

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday. Victoria and vicinity—Southerly and westerly winds, partly cloudy and mild.

Columbia—Hearts Up. Variety—Salvage. Royal—The Revenge of Toran. Prince—A Stitch in Time. Dominion—Mother of Mine. Capitol—Cargy Ricks.

Victoria Daily Times

U.S. MAKES DISARMAMENT PROPOSALS

Nations' Delegates On Tuesday Are to Start Discussion

Three-Day Adjournment Made After Opening Session of Conference in Washington To-day; Harding Welcomed the Representatives.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The conference on limitation of armaments, which was called to order by Secretary Hughes at 10:33 a.m. to-day, adjourned at 12:22 p.m. until Tuesday, November 15, at 11 a.m.

The nomination of the American Secretary of State as chairman of the conference was made by Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation.

John W. Garrett, of Baltimore, formerly United States Minister to The Netherlands, was selected as secretary-general of the conference.

Harding's Address. President Harding, in a speech in which he welcomed the delegates, said:

"Mr. Secretary and members of the conference, ladies and gentlemen:

"It is a great and happy privilege to bid the delegates to this conference a cordial welcome to the capital of the United States of America. It is not only a satisfaction to greet you because we were lately participants in a common cause, in which shared sacrifices and sorrows and triumphs brought our nations more closely together, and it is gratifying to address you as the spokesmen of nations whose convictions and amending actions have so much to do with the weal or woe of all mankind.

"It is not possible to over-appraise the importance of such a conference.

Speaking as official sponsor for the invitation, I think I may say the call is not of the United States of America alone; it is rather the spoken word of a war-weary world, struggling for restoration, hungering and thirsting for better relationship, of humanity crying for relief and craving assurance of lasting peace.

"If misunderstanding must take the blame, then let us banish it and let understanding rule and make good will reign supreme between us. All we demand is liberty and justice.

"We should be represented at Washington in our own right," declared Mr. Crerar, "or we should not be represented at all."

The Progressive leader criticized the acceptance by the Federal Finance Department of notes of the Klondike Company in payment of taxes and wanted to know if others "have given their promise to pay in lieu of the taxes they should have paid in cash."

"To meet difficulties of the National roads, he proposed the greatest possible efficiency in management, writing down of the capitalization, creation by the Government of a public credit, and reduction in freight rates."

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Welcomed. "Gentlemen of the conference, the United States welcomes you with unselfish hands. We harbor no fears; we have no sordid ends; a serene, we suspect no enemy; we contemplate or apprehend no conquest. Content with what we have, we seek nothing which is another's. We only wish to do with you that finer, nobler thing which no nation can do alone."

Less Preparation. "We wish to sit with you at the table of international understanding and goodwill, and we are eager to meet you frankly, and invite and offer co-operation. The world demands a sober contemplation of the existing order and the realization that there can be no cure without sacrifice, not by one of us but by all of us. I do not mean surrendering rights, or narrowed freedom, or denied aspirations, or ignored national necessities. Our republic would no more ask for these than it would give. No pride need be humbled, no humiliations merged, but I would have a mergence of minds committing all of us to less preparation for war and more enjoyment of fortunate peace."

NOT A CANDIDATE. Montreal, Nov. 12.—H. W. Villeneuve, formerly a member of the Board of Control of this city, will not stand as an independent candidate in the Laurier-Outremont division against Sir Lomer Gouin, he announced yesterday.

SAILORS' THANKSGIVING. The annual Thanksgiving service for the fleets at sea will be held at the Pantheon Theatre tomorrow evening, commencing promptly at 8:30 o'clock, when the Salvation Army band, under Bandmaster Belmont, will play a number of selections.

At 8:45 the order of service will begin with the singing of the doxology and the programme will include the singing of a number of hymns, prayer by Rev. W. D. Spence, president of the Victoria Seamen's Institutes; invocation by Rev. A. de B. Owen; an address by Rev. Dr. Sipprell; choruses by the Consistent Seamen's Institute juvenile choir, and benediction by Rev. Dr. Clay.

TAKAHASHI NEW JAPANESE PREMIER

Became Head of the Government To-day

Made Way Up From Humble Beginnings

Is Sixty-seven; Speaks English Fluently

Tokyo, Nov. 12.—Baron Korekiyo Takahashi, who was Minister of Finance in the Hara Cabinet, was named Premier to-day.

Baron Takahashi, who succeeded the murdered Hara at the head of the Japanese Government, is sixty-seven years old. He speaks English fluently, having studied the language in the United States during 1887 and 1888.

While in America at that time Takahashi is said to have been held in a state of near slavery for several months through the machinations of a guardian.

After his return to Japan, Takahashi became successively a teacher of English in a clan school at Karatsu, principal of the Osaka English school, and later an official of the Department of Agriculture and Commerce. Following this first step up the rungs of the political ladder, he was promoted to the presidency of the League of Nations, which he resigned in 1920 to engage in a silver mine exploit in Peru. The project failed and Takahashi returned to his native land and took up finance in the Bank of Japan.

His rise in the business world was rapid, and in 1906 he became vice-president of the Bank of Japan and president of the Yokohama Specie Bank.

NEW ZEALAND'S PLACE AT THE CONFERENCE

No Separate International Status, Says Salmond

Reply to Premier Smuts's Recent Speech

(By Lukin Johnston, Special Correspondent of The Times)

Washington, Nov. 12.—Sir John Salmond, New Zealand delegate on the British delegation issued the following statement to the press dealing with the status of the Dominion of New Zealand. It must be regarded as a reply to the speech of General Smuts in Pretoria recently, and is of direct interest to Canada in view of the proposals to have some public discussion at Washington.

"As representing the Dominion of New Zealand on the British delegation at the Washington conference, I am glad to have the opportunity of making a statement on the status of New Zealand in connection with the Dominion's independence."

"Both in connection with this conference and in relation to other matters there has been some public discussion as to a claim by the British self-governing Dominions to an independent international status. Such a claim, however, has, I think, no legal basis."

"The Dominion of New Zealand is a single and indivisible body politic. So long as the British Empire exists beyond the constitutional bond of a common allegiance to the Crown and Parliament of the United Kingdom, no such dependency can validly claim to have a separate international status or to have international rights, responsibilities or activities of its own."

"This, however, in no way deprives the self-governing Dominions of such voice and influence in international affairs as they may be justly entitled to in view of their importance or of their distinct interests. The voice by which the British Empire speaks in such matters need not be exclusively the voice of the Imperial Government at Westminster. Whether in such a conference as that of Washington, or in the League of Nations, or in some future more comprehensive association of the powers of the self-governing Dominions of the British crown may properly possess and exercise a share in the joint representation of a single unified Empire, but this is a very different thing from an illogical and disruptive claim to separate international existence and recognition."

"Sir Robert Borden, when advised of this statement, desired to make no comment on it."

WHITE RIVER, ONT., GETS WINTER START

Toronto, Nov. 12.—The thermometer at White River, Ontario, is away to a good start on its annual winter run, with the mercury at 30 degrees, striving to keep cool with sixty degrees registered there yesterday.

The mercury at White River fell to twenty degrees below zero during last night. The temperature at 3 o'clock this morning was eighteen below zero. Winnipeg and the Soo shared the honors for second coldest place with fourteen above zero.

Kato Commends Americans For Proposing Navy Reduction

Washington, Nov. 12.—The American armament limitation plan as outlined to the disarmament conference to-day by Secretary Hughes was described by Admiral Baron Kato, of the Japanese delegation, as very drastic, but a good proposal to have been placed before the conference.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Hope that the conference on limitation of armaments might "secure for the world a future of prosperity, justice and concord" was expressed in an Armistice Day message sent to the President of the United States by President Millerand of France.

Summary of New World Armament Reduction Plan

(By Lukin Johnston, Special Correspondent of The Times)

Washington, Nov. 12.—Secretary Hughes made definite sweeping proposals for a reduction of naval armaments at the opening session of the disarmament conference. The proposals, if accepted, would mean immediate destruction by the United States, Britain and Japan, of sixty-six capital ships, with an agreement not to replace the ships for ten years at least. The proposals call for immediate abandonment of actual or projected building programs of capital ships and scrapping of all ships of certain specified ages without replacement. The United States is ready to abandon \$20,000,000 already spent on "fifteen" capital ships now nearing completion. If the proposals are accepted the United States will abandon and destroy a total of \$45,000 tons and Great Britain \$57,000 and Japan 145,000 tons.

VOICE SUPPORT OF CONFERENCE

British Newspapers Aid Effort of Nations

Devote Much Space to Great Gathering

London, Nov. 12.—Interest in the opening of the Washington conference on limitation of armaments and Far Eastern questions is attested by the great amount of space devoted to it in this morning's newspapers, which make it a feature in their news columns.

Some of the journals in their comments on the conference interweave references to President Harding's oration at Arlington Cemetery over the body of America's Unknown Soldier. The Times in this respect says: "President Harding gave a great lead when he spoke of 'liberation of the captive conscience of the world.' Much depends upon the leadership and we rejoice to see many hopeful indications that the leaders and initiators of the conference earnestly aim at translating the highest aspirations of our troubled times into the solid substance of the life we have to live."

Opportunity. The Morning Telegraph says: "Fortunate President Harding is admirably fitted by character, intellect and gifts and experience to grace worthily the historic occasion. This conference, as the British Premier suggested, is the New World's opportunity, and grasping it promptly, President Harding has raised the moral status of the United States as a great power and has conferred a new dignity upon his fellow countrymen."

GREAT THROG AT U. S. CEREMONY

Unknown Soldiers' Tomb Near Conference Hall

Within Sight of Delegates' Meeting Place

(By Lukin Johnston, Special Correspondent of The Times)

Washington, Nov. 12.—Within sight of the hall in which the world's statesmen will make an effort to bring permanent peace to the world, there stretches a wonderful panorama of the nation's capital. Across the Potomac River to the left can be seen the colonnades of the huge Lincoln Memorial. Towering over the city is the George Washington memorial obelisk, five hundred and fifty feet high. Farther east is the Capitol itself. He sleeps close to the nation's heart.

Great Throng. In the white marble amphitheatre where gathered 5,000 people, including the delegates from many lands to the disarmament conference, the gold and silver uniforms of foreign countries added bright touches to the ranks of sombre garbed spectators, while six "Crow Indians in full war dress stood on the centre of the throng. Fully 100,000 people surrounded the amphitheatre. Amplifiers were arranged so that the words of the President and other speakers could be heard by everyone in that vast multitude. From the upper gallery one could see people 500 yards away tipping over the fallen leaves so they might not lose a word spoken from out of their range of vision within the amphitheatre.

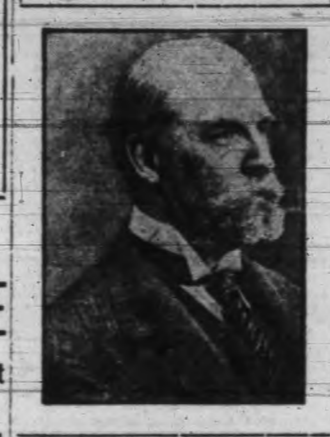
There was a dead silence as leaders of all lands stepped forward to decorate the hall. Probably the tribute of Britain was most striking in its bestowal than any other. Representatives of all the nations expect Britain delivered brief eulogies, some in English, some in their own tongue. (Continued on page 2.)

BRITANNIA RELIEF FUND IS INCREASING

If the public will continue at the rate of subscriptions made yesterday, the Britannia relief fund quota for Victoria will soon be realized. The subscriptions made at The Times, Colliet and Chamber of Commerce offices since the last Times published statement of yesterday, totalled \$74,955.26. The Chambers of Commerce committee having the matter in hand is anxious to obtain the objective of \$8,000 as quickly as possible. The suffering from the disastrous food strike, which resulted in such heavy loss of life, limb and property are in need of immediate assistance.

Powers Asked to Take Naval Holiday for Ten Years and Scrap Many Ships

CHAIRMAN OF BIG CONFERENCE; CHAS. E. HUGHES



PLAN INCLUDES TONNAGE CUT

American Naval Proposal 449,928-ton Reduction

Details of Scheme Submitted to Nations

Washington, Nov. 12.—The total reduction of tonnage on vessels existing, laid down or for which material has been assembled (taking the tonnage of the ships when completed) would be 448,928 tons, under the proposals laid before the international conference here to-day by the United States.

Thus, under this plan there would be immediately destroyed, of the navies of the three powers sixty-six capital fighting ships built and building, with but a total tonnage of 147,842.

It is proposed that it should be agreed by the United States, Great Britain and Japan that their navies with respect to capital ships within three months after the making of the agreement should consist of certain ships designated in the proposal, numbering for the United States 18, for Great Britain 22 and for Japan 16.

The tonnage of these ships would be as follows: Of the United States, 500,650; of Great Britain, 604,450; of Japan, 390,700.

In reaching this result the age factor in the case of respective navies has received appropriate consideration.

Replacement. With respect to replacement the United States proposes:

1. That it be agreed that the first replacement tonnage shall not be laid down until ten years from the date of the agreement.

2. That replacements be limited by an agreed maximum of capital ship tonnage as follows: For the United States 500,000 tons; for Great Britain 500,000 tons; for Japan 300,000 tons.

3. That subject to the ten-year limitation above fixed, and the maximum standard, capital ships may be replaced when they are twenty years old by new capital ships constructed in accordance with the ten-year limitation above fixed, and the maximum standard, capital ships shall be built in replacement with the tonnage displacement of more than 35,000 tons.

Only Outline. "I have sketched the proposal only in outline," said Secretary Hughes, "leaving the technical details to be supplied for the formal proposition which is ready for submission to the delegates."

The plan includes provision for the limitation of auxiliary surface combatant craft. This term embraces three classes, that is:

"1. Auxiliary surface combatant craft, such as cruisers (exclusive of battlecruisers), flotilla leaders, destroyers and various surface types; "2. Submarines; "3. Airplane carriers.

"I shall not attempt to review the proposals for these various classes as they bear a different relation to the provisions for capital fighting ships."

Great Relief. "With the acceptance of this plan, the burden of meeting the demands of competition in naval armament will be lifted. Enormous sums will be released to aid the progress of civilization. At the same time, the proper demands of national defence will be adequately met and the nations will have ample opportunity during the naval holiday of ten years to consider their future course. Preparations for future naval war shall stop now."

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United States Proposes That Three Months After Signing of Agreement Britain Have But Twenty-Two Capital Ships, United States Eighteen and Japan Ten; Plan Calls For Scrapping of Sixty-Six Ships Built or Building.

Washington, Nov. 12.—(Associated Press)—A ten-year naval holiday in naval construction involving a tremendous scrapping of ships now on the ways or contemplated by the United States, Great Britain and Japan was proposed to the conference on limitation of armaments by Secretary Hughes with the opening session to-day as America's proposals.

Briefly the American proposal is: That there immediately be destroyed by the navies of the three great powers sixty-six capital fighting ships and a total tonnage of 1,878,043 tons.

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Replacements would be limited by an agreed maximum of capital ship tonnage, as follows: United States, 500,000 tons; Great Britain, 500,000 tons; Japan, 300,000 tons.

Subject to the ten-year holiday limitation, capital ships could be replaced when twenty years old. No replacement ship would have a tonnage of more than 35,000.

Washington, Nov. 12.—(Associated Press)—America's concrete proposal for limitation of naval armaments—the crux of the arms conference—was presented to-day by Secretary Hughes at the very opening of the first session. Briefly it is as follows:

1. That all capital ship building programmes, either actual or projected, should be abandoned.

2. That further reduction should be made through the scrapping of certain of the older ships.

3. That a general regard should be had to the existing naval strength of the powers concerned.

4. That the capital ship tonnage would permit replacement of capital ships with the tonnage of the older battleships.

5. That the United States programme would scrap all capital ships under construction, fifteen in number, and fifteen of the older battleships.

6. That Britain would stop construction on her Tosa, the ships of the Hood type and scrap all her second and first line battleships up to the King George V. class.

7. That a proviso which would be included would permit replacement of capital ships when twenty years old and prohibit construction of any ship built in replacement with a tonnage of more than 35,000 tons.

Three Powers. The text of the proposals as its details concern the leading naval powers is as follows: Japan would abandon plans for two battleships and four battlecruisers not yet laid down, and in addition would scrap three capital ships and four battlecruisers in process of construction, and all ten of the pre-dreadnoughts and battleships of the second line.

As a replacement programme the American Government proposes that no more ships be laid down for the next ten years, and that a maximum replacement tonnage figure be fixed providing eventually for 500,000 tons for the United States, 500,000 tons for Great Britain and 300,000 tons for Japan.

United States. The United States is now completing its programme of 1916 calling ten new battleships and six battlecruisers. One battleship has been completed and others are in various stages of construction, in leaving the technical details to be supplied for the formal proposition which is ready for submission to the delegates.

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CITIES APPEAL TO POPULAR OPINION

Finance Fight Will Continue

Municipal Union Heads Return Home

Having come to the conclusion that it is "utterly useless" to negotiate further with the Oliver Government on taxation and finance problems, the Union of British Columbia Municipalities must now "appeal to popular opinion," Jack Louet, President of the Union, announced to-day.

"We have negotiated for years with the Government for aid for the municipalities of this Province and then we got the schemes outlined in the budget speech of yesterday," Mr. Louet speaking on the long distance telephone from North Vancouver, explained to The Times. "This has convinced us that it is utterly useless to deal with the Government further and we must devise some other method of solving our problems. We have got to appeal to popular opinion but we have not developed our plans yet."

Asked if it were true that municipal leaders were considering the formation of a new political party in British Columbia to secure more generous treatment for the cities and towns of the Province, Mr. Louet replied, "I would not like to say new. I will say, however, that supporters of the present Government in the Union of Municipalities are prepared to abandon the Government."

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10,000 MORMONS IN ALBERTA NOW Lethbridge, Nov. 12.—The Lethbridge Stake of the Mormon Church has been organized here with Major Hugh B. Brown, of Lethbridge, as president.

LARGE WOMAN DIED. Galena, Mo., Nov. 11.—Mrs. Samantha Minto, seventy-three, who weighed more than 500 pounds, and was believed to be one of the heaviest women in the world, died here today.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE DIABETES BACKACHE

COMOX-ALBERTA CANDIDATE SPEAKS

Election Meetings Addressed by A. W. Neill

Courtenay, Nov. 11.—It cannot be said there is much public interest in the Federal election in the Comox-Alberta district, although the personality of A. W. Neill, the independent candidate, is arousing some interest.

Meetings. He has been addressing meetings in the southern part of the constituency, where he is not well known.

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AUSTRALIA TO HAVE AIRMAN DOCTOR London, Oct. 23.—(By Mail)—The airman-doctor will be a feature of life in the Australian bush in the near future if plans now being considered by the government are put into operation.

BANK PRESIDENT FOUND GUILTY Tacoma, Nov. 12.—Ole Larson, former president of the Scandinavian-American Bank, which failed last January, was yesterday found guilty by a jury of grand larceny.

NOVA SCOTIA MINERS' WAGES Halifax, Nov. 12.—The wage schedule at present in force in the Nova Scotia coal mining areas controlled by the British Empire Steel Corporation was extended for one month, or from November 30 to December 31.

DECISIONS ACTS EXTRA VIRES

Privy Council Ruling on Canadian Fair Prices Measures

London, Nov. 11.—The Privy Council gave judgment to-day on the Canadian Board of Commerce Act and the Combines and Fair Prices Act, finding they were ultra vires of the Parliament of Canada.

PRESS COMMENTS ON ULSTER STATEMENT London Papers Deal With Irish Negotiations

POLICE RECOVERED VALUABLE BONDS Returned Before Montreal Broker Aware of Theft

BRITISH BY-ELECTION. London, Nov. 12.—As the result of the by-election in Horsey, made vacant by the death of Kennedy Jones, the Conservatives were successful in electing Viscount Ednam by a majority of 2,016 over Leslie Burgin, Independent Liberal.

SAYS CANADA NEEDS SPOKESMAN (Continued from page 1) In regard to finance, he proposed to endeavor, on the part of the Dominion, the provinces and the larger municipalities, to reach some agreement as to their respective fields of action.

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UNIONISTS WILL MEET IN LIVERPOOL

Political Gathering in England Next Week

London, Nov. 12.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Among a certain number of the parliamentary rank and file who yesterday returned to their constituencies, or at any rate left Westminster, there is a certain number who will be settled one way or the other by the Irish developments.

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FIRE COMPANIES TO PAY COST OF MORE PROTECTION

Explaining the new fire marshals act in the Legislature yesterday afternoon, Attorney-General Farris said that fire insurance companies have been urging the necessity of increased fire protection in this Province along the lines of this act.

premium collections to the Province for the administration of the act, so that it involves absolutely no charge on the revenue of the Province.

Plans Concert—A concert will be held in the Shelburne Street Hall on Wednesday evening, next by the members and friends of the Oaklands Church of England Mission in aid of their friends. The Rev. Mr. Carroll of St. Lukes, Cedar Hill will take the chair at 8 p. m. and it is expected that an especially good programme will be given.

VICTORIA CITIZENS SEND RESOLUTION TO PEACE PARLEY

Prayers and Speeches on Limitations Conference at Metropolitan Church

A mass meeting of citizens of Victoria, nearly filling the Metropolitan Church, last night unanimously passed the following resolution supporting limitation of armaments:

Whereas a conference of the leading nations of the world is to be held at Washington, D. C., U. S. A., beginning on this day, for the discussion of the limitation of armaments and other questions bearing upon peace between nations;

And whereas it is now acknowledged by the best minds that the vast expenditures incurred in the armaments of competing nations constitute a standing menace to the peace of the world;

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Lord's Prayer with an invocation of aid for the conference at Washington.

Existing Example. He referred to the consummation, a century ago, of a convention between Britain and the United States which put an end to fortifications or warships along the international boundary.

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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will help you as nothing else can to get back to the habit of healthful living.

They have formed the habit of being bilious.
Many are the men, indoor workers as well as those who spend their time in the open, who frequently suffer from backache, and yet neglect to get the kidneys in healthful condition.

Kidney Trouble
Mr. George Stevenson, Rounthwaite, Man., writes:
"For seven months I suffered from Kidney trouble, backache and dizzy turns, and could get no relief. My back ached so severely that I could not turn in bed, and finally I had to quit work. One day I received a copy of Dr. Chase's Almanac through the mail, and after reading how highly Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills were recommended, I gave them a trial. I had tried various other pills and remedies with no effect whatever, but immediately I started using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills I got relief, and two boxes made me well."

Bilious Headache
Mrs. John Ireland, R. R. No. 2, King, Ont., writes:
"I was a great sufferer from severe headaches and bilious spells. I tried a number of remedies without obtaining any benefit until I was advised to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. These completely relieved me, and made me feel like a new person. I am very grateful to Dr. Chase's medicines for what they have done for me, and you may use my letter for the benefit of others."

Rheumatism
Mr. George Weathers, Huntsville, Ont., writes:
"I was troubled with rheumatism for eighteen years, and although I tried a number of different treatments nothing did me any good. Finally I tried Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and can truthfully say they completely relieved me."

model of brevity, was denounced as impossible and impracticable. Yet it has existed a hundred years, and is a precedent and a model for this larger conference now commencing in Washington, which would follow very similar lines," noted Mr. Stevenson.

Great Leaders Agree.
Lindley Crease, K.C., seconded, and Dr. W. Leslie Clay, supported the resolution.

FOR CHILDREN THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT
JEALOUS KING FROST Part IV.

When the Green Elves were gone the Queen told her fairies to go to bed, for they would have a great deal of work to do the next day.

ACROSS THE BAY
John Brown, ex-service man, sentenced by Magistrate South in Vancouver last August to six months imprisonment for selling whisky, has been pardoned by Order-in-Council.

FIFTEEN BOILS ON NECK AT ONE TIME
Any one who has suffered from boils can sympathize with poor old Job.

MOTHERS' PENSION BENEFITS
The 1,019 beneficiaries under the Mothers' Pensions Act up to November 1, states Attorney-General Farris in answer to a question asked by J. V. Jones.

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PRACTICAL PROPOSALS.

Public men in Great Britain and in other parts of the world expressed the view when the idea of an armaments conference was first mooted that the invitation to such a gathering as well as a lead in the actual process of limitation should come from the United States because of her more fortunate position in the world's affairs.

The proposals outlined by Secretary Hughes at this morning's session of the conference would seem to furnish all the material essential for an intelligent discussion from a practical point of view. In the days before the war such a suggested curtailment of armament would have been described as drastic to the point of international suicidal.

But at this stage of the world's progress the magnificent lead which the United States has set, and more especially the great spirit which it so eloquently manifests, will be accepted in every country on the face of the Earth as the beginning of something for which agonized humanity has been groping ever since the first horrors of the war began to penetrate to the minds of men.

MUST GO EASY NOW.

If British Columbia's indebtedness did not amount to fifty-five millions of dollars, and if a large part of that amount were not accounted for by Provincial obligations in respect of a railway that demands large expenditures and involves a considerable annual operating loss, the presentation of his budget should afford the Hon. John Hart a substantial amount of satisfaction.

The Union of Municipalities has suspended "diplomatic relations" with the Government because it considers the measure of aid promised in the Finance Minister's speech is inadequate. That aid should amount to a total sum ranging from \$2,000,000 to \$2,500,000 and if properly used should go a long way towards extricating the municipalities mainly affected from their present position.

NEW TAXES.

To direct his footsteps after every legitimate means of revenue is obviously the privilege and duty of the Provincial Minister of Finance. Some of the sources about to be tapped will not be popular. Others may not be good business. But there should be no complaint about Mr. Hart's intention to take a share of the winnings derived from race track betting and an additional percentage from motor licenses.

ure of Provincial liability and its heavy drain upon the public treasury is reflected in the fact that this railway system actually accounts for the difference in running the Province at a profit and a loss. We use the word loss advisedly because it is necessary that the people should face the facts and recognize that the day when the Pacific Great Eastern shall be translated from a costly liability into a revenue-producing asset will not dawn for some time to come.

On the other hand there is a phase of the budget which may be referred to with profit. We are provided with a financial statement which would not have to be increased were there twice as many population in British Columbia. The ratio is out of all proportion to the financial provision made by other Provinces and the size of the public debt begins to inject the inquiry as to the manner in which it shall be liquidated by so sparse a population.

THE IRATE PRODIGALS.

The difficult financial position in which the principal municipalities of the Province, particularly Victoria and Vancouver, find themselves is due to their own unbridled extravagance. Nine or ten years ago they undertook enterprises which would have staggered communities elsewhere several times their size, and in Victoria, we recall, we gloried in the fact that we had undertaken the largest street improvement programme of "any city on the whole continent."

If the revenues of those cities had been twice as large the only difference would have been a proportional increase of their liabilities; they would have spent twice as much and probably four times as recklessly. In those halcyon days, of course there were no strained relations between the Government and the municipalities because the former did not come to the assistance of the latter.

After the news from Washington has sunk into the minds of the people of the world the Turks and Greeks will have a difficult task to get anybody to pay much attention to their little "tiff."

BOYS' NAVAL BRIGADE

Weekly Orders.
Monday, Nov. 14, 7.30 p.m.—E. N. B. Depot: Band and both watches.
Thursday, Nov. 17, 7 p.m.—B. N. A. Depot: Band practice, and 7.30 p. m. both watches.
Saturday, Nov. 19, 7 p.m.—E. N. B. Depot: Petty officers' class.
Duty petty officers—P. O. Robinson and L. S. Johnson.
Duty bugler—L. S. Day.
(Sgd.) P. W. TRIBE, 1st Lieut.

something to the public treasury. And how can the automobiling public expect good roads and more of them unless it contributes in a manner commensurate with the development of highway transportation?

THE V. O. N.

It is only necessary to refer to the annual details of the work carried on by the local branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses for the reason that the people of Victoria may not properly estimate the magnitude and value of its service to the community as a whole from a superficial knowledge which its activities would naturally convey. For instance it may not be generally known that four of these modern Florence Nightingales nursed nearly one thousand cases during the year covered by the report printed in these columns the other day and under their care no fewer than one hundred and twenty-six "new citizens" first saw the light of day. But the significant part of the V.O.N.'s mission is reflected in that section of the annual document which informs the general public that nearly seven hundred cases were given expert nursing attention without cost to the patient. In other instances a nominal fee merely served to satisfy a natural instinct for personal independence. It does not need more than a nodding acquaintance with economics to appreciate what the work of the Order means to those members of the community who are not able to foot the bill for the usual professional attendance. We commend the nurses for their excellent work and bespeak warm support for its continuance.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Those who own shares in battleship building companies had better unload and put the proceeds into creameries.

British Columbia's balance sheet would make cheerful reading if a magic wand could get in a little work with the P. G. E. account.

Extract from a dictionary published in the year 2,000: War—a process in which the peoples of nations killed each other because their various governments could not agree.

There is sufficient in the spirit of the disarmament proposals laid before the conference by Secretary Hughes this morning to provide a text for every pulpit in the world to-morrow morning.

Admiral Kato describes the United States ratio of disarmament as very drastic. The condition of the world demands drastic action on the part of nations and the people are ready to back it up.

When the chief actors in the Irish drama read the business of the first day's session of the disarmament conference they may wonder why on earth they are making such a fuss about the respective jurisdictions of the North and South.

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POLITICS
And Mr. Crerar Slumbered On.
A Blizzard Ahead.
'Profiteers,' a Drama With a Punch.
Crerar to Capture Ottawa?

Excited farmers scoured lonely Ontario roads one night last week in search of Mr. Crerar. Visions of an automobile wreck, a hold-up or a kidnapping outrage had brought the searchers close to the verge of hysteria.

Following his speech at Prescott, Mr. Crerar had left for Brockville by automobile. Half an hour or so behind followed a car with other members of his party. The second car duly arrived at Brockville, proceeded to the hotel, where rooms had been engaged, but there was no trace of Mr. Crerar. Inquiries elicited nothing but rumors. There were wild stories of holdups on that stretch of road.

It was decided to go in search. Another car was secured, and back over the road went the searchers. They reached Prescott, and still there was no trace of Mr. Crerar. Badly-mystified they turned again to Brockville, and found that, all innocent of the day's great adventure, Mr. Crerar had gone to bed. The explanation was a simple one.

Instead of going direct to Brockville, as at first planned, Mr. Crerar had stayed in Prescott for another hour or so to take supper with the Progressive candidate and chat over the situation. His car had a blow-out and was further delayed. It reached Brockville almost as the searchers were leaving it.

Snow has fallen on Parliament Hill already. But, The Toronto Globe predicts, it is light compared with the blizzard timed for December 6.

Something is apt to happen to James Murdock, who used to be a member of the ill-fated Board of Commerce and who is now a Liberal candidate in Toronto. No man can go around indefinitely with so many secrets locked in his bosom. The Conservative Toronto Telegram warns.

He knows all sorts of horrible things about profiteers and exploiters, plutocrats and parasites. He could a tale unfold, he claims, which would make every hair on his auditors' heads stand on end like quills upon a fretful porcupine. Maybe he is led by the showman's instinct to save the punch for the big act. They do that in "East Lyn" and "Why Girls Leave Home." Perhaps Mr. Murdock is shaping his political melodrama along the same familiar lines.

However, the audience gets restive. They want to know, at least, who the villains are. "I'd like to name them if they would only ask me," explains Mr. Murdock.

Purchase the big act will work out like this: Enter a corpulent individual wearing a silk hat, a black moustache, patent leather shoes, a large cigar, and a fur-lined overcoat. "Ha, ha!" he chuckles sinisterly, "I defy anyone to identify me in this disguise." Not so fast," retorts the hero tensely. "You are—"

The suspense is awful. But it is an author's privilege to tell his story in his own way and to unmask his villains when he thinks best. Of that privilege Mr. Murdock is availing himself to the full.

Former Conservatives and former Liberals are rallying with equal enthusiasm to the Progressive movement. The Ottawa Citizen declares. In Ottawa, Liberal party organizers blame the Conservatives for inspiring the Independent Progressive Association; Conservative organizers blame the Liberals. Quite plainly, then, the Progressive candidates are making inroads on both Conservative and Liberal voting preserves. Gains from both old parties, combined with the votes of thousands of independent and progressive citizens in Ottawa, should put Loughnan and Bourque at the head of the poll next December. The Citizen predicts. There is one month to mobilize the Progressive forces be-

hind Messrs. Loughnan and Bourque in Ottawa. With national headquarters of both old parties entrenched in the Capital, victory for the forces of democracy in this constituency should be the most important break through in the whole campaign.

LETTERS

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. Communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not published unless the writer wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. Responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

POULTRY STEALING.

To the Editor:—Poultry stealing in this city is becoming a habit, and although always laid down to the Chinaman being the thief, it therefore affords a good chance for certain of our own race to take a hand in the game, with very little chance of being discovered while there is a Chinaman in town. Although the police are always on the hunt for such offenders, it stands to reason that they cannot get them all unless the people co-operate with them. This can be done by locking up the chickens securely each night, and if possible have a good dog on hand. In other words make it as hard as possible for the thief. However, some people who have only a few hens in the back-yard, do not want to go and build a stronghold. I believe that if a few of the thieves were to come into contact with the good, old-fashioned Missouri punishment, one would be safe to leave their poultry in any kind of a chicken house. The punishment I refer to is, simply set a few "traps" around the chicken house. The traps in question can be for bear or for man, but whatever they are, they will only have to be used once, as there will be a big commotion in town when someone wakens up in the middle of the night to find an unconscious chicken thief in their back-yard. I don't know how the police will take to this idea of capture, but it would be the quickest way to put an end to the chicken stealing craze in Victoria. Let's hear some comment on the subject.
BRIG. YOUNG.
1292 Denman Street, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 9, 1921.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

To the Editor:—On September 26, the Civil Service Commission addressed a letter to The Victoria Daily Colonist in reply to a letter published over the signature of Mr. Charles Flick in regard to the administrative work of the Commission. In this letter which appeared in the columns of The Colonist on September 29, it was stated that the Commission was prepared to reply to any specific charges that might be made in regard to appointments to the public service.

This invitation has been accepted by a writer signing himself, "Schalla Gashla," who wrote The Victoria Times on October 5. The Commission considers that the public is entitled to a statement in reply to the specific cases mentioned in his letter.

The writer states that candidates who had qualified through certain examinations have not received any appointment and refers to pages 109, 110, 112 and 114 of the last report of this Commission to Parliament. The examinations referred to were for the positions: "Clerk," "Clerk Stenographer," "Stores Clerk" and "Customs Clerk and Excise man." These were the regular periodical examinations held in October, 1920, as advertised under list No. 52, and it was announced in the advertisement that the examinations were for the purpose of establishing lists of eligibles for the classes named.

In other words, the object of the examination was to provide lists of eligibles at various centres in order to avoid delay when the departments call for candidates and there was no guarantee either of examination or of immediate appointment for the successful candidates.

Under the patronage system of appointment there usually was no delay in making appointments as the local representative of the party in power named his man and the appointment followed automatically. Under the merit system, the position is thrown open to the public and every citizen of Canada has an opportunity to compete. This is democratic but it requires time. It is, moreover, necessary that the qualifications of the candidates be ascertained and also that the general educational standards and the physical fitness and moral attributes of the candidates be ascertained. This also requires time to ascertain. In order to avoid delay in providing qualified candidates, periodical examinations are held and the successful eligibles are established.

The writer of the letter makes reference to a Victoria man qualified as a male Principal Clerk on August 19, 1920, who also has never had any offer of employment and that he was totally ignored in a recent vacancy in the particular grade for which he successfully competed. The reference in this case is to page 167 of the Commission's report for 1920 where it will be found that Mr. George Hornsey passed an examination for male Principal Clerk which was the only candidate successful in the city of Victoria. Mr. Hornsey passed this examination in July, 1920, under the condition mentioned above. The writer complains that Mr. Hornsey was not appointed to a position advertised under competition No. 2167 in March, 1921, for the position of male Principal Clerk and Secretary to the Navy College, Esquimaux. This is true, but the Department of the Naval Service requisitioned for an officer for the Naval College at Esquimaux possessing special qualifications essential to the position. These qualifications were not at all the same as the qualifications required under competition No. 1194 which Mr. Hornsey had passed in March, 1920. All the successful candidates under competition No. 1194, including Mr. Hornsey, were considered in connection with competition No. 2167, but Mr. Hornsey lacked certain qualifications such as naval experience, knowledge of naval accounting, procedure, etc. Competition No. 1194 was a general competition, the advertisement for which

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY
Victoria Daily Times, November 12, 1896.
Delay in the construction of the new Point Ellice Bridge is causing the City Council great anxiety. Unless progress on the work is more satisfactory soon certain city officials will be dismissed. It is understood Hon. Fred Peters, Premier of Prince Edward Island; Mr. Beique, of Montreal, and R. N. Venning, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, arrived here last night. Messrs. Peters and Beique will be counsel for the British and Canadian Governments before the Bering Sea Commission which probably will be sworn in next week.
London:—It is proposed to tear down No. 10 Downing Street, headquarters of the British Government.

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Two Slices For One VICTORIA BAKERS' ASSOCIATION

The Social Side of the World's Press Conference in Hawaii

(By Margaret J. Evans)

Since we sighted the softly blended brown and green mantle in which the extinct volcano, known as Diamond Head, which guards the harbor entrance to Honolulu, the lovely mist-crowned capital of the Hawaiian Islands, life has been a continuous joy ride. We say to ourselves, that it must of necessity soon stop, and still in the inmost recesses of the mind of most of us there is a vague hope that like Tennyson's Brook, it may go on forever. It is such a merry brook; such a joyous rollicking brook, that it seems a pity it must eventually—

between sweethearts—but you can fill that in for yourselves. Lei means something ornamental thrown around the neck, and that is one place where the men score. The poor things are denied the joys of wearing beads but they can and do wear leis. The lei may be made of natural flowers, and is very, very beautiful. Others are of tissue paper in the form of a ruff. They may come to the waist or to the knees—or if one be not too tall, almost to the feet. As a rule, they are orange or red, but one sees them of all hues and sometimes in the shades of red, white and blue. Well, the Press party received leis. They were escorted into port by submarine chasers, torpedo boats and mine planters, and everything that goes to give one a good send off or possibly "send in." Anyhow, the Honolulu Reception Committee went aboard the steamer at the Quarantine and welcomed the party officially. Hawaiian singers from a launch serenaded them, members of the Outrigger Canoe Club met the steamer at the harbor entrance and towed her into port by red, white and blue ribbons. Hawaiian boys did their usual stunt of diving for coins, and last but not least, the Hawaiian band played. Oh, it was assuredly a royal welcome.

In the afternoon the old throne room of the Royal Palace was thrown open and the Governor and Mrs. Farrington greeted the visiting delegates. The scene was a most brilliant one. Native flowers in the greatest profusion and the beautiful gowns worn by the ladies, together with the military and naval uniforms of the gentlemen, gave an air of modernity to the stately room, on the walls of which are hung in massive frames portraits of a by-gone dynasty. The afternoon reception was followed by a dinner at the beautiful Moana Hotel, situated on the famous Waikiki Beach. This hotel has been the headquarters of the Conference and the scene of many delightful social affairs. Several days were taken up with a trip to the other islands and the volcano, but as Kipling says—"that is another story."

As soon as the Congress was again in session, the social side was very much in evidence. The ladies of the Congress were entertained at luncheon by Mrs. Harrington at the picturesque Country Club House. This is situated on a lovely hillside some three miles or more from the city. There is a very fine golf course and the view of the sea, in the foreground, and the picturesque windward road by which the well-kept grounds are approached, as seen from the spacious veranda, is not soon forgotten. Some one may ask just here what do they serve in Honolulu? Is it different from the usual thing? In a sense, yes. First of all, they serve flowers in such profusion as I have never seen equalled even in California. At Mrs. Farrington's luncheon, the decorations were in green and yellow with a giant of blue, the latter achieved by the use of large glazed baskets. The flowers were the golden rod intermixed with a yellow and green foliage shrub which grows here in great quantities. However, I'll say in a general way that we get a great deal of pineapple served in many delightful ways—in sherbet—or punch it something to do the Oliver Twist act—ask for more. In pie or salad, Oliver Twist again. Then we get what in rather vulgar parlance we have dubbed "alligator pear" cocktails. We also get sweet potatoes and taro and so much turkey that one gentleman said he went to the kitchen and asked the cook for a plate of plain rice—I didn't. But I ate the foreign "cats"—it's the wholehearted hospitality that one receives everywhere. It's the kindness and smiling courtesy of the people from the highest to the lowest, the club house is close to the beach and the breeze as if he hadn't a care in the world. The feet of his numerous grandchildren are also bare. Their garb is the scantiest and simplest, and so is his, but so is cheap and the cares of state are not for him.

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smiling president, Dean Williams, who also posed his long slender body. We had charming native music, both vocal and orchestral, but there was no more eat. Many of the men were missing from the afternoon session. Where did they go? Could they have gone for something which would obviate the necessity for tightening their belts? I cannot say, for they never admitted it, but as for me, I hid me down to the Liberty store where every afternoon during the Congress, tea, which is so deliciously refreshing and so charmingly served by pretty little Japanese maids in their native costume that I found myself going again and again. It was free, too. Another touch of the hospitality we have received. Still another pretty custom which prevails everywhere is that of giving each guest a bouquet. In many cases the decorations are entirely of hibiscus flowers, massed in great banks and baskets. The hibiscus is found everywhere. Sometimes as a tree, sometimes an individual shrub, but most often as a hedge. There are, I am told, nearly 200 varieties. The colors range in all shades of red and pink and yellow. The small single flower resembles a nasturtium with a spiky centre. The leaves are as varied as the flowers. It is ever blooming and most democratic in that it beautifies the yard of the humble peasant as contentedly as the grounds of the stately mansions. One also sees miles of it along the highway. Roses rare not grown here as much as formerly on account of a destructive beetle, nor does one see many pansies, but there are the most wonderful chrysantheums, and oh, such brilliant purple blossoms. There are ferns and ferns and more ferns everywhere, chiefly of the sword fern variety. Add to these hundreds of gay flowering shrubs whose names I forget as soon as I am told, and the far-famed night blooming cereus which puts forth its buds and flowers quite out of season, for the Press party. It is of the cactus species, with the long triangle leaf and the flower is pure white with a full, fluffy yellow centre. It is no exaggeration to say that the "fall blown flower is almost as common as blood and Royalty. On state or funeral occasions, great numbers of these were carried in procession and possibly were not more ridiculous in appearance than the huge bear skin hats worn by the British Royal Guard. Custom sanctions anything no matter how absurd. These feather cloaks are now im-

But rice, owing to labor conditions and the fact that California is now growing rice, is no longer cultivated to any great extent. The leading industries now are the pineapple and sugar. We were entertained most delightfully by the pineapple association and the entire industry from the planting of the pine to the canning and shipping of them. The plants grow to best advantage on the highlands and any steep bank can be made into a pineapple field. A plantation may be anywhere from a thousand to fifty or sixty thousand acres. The plants may be propagated from seed but this is not done except for the production of new varieties, for strange to say, a seed does not always reproduce a plant like that from which it was taken. The name pineapple has originally been given to this kind of fruits because the external appearance is that of a pine cone, while the term apple is a very ancient word denoting a fruit. The industries apparently knew about it, and legend has it that it is the apple by which our first mother Eve got her husband into financial and other difficulties. The fruit grows on plants scarcely waist high, one or more to a plant. One sees mile after mile of straight, trim rows, the spiny spear-pointed leaves softening in the long perspective, the golden fruit like jewels in a green setting. The color of the earth which is a very bright Indian red, owing to the iron deposits which it contains, adds in producing the scenic effect of a great tapestry. New fields are started by planting slips suckers or the leafy crowns cut from the fruit. A crop is harvested about twenty months after planting. We were lunched in the immense dining room, probably the largest in the world, where every day the thousands of employees are given meals at cost. No one could help being greatly impressed at the absolutely sanitary conditions prevailing everywhere.

We were also taken by special train to visit the plantation and plant of the Hawaiian Sugar Company, which they didn't understand the absolute necessity for more Oriental laborers in Hawaii. We felt real cross about that, of course, if such a large percentage of sugar cane must be planted by white men simply cannot do the work of harvesting it, and Oriental labor is not available under the new immigration laws, the white-skins here will have to pay more for sugar. The cane fields resemble nothing so much as the corn fields of the East. A most interesting display of fireworks was staged for us by setting fire to a large field of sugar cane. We shall always remember our warm, warm welcome at the sugar plantation. The volcano, simply a few miles away, was before a blazing field of sugar cane. This spectacular way of getting rid of the green leaves has been necessitated by the labor shortage. After all the decorations are gone, cutting and loading the cane is a comparatively easy matter. We were entertained at luncheon in huge surroundings the lovely grounds surrounding the spacious home of the manager of the plantation. Our souvenirs on this occasion consisted of pieces of sugar cane, which are attached inches long of bright orange. Speaking of souvenirs, we shall leave as many as we can. Each island originally had a cloak woven in a special pattern, but the one of all yellow betokened the highest rank. A Royal cloak reached the knees of the wearer, but smaller ones resembling a shoulder cape were used in time of war by the women, many of the same color as the cloak of lesser rank. A straight piece in the form of a skirt was worn by the women, many of the same color as the cloak of lesser rank. A straight piece in the form of a skirt was worn by the women, many of the same color as the cloak of lesser rank.

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MAIN STREET

THE STORY OF CAROL KENNICOTT

By SINCLAIR LEWIS

She had reached the calmness of not caring whether her guests liked the party or not, and a state of stifled suspense in regard to Beal's technique in serving, before Kennicott cried from the bay-window in the living-room, "Here comes some body!" and Mr. and Mrs. Luke Dawson faltered in a quarter to eight. Then in a shy avalanche arrived the entire aristocracy of Gopher Prairie: all persons engaged in a profession, or earning more than twenty-five hundred dollars a year, or possessed of grandparents born in America.

Even while they were removing their overshoes they were peeping at the new decoration. Carol saw Dave Dyer secretly turn over the gold pillows to find a price-tag, and heard Mr. Juhus Flickerbaugh, the attorney, gasp, "Well, I'll be switched," as he viewed the vermilion print hanging against the Japanese obi. She was amused. But her high spirits slackened as she beheld them form in dress parade, in a long, silent, uneasy circle clear around the living-room. She felt that she had been magically whisked back to her first party, at Sam Clark's.

"Have I got to lift them, like so many pigs of iron? I don't know that I can make them happy, but I'll make them hectic."

A silver flame in the darkling circle she-whirled around, drew them with her smile, and sang, "I want my party to be noisy and undignified. This is the christening of my house, and I want you to help me have a bad influence on it, so that it will be a giddy house. For me, won't you all join in an old-fashioned square-dance? And Mr. Recorder will call."

She had a record on the phonograph—Dave Dyer was capering in the centre of the floor, loose-jointed, lean, small, rusty-headed, pointed nose, clapping his hands and shouting "Swing y' partners—aluminum left!"

Even the millionaire Dawsons and Ezra Stowbody and Professor George Edwin Mott danced, looking only slightly foolish; and by rushing about the room and being cozy and coaxing to all persons over forty-five, Carol got them into a waltz and a Virginia Reel. But when she left them to disengage themselves in their own way Harry Haydock put a one-step record on the phonograph, the younger people gradually crushed by the invisible force of fifty perfectly pure and well-behaved and negative minds; and they sat down, two by two, in twenty minutes, the party was again elevated to the decorum of a prayer-meeting.

"We're going to do something exciting," Carol exclaimed to her new confidante, Vida Sherwin. She saw that in the growing quiet her voice had carried across the room. Nat Hicks, Ella Stowbody, and Dave Dyer were abstracted, fingers and

lips slightly moving. She knew with a cold certainty that Dave was rehearsing his "stunt" about the Norwegian, catching the hen, Ella running over the first lines of "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," and Nat thinking of his popular parody on Mark Antony's oration.

"But I will not have anybody use the word 'stunt' in my house," she whispered to Miss Sherwin.

"That's good. I tell you: why not have Raymond Wutherspoon sing?"

"Raymie? Why, my dear, he's the most sentimental yearner in town!"

"See here, child! Your opinions on house-decorating are sound, but your opinions of people are rotten! Raymie does wag his tail. But the poor dear—'Longing for what he calls 'self-expression' and no training in anything except selling shoes. But he can sing. And, some day when he gets away from Harry Haydock's patronage and ridicule, he'll do something fine."

Carol apologized for her superciliousness. She urged Raymie, and warned the planners of "stunts." "We will have a song by the only famous actor I'm going to let appear on the stage to-night."

While Raymie blushed and admitted, "Oh, they don't want to hear me," he was clearing his throat, pulling down his handkerchief farther out of his breast pocket, and thrusting his fingers between the buttons of his vest.

In her affection for Raymie's defender, in her desire to "discover artistic talent," Carol prepared to be delighted by the recital.

Raymie sang "Fly as a Bird," "This-Ar My Dove," and "When the Little Swallow Leaves Its Tiny Nest," all in a reasonably bad offertory tenor.

Carol was shuddering with the vicious shame which sensitive people feel when they listen to an "elocutionist" being humorous, or to a precocious child publicly doing badly what no child should do at all. She wanted to laugh at the gratified importance in Raymie's half-shut eyes; she wanted to weep over the meek ambitiousness which clouded like an aura his pale face, and she delightedly continued to ejaculate "Nev in my me" as she saw the living-room door opened by invisible hands and shoes hurrying through it, as she heard from the darkness beyond the door a squawling, a burning, a resolute "Here's a lot of shoes. Come on, you wolves. Owl! Y' would, would you!"

(To Be Continued.)

think he puts such a lot of feeling into it?"

Carol lied blackly and magnificently, but without originality: "Oh yes, I do think he has so much feeling!"

She saw that after the strain of listening in a cultured manner the audience had collapsed; had given up their last hope of being amused. She cried, "Now we're going to play an idiotic game which I learned in Chicago. You will have to take off your shoes, for a starter! After that you will probably break your knees and shoulder-blades."

Much attention and incredulity. A few eyebrows indicating a verdict that Doc Kennicott's bride was noisy and improper.

"I shall choose that most vicious, like Juanita Haydock and myself, as the shepherds. The rest of you are wolves. Your shoes are the sheep. The wolves go out into the hall. The shepherds scatter the sheep through this room, then turn off all the lights, and the wolves crawl in from the hall and in the darkness they try to get the shoes away from the shepherds—who are permitted to do anything except bite and use black-jacks. The wolves chuck the captured shoes out into the hall. No one excused! Come on! Shoes off!"

Every one looked at every one else and waited for every one else to begin.

Carol kicked off her silver slippers, and ignored the universal glance at her arches. The embarrassed but loyal Vida Sherwin unbuttoned her high black shoes, Ezra Stowbody cackled, "Well, you're a terror, in old folks. You're like the gals I used to go horseback-riding with, back in the sixties. Ain't much accustomed to tending parties barefoot, but here goes!" With a whoop and a gallant jerk Ezra snatched off his elastic-sided Congress shoes.

The others giggled and followed.

When the sheep had been penned up, in the darkness the timorous wolves crept into the living-room, squealing, halting, thrown out of their habit of solidity by the strangeness of advancing through nothingness toward a waiting foe, a mysterious foe which expanded and grew more menacing. The wolves peered to make out landmarks, they touched gliding arms which did not seem to be attached to a body, they quivered with a rapture of fear. Really had vanished, a yelling scuffle suddenly arose, then Juanita Haydock's high siter, and Guy Pollock's astonished, "Ouch! Quit! You're scalping me!"

Mrs. Luke Dawson galloped backward on shoes, not knees into the safety of the lighted hallway, moaning, "I declare, I never was so upset in my life!" But the propriety was shaken out of her, and she delightedly continued to ejaculate "Nev in my me" as she saw the living-room door opened by invisible hands and shoes hurrying through it, as she heard from the darkness beyond the door a squawling, a burning, a resolute "Here's a lot of shoes. Come on, you wolves. Owl! Y' would, would you!"

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to let the goods cool off in the open. Involves Unnecessary Expense.

The by-law works a very great hardship in general, and in particular where a small baker is just starting up, for he is compelled to go to a heavy expense in buying show cases and the like.

Not a Sound By-law. Because it is impossible to serve a customer without exposing the goods and such exposition is an infringement of the by-law, if six or eight customers are waiting to be served from the same window, or show case, the baker is a law breaker if he leaves his goods uncovered. Furthermore, a baker must not move goods from a case to be cleaned without having another case, or covered receptacle, to put them in during the operation.

Prejudicial. If a baker is caught, convicted and fined for having goods uncovered, the public at once jumps to the conclusion that he is operating a dirty establishment.

A Class By-law. For the reason that it does not effect other lines of the retail trade whose merchandise is far more susceptible to the affection of flies, i.e., meats, fish and candies. In conclusion we, the undermentioned, most respectfully urge that you give the question of abolishing this by-law your earnest and immediate consideration.—A. E. G. Cornwall, Thomas Dods, Wm. C. Arthur, E. Harris, D. J. McLean, J. Stevenson, Window Bakeries, Ltd., Frank Massey, William Dods, L. E. Richards, W. E. Norington, Petherbridge & Bowden, G. Christie, R. E.

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March—"Lorraine"..... Ganne
Overture—"Zampa" (Written 1831)..... Herold
Three dances from the Music to Henry VIII..... Edward German (Lyceum Theatre, 1892)
Song—"In Flanders Field" (by request)..... Deane Wells Kenneth Angus.
Community sing—"Onward Christian Soldiers"..... Sullivan (Everybody is requested to sing)
Euphonium solo—"Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"..... Robinson G. Gaiger.
Song—"Land of Hope and Glory"..... Elgar
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DEPUTATION ASKS BY-LAW ABOLISHED

Covering of Displayed Foods in Question; Council to Act

Abolition of the by-law calling for the covering of their goods on display was requested of the City Council in Streets Committee yesterday afternoon by a delegation of the Retail Merchants' Association speaking in behalf of the Vancouver Island Bread and Cake Makers' section.

G. W. Newton addressed the committee on the petition. B. Andros thought the request to abolish the by-law was too far-reaching in its possible effect and was of the opinion that the bakers would have been better advised to have requested any reasonable amendment.

The delegation agreed to change the request to provide for the necessary amendment calling for the deletion of clause six of the by-law and they were advised that consideration would be given to the matter.

The bakers and cake makers, doing business within the Municipality of Victoria, B. C., most respectfully request that the by-law mentioned above be abolished, basing their objections as follows:

A Detriment to Business. Sales are fully 25 per cent. better when goods are in plain view of customers and uncovered.

Discriminatory. Foodstuffs, far more susceptible to germs and dirt, are not covered by the by-law in question.

Vexatious and Irksome. Because it is often very necessary, and reasonable, to leave goods uncovered. The constant opening and closing of doors and cases entails much needless work where a quick trade is being done.

Impractical. For the reason that no one can put warm bread or cakes into glass cases without ruining both goods and cases. Yet, according to the by-law, it is not permissible for us

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TWO FORMER COUNCILLORS NOW IN FIELD

Messrs. Diggon and Dooley to Seek Election in Saanich

The entry of Councillor Kingwell into the Reevehip contest in Saanich creates a vacancy for Ward Five at the Council table for which ex-Councillor Harold M. Diggon has been invited to stand.

With his previous experience in municipal matters, gained as representative of Ward Seven, together with his knowledge of waterworks affairs accumulated while chairman of the waterworks committee...

Persistent rumors are afloat in Saanich that Councillor Simpson, representative of Ward Seven, will be in the running for the Reevehip this year...

Community Sing.—The usual weekly entertainment held in the Armory on Saturday evenings will take place to-night with an exceptional program...

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MOTORSHIP DUE TO LOAD FISH HERE

The motorship Donna Lane, which was floated yesterday after being aground in Pigeon Bay, Lake Egmont, Wash., since Tuesday last, is coming to this port to load a shipment of herring for the Orient...

Donna Lane Was Aground in Lake Union, But Floated Yesterday

The Donna Lane, built on Lake Washington, and owned in Seattle by the Scandinavian-American Bank, is reported to be under charter to carry cargoes of lumber and herring from British Columbia ports to the Orient.

TO SPEAK TO-MORROW AT ST. COLUMBA

Rev. Thomas McConnell has been fortunate in securing the services of Dr. Thomas, chief parliamentary organizer for Mr. David Lloyd George in 1916, to deliver an important address in St. Columba Church on Sunday evening.

Address on Radium.—At the regular meeting of the Young Men's Club of the Y. M. C. A., to be held next Thursday in that institute, Dr. L. K. Poyntz will deliver a brief address on "Radium," how it is obtained, and to what uses it may be put.

Maccabees Memorial Service.—Queen Alexandra Review will hold their memorial service in commemoration of Armistice Day at the Knights of Pythias Hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Pretty Ceremony at Gorge.—At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the "Mother Goose Club" met to sew poppy unit for the shores of Gorge, which had been plowed and prepared for this occasion.

Against Oriental Enfranchisement.—At a meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans that body went on record as strongly protesting the petition that had been presented to the Legislature in connection with granting the franchise to all native Orientals in British Columbia.

Women's Canadian Club.—Mrs. Isabel Ecclestone Mackay, the well-known British Columbia authoress, will be the speaker at Tuesday's meeting of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel ballroom.

Along the Waterfront SHIPPING NEWS FROM DAY TO DAY

BRITISHER AVERAGED OVER THIRTEEN KNOTS

Prince Rupert, B. C., Nov. 12.—A satisfactory trial trip of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Britisher built here, was run yesterday, the vessel maintaining an average speed of 13.3 knots an hour.

OKANAGAN APPLES FOR YULETIDE FARE IN AUSTRALASIA

Apples from the Okanagan orchards formed a notable shipment to Australia by the Canadian-Australasian liner Niagara, outbound to-day for Auckland and Sydney via Honolulu and Suva.

Canadian-Australasian Liner Niagara Steams for Antipodes With Passengers

The Niagara is the Christmas ship for Australia and consequently carries an extra large mail for the South Seas. She is due to reach Sydney early in December.

C. B. Jones Leaves

Prominent among the saloon passengers was Charles B. Jones, well-known business man of this city and ex-Reeve of Saanich, accompanied by his wife and family.

Miss Audrey Bacon, of this city, left on the Niagara for Honolulu where she will be married to Ernest Wootton, formerly of Victoria, now in business at the Hawaiian capital.

Commissioner and Mrs. Richards, of the Salvation Army, are bound to South Australia to take control of Army work there. They are accompanied by their son, Staff-Captain D. Richards, and his wife.

Arthur Floyd, well known in local printing circles, left by the Niagara en route to New Zealand and 150 third class passengers.

Anjir mail for the Pacific for Australia was delivered here by Eddie Hubbard prior to the departure of the ship for the south.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Seattle, Nov. 11.—Arrived: Silver State, Mailla; Admiral Schley, San Pedro; Siberian Prince, Newport, Eng. Quinalt, San Francisco. Sailed: Panaman, New York.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—Arrived: Admiral Dewey, Seattle; Henry G. Grove, Port Angeles; West Jellip, Astoria; C. A. Smith, Coqs. Bay. Sailed: Asme, Brandon; Admiral Sals, Portland, Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 11.—Arrived: Frank G. Drum, Seattle; Evrika, San Francisco. Sailed: Oleum, Richmond, San Francisco; Kalan, Maru, Orient; Norwick City, Europe.

Tacoma, Nov. 11.—Arrived: Cold Harbor, New York; Northland, San Francisco; Depere, Valparaiso. Sailed: Eldridge, Orient, via Port Ludlow.

Manila, Nov. 10.—Arrived: Wanchee, Seattle. Tientsin, Nov. 9.—Arrived: Montague, Portland.

Kobe, Nov. 11.—Arrived: Empress of Japan, Victoria, B. C. Sailed: Empress of Asia, Victoria, B. C. Yohama, Seattle. Sailed: Suwa, Maru, Victoria, B. C.

Aquitan, at New York, from Southampton. Adriatic, at Southampton, from New York. America, at Bremen, from New York. Paris, at Havre, from New York.

SHOAL LOCATED IN VANCOUVER NARROWS

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—A shoal over which there is only twenty-one feet of water has been located by Government boats which recently carried out a thorough investigation of the First Narrows, known also in the reports and charts fisheries as Lion's Gate, and steps will be taken at the earliest possible moment to have this patch leveled off.

The patch is located about three cable lengths (1,800 feet) from the North Shore and on the east side of Brockton Point, is just off the channel and near the point where ships change their course in heading out the Narrows. It has twenty-one feet over it at low tide.

S.S. KASHIMA MARU TO SAIL TO-MORROW

Carrying a large passenger list, including one hundred Japanese tourists from the Pacific Northwest who will spend several months in Japan, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kashima Maru is scheduled to leave this port to-morrow afternoon on her return voyage to the Orient.

N.Y.K. Liner Being Dispatched to Orient Five Days Ahead of Schedule

Passengers sailing by the Kashima Maru include Baron M. Kurokoshi, bound from London to Tokyo; M. Kawakatsu, manager of the Sumitomo Bank of Seattle, with his wife and three children, who will make their first visit to Japan in five years; Dr. M. Miyamoto, professor of criminal law in Kyoto University, who has been visiting criminal law courts in the United States and Europe.

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CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

Nov. 12, 8 a.m.: Point Grey—Rain; calm; 30.30; 45; sea smooth. Cape Lazo—Cloudy; W. light; 30.29; 49; sea smooth. Estevan—Rain; calm; 30.19; 49; sea smooth. Spoke str. Richmond, 2.45 p.m., 35 miles south of Columbia River, bound for Port San from spoke str. Santa Rita, 6.40 p.m., Richmond for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 800 miles from San Pedro; spoke str. Manoa, 7.05 p.m., bound for Port San from Honolulu; 8 p.m., 721 miles from San Francisco; spoke str. Kalkyu Maru, 10.20 p.m., position at 8 p.m., lat. 49.20 N., long. 123.30 W., outbound; spoke str. Karachi Maru, 10.30 p.m., lat. 49.21 N., long. 126.12 W., inbound; spoke str. Toosan Maru, midnight, due Seattle Nov. 16.

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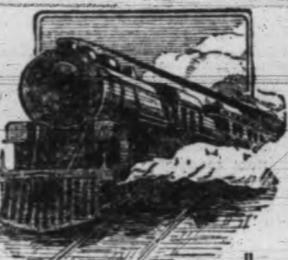
Capt. Jack Barberie, well-known to boat skipper on this coast, has been appointed the British Columbia Photographic Association, and will be stationed at Victoria. The appointment of Capt. Barberie dates from November 1, and he will commence his new duties immediately.

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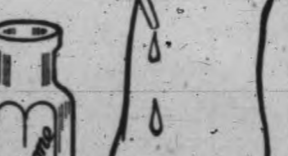
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Navy League Chapter.—Following the presentation of the picture at the Boys' Central School, the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., held its regular monthly meeting at the Jones Building when plans were made to hold a card party in the near future at the Connanagh Seaman's Institute. The sum of \$50 was voted towards the Order's secondary education scheme being carried on in this city.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

In City Police Court.—Austin R. McKenna, charged in the city police court to-day with obtaining goods to the value of under \$10 by means of false pretences was remanded for hearing on Monday.

To Return to Victoria.—Before sailing for New Zealand on the Niagara this morning, C. B. Jones announced that he planned to return to Victoria in some months' time. He denied the rumor that he intended to remain in New Zealand permanently. He intended, he said, to maintain his business connections here.

Evening Signalling Class.—An Evening Signalling Class has been authorized for the signalers of the several militia units of Victoria. This class will commence Monday evening at 8 p. m. Signalers of all militia units, and also those interested in signalling are requested to attend. The class will be held at the Drill Hall, Bay Street.

Two Burglaries.—Two burglaries took place last night as reported to the police to-day. A burglar entered the store of Mr. Deaville, 718 Yates Street, and removed a banjo valued at \$70. Later a thief entered the home of Gen. Geo. 912 Caledonia Ave., and took home candy and other eatables.

Native Sons' Dance.—A merry crowd danced under the most pleasurable conditions at the spacious rooms of the Elks Club last evening when the Native Sons, Post No. 1, held their Armistice Dance. Ozard's orchestra contributed an excellent programme of dance music. The arrangements were in the capable hands of the dance committee, headed by H. R. Brown.

Fire in Esquimalt.—A fire-breaking out at the residence of Major Brays on the Old Esquimalt Road at 2 a. m. this morning, gave the Esquimalt fire brigade some work to extinguish the blaze. The fire started in the basement, but was not permitted to spread. Little damage was done.

For St. Joseph's Hospital.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital are planning to hold a sale of fancy-work and home cooking in the recreation room of the hospital on December 14. Afternoon tea will be served and friends of the institution are requested to bear the date in mind.

Kumtiks Club.—The monthly business meeting of the Kumtiks Club will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Alexandra Club, Pemberton Building. Among the many important matters of business to come up for discussion will be the tentative programme for the Winter season, and it is hoped that every member will make a special effort to attend.

Local Council of Women.—Mrs. S. D. Scott, of Vancouver will present her report as provincial delegate to the recent gathering of the National Council before the Local Council of Women at its meeting in the Union Bank Building on Monday at 2 o'clock. Much important business will come before the meeting, and a large attendance is anticipated.

Punished for Damage.—In the Oak Bay court yesterday afternoon, before Magistrate Jay, six boys were arraigned for breaking street lights and damaging boulevard trees on Halloween night. They were allowed suspended sentence, but forced to pay the damage done, amounting to \$24.50 in all. They were suspended on probation for an indefinite period, and must report to the authorities at regular periods.

Lease For Industry.—The City Council yesterday agreed to allow I. Fenner a twenty-year lease of the Woodlawn property owned by the city on a basis which will give the city a revenue of eight per cent. on the valuation, in addition to which Mr. Fenner will pay his license, taxes and water rates. Aldermen Harvey, chairman of the Industrial Committee, and Aldermen Woodward, Dewar, Aiken and Mayor Porter spoke strongly in favor of encouraging Mr. Fenner's industry, which he already has established in Vernon and which embraces the manufacture of soft drink on a famous English formula, and Aldermen Andros, Sargent, Dinsdale and Todd opposed.

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Whist Drive—Kent Hall, Esquimalt, B.C. Saturday, Nov. 12, 8 p. m. sharp. Refreshments served; valuable prizes. Under auspices Esquimalt Liberal Association. Everybody welcome.

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Bazaar and Concert.—Temperance Hall, Keating, Wednesday, November 18, under auspices W. A. of S. S. Union Church. Home cooking stall, afternoon tea, community singing, concert, 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

Dine at the Pall Mall, opposite Times Building. Four-course chicken dinner, 60c, 5 to 8 p. m.; luncheon, 12 to 2 p. m.; comfort, quality, service.

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Rummage Sale.—St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, Tuesday, November 15, 2.30 o'clock.

Social Dance.—Victoria West members of Lodge Primrose, D. & M. O. E. will hold a social dance in Sempie's Hall, Victoria West, Tuesday, Nov. 8. Under auspices Esquimalt Liberal Association. Everybody welcome.

Have You Visited Mudie's Fruit Store, 122 Government, opposite W. & J. Wilsons.

Bowling Alley—Pemberton Bldg.

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The Annual Meeting of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held on Tuesday, November 15, at 8 p. m. in the Art Club room, Union Bank Bldg.

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Gaelic Society.—The Gaelic Society are going to hold a military five hundred and dance on Wednesday, 16th, 1921, at 8.30 p. m. in the Orange Hall. Mrs. Ridgard will supply the music for the dance. The society are to hold a social and dance on "Hogmanay" in the Orange Hall.

W. C. T. U. Home Cooking.—The W. C. T. U. will hold a home-cooking sale in the basement of Spencer's store on Tuesday, November 23, in aid of their funds. Donations of home cooking may be left for same at Hawkins & Hayward's on day previous to sale.

Knox Church Sale.—The ladies of Knox Presbyterian Church will hold a sale of work, home cooking and pantry shelf. A fish pond for the young people, candy and afternoon tea—from 2.30 to 7 p. m. on Tuesday, November 15, at Knox Church, corner of Stanley Avenue and Gladstone Avenue.

Pensioner Robbed.—A pensioner who had just drawn \$120 in Canadian bills from the Bank of Montreal went over to the Parliament Buildings yesterday to share in the Armistice Day exercises, and on leaving the square found his pocket had been picked. He is J. R. Williams, care of R. Scott, York Buildings, Oak Bay.

Campaign Manager.—E. W. Ellis, who was campaign manager for T. A. Barnard in the Federal by-election of 1919, and later for J. H. Burroughs in Prince Rupert, has been appointed campaign manager for W. A. Bitchard, Socialist candidate in the Nanaimo riding. His address will be 649 Aldermead Road, Saanich.

Y. W. C. A. Linen Shower.—The Y. W. C. A. will hold their annual linen shower Thursday afternoon, November 17, at the headquarters, 745 Yates Street. Madame Kate Webb has kindly consented to take charge of the musical programme, so the friends of the Association are assured of a delightful treat. Tea will be served between the hours of 3 p. m. to 5 p. m., and it is hoped that the usual generous response will be made towards the replenishing of the Association's linen chest.

In Saanich Court.—In giving judgment to-day in the charge against H. L. S. McCullough, in the Saanich police court, charged with driving imprudently and carelessly, Magistrate Jay fined the accused \$10 to be paid by Tuesday. The accused met with an accident, the result of which was the police court charge on a charge of driving in a careless manner. C. L. Harrison appeared for the accused, and E. L. Tait for the Municipality of Saanich. Mr. Harrison asked his honor to fix the costs of an appeal, which would be taken at once.

Parent Teachers' Meet.—At a meeting of the Crawford Parent-Teachers' Association last night Harold C. Cross, boys' work secretary of the Y. W. C. A., gave an interesting talk on the "teen age boy and his problems." A companion address on the "teen girls" was given by Miss De Wolf, of the Y. W. C. A. Mr. Searle presided. Tag arrangements for the Victorian Order of Nurses were left in the hands of the teachers. Mrs. Love added an excellent solo to the programme of the meeting, which closed with refreshments.

Held Successful Smoker.—An enjoyable smoker was held by the Army and Navy Veterans last night, in commemoration of Armistice. Some 100 members were present, an excellent programme of music and sleight of hand being presented. The following artists took part in the programme: J. Fisher, A. Petch, A. E. Sprange, T. Obee, R. Webb, H. Diggon, J. Trace, C. P. Askey, G. Potter, E. Impett and Dr. Hermann Robertson. Com. T. A. Drake presided, and was supported by Comrades Rowlinson and Sidney Petch.

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T. V. C. T. W.—Sale of home cooking on Saturday, Nov. 26, in Spencer's basement.

Every Day Noon—An uplift meeting, 317 Pemberton Building. Mrs. Agnes Galer.

Royal Purple, cards and dance, in Elks' Club, Tuesday, Nov. 15, 8.30. Refreshments. A Christmas Dinner—50c. At "Christmas Cheese" Fund.

Rummage Sale.—St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, Tuesday, Nov. 15, 2.30 o'clock.

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—Photo by Foxall.

Vancouver Island News

Memorial Services.

Duncan, Nov. 11.—A most impressive ceremony took place this morning at the unveiling of cross and dedication of cross and cairn, erected by the people of the Cowichan electoral district in memory of their fellows, who, by sea, land and air, passed out of the sight of men by the path of duty, giving up their own lives. Hundreds of people were present, and all societies represented, the guard of honor being furnished by Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs, under conductor Rev. A. Bishlager, and Girl Guides and Brownies, under Guide Commissioner Miss N. C. Denny, R.R.C.

All announcements were made by H. J. Ruscombe-Poole, and the singing was led by massed choirs under W. A. Whitsett. The marshals were F. G. Smithson, W. L. B. Young and members of Cowichan G. W. V. A.

The proceedings started with the National Anthem, after which Capt. J. Douglas-Groves made a short speech. He said "It was our purpose to-day to accept this memorial cross and cairn in proud memory of those our brothers and this our sisters, whose names are inscribed on this cross, and who, going from this district gave their lives for us in the great war." After prayer by Rev. F. L. Stephenson, the two minutes' silence was observed.

The unveiling and dedication were performed by Mrs. J. Maitland-Douglass; reading of names by James Douglass and scripture reading by Rev. A. F. Munro.

The impressive strains of "The Last Post" were then heard, beautifully rendered by Vyvyan Hodding, who also sounded the reveille at the conclusion.

Prayers were given by Rev. E. M. Cook, the hymn, "The Supreme Sacrifice," announced by Rev. A. E. Stephenson, and the commitment of

cross by Hugh Savage, and the acceptance of same by the Mayor of Duncan then took place.


W. M. Dwyer then committed the cairn on Mount Prevost to the care of the municipality, which was accepted by the Reeve of North Cowichan, and the service ended with prayer by Rev. J. R. Butler and blessing by Rev. F. G. Christmas.

Many beautiful wreaths were then presented, among them being those from the city of Duncan, municipality of North Cowichan, Major and Mrs. Hodding, C. Bradshaw, Mrs. Lippcombe, Scouts and Wolf Cubs, Mrs. Robson, W. A. to G. W. V. A., Ivy Rebekah Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Tooker, St. Andrew's Ladies' Guild, S. Cowichan, Cowichan Health Centre, Cowichan branch G. W. V. A., Duncan Board of Trade, Cowichan Leader, W. E. Blythe and family, E. Gunn and family, Cowichan branch of the Red Cross, parishioners of St. Mary's, Somers, First S. C. Girl Guides, King's Daughters, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Poole, L. W. Huntington, Cowichan Chapter, I. O. D. E., South Cowichan and Sister Agnes—Keyser Chapter, I. O. D. E., Chemainus.

The names inscribed on the cross, 114 killed in action and 46 missing; died of wounds, or died, are as follows:

Roll of Honor.

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AMALGAMATED BODY TO ELECT OFFICERS

At a meeting of the provisional amalgamation committee, it was decided that the next general meeting of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association will be held at the Trades and Labor Hall, Broad Street, on Thursday, November 17, at eight o'clock in the evening. The election of officers for the executive committee, by nomination, will be then conducted. H. D. Twigg of the Army and Navy Veterans, will address the gathering on the result of his findings at the Dominion Conventions of that body recently held in Toronto. Only members who prior to that date signed membership applications, will be permitted to attend.

The membership of the Amalgamated Veterans is now close on 1,900 in this city, and steadily growing. A temporary office has been maintained at the corner of View and Broad Streets, and will be kept open until 6 p. m. on the first five days of the week, and until 3 p. m. on Saturday. It will remain open next week, membership applications being received at that place.

Floods at Port Renfrew.

Port Renfrew: The heavy rain which fell on the Coast last week caused a freshet in the River San Juan at Port Renfrew. It seems there had been a large amount of timber blown down in the storm last January, which had jammed up the river at Harris Creek. The restricted waters at the back of this burst the jam, with the result that it came rolling down the river in a great flood 25 feet high. The settlers who have built up small farms in its course got the full fury of the created wave. Several of them lost cows, pigs and chickens and had their houses, which are mostly on stilts, severely damaged by floating logs. Others had to take refuge with neighbors, and as the main flood occurred at night things seemed serious. However, no lives were lost, though several people were marooned for some days due to the rise of the waters, which was the highest flood for many years.

Liberal Rally.

Duncan, Nov. 11.—A rousing meeting was held in the Odd Fellows' Hall last night at the social rally of Mr. Booth's supporters. Nearly 100 were present with some friends from Nanaimo, who helped to entertain with music and speeches. Enthusiasm, optimism and the expressed determination of the Liberals in Cowichan to carry the fight to a finish were marked. Bountiful refreshments provided by the ladies helped to make the meeting a success and brought them a hearty vote of thanks. The meeting closed with the National Anthem and cheers for the visitors the ladies and the candidate, Mr. Booth.

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Wagstaff's New Lemon Peel, per lb. **35c**

Wagstaff's New Orange Peel, per lb. **35c**

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White Dove Brand Almond Paste in bulk, per lb. **85c**

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Shredded Coconut, in bulk, per 2 lbs. **65c**

Desiccated Coconut, in bulk, per lb. **25c**

Schappe Coconut, in 4-oz. pkgs., each **15c**

Baker's Fresh Grated Coconut, in its own milk, per tin, **15c**

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One Only, Guendge Rug at \$39.50

In fawn colorings with large Oriental designs; sizes 7.6 by 3.1. Monday's selling **\$39.50**

One Only, Kazack Rug at \$85.00

With red ground and fawn and blue colorings. Special for Monday's selling **\$85.00**

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In soft shades of rose with colored border. A very attractive rug and an exceptional value for Monday's selling **\$187.50**

Our Times Best Sporting News

CAN IRELAND MEET THE REQUIREMENTS?

Jack McAuliffe has sailed for Ireland to locate two new pugilistic champions. He will find lots of fighters but will have a hard job to pick the best.



MANAGERS IN HOT RACE FOR PLAYERS.

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Much Interest Being Taken To-day in Inter-Collegiate Rugby Match

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—Interest in Eastern rugby circles to-day is centered principally on Kingston, where Queen's meet McGill in a game which will have a big bearing on the final outcome of the inter-collegiate league this season. A win for Queen's will give them second place in the standing, will knock McGill out of the running, and will hand the championship to the University of Toronto. On the other hand, a win for McGill will place them on even terms with the Torontonians and necessitate a play-off to decide which will represent the college union in the playoff with Toronto Argonauts, who are undisputed champions of the Big Four.

The Big Four season closes to-day with a game in Toronto between the Ottawa Senators and the Arko Little interest attaches to the fixture as the outcome has no bearing on the championship race. The Blue and White super-rugby combination, led by Lionel Connacher, considered one of the greatest running halves developed in the Canadian game in recent years, and Pat Stone, running half extraordinary, have come through the season without defeat, and are strong favorites over the Ottawa team.

It was the Arko win over Ottawa which was the knock-out blow to the local team out of the running, and the Red, White and Black are invading the Queen City with an expressed determination to wipe out that defeat if at all possible.

VARSITY WILL QUIT SENIOR ICE HOCKEY

Only One Member of Last Year's B. C. Champions Available This Season

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—Varsity pucksters, senior champions of British Columbia, will be out of the Senior City League this winter, according to an announcement from Jack McPherson, president of the University Hockey Club yesterday. Only one member of last year's championship squad is available for use by Varsity this year, and although there are a great number of other teams vying for the title, the college squad, there is not enough material to warrant an entry in the senior division.

"We are very sorry to have to drop out of the senior division," said Jack, "but it would be absolutely impossible for us to put up any sort of an exhibition. If we could give the other teams a good run for their money we would stay in. But it looks as if we will have to drop back to intermediate and junior and build up a squad for next year." The college will therefore enter a team in the intermediate and the junior divisions.

The only member of last year's squad who reported this year was Walter Broadfoot, star goalie of the champs. Jap Wolverson and Steve Plummer, the defence men, are both out, Wolverson being laid up with a bad leg which will keep him out of sport until after Christmas, and Steven being out of town. He is a star now.

"Geo. Ternan, Varsity defence man, is playing senior rugby and will not have time to play hockey as well. Jack Shields, the star wing man, is out of the game for the season on account of sickness. Lou Hunter has left Varsity, and Pinkie Morrison is back east at McGill.

This leaves the Varsity squad in pieces, as it were. Walter Broadfoot signed with the Towers seniors when told of the decision of the college team to drop back to intermediate. It is expected that next season will see the college squad back in the senior, with Shields, Wolverson, Jack Wilson and Broadfoot all back in the line-up.

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Hockey Managers Are Hot After Material For Their Sextettes

Scramble For Players In Amateur League This Year Is Arousing Great Spirit of Competition; Managers Reticent About Giving Out Information But Sherlock Holmes Learned an Earful Yesterday.

With the opening of the amateur hockey season just three weeks off the managers of the rival teams are losing sleep and wearing out lots of shoe leather in chasing the elusive puck-chasers from one street corner to another in the hope of annexing signatures to contracts.

The managers are having plenty of trouble signing players this season. There are more good puck-chasers in town this winter than ever before and all four managers are now nursing sore throats from overworking their vocal organs in an effort to persuade certain players that they should play with such and such a club.

Plenty of Oratory.

The persuasive arguments being used by the managers would do justice to the silver-tongued orators that are sitting around the disarmament conference table. But it takes a pretty sweet line of chatter to make these hockey stars yield. They have a peppy streak in their make-ups and like to kid along the managers just for the fun of hearing them talk.

Gradually the managers are beginning to pick the fruits of their labors. One by one the puck-chasers are keeling over under the chloroforming effect of the managerial lingo.

Who's Who.

It is now possible to get some idea what the "who's who" in amateur hockey will look like this winter. It is quite evident that the Senators who did a jazz gallop to the championship last year will find a lot of tough hurds in their way this season. The Elks and War Vets will be two of their hottest outfits they have run foul of in their whole career. The Garrison, although at present appearing a little weak, may come out and prove of equal calibre to the other teams.

All the managers are more or less reticent about giving out the names of players they have landed so far, being anxious to keep their rivals in the dark. However, a Sherlock Holmes got on their trail yesterday and looking over their shoulders found that the following information of the four teams is fairly correct.

Senators Have Dark Ones.

George Straith, manager of the Senators, has got a couple of dark-horses in tow and not one of them Holmes could extract with a pair of forceps the names of this pair. However he admitted that he had signed up his brother Alex to play goal. Alex says that George told the Senators that the following information of the four teams is fairly correct.

Elks Have Eastern Stars.

Harry Stuart, last year with the Senators and a former goalie of renown in Manitoba hockey circles, is to stand in front of the case for the Elks. Geo. Dion, another whirlwind wing in the code, is to be of the defence. Another outsider named Hewer, a good skater and stick-hander, will wear an Elks' uniform and Jimmie Stewart and young Guy Temple, who was with the Garrison last year, are also touted as being on the team. Manager Burnett would like to have his brother Hughie on his defence but the word laid like the color of the Senators' sweaters.

Vets Have Young 'Uns.

The War Vets will have a raft of young material. Aubrey Jones, the manager, put out a bunch of listening posts to see what was going on in the other clubs and he then launched an attack and picked off some nice prizes. He is reported to have signed Ross Miller and Russell Oatman. Miller played here two years ago and is one of the best right wings in the city. Oatman was with the Garrison last season. The two Copas boys will be back on the job. Harry playing goal and Roy spilling his opponents on the defence. Dudley is expected to play at centre ice and Rip McDonald, Jacklin and Tuckwell also available.

SPEEDY ROVER WILL AGAIN BE FOUND ON VANCOUVER LINE-UP

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—With the announcement yesterday that Mickey Mackay had turned in his signed contract, Vancouver now has five of last year's champion squad in line for the coming season's championship hockey series. Mickey, who has thrills in past seasons, is looking forward to the best season in his career. He is skating every day and when the players report for practice the peppy Scot should be travelling in mid-season form.



QUEBEC STILL HOT AFTER STATEMENT ON SCOTTISH TOUR

Montreal, Nov. 12.—A meeting held last night by President Mitchell of the Province of Quebec Football Association's delay in connection with the furnishing of a financial statement for the whole Dominion, which should cover figures of the Scottish footballers' tour, was held behind closed doors and no statement was made.

and Hughes will also be on the line-up. It is rumored that Jerry Tobin, a star here two years ago, will be back in town and will play with the Garrison. Tobin would greatly strengthen the Tommies.

Leo Dowd, last year with the Senators, is still on the outside listening to the managerial chatter. All the clubs are anxious to have Leo, but has not signed anywhere yet. Buster Mattheus, who played with the Vets last season, is also a loose horse. Big Bill Riley, the Moose Johnson of amateur hockey in town but does not know whether or not he will take the ice this winter.

OAK BAY HIGH WINS OVER VICTORIA TEAM

In the Junior School Rugby League the Oak Bay fifteen defeated the Victoria High School by one point, the final score being nine to eight.

LOOKING THINGS OVER

(BY ARCHIE WILLS)

Where will U. S. Money Land Sporting World? World athletes are in a precarious position. They are getting entirely too one-sided for the good of sport. One nation, the United States, by exercising her vast monetary resources, is collecting into herself practically all the prominent athletes in the world. If a nation in Europe or elsewhere develops a star he is lured across the ocean to the land of "golden opportunity," where he can secure purses and prizes that are entirely out of proportion to anything he might win on his native heath.

CECIL LEITCH CAN HIT GOLF BALL AS FAR AS MERE MAN

Drive of 300 Yards Excels That of Three Leading Men in Competition

Miss Cecil Leitch, of England, champion of Great Britain, France and Canada, can hit a golf ball much further than a mere male of average ability and, sometimes, quite as far as the male of the species at his championship best. For instance: During the course of her overwhelming victory over Mrs. Thomas Finckham at Belleisle, recently, Miss Leitch hit one full on its dimpled nose in driving off the sixth-tee and the result was a roll and carry of 300 yards, the longest drive ever made by a woman on American soil. So much for that.

Men are often credited with drives ranging above 300 yards, but actual measurement in another thing entirely. Out in St. Louis during the amateur championship they lined up Jesse Guivert, Bob Gardner, Bobby Jones and other tremendous hitters in a driving contest. Another entrant was "Jimmy" Johnston, of St. Paul, whose drives were said to bound high in the air from various obstructions 300 yards from the tee. The result of the contest was somewhat embarrassing to those whose previous conversation started at the 300-yard mark. The longest drive was made by Johnston, 248 yards, was credited to Bob Gardner.

Junior Swimmers Are Hopeful of Handing Hawaiians a Defeat

Central "Y" Swimming Club of Honolulu Agrees to November 26 As Date For Big Swimming Events; Programme Arranged For Gala to Be Staged Here; Locals Are In Hard Training.

November 26 has been accepted by the Central Y. M. C. A. of Honolulu as the date for holding the telegraphic gala with the local Y. M. C. A. swimming club. Information to this effect was received yesterday from the islands and preparations are being completed now for the holding of the Victoria part of the gala in the "Y" tank.

Programme Arranged.

The officials of the local club have practically settled upon the programme for the gala. Only members of the club will be allowed to compete in the events, but the Y has many swimmers and they will be capable of providing a splendid programme. The list of events will be as follows:

1. 40 yards, boys under 14 years.
2. 100 yards, free style (Honolulu events).
3. Senior 80 yards, club handicap.
4. 150 yards, club handicap (Honolulu event).
5. Life-saving race.
6. Fancy diving (exhibition).
7. Plunge for distance (Honolulu event).
8. 200 yards, club senior handicap.
9. 40 yards back stroke (Honolulu).
10. Polo match.

Relay Race Will Be Good.

The relay race will be one of the most spectacular events. The juniors will test their speed against the seniors, each swimmer making a length of the tank. The local swimmers are exceptionally fast and will give the seniors a close race.

FIGHTER DIES AFTER HITTING THE CANVAS

Tom Skikiovitch Suffered Concussion of Brain in Bout at Butte Last Night

Butte, Mont., Nov. 12.—Siberian Tom Skikiovitch, died from concussion of the brain after falling on the canvas in the second round of his boxing contest with S. Miller, held under the auspices of the United Veterans' Association at Deer Lodge, last night.

NEWSY LALONDE

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Leo Dandurand, one of the new owners of Les Canadiens' hockey club, announces that "Newsy" Lalonde, veteran N. H. player, and captain of the club for the past season, has been engaged as playing manager for the coming season. Dandurand will be business manager and delegate to the N. H. L. The name Canadiens will be retained. The club has called a meeting for November 13 to complete arrangements for the coming season.

CREVASSE WINNER OF THE LIVERPOOL CUP

London, Nov. 12.—The Liverpool Autumn Cup, run over the mile and six furlongs course at Liverpool yesterday, was won by Lord Derby's four-year-old brown filly Crevasse, at 100 to 8 against Donaghe who had the mount on the winner. F. Straker's Blue Dun, ridden by Carstake and quoted at 9 to 2 against, finished second, a length and a half behind the winner, while third place went to the Duke of Portland's three-year-old colt Evandare, ridden by Lynch, and quoted at 20 to 1 against. Three quarters of a length separated second and third horses.

HIGH SALARIES FOR BIG BASKETBALLERS

Players in New York Drawing \$500 a Week, Which Includes Three Games

New York, Nov. 12.—Staggering salaries are being paid certain basketball stars by the Celtics of New York. Johnny Beckman and Nat Holman are said to receive \$500 per week, or \$2,000 a month for not more than three games per week, while Ernie Reich is pulling down \$400 per week, or \$1,600 per month. The other four players are also drawing big salaries, but not as much as the three stars.

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Secretary Roy Says He is Waiting for Returns From Outside Points

Winnipeg, Nov. 12.—Secretary Roy of the Dominion Football Association, who has been engaged in collecting details in connection with the tour of the Scottish football team, for the purpose of furnishing the desired "financial statement," when apprised of the agitation in the East stated this morning that he was steadily putting things into shape. He emphasized the fact that the delay charged to his account was in reality due to the difficulty in getting the necessary information from some points where games were played. A wire excusing the delay was sent all members of the D. F. A. council by Mr. Roy two days ago.

M'AUILLIFFE OFF TO FIND NEW CHAMPS IN SHAMROCK LAND

New York, Nov. 12.—Jack McAuliffe, undefeated lightweight boxing champion, retired, was a passenger on the steamer Scythia, sailing for Ireland. McAuliffe recently announced that he would visit his homeland in search of championship calibre worthy opponents of Jack Dempsey and Benny Leonard.

PETE HERMAN MATCHED TO MEET PAL MOORE

New York, Nov. 12.—Pete Herman, of New Orleans, who lost his bantam title to Johnny Buff, last September, will meet Roy Moore, of St. Paul, in a fifteen-round bout here to-night. Herman said it was his first bout in a campaign to eliminate the foremost contenders for the crown and earn the right to a return match with Buff.

V. J. A. BASKETBALL

The result of the midget basketball game played at the V. J. A. gymnasium last evening was as follows: V. J. A., 45; Victoria West School, 40. The win of the V. J. boys was due to the fact that their combination was much superior to that of the school boys. Both teams show great promise of developing splendidly.

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at the Princess Theatre

PRINCESS

To-night will be the farewell performance of the Mildred Page Players at the Princess Theatre, and the play is entitled "A Stitch in Time." To say that the character Phoebe Ann is one well suited to Miss Page is putting it mildly; the part might have been written for the clever little actress, and her conception and portrayal of the lovable role is most acceptable. And with great applause and appreciation from her host of friends and admirers. Mr. Alden, during the long engagement at the Princess, has played many wonderful parts and a great variety of character parts among them, each one a complete revelation to even those who are already familiar with his versatility, and has at all times been up to the mark.

Aside from the fact that the play is especially beautiful and the cast

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Princess—"A Stitch in Time."
 Royal—"The Revenge of Tarzan."
 Dominion—"Mother O' Mine."
 Capitol—"Cappy Ricks."
 Variety—"Salvage."
 Columbia—"Hearts Up."

excellent, it is the farewell performance of the Mildred Page Players at the Princess and from all we have been able to gather, it promises to be a highly entertaining evening. Last night was Kiwanis night, and Miss Page received a huge basket of flowers and Mr. Alden a solid silver cigarette case as a parting token from their fellow-Kiwanians. Both made speeches in response to calls for the same from the enthusiastic crowd.

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Primitive instincts, however, are usually uppermost, and "The Revenge of Tarzan," the thrilling photoplay that will be shown for the last time to-day at the Royal Victoria Theatre, furnishes an interesting demonstration of that fact. The story tells of the adventures in civilization of the ape-man, Tarzan, and his eventual return to the tropical wilderness where he was born and reared.

A fire on a pleasure yacht on which they were sailing from Capetown to England sends a whole party, including English, American, and one Russian, to the lifeboats, which are finally carried ashore on the African coast, to a portion apparently uninhabited except by wild beasts. Dramatic situations arise, and real character is revealed. Here, where civilization is almost impotent in the face of nature, Tarzan, the ape-man of the jungle, is in his element. For two years he had dwelt in civilized countries, and outwardly had conformed to the customs and conventions of civilization; but fundamentally he remained unspoiled, unchanged.

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DOMINION

The fiendish photographer's head-rest, second as an instrument of torture only to thumb screws and the rack, yet without which no photographer would have thought of taking portraits a decade ago, has found a valuable place in motion pictures.

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The photographer's procedure was to place the stand behind the subject whose picture was to be taken, then clamp the steel claws firmly behind the victim's ears, where, out of sight from moving while the camera shutter was open, and often caused the look of intense agony of the photographer's face.

Henry Sharp, who photographed Thomas H. Ince's latest Associated Producers production, "Mother O' Mine," which will be featured at the Dominion Theatre all week, utilized the head-rest as a means of securing the most remarkable triple exposure effects yet projected on the screen.

CAPITOL

Thomas Meighan, athletic Paramount star, is a brawny sailor's mate in his latest starring vehicle, "Cappy Ricks," which will be featured at the Capitol Theatre for six days beginning to-night. As Matt Pooley in this refreshing picture of the sea, Mr. Meighan is said to have one of the best roles of his stellar career.

Mr. Meighan loves the sea and boats, and "Cappy Ricks" gives the star rare opportunities in sea scenes. The sea scenes were made in and near Boston and off the rocky Maine coast, where three sailing vessels and a tug, chartered by Paramount, were employed.

One scene of "Cappy Ricks" reveals a boat propelled toward the treacherous rocks by heavy seas and a high wind. A great risk was taken by the actors of this scene, as it was necessary to brave rough water and the possible danger of being stranded on the rocks.

Mr. Meighan and his crew learned something of navigation in "Cappy Ricks" for in the stormy scenes the star was obliged to pilot the tug which went to the rescue of the distressed vessel. Agnes Ayres is leading woman and heads a strong supporting cast.

Mrs. Wallace Courtney, dramatic soprano, will be heard singing "My Hero" from the selection "The Choctaw Soldier," and other musical novelties.

VARIETY

The eminently successful engagement of "Salvage," the Robertson-Cole production starring Pauline Frederick, ends at the Variety Theatre to-day. "Salvage" unravels a particularly fascinating story, one of the features of which is the artistic work of the star who portrays a dual role.

Milton Sills, one of the foremost leading men of the screen, plays the role of Fred Martin, husband of one of the women Miss Frederick portrays, and together the two leading players form a very attractive couple.

MARIE LOHR'S CHANGED PLAN HERE NEXT WEEK

The unique reputation which Miss Marie Lohr enjoys in London and her undoubted position in the forefront of her profession enhance the keen interest that has been manifested locally in her Victoria debut. On account of the very difficult jump from Edmonton, Alberta, and the very limited time for transfer of the scenery and baggage at Vancouver, it has been found to be necessary to open with "The Marionettes," in place of "Fedora," as had been originally intended.

The order in which her plays will now be presented will be on Monday and Tuesday night, the scintillating comedy by Pierre Wolff, in which Miss Lohr appeared on its initial performance, with that veteran actor Sir John Hare, at the Globe Theatre, London. On her present tour it has proved to be one of the most popular and attractive bills in her repertoire.

The second bill to be presented by Miss Lohr, which will be on Wednesday and Thursday nights, will be "The Voice from the Minaret," by Robert Hichens, author of "The Garden of Allah," which had so successful a London run and which has lately been revived there with great success. "The Voice from the Minaret" is an oriental romance of unusual power, and filled with the charm and mystery of the country of Mohammed. There is no writer of the present day so thoroughly conversant with the Orient as Robert Hichens, or one whose eastern writings have attracted more attention.

The bill for Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee, will be a powerful society play by Louis Verneuil, entitled "Her Destiny." It deals with an entirely original phase of a peculiar social problem, and arrives at an entirely unusual and unconventional solution. It is skillfully constructed and affords Miss Lohr an opportunity for much excellent acting as well as the display of many handsome and attractive gowns. The cause of the change of the opening bill of Miss Lohr's engagement from "Fedora," was necessitated by the C. P. R. advising her management that it would be impossible to hold the boat long enough at Vancouver to transfer the scenery of the production which is carried in two cars, so that it became imperative to change the opening bill to "The Marionettes."

June Mathis, who wrote the scenarios for Rex Ingram's "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "The Conquering Power" and a score of other Metro successes, says that her favorite sport is reading the dictionary. She was immersed in this occupation recently at Metro studios in Hollywood, while Viola Dana sat near her reading a popular novel. "I think the dictionary is the most fascinating book in the world," said Miss Mathis, looking up enthusiastically. "Yes," said Miss Dean. "Only there doesn't seem to be much plot in it."

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COUNCIL FAILS TO REACH A DECISION

The MacKenzie Investigation Proves Nothing; Secret Hearing

After three hours of deliberation on the matter, the City Council in special session yesterday afternoon failed to arrive at any kind of a judgment in the case of Assistant Sanitary Inspector George MacKenzie, under suspension by Mayor Porter following complaints of alleged undue familiarity of that officer with two women employed in a local bakery.

Some of the aldermen are very much annoyed at the way the matter has been handled so far, particularly regarding publicity. "It's like having a man banged, drawn and quartered before even giving him a hearing," said one alderman. "The result is that no matter what the outcome, a certain amount of unfortunate notoriety will cling to this incident, he said."

Hills of a "frame-up" against Mr. MacKenzie and numerous conjectures regarding the case were heard in the City Hall corridors.

Mr. MacKenzie, while disliking the publicity and the way the matter has been handled, does not seem to be worried about the outcome and is fully confident that he will be vindicated in the matter.

As soon as the question came up, Alderman Aitken promptly seconded Alderman Dinsdale's motion that the matter be cleared and the inquiry held in camera. Alderman Aitken was determined, he said, that MacKenzie should have a square deal, and as there was no definite charge and a lot of unfair publicity had already been given the matter as far as he was concerned a stop would be put to publicity once.

Alderman Woodward said he thought the inquiry should be public as a charge was to be made, but agreed that the matter should be decided according to the wishes of the parties themselves concerned. Mayor Porter intimated that the ladies had requested a private hearing, and the motion passing, the room was ordered cleared.

Mr. MacKenzie and half a dozen witnesses were present for the proceedings of examination and cross-examination later.

Alderman Todd, before the inquiry, objected to the procedure. He thought the matter should have been taken up by the Medical Health Officer and the Health Committee and brought to the attention by way of a report, when action could be taken on something definite. He objected, he alleged, to wasting the time of the Council in such a manner.

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The new shaft recently sunk at the Rainbow mine in New Jersey has been named by the owners "the Alice Calhoun shaft." When Miss Calhoun's company used the mine for some of the scenes in her new Vitagraph production, "Rainbow," the mine was rechristened to commemorate the event. The name of the new shaft serves further to connect the spot with the delightful young star and the charming work she did there while making "Rainbow."

PLAYED HERE IN GRAND OPERA FORTY YEARS AGO

L. C. Read Has Interesting Reminiscence

Forty years ago last month L. C. Read, now a professional photographer in the Atlin district, played a cornet duet with Walter Burgess between grand opera acts at a theatre in Victoria.

Mr. Read to-day is back in the city, registered at the Dominion Hotel, anxious to find out who formed part of the Madame Fabri Grand Opera Company, with whom he played as a musician during the coast tour of the company in the Summer and Fall of 1881.

The party left San Francisco, and appeared in grand opera at Portland, Tacoma and Seattle, then all cities in the dawn of their early development, and came over to Victoria, presenting here "Martha," "Faust," "Carmen" and "Il Trovatore." He states that there was a distinctly cultured type in the city even at that early date, and that while the performances in Victoria were not profitable, the company had one of the best receptions of their tour in this city. He explains:

Some fourteen, or fifteen years ago. For the past, thirteen years he has lived in the Atlin district. He has a set of 150 lantern slides of that section which he will be pleased to show while in Victoria for any educational society.

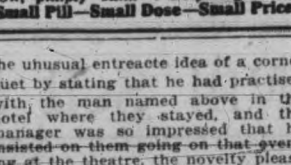
Martha Mansfield again appears in Selanick pictures in support of Conway Tearle, who in "A Man of Stone" will present vistas of English army life in Arabia. Miss Mansfield plays the role of a titled English woman who hits our hero for a nincompoop with cash and title. Tearle goes off to Arabia to drown his sorrows in brandy and soda.

Betty Howe, in the role of an Arabian girl, nurses the Army officer out of an attack of "sun fever" and too much brandy, falls in love with him and—Martha Mansfield turns up, on horseback, to reestablish her claim to our hero's love. Just what choice an Englishman would make under such like circumstances is reserved for those who see this Selanick picture to discover.

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the unusual, entree idea of a cornet duet by stating that he had practised with the man named above in the hotel where they stayed, and the manager was so impressed that he insisted on them going on that evening at the theatre, the novelty pleasing the Victoria theatregoers of that generation.

Mr. Read, though now advancing in years, is young in spirit, and recalls how he and his mother carried on the farm back in Vermont when his father went to the Civil War, and how he became a professional musician—a profession he followed till

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With our Young Folks at work and Play



Bobby's Adventures In Swan-Land

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CHAPTER VIII.

ONCE more we find our little voyagers floating down the river; but this time their boat is somewhat more comfortable and the surrounding country much more beautiful.

The morning passed quickly, and as the noon hour drew near they came in sight of the great mountain that separated Song Birdland from Swanland.

Their lily boat now sped rapidly down the scented river, with the violets growing everywhere upon its banks. Soon they could see the yawning hole in the mountain's side, into which the Violet River flowed.

"We shall soon be in Birdland now," remarked Bobby, "unless it is an awfully long way through the mountain. I hope it is not though," he added. "I just hate going into dark tunnels."

"Oh, I don't mind it a bit," answered Bunny. "In fact, I rather enjoy it. For you know our tunnel at home is always dark," he said.

"Well, we shall soon see what is ahead of us," said Bobby, as their little boat entered the tunnel. But instead of finding it dark as they supposed, they were very much surprised to find it almost as light as day. A silvery light was shining on the river, as if the moon had come out to light them through the dark passage, but it was not the moon at all. Now, what do you think it was? Why, glow worms, of course. The top of the tunnel was completely covered with glow worms.

"Well, that is funny," said Bobby. "What can it be?"

"Oh, those are glow worms," answered Bunny.

"Why do they come to such a dark, dismal place as this?" asked Bobby.

"Because, glow worms always live in cool dark places," replied the rabbit. "I have often seen them in the woods at home; and who knows, but that the fairies have them here to light the passage to Birdland."

"Perhaps they do," answered Bobby. "But, look!" he suddenly exclaimed. "I can see light ahead." Bunny, who was sitting in the opposite end of the boat, looked around, and sure enough light could be seen ahead.

"That must be the outlet," he said, "but it looks so much smaller than the entrance." As they drew near they began to fear that they would not be able to pass through. So crouching low in their lily boat they waited. Now they could feel their boat tremble as it pushed against the rocks. For one moment it stopped, for one small moment only, then it seemed to bound forward, and out into the bright sunshine of Birdland they went.

Oh, what a noise met their ears, a noise of thousands of little birds all singing their joyous little songs at the same time. In fact, the noise was so great that Bobby had to place his hands over his ears. But Bunny said his ears were long, and to use his own words, "It won't hurt my old ears."

They had not proceeded very far, when a large red-headed wood pecker came flying over the river, and seeing the boy and the rabbit drifting along in their lily boat, uttered his old familiar cry of "look, look, look, look, look." At this the singing ceased, and such a scolding came in its stead. "Thief, thief, thief," cried the sapsucker.

"Shame, shame, shame," scolded the jay, and all the while the birds were flocking and fluttering about the little boat. Bobby and Bunny were so frightened that they threw themselves down in the bottom of the boat and hid their faces. Whereupon the birds caught hold of the boat and dragged it high up on the bank. Then Mr. Pheasant commanded, in a loud voice, "Look up, look up, look up." So Bobby raised his head and peeped out; there he saw the birds all seated round them in a circle, all chattering away at the same time, and this is what they seemed to be saying:

"What shall we do, what shall we do? At last bad boys have gotten through. To break our nests. What shall we do?"

"Bobby did not like to be accused of breaking birds' nests, because that was something that he never did; so he spoke up and said:

"No little birds, I won't break your nests, I'm your friend."

At this the little brown thrush called out from a nearby bush:

"Fib, fib, fib, fib."

"No, it is not a fib," said Bobby, who was now somewhat peeved.

Then Mr. Robin Red Breast sang from the top of a cherry tree:

"Cheer up, cheer up, cheer up, cheer up."

"Perhaps Mr. Robin is right," the birds all agreed, "who knows but what this boy and the rabbit are our best friends?"

"I think we had better send for the Queen," suggested Jennie Wren, "but who will we send?"

"Who-o-o, who-o-o," cooed the dove. "Why, the humming bird, of course," they all agreed, "she can fly the fastest."

Soon the humming bird arrived with the Queen, who was a yellow canary, with a white crown on her head.

"Well!" she said, after she had eyed our little friends up and down; "you are a funny looking couple. What brought you here?"

"We just came to pay you a visit to Birdland," answered Bobby.

"Well, my birds come here to build their nests, and I do not think that they would want to be molested by bad boys, who always break up birds' nests," replied the Queen.

"Good Queen," said Bobby, "you need not fear me for I am a friend of all birds and never break up nests."

"If you promise that," said the Queen, "you may remain, but you must be very careful and not frighten my birds, or else we will have to send you to the elevator mountain and call the Crow witch, who will turn you into Hate Beetles."

"Oh, please, don't do that," pleaded Bobby. "we will be good."

"Well, answered the Queen, "I wish to warn you that the Crow Witch is a very wicked and cruel witch. Only yesterday she captured one of my Pigeon Princes, who was journeying over her domains, and I fear that we will never see him again, for there is nobody in all of Birdland who knows any magic."

"Oh, I will go and find him," said Bobby.

"No, no," said the Queen, "that will never do, even if you could go, you would never be able to get back, for Hate Beetleland lies beyond elevator mountain and anybody who should succeed in getting it, even if they should escape the wicked Crow Witch, could not possibly come back without wings."

"Well, I have a magic feather," said Bobby, "which was given to me by the Swan King. I do not think that the Crow Witch can do me any harm as long as it is in my possession."

"If I were you," replied the Queen, "I would keep away from Hate Beetleland. I know of no good happening to any one that went there."

"We are not afraid," answered Bobby, "and if you will please show us the way we will go."

"Very well," said the Queen, "but remember I have warned you. However, if you wish to go you may do so. To reach Hate Beetleland you must first go east until you come to the elevator mountain, then turn to the north and follow along the foot of the mountain until you come to a great door. Open the door and go in, there you will see an elevator. Step into it and it will at once take you to the top of the mountain. All my birds use this elevator to get to the top of the mountain, when starting south for the outside world. It is what we call the hopping off place."

"Now," continued the Queen, "that is all I can tell, the rest you will have to manage for yourselves; for, having no wings, I can not see how you will ever get off the mountain."

"I think we will manage that," replied Bobby.

"Now, said the Queen, you may go where you please in my land."

Whereupon all the birds returned to their nests. Such a fluttering there was as they disappeared to their various groves.

(To Be Continued.)

GRACIOUS!

The little boy was reading "Robinson Crusoe," suddenly a great chuckle broke from him. His mother, curious to know what had pleased the little fellow said: "What is the joke, Laddie?"

"Why, it says here that Robinson Crusoe had just completed his day's work, and that after a good supper he sat down on his chest," was the answer between chuckles that would not be suppressed.

ENTHUSIASM!

The glofer was angry. He drove a ball into the pond. He drove thirteen balls into the pond. He threw his clubs in, his caddy-in, jumped in himself, and played the next day same-as usual.—Life.

Penguins on Antarctic Ice Fields



Penguins—the weird family of wobbles who live in immense colonies on very little space in the far ends of the earth. Notice their general air of companionship, which even the cold and discomfort of the icefields does not seem to suppress.

Keep Eyes Open For Shooting Stars

DO NOT forget to take at least one look for shooting stars to-night and to-morrow night, for on, or about, November 13 or a day or so before, this globe will be passing through the meteor path around the sun, and it is likely that a number of fine shooting stars will be seen. November 27 is such another display, and may be worth watching.

The first exhibition of these pretty little fireworks of nature, on November 13 or thereabouts, will seem to spring from the constellation of Leo, and are called Leonids. Also do not forget to wish once for every shooting star you behold, but see that your wish is not a selfish one or it will not likely be granted.

Penguins Have One Main Pursuit

LIVING what to us would be a lonely life, far to the North is a colony of sea fowl known as the penguins, also to be found in great numbers around the Antarctic Circle. The penguin is most distinguished for its ability to make itself at home in really freezing water, and to swim and dive in that element with a facility that would turn us green with envy.

Long in body, but short as to the feet, the penguin presents a weirdly comical effect when walking, wobbling from side to side like the domestic duck, only with legs that are not even as long in proportion to his body, as the ordinary duck. To glance at the wings of this strange fellow is to see at once he will not fly and that what little wing he does possess is purely for the purpose of swimming, and in that function it is unsurpassed for its power and usefulness.

Living on the multitude of smaller fish that frequent all the waters of the globe, the penguin lives a life that is not without its attraction. He is an extremely sociable fellow and will not be happy unless living in large communities of many thousands of his fellows, all of whom gather on a small rock that would not provide comfortable accommodation for the ordinary flock of geese to be seen in our fields.

With few cares upon their minds, the penguins lead a life that might be said

to resemble more than anything else one long search for food, for you must know that they have voracious appetites and are always ready for more. In this manner their days are passed, and it is seldom that a real penguin will forgo taking an immediate dive after the first fish that comes within his ken. Squabbles occur, and indeed in what community do they not, but the penguins on the whole are a peaceful lot and dwell together in harmony, and in far more restricted quarters than would be put up with by the majority of the feathered kingdom.

Talk But Little, And Make That Little Good

THERE is an old adage which says that if you have nothing good to say of a person, say nothing at all. If everybody carried out this injunction what a lovely world it would be! It is also an old saying that a tale grows longer with every ear it reaches, and a practical illustration of that may be seen almost any day, and in any surroundings.

Suppose John Smith falls out with Bill Henry. Bill Henry, let us suppose getting the worst of the argument. Perhaps John Smith found Bill Henry out in something that was not quite to his credit, and a feud commenced. Next day Bill Henry remarks casually to a friend, Dick Tattle, that John Smith is not the man he thought he was.

Dick Tattle repeats that to Tom Nosey, and adds that John Smith, to his personal knowledge does not get along with his wife. Tom Nosey meets an old tillicum in the person of Alec Smarty, and to this man Tom Nosey says that John Smith beats his wife and is a thorough blackguard, adding that if he, Tom Nosey, would say all he knew John Smith would be in jail speedily.

Alec Smarty, delighted to have such news, relates this to his bosom friend, J. X. Smith, (of course there are many Smith's). Smarty adds, however, that John Smith has been in jail twice for beating his wife and is a blackguard who should be hanged. Smarty is surprised and pained to hear J. X. Smith say, "I am John Smith," and another feud has started.

So be careful of your tattling, and if you have aught to say of even the worst of your enemies let it be to his good; for there is yet another adage which bears on this, and that says, slanders, like chickens, come home to roost.

Armistice Day—What It Should Mean to Everyone

YESTERDAY we celebrated the third anniversary of the cessation of hostilities in the late war, and in so doing we aided a little in preserving evergreen the honor and glorious memory of our daddies and big brothers who fought overseas, and in too many cases, died overseas. The war, with all its terrible hardships was too advanced for little ones to know much about, but this fact they must know and that is that millions of men, all over the world, were fighting for their country bravely and with an unselfishness that has taught us all a lesson.

Now the war is past and very nearly forgotten, except by those into whose memories it is branded forever the truths to be learned only on the field of battle. Yet our little people of this day and generation have a duty to perform that is at the same time an honor not accorded to children of other ages. That duty is to grow up worthy of the name of their daddies and brothers who fought in the war, and to be the lasting joy of the mothers and dear ones at home. It is to the children that the grief stricken world turns for freshness of spirit and unadulterated enjoyment in the simple joys of life.

Yesterday poppies were sold on the street, made by the hands of women and children in the devastated and war-shattered areas in France and Flanders, each of these poppies meant the loving care of some hands in commemoration of the valor of men who are gone, never to return. With the poppies from France and Belgium came a message to this country, and that was that the devastated areas, where miles upon miles of city streets were razed to the ground, were being built up again by the proud and patient dwellers of these lands.

Imagine to yourself, little reader, the lot of a child in the northern part of France. He is living in a country where the wealth of all has gone in the war, where most of the strong and able-bodied men of the country have been killed, or worse than killed, rendered cripples for life. A land where women till the fields, while the men of the house must limp around on crutches, trying to help with limbs that refuse their duty from war exhaustion.

The child in that sorrowing country must be a real worker and help his or her parents, who must now rely upon their children for many things that were normally not performed by these little ones. In short, for the children, France is now a land of work, with Duty, spelled with the largest "D" in the alphabet, as the guiding factor of their lives. Play is relegated to another day, when once again the country will lift up its head and smile, but for the present it is work, for all, and in this mode of living the children of France are bearing themselves in a manner worthy of their gallant parents.

On this side of the world, where we have suffered less, and not seen any of the actual horrors of war, not gone to bed to the noise of bursting shells, or drooping bullets, but safe in the security of a land of peace, we are apt to forget too easily that there ever has been a war. This forgetfulness is not right, it is not just to the part our country played in that war.

Somewhere in the neighborhood of 400,000 men went from Canada to the late war. Thousands of these died on the field of battle and thousands more returned so crippled that they are now the charge of others who willingly minister to their needs. What is the duty of our little people in Canada, have you thought? Why, like the children of France, it is to grow up honorable and brave, to be a living memorial of all the good shown by our daddies and brothers in the war, and above all to help others less strong than ourselves, and that duty too, may well be spelled with a large "D," for it is a large duty.

But read for yourselves the words of a distinguished soldier, who was killed in action, and above whose grave in Flanders to-day grows the bright red poppy of Flanders Fields:

"WE SHALL NOT SLEEP."

By Lieut.-Colonel John McCrae.

In Flanders Fields the poppies blow
Beneath the crosses row on row,
That mark our place, and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing fly,
Scarce heard amidst the guns below.

We are the dead,
Short days ago we lived,
Felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved,
And now we lie in Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe,
To you from falling hands, we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep though poppies grow
In Flanders Fields.

Sheila's Luck; The Tale of a Tabby

SHEILA wanted to go to the Hallowe'en party, but try as she would the little girl could not get a costume. All around her at school other girls were talking about what they were going to wear; one would be a ghost, with long winding sheets of white and a truly "spooky" mask; another was to be a witch, with the necessary broom and "lots of magic"; still another had a brother who was going as Pumpkin Peter, and so on.

It was a sad little Sheila who dragged home from school that day. The party was to take place on the following evening, and she had to go in costume, or not at all. Now Sheila's parents were not well off, and could not afford to buy a theatrical costume for the occasion. Her mother volunteered to make the little girl a ghost costume out of a white sheet, but Sheila had ideas of her own, and in her own mind if she could not go as a black cat she would not go at all.

Dick, an elder brother, who in his day had been a hunter of great successes up in the Far North, came down to the city for the week-end, and with Dick was a brand new bear skin, a valuable piece of fur which he had secured in the northern wilds. Dick soon saw how important it would be to his little sister to get to that party, and long after the little girl had gone to bed Dick and his parents sat up planning a costume for the little girl.

At last a great idea came to the lad, he would cut up his bear skin and make a huge black cat for his sister. The family fell to the work with a zest, and indeed every member but the sleeping child would dearly have loved to have gone to the party as the black cat, so engaging was the labor of love they performed. Let us pass on now and take a quiet "peek" into the house of Mrs. Hallows in the night of the great party.

The home of Mrs. Hallows stood in the quiet seclusion of spacious and shady grounds, a large stone dwelling with wonderful furnishings within. The party was being held in a set of rooms on the main floor, which were adorned with numerous bay windows. On the night in question the house was a blaze of light, and the sound of merry laughter echoed out into the night.

Let us look in at this party, the rooms were gaily decorated with the festive air of Hallowe'en; black cats and witches chased each other around the walls and on every hand. Tables were piled high with good things to eat, and the sweet strains of a stringed orchestra completed the picture, of which the mass of gaily laughing figures in fancy dress costume played the most important part.

There were witches of all sizes and in all variations of costumes; ghosts were present in clouds, while here and there a Pumpkin Peter strutted about in his weird habiliments. But what is that in the centre of the throng? Surely it is an immense black cat, and such a cat. It stands nearly five feet high, and is clothed in a rich long haired fur. Its plump sides wiggle and its head rolls from side to side with every expression of mirth. Around it a throng of happy merry-makers are laughing and dancing.

The entry of the Black Cat was the event of the evening, the hostess opened the door herself to the beautiful creature to be met with a grateful "meow" and a rapid succession of "Purr-rrs." The hostess took the extended velvet black paw in a happy greeting and ushered the Pussy Cat into the assembled group of guests. Cries of delight and wonder were spontaneous, to be followed by howls of delight as a real pussy cat began to get curious as to the identity of the huge Black Cat.

The centre of gaiety and admiration all the evening, Black Cat had not noticed the time pass until midnight struck and the merry-makers were requested to unmask. The Black Cat, you have guessed, as Sheila, but what a proud and happy Sheila. It was a very tired but extremely happy little girl who laid herself down to sleep that night, and in her prayers was included an earnest offering of thanks for the success of her evening. Dick left next day for the North, taking with him the bear skin, which was subsequently restored to its original purpose, that of a rug, and the event passed, as all events will.

At school next day Sheila was the centre of an excited group of children, curious to know how she got the wonderful costume, but beyond a "Meow" and a delighted "Purr-rr," Sheila would say nothing.

SPIKING HIS GUNS

"I've borrowed the neighbor's phonograph for to-night."

"Giving a party?"

"No, but I'm going to have one quiet rest this week."

IMPERIOUS VICTORIA QUEEN AND WOMAN

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Queen vs. Palmerston.
In a memorandum made by the Prince, at about this time of an interview between himself the Queen, and the Prime Minister, we catch a curious glimpse of the states of mind of those three high personages—the anxiety and irritation of Lord John the vehement acrimony of Victoria, and the reasonable animosity of Albert—drawn together, as it were, under the shadow of an unseen Presence the cause of that celestial anger—the gay, portentous Palmerston. At one point in the conversation Lord John observed that he believed the Foreign Secretary would consent to a change of offices; Lord Palmerston, he said, realized that he had lost the Queen's confidence—though only on public, and not on personal, grounds. But on that, the Prince noted, "the Queen interrupted Lord John by remarking that she distrusted him on personal grounds also, but I remarked that Lord Palmerston had so far at least seen rightly; that he had become disagreeable to the Queen, not on account of his person, but of his political doings—to which the Queen assented." Then the Prince suggested that there was a danger of the Cabinet breaking up, and of Lord Palmerston returning to office as Prime Minister. But on that point Lord John was reassuring; he "thought Lord Palmerston too old to do much in the future (having passed his sixty-fifth year)." Eventually it was decided that nothing could be done for the present, but that the utmost secrecy must be observed; and so the conclave ended.

At last, in 1850, deliverance seemed to be at hand. There were signs that the public were growing weary of the alarms and excursions of Palmerston's diplomacy; and when his support of Don Pacifico, a British subject, in a quarrel with the Greek Government, seemed to be upon the point of involving the country in a war not only with Greece but also with France, and possibly with Russia into the bargain, a heavy cloud of distrust and displeasure appeared to be gathering and about to burst over his head. A motion directed against him in the House of Lords was passed by a substantial majority. The question was next to be discussed in the House of Commons, where another adverse vote was not improbable, and would seal the doom of the Minister. Palmerston received the attack with complete nonchalance, and then, at the last possible moment, he struck. In a speech of over four hours, in which exposition, in vection, argument, declamation plain talk and resounding eloquence were mingled together with consummate art and extraordinary felicity, he annihilated his enemies. The hostile motion was defeated, and Palmerston was once more the hero of the hour. Simultaneously, Atropos herself conspired to favor him. Sir Robert Peel was thrown from his horse and killed. By this tragic chance, Palmerston saw the one rival great enough to cope with him removed from his path. He judged—and judged rightly—that he was the most popular man in England; and when Lord John revived the project of his exchanging the Foreign Office for some other position in the Cabinet, he absolutely refused to stir.

"Troublesome Commons."
Great was the disappointment of Albert; great was the indignation of Victoria. "The House of Commons," she wrote, "is becoming very unmanageable and troublesome." The Prince, perceiving that Palmerston was more firmly fixed in the saddle than ever, decided that something drastic must be done. Five months before, the prescient Baron had drawn up, in case of emergency, a memorandum, which had been carefully docketed, and placed in a pigeon-hole ready to hand. The emergency had now arisen, and the memorandum must be used. The Queen copied out the words of Stockmar, and sent them to the Prime Minister, requesting him to show her letter to Palmerston. "She thinks it right," she wrote, "in order to prevent any mistake for the future, shortly to explain

what it is she expects from her Foreign Secretary. She requires: (1) That he will distinctly state what he proposes in a given case, in order that the Queen may know as distinctly to what she has given her Royal sanction; (2) Having once given her sanction to a measure, that it be not arbitrarily altered or modified by the Minister; such an act she must consider as failing in sincerity towards the Crown, and justly to be visited by the exercise of her Constitutional right of dismissing that Minister." Lord John Russell did as he was bid, and forwarded the Queen's letter to Lord Palmerston. This transaction, which was of grave constitutional significance, was entirely unknown to the outside world.

If Palmerston had been a sensitive man, he would probably have resigned on the receipt of the Queen's missive. But he was far from sensitive; he loved power, and his power was greater than ever; an unerring instinct told him that this was not the time to go. He understood at last that he was struggling with a formidable adversary, whose skill and strength, unless they were mollified, might do irreparable injury to his career. He therefore wrote to Lord John briefly acquiescing in the Queen's requirements: "I have taken a copy of this memorandum of the Queen and will not fail to attend to the directions which it contains"—and at the same time, he asked for an interview with the Prince. Albert at once summoned him to the Palace, and was astonished to observe, as he noted in a memorandum, that when Palmerston entered the room "he was very much agitated, shook, and had tears in his eyes, so as quite to move me, who never under any circumstances had known him otherwise than with a bland smile on his face." The old statesman was profuse in protestations and excuses; the young one was coldly polite. At last, after a long and inconclusive conversation, the Prince, drawing himself up, said that in order to give Lord Palmerston "an example of what the Queen wanted," he would "ask him a question, point-blank." Lord Palmerston waited in respectful silence, while the Prince proceeded as follows:—"You are aware that the Queen has objected to the Protocol about Schleswig, and of the grounds on which she has done so. Her opinion has been overruled; the Protocol stating the desire of the Great Powers to see the integrity of the Danish monarchy preserved has been signed, and upon this the King of Denmark has invaded Schleswig, where the war is raging. If Holstein is attacked also, which is likely, the Germans will not be restrained from flying to her assistance; Russia has menaced to interfere with arms, if the Schleswigers are successful. What will you do, if this emergency arises (provoking most likely an European war), and which will arise very probably when we shall be at Balmoral and Lord John in another part of Scotland? The Queen expects from your foresight that you have contemplated this possibility, and requires a categorical answer as to what you would do in the event supposed." Strangely enough, to this pointblank question, the Foreign Secretary appeared to be unable to reply. The whole matter, he said, was extremely complicated, and the contingencies mentioned by His Royal Highness were very unlikely to arise. The Prince persisted; but it was useless; for a full hour he struggled to extract a categorical answer, until at length Palmerston bowed himself out of the room. Albert threw up his hands in shocked amazement: what could one do with such a man?

"At His Tricks Again."
What indeed! For, in spite of all his apologies and all his promises, within a few weeks the incorrigible reprobate was at his tricks again. The Austrian General Haynau, notorious as a rigorous suppressor of rebellion in Hungary and Italy, and in particular as a flogger of women, came to England and took it into

his head to pay a visit to Messrs. Barclay and Perkin's brewery. The features of "General Hyacina," as he was everywhere called—his grim thin face, his enormous pepper-and-salt moustaches—had gained a horrid celebrity; and it so happened that among the clerks at the brewery there was a refugee from Vienna, who had given his fellow-workers a first-hand account of the General's characteristics. The Austrian Ambassador, scenting danger, begged his friend not to appear in public, or, if he must do so, to cut off his moustaches first. But the General would take no advice. He went to the brewery, was immediately recognized, surrounded by a crowd of angry draymen, pushed about, shouted at, punched in the ribs, and pulled by the moustaches until, bolting down an alley with the mob at his heels brandishing brooms and roaring "Hyacina!" he managed to take refuge in a public house; whence he was removed under the protection of several policemen. The Austrian Government was angry and demanded explanations. Palmerston, who, of course, was privately delighted by the incident, replied regretting what had occurred, but adding that in his opinion the General had exercised a want of propriety in coming to England; at the present moment; and he delivered his note to the Ambassador without having previously submitted it to the Queen or to the Prime Minister. Naturally, when this was discovered, there was a serious storm. The Prince was especially indignant; the conduct of the draymen he regarded, with disgust and alarm, as "a slight forfeiture of what an unregulated mass of illiterate people is capable of; and Palmerston was requested by Lord John to withdraw his note, and to substitute for it another from which all censure of the General had been omitted. On this the Foreign Secretary threatened resignation, but the Prime Minister was firm. For a moment the royal hopes rose high, only to be dashed to the ground again by the cruel compliance of the enemy. Palmerston, suddenly lamb-like, agreed to everything; the note was withdrawn and altered, and peace was patched up once more.

"Palmerston Dismissed."
It lasted for a year, and then, in October, 1851, the arrival of Kossuth in England brought on another crisis. Palmerston's desire to receive the Hungarian patriot at his house in London was vetoed by Lord John; once more Palmerston, after threatening resignation, yielded. But still the insubordinate man could not keep quiet. A few weeks later a deputation of Radicals from a Finsbury and Islington waited on him at the Foreign Office and presented him with an address, in which the Emperors of Austria and Russia were stigmatized as "odious and detestable assassins" and "merciless tyrants and despots." The Foreign Secretary in his reply, while mildly deprecating these expressions, allowed his real sentiments to appear with a most undiplomatic insouciance. There was an immediate scandal, and the Court flowed over with rage and vituperation. "I think," said the Baron, "the man has been for some time insane." Victoria, in an agitated letter, urged Lord John to assert his authority. But Lord John perceived that on this matter the Foreign Secretary had the support of public opinion, and he judged it wiser to bide his time.

He had not long to wait. The culmination of the long series of conflicts, threats, and exacerbations came before the year was out. On December 2, Louis Napoleon's coup d'état took place in Paris; and on the following day Palmerston, without consulting anybody, expressed in a conversation with the French Ambassador his approval of Napoleon's act. Two days later, he was instructed by the Prime Minister, in accordance with a letter from the Queen, that it was the

policy of the English Government to maintain an attitude of strict neutrality towards the affairs of France. Nevertheless, in an official despatch to the British Ambassador in Paris, he repeated the approval of the coup d'état which he had already given verbally to the French Ambassador in London. This despatch was submitted neither to the Queen nor to the Prime Minister. Lord John's patience, as he himself said, "was drained to the last drop." He dismissed Lord Palmerston. Victoria was in ecstasies; and Albert knew that the triumph was his even more than Lord John's. It was his wish that Lord Granville, a young man whom he believed to be pliant to his influence, should be Palmerston's successor; and Lord Granville was appointed. Henceforth, it seemed that the Prince should have his way in foreign affairs. After years of struggle and mortification, success greeted him on every hand. In his family, he was an adored master; in the country, the Great Exhibition had brought him respect and glory; and now in the secret seats of power he had gained a new supremacy. He had wrestled with the terrible Lord Palmerston; the embodiment of all that was most hostile to him in the spirit of England, and his redoubtable opponent had been overthrown. Was England herself at his feet? It might be so; and yet... it is said that the sons of England have a certain tiresome quality; they never know when they are beaten. It was odd, but Palmerston was still jaunty. Was it possible? Could he believe, in his blind arrogance, that even his ignominious dismissal from office was something that could be brushed aside?

Royalty Assailed.
Part III.
The Prince's triumph was short-lived. A few weeks later, owing to Palmerston's influence, the Government was defeated in the House, and Lord John resigned. Then, after a short interval, a coalition between the Whigs and the followers of Peel came into power, under the premiership of Lord Aberdeen. Once more, Palmerston was in the Cabinet. It was true that he did not return to the Foreign Office; that was something to the good; in the Home Department it might be hoped that his activities would be less dangerous and disagreeable. But the Foreign Secretary was no longer the complacent Granville; and in Lord Clarendon the Prince knew that he had a Minister to deal with, who, discreet and courteous as he was, had a mind of his own. These changes, however, were merely the preliminaries of a far more serious development. Events, on every side, were moving towards a catastrophe. Suddenly the nation found itself under the awful shadow of imminent war. For several months, amid the shifting mysteries of diplomacy and the perplexed agonies of politics, the issue grew more doubtful and more dark, while the national temper was strained to the breaking-point. At the very crisis of the long and ominous negotiations, it was announced that Lord Palmerston had resigned. Then the pent-up fury of the people burst forth. They had felt that in the terrible complexity of events they were being guided by weak and embarrassed counsels; but they had been reassured by the knowledge that at the centre of power there was one man with strength, with courage, with determination, in whom they could put their trust. They now learnt that that man was no longer among their leaders. Why? In their rage, anxiety, and nervous exhaustion, they looked round desperately for some hidden and horrible explanation of what had occurred. They suspected plots, they smelt treachery in the air. It was easy to guess the object upon which their frenzy would vent itself. Was there not a foreigner in the highest of high places, a foreign-

er whose hostility to their own adored champion was unrelenting and unceasing? The moment that Palmerston's resignation was known, there was a universal outcry and an extraordinary tempest of anger and hatred burst, with unparalleled violence, upon the head of the Prince. It was everywhere asserted and believed that the Queen's husband was a traitor to the country, that he was a tool of the Russian Court, that in obedience to Russian influences he had forced Palmerston out of the Government, and that he was directing the foreign policy of England in the interests of England's enemies. For many weeks these accusations filled the whole of the press; repeated at public meetings, elaborated in private talk, they flew over the country, growing every moment more extreme and more improbable. While respectable newspapers thundered out their grave invectives, halfpenny broadsides, bawled through the streets of London, re-echoed in doggerel vulgarity the same sentiments and the same suspicions. At last the wildest rumors began to spread. In January, 1854, it was whispered that the Prince had been seized, that he had been found guilty of high treason, that he was to be committed to the Tower. The Queen herself, some declared, had been arrested, and large crowds actually collected round the Tower to watch the incarceration of the royal miscreants. These fantastic hallucinations, the result of fevered atmosphere of approaching war, were avoided of any basis in actual fact. Palmerston's resignation had been in all probability totally disconnected with foreign policy; it had certainly been entirely spontaneous, and had surprised the Court as much as the nation. Nor had Albert's influence been used in any way to favor the interests of Russia. As often happens in such cases, the Government had been swinging backwards and forwards between two incompatible policies—that of non-interference and that of threats supported by force—either of which, if consistently followed, might well have had a successful and peaceful issue, but which, mingled together, could only lead to war. Albert, with characteristic scrupulousness, attempted to thread his way through the complicated labyrinth of European diplomacy, and eventually was lost in the maze. But so was the whole of the Cabinet; and, when war came, his anti-Russian feelings were quite as vehement as those of the most bellicose of Englishmen.

Albert Too German.
Nevertheless, though the specific charges levelled against the Prince were without foundation, there were underlying elements in the situation which explained, if they did not justify, the popular state of mind. It was true that the Queen's husband was a foreigner, who had been brought up in a foreign Court, was impregnated with foreign ideas, and was closely related to a multitude of foreign princes. Clearly this, though perhaps an unavoidable, was an undesirable, state of affairs; nor were the objections to it merely theoretical; it had in fact produced unpleasant consequences of a serious kind. The Prince's German proclivities were perpetually lamented by English Ministers; Lord Palmerston, Lord Clarendon, Lord Aberdeen, all told the same tale; and it was constantly necessary in grave questions of national policy, to combat the prepossessions of a Court in which German views and German sentiments held a disproportionate place. As for Palmerston, his language on this topic was apt to be unbridled. At the height of his annoyance over his resignation, he roundly declared that he had been made a victim to foreign intrigue. He afterwards toned down this accusation; but the mere fact that such a suggestion from such a quarter was possible at all showed to what unfortunate consequences

Albert's foreign birth and foreign upbringing might lead. . . . But this was not all. A constitutional question of the most profound importance was raised by the position of the Prince in England. His presence gave a new prominence to an old problem—the precise definition of the functions and the powers of the Crown. Those functions and powers had become, in effect, his; and what sort of use he was making of them? His views as to the place of the Crown in the Constitution were easily ascertainable; for they were Stockmar's; and it happens that we possess a detailed account of Stockmar's opinions upon the subject in a long letter addressed by him to the Prince at the time of this very crisis, just before the outbreak of the Crimean War, Constitutional Monarchy, according to the Baron, had suffered an eclipse since the passing of the Reform Bill. It was now "constantly in danger of becoming a pure Ministerial Government. The old face of Tories, who had a direct interest in upholding the prerogatives of the Crown," had died out; and the Whigs were "nothing but partly conscious, partly unconscious Republicans, who stand in the same relation to the Throne as the wolf does to the lamb." There was a rule that it was unconstitutional to introduce "the name and person of the irresponsible Sovereign" into parliamentary debates on constitutional matters; this was "a constitutional fiction, which, although undoubtedly of old standing, was fraught with danger"; and the Baron warned the Prince that "if the English Crown permit a Whig Ministry to follow this rule in practice, without exception, you must not wonder if in a little time you find the majority of the people impressed with the belief that the King, in the view of the law is nothing but a mandarin figure, which has to nod its head in assent, or shake it in denial, as his Minister pleases." To prevent this from happening, it was of extreme importance, said the Baron, "that no opportunity should be let slip of vindicating the legitimate position of the Crown. And this is not hard to do," he added, "and can never embarrass a Minister where such straightforward loyal personages as the Queen and the Prince are concerned." In his opinion, the very lowest claim of the Royal Prerogative should include "a right on the part of the King to be the permanent President of his Ministerial Council." The Sovereign ought to be "in the position of a permanent Premier, who takes rank above the temporary head of the Cabinet, and in matters of discipline exercises supreme authority." The Sovereign "may even take a part in the initiation and the maturing of the Government measures; for it would be unreasonable to expect that a king, himself as able, as accomplished, and as patriotic as the best of his Ministers, should be prevented from making use of these qualities at the deliberations of his Council." "The judicious exercise of this right," concluded the Baron, "which certainly requires a master mind, would not only be the best guarantee for Constitutional Monarchy, but would raise it to a height of power, stability, and symmetry, which has never been attained."

Goes Too Far.
Now it may be that this reading of the Constitution is a possible one, though indeed it is hard to see how it can be made compatible with the fundamental doctrine of ministerial responsibility. William III presided over his Council, and he was a constitutional monarch; and it seems that Stockmar had in his mind a conception of the Crown which would have given it a place in the Constitution analogous to that which it filled at the time of William III. But it is clear that such a theory, which would invest the Crown with more power than it possessed even under George III, runs counter to the whole development of English public life since the Revolution; and the fact that it was held by Stockmar, and instilled by him into Albert, was of very serious importance. For there

was good reason to believe not only that these doctrines were held by Albert in theory, but that he was making a deliberate and sustained attempt to give them practical validity. The history of the struggle between the Crown and Palmerston proved starting evidence that this was the case. That struggle reached its culmination when, in Stockmar's memorandum of 1850, the Queen asserted her "constitutional right" to dismiss the Foreign Secretary if he altered a despatch which had received her sanction. The memorandum was, in fact, a plain declaration that the Crown intended to act independently of the Prime Minister. Lord John Russell, anxious at all costs to strengthen himself against Palmerston, accepted the memorandum, and thereby implicitly allowed the claim of the Crown. More than that; after the dismissal of Palmerston, among the grounds on which Lord John justified that dismissal in the House of Commons he gave a prominent place to the memorandum of 1850. It became apparent that the displeasure of the Sovereign might be a reason for the removal of a powerful and popular Minister. It seemed indeed as if, under the guidance of Stockmar and Albert, the "Constitutional Monarchy" might in very truth be rising "to a height of power, stability, and symmetry, which had never been attained."

Foreign Domination.
But this new development in the position of the Crown, grave as it was in itself, was rendered peculiarly disquieting by the unusual circumstances which surrounded it. For the functions of the Crown were now, in effect, being exercised by a person unknown to the Constitution, who wielded over the Sovereign an undefined and unbounded influence. The fact that this person was the Sovereign's husband, while it explained his influence, and even made it inevitable, by no means diminished its strange and momentous import. An ambiguous, prepotent figure had come to disturb the ancient, subtle, and jealously guarded balance of the English Constitution. Such had been the unexpected outcome of the tentative and faint-hearted opening of Albert's political life. He himself made no attempt to minimize either the multiplicity or the significance of the functions he performed. He considered that it was his duty, he told the Duke of Wellington in 1850; "to sink his own individual existence in that of his wife. . . . I assume no separate responsibility before the public, but make his position entirely a part of hers—fill up every gap which, as a woman, she would naturally leave in the exercise of her regal functions—continually and anxiously watch every part of the public business, in order to be able to advise and assist her at any moment in any of the multifarious and difficult questions or duties brought before her, sometimes international, sometimes political, or social, or personal. As the natural head of her family, superintendent of her household, manager of her private affairs, sole confidential adviser in politics, and only assistant in her communications with the officers of the Government, he is, besides, the husband of the Queen, the tutor of the royal children, the private secretary of the Sovereign, and her permanent minister." Stockmar's pupil had assuredly gone far and learnt well. Stockmar's pupil—precisely; the public, painfully aware of Albert's pre-eminence, had grown, too, un- easily conscious that Victoria's master had a master of his own. Deep in the darkness the Baron loomed. Another foreigner! Decidedly, there were elements in the situation which went far to justify the popular alarm. A foreign Baron controlled a foreign Prince, and this foreign Prince controlled the Crown of England. And the Crown itself was creeping forward ominously; and when, from under its shadow, the Baron and the Prince had frowned, a great Minister, beloved of the people, had fallen. Where was all this to end?

Within a few weeks Palmer-

ston withdrew his resignation, and the public frenzy subsided as quickly as it had arisen. When Parliament met, the leaders of both the parties in both the Houses made speeches in favor of the Prince, asserting his unimpeachable loyalty to the country and vindicating his right to advise the Sovereign in all matters of State. Victoria was delighted. "The position of my beloved lord and master," she told the Baron, "has been defined for once and all and his merits have been acknowledged on all sides most duly. There was an immense concourse of people assembled when we went to the House of Lords, and the people were very friendly." Immediately afterwards, the country finally plunged into the Crimean War. In the struggle that followed, Albert's patriotism was put beyond a doubt, and the animosities of the past were forgotten. But the war had another consequence, less gratifying to the royal couple: it crowned the ambition of Lord Palmerston. In 1855, the man who five years before had been pronounced by Lord John Russell to be "too old to do much in the future," became Prime Minister of England, and, with one short interval, remained in that position for ten years.

CHAPTER VI.

Last Years of Prince Consort.

The weak-willed youth who took no interest in politics and never read a newspaper had grown into a man of unbending determination whose tireless energies were constantly concentrated upon the laborious business of government and the highest questions of State. He was busy now from morning till night. In the Winter, before the dawn, he was to be seen, seated at his writing table, working by the light of the green reading lamp which he had brought over with him from Germany, and the construction of which he had much improved by an ingenious device. Victoria was early too, but she was not so early as Albert; and when, in the chill darkness, she took her seat at her own writing-table, placed side by side with his, she invariably found upon it a neat pile of papers arranged for her inspection and her signature. The day, thus begun, continued in unremitting industry. At breakfast, the newspapers—the once hated newspapers—made their appearance, and the Prince, absorbed in their perusal, would answer no questions, or, if an article struck him, would read it aloud. After that there were ministers and secretaries to interview; there was a vast correspondence to be carried on; there were numerous memoranda to be made. Victoria, treasuring every word, preserving every letter, was all breathless attention and eager obedience. Sometimes Albert would actually ask her advice. He consulted her about his English: "Lesse recht aufmerksam, und sage wenn irgen ein Fehler ist," he would say; or, as he handed her a draft for her signature, he would observe, "Ich hab' Dir hier ein Draft gemacht, les' es mal! Ich dachte es ware recht so." Thus the diligent, scrupulous, absorbing hours passed by. Fewer and fewer grew the moments of recreation and of exercise. The demands of society were narrowed down to the smallest limits, and even then but grudgingly attended to. It was no longer a mere pleasure, it was a positive necessity, to go to bed as early as possible in order to be up and at work on the morrow betimes.

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Motorists From All Parts of Island to Assemble

The conference of Island Automobilitists which was to have been held last week, and which was postponed on account of the bad condition of the roads, as a result of the heavy

rains, will be held on the Dominion Hotel on Wednesday evening, November 23.

Secretary R. R. Webb, of the Victoria Automobile Club has been in communication with the Nanaimo Automobile Club and the arrangements for the big meeting are well under way. Special invitations are being sent out to all automobile organizations, municipal councils, boards of trade and other organizations on the island, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

The conference has been arranged for the evening to allow as many delegates as possible from out of the city to attend. Most of the up-island delegates will be able to attend the meeting by driving down in the afternoon and returning the next morning, thereby being away from home only part of two days. The session will open with a dinner, after which reports will be received from delegates from various parts. Many important matters will be discussed, chief among which will be island roads and the conservation of the scenic beauties of highways. Arrangements are also being made to have an address on road construction by A. E. Foreman, late chief engineer Department of Public Works and now associated with the Portland Cement Association.

Any motorists, whether members of the club or not, are welcome to attend, but in order that an estimate may be made as to how many to provide for, those wishing to avail themselves of the meeting are requested to notify the secretary, R. R. Webb, telephone 3299, before Tuesday, November 22.

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Victoria motorists already know Felix Masarati, who has taken a lease of the Brentwood Hotel from the Brentwood Hotel, Ltd., the proprietors, as proprietor of the Qualicum Beach Hotel.

Petromortis is Due to Lack of Precautions In Enclosed Garages

This word means death from the fumes of a gasoline engine—a danger which threatens us every winter. Many people are overcome by this gas during the season and occasionally one of them dies. So be warned in time and avoid the danger.

This is most apt to occur in small garages. The engine is left running with the doors closed and it does not take long to exhaust the air. Even this would not be so bad if nothing but carbon dioxide gas were given off as the effect is merely to make one sleepy and a few deep breaths in fresh air sets one right again, with no bad after effects. The real trouble is in the presence of the deadly carbon monoxide which is a real poison. The bad effects of this gas last for days and sometimes many weeks before the sufferer loses his sensitiveness to the fumes. In severe cases the victim faints and has to be dragged out and resuscitated by artificial respiration. Occasionally one of them dies.

If you must work in a closed garage with the engine running cut a hole in the wall or partition in line with the exhaust and connect a pipe to carry off the fumes. A simple metal cover that will fall by its own weight can be fastened outside to keep out the weather when not in use.

The following directions for treatment should be pasted up in the garage so they may be referred to instantly in case of trouble.

Resuscitation.
When a person is overcome in a garage, throw the doors wide open and remove the person to fresh air at once. If a tank of oxygen and a breathing mask are at hand and the person is breathing, administer oxygen through the mask for twenty minutes. If the person is not breathing, give artificial respiration by the prone pressure or Shaefer method. Do not delay. Do not wait for the doctor for artificial respiration apparatus. Begin at once.

Place the victim on his back with his face to one side, so that his nose and mouth are free for breathing. Place one of the victim's arms and hands straight out behind his head, the other under his head. This position helps to expand the lungs.

Kneel, straddling the victim's thighs and facing his head, rest the palms of your hands on his loins (on the muscles of the small of his back), with your thumbs nearly touching each other and with fingers spread over his lower ribs. With arms held straight, swing forward slowly, so that the weight of your body is gradually but not violently brought to bear upon the victim. This act should take about two seconds.

Then, leaving your hands in place, swing backward slowly, so as to remove the pressure, thus returning for two seconds to the first position. Repeat this deliberately sixteen to twenty times a minute the swinging backward and forward—a complete respiration is about four seconds. Keep the movements in time with your own breathing.

without interruption until natural breathing is restored, or for at least three hours. If natural breathing stops after being restored, use artificial breathing again.
Do not give any liquid by mouth until the victim is fully conscious. Keep the victim flat. If air being partly resuscitated he must be moved carry him on a stretcher. It is dangerous to make a sick person sit up or stand. To make him walk may cause death.

MUFFLER EXPLOSIONS
Muffler explosions while the engine is running, indicate a missing spark plug. Not all sparkless spark plugs will produce muffler explosions, but if explosions occur in the muffler it shows that the spark does not jump regularly between the points of every plug. In order to obtain a muffler explosion, it is necessary for a combustible mixture to pass into the exhaust pipe. This can happen only if the ignition system failed to set fire to the charge when it was in the cylinder. A further condition is that this explosive mixture, which is delivered into the exhaust pipe, must be immediately followed by a flaming hot exhaust from the succeeding cylinder; hot enough at least to set fire to the combustible mixture which precedes it. The explosion actually takes place in the exhaust pipe, and the term muffler explosion is due to the fact that the noise reaches the ear from the muffler pigtail.

OILING PUMP SHAFT
Many of the perplexing squeaks from under the hood are due to the accumulation of rust on the pump shaft. The rough particles of rust clinging to the rotating shaft scrape against the sides of the water pump packing nuts, thereby causing a shrill and constant squeaking noise. No particular damage is likely to result from a rusty shaft, but for the driver who aims to have a quiet running engine it is a good plan now and then to clean off the rust by wrapping a strip of emery paper around the shaft while the engine is running slowly. This will polish the rough particles of rust that scrape against the packing nuts. With a clean shaft the addition of a few drops of motor oil will produce the right results.

Motor License Statistics—The records kept by the motor license department of the Victoria Provincial Post Office show a very fair business in new motor cars for the month of October. Forty new cars were registered last month, the registrations representing actual sales of motor cars in Victoria during October.

Since motor taxis were first introduced in Victoria, in 1916, they have increased in numbers from 16 to 1751.

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REMARKABLE MAN WHO CONTROLS LONDON BUS TRAFFIC

In a little room in London, above Leicester Square Tube Station, is one of the most remarkable telephones in the world.

Beside it sits a still more remarkable man. The man is Mr. Charles James, who controls the whole of London's enormous bus traffic, and the telephone at his side is the instrument with which he does it.

Everything in the room is remarkable—even the room itself. It is small, almost insignificant, in appearance; the furniture is conspicuous by its scarcity; its principal decoration is maps.

It seems amazing that from this queer little room the movements of the many thousands of motor buses in the London streets should be regulated like so many marionettes upon strings. But it is a fact; and although they may not be aware of it, a vast number of people depend upon the man in the room to give them to business in the morning and home in the evening.

Hurry On, Please.
Mr. James, the bus wizard, seems to fit into the picture admirably. He is a pleasant-faced man whose mind is filled with facts and figures about a vast number of people dependent upon him in the morning and home in the evening.

"On a day with good weather it is fairly easy, but if it starts to rain I have to get busy—phoning to all the garages and so on, giving orders regarding the disposal of the various buses."
"If a big crowd turns up anywhere—as, at a football match—extra buses are immediately put on the route. If there should be any delay in any part of the service, additional vehicles are brought to the route. If anything should go wrong, say,

with any part of the Underground Railway service relief buses are dispatched right away. It is all done quickly. There is no time for delay. The public must not be kept waiting."

In many respects Mr. James is like a general commanding his troops. His office is the G.L.C. Before him is a glass-topped desk on which are minutely detailed the times of arrival and departure of buses on the various routes. Every bus in the company's service can be located immediately, and when a telegram arrives asking for more vehicles in a certain area Mr. James looks at the map, lifts up the phone receiver, speaks—and the deed is accomplished!

Mr. James works in a building where great things are done; his neighbor is just as mighty a potentate as he is himself.
Two Mighty Jugglers.
On the wall beside Mr. James is a gigantic map of London, and again beside that is a door, with a glazed window, leading to another room. In that room sits the "master mind" of the Underground. Just as Mr. James guides the buses, so does his neighbor regulate the railways.

Both these men are like jugglers; they juggle with the destinies of at least the destinations—of millions of people.
Eighteen million passengers are carried each week on the buses alone. Some idea of the immensity of the figure may be gained from the fact that it is more than twice that of the population of Greater London, and almost seventy-two times the total population of Hull.

On occasions there have been as many as 2,800 buses on the streets. If placed end to end they would have stretched a distance of nearly fourteen miles.
"My brain often gets tired with so much concentration," Mr. James said, "but I soon get rid of the cobwebs after a ride in the open air—on—yes, you're right—a bus!"—Tit-Bits.

CONSIDERS FUTURE OF "GREAT HIGHWAY"

Important Proposal Receives Cordial Endorsement

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The advantages which would accrue to the entire Dominion from a public highway linking together the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts are discussed at length in a recent number of Toronto Saturday Night in an article entitled "The Great Highway." The wide influence which this journal has all over Canada and the well-known conservatism of its columns gives special weight to its conclusions.

It points out that the proposed construction of the links from Fort William and Port Arthur to Winnipeg and from the Manitoba capital westward to Banff and Lake Louise will be an important step in the opening up of this Coast to Coast highway and emphasizes the importance of this movement both from the strictly business point of view, in opening up these districts and from the effect which it will have in making more accessible the beauty spots of this scenic wonderland.

Special stress is laid on the possibilities for the development of recreational resorts and the advantages which will follow in the form of increased tourist travel.
"It is a programme that will not be easy of accomplishment," it concludes, "but it is one that should appeal to the imagination of all public-spirited citizens in Western Canada—and is well worthy of the hearty co-operation of the Dominion Government and the three provincial legislatures."

The Pacific Northwest Body.
A strong tribute is also paid to the work accomplished on the Pacific Coast through the activities of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association, the concluding paragraph of the article stating:
"The tourist trade which might be developed through a proper foundation being laid by way of good roads, would ultimately be worth millions of dollars annually to Western Canada. Practical results are already in evidence at the Pacific Coast. During the last three years British Columbia and the neighboring states of Oregon and Washington have joined forces in a well conducted campaign to promote the tourist trade on a strictly business basis. An international organization called the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association is the central body and it is financed jointly by the governments of the province and states mentioned. Highly gratifying results have long since justified the wisdom of the movement."

HOSE CONNECTION LEAKS
Slight leaks in hose connections are vital in radiator upper and lower and pump hose junctions, and they are especially worth remedying if the system is filled with costly anti-freeze mixtures. When the hose clamp screw will not turn up farther, remove it and place several layers of tire tape between the hose and the clamp.

So much for cure. For prevention make sure that the radiator is kept fastened tightly in place, because a loose radiator will not only loosen the hose connections but may also cause breaks in the lower part of the radiator itself. Wherefore make sure that the two nuts holding the radiator to the frame, are kept tightened down, and take up with a wrench any play noticeable in the rod leading from the top of the radiator to the dash—Motor.

LEAKY VALVES
Leaky valves can be detected by turning the motor over with the crank to test the loss of compression. A badly leaking valve sometimes makes a hissing noise when the motor is in operation.

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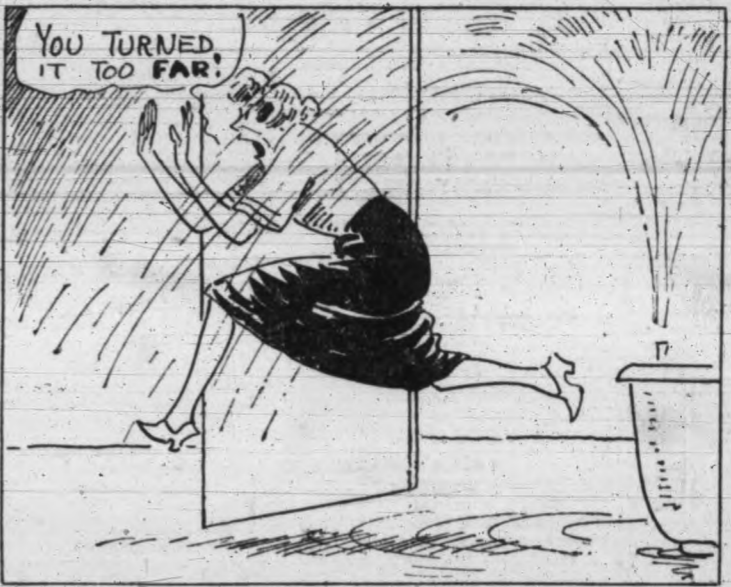
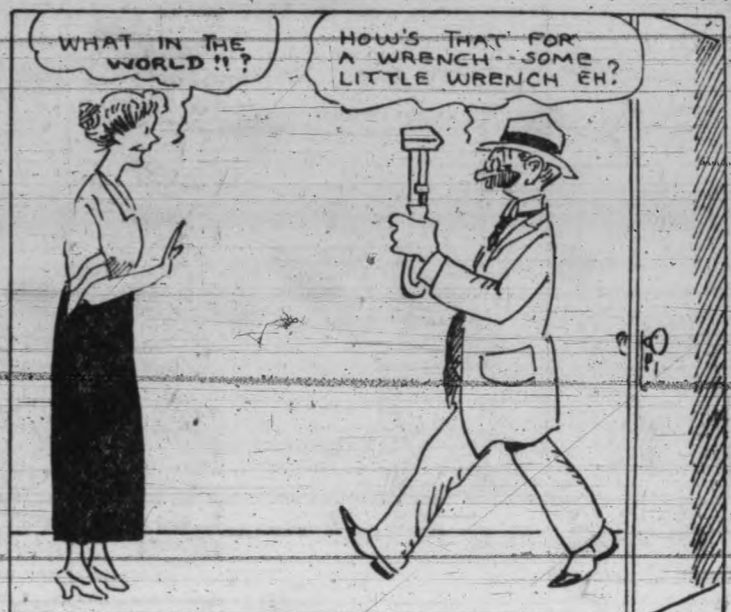
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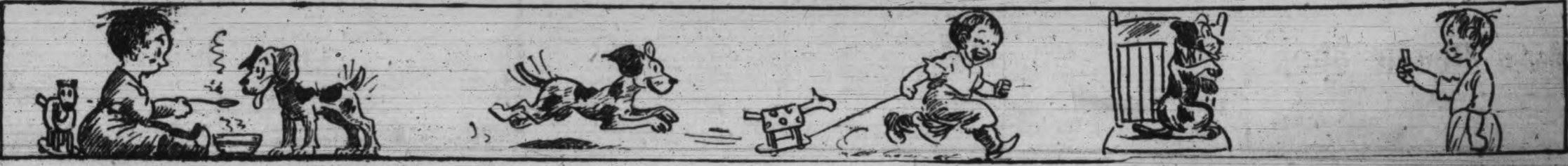
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LAND REGISTRY ACT. NOTICE UNDER SECTION 202.

TAKE NOTICE THAT an application has been made to register the said BROTHERS, LIMITED, as the owner in fee-simple, under a Tax Sale Deed, certain parcels of land, situated in the District of Oak Bay, to the said Company bearing the 18th day of July, 1921, in pursuance of a Tax Sale held by the Collector on or about the 10th day of October, 1921, of all and singular those certain parcels of land, lying and being in the District of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as follows: Lot Six (6), Eight (8) and Twenty-seven (27), in Block Four (4), of Section Twenty-Eight (28), Map 1155, and Lot Seventeen (17), in Block Two (2), of Section Twenty-Eight (28), Map 1155, and Lots Five (5), Nine (9), Ten (10), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), Twenty-four (24), Twenty-five (25), in Block One (1), of 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RETURNED MEN LOSE IN FLOODS

Some Now Have to Make New Start; Stock With-out Feed

Returned soldier settlers in the Pitt Meadows and Maple Ridge districts have been hard hit by the recent floods, according to the report of Lieut.-Colonel Ross Napier to Premier Oliver.

Col. Napier says that while at Coquitlam he interviewed Rev. Park of Pitt Meadows and was informed by him that in his district half-a-

dozen soldier farmers, who had taken up land under the Soldier Settlement Board, had had nearly all their root crop and hay either washed away or completely destroyed by the water. These men are now practically making a new start in life. Nearly all possess some stock which they will be unable to feed through the winter unless given some assistance.

Col. Napier finds damage to crops and roads in the district very considerable. But from reports he has gathered he finds that cases requiring absolutely imperative relief are not numerous.

In Maple Ridge he found the most excessive loss had been suffered in the Yennadon district, and here again he found that the worst sufferers were the returned soldier farmers, and in some cases men who would be severely handicapped by family circumstances. It was reported that the root crops of these men had been absolutely washed away.

Civic Heads Refuse Aid Proffered by Government Budget

Declare Relief Inadequate, Say Nothing Is Offered For Help of Harassed Landowner, Present Vigorous Resolution Then "Walk Out," "Fight On Again," They Assert.

Budget proposals for the aid of B. C. municipalities presented to the Legislature yesterday by the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, were flatly turned down last night by representatives of the B. C. Union of Municipalities.

They declared that no relief is offered to the landowner, especially against the increased cost of education.

The one-half per cent. personal property tax for the municipalities, they consider inadequate.

Other proposals in the budget speech they declare would only aggravate the situation.

Members of the delegation from the Union of B. C. Municipalities "walked out" of the special meeting called by the chairman of the municipal committee after the budget had been presented in the Legislature.

Before walking out, however, they submitted a resolution prepared a few minutes before, which was declared to express the last word. This resolution, it was made clear, expressed the opinion of President Jack Loutet, Mayor McHardy of Nelson, vice-president; Reeve Marmont, Coquitlam; Mayor Vance, North Vancouver; Mayor Johnston, New Westminster; Reeve McLean, Burnaby; and Reeve Brickman, North Vancouver District.

This is the resolution President Loutet presented:

"Having heard this afternoon the speech of the Hon. Minister of Finance, I have been authorized to make the following statement on behalf of the Union of B. C. Municipalities. This statement is the considered opinion of the Union's executive and individually are of varied political affiliations.

"The Government, after being convinced of the justice of our claims through investigations made by itself and having made certain definite offers to the Union, has now broken faith with us. The proposals contained in the budget offer no relief to the municipalities. The landowner, under these proposals, has no hope and the increased cost of education can but result in the eventual confiscation of his property.

"B. C. Should Pay School Cost.

"We reiterate our demand that the cost of public school education should be borne by the Province as a whole, through a graduated income tax. That for 1922 a per capita grant of \$10 should be given for school purposes and an investment made during that year to determine the reason for the excessive cost of education in different portions of the Province.

"The Union executive consider that the suggested taxation of improvements, the taking over of sinking funds by the Government, and independent courts of revision, will but further aggravate the situation.

"Waste No More Time.

"Following out the suggestion of the Minister of Finance that the municipalities should be more self-reliant and not run to the Government, we have come to the conclusion that, remembering that the recommendation of the Municipal Committee at the last session were not embodied in legislation, we need not waste your time and ours with our difficulties and therefore we place no more proposals before you.

"We are fighting for the existence of the organized districts of the Province. This session has been a session for the relief of overburdened municipalities and in fact, as the budget shows, has become a session for relief of the Government at the expense of the inhabitants of the municipalities.

"Meeting Ends Abruptly.

After the delegation withdrew some discussion ensued and G. H. Hanes asked what the committee proposed to do.

Chairman Whiteside replied that there was no proposal before the committee; the delegation had plainly said revenue wished to be nothing further to do with the committee.

Mr. Hanes did not agree, since the resolution asked for a per capita grant for schools of \$10, and he forthwith moved that this request of the municipal representatives be embodied in a recommendation to the committee to the Legislature.

Thomas Pearson argued that this would not meet the needs of the municipalities and nothing could be gained by adopting Mr. Hanes' suggestion.

Mr. Whiteside pointed out that the committee had its duty to perform, and after some discussion the meeting adjourned.

"Fight On Again.

After the meeting, Mr. Loutet explained that two months ago the Government had met the municipal representatives and promised to turn over the entire personal property tax, and an additional \$250,000 for school purposes. These promises, he said, had sent the delegates home contented. However, now, for some reason or other, the Government had broken faith and the fight was on again.

"And this is not all of it," he asserted. "We are through talking, but there will be more than talk from now on."

He said that the proposal to grant the municipalities the right to collect a personal property tax of one-half on one per cent. was not satisfactory, since this would not meet the needs of the municipalities. Turning over the entire personal property tax was accepted, he explained, although this tax was not popular, but it was taken with the realization that the proposed abolition of income tax exemptions could hardly go through without the personal property tax.

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both associations now favor the elimination of the fee and as the registration of beekeepers has not been found to be practicable nor the system of inspection which has been carried on for years, the change in the policy of the Department has been already had one meeting to accomplish this end.

If, therefore, the proposed legislation is brought into force beekeepers will have the assistance of Departmental officials only in the matter of instruction as to how to clean up their colonies from foul brood and they will have to do the work in their own apiaries or go out of that line of business.

In view of the amendments proposed by the Minister of Agriculture in this respect, representatives of the two rival associations are negotiating for an amalgamation and have already had one meeting to accomplish this end.

The Hon. J. H. King's amendments to the Highways Act went through their second reading in the Legislature yesterday afternoon without change after members of all shades of opinion had rallied to its support.

W. J. Bowser, Leader of the Opposition, however, criticized the provisions to give road superintendents, or road engineers, in the various districts authority to regulate and even prohibit extraordinary traffic. He also took exception to the clause giving road superintendents power to keep traffic off roads altogether at certain times, when the traffic might result in serious damage.

Use Power Against Opponents.

"Some good Grit road superintendents may find a good Conservative chauffeur driving along with a big load in the middle of the night," said Mr. Bowser. "Then if he has anything against this chauffeur he will say to himself, 'Here I have a chance to get even with him and can turn him off the road.' He can then rush out in the middle of the night and with a red flag stop the car and turn the people off the road."

"This is too much power to put in the hands of road superintendents. It should be left in the hands of the minister who will use good judgment and not act hastily."

J. W. Jones of South Okanagan supported the contentions of Mr. Bowser, declaring that many thousands of dollars have been invested in motor cars and it is arbitrary to give officials the power to rule them off the road at their own pleasure, especially after automobile taxes have been raised fifty per cent.

Highway Abuses Costly.

Premier Oliver explained that the amendments are aimed at dealing with, among other things, instances such as those of logging companies which are using the Pacific Highway over instead of building a logging railway and thus do an immense amount of damage to the roadway, which are using the Pacific Highway over instead of building a logging railway and thus do an immense amount of damage to the roadway, which are using the Pacific Highway over instead of building a logging railway and thus do an immense amount of damage to the roadway.

Dr. King explained that it was necessary to regulate the width of vehicle trips in the old days of horse traffic and now it is more necessary to regulate motor traffic in the same way in the interests of roads.

Only Seek to Protect.

"Officials of the department are not anxious to get into trouble with the public, they only want to keep the roads in good condition for the public," said Dr. King. "But they are confronted from time to time with people who go out and injure the roads and they have not the necessary authority to deal with these cases on the spot."

Kenneth Duncan, Independent member for Cowichan, said that the only way by which traffic could be controlled was by giving authority to men on the spot as it was useless to have all these matters put before the minister as the only authority.

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certain periods of the year for a few days, no one would be injured, but thousands of dollars would be saved," said W. A. McKenzie, Conservative member for Similkameen. He said the amendment was a good move.

Farmers Back Move.

The Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, said that farmers had felt the need of such a measure for twenty-five years.

Thomas Uphill, labor member for Fernie, declared that road superintendents are in a better position to judge of the traffic suitable for the roads under their charge.

J. A. Casherwood, Conservative member for Dewdney, said that the people in his district had asked him to support this measure because of the damage which has been done to roads in his constituency by traffic being allowed to run without control when the frost comes out of the ground and they are soft.

Would Save Thousands.

Premier Oliver pointed out that a very heavy rainfall over a small section may make part of a road very bad for a short time and that in such cases it was necessary that authority should be very flexible.

"If we had had this legislation years ago, thousands of dollars would have been saved the country," said John Yorston, Liberal member for the Cariboo. "This is not a change in policy, but simply removing a lot of red tape. If the matter is left to the minister, it simply means that he has to rely on the report of his engineers on the spot, anyway, and that appeal to Victoria takes a lot



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NEW BEE LAW STIRS APIARISTS

Rival Associations Interested in Move by Minister

The Bill to amend the Apiaries Act, introduced yesterday by Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, provides for a complete change in policy in registration of apiaries and introduction of a fee for such registration, both of which it is proposed to do away with.

The appointment of inspectors, if the bill passes the House as drafted will be vested in the Minister of Agriculture who will appoint from time to time such persons as he thinks proper to act as inspectors. All appointments made under the former legislation are to be revoked.

The events leading up to the proposed legislation started over a period of three years and involve the contentions of two rival bee-keepers' associations. In 1919 there was only one association known as the B. C. Bee-keepers' Association and, as then constituted, it asked the Minister of Agriculture to increase the number of inspectors on the Lower Mainland to meet the danger to the industry from the spread of European Foul Brood. To obtain an accurate record of all those keeping bees it was suggested that there should be compulsory registration and a fee for same. The revenue derived to be applied to the increased expenses of inspection.

Organization Splits.

Legislation was brought down during the session of 1919 to meet the situation but shortly after there was a split in the ranks of the apiarists and a new organization known as the B. C. Honey Producers' Association was formed with the bee-keepers of the Lower Mainland, the Okanagan and the Kootenay districts. These all favored registration and a fee while the re-organized B. C. Bee-keepers' Association opposed the provision of the act as unnecessary and a hardship.

During the present year a new discovery, by W. H. Lewis, of Edmonds, B. C., for the treatment of European Foul Brood has been made known and this has been tried out with success in the demonstration apiaries provided by members of the B. C. Honey Producers' Association and supervised by the Department inspectors.

Owing to the results of these experiments the B. C. Honey Producers recommended that the imposition of the registration fee be removed and that educational work and demonstrations be substituted for the inspection of individual apiaries. As

KING'S MOVE TO PROTECT HIGHWAYS BACKED BY HOUSE

The Hon. J. H. King's amendments to the Highways Act went through their second reading in the Legislature yesterday afternoon without change after members of all shades of opinion had rallied to its support.

W. J. Bowser, Leader of the Opposition, however, criticized the provisions to give road superintendents, or road engineers, in the various districts authority to regulate and even prohibit extraordinary traffic. He also took exception to the clause giving road superintendents power to keep traffic off roads altogether at certain times, when the traffic might result in serious damage.

Use Power Against Opponents.

"Some good Grit road superintendents may find a good Conservative chauffeur driving along with a big load in the middle of the night," said Mr. Bowser. "Then if he has anything against this chauffeur he will say to himself, 'Here I have a chance to get even with him and can turn him off the road.' He can then rush out in the middle of the night and with a red flag stop the car and turn the people off the road."

"This is too much power to put in the hands of road superintendents. It should be left in the hands of the minister who will use good judgment and not act hastily."

J. W. Jones of South Okanagan supported the contentions of Mr. Bowser, declaring that many thousands of dollars have been invested in motor cars and it is arbitrary to give officials the power to rule them off the road at their own pleasure, especially after automobile taxes have been raised fifty per cent.

Highway Abuses Costly.

Premier Oliver explained that the amendments are aimed at dealing with, among other things, instances such as those of logging companies which are using the Pacific Highway over instead of building a logging railway and thus do an immense amount of damage to the roadway, which are using the Pacific Highway over instead of building a logging railway and thus do an immense amount of damage to the roadway.

Dr. King explained that it was necessary to regulate the width of vehicle trips in the old days of horse traffic and now it is more necessary to regulate motor traffic in the same way in the interests of roads.

Only Seek to Protect.

"Officials of the department are not anxious to get into trouble with the public, they only want to keep the roads in good condition for the public," said Dr. King. "But they are confronted from time to time with people who go out and injure the roads and they have not the necessary authority to deal with these cases on the spot."

Kenneth Duncan, Independent member for Cowichan, said that the only way by which traffic could be controlled was by giving authority to men on the spot as it was useless to have all these matters put before the minister as the only authority.

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