. All the newspapers supporting the Government hail with the greatest enthusiasm what they term "the straightforward exposition of characteristic American diplomacy." The Socialist organizations, however, accuse President Wilson of using high-toned language and vague phrases embodying principles unacceptable to the Russian democracy and even hinting that the declaration of the United States Government against a policy of imperialism and annexations is insincere.

WELCOMED BY BOULOGNE PEOPLE

General Pershing and his staff reached France to-day; were given warm welcome by Boulogne people

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After the representatives of the French authorities had been presented to the American officers, the party landed and reviewed the French territorialists. The Americans then entered motor cars for a ride around the city. All along the route they were followed by crowds who greeted General Pershing with the greatest enthusiasm.

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RUSSIAN MISSION REACHES STATES

Bakhmetieff and Party of About Forty Pass Through Seattle

Washington, June 12.—The Russian Mission to the United States, headed by Boris A. Bakhmetieff as special Ambassador, has landed at a Pacific port. The party, consisting of about 40 members, will stop first at Seattle and proceed at once to Washington.

The Mission, passed through Yokohama about 12 days ago and consequently made a quick and easy trip. Baron Ungern, one of the secretaries of the Russian Embassy here, met the party and will escort it across the continent to Washington. In Chicago Breckenridge Long, Third Assistant Secretary of State, will join the Mission. Such courtesies as were extended to the visiting British, French and Italian Missions will be extended to Ambassador Bakhmetieff and his party.

The head of the Russian Mission comes to Washington in a double capacity, first as the head of the extraordinary embassy sent by the Provisional Government to extend to the United States Government its thanks for entry into the war on the side of the Entente and to arrange for material assistance from this country, and second as Ambassador resident, until such time as the Provisional Government can make a permanent appointment.

NO STREET CARS ARE RUNNING NOW IN VANCOUVER, CITY ACROSS INLET AND NEW WESTMINSTER; A STRIKE ON

Vancouver, June 13.—A strike started by the street railway conductors and motormen this morning tied up all the lines of the Vancouver, North Vancouver and New Westminster systems owned by the B. C. Electric Railway Company. Not a wheel turned, and the company made no effort to take the cars out of the barns.

The dispute between the company and its men came to a head so quickly that the public was unprepared for the turn of events this morning. Hundreds of jitneys did a thriving business, but there were thousands of early workers who had to walk in from their homes in outlying districts.

Recently the union presented a demand for an increase in wages to meet the high cost of living. The company offered a compromise, which was not accepted.

So far there has been no disturbance. It is stated that the company will make no effort whatever to operate a service. Jitney competition has caused such a serious falling off in revenue that for months the cars in the city have been operated at a loss, and the company takes the position that the longer the strike the less will be the monetary loss.

The light and power services are being maintained for the present.

IS REPORTED BORDEN CABINET WOULD HAVE MEASURE VOTED DOWN

Rumor Says Conservatives Arranging to Defeat Conscription Bill so There May Be Appeal to Voters of Canada

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Criticism of the measure is increasing among those who sincerely favor compulsion. They say that the measure, while framed to give the appearance of seeking men for service at the front, is really drawn so that any man who desires will be able to evade service, and that it will not produce the reinforcements needed by the five divisions of Canadians fighting in France. The character of the measure makes it a certainty that the debate will be thorough and that those who have prepared and who will advocate the passage of the bill must put all of their cards upon the table of the House.

Another disquieting report which is connecting itself with the situation is that the Government wants to go to the country with compulsion as the issue, and is deliberately arranging to be defeated upon the division. It is whispered that when the division comes it will be found that there are a number of Conservative members absent. The situation will be carefully calculated, it is said, so that with the French supporters of the Government voting against compulsion the movement will be narrowly defeated in Parliament and be sent to the country for a vote. It is stated that the Government fears that not only would the Liberals for compulsion be numerous enough to carry the measure through the House, but that after it was carried they would insist upon the Government taking a year's extension of the term of the present Parliament and enforcing the act. This, it is claimed, is the last thing the Government desires or intends to do.

The Prime Minister is at home studying the situation, framing a reorganization of his Government and preparing his defence of the compulsion measure he presented to the House.

On Friday.

Ottawa, June 12.—The second reading of the Military Service Bill probably will be proceeded with in the House this week. If it is not taken up to-morrow it will be on Friday. The Liberals will have another caucus on Thursday and probably will be ready to proceed with the debate on the measure in the afternoon.

After many days of stress comparative calm pervades the corridors of the Parliament Building to-day. Speculation is confined to the likelihood of the Opposition being able to agree upon an amendment upon which its members can unite at least in an expression of view as to what in their opinion a policy of conscription should include. It is not generally believed that either one side or the other will vote a united front when the vote on the second reading of the bill is taken.

Cabinet Reconstruction.
Cabinet reconstruction within party lines is in the air and is likely to come within a few days, it is said. To succeed Hon. E. L. Patenaude, who retired from the Cabinet on Saturday, the names mentioned include Judge J. M. Pelletier and R. Laporte, of the

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CONSTANTINE STILL IN GREEK CAPITAL

Wishes to Leave; Military Measures Carried Out; States Not Consulted

London, June 12.—Former King Constantine is still in Athens, although, according to reports, he desires to leave. The Reuters correspondent at Athens says that all military measures in Thessaly, the Gulf of Corinth and elsewhere have been carried out satisfactorily.

Pair Play.
London, June 12.—Commenting upon King Constantine's abdication, the Westminster Gazette says:

"The Allies were absolutely sincere in expressing their desire to protect the integrity and independence of Greece. Prince Alexander will have fair play as a constitutional ruler, and his country, if it so chooses, as an honest neutral."

States Not Consulted.
Washington, June 12.—The United States Government was not consulted about the Entente coup which de-throned King Constantine, it was said at the State Department to-day, and has not as yet taken any part in the complex European diplomacy.

A MUNITIONS PLANT IN FRANCE BLOWS UP; NUMBER ARE KILLED

Paris, June 12.—The Ministry of Munitions announced to-day that an accident had happened in one of the principal automobile factories now making munitions. A large number of wounded, it was said, had been taken to hospitals. The ruins of the factory were being searched. No definite information had been obtained concerning the number of killed and wounded.

PRESSURE IS URGED AGAINST KRONSTADT

Petrograd, June 12.—The all-Russian council of peasants' delegates, after discussing at a special sitting the recent events at Kronstadt, passed the following resolution by a vote of 1,009 to 4:

"This congress wishes to inform the inhabitants of Kronstadt that the peasants will stop the dispatch of all food to Kronstadt if the town does not immediately join its revolutionary forces to those of the Russian democracy and unless it recognizes the Provisional Government."

The resolution urges the Government to demand the absolute submission of Kronstadt, and in event of refusal to adopt energetic measures.

FOR FEDERAL HOUSE

Port Arthur, June 12.—Notices have been received here of the calling of a convention by the Liberal Association of the Federal riding of Port Arthur-Kenora, to be held at Dryden on June 26 to consider the matter of a candidate and other business.

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NEW SPANISH PREMIER STATES HIS COUNTRY WILL STAY NEUTRAL

Madrid, June 12.—Eduardo Dato, head of the new Spanish Cabinet, declared on Monday that the return of Marquis de Lema to the post of Minister of Foreign Affairs was a guarantee that the new Spanish Government would continue to follow a policy of neutrality.

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ITALIANS ATTACKING AT GREAT ALTITUDE

Are Striking Austrian Forces on High Plateau of Trentino

Rome, June 12.—The action started by the Italian forces on the Trentino high plateau of the Alpine front is proceeding at an altitude of 7,000 feet amid stormy atmospheres. The fighting is along the same front where the Italians stopped the Austrian invasion a year ago. Now the Italian advance is threatening the centre of the Austrian positions leading from the Trentino high plateau to the Sugana valley, which ends near Trent.

The present action in the Trentino is the best proof, Italian military officials point out, that the Austrian counter-offensive on the Carso front neither inflicted the heavy losses claimed nor affected the morale of the Italian army. After holding all the chief positions taken in the Carso advance the Italian command started a new offensive on the Trentino front despite their knowledge that a great concentration of Austrians had been made there from the Austrian front.

RE-EXAMINATION FOR FORCES IN RUSSIA

Petrograd, June 12.—The Government has ordered the immediate re-examination of all men who hitherto have been exempted from military service.

NEW POSITION FOR THOMAS R. STOCKETT

Manager of Western Fuel Co. May Become Head of Canadian Collieries

Nanaimo, June 12.—The resignation of Thomas R. Stockett as manager of the coal mining properties of the Western Fuel Company, which was announced yesterday, was more or less expected in view of his statements some time ago that when the output of the mines had reached an amount just double that when he assumed charge, 14 years ago, he would retire. Although Mr. Stockett has announced that he has no immediate plans for the future, other than to take a well-earned rest when his resignation becomes effective on July 1, it is rumored on good authority that Mr. Stockett will soon accept an important post with the Canadian Collieries (Dubsaul), Ltd. It is hinted from authoritative sources that after a holiday trip in July, Mr. Stockett will return and join Mr. Thomas R. Graham, the present superintendent of the Canadian Collieries, in plans involving extensive development of those mines. Rumor has it that Mr. Stockett will take supreme control of the development and working of these mines, leaving Mr. Graham the active outside management and marketing of the output.

In the management of the Western Fuel properties, Mr. Stockett is to be succeeded by Mr. Brown, a well-known American mining man, who is also a shareholder in the company.

CONSTANTINE WAS FORCED TO ABDICATE

France, Great Britain and Russia Acted; Named His Second Son

Athens, June 12.—In response to a demand by the powers protecting Greece, France, Great Britain and Russia, King Constantine I. abdicated yesterday in favor of his second son, Prince Alexander.

This climax in the affairs of Greece was brought about through the agency of the French Senator Jonnart, who has held posts in several French Cabinets, and who arrived at Athens only two or three days ago on a special mission as the representative of France, Great Britain and Russia.

M. Jonnart recently visited Salonica and other points, and he lost no time in getting into conference with the Greek Premier, Alexander Zaimis. The demands of the powers respecting the abdication of King Constantine also specifically eliminated Crown Prince George as his successor; the Crown Prince being included among those Greeks in official life who were considered strongly pro-German.

Both the former King and Prince George, it was announced yesterday by Premier Zaimis, intend to leave the country immediately. It is reported that they will embark on a British warship and proceed to Switzerland by way of Italy. It is presumed that Prince Alexander will take up his kingly duties with full acceptance of the ideas which the protecting powers desire to put into effect in the Government of Greece during the present war. He is 24 years old and has been free from anti-Entente prejudices.

Action Needed.

Affairs in Greece which at times since the outbreak of war have seemed on the verge of settlement recently took on such an aspect of uncertainty that it became necessary for the powers to act with decision. M. Jonnart was selected to proceed to Athens with the purpose of laying before the Premier the aims which France, Great Britain and Russia had with respect to establishing unity of feeling among the Greeks and securing for the Entente forces engaged in operations in the East. While he informed the Premier that troops had been placed at his disposal, he appealed to that official to use his influence toward a peaceful settlement. The troops, according to M. Jonnart's instructions, were not to land until the King had given his answer.

M. Jonnart called upon Premier Zaimis on Monday morning and demanded in the name of the protecting powers the abdication of King Constantine and the nomination of his successor to the exclusion of the Crown Prince. M. Zaimis recognized the disinterestedness of the powers, whose sole object was to reconstitute the unity of Greece under the constitution, but he pointed out to M. Jonnart that a decision could only be taken by the King after a meeting of the Crown Council, composed of former Premiers. It was not until 9:30 o'clock, yesterday morning that the Premier communicated to the commissioner of the Allied Powers the King's answer in the following letter:

"The Minister and High Commissioner of France, Great Britain, and Russia. Having demanded by your note of yesterday the abdication of His Majesty King Constantine and the nomination of his successor, the undersigned, Premier and Foreign Minister, has the honor to inform Your Excellency that His Majesty, the King, ever solicitous for the interests of Greece, has decided to leave the country with the Prince Royal, and nominate Prince Alexander as his successor. (Signed) "ZAIMIS."

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, June 12.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. G. H. Milnes, England; Pte. R. Ray, England; Pte. F. Marshall, England; Pte. A. Stronge, Toronto; Pte. T. W. Brain, Hamilton; Pte. P. A. Massey, Hamilton; Pte. G. H. Packer, West Indies.

Previously reported ill; now died of wounds—Pte. R. F. Forsythe, Chatham, Ont.; Pte. J. Shelton, Manitow, Man.; Pte. F. Spake, Winnipeg; Cpl. J. W. Brown, Montreal.

Died—Pte. G. Sharratt, England; Cpl. A. Morrison, Carleton, Sask.; Pte. C. Read, Earl Grey, Sask.; Pte. J. S. Acton, Enslieigh, Alta.

Previously reported missing; now not missing—Pte. H. W. Sorner, England.

Dangerously ill—Pte. A. Reid, Scotland.

Wounded—Pte. F. E. Mächen, Shanawan, Sask.; Pte. J. H. Mailley, Lowell, Mass.; Pte. G. B. Ashby, Winnipeg; Pte. A. Hurley, McLennan, Ont.; Pte. W. Aufle, England; Pte. E. J. Griffiths, Wales; Pte. W. Walker, Ottawa; Pte. W. Thaw, Scotland; Pte. J. Anderson, Scotland; Pte. J. Kellie, Edmonton; Pte. F. Sosony, England; Pte. W. Mytton, England; Pte. W. H. Price, Ottawa; Pte. A. Walker, Scotland; Pte. G. Warner, Brantford; Pte. A. Pucknell, Welland, Ont.; Pte. J. Rawlinson, Toronto; Sgt. W. Bundy, England; Pte. W. Dwyer, Sydney, N. S.; Pte. J. J. Jewett, England; Pte. J. Swan, Scotland; Pte. S. C. Black, Vancouver; Pte. F. T. Ward, Vancouver; Pte. S. H. Smith, Acme, Alta.; Pte. J. McWhar, Ottawa; Cpl. F. Fraser, Revelstoke; Pte. W. McAulay, Scotland; Pte. J. Esplin, Scotland; Pte. D. W. Pinkerton, Toronto; Pte. F. J. Green, England; Pte. J. H. Louchars, Waterbury, Conn.; Pte. S. Lowery, Toronto; Pte. H. J. Murphy, Toronto; Pte. J. Johnson, England; Pte. J. Roberts, Cincinnati, Ohio; Pte. W. E. Mills, St. John, N. B.

Artillery.

Died of wounds—Lieut. E. P. Black, Montreal.

Wounded—Gnr. V. Linder, Kitchener, Ont.; Lieut. P. N. Wootton, 1242 Richardson Street, Victoria.

Engineers.

Seriously ill—Lieut. H. Garner, England.

Services.

Died—Pte. A. J. Mondum, 1518 Brookes Street, Victoria; Pte. G. Lindler, Stratford; Pte. K. Cosman, Brighton, N. S.

Wounded—Lieut. G. Leishman, Toronto; Pte. A. W. August, Homewood, Man.; Cpl. S. Nightingale, England; Pte. N. Williams, Toronto; Pte. O. W. Couch, Swan Lake, Man.; Cpl. H. James, Glenbow, Alta.; Pte. J. Lightbody, Winnipeg.

BRITISHERS FROM STATES TO CANADIAN FRONT

Minneapolis, June 12.—Official confirmation of the report that British and Canadian citizens enlisted at the Canadian recruiting office here would be sent to the front as a Minneapolis battalion of the 100th Canadian Grenadiers was given to a representative of the Western Associated Press of Canada to-day by an attaché at the office of Lieut.-Col. W. G. Bell, the Canadian recruiting officer.

The recruits will be sent from here to Winnipeg in detachments of from 50 to 100 at a time. Two Canadian recruiting offices have been opened here.

WINDOWS BROKEN BY IRISH PRISONERS

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According to the correspondent at Lewes of the Evening Star, the Irishmen broke the windows, furniture and fixtures in the prison, the damage being considerable. The men had no grievances against the warders, but steadfastly refused to work and demonstrations were continuous.

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CHURCH UNION TWO YEARS AFTER WAR ENDS

Montreal, June 12.—The Forty-Third General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada last night unanimously agreed on a course of action in regard to the projected union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches which practically assures a discontinuance of organized propaganda for and against the proposal until two years after the close of the war.

A resolution was adopted by a standing vote, urging that in as much as the Forty-Second General Assembly, which met at Winnipeg last June, had provided that union should not be consummated until the second Assembly after the close of the war, organized propaganda should be discontinued in the meantime by both sides. The resolution also provides for modification of the Church Union Committee of the Assembly "in order to secure the fullest approval for co-operative requirements, and that its functions during the period of truce between the pro and anti-unionists shall be confined to those already used in the other two negotiations."

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Heydebrand Gravely Tells Huns Britain Will Be Finished in Two Months

Copenhagen, June 13.—Britain is given less than two more months of life by Von Heydebrand, the Conservative leader in the Reichstag. In a speech to his electors he quoted a German admiral as saying: "We hope, yes, we are certain—that in two months at most the condition of the English will be such that Great Britain will be finished."

Von Heydebrand had asked the admiral whether he believed Germany could win a complete victory through her submarine campaign. The admiral's confident reply was used by the Conservative leader to confound "doubters and lukewarm individuals" found among the German masses, who are questioning in increasing degree the political and military efficacy of the ruthless submarine warfare.

Von Heydebrand also gave warning

FOREST FIRES NORTH OF SEWARD, ALASKA

Seward Alaska, June 13.—Forest fires are sweeping the Poland and Rudolph homesteads, north of Seward. A special train is removing 50 tons of dynamite and powder from a United States railroad magazine in the fire zone, two miles from town. The wind is from the south, and the fire is in no danger. Several cabins of squatters have been destroyed. Firemen are on guard and will be until danger is passed.

The salmon run has begun. The first pack will be made by the San Juan Cannery to-day.

MUNICH PAPER ATTACKS CARDINAL MERCIER

Copenhagen, June 13.—The Neueste Nachrichten, of Munich, comments indignantly on the latest episcopal letter of Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, and demands that stringent measures be taken to prevent its further circulation and render impossible activities of this nature on the part of the Cardinal. It says the Cardinal's latest utterances represent the climax in abuse of Germany.

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VIOLENCE THREATENED BY TANCREDE MARSIL

Force Against Force, He States at Anti-Conscription Meeting in Montreal

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The chief point of interest in Marsil's speech came when he spoke of a recently formed league, "The Sons of Liberty," urging all to join for the common interest. Marsil reiterated the arguments previously put forth—the war in Europe was not Canada's war and that Sir Robert Borden's pledge of 500,000 men "had been made without consulting anybody."

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CONSTANTINE'S ABDICATION. The abdication of Constantine of Greece has been on the cards ever since the Russian revolution deprived him of the protection of those influences which for dynastic reasons had paralyzed Entente policy in the Near East.

THEIR PUNISHMENT.

President Wilson's historic message to Congress recommending the declaration of a state of war between the United States and Germany committed the republic to the continuation of the struggle until the system under which the Central Empires are governed had been overthrown.

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(Continued from page 1) Mr. Bonar Law said 12 to 15 aeroplanes had crossed the coast at North Foreland and proceeded across Essex to London.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

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The Church of England Chinese Mission School is again re-opened at the corner of Cormorant street and Government street, under the supervision of Rev. E. F. Lipscomb.

The charming estate, consisting of residence and grounds of Dr. John Hall, and situate near the Jubilee Hospital, is to be sold at auction tomorrow at noon.

The factory of Tebo and Yelland, canoe and boat manufacturers, corner of Broughton and Langley streets, was gutted by fire on Saturday night.

First Local Strawberries.—What are believed to be the first local strawberries of the season are shown today in the windows of Dixi Ross & Co., Government Street. They were grown at Gordon Head by G. V. Van-treight and Harry Disher. They are a good sample and promise well for the quality this season. It is understood that if the present fine weather continues there will be plenty of local berries on the market early next week.

Weather Fair and Warm.—The barometer remains abnormally high over northern British Columbia and fine warm weather is general on the Pacific Slope with northerly and easterly winds along the coast. Showers have again occurred in most parts of the Prairie Province and light frosts prevail in Northern Alberta. The forecast for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday in Victoria and vicinity is: Fresh northerly and easterly winds, generally fair and warm.

Fairfield Red Cross.—On Saturday, July 29, under the auspices and in aid of the Fairfield Red Cross, there will be a musical tea at the residence of Mrs. William Seawright, 1059 South-gate Street. Mrs. Reginald Chave will take charge of the musical programme. Ice cream and candies will be on sale, and the affair should be thoroughly enjoyable in every way. The committee of the Fairfield branch will be very grateful to anyone who will give or lend a work-table, a commodity which is badly needed in the work-rooms at May and Linden.

First to Register.—Harry Picht announced with pride to Plumbers' Local No. 32 at Seattle, that he had been number one in his precinct to register for the compulsory military service registration. General Organizer Thos. Clark, of the International union, has been visiting British Columbia in the interests of his organization and reported to Seattle that the Vancouver local union of plumbers and steam-fitters had been put on its feet by the shipbuilding industry and that forty-three new members had been initiated at the last meeting of that local.

Baby Buggy Tires put on to stay at the Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant.

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Visits Mainland.—Brigadier-General R. G. Edwards Leckie, C. M. G., G. O. C., Military District No. 11, was in Vancouver yesterday in connection with business concerning the administration of his department.

Some Birdman.—In spite of his 495 pounds bulk, Webster Rust, of Seattle does not consider himself too heavy to qualify for service in the aviation wing of Uncle Sam's army. Laying claim to the title of being Seattle's most robust citizen, as well as the heaviest boy scout in the world, young Rust, who is 21 years of age did not claim exemption on registration day. He journeyed to his native city of San Francisco and enrolled, making known his wishes to join the air wing of the service.

Die for Country.—The long list of former employees of the B. C. Telephone Company who have made the supreme sacrifice in defence of the Empire's cause, is being constantly added to. The names of Private A. C. Day and Private Lockhart appear in the recent casualty lists as having been killed in action or died of wounds. Private John Shrapnel Barter, whose death was announced in these columns about a fortnight ago, was also previously engaged by the Telephone Company. Private Day was night operator at the Kamloops exchange for several months. He was a native of London, England and came out to British Columbia to study agriculture some five years ago. Both soldiers were attached to the 11th C. M. R. and went overseas with that unit.

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Building Permit.—Captain E. J. Hickey has taken out a building permit for a private garage on Oswego Street.

New Potatoes.—Thomas Walker, of the Hafer Machine Co., this morning brought the first consignment of new potatoes from his ranch at Gordon Head. They were grown in the open without any protection whatever, and are a fine sample.

To Visit Cordova Bay.—A party from the Victoria-Spanish Parks and Beaches Committee will visit Cordova Bay to-morrow afternoon to investigate the best site for a pavilion similar to the one proposed at Cadboro Bay.

Lieut. Browns Killed.—Lieut. Albert F. Browns, former member of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Dawson, was killed at Vimy Ridge fighting with the Canadian forces, which left with the first contingent from Dawson. Yukon has sent one-tenth of her white population to the front.

Wounded Fourth Time.—Word has been received in Chilliwack that Captain H. Lancaster has been wounded for the fourth time. His latest injuries are in the head, arm and hand, and he is now in a military hospital at Brighton, England. His wounds, on the three previous occasions were such as to enable him to return to the front and 'carry on.'

Promotion Pending.—News of the fact that Staff-Major William S. Nelson, who left Nelson with the Kootenay battalion in 1915 as adjutant, will be made brigade major, has been received by his brother-in-law, John P. Vroom, of Nelson. Major Nelson was a Fruitvale rancher before enlisting and was recently mentioned in the dispatches of Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig.

St. Barnabas' Services.—The twenty-seventh anniversary of the founding of St. Barnabas' church was celebrated on Monday with special services, the Holy Eucharist at 7.30, matins at 11 and a second celebration subsequently when Rev. Linley Knight, curate of Christ Church, Cathedral preached; festival evensong at 8, with procession and anniversary music by the choir. Very Rev. Dean Quantin delivered the sermon, which was 'A Plea for Loyalty.' After the service there was a reception at the Rectory, when Rev. E. G. Miller and Mrs. Miller, together with members of the parish, welcomed the Dean and Mrs. Quantin on the occasion of their first visit to the parish.

Lady Douglas Chapter.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. E. a resolution was passed yesterday that a note of congratulation be sent to Major-General Sir Arthur W. Currie, K. C. B., on his attainment to knighthood and recognition of his services by the Empire; also to Lady Currie, a member of the chapter. Congratulations were also sent to Lieut. Col. W. J. H. Holmes, D. S. O., whose wife is secretary of the chapter. Mrs. Cummings reported for the meeting of the Local Council of Women. Mrs. J. D. Gordon reported for the hospital committee, stating that cigarettes and candy had been sent to the Work Point and James Bay Convalescent hospitals, the patients in which had greatly appreciated the gifts. Mrs. Billinghurst and Mrs. Hiddell were accorded a standing vote of thanks in acknowledgement of work done.

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W. E. Scott, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, accompanied by E. W. White, of the Horticultural Branch of the Department, this morning visited the Indian Reserve and found the caterpillars already drying up and he advises that there will be no need of any action as the work is already practically done. In destroying the caterpillars now the parasites would also be destroyed and this more harm than good he believes.

At the beginning of the week J. D. Tothill, who is in charge of the natural control methods of the Government in connection with the insects, was in the city and he found that the pest in the neighborhood of Royal Oak and other places was already under control. He thinks that the creatures are almost one hundred per cent. parasitized. It was following this report that the examination was made on the Reserve with similar results.

The parasite is a small Tachina fly that lays its egg on the leaf. This egg is swallowed by the caterpillar and it then hatches and feeds on the internal organs of its victim. These caterpillars which escape the Tachina are often attacked by a small ichneumon fly which lays its eggs on the head of its victim. This enemy is, however, slower in its work for the egg hatches only in time to eat the chrysalis.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

Many Flower Shows Will Be Held Through Provinces During the Summer. The season of flower shows has commenced and several fixtures have been made for the next few months by women's institutes throughout the province.

There will be few, if any, agricultural or stock shows held this summer, but it is felt that there can be no objection to holding flower shows in the various districts under the auspices of the institutes.

Shows already arranged for on Vancouver Island are those at Parkerville, July 18; South Saanich, July 21; Colwood, July 25; Shawnigan, July 28; West Saanich, July 28; Garden City, Sept. 5.

An exhibition of women's work will be held at Gordon Head late in the fall, no date being fixed as yet. Show dates are set for several places in the Fraser Valley and Okanagan.

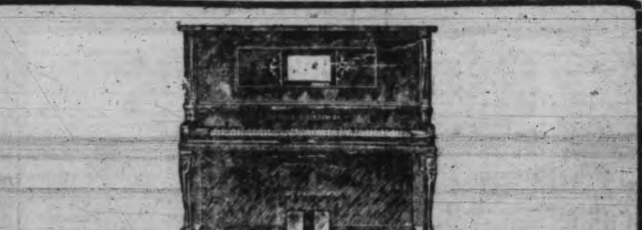
The shows will receive financial assistance from the Department of Agriculture, from the vote for exhibitions, and this will be applied in the providing of prizes for competitors.

DEATH BY SUFFOCATION

Verdict is Brought in by Coroner's Jury Over Body of Infant Found Yesterday.

The jury called by Coroner Stanier this morning, which sat to consider the case of the finding of an infant's body yesterday on one of the city sewers at the foot of Telegraph Street, brought in a verdict that death was caused by strangulation by a person or persons unknown to the members of the jury.

The principal matter brought out by the evidence which was heard was that the infant had actually lived. Dr. E. W. Boak, who performed the post mortem, testified to the fact that the child was of Oriental parentage, a conclusion that he was readily able to reach by a close study of the features. There was no injury externally to the body other than a deep furrow around the neck caused by a piece of cloth which had been tied tightly in that position. The doctor was of the opinion that the child had been buried alive but the death had been brought about only some five or ten minutes later.



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CRICKET ACTIVITIES

Meeting This Evening in Cathedral Schoolroom; Junior League Match To-morrow

Members of the committee selected from the various teams entered in the Victoria and District Cricket Association to assume charge of the staging of the inter-city match that will be played in this city on July 3 are asked to remember that their presence is urgently requested at the meeting that will be held in the schoolroom of Christ Church Cathedral this evening when further details regarding the arrangement of the day's events will be considered.

The following are the names of those who are included on the committee: Messrs. Payne, Sparks, Lomas, Lethaby, May, Sgt. Higgs, Thomas, Spencer, Wootton, Wright, Freeman.

Junior League Game. To-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be a Junior League match played between the Collegiate School and Troop 3 of the Victoria Boy Scouts on the Jubilee Hospital grounds.

AMUSEMENT TICKET TAX

Plans for Collection Being Evolved by Minister of Finance and Officials.

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H. H. Clague, of Duncan, is at the Dominion.
Miss Ivy Herbert, of Seattle, is at the Dominion.
R. Christianson, of Jordan River, is at the Dominion.
F. W. Gaston, of Tacoma, has arrived at the Empress Hotel.
W. Sherring, of Toronto, is staying at the Empress Hotel.
S. C. Bergeron, of Seattle, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.
F. J. Fielding, of Nanaimo, is staying at the Dominion Hotel.
M. A. Benton, of Humboldt, Iowa, is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.
A. Knight, of Chilliwack, is registered at the Strathcona Hotel.
Mrs. McDonald is down from Cobble Hill and is at the Strathcona Hotel.
Mrs. Malguy, of Chemainus, is a new arrival at the Strathcona Hotel.
G. M. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson, of Seattle, are at the Dominion.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Runstall, of Calgary, are guests at the Empress Hotel.
Dr. N. H. Reller, of North Vancouver, is stopping at the Dominion Hotel.
Thos. Rushton, M. Morrison, G.A.

Pettit and R. Morrison are amongst yesterday's Vancouver arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.
F. Corley and R. Vaux, of Fulford Harbor, are guests of the Dominion Hotel.
C. Wallick is in the city from Cowichan and is stopping at the Strathcona Hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fitzgerald and son, of Detroit, are guests at the Empress Hotel.
G. G. McGeer, M.P.P., has returned to the city and is registered at the Empress Hotel.
C. Lait and Mrs. Lait, of Grassy Lake, Alta., are stopping at the Dominion Hotel.
R. B. Gale and Mrs. Gale, of Calgary, are visiting Victoria and staying at the Dominion Hotel.
Mrs. A. Woolpy and Miss Woolpy, of Moose Jaw, are new arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Walsh, of Vancouver, registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Sunderland, of San Francisco, are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.
Mrs. J. C. Anderson, of Boston, Mass., is among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.
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CALIPH OF BAGHDAD FINE AMATEUR SHOW

Preparations Being Made to Have Musical Comedy Best Yet Staged

The box office has now opened for "The Caliph of Baghdad," and seats for this new musical comedy are being booked rapidly. It will undoubtedly be the best amateur show ever put on in Victoria, or for the matter of that, on the Pacific coast. The dresses will be gorgeous, and every single one of them has been specially designed. The music is new, and will some months later be taking New York by storm. The scenery is in charge of S. Clarke and will be on a much more elaborate scale than "Puss in Boots" pantomime. Everybody is giving services and working day and night to make the show an assured success.

Mr. Hincks was offered the services of every prominent amateur in Victoria, everybody has been eager to help, and as the expenses will be small, a large sum of money will be handed over to the Red Cross Society and to fund through the Gonzales Chapter, I. O. O. F.

Three weeks hence the curtain will ring up, the first performance being on July 2. The Royal Victoria Theatre is large and all the seats are good and the play will run the whole week. It is a little trouble, however, to book early and get the best seats. A good many of the boxes and loges are still unsold. The booking opened, but there are still a few left. A large number of visitors are expected from outlying districts and for these there will be special steamer rates from Vancouver.

There is a plot running through the play that is coherent and interesting, so different to many musical comedies that are simply a series of songs and dances strung together. It will be an "all star chorus," nearly all the leading local singers having placed their services at the disposal of Mr. Hincks, who is very energetically rehearsing.

"The Caliph of Baghdad" is going to be one of the leading theatrical and musical events in the history of Victoria, a city more than locally famous for its amateur productions.

The ladies' committee of the Superfluities branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society have undertaken the business management of the enterprise and studying the convenience of those who cannot get down to the Superfluities Shop during business hours, have arranged to keep open until 6.30 p. m. every evening, and at the same time have added to their staff so as to cope with telephone orders. The telephone number is 4122.

Every seat in the house is reserved.

AT THE THEATRES

THE VARIETY.

The production, "The Years of the Locust," by Albert Payson Terhune, which will be seen at the Variety Theatre to-night, with the beautiful Lesky star, Fannie Ward, in the leading role, was delayed several days by the (London) firm's superintendent's too great desire for accuracy. An exact replica of an ancient diamond mine was constructed under the supervision of the superintendent, who was formerly manager of a mine near Kimberley. Great quantities of clay were placed in the mine in which the workers were supposed to search for diamonds. A very good quality of clay was secured, but it did not suit the mine superintendent, who wanted the famous blue clay in which the diamonds are generally found. When he was told that the ordinary clay would do, he got on his high horse and said, "I have been hired with instructions to make this diamond mine absolutely perfect and unless I have the blue clay I cannot do so."

The mine man had a happy thought; the lighter clay could photograph bluer than if it was dyed. A photographic test was made of a piece; the superintendent was appalled.

THE COLUMBIA.

"Wherever there is a board of censors to pass upon moving picture plays, Theda Bara, the Williams Fox star, creates a great furore. The Ohio state board of censors passed an order barring her from acting in that state. This order was later rescinded, however. Her acting is taboed in Atlanta, Ga., and several other staid, conservative southern cities. Great havoc is made of the plays in which she stars when one of them comes before the Chicago board of censors.

Whenever Mile. Bara is advertised to be shown in a local picture theatre there is always a crowded house. This is not due to any morbidity on the part of the people, but to an appreciation of fine acting. Theda Bara is a supreme mistress of the art of portraying a sinister personality. She is an actress of remarkable charm, not unlike that of the characters she represents. She always plays the part of the vampire woman. She is the homebreaker. She is the heroine of an unlawful love, an intense, fervid, overwhelming passion that sweeps aside convention and that disregards every sense of human feeling and every consequence to gain its own ends. Like the sirens, Theda Bara lures her victim to his doom. She deliberately selects him out of revenge, perhaps; it may be out of pure wickedness. Once in her grasp he forgets, like the old Greek voyagers, wife, child, home, everything but her and her charms. And, as in the old Greek dramas, the victim is carried swiftly, surely, relentlessly, pitilessly to

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PANTAGES THEATRE.

One of the most enjoyable of all amusement features to a Victoria audience is an offering of good music. This is perhaps particularly true in the case of vaudeville entertainments, and Victoria is known on the vaudeville map as a musical town. So it is that the Pantages bill this week offers another high-class musical act called "The Symphony Maids."

Lovers of good music and good voices can ill afford to miss this offering, which is an entire concert in itself. The three girls presenting it are products of the West. They were born in the West; received their musical education in the West and were discovered in the West by Mr. Pantages, who saw the possibility of a successful act in the combination.

Miss Dorothy Lewis is a Portland girl who had the advantage of a musical education during her school days, but later found it necessary to make her own way in the world. Little realizing that her accomplishment might be of value to her, she sought work in commercial lines and there met Miss Lorraine Darnell, a native of Spokane, who also had an accomplishment without realizing its value. Mr. Pantages' representative was quick to see the possibility of such a combination of voice and violin, so Miss Georgia Booth, of Portland, was requisitioned, with her splendid ability at the piano to make a premier act. This was a year ago and already they have built up a reputation as one of the big acts of vaudeville.

delightful comedy patter skit entitled "It Didn't Take the First Time," which is full of humor and clever repartee, a very welcome team of clever entertainers.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Thomas Hughes, who has been in charge of the Government experimental plot at Terrace, B. C., has come to Victoria. He has received an offer of an appointment from Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Rev. the Hon. T. R. Henegage, chief commissioner of the Boy Scouts in British Columbia, has been visiting the chief towns in the Similkameen with the idea of reviving interest in the Boy Scout organization there.

To advertise a war charity Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt rode on an elephant through the streets of New York a few days ago, being accompanied by Mrs. Charles H. Dillingham, wife of another millionaire. A well-known actress sat on the elephant's head.

The Rev. R. M. and Mrs. Thompson and family have arrived in town from Penton, and at present are the guests of Mrs. James Pottinger, Battery Street. Mr. Thompson will spend a short holiday at Shawnigan Lake before assuming his new duties as pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church.

The open air-fete held in New Westminster on Friday and Saturday of last week in aid of the furnishing of the military wing of the Royal Columbia Hospital netted approximately \$7,750. The most patriotic-girl contest resulted in \$1,200 of this amount, both in connection with this and the fete proper, the expenses being kept down to a minimum.

In Athens goats are marched to lunchrooms and milked before the eyes of patrons. But this does not prevent adulteration. The milkman wears a loose coat with wide sleeves. Around his waist is a rubber bag filled with water, and a tube runs down his arm. As he milks he presses the tube and milk and water flow together into the milk pail. Other countries other ways!

One of the ironies of Fate comes to pass on Saturday, June 23, when the lovely residence built and formerly occupied by the spectacular Alvo von Aivensleben at Point Grey, Vancouver, now the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison, will be put to purposes which will benefit a patriotic fund of the Allies. The event planned is a garden party and an air-lete-to-be given by the Connaught Chapter, I. O. O. F., in aid of the Soldiers' Comforts Fund.

The old Liberty Bell at Philadelphia, which was rung almost for the last time 141 years ago to proclaim the birth of the American Republic, is to ring to-morrow at noon, beginning the subscription period. Mayor Smith, of Philadelphia, will be the bell ringer. At the same hours in every city, town, village and hamlet throughout the United States the bells of churches, schools, court houses and town halls will take up the call.

Representing the Juvenile Protective Association and the Women's Christian Temperance Union a large delegation appeared on Monday night before the Vancouver School Board to call the attention of that body to the alleged increase of cigarette smoking among schoolboys and young people of both sexes in that city. Rev. A. H. Sovereign, Drs. Gillespie and Hall, J. Bishop, H. W. Collier (probation officer of the Juvenile Court), Mesdames J. K. Macken and Ramage, and others, supported the views of the delegation.

Much has been heard during the last few months in Victoria of Little Mothers' League, without any organizations of the kind having actually been instituted. It is interesting to hear that a class of eighty girls in the Britannia High School, Vancouver, on Monday received their certificates as graduates of the Little Mothers' League course. T. A. Brough, the principal, who occupied the chair on the unique occasion, thanked the school board and the University Women's Club for making the classes possible.

The Methodist Conference, now in session in Montreal, will have an opportunity to discuss the new hymn books from which have been deleted nearly six hundred of the hymns formerly used. Over three hundred of the discarded hymns are the work of John Wesley, but even so the Wesleyans will have no less than 195 hymns in the new book which is to be in the hands of Methodist churchgoers in September. Among the more famous of the "discards" are Fanny Crosby's "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Blow Ye the Trumpet, Blow," and "Plunged in a Gulf of Dark Despair."

The Returned Soldiers at Resthaven, with the kind assistance of the ladies of the Vimy Ridge Club, will give an amateur vaudeville show on Thursday evening, June 21, at the Princess Theatre, for the purpose of raising further funds to obtain additional amusements for the patients at the hospital. This will make things more pleasant both for those already back and for those who are returning every week. The amusements committee, which has been anxious to furnish all they can for the men, and it is felt that the public will readily give the necessary support to an undertaking which the men

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themselves are organizing and pushing through.

Hon. J. W. de la Farris, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor, went over to Vancouver last night in view of the situation existing between the B. C. Electric Railway Company and its employees, and will probably remain there for a day or two.

F. L. Carter Cotton, chancellor of the University of British Columbia, is in the city to-day, and paid a friendly call upon the Premier and the Minister of Education. A general convocation of the University will be held in Vancouver on Saturday next.

Mr. E. V. McNaulty, editor of the Western Lumberman, Vancouver, is in the city for a few days accompanied by Mrs. McNaulty. The former is calling on the millmen of Victoria and district, and Mrs. McNaulty in this interval is the guest of Mrs. Angus Campbell, Harbinger Street.

The Field Comforts' I. O. O. F. knitting competition will come to an end this week, and on Monday, June 18, prizes given by W. H. Wilkerson and Messrs. Mitchell & Duncan for the ladies who submit the best knitted pair of socks and the greatest number of hand-knitted socks to the Field Comforts' Committee will be awarded.

The drawing for Mrs. Woodward's gift to the Red Cross, a handsome little Suite pup of "Muggins," the canine which has collected so successfully the benevolent patriotic funds since the beginning of the war, took place last night at the Temple Building. A small boy present at the gathering was invited to draw the winning ticket, which proved to be No. 242. The lucky holder of the duplicate has not disclosed his name, but may receive his prize by telephoning to Mrs. Woodward, 3713 L. 2, or by applying at her residence, George Road. As the result of this raffle the Red Cross will benefit to the extent of \$200.50.

Mr. John Davidson, of the botanical department of the University of British Columbia, addressed the civic industries committee of Vancouver this week and proposed that dogwood be adopted as the floral emblem of the city. The committee placed the matter on its table for further consideration. The Natural History Society of Victoria some time ago agitated a question of something of the same character, urging the display of more of the native arbusts which is so greatly admired by tourists. It was suggested at one time that an avenue of these trees be planted along some popular motor drive in the city.

The Gonzales Chapter, I. O. O. F., will hold an "Old English Fair" in aid of the Returned Soldiers and Prisoners of War on Saturday, July 21, at "Gonzales," St. Charles Street. The grounds will be looking their very best at that time, and the spacious gardens provide such ample room for the arrangement of side-shows and amusements, croquet, golf, bowls and other attractions that will be advertised. The gardens will be open in the evening, when there will be a concert by the Arion Club and other attractions.

Tourist Roads—R. A. Fraser, formerly secretary of the Vancouver Automobile Club, is engaged upon a mission of logging the principal tourist roads of the province. He has already completed the roads in the Ashcroft, Nicola and Okanagan districts, and is now en route to East Kootenay and the Columbia valley sections. When his work is completed it will be possible for a traveler to obtain maps showing the roads from Port Alberni on Vancouver Island, east to the Alberta boundary.

The wedding took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the Metropolitan Church in the presence of a few intimate friends of Miss Jessie Maude Mallett, second daughter of Mr. James Mallett, of H. M. Customs, this city, and Samuel Flanagan, of the Navy Service, Esquimalt. Rev. H. S. Osborne officiating. Miss Beatrice E. Bennett acted as bridesmaid, while Joliff Davies was best man. After a wedding breakfast partaken of at the home of the bride's father, 630 Superior Street, the happy couple left on the Sol Duc for a visit to Sound ports, and on their return will take up their residence in Victoria. Many beautiful presents were received, testifying to the esteem in which the contracting parties are held.

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Mr. Samuel Parker, fruit grower, Grimsby, Ont., made the following declaration before M. W. W. Kidd, Notary Public, of the same place: "I do solemnly declare that I was troubled with bleeding piles and was advised to go to the hospital to have an operation performed. My wife said 'No, get a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment.' I did so, and in a few days the piles were cured while living in Manitoba and obtained a complete cure, for I have never been troubled with piles since. I am now seventy years of age and want to recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to all sufferers from piles. My wife has used it for itching skin and obtained complete cures."

Mr. Donald M. Campbell, Campbell's Mountain, N. S., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment with great success for hemorrhoids or piles of fifteen years standing. After trying all kinds of so-called pile cures, a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment gave me a complete cure. I have also used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and there are no other so good. You may use this letter, if you wish, for the benefit of others who may suffer as I did."

Sworn before me, Murdoch Gordon Campbell, J.P., in the County and for Inverness County.

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Aged Printer, Whose Death Occurred Yesterday, Came Here With Engineers in 'Sixties

One of the real pioneers of British Columbia, who actually took a part in the making of the first roads along which the early settler would enter the country with his effects, passed away yesterday afternoon in the person of Mr. Robert Butler. Despite his years (he was 76) it is only about four weeks since he ceased attending his duties at the King's Printing Office, Parliament Buildings, having done for the first as well as the last time a work which had occupied him for more than five decades. He had been in failing health for some time, but believed, like many of the energetic type who were characteristic of the early-comers to the country, that work is the panacea for all ills.

The late Robert Butler was one of the real pioneers of the city. He was born November 2, 1845, in Manchester, England. He came to this country on the Thames City, which landed here on April 12, 1858, being a member of the Royal Engineers under the late Colonel Wolfenden, for many years King's Printer.

Re-shiping on the old steamer Eliza Anderson, he accompanied Lieutenant Palmer, R.E. to Sapperton, now New Westminster, the party taking with

some of the miners actually carried in the "gold" days. The late "Bill" Moore one day came in with a load of freight and went to a bar where some Spaniards were running a monte game. He didn't understand it, but joined in, and before he left he had cleared \$1,740.

In Rifle Corps.

Mr. Butler was a member of the rifle corps formed at New Westminster in 1864, others who joined being Colonel Wolfenden, Judge Crease and Capt. Pritchard. Subsequently they came down to shoot against a Victoria rifle team, and in 1865 he joined the local corps formed by Capt. Lang. Others who belonged to this association at the time were Messrs. Shotbolt, Newbury, Thompson and others. He was a sergeant. When the Fifth Regiment was formed he joined the artillery, and in 1874 lost in the competition for Wimbledon representatives by one point, Colonel Wolfenden being the lucky competitor. However, in 1874 he was more successful, being sent to Wimbledon.

His interest in shooting and artillery was a complement from the Marquis of Lorne on the occasion of the visit of the Royal visitor here in those early days. A practice was held with the 64-pounder muzzle-loaders at Finlayson Point, and he was responsible for sighting the round that broke the flag placed on a barrel some distance out in the Straits.

Remarkable Health.

Practically all his life Mr. Butler enjoyed the most remarkable good health. Right up to the last he was able to hold his place in the printing office with any of the younger men.

He had a large family, his eldest boy, R. Butler, of Vancouver, having been in the employ of the Post Office there for over thirty years. Other children who survive are Fred Butler, Mrs. J. D. McNiven and Mrs. E. S. Findlay, all of Vancouver; Miss Edith Butler, of Portland, Ore.; and Miss Ethel Butler, of this city. There are sixteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

The funeral is to take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 from the "Old Fellows" Hall, Douglas street. The deceased gentleman was one of the oldest members of Columbia Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., Rev. Mr. Osborne, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, will conduct the services at the grave. By kind permission of Dr. Maclean, Provincial secretary, the King's Printing Office, Parliament Buildings, will be closed to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock as a mark of respect to one who had been associated with the department since its inception.

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Every day boxes from home are going to the boys in the trenches. And of the things they get, a great prize is Wrigley's, the Gum with Lasting Flavour.

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CONVOCACTION CALLED BY A SPECIAL NOTICE

After Lapse of Five Years University Boy Will Again Be Brought Together

Notices have been sent to the 850 members of the convocation of the University of British Columbia that a meeting will be held in the University Building at Vancouver on Saturday of this week. This will be the first convocation since 1912. The coming gathering is being called under a clause in the University Act upon a requisition signed by ten members of the convocation, addressed to the chancellor of the University.

It is stated that the requisition was prepared because there has existed for some time a strong feeling that the function of convocation should be more fully exercised and the opportunity seized for bringing the University nearer to the people of the province.

While the University had made remarkable progress, especially in view of the large number of men who had left for the front, there had been a failure to make use of the advantages of convocation, which part of the University body enabled the people of the province to take an active interest in the running of the institution. Convocation had the effect of making the members of the general public of the University and in other Universities, one of the results of convocation had been to interest men of wealth in the institution, sometimes followed by endowments and scholarships.

It is understood that among the more important questions which will be discussed at convocation, aside from the question of holding a new election for the senate and the recommendation to the Minister of Education for an amendment of the British Columbia University Act so that all the members of the University staff may in future be members of convocation. Other business will be the election of the chancellor and 15 members of the senate.

The following are the elected members of the senate: R. E. McKechnie, M.D., C.M., Vancouver; Hon. F. W. Hewart, L.L.B., New Westminster; N. Wolverson, B.A., L.L.D., Nelson; J. S. Gordon, B.A., Vancouver; Mrs. J. W. de B. Farris, B.A., Vancouver; F. C. Wade, B.A., K.C., Vancouver; W. P. Argue, B.A., Vancouver; W. D. Brydone-Jack, B.A., L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., Seattle; E. Q. Sawyer, B.A., Summerland; Mrs. M. R. Watt, M.A., Victoria; C. D. Rand, B.A., Vancouver (deceased); Hon. Gordon Hunter, B.A., Victoria; E. P. Davis, B.A., Vancouver; J. M. Pearson, M.D., Vancouver.

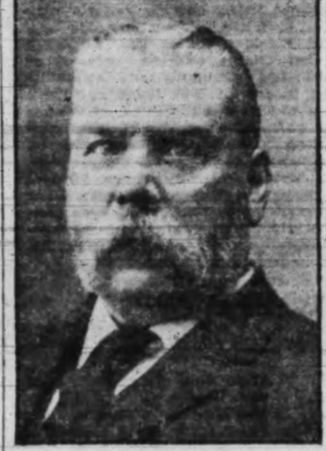
BACK TO THE TRENCHES

Sergt. S. F. D. Roe Fully Recovered From Wound in Returning to England Shortly.

Sergt. S. F. D. Roe, who has been taking three months' leave from active service, is leaving the city during the next few days to report to the Canadian Army Headquarters in England. It will be remembered that Sergt. Roe enlisted in the fall of 1914 with the Victoria Fusiliers and afterwards transferred to the 18th Battalion under Colonel Holmes, leaving for overseas in June two years ago.

Reaching France in March of last year, Sergt. Roe was exactly a month in the battle zone when he was wounded in the right leg by shrapnel. During the days in the trenches his battalion was posted before Messines, which has figured so largely in the successful operations carried out by British troops during the last few days. Following his wounding he was confined to hospital in London for nearly three months.

From the period of inactivity in hospital he was attached in England for basic duty at the Army Department of Medical Services, taking turns alternately at Folkestone, Brighton and Hastings. Of the treatment accorded to the Canadians in England Sergt. Roe has nothing but praise. He says that while there are naturally some complaints, both valid and invalid, everything possible for the "Tommy" no matter from whence he originates, is done to ensure his comfort, enjoyment and good health.



THE LATE ROBT. BUTLER

them from Victoria one of the biggest "bakings" which went out in the early days. This consisted of 2,000 loaves, intended to tide them over what might prove a period of close rations. He was on the Fraser with a corps of Royal Engineers for nine years, breaking the roads and otherwise opening up the country for the settlers who ultimately came in.

With Colonel Wolfenden came the hand press which was used in the Government service for many years, still standing in the corridor of the Government printing office as a relic of times not actually so far distant.

It was while stationed at Sapperton that he was married. This was on January 25, 1867, and just a few months ago he and his wife, who were at the time visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. D. McNiven, of Vancouver, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding.

Early Experiences.

At one time Mr. Butler, who was able in October, 1916, to claim a fifty-three years' record in the Government service in the capacity of printer, was stationed at Douglas, then an out-fitting place for Cariboo. It was at the very height of the gold-mining excitement, and many questionable characters found their way into the diggings. Mr. Butler was among the old-timers who bore hearty admiration for the fearless meting out of justice to evildoers by the late Chief Justice Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, who was a terror to such as chanced to come within the pale of his wrath. On one occasion he himself was engaged in hunting to earth an Indian who had made a business of hiring himself as a packer to miners and then killing them for the gold they carried.

A Frenchman who had fifty pounds of gold wrapped in a blanket had hired this man and was shot by the Indian as he stooped to drink at a brook by the trail. The bullet only grazed his shoulder, but Mr. Butler and two other men just at this juncture came along the road. The Indian took to the bush and "Tom" Humphrey, later Provincial Secretary, went after him. They traced the man to an Indian settlement near Lillooet, an Indian boy disclosing his whereabouts. Mr. Humphrey very fearlessly approached the tent where he was hiding, when the man rushed out and shot him in the arm. The constable fired, wounding the Indian in the head, and took him prisoner. He was hanged on Christmas Eve at Douglas, ending abruptly a record which had no less than eight murders to its debit.

Excitement Here.

Victoria has almost forgotten its share in the excitement which followed the opening of the gold diggings in the interior, and of which the late Mr. Butler delighted to tell. Plenty of rough characters passed through the city at one time and another. A saloon run by a mulatto on the site of what is now Copas & Young's grocery had some notoriety. One day Billy Barker, a miner who had just come down from the Fraser River, swept a number of glasses from the counter, then took a handful of twenty-dollar gold pieces and threw them against a big mirror with the remark: "If you pick them up they'll pay for the damage." This was an example of the "flush" hand which

LETTER BOX

LADIES' HATS AT CONCERTS.

To the Editor.—The concerts given by the Ladies' Musical Club during the past season have been delightful, but the pleasure in listening to them would be to the male sex at least—largely increased if the ladies among the audience would have the consideration to remove their hats. As the concerts have been more or less informal, the ladies have apparently considered themselves entitled to keep their hats on and entirely overlook the fact that many people like to be able to see, as well as to hear the performer. The beautiful ballroom at the Empress Hotel makes a delightful concert room for this gifted Musical Club, but unfortunately the seats have to be all on the same level.

As at their final concert on Thursday evening the Ladies' Musical Club are presenting an exceptionally fine programme, would it be too much for one of the officers on the platform to ask all ladies to remove their hats before the concert begins?

LONG SUFFERING MALE.
June 12, 1917.

CONSCRIPTION.

To the Editor.—Two items in your paper to-night are very interesting and most important reading. Conscription has at last been introduced, but what lasting shame to Canada that a measure that was absolutely inevitable from the first should be shown its glory by the unpatriotic discussion and opposition, permitted by the dilatory methods of the authorities. We boys from the front realized only too well the sad discouragement to our volunteers fighting at the front and the exaggerated measure of consolation to

FELL AT BULLECOURT

Corp. Douglas Frith Killed in Action Was Well-Known in Victoria.

A letter has been received by Mrs. Drinkie, of Richmond Road, containing the news of the death in action during the battle of Bullecourt of Corporal Douglas Frith, of the Australian Expeditionary Forces.

Corporal Frith is very well known in this city, since he was employed by the Sir John Jackson Company from 1911 until just after the outbreak of war. In the early days of the great conflict he left Victoria for Australia and almost immediately on arrival in the Antipodes he joined the Commonwealth forces for service in Egypt.

He spent some time there and afterwards was transferred to the western theatre of war, and it was during the fierce struggle for the town of Bullecourt, which changed hands several times, that he met his death.

He had gone through several of the fiercest engagements on the western front without so much as a scratch, and while "going over the top" he was fatally hit.

He was 31 years of age and a native of England, where his relatives and parents reside.

VETERAN KILLED

Captain F. C. Naper, of Summerland, Died on Macedonian Front Went Through African Campaign.

Capt. F. C. Naper, of Prairie Valley, Summerland, according to English papers just received, has been killed in action. Captain Naper went to Summerland in 1906, and as a member of the Officers' Reserve he left the valley early in 1915 to rejoin his old regiment, the King's Own Royal Lancasters. Recent letters indicated that he had taken a draft to Salonica, so that it is presumed he met his death while serving on the Macedonian front during the fighting which took place there early in May.

Soon after Captain Naper arrived in England he was sent to France with a reinforcing draft of his old unit and in June, 1916, was severely wounded in five places by a high explosive shell, which necessitated hospital treatment for nearly a year. The dead officer has seen a good deal of active service, since he was for nearly two years with his regiment through the campaign in South Africa. He held the King's and Queen's medals with several clasps, the names of which include, among other memorable engagements, Spion Kop and the Tugela River.

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VICTORIAN MENTIONED

Captain H. R. Mustard, of Canadian Field Ambulance Appears in Dispatches.

Among the names of Canadian officers mentioned by Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig in despatches recently was that of Captain H. R. Mustard, of Victoria. The officer in question went to France with the 12th Canadian Field Ambulance with the rank of medical

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M. C. HERO MISSING

Fate of Lieut. Frank Perraton, of Prince Rupert, is Now Doubtful.

Only last week Mrs. B. Smart, of Prince Rupert, received information that her brother, Lieut. Frank Perraton, of the Royal Fusiliers, had been awarded the Military Cross for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He rallied and reorganized the elements of three companies and rendered valuable assistance in repulsing a strong enemy counter-attack. He set a splendid example of courage and determination. Since then, however, Mrs. Smart has received another cable containing the distressing intelligence that he is now missing. Out of his platoon of 58 men in his last engagement, only 17 came out, and it is not known whether the lieutenant is a prisoner of war or not.

ONE OF THE BOYS

Swan Lake, June 12.

Official notification was received in the city yesterday by his sister, Mrs. James McConnell, of 222 Langford Street, that Private Thomas Booth had been missing since the capture of Vimy Ridge on April 9, and that, so far, no news concerning his whereabouts had been gleaned. Private Booth left Victoria with the Timber

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PRINCE RUPERT TO MAKE SPECIAL TRIP AS FAR AS ANYOX

G. T. P. Boat Again Afloat After Two Months in Esquimalt Drydock

Capt. Nicholson, manager of the G. T. P. coast steamships, announces that the steamship Prince Rupert will make a special trip between Victoria, Vancouver, Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert and Anyox sailing from this port at 10 a. m. June 21. This has been made possible by the early completion of repairs to the Prince Rupert, which was floated in the Esquimalt graving basin this forenoon.

Under the present arrangements the steamship will come around to her regular berth in the Inner Harbor either to-morrow afternoon or Friday. She will then lay at her berth until to-day week, when she will be put into commission for the first time in three months. The vessel was ashore one month on Genn Island and the repair contract has taken less than two months to complete. Capt. Nicholson came over from Vancouver to witness the floating of the Prince Rupert to-day, being accompanied at the dock by A. L. Brownlee, chief engineer, who has been watching progress ever since the ship was taken over by Yarrows, Ltd. The Prince Rupert will return from her special trip to Prince Rupert and Anyox on June 26 and will proceed to Seattle. On June 27, at 9:30 a. m., the Prince Rupert will sail from Seattle under the new summer schedule, clearing from Victoria at 3 o'clock the same afternoon for Prince Rupert and Anyox via Vancouver.

The summer sailings will be inaugurated by the steamship Prince George, which is posted to leave Seattle at 8:30 a. m. on June 25, departing from Victoria at 3 p. m. same day for Prince Rupert, Ketchikan, Wrangell, Juneau and Skagway.

A semi-weekly service will follow, the Prince George and Prince Rupert alternating on the Skagway and Anyox runs. After June 25, these boats, on the southbound voyages, will reach Victoria at 10:30 p. m. on Sundays and Tuesdays, leaving at midnight for Seattle.

BIG SUM FOR RELIEF OF BRITISH SEAMEN

Grand Total of \$140,000 Raised in Canada for Deserving Cause

At a meeting of the executive of the British Sailors' Relief Fund, held at Montreal May 21, it was decided to forward to the British Admiralty a further \$20,000 for distribution among the dependents of sailors who were killed in the war. The fund has raised a total of \$140,000 in Canada for the relief of British seamen and their dependents.

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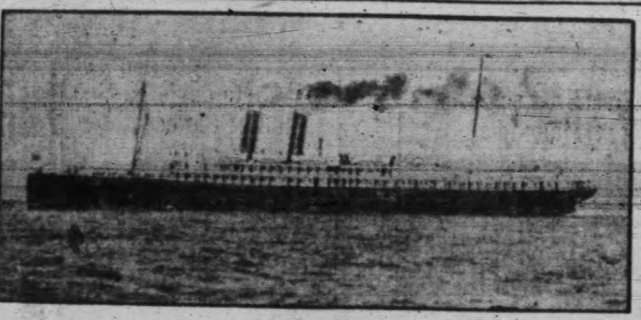
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SUNK STEAMER IN COLLISION



PACIFIC S. S. COMPANY'S LINER GOVERNOR

CUTTER McCULLOCH SUNK BY GOVERNOR

Collision Occurred Early This Morning Off Point Arguello; No Lives Lost

San Francisco, June 12.—The coast-guard cutter McCulloch was sunk in collision with the steamer Governor off Point Arguello early to-day. The crew of the cutter was transferred to the Governor. No casualties were reported. The collision occurred at 7:21 a. m., the vessel sinking about 40 minutes later. Point Arguello is approximately 25 miles north of Santa Barbara.

The McCulloch was one of Admiral George Dewey's fleet at the Battle of Manila Bay. The steamer Governor, of the Pacific Steamship Company, sailed from Victoria at 3 p. m. on Friday last bound for San Francisco, Wilmington and San Diego. Under her schedule the Governor should have cleared from San Francisco at 4 p. m. on Monday for Wilmington, where the boats of this fleet now touch to make connections with Los Angeles.

There is a possibility that the Governor may have been delayed in leaving San Francisco, as she was due at Wilmington at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon on her southbound trip to San Diego.

The dispatch states that the collision occurred at 7:21 a. m. to-day off Point Arguello. Point Arguello is between San Francisco and Wilmington.

The Governor, Capt. Cousins, is scheduled to leave San Francisco on her northbound trip to Victoria on Saturday next, and will reach here the following Monday.

The accident occurred during a dense fog, according to a telegram received here by Captain Robert Russell, of the Twelfth Naval District, from the captain of the Governor. It was expected that the Governor would reach Los Angeles harbor at 4 p. m. to-day, where the McCulloch's men will probably be landed.

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LABOR SITUATION AMICABLY SETTLED

Conferences Result in Complete Understanding Between Munitions Board and Labor

An amicable understanding has been reached between the coast representatives of the Imperial Munitions Board and the labor interests respecting conditions in the shipbuilding industry in this province.

Yesterday afternoon a deputation representing the Vancouver Trades & Labor Council waited upon R. P. Butchart, director of shipbuilding for British Columbia, in connection with the proposed introduction of a ten-hour day. Last evening a further meeting took place between representatives of the Victoria and Vancouver Trades Councils, the members of the Munitions Board and W. I. Bishop, manager of the Foundation Company, Ltd., which concern has been awarded contracts to build ships here for the Government.

At this conference, after the various phases of the situation had been thrashed out, it was agreed that two shifts of eight hours each, be worked, at overtime to be paid at the prevailing rates. The representatives of the labor interests assured the members of the board that a large amount of local labor was available and gave a pledge to assist the shipbuilders to get in touch with the available labor. For this purpose an office has been opened at 220 Belmont Block by John Day, who will register all those desiring employment in the local shipyards. There will be no discrimination between union and non-union workers.

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HUDSON BAY LINE NEARS PORT NELSON

Government Tracks Now Within Ninety Miles of Tidewater Terminal

Ottawa, June 12.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, states that the new tracks on the Hudson's Bay Railway to within 92 miles of Port Nelson. The second bridge across the Nelson river will be completed this summer and rails will be laid into Port Nelson before the end of the year.

The estimated cost of the completed railroad terminals and harbor work is twenty-six million dollars, with an expenditure so far of little over eighteen million dollars.

Mr. Cochrane estimates the total cost of the new tidewater ship canal will be fifty million dollars, with about thirteen million dollars already spent.

The queer thing about people is that they are always thinking other people queer.

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SUPERSTITIONS PLAY PART WITH GOLFERS

Peculiar Charms Are Worked by Some Players When Taking High Scores

Whether or no some golfers can get themselves into a proper frame of mind through the medium of charms or mascots only they themselves can say. I do suppose, though, that it must set their mental spirits at rest when they are satisfied that their certain little oddities are just as they would have them. I incurred the wrath of a colored caddie at Pinehurst in 1915 because I refused to allow him to work one of his favorite charms upon me.

I believe I needed a three on the eighth hole to finish second in the North and South Open Championship. On the preceding hole I missed a putt of not over ten inches, which accounted for the necessity of getting a most improbable three on the long eighth.

My drive to the last hole went straight down the fairway and for good length. I selected a jigger for my second shot, and turned to watch my partner play his stroke.

"Captain," said little black George, my caddie, in his own inimitable dialect, "lem'me see dat club."

"What do you want it for?"

"Ah wants to rub da rabbit's foot on it," was the answer.

I told him I did not care to have him do this because I was not superstitious. This incensed him greatly, and he proceeded to tell me that he had chased a rabbit three miles to get one of its feet and eventually bring luck to whomsoever he happened to caddy for.

As luck would have it, I happened to hole a longish putt for my three, apparently much to the chagrin of my caddie, who believed so faithfully in the charms of a rabbit's foot.

His Good Luck Jinx

Another good one happened at Detroit in the first qualifying round a friend of mine had the misfortune of having his ball stop in some very black mud. Rather than suffer a two-stroke penalty, he elected to play the ball from where it lay, and promptly covered himself from head to foot with the rich soil—most especially his nice clean shirt. That morning he returned a very fine score of seventy-eight, which he improved by one on his second round. This qualified him nicely.

He came to the club

SPORTING NEWS

TENNIS TOURNAMENT WELL UNDER WAY NOW

Players Asked to Make Special Point of Being on Time

Play in the American Tournament now in progress at the courts of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club was very satisfactory yesterday. Conditions generally were all that could be desired to make the event a success. The courts were in good shape and the interest and competition shown by the players has once again revived the old-time enthusiasm in the game. Those taking part in the following matches are scheduled for to-day are asked to make a special point of being present at the exact time at which they are to play. The following are the times for this afternoon:

Division A.
At 5.30 o'clock—Miss Neame and Helen v. Miss Rickaby and Gordon.

Division B.
At 5.30 o'clock—Miss Camusa and Miss Ross and Brown v. Miss Dibley and Cleary v. Mrs. Jepson v. Mrs. Leeming and Leeming v. Mrs. Cave and Cave.

Division C.
At 5.30 o'clock—Miss Wood and Miss Harlow and Cusack v. Miss Harlow and Simpson.

At 6 o'clock—Miss Andrews and Miss Wood and Sproule v. Miss Harlow and Simpson.

At 6.30 o'clock—Miss Bradshaw and Miss Wood and Sproule v. Miss Harlow and Simpson.

Division D.
At 5.30 o'clock—Miss Boston and Beatrice v. Miss Gardener and Davenport; Mrs. Ward and Palm v. Miss Scott and Mrs. Burns and Foreman.

At 6 o'clock—Miss Boston and Beatrice v. Miss Gardener and Davenport; Mrs. Ward and Palm v. Miss Scott and Mrs. Burns and Foreman.

Division E.
At 5.30 o'clock—Miss Sweeney and Mrs. Elliot and Terry; Miss Sweeney and Sweeney (Jr.) v. Mrs. Bell and Abell v. Miss Meredith and Taylor.

At 6 o'clock—Mrs. Elliot and Terry; Miss Meredith and Taylor; Miss Sweeney and Sweeney (Jr.) v. Mrs. Bell and Abell; Miss McNeill and D. Sweeney v. Miss Harris and Brethour.

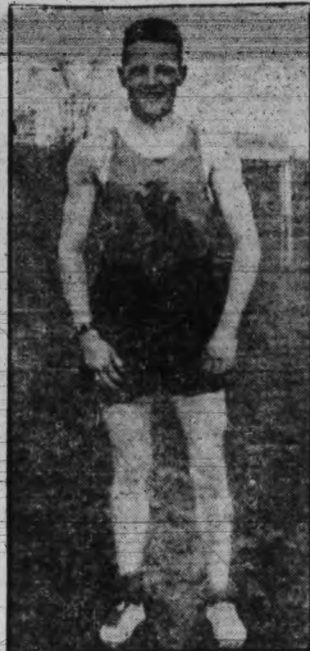
URLEY WOULD MATCH LEONARD AND WHITE

Jack Curley has telegraphed to New York from San Francisco an offer of \$1000 for a bout between Benny Leonard and Charley White. Curley stated his wife that he has a place not so far from New York where he will be able to conduct a 25-round contest a referee's decision. Nate Lewis, White, said in New York to-day: "I hope that Gibson will accept that anding Leonard for a chance at the belt. But he will have to meet White actually, and the sooner the better, you never can tell what might happen in the sticks. A fourth round in a good punch might beat Leonard and then our chance would be gone. Gibson can take as much as \$20,000 as he cares to. All we want is a chance at the title."

INTRODUCE ANOTHER BALL

Cleveland, June 13.—An epidemic of "the ball" is sweeping the big leagues, as spoke-umpire Billy Evans, referring to the new ball with two slick spots. "Many pitchers are trying out a mysterious floating sensation," said Evans. "Among them are Shore, Bader of the Red Sox; Dumont, Shaw of Washington; Falkenberg of the Athletics; and Clotette of the Sox."

CAPTURES TROPHIES



WILLIAM CUTLER

The well-known local athlete who has been figuring prominently in the Aviation Field Day at Toronto which was held recently.

SUMMER CAMP FOR ALL Y.M.C.A. BOYS

Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria Lads to Go to Howe Sound

The Y. M. C. A. summer camp that will be attended by boys from this city, Vancouver and New Westminster will be held at Howe Sound for a period of three weeks from July 5 to 27. The Vancouver Association has courteously invited the members of the Boys' Department of the local institution to share in the camp, which they will hold in conjunction with the New Westminster lads.

For some months past the terminal city organization has been making great preparations for the event, which is to be the feature of their summer programme. The officials have spared no pains or efforts in raising funds to finance the undertaking and their endeavors have met with every success. A large sum has been raised and the equipment that will be one of the many attractions of the camp will be of the very best. Every wish for legitimate out-of-door sport that could enter into a youthful mind has been considered by the officials in making their preparations for the camp.

All kinds of athletics will be indulged in, including canoeing, swimming, fishing, boating, baseball, tennis, volleyball, hikes, socials and other attractive methods of passing the summer days. Three large Indian war-canoes have been provided, having in all a capacity for about seventy boys. The opportunity to attend such a camp as this will in all probability be immediately seized upon by as many members of the local association as can be taken to the scene of the vacation. Those who do not wish to stay the full time can regulate the length of their visit according to their own personal circumstances, remaining either one, two or three weeks as they may decide.

The Vancouver boys have decided to entertain their guests from Victoria in the terminal city on July 4 and also at the week-end that will terminate the period of camp life. Boys who are members of the local association and who are considering attending the camp should get in touch with G. G. Emery, the boys' work secretary of the local organization.

FORTUNE OF GAME FAVORS COLONIST

Times Ball Artists Determined to Come Back at Earliest Opportunity

The season of newspaper baseball in Victoria was opened yesterday by the game played at the North Ward Park between teams representing The Times and Colonist. Regarding one matter there is little opportunity for dispute, namely, that the latter team was successful during the six innings that were played in compiling 11 runs to the losers 5, thereby gaining a decided victory.

Controversies which have arisen since the game lead to the assumption that had the shades of night not descended so early upon the scene of yesterday's action, and had the teams been permitted to battle for the period of nine innings, the final verdict of the referee might not have been so favorable to the followers of the midnight watch. Certain it is that, having tasted the pleasures of defeat, they will be doubly fortified against the aggressions of pride and other weaknesses of human nature in the games which are yet to be played.

Yesterday's game was possibly the most enthusiastic that has been played on local grounds this season, and judging from the volume of sound, melodious and otherwise, principally otherwise which emanated from the fans interest in the game has not waned in the capital city. The first inning was certainly an easy catch for the "Owls" who scratched together a total of five runs before the "Ducks" really got into the swimming. It appeared evident that the latter birds were not quite accustomed to the new water in which they had plunged. In the second, however, the day birds assumed an attitude of "we'll get there," with the result that by steady plodding they gradually began to stem the general flow of the current that had commenced decidedly against them.

From this point on their efforts were met with much greater success, and the score of the losers began to increase to the tune of the gradual decline of the hitting of their opponents. Macdonald, Miller, and Goodner, who played catcher, pitcher and first for the losers, showed that they have the making of the real baseball material in them.

The winners, in spite of the fact that their best playing was shown only at the commencement of the game, must be given the credit of possessing an active and effective nine. One would have presumed that the night eyes of the "Owls" would have been some what dimmed by the opening attack of the day birds, but such was by no means the case. Both teams will undoubtedly get into A1 condition for the second contest that will be played in the near future.

Yesterday's scores were as follows:

The Times	
Goodner	1 2 3 4 5 6
Jenkins	0 0 0 0 0 0
Miller	0 0 0 0 0 1
Macdonald	0 0 0 0 0 1
Sale	1 0 0 0 0 0
Colfax	0 0 0 0 0 0
Jealousie	0 0 0 0 0 0
Lowers	0 0 0 0 0 0
Hickup	0 0 0 0 1 0
Total 5 2 2 1 1 6 11	

The Colonist:

More	1 1 0 0 0 0
Milne	1 1 0 0 1 0
Grant	0 0 0 0 0 0
Gowan	0 0 1 0 0 0
J. Crook	1 0 0 0 0 0
Fairfull	1 0 0 0 0 0
C. Crook	0 0 0 0 0 0
Dunn	0 0 0 0 0 0
Lindsay	0 0 1 0 0 0
Total 5 2 2 1 1 6 11	

INDIAN RUNNER ILL IN THE OLD COUNTRY

In a recent casualty list is contained the name of Pte. Arthur Jamieson as seriously ill. This is none other than Arthur Jamieson, the Indian marathon runner, who went overseas with the 115th Battalion of Ontario. He is about 23 years of age. Jamieson was well-known in athletic circles, and while a member of the 115th Battalion took part in a number of marathon races against Tom Wood, Tom Longboat, Jim Corkery and others. He has competed in all the important marathons in Canada as well as in the Boston "grind."

MINOR LEAGUES FIND SEASON VERY STIFF

Prospects of Keeping Clubs Going Not Bright; Meeting of Magnates

Baseball in the minor leagues, by the frank admission of A. R. Torney, president of the Three-I League, and the more or less frank admission of other league presidents, is tottering, dispatches from New York state. Replying to the suggestion by Torney that, to make money and protect the title to the players now under contract, a meeting of the presidents should be held in order to take concerted action, the sentiment is divided. Some of the executives feel the step should be taken. Others, while admitting the seriousness of the situation, are reluctant to go so far. A few declined to enter into the suggestion.

Thos. J. Hickey, president of the American Association, expressed the opinion that such a step would be advisable.

Harrow Would Keep Working. Ed G. Barrow, of the International League, an organization which has gone through more trouble than any other league in the country, still believes it is the best thing to pull through if such a thing is at all possible. He objected to the joint meeting proposed, believing title to players would be hard to retain.

R. H. Baugh, president of the Southern Association, said the weather has been good and the attendance everything that could be expected in his circuit. He admitted, however, the outlook was uncertain. The Eastern League will weather the storm in the opinion of President Dan O'Neil. Conditions, however, have not been overly good in this organization.

Blue Ridge Diehards. J. V. Jamison, Jr., president of the Blue Ridge League, reported that his circuit already has disbanded. Bad weather, the prospect of a war tax and the depressing influence of a war spirit all had their effect in producing this result, he said.

J. W. Morris, president of the Texas League, favored the idea of the meeting and wrote that had conditions already forced his league to drop two of its cities—Beaumont and Galveston. He was of the opinion that the circuit would be able to make it the rest of the year.

President Brahm, of the North Carolina League, also had dropped two cities and was heartily in favor of the meeting.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—		R. H. E.	
Boston	4	11	1
Pittsburgh	5	16	1
Batteries—Allen, Tyler; Barnes and Truesdell; Hooper, Jacobs and Wagner.			
At Chicago—		R. H. E.	
New York	19	12	0
Chicago	6	11	4
Batteries—Schupp, Tesreau and Harden; Seaton, Hendrix, Reuther and Elliott.			
At St. Louis—		R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	4	10	0
St. Louis	0	8	0
Batteries—Rixey and Kihlifer; Ames, Horstman and Livingston.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At New York—		R. H. E.	
Chicago	3	19	1
New York	4	9	2
(12 innings.)			
Batteries—Cletche and Schalk; Mogridge, Russell, Love and Nunamaker.			
At Washington—		R. H. E.	
Cleveland	2	13	0
Washington	2	11	1
(11 1/2 innings, called, darkness.)			

COAST LEAGUE

At San Francisco—Oakland, 8; San Francisco, 1.	
At Portland—Los Angeles, 2; Portland, 4.	

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Spokane—		R. H. E.	
Vancouver	6	3	4
Spokane	10	11	5
Batteries—Acosta and Cadman; Fitzpatrick and Marshall.			
At Tacoma—		R. H. E.	
Seattle	7	9	0
Tacoma	7	11	2
Batteries—Rojas, Dailey and Cunningham; Pilett, Schroeder and Stevens.			
At Butte—		R. H. E.	
Great Falls	5	12	1
Butte	7	12	0
Batteries—Peterson and Byler; Hydon and Kafora.			

EIGHT SUCCESSIVE WINS FOR SEATTLE

Tacoma Was Defeated by Giants in Yesterday's Game; First of Series

Tacoma, June 13.—Bill Leard's on-rushing Giants outplayed the league leaders here yesterday and captured the first game of the series by a 1 to 4 score. It was the eighth consecutive win for the Seattle club. The visitors put up a snappy, aggressive game and made a decided impression on Tacoma fans.

Seattle jumped into the lead in the opening frame, when Leard walked, reached second on Murphy's out and scored when Thompson booted Gardner's grounder. Gardner stole second and scored on Carman's screaming double down the left field line. Tacoma evened in their half of the first, when Harper clouted the ball out of the lot with Raymond on second.

The Giants again assumed the lead in the third, largely through loose play by the Bengals. Pilett was unsteady in the fourth frame and hits by Murphy and Tom Cunningham and glaring misplays by the locals gave the Seattle boys a lead of three runs. The Tigers counted in the sixth on Flag-stead's homer.

Rojas, who was not much of a puzzle to the local hitters, got himself in a bad hole in the eighth and for awhile things looked bright in Tigertown. "Big Joe" Dailey was rushed to the rescue and killed whatever chances the Tigers had. Three Tacoma runners died on the paths when Dailey put on the brakes.

Schroeder Wild. "Lefty" Schroeder, recently of the Butte team, made his first local appearance in the ninth, when he replaced Pilett, and he was wild and ineffective and the visitors chased two runs over the rubber. Flagstead doubled in the last frame, but remained on second when Downey and Thompson were easily disposed of.

The Tacoma players were away off in the field and seven errors were marked against them. Seattle batted in errorless fashion. The rival managers announced that Strand and Sutherland would be the opposing heavies to-day.

Seattle—		A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.				
Leard, 2 b.	3	2	1	3	3	0
Murphy, 3 b.	5	1	1	3	2	0
Gardner, 1 b.	5	2	1	10	0	0
Carman, r. f.	4	1	2	0	4	0
Goldie, l. f.	2	0	0	2	0	0
W. Cunningham, c. f.	0	0	2	2	0	0
Morse, s. a.	3	0	0	0	0	0
T. Cunningham, c.	4	1	2	2	0	0
Rojas, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Dailey, b.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals		34	9	27	41	0

Tacoma—		A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.				
Connolly, c. f.	4	0	0	5	1	0
Raymond, 4 b.	1	1	1	4	1	0
Harper, r. f.	5	1	1	0	0	2
Flagstead, l. f.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Stevens, 2 b.	3	0	2	3	4	0
Downey, 3 b.	3	0	2	3	4	0
Thompson, 1 b.	3	0	1	8	1	3
Carman, p.	4	1	2	0	4	0
Pilett, b.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Schroeder, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sutherland, l. f.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		30	4	11	27	15

*Batted for Pilett in eighth.

Seattle by innings: 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7. Tacoma: 2 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0. Summary: Stolen bases—Connolly, Leard, Gardner, Morse. Sacrifice hits—Thompson, Rojas. Two-base hits—Carman, Flagstead, Stevens. Three-base hit—Stevens. Home runs—Flagstead, Harper. Double plays—Morse to Leard to Gardner; Downey to Raymond to Thompson; Pilett to Downey to Thompson. Innings pitched—Rojas, 7 1-3; Dailey, 1 2-3; Pilett, 8; Schroeder, 1. Struck out—By Pilett, 3; by Rojas, 3; by Dailey, 2; by Schroeder, 1. Bases on balls—Off Rojas, 4; off Pilett, 4; off Schroeder, 1; off Dailey, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Carman and Goldie, by Pilett.

PLAYERS REFUSE TO ACCEPT REDUCTIONS

Players of the San Francisco and Oakland teams met separately yesterday to discuss the proposal of the league magnates to reduce salaries on June 15.

No inkling of the decision reached by the men was given out, but it is reported that some of the players have decided to resist the cuts by demanding their release. Henry Berry, Seal owner, has notified his men that players getting between \$250 and \$300 a month will be cut 10 per cent, and players over \$300 15 per cent. Players getting \$225 or less will not be affected.

While considerable trouble is expected by magnates and line-ups may have to be revised radically, it is understood that most of the players will accept the reduction, because they can scarcely do anything else. The effect of the new move on attendance at the league games is problematical.

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BASEBALL CASE IS NOW BEFORE COURT

Testimony is Given by Witnesses and Court Adjourned for Further Sitting.

Testifying that the \$900,000 suit of the Baltimore Federal League Club against organized baseball growing out of the peace agreement of December, 1915, whereby the Federal League went out of existence, L. Edwin Goldman, a director of the Baltimore Club, said his club knew absolutely nothing about negotiations to put the league out of business until the peace agreement had been reached, says a Philadelphia dispatch. He emphasized his denial that the Baltimore Club was consulted in the negotiations.

The suit was brought under the Sherman and Clayton Act trust laws, the Baltimore Club charging that the agreement between the Federal League and organized baseball was a violation of the anti-trust laws and tended to monopolize the baseball business. The club also charges that the agreement disrupted the Federal League, and which, under the anti-trust laws, it is asking triple damages.

George Wharton Pepper, counsel for the big leagues, in his opening statement, declared that baseball was not a commercial business and did not come within the federal anti-trust laws. He also indicated there was no attempt to monopolize baseball by the major league, declaring that the peace agreement with the federal league was made necessary to end a costly war and to restore public confidence in the management of the national sport.

David L. Fultz, president of the Players' Fraternity, testified to the operations of players' contracts, the reserve clause and release clause, when court adjourned.

The fact that nearly every one of his Cubs had been given the gate by another major league club at one time or another has cut no figure with Manager Fred Mitchell. The present boss of the Cubs has gone right ahead with the material at hand and has developed a sweet pastime outfit.

WILL RULE WHETHER BASEBALL IS TRUST

Philadelphia, June 13.—The \$900,000 suit of the Baltimore Federal League club brought under the federal anti-trust act against organized baseball got under way before a jury in the United States district court yesterday.

George Wharton Pepper, for the defendants, in his statement to the jury, contended that baseball was not a commercial business and therefore not within the purview of the federal anti-trust laws.

The Baltimore club is suing organized baseball for alleged discrimination against it when the peace pact between members of the Federal League and the Major League was brought about in December, 1915.

Jesse Tannehill, former well-known big league twirler, has been dropped from the International League umpire staff.

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The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Chapel, and will be removed on Thursday, June 14, at 2 o'clock, to the L. O. O. F. Hall, where service will be held at 2:30 p.m. under the auspices of No. 2 Lodge, L. O. O. F., Funeral by motor.

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LOCAL NEWS

Have You Seen the seven-jeweled wrist-watches, with unbreakable fronts, sold for \$5.00 each, by F. L. Haynes, 1124 Government Street? They're unequalled.

An Anonymous Letter.—An anonymous letter alleging dishonesty by a civic workman (unnamed) has been forwarded by the officers of the military district to the City Hall for investigation. There is no close upon which to institute an inquiry.

CONSERVATIVES WILL NOT HAVE CANDIDATE

Decide Against Opposition to Hon. John Hart; Minister Receives Congratulations

Since the announcement was made on Monday of the appointment of Hon. John Hart as Minister of Finance the new member of the Brewster cabinet has been in receipt of scores of congratulatory telegrams and letters. The Premier, also, has received several felicitating him on his choice of a colleague.

These come from not only personal friends of the Minister of Finance, but from municipal and business firms which have had dealings with him and know of his abilities and sterling character. They come from as far east as Montreal and Ottawa, and many are from Vancouver and the mainland. The Minister's telephone has also been kept busy, and the whole tenor of the messages has been hearty commendation of the Premier's action.

Last night there was a meeting of the Conservative executive for the city, at which the action of that party in the ensuing by-election was the subject of discussion. It is understood that there was unanimity of opinion among those present in favor of the field in opposition to Hon. Mr. Hart. There was some expression of willingness to give support in an official way to any independent candidate of weight who might come out, but on the whole the meeting is stated to have been against even this measure of opposition to the re-election of the Minister by acclamation.

The Liberal forces are ready for an election should one be forced on the constituency, with the expense it will entail, and the excellent organization which won the by-election of March 4, 1916, and the general election last September is still intact. Should any candidate offer against the Minister the drubbing which would be administered to him by the electorate would probably be even more drastic than that which a former Minister of Finance in the Bower Government received, when he barely saved his deposit.

Happy Event—Former Jailer Peter Brogan was the recipient, on Monday evening last, of a silver mounted pipe, presented to him as a mark of the esteem in which he is held by his military friends. Mr. Brogan has just completed a course at the Royal School of Instruction, Work Point, and is at the moment attached to the 8th Regiment, foreign draft of the 8th Regiment. He was one of the most proficient members of the police force in St. John's ambulance work and was exceedingly popular among his colleagues. Mr. Brogan is a resident of Esquimalt.

Call of Fire.—The fire department was called this morning to a small blaze in the oil room of the Canadian Puget Sound Mill, now operated by the Cameron Lumber Company.

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ESQUIMALT TO HAVE UNIQUE MEMORIAL TO ITS VOLUNTEERS

Meeting Last Night Approved Plans for "War Shrine"

The idea of erecting a "War Shrine" as a memorial to the men who have fallen and as places of prayer is not new in England, many now being seen in different parts of London particularly outside of Great Britain, however, the movement has had practically no recognition, and it is probable that the meeting held last night at Esquimalt at the instigation of Rev. W. W. Boulton, and at which there were present Rev. W. Hugh Allen, Rev. Robert Hughes, Rev. Father Silver, and a number of representative residents of the municipality, is the first one in any of the Overseas Dominions which has been convened for the purpose of seriously considering already prepared architectural plans for such a monument to the Esquimalt soldiers and sailors who have volunteered and gone overseas in the King's uniform.

Mr. Boulton explained the meaning of a War Shrine. It was not a mere notice board or roll of honor. It was a place of worship where people in the midst of their rush and hurry could stop a moment and say a prayer for the men. It would be a sacred place, and must have reverent surroundings. As a holy thing it must be in a sacred spot.

Drawings were shown, giving in detail the plans which were subsequently endorsed with hearty unanimity by the meeting, and which will be displayed at a public meeting of Esquimalt residents to be called within the next few days. About 11 feet in height the memorial will be in the form of a triptych with six removable panels for the names of the Esquimalt boys who have donned the khaki or blue. A lumber company and a firm of painters had given estimates "for the privilege of doing the work." The total expense would amount to less than \$300, an amount which the parents and friends would gladly contribute, it was felt. The shrine would be white enamel, the names impressed in black. Flower holders would be arranged, and Miss Hugh Allen readily volunteered to undertake the work of keeping the water supply fresh daily and to care for the changing of the flowers.

"It must be a family affair, built by the people of Esquimalt, and non-sectarian," urged Mr. Boulton, who himself has two boys serving with the colors. It was also stated that the idea would be to make the dedication and unveiling a "thing among themselves."

The idea had the very hearty endorsement of all present, and fuller details will be given when the people of Esquimalt as a whole have had the opportunity to hear the plans.

The following provisional committee, with power to add to their numbers, was appointed at the meeting to prepare the list of names: Rev. W. W. Boulton, Rev. W. Hugh Allen, Rev. Father Silver, Rev. R. Hughes, Capt. Mahony, T. H. Slater, Mr. Heald, Miss Pooley, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Nelson. Due publication of the name list will be given so that any volunteers inadvertently omitted may be added before the panels are inscribed in the shrine. The panel approved for the erection of the memorial is just near St. Paul's, Naval and Garrison Church, on consular ground, facing in such a way that it will be seen by passers-by.

"JOAN OF ARC"

Ladies' Musical Club Giving Special Recital at Empress To-night.

Henry Rember's wonderfully fine composition, "The Death Scene of Joan of Arc," is to be one of the outstanding features of the Red-Cross concert being given to-night at the Empress Hotel by the Ladies' Musical Club. It will be recalled that this work was given by the Ladies' Choral in April of last year, when it made a very deep impression on the audience. Mrs. D. B. MacCormack, who took the solo part on that occasion, will again do so, part on that occasion, who was responsible for bringing the work to the attention of the Club, having undertaken a second time to conduct the choir. The work was originally set to words taken from the drama "Les Messeniennes," and its first performance made such a favorable impression that Max Spicker translated the text into English and arranged the composition in the form that it will be heard to-night, revivifying after nearly five hundred years the memory of "The Maid of Orleans."

Mr. Fred Morris, of Montreal, who has come to make his home in the city, will be heard for the first time on the concert platform here. He is playing three pianoforte numbers two by Chopin, one by Rubenstein, Miss Maude Scruby, the well-known cellist, is also among the artists who are taking part in the recital.

STREET RAILWAYMEN PRACTICALLY CERTAIN OF STRIKE HERE NOW

Victorians Are Urged to Inflate Tires of Bicycles in Readiness

"You had better tell the people of Victoria to get out their old bicycles, for unless I am very much mistaken there will be no street cars running tomorrow morning in the city of Victoria," said Secretary Bob Dewar to a representative of The Times this afternoon. His remark was in reply to an inquiry as to whether Victoria will follow Vancouver and adjacent mainland points and call a strike of the conductors and motor men of the street railways to-morrow morning.

Mr. Dewar states that the whole issue now hangs on the report of the two local delegates who have been present at all the deliberations in Vancouver, and who are expected back in the city on this afternoon's boat. "The information will be laid before a mass meeting of the men concerned, to be held in the Eagles' Hall to-night, and it is scarcely likely," observed Mr. Dewar, "that their decision will be anything but conforming to action with other sections of the company's system."

Questioned as to any involved bond of contention between the B. C. Electric Railway Company, Limited, and their employees, Mr. Dewar declared that it was a perfectly simple matter. There were no complaints as to conditions of working, it was a clean-cut demand for more money. "It should be remembered that we have had no raise in wages from the company since 1916," persisted Mr. Dewar, "and instead of a further increase, the year 1915 saw a general reduction, which was operative for a full year. It was not until 1916 that the schedule of 1910 was restored. Prior to 1910 the employees had been losing from the company; that, however, was discontinued and wages augmented, which resulted in the increase of 1916."

Mr. Dewar said that if any hope existed of a strike being averted as far as this city was concerned, it was very slender indeed, since the action of Vancouver, North Vancouver and New Westminster practically closed the lock and Executive Board Member R. W. Nunn will confer with the executive of Local No. 109 Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America before the mass meeting this evening, and the whole question will then be fully dealt with by the assembly.

DIED AT BORDEN CAMP

Cpl. H. A. Baker Was for Two Years Attached to No. 8 Fire Hall Here.

While with his corps at Camp Borden waiting to go overseas Cpl. H. A. Baker was seized with an illness which resulted in his death on Monday morning last. No details other than the bare fact have been received up to the present by his relatives in the city.

The deceased soldier was a native of Albion, B. C., where his father, Capt. A. Baker, is still living. He was in Victoria and enlisted with the Mechanical Transport Corps raised by Lieut. Shaw, and which left here last summer, wintering in Toronto, and going into camp about three weeks ago at Camp Borden. By a curious coincidence it was exactly a year to the day after his enlistment that the young soldier died.

PENSION BOARD

Representative in City Looking for Retired Soldiers Suitable for Work.

Mr. L. G. Bowker, of the Board of Pension Commissioners' Staff, Ottawa, is in the city for the purpose of engaging suitable returned soldiers for the Commissioners' Staff at Ottawa; he also requires the services of several female stenographers and typists, preference being given to dependents of soldiers.

Mr. Bowker states that a high average of efficiency will be insisted upon from those selected; the applicants require to have had clerical experience either in actual work or by training.

As the positions being offered are of a permanent nature it would, of course, be necessary for those accepted to make Ottawa their permanent residence. Mr. Bowker also mentioned that the aim of the commissioners was to organize the board along business lines and to have a thoroughly efficient staff, therefore, while giving preference to returned soldiers, only those selected who are suited by temperament and training for the work in hand. The representative of the Pension Board stated that he had engaged a number of men from Winnipeg west, it being the desire of the commissioners that there be a western representation on the staff.

SAANICH REVISION COURT IS SITTING

Start Made With List To-day; Rejection of Delayed Appeals

The serious situation which confronts many individual investors and financial concerns, through the collapse of the realty boom, with the necessity of public bodies to assess for revenue purposes, and not on valuation, was forcibly brought home at the first meeting of the Saanich Court of Revision this morning.

There were 38 appeals, held to be in order, listed for the attention of the Council members constituting the Court, those attending being Reeve Borden, Councillors Diggon, Somers, and Tanner, one member being away.

The argument of the appellants took the view with the bulk of the appeals heard affecting subdivision lands, that the land is only nominally of that character, and is really all used for agricultural purposes, chiefly for pastoral needs. Consequently the revenue derived is small. Owing to improvements of a scattered character, or else the absence of purchasers at the front preventing the necessary releases, the subdivisions are in a state of protraction to the prospects of development.

Reeve Borden pointed out to a number of appellants that the Council was obliged to raise revenue irrespective of conditions, and so long as the assessments were equitable, the Court did not propose to go farther.

Practically all the land protested has been reduced ten per cent., except in cases where roads were paved through the property last year, in which case the cut is very small, as compared with 1915.

To-day's Cases.

Mrs. Sarah Newcombe put up a vigorous objection to the assessment of her lots on Quadra Street, near Macaulay Avenue, but the assessments were ordered to stand.

Those cases heard this morning included the following: John and Jane Polson (land corner of Cloverdale Avenue and Cook Street), Saunders, Saultnik (Swan Lake), Henry Howard (Shelburne Street), British American Trust Company, W. C. Platt, F. Barnes, A. G. Girardin, P. Calvert, J. Maynard, Eliza J. Dougan, H. E. Dill, and James Barker. The appeal of J. S. Helmeck was struck off, the land being within the Esquimalt district, and the description will be removed from the roll.

With regard to the case of Edward Logan, one of the last on the list, Mr. Logan appealed against the assessment on the acreage of forest adjoining the park he gave to the district in 1914, and to which a road was opened last year. The Assessor had considered the property materially benefited by the opening of the road, and so the value was small. Argument on this case is still to be taken.

Others on the scheduled list include P. Byng Hall, S. Maylott, A. W. McMorran, C. H. Wilson, W. C. Grant (the last two named again appealing on property on which the valuation was set by the Court last year), Alice M. Gray, Owen V. Bauld, Royal Financial Corporation, British Dominion Realty Company, Canada Realty Syndicate, R. K. Cowan, Henry Mycock, Pat Walsh, Donald McGillis, David T. A. Vallance, Dan Miller, P. W. Touet, George W. Wynne, J. R. Jennings, John W. Greer, George Rogers, Frank S. Wiggs, and Sarah Smith.

The first act of the Court, when it came to order this morning, was to deal with a number of appeals which were lodged after the period for receiving them had expired.

The Municipal Solicitor had reported adversely to the admission of the appeals, and thereupon Councillor Tanner moved, and Councillor Diggon seconded a motion to reject the list at this Court, but to allow them to go before the Board of Equalization.

The motion passed unanimously. Permission was later given, Alderman Johns to address the Court with regard to a subdivision on the Burnside Road, through which the boundary of the district and Esquimalt passes. Mr. Johns argued that the same valuation should be set as in the case of the neighboring municipality, but while not pledging himself to any declaration of policy, the Court promised consideration when it sat as a board of equalization.

The other late appeals, rejected for the above reasons, were from the Griffith estate, Mrs. Grace Todd, Mrs. Mary Lindsay, F. G. and W. J. Quick, A. W. McMorran, for the Griffith estate; C. A. Heald, J. Goyette, and J. H. Moore, with H. L. Roy Burgess. All these were on appeal. J. W. Rowland's appeal, similarly dealt with, covered both lots and acreage.

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DEMONSTRATIONS FOR LOAN IN NEW YORK

Fireworks and Bands to Close Campaign; \$1,646,000,000 This Month

New York, June 12.—Liberty Loan subscriptions aggregated \$1,646,000,000 at 11 o'clock to-day, according to the tabulated subscriptions as recorded in the Treasury Department at Washington. It was announced by the Liberty Loan committee here to-day. This total, it was stated, included all the Federal Reserve districts with the exception of Dallas, Texas, and San Francisco, Cal.

Demonstrations.
Red fire, brass bands, oratory and other things that mark the close of a bitterly-fought political contest will be used here to bring in subscriptions to the Liberty Loan up to the last minute. Everywhere, today the streets began to bloom with "Buy-a-Bond" banners and preparations were being completed for the big rally in Union Square to-night.

The banks will keep open to-night and to-morrow night until midnight or as much later as necessary, to receive subscriptions. Activities of the Boy Scouts have resulted in total subscriptions here of \$1,277,000 by six thousand persons. In one of the public schools, the pupils subscribed for \$10,000 worth.

Letters From Women.
Among the thousands of letters reaching the Provost-Marshal-General's office these days from wives, mothers and sweethearts asking exemption for their men, officials were amused to-day to find several from wives recommending that their husbands be conscripted. One woman said her husband did not want to go to war, but had no good reason for not going, and "tipped" the War Department that it would be just as well to make a soldier of him.

To Save Foodstuffs.
A new bill to prohibit manufacture during the war of foodstuffs into distilled spirits and malt liquors was ordered to-day by the Senate Agriculture Committee.

A provision of the bill would empower the President to requisition existing supplies of distilled spirits if necessary to conserve food supplies or to secure alcohol for war purposes.

To Penitentiary.
New York, June 12.—A penitentiary sentence of 11 months and 29 days for not registering under the selective draft law was imposed by U. S. Judge Chatfield in Brooklyn to-day on Herman P. Levine, a school teacher and college graduate.

Rounding Them Up.
Seattle, June 12.—The police to-day began to round up men suspected of evading military registration. Men of apparent military age will be asked to show their cards.

Fourteen men arrested in and near Seattle for alleged evasion of registration are confined in the county jails here and at Tacoma.

Moose Are Loyal.
Bellingsham, June 12.—A street parade here last night followed by a dance brought the Moose convention to a close after two weeks' work. The delegates went on record in resolutions passed pledging the Order to the support of the Government in the war with Germany. The resolutions call upon all Moose to make all necessary sacrifices for the cause. Aberdeen was named as the 1918 convention city.

Heavy Sentences.
New York, June 12.—Louis Kramer, a confessed anarchist, was sentenced to-day to two years in Atlanta Penitentiary and ordered to pay a fine of \$10,000 for conspiracy to distribute anti-conscription literature. He also received a year in jail for failing to register.

Morris Becker, convicted with Kramer on the charge of conspiracy, was sentenced to one year and eight months at Atlanta. When sentence was passed there was loud applause from the spectators.

For \$100,000,000.
New York, June 12.—The First National Bank of New York has made application for subscriptions to the Liberty Loan now aggregating \$100,000,000 for itself and customers. It was announced to-day. This is the largest subscription from one source yet received.

War Budget Bill.
Washington, June 12.—Accepting the House compromise for acquisition of the Jamestown Exposition site as a naval base, the Senate to-day finally enacted the \$2,281,000,000 war budget bill and sent it to the President.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET
Winnipeg, June 12.—October wheat was late in opening and was 1c higher, and after a very limited trade it closed 1c up for the day. July oats were 1c higher and October 5c higher at the close.

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Nov. 24.20 24.25 23.50 23.95
Dec. 24.20 24.25 23.50 23.95

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New York, June 12.—Anglo-French, 93 1/2 @; Can. five, 1915, 97 1/2 @; 1920, 95 1/2 @; 1925, 94 1/2 @; U. K. five, 1915, 97 1/2 @; U. K. 3-year 5 1/2, 1915, 94 1/2 @; U. K. 2-year 5 1/2, 1915, 94 1/2 @; U. K. 1-year 5 1/2, 1915, 94 1/2 @; French five, 95 1/2 @; Do, 5 1/2, 99 1/2 @; 1-1/2; Doubles, 111 @ 112

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FINANCIAL NEWS

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
Montreal, June 12.—The local market showed more life to-day, although the advances were not important. The Steel issues, especially Scotia, were the strongest stocks, while Steamship securities and the Canada Car were in good demand. The local trading element are becoming less skeptical regarding the advance in American issues, especially after witnessing a market such as seen in New York to-day. There was more evidence of a broadening tendency in the local market to-day than for some time. Closing bids were generally at the day's best prices.

Stock Name	High	Low	Close
Ames Holden	17.00	16.50	16.75
Dom. Tel. & Cable	142.00	140.00	141.00
Brazilian Traction	34.00	33.00	33.50
B. C. Fish	152.00	150.00	151.00
C. P. R.	61.00	60.00	60.50
Can. Cement, com.	52.00	51.00	51.50
Do, pref.	52.00	51.00	51.50
Can. Car Bldg. com.	29.00	28.00	28.50
Do, pref.	29.00	28.00	28.50
Can. S. S. com.	37.00	36.00	36.50
Do, pref.	37.00	36.00	36.50
Can. Gen. Elec.	106.00	105.00	105.50
Civic Inv. & Ind.	76.00	75.00	75.50
Cons. M. & S.	25.00	24.00	24.50
Detroit United	104.00	103.00	103.50
Dom. I. & S.	62.00	61.00	61.50
Dom. Textile	126.00	125.00	125.50
L. of Woods Mfg.	175.00	174.00	174.50
Laurentide Power	54.00	53.00	53.50
Maple Leaf Mfg.	102.00	101.00	101.50
MacDonald C.	12.00	11.00	11.50
N. S. Steel, com.	97.00	96.00	96.50
Do, pref.	110.00	109.00	109.50
Ont. Steel Prods.	20.00	19.00	19.50
Ogilvie Mfg. Co.	142.00	141.00	141.50
Pennam's Ltd.	71.00	70.00	70.50
Quebec Railway	29.00	28.00	28.50
Horizon Paper	123.00	122.00	122.50
Shawinigan	121.00	120.00	120.50
Spanish River Pulp	75.00	74.00	74.50
Do, pref.	99.00	98.00	98.50
Steele of Can.	91.00	90.00	90.50
Toronto Railway	79.00	78.00	78.50
Twin City Pulp	50.00	49.00	49.50
Winnipeg Elec.	52.00	51.00	51.50
Waynagam Pulp	67.00	66.00	66.50
Dom. War Loan (old)	97.00	96.00	96.50
Dom. War Loan, 1921	94.00	93.00	93.50
Dom. War Loan, 1927	94.00	93.00	93.50
M. B. of C.	169.00	168.00	168.50

ALCOHOL AND STEEL AT RECORD LEVELS

Railway Issues Showed Firmness During Trading at New York To-day

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
New York, June 12.—A new buying movement in the early afternoon carried a number of stocks to new high prices for the present movement. Alcohol was one of these, selling at 17 1/2. Marine preferred and Reading each advanced 2 1/2.

Most of the copper issues showed strength. U. S. Steel maintained the larger part of its gain of about two points and other stocks were correspondingly higher. A stockholders' injunction suit to prevent the D. & H. from paying its dividend caused a reaction in that stock, but exerted no general effect upon the rails. Neither did the reduction of the Omaha's common dividend from 7 to 5 per cent. attract much attention, being offset by the belief that the railroads are practically assured of a substantial rate increase. In the closing arguments before the Commission, attorneys for the opponents of the rate advance case contended that the railroads had proved their case. To-day's progress in the Liberty Loan campaign was accepted everywhere as highly satisfactory.

Stock Name	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	61.00	60.00	60.50
Alfa-Chalmers	29.00	28.00	28.50
Am. Beet Sugar	97.00	96.00	96.50
Am. Sugar Ref.	121.00	120.00	120.50
Am. Can. Co., com.	251.00	250.00	250.50
Am. Car Bldg.	74.00	73.00	73.50
Am. Cotton Oil	41.00	40.00	40.50
Am. Locomotive	734.00	733.00	733.50
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	111.00	110.00	110.50
Am. T. & Tel.	121.00	120.00	120.50
Am. Wood. Co.	57.00	56.00	56.50
Am. Steel Fdy.	72.00	71.00	71.50
Anacosta Mining	54.00	53.00	53.50
Ar. Chemical	123.00	122.00	122.50
Atchafalca	102.00	101.00	101.50
Atlantic Gulf	115.00	114.00	114.50
Baldwin Loco.	674.00	673.00	673.50
Baltimore & Ohio	74.00	73.00	73.50
Besthen Steel	150.00	149.00	149.50
Butte Sub. Mining	46.00	45.00	45.50
Canadian Pacific	60.00	59.00	59.50
Central Leather	162.00	161.00	161.50
Crescent Steel	82.00	81.00	81.50
Chesapeake & Ohio	61.00	60.00	60.50
Chicago G. W. (new)	11.00	10.00	10.50
C. M. & St. P.	76.00	75.00	75.50
Coca. Fuel & Iron	54.00	53.00	53.50
Cons. Gas	108.00	107.00	107.50
Chino Copper	61.00	60.00	60.50
Cal. Petroleum	224.00	223.00	223.50
Con. Products	331.00	330.00	330.50
Distillers Sec.	241.00	240.00	240.50
Denver & R. G., pref.	17.00	16.00	16.50
Everett	246.00	245.00	245.50
Do, 2nd pref.	102.00	101.00	101.50
Gen. Electric	182.00	181.00	181.50
Georgetown	514.00	513.00	513.50
G. S. (pre.)	324.00	323.00	323.50
G. S. pref.	108.00	107.00	107.50
HEB & Lea, pfd.	65.00	64.00	64.50
Inspiration Cop.	654.00	653.00	653.50
Int'l Nickel	414.00	413.00	413.50
Int'l Mer. Marine	294.00	293.00	293.50
Do, pref.	824.00	823.00	823.50
Illinois Cent.	104.00	103.00	103.50
Kennecott Copper	474.00	473.00	473.50
Kas. City Southern	23.00	22.00	22.50
Lehigh Valley	62.00	61.00	61.50
Lack. Steel	48.00	47.00	47.50
Maxwell Motors	48.00	47.00	47.50
Midvale Steel	62.00	61.00	61.50
Mex. Petroleum	102.00	101.00	101.50
Miami Copper	41.00	40.00	40.50
National Lead	57.00	56.00	56.50
N. Y. N. H. & Hart	362.00	361.00	361.50
New York Central	92.00	91.00	91.50
Norfolk & Western	125.00	124.00	124.50
Northern Pacific	102.00	101.00	101.50
Nevada Cons. Copper	26.00	25.00	25.50
N. Y. Air Brake	150.00	149.00	149.50
Pennsylvania R. 1st	52.00	51.00	51.50
People's Gas	73.00	72.00	72.50
Pressed Steel Car	99.00	98.00	98.50
Rolling	99.00	98.00	98.50
Ry. Steel Spring	56.00	55.00	55.50
Ray Cons. Mining	304.00	303.00	303.50
Republic Steel	304.00	303.00	303.50
Southern Pacific	94.00	93.00	93.50
Southern Ry. com.	284.00	283.00	283.50
Studebaker Corp.	824.00	823.00	823.50
Sloss Sheffield	614.00	613.00	613.50
Third Ave. Ry.	20.00	19.00	19.50
The Texas Company	216.00	215.00	215.50
Union Pacific	1584.00	1583.00	1583.50
Utah Copper	1164.00	1163.00	1163.50
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	1714.00	1713.00	1713.50
U. S. Rubber	292.00	291.00	291.50
U. S. Steel, com.	1044.00	1043.00	1043.50
Do, pref.	1174.00	1173.00	1173.50
Virginia Chem.	434.00	433.00	433.50
Western Union	944.00	943.00	943.50
Wabash R. Co.	192.00	191.00	191.50
Wabash R. "A"	504.00	503.00	503.50
Willy's Overland	294.00	293.00	293.50
Westinghouse Elec.	534.00	533.00	533.50
An. Fr. Loan	934.00	933.00	933.50
Both "B"	1554.00	1553.00	1553.50
United Fruit	1264.00	1263.00	1263.50
Gen. Motors	111.00	110.00	110.50
I. Paper	451.00	450.00	450.50
Col. Gas	414.00	413.00	413.50
Def. & Hud.	1094.00	1093.00	1093.50
Quilt Steel	127.00	126.00	126.50

BRITISH WARN AGAINST TOO MUCH MACHINERY

Montreal, June 12.—The Montreal Gazette's correspondent in London cables that the only comment heard on the Canadian conscription bill there yesterday was that Canada should guard against too much machinery, especially in tribunal methods, which have caused indefinite delay in England with men who strove to put off their obligations. The general feeling among Canadians in London is that an election would be unfair to the soldiers, even if their vote were taken.

DOMINION TRUST

Lancaster, June 12.—The fight which was scheduled to start before the Supreme Court registrar to-morrow to decide whether the persons who deposited savings with the Dominion Trust Company can rank as creditors of the liquidation, is to be postponed until Thursday, June 21. This was practically decided to-day as the result of an interchange of views between counsel who are to appear in the proceedings.

LOOK FORWARD FOR THE EMPIRE.

The gigantic volume of British wealth-poured into this war, and still to be poured into it, is for the most part a dead economic loss. No price has yet been set for the material basis of life has to be relaid, and the resources of the Empire are there to supply it. Each of the Dominions has its own task; this country has an enormous field for beneficent enterprise in the great Colonies under its rule, and the best hope for the economic future lies in a common policy of systematic co-operation in development freely entered into by all the members of the British Empire. The foundation is already laid by the labors of the Empire Resources Commission, whose remarkable survey of the whole field we discussed in these columns recently. In the midst of our fight for existence we can hardly find time for the beginnings of the practical work of constructive statesmanship, but it should be among the very first of the urgent political concerns to be pressed upon the several Governments of the Empire upon the return of peace.—London Daily Telegraph.

With riots breaking out in Sweden owing to the food shortage and the uncertainty regarding the political future of the nation, interest naturally centres in M. Branting, leader of the Socialist party. Socialism throughout Europe is making rapid strides, and in Sweden Branting has formed the Socialist People's party. Their influence was recently shown when they forced the Government to reduce its appropriation for military purposes from thirty million kroner to ten million kroner. Although Branting prefers neutrality to participation in war, he is strongly in support of the Allies in the present conflict, in this respect being in direct opposition to the Government and the Court Party, who are pro-German.—Montreal Journal of Commerce.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL NEWS ASSOCIATION

Toronto, June 12.—At the annual meeting here to-day of the Canadian Press, Limited, which includes in its membership practically all the daily papers published in the Dominion, a plan for the Canadian National News Association, which already has been approved by the existing Canadian co-operative news gathering and distributing organizations, was adopted unanimously. Melville E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press, congratulated the publishers and people of Canada on this great step towards national unity and solidarity, pointing out that the proposed system of leased wires from coast to coast, day and night, would tend to bring all parts of the Dominion into the closest association.

GEN. PERSHING HAS ARRIVED IN PARIS

Paris, June 12.—Major-General Pershing arrived in Paris late to-day. He received a tumultuous welcome as he proceeded through the thronged boulevards. At the station he was welcomed by Marshal Joffre, Ambassador Sharp, and Paul Painleve, the Minister of War.

MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.

Winnipeg, June 12.—At the session of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association to-day, there was criticism of the industrial compensation acts passed in Ontario, Alberta and Manitoba. One delegate expressed the opinion that the war taxes were unfairly distributed and that the farmers, while making big profits, were not paying their share while the manufacturers were paying more than their share.

PORT ARTHUR MURDER.

Port Arthur, June 12.—The body of Peter Matsios, aged 45, unmarried, a Greek, proprietor of a candy store, who has been missing for two days, was found this morning in a lumber yard. In the body were four bullet wounds. The sum of \$85 was found in the pockets. Friends claim that Matsios had \$300 with him when he disappeared.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

League	Home Team	Visitor	Score
American League	St. Louis	Boston	9-3
American League	Batteries—Davenport and Severoid; Ruth and Thomas.		
American League	Cleveland	Washington	10-2
American League	Batteries—Coveleskie, Coumb, Gaudin, Klepper and O'Neill; Billings; Gallia, Shaw and Henry.		
American League	Detroit	Philadelphia	4-7
American League	Batteries—Daus and Stannage; Noyes and Schang.		
National League	Philadelphia	Cincinnati	3-0
National League	Batteries—Alexander and Killifer; Rogan, Knetzer and Wingo.		
National League	Chicago-Boston game postponed; rain.		
National League	St. Louis-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.		

KEMP'S FIGURES OF THE MEN AVAILABLE

Gets Total of 1,583,549 by Using Census of 1911

Ottawa, June 12.—In the Commons this afternoon Sir Edward Kemp brought down figures showing the number of Canadians available for military service between the ages of 19 and 45, according to the 1911 census. Widowers and divorced men are included as single and those whose conjugal conditions are unknown are classified as married. It is estimated that the increase in the male population between the ages mentioned since 1911 has been between 300,000 and 400,000. As approximately this number has been recruited already the figures of 1911 are thought to reflect rather closely the present conditions as they are, though changes undoubtedly have occurred in individual provinces. Between the ages of 20 and 45 there are 769,453 single men and 823,096 married men. By provinces they are divided as follows:

Province	Single	Married
Prince Edward Island	8,051	6,781
Nova Scotia	42,667	45,984
New Brunswick	28,056	33,199
Quebec	143,540	208,679
Ontario	243,150	289,047
Manitoba	56,995	57,372
Saskatchewan		

HOW WASTE PAPER CAN BE UTILIZED

School Children's Collection Has Made Nearly \$2,500 for Red Cross

To give the public an idea of the amount of money that can be made by the elimination of waste, there is published below a statement of the amount realized to date by the Red Cross Society from the collection of paper by the children of the various schools mentioned.

This total of \$2,243.55 has been increased by over \$200 by deliveries in the warehouse since June first.

Total Collected to May 28.

South Park School	\$ 425.20
Oak Bay High School	314.39
Sir James Douglas School	199.30
George Jay School	127.46
Boys' Central School	122.60
North Ward School	118.75
Kingston Street School	80.20
Girls' Central School	78.60
Oaklands School	74.50
Burial School	71.35
Beacon Hill School	70.30
Bank Street School	66.45
St. Margaret's School	52.85
Esquimalt Public School	47.15
St. Louis College	46.40
Victoria West School	45.05
Margaret Jenkins' School	36.80
Edgar Hill School	33.60
Crainflower School	23.35
St. Ann's Academy	22.70
Spring Ridge School	22.30
Fernwood School	21.55
Tolmie School	19.60
Esquimalt High School	18.15
Quandra Street School	17.65
Divide and Ganges Schools	15.60
Monterey School	12.20
Collegiate School	7.10
Victoria High School	6.70
Fembroke Street School	6.50
King's Road School	5.35
Willows School	4.20
Keatings School	3.00
Other sources	58.76
Total	\$2,243.55

Since it was announced that the proceeds of this paper collection were being devoted to the purchase of a motor ambulance, the schools have been working even harder than before and it is expected that the total will be a record.

The Red Cross Society again calls attention to the fact that newspapers are more valuable than any other paper. There is always a market for clean, folded newspapers, which can always be exported to China, if the paper company should be overstocked, when the demand for even number one maga-

zines like the Saturday Evening Post and similar publications is variable. The Red Cross Society again asks that to help its funds and encourage the work of the school children, every householder in the district will save every newspaper and see that it is sent to one of the schools.

COMPENSATION BOARD IS TOURING PROVINCE

Members Desire to Meet Workers at Industrial Centres and Explain Act

The members of the Workmen's Compensation Commission—E. S. H. Winn, chairman, Parker Williams and Hugh B. Gilmour—have left on a tour of the chief places in the province and will be gone for some time.

Yesterday afternoon they went up to Nanaimo and they will address meetings at other places on the island before they go on to the mainland. The object of the tour is to explain at first hand to workers in all the industrial centres the working of the Act and the procedure adopted by the Commission for the hearing of claims by workmen who are injured or by the dependents of men who may be killed. The work of the Commission here has been going on quietly but steadily, and the Commissioners have put in long hours at their desks dealing with the claims which have come before them. This is the first opportunity they have had to make a tour which has been projected from the outset, and the result of which they expect to be of much value both to themselves in the further work of the board, but also to the workers in familiarizing them with the members and their duties.

JITNEY SERVICE TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Daughters of Empire Field Comforts Fund to Benefit From Fares

Anticipating the strike on the B. C. Electric and the dislocation of the street-car service, some of the more resourceful ladies of the Daughters of the Empire have commenced to organize an emergency fleet of jitneys to convey intending patrons to the garden fete to be held under the auspices of the Order at Government House to-morrow afternoon. In view of the fact that the undertaking is to benefit the Field Comforts Fund, which is doing and has already done so much to take woolen supplies to the men on the battlefield, it would be a thousand pities if the project fell through for want of a little resourcefulness and forethought, and the ladies are to be congratulated on preparing for the contingency so coolly. Members of the Order are volunteering the use of their automobiles, and motors will be found at points along the regular street-car route.

"Tis an ill wind that blows no good." The usual jitney fares are to be charged by the volunteer drivers, more of whom will be welcomed (telephone Miss Mara, 1937, to-morrow morning) and the proceeds will go to swell the general "takings" of the fete.

Cars running in this service will be distinguished by red, white, and blue streamers. Arrangements are being also made for the conveyance of parties of ladies to the grounds, and cars will be sent to any specific point in the city on application to L.O.D.E. headquarters, phone 5014. Government House gardens, which are very kindly lent for the occasion by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Barnard, are looking very beautiful, and the occasion offers many attractions for the entertainment of the visitor.

NEARLY THREE SCORE

Kootenay Man Now 56 Years of Age Has Had Twenty Months of Active Service.

Although he is 56 years of age, Sergt. Major E. B. Milward, of Ainsworth, who left with the Kootenay Battalion for service overseas, has been able to carry out his regimental duties for over eighteen months, a considerable portion of which has been in the battle areas of France. He has now been admitted to the Cleveland Hospital, O.H. Southgate, London, N. W. He is expected back in British Columbia after a period of rest with his relatives in England. For his work at the front he was recently awarded the meritorious service medal.

WOUNDED IN MAY

Pte. Albert Alexander Sheret Admitted to Hospital Some Weeks Ago.

On May 18, according to a cable just received by his relatives here, Pte. Alexander Sheret was wounded in action. He is now in hospital. Pte. Sheret left Victoria with the Western Scots. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sheret, 261 Graham Street, and went overseas a year ago last March with his unit. He had been in the trenches for several months.

A native of Scotland he came to Victoria a year or two before the war, being a contractor by business. A brother, William Sheret, went to the front with the 2nd C. M. B., which left here in June, 1915. He was wounded several months ago, and is still in England convalescing.

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Tweed and Serge Suits

Styles include new Pinch-Back and Norfolk effects, in qualities of material that make them very good values at their former prices. There is a full range of sizes from 27 to 38. Most of them can be supplied with an extra pair of Bloomers to match for the additional price of from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a pair. Prices of Suits with one pair of Bloomers—

Regular values to \$12.50. Now	Regular values to \$15.00. Now	Regular values to \$17.50. Now
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WILL COMPLETE THE EAST ROAD PAVING

Saanich Council Decides to Use Oilcrete; Problems of the Producer

Finding that the cost of laying bitulithic on the small stretch of unpaved roadway on the East Road, which was unfinished last year by the contractor, would be greater than the oilcrete used on Shebourne Street and other roads which were paved directly by the municipality, the Saanich Council last evening decided to lay oilcrete. Councillor Jones said it would make a good test for the character of the two types of paving, under a similar experience of traffic.

The road superintendent was asked a number of questions with regard to the nature of the oil being used on the roads. Mr. Gilling stated that the bulk of the oil used was now of a lighter character than the heavy oils used last year, and which were more difficult to purchase now.

Councillor Somers secured the oiling of several important roads in Ward III, including Cadboro Bay Road and Bay Road. He is also having sidewalk accommodation provided on the Bay Road, alongside the new park for people to reach the beach in comfort from Cadboro Bay Road.

Stray Dogs

The troubles of the insect pests, noxious weeds and stray dogs, which are doing their united best to prevent increased production, occupied considerable time in the meeting.

One elderly lady, with whom Councillor Carey sympathized, had had to barricade her home against stray dogs, who had dug under the fence and wrecked the garden and carried off the chickens.

Councillor Carey stated that damage done by dogs in Ward II could not be exaggerated, and came at a time when the Dominion Government was battling everywhere an appeal to raise chickens to increase production.

The clerk pointed out that the Department of Agriculture had already consulted the Council as to the proclamation of the district under the act to protect sheep from dogs, and it was decided to take the matter up in connection with the proclamation.

It was pointed out that the regulations with regard to the impounding of dogs have been weakened by the amendment of the statute, and that there is only an implied restriction to impound, not a specific one which formerly existed.

Caterpillar Pests

The caterpillar pest was referred to by all members, owing to the prevalence of tent caterpillars even here, particularly in the abandoned orchards. An application will be made to the Deputy Minister of Agriculture for the loan of the Government sprayer to remove pests from the trees, particularly along the Saanich Road.

A by-law to require the destruction of caterpillars will also be passed. They were described as "being in countless millions" in the municipality, and threatening to crawl over everything.

Councillor Tanner stated that where the orchards at Keatings had been sprayed, there was not a caterpillar to be seen this year, the arsenate of lead having controlled them effectively.

Noxious Weeds

Reeve Borden described the Canada thistle as the worst pest of the farmer, in alluding to a complaint with regard to noxious weeds. He doubted the success of taking out the thistles before they were just ready to flower, as that period was the best to eradicate them.

Similar powers exist, as with caterpillars, to require owners to eradicate noxious weeds, and these regulations will be more stringently enforced this year.

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SYMPTOMS OF HER DISEASE

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HARMONY HALL IS SOON TO DISAPPEAR

Some 38 Cases of Premises Were Before City Council in Condemnation Proceedings

Among the old landmarks ordered to be removed at the condemnation proceedings conducted by the City Council yesterday afternoon was Harmony Hall. The old Colonial Hotel, now used for other purposes, was saved from a like fate as necessary alterations will be effected.

With regard to the conditions at 1013 Fort Street, J. A. Alkman, for the owner, Mrs. Mary Ann Booth, secured a statement of the city's case for condemnation, declaring that a suit would be commenced against the tenant, Henry Callow, for breach of the lease. The lease, said Mr. Alkman, provided for the tenant keeping the place in sanitary condition. (An emphatic "No" from Mr. Callow.) The Council ordered the improvements to be effected in 30 days, failing which an order would issue.

A great deal of time was occupied with the case of William Hipwood, who objected to condemnation of a stable on Delatre Street. He claimed that other buildings of a similar character were without manure pits and other accessories called for by the by-law, and on oath gave a list of names. However the court ordered removal within 30 days if the by-law is not respected.

H. C. Hall appeared for J. Boschwitz and made a strong appeal against an order for the removal of the frame building at 1105 Douglas Street. Officially stated it was absolutely beyond repair and ought not to be used for a furniture store room.

The Council gave till November 30 for the stock to be removed, then the building is to be torn down.

The Building Inspector stated that he would not recommend a permit for the alterations, nor did he think the fire wardens would sanction such alterations. These are the premises formerly used for the Quaker Girl tea-rooms.

A deputation was received from residents in the neighborhood of the James Bay training stable, Niagara Street, protesting against permitting the buildings to remain. The Council had at a previous meeting ordered the structures on the property, except the stable, to be removed, and it was now reported that certain alterations were in progress, looking to improve its character.

E. H. Anderson particularly objected to the stable remaining, as a menace to health, and also being adjacent to the lot line in defiance of the city by-law.

The aldermen declined to intervene, pending some announcement on the completion of the alterations.

A. P. Luxton, K.C., secured a stay of condemnation proceedings for 30 days in the case of the stables at the rear of 813 and 817 Broughton Street, owned by F. Richter.

In connection with 1319 Waddington Alley, where the upper storey of wood is proposed to be removed, it was stated that the whole of the premises are vacant now, but that the brick ground-floor will alone be used in future. The matter was ordered to stand over for further consideration.

In regard to the frame building used as a laundry by Chinese, northwest corner of Johnson Street and Blanshard Avenue; owner, L. G. Quagliotti, F. C. Elliott stated that the place could be put in repair, but officials did not think so, and laid the matter on the table for further attention.

The Council also condemned a Chinese laundry on Simcoe Street.

Considerable amusement was occasioned by a plea put up by Mr. Elliott for a chicken house at 1211 Vancouver Street, which had been an old cottager. Finding it was no longer used for human habitation, no action could be taken.

It was reported that all the old shacks on Hollywood Crescent had been removed, so no orders were necessary.

Condemnation orders were issued in a number of cases, in others alterations were ordered to be effected, and in two cases the premises are to be used for workshops only. Several barns in the Oaklands district were ordered to be brought within the terms of the various by-laws. In all 38 premises were dealt with by the Council.

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PROBLEM OF LEVYING FIRE PROTECTION TAX

Saanich Council Again Debates Subject of Special Rating Area

The difference of opinion with regard to the method of assessing the proposed Saanich fire protection area came up in the Saanich Municipal Council last evening, in discussing the report of the water and sewers committee.

Councillor Diggon, in moving the adoption of the report, spoke at length on the situation, and explained that the committee had not been able to agree yet on the extent of the area, although the majority agreed that the basis should be within 1,200 feet of the hydrants. No suggestion of another area had been offered which would afford a feasible alternative. If the municipality as a whole would contribute to the fire protection scheme \$2,500, a rate of three-fourths of a mill on the dollar would be sufficient to defray the cost spread over part of the inner wards proposed to be embraced in the area. Hydrants had been installed when the waterworks system was put in, in districts which did not want the fire protection service, but which ought to be served if a proper

system of fire protection was started in the district.

Opposed to Borden.

Reeve Borden strongly opposed the system, which was going to add a burden on agricultural land that ought not to be placed there. He favored rather a rearrangement of the wards, to establish a definite area based on the location of population, or an application for powers to deal with assessment for this purpose, by a levy based on improvements, as fire protection was essentially a protection of improvements. There was no assurance that the rate would remain at three-quarter mills in future years.

Councillor Carey defended the suggestion of the water and sewers committee, and said the epidemic of fires had compelled attention to the subject to protect the homes of the people, and since no alternative had been offered the committee's suggestion ought to be adopted. They had a responsibility to protect the families of men at the front.

Councillor Diggon pointed out that only one-tenth of the area of the municipality was proposed to be incorporated in the proposed area. He did not agree that, with the exception of one or two districts, the hydrants were too scattered to make them the basis of a policy.

Reeve Borden observed that the installation of fire hydrants had been made without any reference to future fire protection, and therefore, should not be considered a basis.

Councillor Tanner and Councillor Jones briefly spoke from the standpoints of the rural and the urban voters, and later the report, which asked for further time to deal with this subject, was adopted unanimously.

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HISTORY OF BOOKS

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From the most inflexible of instruments had been evolved a word applied to the most flexible of arts.

A description of the old Roman book-market, the "Argiletum," was given, the speaker explaining how books were produced in the classic days of the Roman Empire. From that point he proceeded to the history of the earliest books of the monks in the abbeys and monasteries. As the barbarians' invasion of Italy had destroyed the intellectual life of Rome, so had the Anglo-Saxon invasions of England destroyed the intellectual life of that country. Ireland alone had been unaffected by these invasions, and there had been developed there a very high order of education. In turn Ireland had sent her monastic missionaries with all their learning to England, thus causing a revival of learning in Great Britain. In turn Great Britain became the centre of intellectual progress in the world.

It was a very interesting part of the lecture in which Mr. Scholefield took his listeners with him to visit in mind a monastic scriptorium, the room in an old abbey devoted to the production of books.

In 1476 Caxton set up his press. The printing press was the hand-maiden of the new learning, and was a powerful factor in the Renaissance," commented the lecturer.

During the general discussion on matters of art which followed Mr. Scholefield's lecture it was suggested by Mr. Shallcross that the club try to

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