

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Southernly winds, mostly cloudy and cool, with showers.

Playhouse—"A Night in Venice." Coliseum—"The Story Without a Name." Columbia—"The Truth About a Woman." Capitol—"The Sea Hawk." Dominion—"Backcloth and Scarlet."

Victoria Daily Times

LOT AGAINST AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN'S LIFE

STROMKINS FORCED TO WITNESS MURDER MAGISTRATE IS TOLD

Compelled at Point of Gun to Watch the Gillis Hijacking, Says Counsel for Defence at Preliminary Hearing To-day.

At the resumption of the Gillis murder hearing before Magistrate Jay in the Provincial police court to-day the prosecution ran into stubborn defence. Paul Stromkins, formally charged with the murder of Capt. William Gillis at or near Sidney Island on the night of September 15, was being held without a shadow of excuse, submitted Stuart Henderson for the defence, asking instant dismissal of the charge. At the close of the case for the Crown the hearing was stood over until Monday at 11 a.m. to give the defence time to consider its position.

A. M. Johnson, K.C., crown counsel, produced Assistant Superintendent Walter Owen and Inspector Forbes Cruickshank to prove the entry of a statement said to have been made by Stromkins on November 25 in their presence. The statement is the sole evidence produced by the crown against the accused at this stage.

STROMKINS STATEMENT

The statement read as follows: "I want to tell you what I know. I would like to bring these awful people to justice. If they are not arrested and brought to justice they will murder people as they murdered Gillis and his son and cause innocent people to be mixed up in the murders. I am now speaking of Baker, St. Charles Morris and an American policeman named Majewski. On September 15, 1924, Baker, St. Charles Morris hired me to go to Sidney Island with my boat and assist me as to what their motives were, on arriving at Sidney Island, Baker, St. Charles Morris left my boat and rowed in my skiff to Gillis' boat. I heard two shots fired; about twenty minutes later Baker rowed back to my boat and pointed a .45 calibre revolver and forced me to take my gas boat to Gillis' boat on arriving at Gillis' boat, Charlie Morris says: 'We shot old Gillis through the forehead and Charlie Morris tied my boat to the Beryl G. and made me tow the Beryl G. to Halfway Island. While going to Halfway Island St. Charles Morris had a short barrel revolver on to me and said: 'Hooster, if you don't do as I tell you, I will blow your brains out.' By the time we arrived at Halfway Island, Baker and Charlie Morris had moved 150 cases of liquor from the Beryl G. to my boat. Charlie Morris then came aboard my boat while I heard the anchor and I heard a crash on board the Beryl G. and something fell. I looked out and saw young Gillis lying on the deck of the Beryl G. He was holding a short barrel revolver and he was murdered. Baker and St. Charles Morris then took the skiff of the Beryl G. loaded it with whisky, tied it behind my boat. I heard the anchor and Charlie Morris tied my boat to the Beryl G. and said: 'That's the way to fix them.' They then parted my boat from the Beryl G. and I landed there. St. Charles Morris followed me with my skiff. Baker had a butcher knife in his hand and said: 'If you don't do as we tell you we'll fix you.' (Concluded on page 2)

ILL IN WELLINGTON AND GROWS WEAKER; PREMIER MASSEY

London, April 29.—The condition of Premier W. F. Massey of New Zealand, who recently underwent an operation at Wellington, is causing serious anxiety, says a cable message received by the High Commissioner here from the Acting Premier, Sir Francis Bell. "Although no official bulletin has been issued for some days," the message reads, "it is reported that Premier Massey's condition is becoming weaker and gives cause for serious anxiety."

PRESENT IMPORTANT EVIDENCE IN CASE

Corroboration of Capt. Wm. Bradley's Testimony Given in Ss. Exporter Hearing

Vancouver, April 29.—Evidence in corroboration of the testimony of Capt. William Bradley, master of the freighter Canadiana Exporter on her last voyage, which ended on Willapa Bay on July 31, 1921, was tendered this morning at the continuance of the trial of the consignees' suit for insurance companies whose claims aggregate to \$1,000,000. The firm of Lucas & Lucas, who are pressing the present action, represent another \$150,000 of these. Overcoming the legal objections of E. C. Mayers this morning, the plaintiffs succeeded in putting in the statements made by B. C. Koolesy, coast manager of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, and Capt. Finlayson.

Started Well. Capt. Finlayson corroborated Capt. Bradley's statement that the first mate was drunk when the ship sailed and that the master complained, asking for another first officer, but that he was refused this request on account of the shortness of time before the vessel sailed. He also stated shore officers of the company had signed on the new crew, but said he could not remember whether Capt. Bradley had protested against their incompetence. He recalled the master's complaint about the compass.

FIRE DEATHS IN PORTLAND NUMBER FOUR

Flames Swept Apartment House; Number of Persons Saved by Firemen

One of Those Who Perished Was Blind Man Seventy Years of Age

Portland, Ore., April 29.—Four persons were killed and one was injured, probably fatally, in a fire which early today swept the Hendricks apartments here. The dead: Miss Clara Short, twenty, waitress; Miss Bernice Frazier, employee of Lipman & Wolfe Company, about twenty years old; E. Sullivan, fifty-five, laborer; Mr. Law, seventy and blind. Injured: Mrs. Law, perhaps fatally. The flames swept rapidly through the frame building and the forty persons who occupied the apartments fled to the streets in what attire they were able to don.

VERY FIERCE FIRE

The flames broke out shortly after 3 a.m. and raged for more than an hour before firemen were able to enter the building and search for the bodies, which were found huddled in the rooms. The bodies of Miss Short and Miss Frazier were found in their rooms, where they apparently had retired.

IMPRESSED WITH MINERAL WEALTH OF VANCOUVER ISLAND

Potentialities Greater Than Any Part of Canada, Says Visitor

British Columbia's mining prospects appear to me at the present time to be better than in any part of Canada I have traveled," said J. M. Sarsfield, mining recorder of the noted Cobalt territory who registered at the Dominion Hotel last night after an extensive tour of Vancouver Island. "I have seen more evidence of mineral wealth on Vancouver Island than any other part of Canada that I have visited," he said. "British Columbia I believe is due for phenomenal development because of its great potential wealth through its mineral assets. I doubt if the residents of Vancouver Island appreciate as a man from another province can appreciate the value of these assets."

"In addition to its mineral wealth British Columbia and Vancouver Island especially has much to offer. The climate is ideal. As a residential district it is unequalled. Before coming to Vancouver Island, I visited Oregon and Washington and found nothing to excel Vancouver Island. It is adapted for the establishment of industries and it has the resources for those industries. It has a combination that is hard to beat."

ENGINEER KILLED IN RAILWAY SMASH

Thirty-nine Injured When Train Wrecked Twenty Miles North of San Diego

Movie Actors and Actresses Were Cut by Glass; One Rescuer Was Burned

Los Angeles, April 29.—One dead and thirty-five injured are listed on a casualty list of the wreck of a Santa Fe train last night twenty miles north of San Diego, as published today by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad office here. In addition four persons were reported injured whose names so far have not been learned by the company officials. John Warbery, engineer, Los Angeles, was killed. Four motion picture players and a property man were injured and \$10,000 of motion picture equipment destroyed in the wreck, it was said here today at Warner Brothers' studio, from which a party of twenty-two was on the train. Marie Prevost, Louise Fazenda, Kenneth Harlan and Walter Long, players, were cut by glass and bruised, and Bob Webb, property man, was burned in attempting to save Engineer John Warbery, it was announced. "There is a very definite shortage

SERIOUS BURNS CAUSED BY ERROR

Cranbrook, B.C., April 29.—Miss Ethel Derbyshire of this city narrowly escaped death as the result of mistaking a can of gasoline for coal oil when she tried to start a fire in the home where she is employed. Rushing upstairs, a living torch, she was met by members of the household, who with difficulty extinguished the flame. Her clothing was almost consumed and she is now in the Cranbrook Hospital in a precarious condition.

Train Was Derailed But no One Injured

Bethel, Vermont, April 29.—The Washingtonian, east through steamer train on the Central Vermont Railroad, was derailed to-day at South Royalton. A broken journal on the tender of the engine was given as the cause. The tracks were torn up for several hundred feet, but no one was injured. In 1924 the same train met with a serious accident a few miles south of the scene of to-day's mishap.

LIFE THREATENED; J. A. CHAMBERLAIN



GERARD BELIEVES HINDENBURG WILL CREATE BIG ARMY

Former U.S. Ambassador Says Military Activities in Germany Will be Secret

Points Out Presidential Vote Indicates Trend of German People's Feelings

New York, April 29.—The fear that Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, Germany's new President, will begin to build up a gigantic military machine was expressed by James W. Gerard, war-time United States Ambassador to Germany, who sailed for Europe on the liner Aquitania, yesterday. "Europe will become once more an armed camp if von Hindenburg remains in power," Mr. Gerard said. "If I were a German I would have voted for von Hindenburg," he added. "He will unite the factions of Germany, put down the Reds, face the Soviet and raise hell with the Allies." "The German official army is about 100,000 men," Mr. Gerard remarked, "and unofficially is twice that figure, and I venture to predict that von Hindenburg will rapidly and secretly create a military machine of gigantic proportions."

WORKERS BEATEN AND MACHINERY OF PLANT WRECKED

Attack in New York Made by Ten Men Armed With Blackjacks

Union Trouble; One of Owners of Cloth Factory May Die

New York, April 29.—Ten armed men with blackjacks and iron pipes invaded the East Side Cloak and Suit factory of Schneider, Shanofsky & Zeldman here this morning, beat up twenty-five persons in the shop and wrecked several thousand dollars' worth of machinery and cloth. Police believe the attack was the outgrowth of union fights. Philip Shanofsky, one of the owners of the factory, may die of injuries inflicted by the men. Charles McGarry, a city fireman, was seriously injured. One of the men was captured, but the others escaped in two automobiles which were kept waiting for them.

MEDICINE HAT BRICK PLANT WAS BURNED

Medicine Hat, April 29.—Fire broke out at the Gas City Brick Company's plant at the Gas City Brick Company's plant at 7:15 last night, causing a complete loss, with damage of more than \$100,000. It is understood insurance was carried to the extent of \$50,000. The destruction of the plant marks the passing of Medicine Hat's oldest brick plant, the original plant having been started in 1855. The plant had been idle for over a year.

BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER CLOSELY GUARDED BY POLICE NOW AS RESULT OF THREAT

Some of Details of Plot Against Austen Chamberlain Unearthed Outside of London; Paris Authorities Take Unusual Measures to Prevent Outbreak by Extremists on May 1.

London, April 29.—Additional guards have been assigned to protect Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain. It is reported a plot against his life has been discovered and the placing of the extra guards is presumably in connection with the alleged plot. The news came from official quarters, but there was much reticence about discussion of the nature of the supposed plot. It was intimated some of the details had been discovered outside of London.

REPORT ON GERMAN TREATY VIOLATIONS PUT BEFORE ALLIES

Paris, April 29.—The Allied Council of Ambassadors to-day referred to the various governments represented in the council the supplementary report of Max Baumbach, an expert on violations of the Treaty of Versailles. Action on the document thus is postponed until the members of the council receive instructions from their governments.

RENEWED FIGHTING IN BULGAR CAPITAL

Communists Took Refuge in Underground Passages; Explosions Alarmed People

Berlin, April 29.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Sofia, Bulgaria, reports a renewed outbreak of fighting between Bulgarian Government troops and Communists. The casualties are unknown, but the dispatch says they are believed to have been fairly heavy and that a sanguinary battle was fought throughout yesterday between Government troops and Communists. The population of Sofia became panic-stricken because of intermittent muffled explosions and a street traffic was stopped. A strict censorship prevails in the city.

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RHINOCEROS HAD POSSESSION OF DECK OF SHIP

Norfolk, Va., April 29.—The crew of the United States steamship Wytheville felt all the thrill of an encounter at close quarters with big game when a burly rhinoceros stampeded through his pen on the forward deck and caused a wild scramble for the rigging while the ship was unloading here to-day. The brute, fresh from the African wilds and bound for a Philadelphia zoo, was finally captured after he had raged about the deck for more than an hour.

PARIS MEASURES

Paris, April 29.—Aroused by last week's communist shooting incidents, the French authorities are taking precautions to guarantee order during the celebration of May Day. It has been decided that all the troops in the Paris district shall be held in barracks ready for any call. Motorcycle police will patrol the city ceaselessly. There will be no taxicab service, the drivers' union having decided to observe the day with a general strike.

GERMANS DENY NEW FOREIGN POLICY READY

Chancellor Says Hindenburg Approves Principles Now Being Followed

Head of Cabinet Calls For New Decision on Cologne Evacuation

Berlin, April 29.—Germany's foreign policy will not be changed, Dr. Hans Luther, German Chancellor, declared emphatically to-day in an address before the annual congress of the League of Germany Industry and Commerce. This declaration is understood to reflect also the viewpoint of President von Hindenburg, with whom the Chancellor conferred yesterday. While Dr. Luther did not refer to the recent election, it is generally understood he spoke with the full authority of Hindenburg and the groups which promoted the field-marshal's candidacy. In order to bring about stable European conditions, the question of the evacuation of the Cologne area by the Allies must be settled, Dr. Luther declared. "For more than three months," he said, "we have waited in vain for the reasons held to justify the non-evacuation."

STRIKE ADVOCATED

Berlin, April 29.—The Communist organ Rote Fahne (Red Flag) publishes an article today in which it advocates a twenty-four-hour strike on the day of von Hindenburg's entry into Berlin to mark the election of Germany to which he was elected last Sunday.

DISCUSSION IN ITALY

Rome, April 29.—The Italian press continues to show absorbing interest in the situation caused by the election of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg as President of Germany. Most of the papers consider it the most important event since the end of the Great War. The Fascist organ Tevere publishes a caricature of Hindenburg, in which he appears in full military uniform and spiked helmet and, acting as a butler, holds back a curtain for the entrance of the Hohenzollerns.

\$110,000 YACHT

Toronto, April 29.—What will be the finest and most costly private yacht built in Eastern Canada, ordered by Commander J. K. L. Ross, is now nearing completion at Griffla. Her cost is placed at \$110,000. AUTOMOBILE FATALITY Hamilton, Ont., April 29.—Carl Kessener, Toronto, was killed and four persons were injured in an automobile collision on the Toronto-Hamilton Highway near Burlington yesterday.

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PORTLAND FIRE
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 been trapped. The body of Mr. Law also was discovered in his room.
 The fire started in the basement from a defective furnace flue, said Fire Chief Grenfell after an investigation. The flames swept up the stairway, carried by a draft from a skylight.
MANY LIVES SAVED
 Credit for saving many lives was given the firemen who were first to reach the scene. The occupants of the buildings were crowded at the windows screaming for help when the firemen arrived, and first efforts were devoted to rescue with ladders and life nets.
 The death of Sullivan was declared by firemen to be due to the fact that he jumped before a net was fully spread. Owing to smoke and tress near the building the firemen did not see him jump until too late to catch him in the net.
 Mrs. Law, suffering from smoke asphyxiation, became hysterical when removed to the emergency hospital.

NELSON VACCINATIONS
 Nelson, April 28.—Fifty-one vaccinations only have taken place in Nelson since the Provincial Board of Health's order was announced, Dr. E. C. Arthur reported to the city council last night.

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DISCUSSING LEASE OF E.D. AND B.C. NOW

Peace River Rail Negotiations Halted While Alberta Leaders Meet C.P.R. Officials

By Times Staff Representative
 (Ottawa, April 28)—Conferences here between British Columbia and Alberta interests and the Federal Government so far have served only to reveal increasing complications and difficulties in the Peace River railway problem with the Alberta Government owing the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway and undecided whether to lease it to the C.P.R. again this year the solution of the whole situation awaits action by the Provincial authorities.
 Premier Greenfield of Alberta went to Montreal yesterday to discuss the C.P.R. lease of the Provincial line with the railway heads there, and meanwhile negotiations here have been halted temporarily.

PRELIMINARY DISCUSSION
 Yesterday's conference between Alberta, Peace River and British Columbia Railway representatives and members of the Government was purely preliminary and accomplished nothing. Premier Oliver attended, but more as a spectator than an active delegate. He will confer at length on details with members of the Government later this week. The only tangible fact which has evolved from the negotiations so far is that the Brule Lake cut-off scheme falls to appeal to anyone except some of the Northern settlers who are anxious to get any kind of rail connection and are not much concerned with the real development of the Northern areas.

SHIP WRECK SUIT

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 Mr. Keeley was not present at the interviews between Capt. Bradley and Finglass, he said, but stated that the marine superintendent was the proper official to deal with those matters.
 Harry Huggins, second officer on the disastrous voyage, said the first officer was not on deck to take charge of the raising of the anchor when the ship sailed, which was ordinarily his duty, and said that when he came on deck at 4 p.m. the day before the Exporter stranded, he had been shaving and cleaned up, but still

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 Camosun Chapter, I.O.O.F., will hold a rummage sale at 1815 Douglas Street, below Hudson's Bay store, on Saturday morning, May 2, from 10 to 12.
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WENT TO BED

The second officer had not taken his watch at this time, but had asked the third officer to take it for him while he went back to bed.
 Mr. Mayers objected to Mr. Lucas's right to read the examination of the new first officer of the company, but Mr. Justice Murphy stated that until the Court of Appeal held the practice was improper he would follow his usual custom and admit it. Mr. Mayers then objected to the evidence of C. C. Kernahan, one of the officials in question being read on the ground that Kernahan was hostile to the company.

LAWYERS ARGUE

"He is in the city and should be called as a witness," urged Mr. Mayers.
 "He was in the employ of the company at the time he gave his evidence," argued E. A. Lucas. "I should like to see my friend's evidence of when his hostility arose before the point is decided."
 "He has since been dismissed," stated Mr. Mayers.
 "If he is in the city you should call him," ruled the judge. "It is not in the interests of justice to allow his examination for discovery to go on."
 "Will my learned friend undertake to produce him?" asked Mr. Lucas.
 "Certainly not," was the reply.
 "That would not be fair," ruled the judge, "to allow you to cross-examine a witness who is hostile to the defendant. You had better subpoena him. I will not admit his discovery evidence."

STROMKINS HEARING

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 "For God's sake, I will do as you say," Baker then said. "Alright." They then ordered me to unload the whisky from the skiff. I did so and while doing it had to go into the water to my knees. Baker and Si were sitting on my skiff while I was unloading the liquor from the Beryl G's skiff. Baker and Si covered up the whisky with straw from the beach. After I agreed to do as they told me Baker threw the butcher knife in the water. Si went back to my gas boat in my skiff and Baker jumped into the Beryl G's skiff which I was rowing and on reaching my gas boat they tied both skiffs to my gas boat. All this time Charlie was guarding my gas boat. Baker told me to start my engine and said "we'll go to Gooch Island." On arriving there Baker and Si unloaded the whisky in two different places. Charlie Morris was watching me. I was running the engine and Baker was steering. From Gooch Island we went to Anacortes and arriving there Baker and Morris went ashore and they took two suitcases with them containing the guns. Si stayed on my boat. Baker came back in a few minutes and ordered me to row Si and himself ashore in the umbrella. After landing them Baker said: "If you want to say a word we will do to you what we did to Gillis and his son, we will murder you, damn you!" "If you say a word we will say you were with us and we will hang together." Then came the awful hours until I could not stand it any longer and I had to confess it to the police. It preyed on my mind so much. This statement is given voluntarily and without any inducement or threats.

The statement is the same as already submitted at the extradition hearings in Seattle and again amplified by the accused at a witness for Baker and Rex vs. Sowash.
 Cross-examined on the stand by counsel for defence, Walter Owen admitted that he had conversations with the accused before the day on which the statement had been taken down by him. Mr. Henderson pressed witness to admit that the statement was given first before any warning had been made and then repeated after due warning. Witness had no personal recollection of that, he said.
 In cross-examining Forbes Cruickshank, Mr. Henderson asked the same question and witness told of conversations with the accused on November 13, November 14 and November 24. On November 24, said Mr. Cruickshank, the accused had made a fuller statement before a detailed statement, but in repeating this after a warning on the following day he had repeated essentially the same story though more completely.

WAIVED BY STATEMENT
 Both witnesses for the crown agreed that the police were greatly aided by Stromkin's statement, which Mr. Owen described as the last link in the chain which preceded the issue of warrants for the several accused.
 Mr. Johnson rested his case at this point.
 For the defence Mr. Henderson urged that the statement alleged to have been made by the accused was improperly admitted as evidence, as he would contend, extracted without due warning in the usual terms.
 Supporting for the moment the statement to be regularly in as evidence, there was nothing in it upon which to base a conviction for five months in jail without trial. The statement, and Mr. Henderson read it clause by clause to the court, was a "zero."
 "One hundred" ciphers added together did not make anything but a cipher, he continued. Stromkin, he urged, was in the position of a man who had witnessed a murder in the street, one compelled to watch though having no part in the deed.
 His statement, even if properly recognizable as evidence, was to the scene under false pretences, threatened at the point of a knife and he now told the police in an effort to bring the culprits to justice. How, asked Mr. Henderson, could the court commit anyone for trial by higher court on such grounds. Any supreme court judge would grant the accused his release from such a committal. Predicted Mr. Henderson.
 Magistrate Jay indicated that it was his intention to commit, subject to what the defence might have to say in evidence. Mr. Henderson thereupon asked a remand to consider what evidence would be offered. There was a possibility Stromkin might take the box as well as others, he said. The court fixed Monday at 11 a.m. for the continuation of the hearing.

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Realtors to Sell University Lands

The block of building lots in the University block at Point Grey which will go on sale on May 19, will not be put at auction, but sold at fixed prices on the principle of first come, first served. Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, said to-day. Licensed real estate agents will be paid the usual commissions on sales they put through. About 100 lots will go up at the first sale. Applications for purchase will be made to Government Engineer McPherson at Point Grey, who will issue the price list of the lots after May 7.

Federal Action in Fruit Marketing Case is Expected

By Times Staff Representative
 Ottawa, April 29.—The slow process of dealing with the methods of marketing fruit in Western Canada advanced another stage to-day when the Department of Justice reported to the Department of Labor that the Federal Government has power to launch prosecutions against alleged combine operators. With all four western provinces unanimous in the view that question is one for the Federal Government to settle, it is probable Federal action will follow shortly. No decision on the point has yet been reached here.

THREE THOUGHT DEAD IN BOSTON EXPLOSION

Malden, Mass., April 29.—The death list from an explosion which wrecked part of the Boston Rubber Shoe Company to-day may reach three, officials announced. Two employees are missing and a third is dying at a hospital.

RESCUE EFFECTED DURING STIFF GALE

Norfolk, Va., April 29.—The crew of seven men of the American schooner Irma, southbound from Boston, were taken from the vessel with breeches buoys 10-day after she had grounded near Bodie Island. The rescue was effected during a northeast gale which observers reported reached fifty miles an hour.

\$100,000 DAMAGE IN FIRE IN SHIP'S HOLD

Yonkers, N.Y., April 29.—A fire that apparently smouldered several days in the hold of the freighter Lake Geneva, loading sugar here, caused damage estimated at \$100,000 and destroyed 900 tons of sugar. The flames were discovered in the forward hold.

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WORLD FORESTRY
CONGRESS CALLED

National Representatives
Meet at Rome Next Year

International trade in timber and forest products and preservation and development of forests will be discussed by all nations interested at a World Forestry Congress to be held in Rome in May of next year, the Chamber of Commerce is advised. The congress has been organized by the International Institute of Agriculture and the Italian Government and will take into consideration improvements in the international trade in timber and forest products, the technical, economic, legislative and administrative problems connected with the proper preservation and development of the forests now existing. The possibility of unifying the present methods of controlling forestry statistics will be discussed. Virtually every question relating to forestry will be discussed from an international viewpoint. To encourage better acquaintance with the typical production of each country and to increase international trade an exhibition of woodworking machinery and forest products will be held in Milan. Firms of the various nations interested in production and trade in timber and machinery manufacturers will be given an opportunity to exhibit under advantageous conditions.

CANADIAN PRESS
ELECTED DIRECTORS

Annual Meeting of Canada's
Co-operative News Service
Held in Toronto

Toronto, April 28.—Directors of the Canadian Press for the ensuing year were elected at the annual general meeting of the Canadian Press, Ltd., held at the Hotel Vancouver, Monday night, April 28. The directors elected were: President, E. H. Macklin, Victoria Times; Vice-President, J. H. Woods, Calgary Herald; Secretary, S. A. G. Macdonald, Montreal Star; Treasurer, W. J. Taylor, Woodstock Sentinel Review; W. J. Wilkinson, Toronto Mail and Empire.

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CITIES' NAMES ON
ROOFS FOR ARMEN

Washington, April 28.—Advertising for the benefit of those who ride in the air is seen by United States Army Air Service officers as a patriotic duty. This is coming to be recognized as a vital factor in flying, enabling aviators readily to discern their whereabouts simply by looking over the cockpit to where giant white letters, painted on the roofs of large buildings, gaze up at them. The number of cities whose names are thus forth their names is substantially on the increase, army aviators say.

HOME DESTROYED

Cloveland, B.C., April 28.—While preparing his supper last evening in the absence of his wife, Herbert Ingram, who lives about three-quarters of a mile north of here, allowed the stove to become overheated and set fire to the building, according to a police report. The flames spread rapidly over the old frame building, which was destroyed.

OVER 25,000 INJURED
WORKERS CARED FOR BY
COMPENSATION BOARD

(Continued from Page 1)
During the last eight years under the act, \$1,742 accidents have been dealt with and compensation payments have amounted to more than \$16,000,000. Fatal accidents during this time were 1,395, while 22,599 others left the workmen with either partial or total permanent disability.

CHEMINUS NEWS

Special to The Times
Cheminus, April 28.—Mrs. Thomas McEwan is visiting relatives in Vancouver for a few days.

The Rev. E. M. Cook, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, was a visitor to Genoa Bay last week, where he held the usual monthly service on Thursday evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Cook. They were guests of their son, Mr. Gordon P. Cook, for two days.

Mr. R. R. Halhed, immigration inspector, was on duty at Genoa Bay two days last week.

Dr. Troughton and his daughter Mrs. Cave have taken up their residence at the Oyster House, Chemainus River.

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Month-end Hosiery
Bargains

Women's Fancy Striped Silk Hose, in black, white, camel, beige and bamboo; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Very special value at, per pair 95¢

Odd lines and broken sizes of fancy striped Italian Silk Hose, formerly priced at \$3.75 per pair. Greatly reduced to clear Thursday at \$1.95

Women's Wide Ribbed Lisle Sports Hose, in black, white, brown, grey, beige and bamboo; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Special Thursday, 2 pairs for 95¢

Women's Plain Silk Lisle Hose, fine quality and excellent wearing; in black, white and log cabin. Special Thursday at 2 pairs for 95¢

Women's Wide Ribbed Silk Lisle Sports Hose, Mercury make, in black, white, brown, grey, fawn and sponge. Special Thursday, per pair, 95¢

CHILDREN'S Three-quarter Length Cut Top Socks, in brown, white and sand; sizes 7 to 8 1/2. Special for Thursday only, 4 pairs for 95¢

GLOVES

At Reduced Prices

Kayser Gauntlet Chamousette Gloves with strap and dome at wrist. In shades of oak, sable, putty, grey, beaver and brown; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Thursday, per pair 75¢

Kayser Silk Gloves with double tipped fingers. In shades of tan and pongee only; size 5 1/2 only; regular \$1.25, 2 pairs for 95¢

High-grade Trefousse Novelty French Kid Gauntlets, in shades of white, brown, mode navy, beaver and grey. Odd lines and broken sizes. Priced regular up to \$6.50 per pair. Thursday at \$3.45

Odd lines and broken sizes of Trefousse French Kid Gloves, in white, tan, black and mode; regular \$1.95 per pair. To clear Thursday at 95¢

Chamousette Gauntlets in the newest Spring styles and all the wanted colors; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Very special value Thursday at, per pair 95¢

Kayser Two-dome Regulation Silk Gloves, in black, white, brown, grey, beaver, mode and navy; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Made with double tipped fingers. Special, per pair 85¢

Month-end Bargains in the
Knit Underwear
Section

Women's Lisle Vests, odd lines. Formerly priced up to \$1.75. To clear Thursday at 95¢

Women's Macintosh Bloomers, guaranteed unshrinkable. Special for Thursday, 2 for 95¢

Women's All Pure Wool Swiss Ribbed Light Weight Vests, strap shoulder or open top, guaranteed unshrinkable. Special for Thursday, 2 for 95¢

Women's Fine Cotton Lisle Bloomers, made with gusset, in pink or white; all sizes. Special at 2 for 95¢

Women's Macintosh Bloomers, pantaleone style, in all colors and sizes; regular \$3.75 per pair. Special Thursday at \$1.95

Children's Cotton Lisle Bloomers, in white, pink and navy; all sizes. Special Thursday, 2 pairs for 95¢

Children's Cotton Lisle Vests, small sizes only. Good quality and a big bargain Thursday at 5 for 95¢

Children's Lisle Combinations, for ages 4 to 12 years; tight and loose knee styles. Special for Thursday at, per suit 95¢



Three Good
Bargains
in
Stamped Goods

At 89c
Stamped Five-piece Luncheon Sets. Cloth and 4 serviettes. All new designs. Thursday, per set 89¢

At 29c
Stamped Three-piece Vanity Sets on a fine quality white needle-cloth. Pretty designs. Per set 29¢

At 39c
Stamped Three-piece Luncheon Sets. Six pretty designs to select from. Splendid value Thursday selling at, per set 39¢

Month-end Bargains in the
Corset Section

At \$4.95—Clearing odd lines of "Lady Mac" Front Lacing and D and A non-lacing Corsets in broken sizes from 21 to 32; priced formerly at \$5.50 to \$6.50. Priced to clear Thursday at per pair \$4.95

At \$2.19—Strong Corsetettes of pink striped cotton with four strong hose supporters; sizes 32 to 40. Special, per pair at \$2.19

At 98c—Regulation Brasieres of strong Indian Head or firm white cambric front fastening; sizes 36 to 46 98¢

At 69c—Back Fastening Brasieres in Bandeau and never-slip styles of fancy silk material; sizes 32 to 40. Special 69¢

Month-end Bargains in Undermuslins

Women's White Cotton Drawers, fine quality open or closed styles, tucked front. Special, per pair at 69¢

Women's fine quality White Cotton Corset Covers, embroidery and ribbon trimmed; all sizes. Special at \$1.00

Women's Costume Slips, made of best quality spun silk in black, grey, sand, mauve, pink and white; sizes 24 to 44. Special at \$4.49

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Vancouver Island News

Sooke News

Special to The Times
Sooke Harbor, April 28.—Miss Kimball of Victoria, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Muir.

There will be a Scottish concert given at Paradise Inn on Saturday, May 2. It will be under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute, for the benefit of the Fall Fair. The programme is promising. It includes Victoria Boys' Pipe Band in Highland costume, Mr. J. McColl, baritone, Mr. G. Guy, tenor, Master Billy McLean, dancers, Mrs. White, vocalist, Miss Stirrock, Miss Ridgard, pianist. The concert will be followed by a dance. Last Saturday there was a Conservative meeting at Sooke Hall for the re-election of officers. Capt. J. I. French was unanimously re-elected as president, and Mr. John Murray as vice-president. Mr. Hewer was elected as secretary, and the executive committee are Henry Fisher, Curtis Muir, and P. Taylor. They discussed the centralizing at Esquimalt of the Conservative districts and the sending of delegates in ratio of one to every fifty voters.

The women's institute will hold a meeting on May 6 at Sooke Hall.

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ENJOYABLE CONCERT
HELD AT METCHOSIN

Special to The Times
Metchosin, April 28.—An excellent programme was rendered by Victoria Artists Monday night at a concert held under the auspices of the Metchosin pianola committee in the Metchosin Hall. The programme consisted of selections given by the instrumental trio—Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Holden and Mr. Cooper; vocal recitations by Mr. Meahan; songs and recitations by Miss Bayle; violin solo and song by Mrs. Thornborough; recitations by Miss E. Pottinger; musical interlude by Mr. and Mrs. Groves; and humorous songs and impersonations by George Ingledew. The programme was much enjoyed by the gathering who testified to their appreciation by hearty applause and calls for "encore."

Hearty co-operation was given in the effort to raise funds by the Metchosin Farmers' Institute, and it is gratifying to note that as a result, the debt for interior decorations to the hall and a little more of the pianola debt has been wiped out. The thanks of all were tendered to the artists for their kindness in presenting the programme, and to all helpers. The evening concluded with a dance for which the instrumental trio contributed some pleasing numbers.

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workmen totaled \$1,213,297, medical aid to physicians, hospital, for drugs, \$602,732; pension \$520,428, payments to dependents \$34,018. Total investments of the board now amount to \$4,287,945. Total wage loss due to accidents during the year is estimated at \$1,719,269, at an average daily wage of \$4.66. By nationality, injured workmen taken care of by the board were distributed as follows: British 7,899; Canadian 2,579; Japanese 787; Scandinavian 745; Russian 405; Chinese 398; Italian 373; American 360; Hindu 17; French 81; Austrian 47; German 17; others 113. Proportionate administrative cost has been cut down by the board yearly. During 1917 \$95,000 of every \$100 collected was used for providing compensation for injured workmen and their dependents. In following years this proportion has been increased as follows: 1918, \$88,145; 1919, \$95,322; 1920, \$95,922; 1921, \$96,242; 1922, \$96,422; 1923, \$96,582; 1924, \$97,111. We are glad to be able to say that we have continued to enjoy the cooperation both of the employers and the workmen generally. Mr. Winn says: "Without their whole-hearted support and that of the medical practitioners, our work would have been rendered immeasurably more difficult and unpleasant. Mention is made of a motion of the B.C. Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers in appointing a safety inspector last June to devote his time to directing safety work in the forty plants embraced by their association. The results have justified the effort. Mr. Winn adds, as in six months the number of accidents in these plants have been reduced by slightly over 25 per cent."

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DR. TOLMIE MAKES AN AMAZING DEMAND

Clearly the most amazing demand which Hon. S. F. Tolmie made in his speech in the House of Commons yesterday was that for an increase in the import duty on the implements of production that are needed for the development of the Province which he represents.

No other interpretation can be put upon Dr. Tolmie's speech. It is an open declaration that our basic development must be subordinated to the interests of the Eastern industrialist.

It is hard to understand how such an experienced student of the rural sciences like Dr. Tolmie should so readily absorb the doctrine of special privilege. If he were unfamiliar with the basic industries of this country, and could only discuss them from an academic point of view, there might be some explanation of his attitude towards the tariff.

WAITING AND SEEING

WHILE MANY OF THE British and continental European newspapers appear to be rigidly guarded in their predictions of what may take place in Germany as a result of von Hindenburg's victory last Sunday, the London Daily Telegraph's comments may be taken as a fair expression of the view which will prevail with the majority in the British Isles.

many. The Telegraph agrees also that "until that is seen" there is no reason to take a too tragic view; but it reminds the British public, look at the question as it may, that "it can not be regarded as other than bad business for Europe" because it introduces anew "a grave element and anxious feeling into what lately looked to be a promising situation."

It is hardly likely that von Hindenburg and his more intimate Nationalist supporters will begin to throw bombs into the republican camp for the reason that when the Communist vote is added to that of the Left, as it can be for the purpose of apportioning anti-militaristic and anti-monarchistic sentiment, it must be patent to them that great care will be required if serious friction is to be avoided.

It may not be that Germany's present constitution is suited to its real needs. But it is equally certain that her needs do not demand an application of the doctrines of the Extreme Right—which include aggressive militarism. This section showed its hand when the Nationalists and the People's Party—the so-called Freedom Party of Herr von Graefe—refused to endorse the candidature of Herr Simon prior to the nominations for the first presidential election.

RUBBING IT IN

AS THE CONSERVATIVE campaigners return from Grand Forks, and give their impressions on the contest which came to such a satisfactory end for the Oliver Government last Saturday, they seem to jump blindly into the deep and troubled waters which Mr. Pooley turned into the political tank on his arrival in Victoria.

Why rub it in? What has Mr. Pooley done to deserve this reference by one of his lieutenants in this city? If there is manifest in the Conservative Party of this Province a spirit of unrest in respect of leadership—and the Vancouver writer, who, by the way, is described by the Victoria member as an impartial critic, seems to imply as much—then we shall expect to see in the provincial field here a duplication of the bitter controversy which broke out among Conservative supporters and Conservative newspapers in the East over Mr. Meighen's leadership in St. Antoine and West Hastings.

THE MCKENNA DUTIES

WITHIN THE NEXT forty-eight hours we shall be told by high protectionists in Canada that Premier Baldwin's consent to the reimposition of the McKenna duties is the beginning of Great Britain's slide towards the overhauling of the country's fiscal policy.

On the contrary, however, that part of Mr. Churchill's budget speech yesterday was relatively the least important of his tariff references in so far as traditional policies are concerned. Both Germany and the United States are discriminated against in the matter of

musical instruments, movie films, motor cycles and automobiles—our neighbor being most concerned in the two latter commodities—while continental Europe, principally Switzerland, will feel the tax on watches and clocks. The object of the reimposition was therefore simply a matter of selecting a few articles that could be taxed for purely revenue purposes without in any way working a hardship on the majority.

There will be joy among the British motor car manufacturers over something which they imagine they need. Old Country protectionists will use the revived commission for political purposes—completely ignoring the fact that Mr. Snowden's abrogation of these very duties resulted in stirring the British motor car manufacturer to a course which he promptly followed in his own defence and profited by it, the course of competitive production on a principle demanded by the times, the course which Britain has followed for ages.

It is interesting to note that there seems to have been no visible agitation, if there has been the Old Country newspapers have been almost silent on the matter, in support of the reimposition of the McKenna, or provisional, duties. They, of course, are not and never have been considered a part of the country's fiscal system, their provisional nature being stressed by former Chancellor of the Exchequer Austen Chamberlain and again by Mr. Snowden, who repeated them on that basis. Has Mr. Churchill, himself an unashamed free trader, merely consented to their revival in order that at least some of the picture which Mr. Baldwin painted at Portsmouth before the 1923 election might remain as a salve to the tariff reform diehards?

DR. FRANK CRANE

On FACULTY POINTS

THE State of Texas has recently given a two-thousand-acre site one million dollars, as a starter and "trust fund" for establishing a school in Southwestern Texas.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

The mind is the man. — Bacon. When a man puts on a character he is a stranger to, there is as much difference between what he appears and what he is really in himself, as there is between a vizor and a face. — De La Bruyere.

Ignorance seldom vaults into it through an intermediate state of obscurity, even as night into day through twilight. — Coleridge.

Be a pattern to others, and then all will go well, for as a whole city is affected by the licentious passions and vices of great men, so is it likewise reformed by their moderation. — Cicero.

To be in the weakest camp is to be in the strongest school. — J. K. Chesterton.

A wretched man is a sacred thing. — Seneca.

The amiable fortune deceiveth folks, the contrary fortune teacheth. — Chaucer.

There is nothing which can not be perverted by being told badly. — Terence.

For God's sake give me a young man who has brains enough to make a fool of himself. — R. L. Stevenson.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and should be sent to the Editor's office, not to the printer. All communications should be sent to the Editor's office, not to the printer.

VICTORIA FESTIVAL CHOIR

To the Editor:—This year again another large choir is being organized under leadership of Dr. Hodgson in connection with the Victoria Day celebrations. The choir is to hold a musical service in the Arena on Sunday afternoon, May 24, and a very fine programme has been arranged for the committee for this event, which will no doubt draw the many tourists who will be in the city during the festivities.

A special orchestra is being assembled for the occasion, also augmented bands, this in itself will be a rare treat for the music loving public. The choir will sing a number of hymns in addition to the vocal and orchestra selections. The choir will render some very fine choruses from oratorios and two anthems. The following are the choral numbers: "The Heavens Are Telling" from Haydn's "Creation," "Hallelujah" from Handel's "Messiah," "Comrades' Song of Hope" by A. Adam, "Souls of the Righteous" by T. Tertius Noble. The last mentioned number is a particularly fine piece of choral writing and with a large number of voices a most striking effect can be produced. Mr. Noble, the composer, was late organist of York Minster Cathedral, England, and is one of the adjudicators at the B.C. Musical Festival, held at Vancouver in June this year.

It is hoped to have this choir produce the "Hymn of Praise" by Mendelssohn, and to sing "The Song of the Crystal Garden." It is hoped that every choir leader will bring this matter before their choirs and will give the matter the widest possible publicity. Let us have a real community festival choir this year and make this an outstanding event in the musical life of Victoria.

SCOTTISH POETS

To the Editor:—The very Rev. Dean Quinlan, who is not a poet, when he said that Scotland never produced any real creative poets, and that men, immortal as they are, like Burns, are not poets, but poets, if the reverend gentleman was in earnest, then many of us take strong exception to his assertion.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

Dutch admiral, died at Syracuse, Italy, on April 23, 1676, from wounds suffered in a battle against the French fleet off Messina. He served Holland in five naval wars, and in one conflict with England while dancing with joy, also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "Tiz." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture.

BEST ISLAND Coal

Winnipeg, April 23.—The Canadian amateur boxing and wrestling championships will be continued here tonight. Eleven finals were reached in various classes Monday night, the first night of the tournament.

KIRK'S Wellington 139

Free from Stalk and Tanic Fibres Sold by Grocers throughout Canada. The WEATHER Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Society.

Victoria, April 29.—3 a.m.—The barometer is falling over Northern B.C. and showery weather is becoming general on the Pacific Slope. Rain is reported in the Prairie Provinces.

RIDING SCHOOLS

To the Editor:—In view of the fact that another riding school has been opened may I beg you to spare me a little space in your valuable paper to ask all those who have been patronizing the Victoria Riding Academy to continue to give it their support.

HEALTH AND DISEASE TIC DOULOUREUX

This is a disease in which the patient suffers very severe pain in certain parts of the face. It is not the common neuralgia, but a much more serious condition. It is a disease which attacks adults and appears without any obvious cause.

Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, shoe-cracked, aching, burning, corn-pestered, blister-tortured feet of yours in a "Tiz" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "Tiz" bath.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

American jurist and statesman, for four years Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was born at Windsor, Conn., on April 23, 1745. Before his elevation to the Chief Justiceship he served as United States Senator from Connecticut.

BEST ISLAND Coal

Winnipeg, April 23.—The Canadian amateur boxing and wrestling championships will be continued here tonight. Eleven finals were reached in various classes Monday night, the first night of the tournament.

UPLANDS SCHEME BEFORE VOTERS

Discussion on By-law Took Place at Meeting Held Last Night

After considerable discussion at a meeting held last night in the Municipal Hall, the Oak Bay Voters' Association failed to reach a decision as to whether or not they would support the Uplands-Oak Bay by-law. The gathering was held to give ratifiers the opportunity of discussing the by-law, which will go before the people on Wednesday, May 6.

Certain clauses of the by-law met with opposition from Ross Sutherland, who claimed that the Oak Bay Council had attempted to put the by-law through before the public fully understood its meaning. Councilors Hayward, Money and Ashe, who were present at the meeting, stated that this was not the case, and that the council had no idea of rushing the agreement.

ROTARY FOUNTAIN UNVEILED TO DAY BY HON. DR. SUTHERLAND

Speaking at the unveiling of the Rotary Fountain at Mill Bay this afternoon, Hon. Dr. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, said that the initiative of the public service clubs in seeking out means of serving their fellow men was praiseworthy. A large party of Rotarians and ladies witnessed the formal unveiling of the handsome concrete convenience by the Minister, who was assisted and supported by Rev. P. A. Chadwick, padre of the Victoria Rotary Club, and President James H. Beatty, both of whom made brief remarks.

Lawn Tennis Team Picked to Play For States in England

New York, April 23.—The United States Lawn Tennis Association yesterday announced the appointment of an American team to compete in England during June in an international match against an English team as well as in the England championships at Wimbledon. None of the country's present international stars have been included in the selections, owing to the fact that Champion William T. Tilden, Vincent Richards, William M. Johnston and the Kinsey brothers were obliged to decline invitations.

CAN'T BEAT "TIZ" WHEN FEET HURT

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due to business engagements or other demands upon them during the period of the scheduled matches, the association explained. The team will include John Hennessy of Indianapolis and Ray Casey of San Francisco. Other members of the team are Charles S. Gilchrist of New York, formerly of Pittsburgh; Lucian B. Williams of Chicago, and Lawrence S. Rice and J. B. Fenno Jr. of New England. Gardard will act as captain of the delegation.

BOY WAS DROWNED Annapolis, Ont., April 23.—While playing on a small boom of logs on the Madawaska River, Tommy Rafferty, aged eight, fell into the water and was drowned before help could reach him.

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Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, then shortly you'll lift it right off with fingers. Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot calluses, without soreness or irritation.

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MEATS—UNEQUALLED VALUES 300 lbs. Lean Boneless Stew Beef, 2 lbs. for 20¢ 300 lbs. Oxford Sausage, per lb. 9¢ Loin Pork Chops, per lb. 25¢ Shanks Beef, half or whole, per lb. 5¢ Plate Beef to boil, per lb. 30¢ Fresh Large Beef Hearts, each 23¢ Veal Steaks, per lb. 20¢ Rib Mutton Chops, per lb. 30¢ Fresh Pork Spare Ribs, per lb. 15¢ Fresh Pork Kidneys, per lb. 15¢ Small Hearts, per lb. 9¢

REGULAR COUNTER DELIVERED Phone Orders Have Our Careful Attention Legs Lamb, half or whole, per lb. 35¢ Porterhouse Roasts, cut short, per lb. 35¢ Point Steaks, per lb. 50¢ Little Pig Pure Pork Sausage, per lb. 25¢

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Grocery EXTRA SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY ONLY Kellogg's "Pop" Bran, per pkt. 10¢ King Beech Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin 25¢ H.P. Sauce, per bottle 25¢ Port Haney Ripe Peas, per tin 10¢ Quaker Corn, per tin 15¢ Campbell's Pork and Beans, per tin 11¢ McCormick's Soda Biscuits, per pkt. 15¢ Sunlight Soap, per box 15¢

AT THE THEATRES

PLAYHOUSE AUDIENCE WELL PLEASSED WITH "A NIGHT IN VENICE"

The Frank Morton Company is putting over a real comedy hit at the Playhouse this week with "A Night in Venice." Morton, in black-face, is at his best, keeping the audience in roars throughout the performance. Gladys Vaughan has returned to a straight role in the current bill after several weeks of comedy parts. Among the musical hits are a comedy trio by Morton, Earl and Miss Vaughan that brings down the house. Other prominent numbers are "O Sole Mio," by the Bennett Sisters; "Venetian Rose," by

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"The Sea Hawk,"
Dominion—"Sackcloth and Scarlet,"
Playhouse—"A Night in Venice,"
Coliseum—"The Story Without a Name,"
Columbia—"The Tenth Woman."

the ensemble chorus, a combination singing and violin specialty by Miss Holt; and Hilda Cooke and Dave Dumberton in singing and dancing numbers. For the screen attraction, the Playhouse offered Du Maurier's immortal drama "Tribby."

SAYS PEOPLE HAVE PENCHANT FOR ROMANCE

After all, what is it the film fans really like? Comedy? Drama? Society stories? What is it?

According to Irvin Willat, Paramount director, the average picture patron not only falls for, but, whether he admits it or not, prefers the melodramatic thriller.

Such is "The Story Without a Name," Willat's latest Paramount production, now being shown at the Coliseum Theatre. Arthur Stringer wrote the story, which ran serially as a Prize-Title story in Photoplay Magazine.

"Enough is enough," says Willat, and I am of the mind that the fans have had enough society dramas and other such "high-hat" pictures, and my new picture is going to more than please them just because it is a little off the beaten path. We tried, and when I say "we," I mean every last man in the production company—from featured player to electrician, to offer in "The Story Without a Name," a picture that for sheer novelty, if for no other reason, would prove a big attraction with the fans. Just how far we have succeeded remains for the fans themselves to decide. For one thing it is about radio, in which everybody is interested.

COLISEUM

The Hinks Musical Comedy Company Presents the Funniest Musical Farce Ever Written

"A Black Prince"

The Screen "The Story Without a Name" With Agnes Ayres and Antonio Moreno

COLUMBIA

TO-DAY "The 10th Woman"

An exotic, inspiring tale of the most fascinating character ever flashed upon the screen. COMEDY-NEWS First Chapter "The Fighting Ranger"

Coming Thursday HARRY CAREY in "TIGER THOMPSON"

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Under Auspices of Kiwanis Club Friday, May 8 In Aid of Maternity Ward of Jubilee Hospital Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Tickets From All Kiwanians

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PLAYHOUSE

The Biggest Picture of the Year A Powerful Presentation of the World's Most Sensational Romance TROILBY and the Frank Morton Company In "A NIGHT IN VENICE"

TYPICAL WARNER CAST IN SCREENING OF "TENTH WOMAN"

A picture dealing with a subject that will interest everybody is being shown at the Columbia Theatre today. It is a screen adaptation by Julien Josephson from Harriet T. Comstock's novel, "The Tenth Woman."

The cast is a typical Warner combination of screen stars, including Beverly Bayne, who has just returned to the screen, June Marlowe, John Roche, Raymond McKee, Charles "Buddy" Post, Alec Francis, Edith Yorke, Gilbert Holmes, James Flood is responsible for the direction of this picture.

Willia Brookes, who is saved from suicide by Barry Compton, remains at his ranch as housekeeper. Some time later Barry is compelled to re-examine his business, and during his visit he renews his friendship with Rose Anne Brainerd, although married, is a typical flapper type. When Barry is about to go home, Rose Anne has a quarrel with her husband, and as a result of her usual thoughtlessness, she leaves for Barry's ranch and arrives before he does.

LLOYD'S PIRATE SHIPS CHALLENGED BY AMERICAN NAVY

When Frank Lloyd who produced "The Sea Hawk," the big First National drama now playing at the Capitol Theatre called out of San Pedro, Cal., harbor with his four ancient ships, used in the picture, he passed the Pacific Fleet at the breakwater and fired a salute to his friend Admiral Coontz, in command. From the deck of the cruiser Seattle, his flagship, Admiral Coontz watched the little fleet approach, ordered the little fleet approach, ordered the radio officer on deck and in a few minutes Mr. Lloyd's cabin radio amplifier sang out "Admiral Coontz's compliments to Admiral Lloyd."

ALICE TERRY CHOSE HUSBAND AND ALSO CAREER

Alice Terry is one of the few women who have solved the age-old "husband or career" problem. Miss Terry, beautiful wife of Rex Ingram, motion picture producer, has proved that it is possible for a woman to succeed in two careers, that

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Mr. Joseph F. Cius writes, "In the past 20 years I have been constantly troubled with constipation. Every remedy I tried would work O. K. for a while—but soon failed. The only remedy I have been able to use steadily with good results has been Carter's Little Liver Pills. I don't guess when I take them—I know I'm going to feel relieved." At all Druggists (Adv.)

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STANDARD OF LIVING

St. John, N.B., April 29.—"I venture to suggest that if the general standard of living—not the cost of living, remember, but the standard of living—were reduced to what it was before the war, comparatively little would be heard about hard times," declared Bishop J. A. Richardson in his annual charge to the Church of England Synod of Fredericton here yesterday.

GI. P. R. MAN HEARD AT SHIP INQUIRY

W. T. Marlow, Freight Agent, Stated Views in Ottawa on Ocean Rates

Ottawa, April 29.—"I do not see how we can get along without a conference or some association," W. T. Marlow, general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, told the special parliament of the Maritime and Ocean Rates, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Marlow was being examined by G. H. Montgomery, K.C., counsel for the steamship companies.

"We have frequently received representations from shippers that what they wanted to know was that they were getting the same rates as their competitors," Mr. Marlow continued. Stability of rate depended on the conference.

"You think the conference is an advantage," queried H. J. Symington, K.C., Government counsel, in cross-examination.

"It is almost a necessity," was the reply.

"Do you object to competition by a line not a member of the conference?" asked Mr. Symington.

Mr. Marlow replied that he would not say there would be objection by conference lines.

"Wouldn't it be a measure of control," Mr. Symington persisted.

Mr. Marlow admitted the conference lines would probably meet the rate of the independent line.

"They might even go below it," he said.

He thought, however, that as soon as rates got down to "an unprofitable basis," the conference lines would withdraw from the business.

"What would you think of a Government body to control rates?" Mr. Symington asked.

Mr. Marlow said he would prefer not to express an opinion on that question. He was not authorized by the management of his company to do so.

"Have you ever felt any spirit of domination by United States members of the North Atlantic conference operating against Canadian shippers?" Mr. Marlow was asked.

"No," he has never found that, he replied. "They have always been fair."

KEPT SECRET

He said there was nothing mysterious about the fact that minutes of meetings of the North Atlantic Conference were marked "Private and confidential." The majority of associations of business men did not throw open their deliberations to public inspection.

SPEECH FULFILLED AN AMBITION OF YEARS

Winston Churchill Was Congratulated on Rhetorical Success of Effort Yesterday

London, April 29.—Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in presenting his budget in the House of Commons yesterday, fulfilled a lifelong ambition. He has crowded much into his brilliant and adventurous career. Less than six months ago he was a "young man" and seemed to have no political future. But he returned to his original and traditional party allegiance and now finds himself following in his equally famous father's footsteps as he always aspired to do, holding the highest place with the exception of one in the Government of his country.

His father, Lord Randolph Churchill, while holding the same office in the Salisbury Government, quarreled with the Prime Minister on the question of retrenchment in the public services, especially the defence services, and resigned in an angry mood before he ever delivered his budget statement, and his resignation virtually ended his political career.

The son, Winston, more fortunate, has submitted to Parliament a budget statement which, although it may excite much criticism, is certainly likely to be called popular. Both Philip Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, and David Lloyd George, who also held that office as well as the premiership, congratulated Churchill on the rhetorical success of his speech. Mr. Snowden intimated, however, that the Chancellor must expect much adverse criticism from the Labor party.

KIWANIANS GIVEN FINE ENTERTAINMENT BY VANCOUVER CLUB

Mainland Members Visit Local Club; Roy Long Gives Inspiring Address

Brilliant oratory, wonderful singing and laughter, stunts were the gifts the Vancouver Kiwanis Club brought to the Victoria members last night, when sixty-five Mainland members paid a fraternal visit to the local club and provided the entertainment for a dinner at the Chamber of Commerce.

The combined attendance at the function filled the large auditorium to capacity, the evening proving one of the outstanding inter-city events of the year.

SINGERS SPLENDID

After greeting the visitors with well-turned phrases, President Dr. Howard Miller, of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, turned over the control of the proceedings to Dr. W. E. Burnett, president of the Vancouver Club. The glee club of the visiting club then provided a number of well-executed songs, the eighteen singers being extremely well handled by Leader Harold Lewis, and earning tremendous rounds of applause.

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LIVING KIWANIS

Roy Long, a prominent Vancouver barrister, the speaker of the evening, discussed "Living Kiwanis," from the angle of an active, energetic organization and from the point of view of the member practicing the tenets of the club.

Mr. Long pointed out that life consists of adjustments of internal to external relations. "As I adjust myself to association with others, so I live; as members of the living Kiwanis you and I learn that man is a brother. If I adjust sight and hearing to the community wherein I exist, I apply that to our club, if we do not adjust ourselves and serve we

MUST WORK TO LIVE

Mr. Long pointed out that local Kiwanis will interest only if interested in the affairs and advancement of its community, and international Kiwanis can only be international if truly interested.

"There is no inlet unless there is an outlet, there is no living Kiwanis unless there is an outlet; there will be no glow from an insulated being, there will be no energy from an insulated club. It will be a storage cell rather than a dynamo."

"You found an outlet in your work for the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and thereby you gained energy; so of Vancouver have found an outlet in our Big Brother work, and we have found our strength," he pointed out.

"Every man has the right to act and think for himself, but is controlled by that great force 'Government.' To every action there is a reaction, the bent bow speeds its arrow, the pendulum swings, the spring rebounds, if a man does harm to his neighbor it will rebound upon his own head; if a club works for the community the good will react to the benefit of all the members."

Members of the Victoria and Nanaimo Rotary Clubs will take part in the official opening of the Rotary Malahat drinking fountain at Mill Bay at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

James H. Beatty, Victoria president, will be master of ceremonies. The old stream trough, which replaces the fountain, will be pronounced by Rev. E. A. Chadwick, Rotary pastor, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, will unveil the fountain.

After the ceremony Rotarians of the Island will assemble in Duncan for an evening entertainment under the direction of C. F. Davis, M.P.P., Mayor Muttter and Dr. R. E. Kerr, president of the club.

OLD ACTOR DIED

Amsterdam, April 29.—The distinguished actor, Louis Bouwmeester, known as the 'Henry Irving of Holland,' died here yesterday, aged eighty-two.

FARM LABORERS NEEDED

Vancouver, B.C., April 29.—Five hundred men have been sent to the prairie provinces for farm work from British Columbia during the past three weeks by the Government Employment Service, Superintendent J. H. McVeety of the employment bureau states his office is still sending men to Calgary, Moose

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Hurry! Hurry!

Don't forget next Friday, May 1, it's May Day. Have you purchased your Ticket for the

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GREATEST EVENT OF THE SEASON DRESS OPTIONAL

Twenty-four-piece Orchestra Tickets \$1.00 each, at the

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Because all the dry impurities go into the skin together, there is

- NO creaming of butter and sugar!
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A cake you can make in 8 minutes

That's the actual time it takes to mix and make this super-delicious Chocolate Spice Cake. Magic? Yes—but just such magic as you can bring into play in your own kitchen today!

It's all because of a revolutionary short cut in cake making that applies not only to this cake, but to almost any cake—moderately rich in fat and eggs. You simply sift the dry ingredients together and add the liquid ones.

Try this new recipe-way in your next cake. Watch the time you save! And the dishes! With utensils at hand [and nuts chopped] it's only 8 minutes before the cake is oven-ready!

It used to take 24 minutes, even with Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate, to make this very same cake. Now you can do it in 8—one-third the time. The reason? You'll find it at the right!

GHIRARDELLI'S Ground Chocolate

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Specials for Thursday

Table listing various food items and their prices, including B.C. Sugar, French Castile Soap, and various meats.

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TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble. The prognostications for this day are based solely on the mutual aspects, as the moon is not in direct aspect for forecast.

Advertisement for Horlick's Malted Milk, featuring an image of a cow and text describing its benefits for infants and children.

Advertisement for Colbert Plumbing & Heating Co., featuring an image of a man in a suit and text about their services.

Large advertisement for Cowan's Chocolate Maple Buds, including the headline 'Protect Yourself by looking for this name' and detailed text about the product's quality and availability.

IN WOMAN'S LEAGUE

SAYS WOMEN'S COUNCIL SOLELY FOR PROPAGANDA

American Woman Charges Convention With "One-sided" Programme

New York, April 29.—Charges that the International Council of Women, which is to hold its convention in Washington, May 4 to 14, is to present a propaganda programme...

Daughters of Pitt To Hold Silver Tea. The regular meeting of the Daughters of Pitt was held on Monday, April 27, at the home of Miss Banerman...

S. LOUIS COLLEGE ANNUAL CONCERT. The boys of St. Louis College will hold their annual entertainment this evening and to-morrow at St. Ann's Academy...

Miss Lilian Faithfull Coming Here May 8. Miss Lilian Faithfull, M.A., J.P., retiring principal of the Cheltenham Ladies' College, England, who is touring Canada...

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. R. G. McCullish of Vancouver is a visitor in Victoria. Mr. W. R. Lord of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria.

Mr. C. L. Forde, provincial representative of Goldie-McCullough of Vancouver, is a visitor in Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolston of Vancouver are visitors in Victoria...

Major R. Hudson of Vancouver is the guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. H. Nixon, Wilmut Place, Oak Bay. Mr. W. G. Fowler, provincial manager of the Gutta Percha Rubber Company, Vancouver, is spending a few days in Victoria on business...

Mr. W. H. Merritt and Miss Hazelwood arrived in the city yesterday from Vancouver and will spend the week here, guests at "Rocabella". Mrs. J. C. Eilers and infant son, who has been spending a few weeks in Victoria as the guest of her mother, Mrs. William Stevenson, Douglas street, is returning on Sunday to her home in Seattle.

Mr. Tancey of the Canadian Explosives Company, Montreal, and Mrs. Tancey, who were formerly residents in Victoria and Nanaimo, are spending a few days in Victoria, and are guests at the Empress Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. L. Nielsen, 615 David Street, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Anna Marie (May) to Wesley J. Fulton of this city, the marriage to take place shortly.

In honor of the 1925 graduation class of nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. A. L. Charlebois recently entertained at dinner at her home on Hilda Street. The floral color scheme throughout the home was carried out in the class colors and a most enjoyable evening was spent by the members of the class.

Victoria Artist Shows Collection. Donald S. Cameron Exhibits His Work at Arts and Crafts Club. One of the most interesting collections representing the work of a local artist ever staged in this city, was on view to the public and will remain there for the next few days.

68, REGINA FROM MONTREAL MAY 9, 1925 TO LIVERPOOL. Passengers for the White Star steamer Regina, the largest steamer sailing from Montreal, should leave Vancouver on the "Continental Limited" 9:50 p.m. May 3.

Rich in Flavor

Advertisement for "Rich in Flavor" tea, featuring an image of a tea box and text describing its quality and taste.

MATURE WOMEN'S JUDGMENT NEEDED IN POLITICAL LIFE

Says Mrs. Henry Landes of Seattle to Women's Canadian Club

Defining citizenship as "applied Christianity," inasmuch as the best type of citizenship involved the highest form of service to others, together with a big measure of self-sacrifice, Mrs. Henry Landes, head of the legislative department of the city of Seattle, yesterday addressed the Women's Canadian Club...

Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated at the marriage this afternoon of George E. White, son of Mr. J. White of Vancouver, and Hazel Hendrix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hendrix of Stockton, Cal. The wedding supper was held at the home of the bride, which was prettily arranged with flowers for the occasion.

The 1925 graduates of St. Joseph's School of Nursing were guests at a delightful dinner party at the Empress Hotel last evening. The gathering was held in the main dining room, and the school colors of scarlet and white were reflected in the floral decorations and the little place favors and bonbonnières.

Some of the Tendencies of Fashion Which Have Emerged from the Mass of Early Spring Suggestions. As Spring advances a certain wedding-out process seems to take place, and from the mass of new fashions that were offered early in the season something like a definite tendency seems to spring.

Black crepe de Chine frock embroidered with crystal and silver beads. results she must be persistent. Now this really seemed a shame. Except in very, very rare cases no amount of massaging would bring down the size of the ankles enough to make any difference in appearance.

Wise and Otherwise YOU CAN—AND YOU CAN'T. How many minutes or hours a day do you spend beautifying or improving your appearance? Some time you must spend, if you are a true daughter of Eve, for no one is so beautiful that she does not need these little attentions, and none so ugly that she cannot be improved by the right sort of attentions.

Catholic Women's League. The regular monthly meeting of the Episcopal sub-division of the Catholic Women's League will be held in the sacristy of St. Mary's Church, Victoria West, on Friday evening, May 1st, at 8 o'clock. Full attendance is requested, as important business will be up for discussion.

important bearing on the training of good citizens. IGNORANT CRITICISM. "Unless we learn how to live together in the common good we are not going to make much progress," said the speaker, who proceeded to cite instances of the type of citizens who, in weighing the rights or wrongs of any proposed legislation, considers the results rather than from that of the common good.

Girl Student Has Proved Courage At Lonely Mission. Toronto, April 29. (By Canadian Press).—Miss Edna C. Bailey, of this city, first young woman to be appointed a student preacher by the Methodist Church, has just returned from her Western mission field. During a Saskatchewan winter Miss Bailey never missed a service, though her field, Mullingar Mission, meant lonely journeys when the temperature was fifty-two degrees below zero.

Wise Investment. The well-governed community must look to every aspect of its needs, social, recreational and moral, as well as commercial. Unfortunately too often the group of citizens who wanted one thing felt that the demands of another group were superfluous.

Superb Bed-Linens. Snowy counterpanes, sheets, pillow-slips, etc. of Brown's Shamrock Pure Irish Linen, are an instant and lasting satisfaction to the commendable pride which every housewife takes in her bed-room.

Advertisement for Brown's Shamrock Pure Irish Linen, featuring an image of a woman in a dress and text about the quality of the linens.

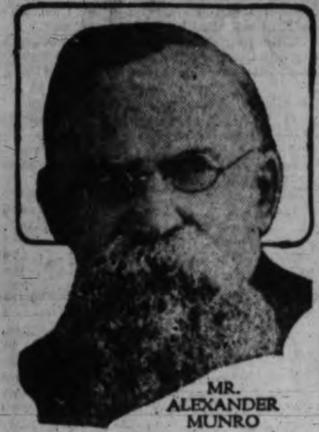
A FEW Brunswick Suggestions. "I Can't Realize".....M. Harris "Lovely Lady".....Waltz "Michawaka Bides".....Fox Trot "Old Pal".....Fox Trot "Jacksonville Gal".....Fox Trot "One Stolen Kiss".....Fox Trot "Dance Hengroise".....Saxophone

Advertisement for Wonderful Carpet Cleaning, featuring text about the services offered and contact information.

Advertisement for Spring's Smartest Shoes, featuring text about the quality and variety of shoes available.

CRIPPLED BY RHEUMATISM

now enjoys long walks, thanks to "Fruit-a-tives"



MR. ALEXANDER MUNRO

For over three years I was confined to bed with Rheumatism. I tried nearly everything without receiving any benefit. Finally I tried "Fruit-a-tives"—half a box brought improvement and continued treatment made me well. Now I can walk several miles, and do chores around the place.—Mr. Alexander Munro, Lorne, Ontario.

Cattle Disease Fight in Valley of Fraser River

By Times Staff Representative Ottawa, April 28.—The Lower Fraser River Valley will be the first British Columbia area in which bovine tuberculosis will be systematically eradicated. It was announced at Department of Agriculture here today. That area was selected for a commencement of the new war on the cattle disease at conference between Hon. E. D. Barrow, British Columbia Minister of Agriculture, and officials of the Federal Department of Agriculture. It was chosen because it is the most compact dairy area in the Province and supplies a great part of the population with milk. The Federal and Provincial Departments, working in co-operation, will soon commence a carefully planned anti-tuberculosis campaign in the Fraser district.

NATIONAL SPIRIT IS DECLARED NEED

Tolmie Tells Commons Canadians Ought to Cultivate That Development

Urges Country to Make Gradual Increase in Naval Defence

Ottawa, April 28.—Hon. S. P. Tolmie, Conservative, Victoria, speaking on the budget in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, said he thought the greatest need in Canada was a national spirit. Canadians ought to celebrate July 1 as thoroughly as citizens of the United States celebrated July 4. Members of Parliament should visit in other constituencies and come to think nationally instead of provincially.

TOURIST TRAFFIC
The tourist traffic in Canada should be developed. The national parks had brought tourists to Canada last year who spent, it was estimated, \$21,000,000, while the parks themselves cost \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000 to maintain. He advocated advertising campaigns at the proper season to attract tourists and the removal of obstacles which impeded the tourist trade.

IMMIGRATION PLANS
Dr. Tolmie believed every encouragement should be given to newcomers to Canada. While it was advisable to develop the prairie provinces, he felt that in the distribution of immigrants this country should be linked up from one end to the other, and the vacant spaces along the Canadian National Railway filled. New Brunswick, Quebec, Northern Ontario and British Columbia offered opportunities for immigrants.

VICTORIA'S RECORD
Dr. Tolmie drew attention to the problem of infant mortality. Canada stood eleventh in the world, with 86.8 deaths per thousand living births. The Province of British Columbia and the city of Victoria had achieved remarkable records toward the elimination of infant deaths by careful scientific means, which might well be followed by the Dominion.

DEFENCE QUESTION
The Victoria member referred to warlike preparations which were being made by Japan and the United States on the Pacific. Japan, with the third largest navy in the world, was establishing naval ports at various points. The United States was also establishing posts on the Pacific, and it was quite apparent she was "not prepared to be put asleep by any peace conference." Apparently the great powers were far from satisfied that war was impossible.

WOULD LOSE MUCH
Canada stood to lose a great deal if war developed on the Pacific. An attack on this country might result in destruction of her Pacific ports, commerce, valuable coal mines on Vancouver Island, extensive timber resources and other assets of the country. The only present means of defence were two destroyers and four trawlers. On the East coast,

the naval equipment was about the same. The personnel of the Canadian navy was first-class in every respect. Dr. Tolmie said, but it would not be much encouraged by the quite inadequate equipment which was given. The officers and men were simply carrying on in the hope that some day a navy would be established.

He mentioned that these men did not get separation allowances or pensions and he thought this should be remedied.

PREPARE GRADUALLY
If the United States and Japan ever went to war, Canada must be in a position to maintain her neutrality. If one of these powers established a submarine base, for instance, on the British Columbia coast, Canada would be in the position of a combatant. He advocated having plans for the defence of this country in the hands of experts. It was not necessary to do anything very extensive at once, but little by little, and year by year, this country should be prepared.

AGRICULTURAL QUESTIONS
The former Minister of Agriculture went at great length into the agricultural conditions in Canada. He deplored the failure of the Government to put a tariff on products of the farms equal to that of the Fordney tariff in the United States.

For lack of this, he said, Canada was being flooded with eggs from the United States and from the Orient. The same applied to early vegetables.

Dr. Tolmie thought Canada should capitalize the growing demand for southern grown seed. The more rigorous climates had been found to produce the best seed and this was a legitimate potential industry for Canada to go into.

SHEEP RAISING
Discussion of sheep raising in Canada brought a number of questions. Dr. Tolmie admitted that dogs were sometimes reported mauling shortly after they had been found in the sheep fields. Sheep raisers in the West tolerated a sheep-chasing dog only when his owner provided the sheep and a field to chase them in.

Dr. Tolmie said it would be very unfortunate if the Canadian National Railway succeeded in taking away from the Canadian Pacific Railway sufficient business to make the former pay. It was not desirable that one road should progress at the expense of the other. The only solution for the Canadian National problem was an increase in land settlement, and consequently in railway traffic. He analysed the immigration situation and said that one reason for the falling off in immigration to Canada was the heavy fares from Europe. If a man in Europe nowadays had the \$1,500 necessary to bring a family to Western Canada and establish a farm he could do pretty well in his own country.

TAXES ADVOCATED
A. J. Lewis, Progressive, Swift Current, Sask., broke new ground in suggested taxation. He advocated a tax on bachelors. The Prime Minister, he thought, was setting a bad example. He also wanted a tax on hockey tickets, an increase in the duty on cigars, a luxury tax and a radio equipment tax, and thought there were too many Government motor cars.

The Government's method of approaching the problem of ocean rates did not appeal to Mr. Lewis. He thought the Department of Agriculture should be able to find some way to stimulate the market for Canadian dairy products in Great Britain.

D. Spence, Conservative, Parkdale, Toronto, said business in Canada at no time had been so bad during thirty years as in the last two.

TARIFF RATES
F. Rinfret, Liberal, St. James, Montreal, held that concessions granted by Canada in the British preferential tariff rates should bring reciprocal treatment.

STAMP TAX OPPOSED
R. Milne, Progressive, Neepawa, Manitoba, thought blind optimism and unsound financing had been the menacing factors of Canada's development in the last thirty years. Mr. Milne criticized the two-cent stamp tax on cheques of small denominations.

Long-term rural credits and a reduction in the capitalization of the Canadian National Railway were among the things Mr. Milne advocated.

NEW DUTIES INTEREST AUTOMOBILE MAKERS
Manufacturers in Canada Will Test the British Market Under McKenna Plan

Advantage Over Foreign Cars; Competition With Factories in Britain

Ottawa, April 29 (Canadian Press)—Restoration of the McKenna duties in Great Britain, as announced in the Churchill budget yesterday, will affect passenger automobiles, musical instruments, clocks and watches.

The McKenna duties were first imposed during the Great War and under their provisions the articles mentioned were subject to a duty of 25 per cent. Empire products, which include Canadian goods, had a preferential rate of 22 2/3 per cent. The duties were allowed to lapse by the British Labor Government last year.

ALREADY BUILDING HOME ON LOT WON AT HOME PRODUCTS FAIR

The lot won Saturday by Mrs. A. M. Young, 714 Queen's Street, in the competition held at the "Home Products Fair" changed hands Monday and building operations commenced Tuesday. Mrs. A. E. Liddell, 1060 Southgate Street, has purchased the Linden Avenue site for a home for Mrs. Young and even before the deed is executed has started work on a handsome new home which will go up on the lot. Assurance from the manager of the Home Products Fair, George I. Warren, that everything was in order and that there would be no difficulty in securing title was sufficient for the purchaser to give orders to the contractor to start work on the foundations.

Modesty is to merit what shades are to the flowers in a picture; it gives it strength and heightening.—De La Bruyere.

FIREMEN LOSE FAITHFUL MASCOT

Dog That Rode to Fire on Duchess St. Engine Crushed Below Its Wheel

"Pat" for fourteen years a mascot of the Duchess Street fire hall, is dead. The last alarm he answered was a summons to his own end, for he was crushed beneath the wheels of the fire engine as it roared on its way out to a fire at 10.40 a.m. yesterday.

passed Pat inclined to more peevish pursuits but never relinquished his daily call at the firehall. On night alarm would find the dog guarding their kites when they returned. By day he would sit in the hall when the engines went out and none might enter it only by the faithful owners while he was on guard.

and dashed out in front of the fire hall from his home some doors away. He got in front of the engine, and the driver made a valiant attempt to avert out of his way, but it was too late. The back wheels passed over the body of the faithful animal.

Measure your mind's height by the shade it casts.—Browning. Present fears are less than horrible imaginings.—Shakespeare.

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LADIES' NOTICE
appeared in The Times a week ago. Stewart, the shoe man, bought the stock and will now share the bargains with his customers. SEE OUR WINDOWS TO-NIGHT. They are worth seeing.

BRING DOWN THE WHOLE FAMILY

LADIES! Don't get that old pair fixed. Buy a new pair at these bankrupt prices and save money.

Women's Smart New Cut-out slippers in kid leather and Cuban heels. Made by the firm of Lane. Value \$7.00. To go at \$2.98

Ladies' Juliet and Felt Slippers. An odd lot of slippers up to \$2.00 in value. Bankrupt sale, at 98c

Ladies' Brown Calf and Black Kid Slippers, with one strap and Cuban heels, all sizes, 3-6 1/2. Good value at regular price of \$6.00. Now \$1.98

Ladies' White "Smart Step" Slippers, lovely fitters; all sizes. You know these are worth \$2.50. Now \$1.69

Women's and Growing Girls' Brown Calf Walking Oxfords, sewn soles and low heels. These are value for \$7.00 a pair; all sizes 2 1/2 to 6 1/2 go on sale for \$2.98

Ladies' Finest Black Kid Gore Pumps with fancy panel cut out on front; rubber military heels. The very latest; good sizes; value \$6.00. Half price at \$2.98

Men's Leather Sole House Slippers, mostly English make, all sizes. Value to \$2.50 a pair. While they last, at 89c

Men's Finest English Calfskin Boots, made in Kettering, England. Genuine Goodyear welted; calfskin lined. Regular price \$10.50 per pair; tan and black colors. Be early for these, at \$3.95

Men's White Tennis Boots with heavy grip soles. "Fleet Foot" make. This line sells regularly for \$2.75. Buy these now and save the difference, at \$1.45

Men's Fine Calf Recede Toe Boots in black and tan shades. Goodyear welted; all good sizes; Value to \$5.00. Now \$3.50

150 pair Men's Oxfords, in all the latest styles, cutouts and patterns, including the "Gold Seal," "Talbot" and "Aerea" makes. Values in this lot to \$10.00. Half price, at \$4.95

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In dress also heavy weights, made by Williams, (the solid firm) Cote (another) "Royal Quality" and others. This lot comprises many pairs in all sizes. 11-5. Values to \$5.50. One price \$2.00 Pair

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A big lot of Misses' and Girls' Cut-out Slippers with strong wearing soles. Why get old shoes repaired? While they last, values to \$2.75, sizes up to 7's. for, pair \$1.25

Children's Running Shoes, assorted lot; sizes to 10 1/2; values to \$1.25, for 59c

Misses' Running Shoes in brown and white; values to \$1.45. Broken sizes, at 79c

96 Pairs Men's Patent Slipper in all the latest styles and designs; all sizes in this lot to 7's. for \$1.98

Boys' White Running Boots, size to 7's only. Value \$1.95, for \$1.00

Boys' Brown Crepe Sole Running Boots, all sizes, 11-5, for \$1.39

German Election Adds War Danger, Russians Declare

Moscow, April 28.—The executive committee of the Communist International, in a pronouncement addressed to the workers of the world, declares the election of Field Marshal von Hindenburg as President of Germany does not increase the chances of peace, but rather adds to the danger of a new war.

article in The Pravda that von Hindenburg's success shows that 15,000,000 voters in Germany do not curse the memory of war.

NEW PROCESSES START OPERATIONS MAY 17 ON MUCH FASTER SCHEDULE

Running on Triangular Service Between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle, With Night Sailings From Mainland Ports; Faster Time on All Runs and Good Connections With Transcontinental Trains.

It is the present intention that the two new Canadian Pacific Steamships, the Princess Kathleen and Princess Marguerite, will commence their regular service on the triangular route on Sunday, May 17, according to a statement issued to-day at the head offices of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service.

Day trip—Leave Vancouver 10:30 a.m.; arrive Victoria 2:30 p.m.; leave Victoria 4:30 p.m.; arrive Seattle 8:30 p.m. This time allows the ship a two-hour stop-over in Victoria and the service is much faster than that which has been given in the past.

Day trip—Leave Vancouver 11:30 p.m.; arrive Seattle, 7:45 a.m. Leaves Seattle, 9 a.m.; arrives Victoria 12:45 p.m.; leaves Victoria 2 p.m.; arrives Vancouver 6 p.m. Night trip—Leave Seattle 11:30 p.m.; arrives Vancouver 8 a.m.

These palatial new ships will be operated seven days a week and have been placed on the triangular run in consequence of an anticipated heavy summer travel across the Gulf and Sound. The schedule issued by the Canadian Pacific for these new ships is for the summer months only and will be liable to change at a late date.

W. T. Marlow of C.P.R. Tells Ottawa Committee Conditions Like Rate War

Montreal-Britain Butter Rate Same as B.C.-Britain Rate, It is Stated

Ottawa, April 28 (Canadian Press)—That conditions approximating a rate war prevailed among steamship lines carrying traffic from European ports to Canada and the United States was stated before the Commons committee on Ocean Rates by W. T. Marlow, general foreign agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway this morning.

Mr. Marlow expressed the opinion that there is a deliberate attempt on the part of German lines to try and oust British tonnage.

A great part of the European traffic originates in Germany and Austria and passed through the ports of Hamburg, Bremen, Rotterdam and Antwerp, he said.

There is no question that the German lines will try to get control of this traffic, Mr. Marlow said. They might even bring about a general demoralization of rates in order to try and get control.

M.V. Motor Princess will commence the summer service between Sidney and Bellingham on Friday, May 1, leaving Sidney at 10:30 a.m. daily, and returning from Bellingham at 2:30 p.m. daily.

PACIFIC TRADE COMPETITION

Despite Dollar Victory, Company Will Run Freighters in Opposition

San Francisco, April 28.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company will not be discouraged by the recent trade by the loss of the five passenger liners recently sold by the United States Shipbuilding Corporation to the Dollar interests.

The tug Mast, recently purchased from the Shipping Board by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, is scheduled to leave here for Seattle to-day.

SHIP DELIVERY TO BEGIN ON MONDAY

Shipping Board Will Start Delivering Ships to Dollar Line Next Week

Washington, April 28.—Counsel for the Shipping Board in conference yesterday with R. Stanley Dollar, vice president of the Dollar Lines, said that the contract for the delivery of the five vessels of the California Orient run to the Dollar interests.

MOTOR PRINCESS SAILS TO SIDNEY

Leaves Victoria To-morrow Morning After Complete Overhaul For Summer

After a thorough and complete overhaul, the Motor Princess, now ready to begin her summer service between Sidney and Bellingham in the automobile and tourist transportation business, will leave this port to-morrow morning.

POSITIONS BY WIRELESS

ESTEVAN, 3 p.m. CANADIA, bound Victoria, 145 miles from Vancouver. ROCHELLE, bound Vancouver, 144 miles from Vancouver.

RATES ON BUTTER

Chairman McMaster asked if it was a fact that steamship companies were able to utilize specially insulated ships, for which they obtained full cargoes.

POUND STERLING ROSE ABOVE \$4.84

London, April 29.—Great Britain's return to the gold standard is hailed with general satisfaction in the exchange market, where the pound sterling took another step nearer parity this morning and touched \$4.84 1/2 under strong buying from practically all sources.

FLEET TO SAIL ON ANNUAL WHALE HUNT

Eight of Victoria's Whalers Will Leave Port Early Next Month; First Ships Sail on May 9 and Others Follow May 18; Capt. George Le Marquand Looks for Good Season; American Ships Leaving for Kamchatka.

Victoria's whaling fleet, owned and operated by the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, will leave this port on May 9, according to an announcement made this morning by Capt. George Le Marquand, head of the concern which sends steamers forth annually to comb the Pacific for the giant whales along the coast of Vancouver Island and Queen Charlotte Sound.

The boats will go to the farthest north whaling station on the coast of the company and will be working over their grounds within a few days from that of their sailing from this port.

On May 18, about a week later, the three boats of the Kyquoot Station, the Green, Orion and the St. Lawrence will steam out of this harbor bound for the West Coast. And approximately the same date, probably at the same hour, the two boats for the Naden Harbor station, the Blue and the Grant, will leave their Winter moorings.

We are hopeful of a good season and are looking forward to the commencement of the whaling season, which is ready now for a hard, long grind and the factories will be prepared to work day and night in an effort to make a record output.

SHIPPING MEN TO HOLD CONFERENCE IN CITY IN JUNE

Steamship men of the Pacific will meet in Victoria June 22, the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau is advised to-day in a notice of the Trans-Pacific West Coast Conference.

VESSLS MOVEMENTS

Arabic at Halifax from Hamburg. Homeric at Halifax from India. Montreal at Montreal from Glasgow.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton, Agent, From, Due. Includes entries for Niagara, Africa Maru, Atago Maru, etc.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

Table with columns: For Vancouver, For Seattle, For Victoria. Includes entries for C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11:45 a.m., etc.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Table with columns: Day, Sunrise, Sunset, Hour, Min. Includes entries for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Day, Time of High Water, Time of Low Water, Height of High Water, Height of Low Water. Includes entries for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

AUSTRALIA

HONOLULU, SUVA, NEW ZEALAND The new and well appointed passenger liners sail from Vancouver, B.C.

Notice to Mariners

BRITISH COLUMBIA (36) Strait of Juan de Fuca—Race Rocks—Temporary light to be placed Position—On Great Race rock.

(37) Vancouver Island, East coast—Sidney—Color of buoy Former notice—No. 1 (21) of 1924.

(38) Strait of Georgia—Malaspina Strait—Powell river—Change in fog alarm Former notice—No. 86 (241) of 1924.

(39) Change in fog alarm—The Klaxon horn that replaced the electric bell has been found unsatisfactory and has been replaced by a siren that gives a blast of 30 seconds followed by a silent interval of 20 seconds.

C.P.R. EARNINGS SHOW BIG DROP

Montreal, April 28.—Gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the month of March were \$12,931,546, as against \$14,812,927 in March last year, a decrease of \$1,881,380.

CANADIAN PACIFIC B.C. COAST SERVICE

MOTOR FERRY SERVICE Between Sidney and Bellingham

Motor Princess will resume service FRIDAY, MAY 3

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS TO EUROPE

To Cherbourg—Southampton—Hamburg May 15 June 19 ... Empress of Scotland

JAPAN NOW HAS NEW ANTI-BOLSHEVIST

Tokyo, April 28.—The new Japanese law for the "maintenance of public order and peace," popularly known as the anti-Bolshevik act, probably is the most drastic legislation of the kind in existence in times of peace.

SIDNEY ANACORTES M.V. Mount Vernon

Additional service between Nanaimo and Vancouver. The S.S. Charter will commence a week-end service every Saturday and Monday, and returning leave Nanaimo 5 p.m. the same day.

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MISSIONARY DIED

Toronto, April 29.—James M. Clark, formerly of Jollyduff, Ont., a missionary of the Canadian Methodist Church in China, died of typhus fever in Chung King, a treaty port on the Upper Yangtze, having been rushed to a hospital there from his station at Luchow. News of his death was received here by cable.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The City Council will send a band to Bellingham for the Tulip Festival. The Bellingham authorities will be expected to send a band to the Victoria celebration in June.

Hon. A. Manson, Attorney-General, Rev. E. G. Thompson and Rev. R. J. Douglas will speak at the public meeting to be held to-night at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Parking or rear light breaches caused fines of \$5 each to be imposed in the City Police Court to-day on E. Leigh, J. Messerschmidt, E. Hiscocks and the Consolidated Motors Limited.

A concert will be given at the Royal Oak Hall, in aid of the Royal Oak Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs on Friday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Several Victoria artists will assist in the programme.

The First Degree will be conferred on candidates by the staff of Columbia Lodge No. 2, I.O.O.F. to-night. A short programme will be rendered and refreshments will be served at the banquet room at the close of lodge.

Benefit Dance—Under the auspices of the Equimatt Women's Institute a benefit dance will be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday evening, commencing at 8.15. Refreshments will be served. The proceeds will be handed over to the family of an old resident who is in distress owing to long illness.

The amount collected on the G.W. V.A. tag day amounted to \$448.50. The association has accepted an invitation to attend the Bellingham Tulip Festival this year. The American Legion at Bellingham has invited the local command to march with the U.S.A. veterans in the parade.

The Victoria and District Gardeners' Association has asked the City Council to give lower water rates to gardeners to encourage beautification of the city. Excess over the January consumption should be charged half normal rates, the association urges. The council asked Water Commissioner Preston to report to the works committee.

The regular monthly meeting of the Craigflower Parent-Teacher Association will be held on Friday at 8 o'clock in the school. Frank Erickson, member of the Victoria Cougars, world's hockey champions, will address the meeting on "Advantages of Sport." A special musical programme has been arranged.

Compilation of the annual financial report of the city for 1924 will probably be completed to-day or tomorrow. City Comptroller Macdonald anticipates. Owing to clerical work in preparation of the lengthy tabulations, the report will not be in readiness for presentation to next Monday's council session, and will not be published before May 11.

The regular meeting of the Victoria Farmers' Institute was held at Royal Oak on April 27. A good attendance was present to hear Mr. Boucher, secretary of the British Columbia Rabbit Breeders' Association, give an instructive and interesting address on the possibility of rabbits for fur-bearing. Many rabbit pelts were exhibited. A vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Boucher for his lecture.

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Radio Club will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the New Thought Temple, Pandora Avenue. The election of officers will follow the presentation of reports on the work of the past year. A discussion of local broadcasting will also take place. In view of the importance of the meeting, the members are urged by President Harold Grant to make a point of attending.

The only lot actually sold at the City Lands Department booth at the Home Products Fair was purchased by Mrs. Flossie Knight. The City Council approved of the sale of the lot at the southeast corner of Fairview Street and Wellington Avenue to Mrs. Knight for \$750, less the usual special discount of ten per cent offered during the fair to purchasers building within twelve months.

To decide on an equitable charge which the city should ask the B.C. Electric Co. to pay for permission to ground lighting circuits to waterworks, a meeting of city officials was held this afternoon in the City Solicitor's office at the City Hall. The City Council, at a recent meeting, approved of the plan of the City Engineer and Water Commissioner Preston. City Solicitor Pringle, Comptroller D. S. Macdonald, Wiring Inspector Wilson and City Electrician M. Hutchison.

Bellingham Tulip Festival Excursion tickets are now on sale. Don't be disappointed this year, get your tickets early. Princess Louise will leave Victoria at 9 a.m. May 8 for Bellingham.

INTRODUCTORY BALL IS POPULAR WITH LOYAL CITIZENS

Great Demand For Tickets to First Appearance of Princesses

Postponement of the Princesses' Ball until Wednesday, May 6, in favor of the May Day Ball of the Trades and Labor Council, appears to have been very well accepted by the general public, judging from the sale of tickets.

The accommodation of the Armories being limited, those wishing reservation of tickets should apply to the carnival office, 122 Pemberton Building.

The gowns in which the princesses will be attired on this occasion are nearing completion, and it is doubted if any aggregation of ladies was ever presented to the public of Victoria in more beautiful attire.

The arrangement for the introduction, as suggested at present, is that the candidates for royal honors, after having been introduced to the public, be escorted by leading gentlemen of the city in the grand march, which will resolve itself into a waltz, and then to a medley, by which time the princesses will be immersed in the general throng and will be entertained for the balance of the evening by the citizens of Victoria.

SEARCH PARTIES OUT FOR LOST CHINAMAN

Deported to China, Jumped C.N.R. Train Near Sumas

Chilliwack, April 29.—It is now believed that Fong, a missing Chinaman, may have met with foul play.

Section parties searched the vicinity all Tuesday without finding any trace of him, and bloodhounds from Mission are expected to be used in the search.

Fong Dew was reported to have jumped from a speeding C.N.R. west-bound train, about one mile east of Sumas River bridge, on Tuesday morning. A bloodstained cap was found near the track. Provincial police state that he was being deported to China.

TOPNADO SWEEPS TOWNS IN TEXAS

House Unroofed, Wires Down and Many Hurt

Dense Fog Settles After Storm Subsides

Kyle, Texas, April 29.—Two dead, one probably fatally injured and more than a score hurt was the known toll of a tornado that swept the outskirts of this little town last night. The dead are Mexican farm tenants. Rumors that a number were dead at Upland, a nearby village could not be confirmed.

San Antonio, Texas, April 29.—All telephone and telegraph lines are down in the storm-stricken area and rumors were current that the tornado had also swept Maxwell, eight miles east of San Marcos.

Houses were unroofed and fences and signboards were leveled. According to James Amberson of San Antonio, manager of the local union bus station who passed through the storm area.

Hail covered the entire section and was about six and eight inches deep in places, Amberson said. A phenomenon of the storm was the settling of a dense fog over the area shortly after the storm subsided.

LAKE HILL CENTRE

The regular monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Community Centre will be held in the hall on Friday evening, May 1, at 8.15. It is specially requested that all members be present.

An entertainment will be given on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Memorial Hall auditorium, under the auspices of the Cathedral Girls' Auxiliary. Part of the programme will consist of a one-act comedy entitled "The American Widow," to be presented by Miss Laura Macklin and Bruce Bredin; vocal solos will be rendered by Mrs. Styles Shel and Miss Ruth Melville; instrumentalists by the Misses Bucklin, Miss Gladys Hinton, Miss Dorothy Greenwood and Miss Grimmond. E. Boothroy Corby will also give a reading.

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HAD FATAL SEIZURE WHILE PLAYING GOLF

John Savannah, Well-known Photographer, Collapsed at Uplands

Death came with tragic suddenness to John Savannah, pioneer photographer of Victoria, who collapsed while playing golf at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday afternoon and died immediately.

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FIRE DESTROYS SAATCHI HOME AT DAYBREAK

A. A. McCrady Finds Pear Street Residence Ablaze From Kitchen Stove

Fire destroyed the five-room frame home of A. A. McCrady on Pear Street early this morning, luckily without loss of life. The loss is estimated at \$2,000. The premises are insured for \$2,500. More than half the valuable furniture was destroyed, besides a number of pictures, which were saved by removing articles until the house was a mass of flames. While the intrinsic value of the destroyed furniture was well covered with insurance, many items of historic interest and value as antiques were lost in the blaze.

The fire apparently started in the kitchen where Mr. McCrady had lit the fire, shortly after 5 o'clock, before going to the barn nearby. On his return, he noticed the small flames and found the fire had broken out. After arousing his wife and mother and placing them in safety, Mr. McCrady notified the Saanich Fire Department at Carey Road at 5.30 o'clock, the hose wagon arriving on the scene in fifteen minutes. By that time the house was enveloped in flames.

The whole of the 1,200 feet of hose proved insufficient to reach to the burning hydrant, and the small amount of water required to bring water to the fire.

BIG OPIUM HAUL ON EMPRESS OF RUSSIA

Over 300 Tins Valued at \$25,850 Seized by Customs Men

Vancouver, April 29.—With the discovery this morning of 259 tins of opium in the coal bunkers of the Empress of Russia, customs officials have uncovered 255 tins of the narcotics of a wholesale value of \$24,850 on the ship during her present voyage. When she arrived the first survey of the customs men produced ninety-six tins hidden in a ventilator.

This morning special customs officers, Matson, Martindale and Warwick, continuing the search they make of all vessels from the Orient, discovered five tins in the coal bin. An hour later 209 tins were found. Tins are valued at about \$70 each wholesale, so the Empress of Russia has yielded more than \$24,850 value in the contraband this voyage.

Whether the smugglers landed any of their illicit merchandise is not known, but it is believed that if they did it was only a very small parcel. With the seizures of the Russia the customs authorities have taken 415 tins during the past two weeks, as they took 300 tins off the steamship Tyndareus upon her arrival here two weeks ago, the goods having been discovered on the vessel by the ship's officers. The search on the Empress is continuing.

Malahat Fountain

By JEANNE VALDEZ

Dedicated to Rotary International, in commemoration of the late Malahat drinking fountain, erected by the Victoria Rotary Club, at Mt. Jui Bay, Victoria, B.C.

Nor dove-lit haunt of Ararat
Than here, athwart Mount Malahat,
Whence thirsting souls may sip,
Come, rest, and quest from out the fount
That from yon hillside flows:
Each mirror's gem from off the mount,
Here, wended grace bestows.

First fed from the cloudlet hovering high,
Whence drips the rippling rill—
Mendering thence "neath star-deck'd sky,
Needs must its radiance spill!
Nearby, where laps the sunlit wave
In ceaseless melody,
There ebb and flow, while waters lave,
This rhythmic "Rotary."

Symbolic, this enraptling bond
Whence cleaves man to his brother!
E'en thus the wave, the cloud beyond,
Dut each eath the other.
Bubbling from out the mountain side,
How cheer the living day!
Weary withal? Ah! here abide—
Where gleams the peaceful bay.

Quaff here, his happy creature's right,
That thence the woodland mass
Share these, his mercurial high—
Nor less in thankful praise,
"Ye rest, and quest" who serves (thee) best—
Nor echoes worldly fame!
The cup from out this chalice'd crest
Is given in His name!
(He profits most, who serves best.)

Ottawa, April 29.—The new 4.4 beer which Premier Ferguson intimates will go on sale in Ontario about May 15 will, in the opinion of Ottawa brewers, cost as much if not more than beer of a greater alcoholic strength now being sold in the Province of Quebec, provided the rumored provincial tax of 10¢ a gallon is imposed in addition to the Federal Government tax of 12½¢ a gallon. The brewer declares it will cost the public from fifteen to twenty cents a pint.

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ECONOMY POLICY LOPS OFF PRINTING OF FARM PAPER

Agricultural Journal's Career Ended After Eight Years of Publication

Suspension of the publication of The Agricultural Journal, the monthly farm magazine published by the Department of Agriculture, was announced to-day by the Department. The elimination of this publication is made in accordance with the "economy policy" under the Hon. J. D. Maclean, as Minister of Finance.

The Agricultural Journal has been published for the last eight years. It has circulated at a subscription price among the farmers of the Province. As it carried no advertising, it never paid its expenses, but was subsidized by the Government under the Agricultural Instruction Act, which has now ceased to be operative.

The publication has been edited by F. W. Laing, former newspaperman with experience in many outlying parts of the Province and a recognized authority on present day agricultural problems in B.C.

The farewell issue of the magazine, which is now being sent out to subscribers, consists of 92 pages. It contains full report of the papers read at the recent conventions in Vancouver of the National, Western Canadian and the B.C. Dairyman's Associations.

Reference is made to the Government agricultural magazine will receive for the balance of the term of their subscription the monthly service bulletin of the Bureau of Information, which is to be an improved publication under the editorship of R. J. Hartley, new chief of the bureau. This bulletin will deal with the activities of the various departments of the Provincial Government.

Mrs. Norman G. Martin Succumbed to Burns Received Yesterday

Inquest Set For To-morrow at Sands Funeral Company Premises

Inquest on the remains of the late Mrs. Norman G. Martin, victim of the pathetic fatality at 183 Bushby Street yesterday morning, will be held at the Sands Funeral Company premises to-morrow at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Martin succumbed to burns received twelve hours before her death in an explosion in her home wrapped her in flames. The exact cause of the accident is not yet established but is understood to have been due to the presence of gasoline in a washing machine used to clean a coat.

An electrical expert will be summoned before the coroner's jury to-morrow, pending investigations under way to-day to determine the exact manner in which the explosion took place. The late Mrs. Martin, survived by her husband, Norman G. Martin, and two little children in her immediate household.

A native of Paisley, Scotland, Mrs. Martin had resided a number of years in this city and was thirty-two years of age at the time of her tragic death. The funeral will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 3.30 p.m. Friday, with Rev. Clem Davies officiating at the graveside.

GEORGE L. SERVICE, POLICE VETERAN, BURIED TO-DAY

Many veterans of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police attended the funeral this morning of the late George Lymburne Service. The cortege with its wealth of floral tributes left the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8.50 proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Deely. During the service the hymns, "O What Could My Jesus Do More" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee" were sung. Frank J. Sehl sang a solo. Sergeant Martin represented the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and Captain S. L. Saunders, H. Allnut and C. T. Tennent. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery, where the Rev. Father J. F. Silver read the last service. Among the many floral tributes were wreaths from the Army and Navy Veterans of Canada, Royal Northwest Mounted Police-Veterans, Lake Hill Women's Institute, Tolmie School staff, Crystal Garden carnival committee and from many old friends and relatives.

OBITUARY

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Alice Coysh will be held at the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday at 2 p.m.

There passed away on Wednesday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Lewis Alfred Barber, aged five months, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barber of 726 Roderick Street. The funeral will take place on Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock from McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel, corner Johnson and Vancouver Streets. Rev. H. V. Hitchcock will conduct the service, after which the remains will be laid at rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

There was a large attendance of friends and an abundance of beautiful floral tributes at the funeral this afternoon of Robert Frederick Ely. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Sipple at the B.C. Funeral Chapel. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." The pallbearers were T. Amos, A. McGavin, R. Peden, A.

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BOYS!

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The banjo is one of the outstanding popular instruments because it is in such great demand for the modern dance orchestra. Dozens of young fellows in Victoria are learning this fascinating instrument—they are learning to play on the world-famous Bacon banjo for which we are the distributors in Victoria. Step in to-day and see our display of these splendid instruments. Tenor banjos from

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STEVENSON, J. W. BOLTON AND A. MARCONI.

Interment was made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death occurred yesterday at the family residence, 2713 Rock Bay Avenue, of Miss Thekla Mariel Ledingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ledingham, aged twenty years and born in this city. She is survived by her parents, two brothers, Dr. Gordon Ledingham, of Portland, Ore., and Carl, at home—two sisters, Mrs. C. R. Booth, of Vancouver, and Miss Beesie Ledingham, at home. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, May 1, at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Funeral service for the late John Bertram Reeve was conducted yesterday afternoon at 3.45 in the B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. R. Connel. There was a large gathering of friends, and many beautiful floral offerings covered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." The following acted as pallbearers: Valentine Timberley, Charles Bennett, George H. Ellis, George Brown, Thomas Hall and Harry Hall. There was a delegation from the S.O.E., and Brother Leslie Ernest Hill, president of the Juvenile Branch, S.O.E., No. 87, conducted service at the grave, assisted by the chaplain, Brother Harold Hall. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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Savings in the Drug Department

Scott's Emulsion, Value \$1.00 for 83c
 Palatable Cod Liver Tonic, value \$1.00 for 79c
 Peroxide, Med. size, value 46c
 Bayer's Aspirin, 2 dozens for 27c
 Gin Pills, value 50c for 33c
 Chase's Heart & Nerve Pills, value 60c for 39c
 A B S & C Tablets, 100 for 19c
 Minard's Liniment, value 25c for 19c
 White Liniment, Extra strength 18c
 Thermal Wool English, value 50c for 29c
 Viole, value 50c for 33c
 H. B. Liquid Petroleum, heavy 15 oz. 49c
 Steadman's Teething Powders, value 30c for 19c
 M.C.W. Sodium Phosphate, value 1-lb. 29c
 Pond's Vanishing & Cold Cream, 1-oz. 19c
 El Estado Lemon Cream, value \$1.00 for 79c
 Coty's Face Powder, value \$1.25 for \$1.00
 Cold Cream Tubes, value 30c for 19c
 Huxley Tooth Paste, Tooth Brush, Wash Cloth & Woodbury's Facial Soap, value \$1.25 for 89c
 Shaving Cream, Shaving Brush, Styptic Pencil, value 1.25 for 89c
 To read our ads, to see our counters will force you to realize the bargains we offer.

Nine o'Clock Special

Palm Olive Soap 8 Cakes for 50c

One thousand cakes of Genuine Palm Olive Soap. Regular 10c size, on sale from 9 to 12 o'clock or as long as quantity lasts.
8 for 50c
 No phone or C.O.D. orders. Not more than 8 cakes to a customer.
 Drug Dept., Main Floor

Sale Prices on Hudson's Bay Purity Groceries

To-morrow is the first day of our Anniversary Sale and we wish to make the occasion memorable by the volume of business done. To attain this end we have made startling reductions on many standard lines. Many more, not advertised, are on display throughout the department and are worthy of your inspection. Goods ordered will be charged on next month's account.

Five Roses and Royal Household Flour, 24-pound sack, \$1.25
48-pound sack, \$2.50
98-pound sack, \$4.90
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-pound paper sack, \$1.15
100-pound sack, \$6.95
Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Tea, per pound, \$2.25
3 pounds for \$1.80
Hudson's Bay Special Freshly Roasted Coffee, per pound, \$1.15
3 pounds for \$1.25
Quaker Brand Canned Ripe Tomatoes, No. 2 tin, 15c
3 tins for 40c
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3 tins for 40c
Quaker Brand Canned Sweet Corn, No. 2 tin, 18c, 3 tins for 50c
Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per pound 44c
3 pounds for \$1.30
No. 1 Quality Creamery Butter, per pound 41c, 3 pounds for \$1.20
Pure Bulk Lard, per pound 22c
3 pounds for 64c
Swift's Premium Ham, half or whole, per pound 40c
Swift's Premium Side Bacon, per pound 53c
Prime Canadian Stilton Cheese, per pound 40c
Dutch Edam Cheese, per pound 50c

FRESH FRUITS

Fancy Yellow Newton Apples in first class condition, splendid quality and value, quantity however is limited. Sale Price while they last, per box \$3.25
California Sunlight Navel Oranges, good size, sweet and juicy, 2 dozens for \$5.50
Finest Quality Red Strawberry Rhubarb, 7 pounds for \$2.50
 —Lower Main Floor

Hudson's Bay Delicious Candies

Delicious Wrapped Caramels, per pound 35c
Ganong's Sugar Coated Jordan Almonds, per pound 69c
Hudson's Bay Special Assorted Chocolates, per pound 39c
Tobler's Swiss Milk Chocolate Bars, 3 for \$2.40
 —Main Floor

Specials at the Tobacco Counter

Vancouver Club Cigars, box of 25 for \$1.19
1 Packet Gold Crest Cigarettes and Holder for 21c
Black Fox Cigars, tin of 50, for \$2.29
Brier Pipes, assorted shapes, special at 59c
Cosmo's B.S.B. Brier Pipes, special at 69c
Soft Sueded Pipe Cases, special, 1.40

Notice to Charge Customers

All goods purchased To-morrow, Thursday, April 30, will be charged on next month's account and statement presented in June.

Anniversary Bargains in the Carpet Department

Do you know you can buy rugs on the Easy Payment plan—10% cash and the balance in nine monthly amounts. Why not make your selection during this sale and take advantage of the Special Savings offered.

Seamless Tapestry Rugs
 Woven in one piece, no seams or joins to mar the patterns; good serviceable quality in neat designs.
 Size 6x9. Sale Price, \$13.95
 Size 7x9. Sale Price, \$15.95
 Size 8x9. Sale Price, \$19.50
 Size 9x10.5. Sale Price, \$22.50
 Size 9x12. Sale Price, \$26.50

Reversible English Wool Rugs
 Seamless and reversible wool rugs of splendid wearing quality.
 Size 6x9. Sale Price, \$29.50
 Size 9x10.5. Sale Price, \$52.50
 Size 9x12. Sale Price, \$57.50

Wilton Rugs
 Fine worsted Wilton rugs, in attractive designs and colorings, suitable for dining-rooms or living-rooms.
 Size 9x9. Sale Price, \$55.00
 Size 9x10.5. Sale Price, \$59.50
 Size 9x12. Sale Price, \$69.50

Wire Grass Rugs
 Twisted wire grass rugs with bound edges. In blue, brown and green—stenciled designs; size 3x5. Sale Price, each, 79c

Reversible English Wool Rugs
 Heavy quality rugs, in good patterns and colorings; can be used either side; size 9x11 inches. Sale Price, \$2.59

Drapery Fabrics at Worth-while Savings

Plain and Bordered Marquisettes
 In lengths of ten to twenty yards; plain or with border effect. Values to 45c. Sale Price, per yard, 23c

English Casement Cloth
 31-inch casement cloth, in all colors, wonderful value. Sale Price, per yard, 35c

Cretonnes and Plain Silkolines
 A wonderful selection of patterns and colorings; also plain silkolines in all the wanted shades. Values to 45c. Sale Price, per yard, 29c

Hand Blocked and Printed Cretonnes
 Thousands of yards of choice cretonnes and genuine hand blocked and printed cretonnes; suitable for loose covers, side drapes, etc. Values to 75c. Sale Price, per yard, 45c

Voiles
 Lace edge, plain and tapé edge curtain voiles; ideal for Spring draperies and very inexpensive; values to 69c. Sale Price, per yard, 49c

Wool Art Serge
 Double width art serge, in all colors, suitable for curtains, table covers, etc. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.10

Silky Pile Velours
 In blue and brown shades; ideal for side drapes and archway curtains; 50 inches wide. Regular \$2.95. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.95

Hand Blocked Linens and Double Width Cretonnes
 Double width printed linen and heavy quality cretonnes, in a beautiful assortment of colorings. Fabrics that you would expect to pay as high as \$2.95 a yard for. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.35

100 Window Shades at 77c Each

Green Opague Window Shades, mounted on guaranteed spring rollers, complete with fixings; size 3x5. Sale Price, 77c each
 —Third Floor

Aluminumware Sale Bargains

Hundreds of Pieces of Pure Aluminum Grouped At Money-Saving Prices For Our May Sale

Panel Shaped Milk Jugs, Sale Price, \$1.29
Four-quart Panel Shape Convex Kettles, Sale Price, \$1.29
Six-quart Panel Shape Preserving Kettles, Sale Price, \$1.29
Panel Shape Water Pitchers, Sale Price, \$1.29
Six-quart Panel Shape Convex Kettles, with covers, Sale Price, \$1.29
Pudding Pan Sets, 1, 2, and 3-quart sizes, Sale Price, \$1.49
Five-quart Panel Tea Kettles, Sale Price, \$1.69
Ten-quart Water Pails, Sale Price, \$1.69
Fourteen-quart Dish Pans, Sale Price, \$1.69
Thirteen-quart Preserving Kettles, Sale Price, \$1.98
Eighteen-quart Preserving Kettles, Sale Price, \$2.49

50 Only, Ten-quart Panel Side Preserving Kettles, Sale Price, each, \$1.49

Nine o'Clock Special 50 Coffee Percolators at 79c Each

Four-cup Size Percolators; just right for breakfast use. Fitted with civilized heat-proof handle. On sale only from 9 to 12 o'clock or as long as quantity lasts. Thursday Morning Special

79c
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 —Lower Main Floor



Nine o'Clock Special 1,000 Yards of Sturdy English Ginghams 8 Yards for \$1.00

Dependable Ginghams of standard quality in a wide variety of attractive designs in plaids and checks. On sale only from 9 to 12 o'clock or as long as quantities last. Thursday Morning Special.

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Now's the Time to Save on Wash Fabrics

Wash Fabrics, Values to 75c for 35c a Yard
 Colored Popelines; colored silk-finished muslin, cotton moires, ripplette oldensons in white and navy, marooned knicks crepe in many wash shades, woven shirtings, etc. Values to 75c. Sale Price, per yard, 39c

English Ginghams, 2 1/2 a Yard
 A sturdy weave that will wear and wash perfectly, shown in a full range of attractive plaids. Stock up now for your Summer needs at this price. Thoroughly dependable ginghams for house dresses and children's garments; 27 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard, 21c

Wash Fabrics, Values to \$1.00 for 60c a Yard
 Included are striped broadcloths, fancy cotton foulards, striped tobolaco shirtings, plain colored broadcloths, all silk bourrette crepes in twenty new shades, all colors in pebble weave dress crepes, fancy tissue ginghams, English raincoats, all colors, and Kant Fade dress suitings; values to \$1.00. Sale Price, per yard, 69c

Wash Fabrics at 25c a Yard
 English ripplette crepes in dainty, plain shades and bluish and butterfly designs, striped Oxford shirtings, white ripplette, white voiles, white cellular cloth and a full range of English dress ginghams in checks and plain shades. Sale Price, per yard, 29c

English Voiles at 60c a Yard
 Beautiful Floral Voiles in light and dark colors. In the newest designs; also plain shades in this offering. Sale Price, per yard, 69c

Dress Ratines, Regular 49c for 33c
 Here is a real saving in new and seasonable ratines. Splendid quality for women's and children's wear. Shown in white and sand only; will launder perfectly; regular 49c. Sale Price, per yard, 33c
 —Main Floor

Extraordinary Bargains in the Silk Section

Silks, Values to \$3.95 for \$1.98 a Yard
 Including satin brilliants, moire ottomans, brocettes, brochettes, cordelines, ripplette crepes, striped spun silk, plain tafetas, two-tone tafetas, messalines, dyed pongees, foulards, figured crepes and broken lines. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.98

400 Yards of White Spun Silk at 89c a Yard
 No. 1 Grade Spun Silk, absolutely the best on the market to-day. White only; 29 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard, 89c

Fancy Open Work Striped Dress Crepes, Regular \$1.75 for 89c a Yard
 A slight imperfection in dyeing, but hardly discernable is the only reason for this big price reduction.
 Beautiful Silk-finished Crepe with dainty open work stripe, suitable for Summer wear. Shown in all the leading shades, including rose, peach, mauve, sand, sky, orange, grey, pink, jade, honeydew and ivory. Shop early for this special; regular \$1.75. Sale Price, per yard, 89c

A Special Offering of Silks at \$1.49 a Yard
 New and Seasonable Silks, including circular vestings, Riviera crepes, Stanley crepes, crepe de Chine, black and white foulards, navy and white foulards, navy tafeta, black messaline, plain and shot paillettes, natural pongees, etc. Genuine reductions but not all colors in each line. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.49

Silks, Values to \$4.50 for \$2.29
 Here is a real value in up-to-the-minute Silks just to hand from our buyer in the East. Buy now for future needs.
 The offering includes novelty lulsants, pebble weave satins, figured nmons, crepe de Chine, fancy marocain crepe, broaded satins, moire Ottoman cord, crepe satin, grenadines, brochettes, black duchess satin, baronneite satin, together with other broken lines from our stock; values to \$4.50. Sale Price, per yard, \$2.29

Silks at 96c a Yard
 Jersey Vestings, crepe Riviera, sport striped silks, dyed pongees, etc. Very special at, per yard, 96c

High-grade Silks and Satins, Values to \$4.75 for \$2.98 a Yard
 A wonderful group of new and fashionable Silks just in time for your new Summer outfits. The offering includes crepe de Chine, Canton crepe, vella vella stripes, crepe charmantia, crepe cello, duchess satin, fancy Canton crepe and other broken lines taken from our regular stock, all of which represent genuine saving prices; values to \$4.75. Sale Price, per yard, \$2.98

Wool Fabrics, Values to \$2.95 for \$1.98 a Yard

Including 54-inch navy serge, 54-inch novelty tweeds, 54-inch point twills, 54-inch Astrachan coatings, 44-inch plain and plaid polo coatings, 40-inch wool crepes in plain and novelty plaids; values to \$2.95. Sale Price, per yard, \$1.98

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Coats, Dresses, Suits and Skirts at Anniversary Savings

100 New Coats, Values to \$29.50, For \$13.95
 Fine All Wool Blanket Cloth and Velour Coats fashioned in straight back style and fastening at one side with large button, soft two-way collars and novelty pockets trimmed with heavy silk stitching and buttons, full lined. Shown in colors of reindeer, sand, henna, green, dumbell and others; sizes 18 to 42. Values to \$29.50. Sale Price, \$13.95

50 Novelty Coats, Values to \$49.50, For \$23.95
 Smart Novelty Coats in the season's newest colors of shutter-green, dumbell, henna, rust, Chile bean, etc. Made from good quality suede velour in straight line models with new collars; some are trimmed with novelty braid and fur, full lined with silk and crepe; sizes to 42. Values to \$49.50. Sale Price, \$23.95

50 Afternoon Dresses, Values to \$29.50, For \$13.95
 We have a wonderful assortment of Afternoon Dresses in georgette, flat and crystal crepe, fashioned on the latest lines; some straight with new collars or round necks, others have flounced or godet skirts with trimmings of new two-tone silk braid, embroidery or other new effects. Choice of sand, black, navy, rust, powder, sun yellow and many others; sizes to 28; values to \$29.50. Sale Price, \$13.95

Afternoon Dresses, Value to \$49.50, For \$24.95
 Shown in crystal, satin black and flat crepe and fashioned in the new coat frock style with Oriental trimmings and neat turnover collar, some finished with bow ties and loose scarf ends; others have skirts slashed at sides showing inset in contrasting color, sleeves vary from the full length to the narrow hand which can hardly be described as a sleeve. All the new colors are included, such as shutter green, brick, pumpkin, pitch pine, navy and black. Values to \$49.50. Sale Price, \$24.95
 —Second Floor

Armure Crepe Sports Skirts, Values to \$3.75, For \$2.95
 Made from good quality material in box-pleated styles on waistband; some on white cotton camisole tops. Shown in brown, cocoa, grey, navy and black with silver stripe effect; waist sizes 26 to 31. Values to \$3.75. Sale Price, \$2.95

Ensemble Suits, Values to \$39.50, For \$27.95
 Prominent among the favorite modes for Summer is undoubtedly the ensemble suit consisting of coat and dress. The dress is made of crystal crepe with deep band at bottom to match the tailored coat, V-shaped neck. Coat is trimmed with embroidery or braid. Shown in colors of rust, navy, sand and grey; sizes to 28. Values to \$39.50. Sale Price, \$27.95

Homespun and Flannel Sports Dresses, \$4.55
 Neat Tailored Dresses for general wear in checks and plaid flannel and homespun. Peter Pan collars with two no pockets trimmed with buttons, short and full length sleeves. Shown in Faddy, blue, brick, sand, rose, etc. Sizes 16 to 20. Sale Price, \$4.55

50 Sample Wash Dresses, Values to \$2.95, For \$6.95
 Dainty Voile Dresses in plain spotted and floral designs with pleated panels, pipings, embroidered yokes and dainty in collars and fronts, long waisted and straight line styles. Colors of sand, navy, grey, orchid, Nile green, lemon, orange; also brown, flame and red; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price, \$6.95
 —Second Floor



Women's Wool Pullover Sweaters Values to \$4.50 for \$2.55

In fine quality pure wool, V neck, finished with knitted tie, neatly embroidered silk emblem, long or short sleeves. Another pretty style has small collar, V neck and button trimming, short sleeves; in shades of Nile, sand, henna, peach and cocoa also white. Skirts trimmed with stripes, in contrasting colors; values to \$4.50. Sale Price, \$2.55

Smart Coat Sweaters for \$3.55
 In medium weight wool, neat rib effect, smart collar and three-button fastening, border around skirt in silk and wool; colors include rust, fawn, powder blue and taupe; also white. Values to \$4.95. Sale Price, \$3.55

Cardigans and Pullovers, Values to \$7.95 for \$4.98
 A large variety of styles in pure wool, silk and wool and brush wool, plain or novelty combination colorings, with or without collars. A few of the colors are sand and orange, dove grey and blue, powder blue and silver, dove and orange, white and arch, navy and camel; values to \$7.95. Sale Price, \$4.98



Two Special Bargains in Blouses

Crepe Knit Overblouses, Values to \$4.95 for \$2.98
 In excellent wearing material, hip length, round neck and short sleeves, two panels of novelty tricolette down front. Another pretty model has small roll collar, V neck and smart tie, collar, cuffs and hipband in novelty check material; values to \$4.95. Sale Price, \$2.98

Crepe de Chine Overblouses, Values to \$5.59 for \$3.98
 In nice quality crepe de Chine, small collar, V neck and short sleeves; fronts have smart beaded designs in shades of erabapple, grey, French blue, rose, henna, sand and peach; values to \$5.59. Sale Price, \$3.98

20 Per Cent Off Hair Goods

Including switches, coverlets, transformations, barrettes, combs, etc. All at 20 per cent off regular prices during this sale.
 —Hairdressing Parlors.



Hudson's Bay

INCORPORATED

Anniversary Sale 1925

celebrate our 25th Birthday by participating in this great feast of Anniversary Bargains. We are glad to co-operate, with the result that our buyers were able to secure liberal reductions, the full advantages of which we now pass on to our customers. In every department throughout the store, scores of extra salespeople have been engaged to ensure efficient sale commencing to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock sharp.

Nine o'Clock Special
100 Women's Cotton Crepe Nightgowns at \$1.00 Each
 Made from splendid quality cotton crepe, slipover style, round neck and short sleeves, neatly hem-stitched. Choice of the following shades—Maive, honeydew, flesh, sky, also white. On sale only from 9 to 12 or as long as quantity lasts. Thursday Morning Special **\$1.00**
 No Phone or C.O.D. Orders, Please
 Second Floor

Women's House or Beach Dresses of English Broadcloth
 Very smart dresses suitable for house or beach wear, one style has roll collar of self material and two patch pockets finished with piping in white, another model has Peter Pan collar of white crash neatly embroidered in colors, silk embroidered monogram, two slash pockets and all round belt. Shown in broken stripes of grey and rose, gold and blue, sand and black, sand and rose, blue and gold, also white and black. **\$3.98**
 values to \$2.50. Sale Price, per pair
 Second Floor

Celebrating Our Anniversary With Wonderful Savings in Blankets, Sheets, Sheetings and Other Household Staples

Pure All Wool "Prize of the Moor" Blankets
 Famous for wear and washing, singly whipped, blue borders. A genuine bargain.
 Weight 6 pounds, regular \$8.00. Sale Price, per pair **\$5.98**
 Weight 7 pounds, regular \$9.00. Sale Price, per pair **\$6.98**

100 Pairs of "Balmoral" Blankets at \$7.98 a Pair
 Made in the famous Ayrshire looms, a great blanket for the home, wonderful wearing and a genuine saving; size 63x84, weight 10 pounds; regular \$10.50. Not more than two pairs to one customer. Sale Price, per pair, at **\$7.98**

Clydesdale Blankets, Regular \$12.95 for \$9.98
 A soft fleecy wool blanket, full size, blue borders and singly whipped, size 70x90, weight 7 pounds; regular \$12.95. Sale Price, per pair **\$9.98**

Grey Blankets, Special at \$6.35 Per Pair
 Extra heavy weight and wonderful value, size 60x90, weight 8 pounds. Sale Price, per pair **\$6.35**

English Flannellette Sheets, \$3.29 Per Pair
 English Flannellette Sheets in white only, singly whipped and finished with blue borders. Note the size—70x90; regular \$3.69. Sale Price, per pair, at **\$3.29**

Plain Hemmed Cotton Sheets
 Well made from good quality cotton, size 70x90; regular \$2.95. Sale Price, per pair **\$2.69**

Hemstitched Cotton Sheets
 Size 72x90, regular \$1.55. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.29**

Standard Quality Plain Hemmed Sheets
 Made from high grade cotton yarns and wonderful wearing. Size 80x90, regular \$5.50. Sale Price, per pair **\$4.98**
 Size 80x95, regular \$6.00. Sale Price, per pair **\$5.49**

Linen Finished Sheetings
 A fine round even thread sheeting of great strength and durability. A limited quantity, no shop early. 72-inch, regular 65c. Sale Price, per yard **57c**
 81-inch, regular 70c. Sale Price, per yard **67c**

Many Anniversary Bargains in Corsets, Brassieres Underwear and House Dresses

D and A Corsets
 Made of firm coutil, low bust, medium skirt, also low elastic top in sizes 22 to 30; values to \$1.25. Sale Price **98c**

Corsets for Small Women
 In low or medium bust lines, varying length skirts, made in pink and white coutil; sizes 20 to 24 only; values to \$3.50. Sale Price **\$1.55**

Broken Sizes in High Grade Corsets
 Suitable for varying types of figures, in low and medium bust lines, made in white or pink coutil and lovely brooches; sizes 20 to 35. Sale Price, a pair **\$4.55**

Bandeau Brassieres
 Made in assorted materials, elastic section in back; sizes 32 to 40; values to 50c. Sale Price **30c**

Bandeau Brassieres
 Made in pink broche, front fastening; sizes 32 to 42; values to 35c. Sale Price **59c**

Brassieres
 Broken lines in Boyshform, Numode and Nemo Brassieres in new long lines and neverslip models, made in lovely broches, Indian head and dainty batiste, sizes 22 to 50; values to \$2.25. Sale Price **98c**

Women's Vests
 Fine ribbed knit cotton Vests, sleeveless style; sizes 36 and 38. Sale Price **19c**

Women's Bloomers
 In good strong quality knit cotton, full cut garments with gusset, colors include peach, orchid and pink; also white and black. Sale Price, per pair **45c**

Women's Vests
 In fine knit cotton, short sleeves or sleeveless; sizes 36 to 46. Sale Price **3 for \$1.00**

Women's Drawers and Bloomers
 Harvey make Drawers, medium weight cotton, open or closed, knee or ankle length; sizes 26 to 40. Watson make Bloomers, full cut garments with gusset, cream only; sizes 26 to 40; values to \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair **98c**

Cotton Crepe Step-ins and Bloomers
 Made from durable quality crepe in shades of flesh, honeydew, mauve and sky; also white. Sale Price **79c**

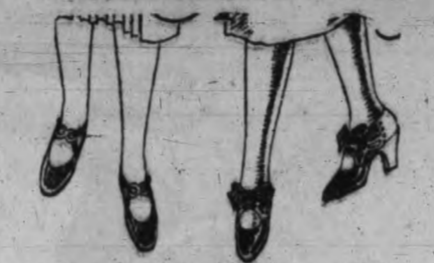
Cotton Crepe Chemises
 Full cut garments, top finished with neat lace edging, shoulder straps of self material, colors include honeydew, sky, flesh, orchid, also white. Sale Price **\$1.00**

Cotton Crepe Nightgowns
 In floral or novelty check crepe, slipover style with balcon, square or round necks, short sleeves or sleeveless styles; values to \$2.95. Sale Price **\$1.69**

House Dresses, Values to \$3.50, For \$1.98
 In splendid quality check gingham, slipover or side fastening, smart collars and vests in white muslin, neatly tucked or embroidered. A large variety of checks to choose from; sizes 34 to 44; values to \$3.50. Sale Price **\$1.98**
 Second Floor

Nine o'Clock Special 500 Pairs of Women's Mercerized Lisle Hose at 34c a Pair

This is our regular "Hudsonia" Mercerized Lisle Hose, double sole, toe and heel, deep garter hem. Choice of dawn, fawn, silver, grey, Alredale, white and black. All sizes 3 1/2 to 10. On sale from 9 to 12 only or as long as quantity lasts. Per pair **3 Pairs for \$1.00**
 No Phone or C.O.D. Orders, Please



Fashionable Shoes at Big Reductions

Women's Smart Strap Shoes
 This season's smartest styles in patent leather, tan calf and black kid, one and two-strap models, with cut-out novelty designs and gore effects; also brown calf Oxfords with medium and Cuban heels; sizes 3 to 7. Sale Price, per pair, **\$5.45**

Women's Strap Shoes and Oxfords
 Popular black vic-kid and one and two strap shoes and black vic-kid Oxfords, all smart styles with Cuban and medium heels; sizes 3 to 7. Sale Price, per pair **\$4.45**

Women's Strap Shoes and Oxfords
 The newest models in the new tan shade calf, strap shoes, Oxfords and pumps, covered block heels; sizes 3 to 7. Sale Price, per pair, **\$5.75**

Women's and Growing Girls' White Canvas Shoes
 Bleached White Canvas One-strap Shoes and Oxfords, in standard styles, with white corrugated and double diamond rubber soles, wedge heels; sizes 3 to 7. Sale Price, per pair, **\$1.15**

Men's Footwear at Special Savings

Men's White and Brown Canvas Shoes
 White and Brown Canvas Oxfords and Boots, with rubber soles and heels, first quality brand; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.19**

Men's Black and Tan Calf Oxfords
 Smart styles in black and tan calf, Goodyear welted, oak, lamskin soles and medium round toe last; sizes 6 to 10. Sale Price, per pair, **\$3.95**

Men's Oxfords and Brogues
 A large selection to choose from, in brown and tan and black calf leathers; several styles of lasts, suitable for business or street wear; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair **\$4.95**

Men's Oxfords and Brogues
 High grade shoes, suitable for business or dress wear. Choice of black kid, black and brown calf. Made on smart lasts with a range of shapes to select from; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair, **\$5.95**
 Main Floor

Boys' Canvas Outing Shoes at 95c a Pair

Black, Brown and White Canvas Oxfords and Boots, with rubber soles and heels, first quality brand; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair **95c**
 Main Floor

Big Bargains in Women's Hose

Women's Lisle Hose
 With wide tops and reinforced heels and toes, in colors of Alredale and brown; also black and white; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Sale Price, pair **19c**

Women's Lisle Hose
 Seamless and with wide hemmed tops, reinforced at heels and toes, in black, white, camel, Alredale and brown; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Sale Price, per pair **29c**

Fancy Striped Lisle Hose
 With deep hemmed tops, made from mercerized lisle yarns, in colors of dawn, grey, beige, brown, black, white, Alredale, camel, bamboo and dove; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Sale Price, per pair **55c**

Heavy Ribbed Lisle Hose
 Suitable for sports wear, for Oxfords or brogues, wide-hemmed top and reinforced at heels and toes. Shown in black, white, beige, bobolink, grey, nude, bamboo and beaver; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. Regular \$1.00. Sale Price, per pair **85c**

Thread Silk Hose
 Pure Thread Silk Hose, slightly imperfect, in colors of beige, tanbark, Jack Rabbit, white, dawn and black; sizes 3 1/2 to 10. This hose would be sold regularly at \$1.50. May Sale Price, per pair **75c**

Sea Island Cotton Hose
 English made hose from fine Sea Island cotton yarns, full fashioned and neat fitting, in colors of dove, grey, coating, mole, nude, black and white; sizes 3 1/2 to 10 1/2; regular \$1.60. Sale Price, per pair **89c**

100 Reprint Novels at 59c Each

100 books to clear at this special low price. Written by well-known authors, including Robert Service, E. M. Hull, E. Phillips Oppenheim, Lady Byron, Sidney H. Small and others; regular \$1.00. Sale Price **59c**
 Main Floor

Notice to Charge Customers

All goods purchased To-morrow, Thursday, April 30, will be charged on next month's account and statement presented in June.

Big Attractions in the Millinery Department

Ready-to-wear Hats
 In tailored effect, colors include sand, brown, navy, green and black with ribbon bands; values to \$2.50. Sale Price **\$1.98**

Ready-to-wear Hats
 In all the new shades including brown, navy, red, green and orange, ribbon trimmings; values to \$5.00. Sale Price **\$2.55**

Untrimmed Shapes
 In fine straws, large and small shapes in green, grey, navy, sand, red and black; values to \$3.00. Sale Price **\$1.95**

Pattern Hats
 All exclusive styles in the latest shades of green, orange, sand, brown, navy and black with trimmings of flowers and hand-made effects; values to \$7.50. Sale Price **\$3.95**

Art Needlework Bargains

Stamped Three-Piece Buffet Sets
 Of white needleweave, four different designs. Sale Price **25c**

Night Gowns
 Of good quality longcloth, round and V necks. Sale Price **\$1.00**

Stamped Crash Scarves to Match
 Sale Price **55c**

New Neckwear at Big Savings

Rayon Silk Scarves
 Good width and length, finished with fringe ends, shown in self colors, also with contrasting stripes at ends; values to \$1.00. Sale Price **59c**

Rayon Silk Scarves
 Extra wide scarves in a variety of colorings including peach, tan, navy, grey, purple, sage, amethyst, sand, brown and Pekin in plain, dropstitch and leather mixtures; some of these were sold in regular stock at \$5.50. Sale Price **\$1.55**

Fashionable Neckwear
 Collars, collar and cuffs sets and vests of lace, organdie, flannel and pique, shown in white, cream and colors; regular \$1.00. Sale Price **59c**

Starched Collar and Cuff sets
 Collar and cuff sets in linen, self colors of canary, green, white, blue, sand and rose; also in a large variety of plaids and check gingham; regular \$1.00. Sale Price **69c**
 Main Floor

Extraordinary Values in Gloves for Women and Children

Women's Chamoisette Gloves
 With two dome fasteners and silk embroidered points, in colors of brown, grey, heaver, black and white; sizes 6 to 8. Sale Price, per pair **49c**

Oddments in Women's Chamoisette Gloves
 Gauntlet style with strap wrist, in black white and grey, also 12 buttons—length chamoisette gloves in brown only; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Regular \$1.15. Sale Price, per pair **59c**

Women's Novelty Chamoisette Gloves
 12 button length, floral design on cuff, shown in pastel mode and beaver; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Regular \$1.75. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.29**
 Main Floor

Women's "Kaysar" Gloves
 With one dome fastener, double finger tips, fancy and self embroidered points, in colors of brown, black and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2; broken sizes only; regular \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair **79c**

Children's Novelty Chamoisette Gloves
 With fancy wrist, two dome fasteners, self stitched points, collars include mode, beaver, brown and grey; broken sizes 2 to 6. Regular 75c. Sale Price, per pair **49c**

Children's Long Silk Gloves
 Of good wearing quality with double finger tips, white only in sizes 3 to 6; regular \$2.00. Sale Price, per pair **59c**
 Main Floor

Novelties From the Jewelry Department

Values to \$1.95 for 79c
 Included in the assortment are rolled gold bar pins set with pearls and brilliants, lingerie clasps, baby set pins, birthday pins, enamel brooches, eye glass chains, ladies' gold watch chains, wrist watch bracelets, pearl necklets, bar tops, sterling silver bar pins set with brilliants and many other novelties all taken from our regular stock; values to \$1.95. Sale Price **79c**
 Main Floor

Nine o'Clock Special 300 Men's Fine Shirts at 89c Each

Or 2 for \$1.75
 A host of neat colored stripes in percale and woven cloths, also plain blue, green and fawn. Coat style with stiff collar and soft double cuffs; sizes 14 to 16 1/2. On Sale from 9 to 12 o'clock or as long as quantity lasts.
 Thursday Morning Special **89c**
 2 for \$1.75
 No Phone or C.O.D. orders please
 Main Floor

Men's Clothing and Furnishings at Sensational Reductions

Men's Suits, Values to \$35.00 for \$19.95
 These Suits were bought specially for our Anniversary Sale. They are tailored from fine worsted finished fabrics and blue serges in smart models for young men as well as men with conservative tastes; sizes 34 to 44. Values to \$35.00. Sale Price **\$19.95**

Young Men's Brown Vicuna Suits, \$14.95
 Smartly cut two-button models in fine wool vicuna, well tailored throughout and finished with good trimmings; sizes 35 to 38. A limited number of these so come early for this offering. Sale Price **\$14.95**

Men's Khaki and Chambray Work Shirts
 Strong quality khaki and blue and fawn chambray work shirts. Well made garments with attached collars; all sizes. Sale Price **95c**

Men's Neglige Shirts
 A special purchase of Arrow Shirts, in broadcloths, fancy silk stripe fabrics and woven madras, of the highest quality. Most of these shirts have the new style soft collar to match. 260 shirts newly opened up for this sale and every one worth \$2.50 to \$4.50 each; all sizes. In the lot. Sale Price, at each **\$2.35**

Men's English Straw Hats
 English Made Sennit Braid Hats, with leather sweat bands. Smart shapes for Summer wear; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Sale Price, each **\$1.00**
 Main Floor

Electric Irons at \$3.95 EACH

We are offering 100 of these irons at this special price. It is the best value we have ever offered. If you have been putting off buying an electric iron on account of the price, buy now. Complete with cord and plug. Sale Price, each, **\$3.95**

Electric Toaster Stoves at \$1.49 Each

We sold quantities of these toasters during our last sale. Two hundred of these to clear at each, **\$1.49**
 Lower Main Floor

Stainless Steel Knives

At Remarkably Low Prices
 25 dozen only to our sale. Dinner Knives, round or square handles. Sale Price, 6 for **\$3.48**
 Dessert Knives, round or square handles. Sale Price, 6 for **\$2.98**
 Lower Main Floor

Savings in the China Section

100-piece Dinner Sets
 One of the special Dinnerware offerings is a beautiful 100-piece white and gold set. This is decidedly a sale special. We have sold sets like these at twice the price. Beautiful clear, white body china, handles gold finished. Sale Price, per 100-piece dinner and tea set **\$35.98**

52-piece Dinner Set
 Here is an unusual offering in the new open stock Dinnerware; three distinctly different patterns to choose from; 52 pieces, sufficient for six persons. Sale Price, per set **\$13.95**

25 Only, Beautiful Cut Glass Fruit Bowls
 on three feet; would make an ideal wedding gift; regular \$10.50. Sale Price **\$5.95**

China Whipped Cream Sets
 Small ladle, bowl and plate; regular \$1.35. Sale Price **.98c**

Butter Crocks
 4-gallon size with cover. Sale Price **\$1.39**
 5-gallon size with cover. Sale Price **\$1.69**
 6-gallon size with cover. Sale Price **\$2.25**
 Lower Main Floor

Bargains in Boys' Wear

Boys' Blue Serge Reefers
 Smart little Reefers in good quality navy serge, full lined with strong sateen and well tailored throughout. Sizes to fit boys 2 to 6 years old. Just 50 of these to clear Thursday. Sale Price, each **\$2.55**

Boys' Blue Serge and Tweed Straight Knickers
 Straight Knicker Pants in grey and brown tweeds and rough blue serge. All full lined. Sizes to fit boys 4 to 10 years old. Price, per pair **98c**

Boys' Khaki Coveralls
 Made from strong quality khaki cotton, overall style that buttons close up to the throat; all buttons riveted on; sizes 3 to 8 years. Suitable for boys or girls. Sale Price, per suit **\$1.00**

Boys' Double Tweed Blomber Suits
 All Wool Donegal Tweeds in fawn and black and white. Belton coats lined with strong quality sateen. Full-lined bloomers, finished with Governor fasteners. Sizes to fit boys 8 to 14 years. Sale Price **\$7.95**
 Main Floor

Girls' Gingham Dresses for \$1.19

In splendid quality check gingham, long waisted style with Peter Pan collar and two pockets, finished with neat edging. Others have neat wood embroidery on bodice and pockets, the mesh of self material in a large variety of checks. Sizes 6 to 13 years. Also Pantie Dresses for the little tots in strong quality chambray trimmed with neat edging or check gingham, in shades of pink, tan, blue and green; sizes 2 to 6 years. Sale Price **\$1.19**

Special Turkey Luncheon at 60c

Served from 11.30 to 2.30 To-morrow in addition to our usual \$2 luncheon.

MENU
 Consomme Julienne—Cream of Asparagus
 Broiled Spring Salmon and Cucumber
 Roast Turkey and Cranberry
 Prime Ribs of Beef—Yorkshire Pudding
 Roast Potatoes—Green Peas
 Brown and White Rolls and Butter
 Peach Melba, Lady Fingers
 Mocha and Java Coffee
 Double Cream
 Restaurant, Fourth Floor

BASEBALL, CRICKET, SPORTING NEWS, SWIMMING, GOLF

Champions Gain First Berth In American League

Washington Jumps Into Lead as Result of Walter Johnson's Pitching

Giants Show Way in National; Reds Stick Close; Sisler Gathers Another Hit

New York, April 29.—Opening of the third week of the 1925 major league season to-day finds unreckoned contenders still clinging to the flying coat tails of the champion New York Giants and Washington Senators with the pre-season first division favorites manifesting no signs of recovering from slumps.

As Washington again stepped into undisputed possession of first place from a tie with Philadelphia in the American League yesterday, the veteran Walter Johnson giving Boston only four hits, the Detroit Tigers pitched deeper into the mire by dropping their seventh straight game to the Browns, 5-2.

The Yankees saved by rain yesterday have likewise been one of the season's disappointments with only a slight edge on Detroit.

REDS DOING WELL

Cincinnati, continues playing winning ball with a makeshift line-up and good pitching, breaking their tie for second place with Chicago yesterday by defeating the Chicago Cubs 9-3. The Phillies made possible the dropping of the National League race by beating the Giants 7-5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit, April 29.—Although Davis was wild, striking ten walks and hitting one batsman, Detroit was unable to hit his offerings and St. Louis won a fourth straight game here yesterday. The visitors had men on base in every inning, but Gerber's error in the fourth after three runs, it was Detroit's seventh straight defeat and the fourteenth consecutive game in which St. Louis has won.

JOHNSON WINS AGAIN

Boston, April 29.—Walter Johnson held Boston to four hits and nine runs in the first two innings of the game here yesterday. The champion was nine to two. Doubles by Flagstad and Boone and a single by Wambagans brought Boston's two runs in the first two innings.

SOX LOSE TO INDIANS

Chicago, April 29.—George Uhle bested Ted Blankenship in a pitching duel yesterday, holding the White Sox to four hits, while Cleveland hit Blankenship with men on base and won three to two. Strick and Speck hit the visitors materially with their stick work.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York, April 29.—A seventh-inning rally that netted four runs enabled the Philadelphia Nationals to win their first victory of the season from the Giants yesterday, 7 to 5. Mitchell, the Phillies veteran left-hander, was effective although two of the seven hits made off him were home runs, driven out by Menzel and Snyder.

PIRATES TRIM CARDS

St. Louis, April 29.—The St. Louis Cardinals were defeated yesterday for the fifth straight time, losing to the Pittsburgh Pirates in the third game of the series 7 to 3. Rhem was pounded freely. Rogers Hornsby, Cardinal second baseman, back in the line-up for the first time since he was hit in the head last Thursday, got two singles.

ALEX POUNDED FOR WIN

Cincinnati, April 29.—Cincinnati pounded Alexander rather freely yesterday and won the third game of the series 3 to 2. Zitzman returned to left field for the Reds and got two hits, both of them for extra bases. Rixey held the Cubs in check.

CHIEF BOWLER



THOMAS McCOSH

The Victoria Lawn Bowling Club is presided over by the genial "Tom" McCosh, who is one of the pioneers of the game in this city.

Y.M.C.A. Secures Fine Pool Located At Curtis Point

Association Will Attempt to Develop Young Swimmers at New Quarters

Fine swimming facilities have been secured by the Y.M.C.A. at Curtis Point for the coming summer. The "Y" will control this fine pool and will make special accommodation for ladies while extra attention will be given to the children.

SEALS TAKE THE LEAD

San Francisco, April 29.—Four Salt Lake pitchers failed to hold the San Francisco batters in check yesterday and the seals went into undisputed possession of first place, for which they had been tied with the Bees. The score was 17 to 7.

ANGELS WIN OPENER

Los Angeles, April 29.—Charlie Root, held Sacramento to six well-distributed hits, struck out seven batters, and Los Angeles won the opening game of the series yesterday 2 to 1.

A BOOST FOR CASEY

New York, April 29.—Ray Casey of San Francisco, selected yesterday on the American tennis team to compete in England during June is considered by William T. Tilden, II, one of the greatest players in the country. Tilden declares Casey has one of the most terrible services on the court to-day.

"BISCUITS" TOSSES GARDINI

Philadelphia, April 29.—Stanislaus Zbysko, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, last night threw Renato Gardini of Boston in 55.29, with a reverse body hold. The match, which was for the title, was at one fall.

WEISMULLER A WINNER

Los Angeles, April 29.—Johnny Weismuller, holder of several swimming records, defeated Sam Kahanamoku, Hawaiian star, in a fifty-yard free style match race at the Los Angeles Athletic Club here last night. The time was 22 4-10 seconds.

"See Kearns" Was All Dempsey Told Boxing Commission

New York Officials Tried to Draw Champ on Certain Points But Failed

EXPANSION OF W.C.H.L. WILL BE WELL DISCUSSED

Vancouver, April 29.—Frank and Lester Patrick, Vancouver Western Canada Hockey League, leave to-morrow night for Calgary to attend the Spring meeting of the Western Canada Hockey League, which President E. L. Richardson has called for Friday morning.

COAST LEAGUE

Seattle, April 29.—An error by Emmor in the ninth inning nearly cost Seattle the first game of the series with Oakland here yesterday. The Indians finally winning 6 to 5. Manager Killefer was forced to use two pitchers in the last inning to subdue a rally which the Oaks started.

PORTLAND IN CELLAR

Portland, April 29.—Portland dropped back into the cellar yesterday by losing the first game of the series to Vernon, which climbed into seventh place. The score was 5 to 4.

SEALS TAKE THE LEAD

San Francisco, April 29.—Four Salt Lake pitchers failed to hold the San Francisco batters in check yesterday and the seals went into undisputed possession of first place, for which they had been tied with the Bees. The score was 17 to 7.

ANGELS WIN OPENER

Los Angeles, April 29.—Charlie Root, held Sacramento to six well-distributed hits, struck out seven batters, and Los Angeles won the opening game of the series yesterday 2 to 1.

A BOOST FOR CASEY

New York, April 29.—Ray Casey of San Francisco, selected yesterday on the American tennis team to compete in England during June is considered by William T. Tilden, II, one of the greatest players in the country. Tilden declares Casey has one of the most terrible services on the court to-day.

"BISCUITS" TOSSES GARDINI

Philadelphia, April 29.—Stanislaus Zbysko, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, last night threw Renato Gardini of Boston in 55.29, with a reverse body hold. The match, which was for the title, was at one fall.

WEISMULLER A WINNER

Los Angeles, April 29.—Johnny Weismuller, holder of several swimming records, defeated Sam Kahanamoku, Hawaiian star, in a fifty-yard free style match race at the Los Angeles Athletic Club here last night. The time was 22 4-10 seconds.

YANKEES STAR HURT AGAIN



EARL COMBS

The New York Yankees lost their star outfielder last week when he pulled a muscle in his leg. Combs is rated one of the greatest outfielders in the game, the best that has broken into the majors in the last ten years.

That is high praise, but Combs appears to deserve it. Then he suffered an accident that probably had much to do with the failure of the New York Yankees to win the pennant last year.

Early in the season, in a game at Cleveland, he suffered a broken leg, sliding into the plate. It was a very bad break and the fear was expressed that he might never play again.

It is a precedent in baseball that when a fast man breaks a leg it materially cuts down on his speed. When the Yanks reported for Spring training, Combs was the important question mark of the camp.

While he favors the leg a trifle in running, there seems to be no diminution of his speed and he is one of the fleetest men in baseball. Combs, a great hitter, very fast and a fine fielder, plays centre field for the Yankees.

HEBREW GIRLS ARE EASY PICKING FOR EDMONTON GRADS.

Edmonton, April 29.—There is still one-half of the women's Dominion basketball championship series to be played on Thursday night, but judging from last night's performance the Edmonton Grads are in no danger of losing their title. They took the Eastern challengers, the Young Women's Hebrew Association of Toronto, into camp last night, 15-1, and were never in danger. The score in the first period was 2-1, the game being played on a new floor which gave both teams trouble. The visitors had lots of opportunities to score but their shooting was very weak. Dot Johnson, speedy forward of the Grads, made five field baskets, over half of her team's points.

WON ON A FOUL

Grand Forks, N.D., April 29.—"Billy" Petrolle of Fargo won from Johnny Knauf of Grand Forks in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round bout on a foul here last night.

FLOYD JOHNSON LOSES

Yernon, Cal., April 29.—Eddie Huffman, former coast light heavyweight champion, won a decision over Floyd Johnson of Iowa, in a ten-round bout here last night.

Roger Wethered Takes Wife To-day in London

London, April 29.—Roger Wethered, famous British golfer, was married to Miss Elizabeth Cavendish Bentinck, daughter of Lord Cavendish Bentinck.

"How to Improve Your Tennis"

By BILL TILDEN, Great Tennis Player and Tennis Authority of All Time

This Series of 24 daily articles will tell players of all ages—from youngsters below the teens to elderly dubs—how to improve their game.

It Begins in Next Monday's Issue on the Sports Page

Erratic Shooting Leaves Varsity in Rear By Ten Points

Ottawa Rideaus Prove Too Fast For B.C. Champs in Canadian Hoop Finals

FINE INSTRUCTOR

Miles, who before coming to Mississauga Golf Club, near Toronto, was for many years professional at Merton Park Golf Club, near London, and enjoyed the reputation of being one of the finest teachers in England.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL STANDINGS

Table with columns for League standing including games of Saturday, April 25; English League; First Division; Second Division; Third Division—Southern Section; Third Division—Northern Section.

HOOKS FOURTEEN BEAUTIES WITH FLY AT PROSPECT

Fred O. Finn, agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, took the afternoon off yesterday from trying to land passengers for his road and hiked to Prospect Lake where he tantalized the trout with a Greenwood fly.

Cowichan Second Eleven Hands Out Defeat to Seniors

Duncan, April 29.—Crickets started off with a good turnout of players this week, some of the younger players showing good promise. Teams captained by the respected leaders of the first and second elevens took the field, the result being a win for the second team by 148 runs. The full scores follow:

Table showing cricket scores for Napper's XI, Bais' XI, and other teams.

Chemainus Golfer Sinks His Tee Shot

Chemainus, April 29.—The second hole on the new golf course, which is a masher shot, was holed out in one stroke on Sunday by H. E. Hendip. This is the first hole to be played out in one stroke on the new course, which is daily becoming more popular and is proving a great asset to the locality.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Table with columns for Scottish League; First Division; Second Division.

SPLENDID SERIES IS ARRANGED FOR MOSHER BENEFIT

Two Star Local Elevens to Meet Next Wednesday to Play For City Rep Places

Pick of Victoria Will Meet Best of Upper-Island; Island vs. Mainland

Although the football season is nearly on its last legs some fine soccer will be presented to the fans before the curtain is finally dropped. The Connaught Cup series has to be disposed of and two Victoria teams are in that competition. In addition a new series of games has been arranged for the benefit of Harry Mosher, of Vancouver, who broke his leg in Melbourne on July 1 last when playing against Australia.

RIGHT OUT OF LUCK

Mosher's leg was not properly set and since returning to Vancouver he has had seven operations performed and been forced to miss an entire year of his university course. The Dominion Football Association is very anxious to help Mosher, but owing to the deficit incurred by the visit of the Corinthians, is not in a financial position to do so.

JOURNEY TO NANAIMO

A selection committee of the Lower Island Football Association will be on hand to watch the game and then pick the best eleven players to carry the colors to Nanaimo, the pick of the upper island. These teams will meet in Nanaimo on Wednesday, May 13. The series will then be carried to Victoria to remember the pick of the Island will clash with the pick of Vancouver and District on May 15. This will make a splendid series and should prove much fine football.

MUNN LOSES TZNISLS

Kansas City, Mo., April 29.—Wayne Munn, former heavyweight wrestling champion, underwent an operation yesterday here for removal of his tonsils. Gabe Kaufman, his manager, said Munn probably would be out of the hospital a week and fit for his match with Ed. "Strangler" Lewis at Michigan City, Ind., May 20.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., April 29.—An international amateur baseball league was organized at a meeting here held yesterday. Four clubs, Caribide of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, Newberry, St. Ignace, and the Canadian Soo, comprising the circuit.

RAY TO RUN IN SEATTLE

Seattle, April 29.—Joey Ray, American distance runner, who is to appear in a feature event of the University of Washington relay carnival here May 9, will arrive in Seattle two days before the meet, he telegraphed the university yesterday.

San Francisco Club Announced

San Francisco, April 29.—The Mission Athletic Club announced yesterday that it had signed George Godfrey, negro heavyweight, and Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight, for a ten-round bout here on June 27. Renault will come here after his bout with Jack Sharkey in Boston on June 5.

Second Division

Table with columns for Second Division; P. W. L. D. Pts.

Third Division—Northern Section

Table with columns for Third Division—Northern Section; P. W. L. D. Pts.

Third Division—Southern Section

Table with columns for Third Division—Southern Section; P. W. L. D. Pts.

Scottish League

Table with columns for Scottish League; First Division; Second Division.

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

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

IMPORTANT STORE NEWS

The Spencer's Stores are forging ahead along a well defined plan of development. We are demonstrating in a special way, commencing Thursday and during the coming month, our increasing ability to do business

Not only will we have remarkable offerings owing to some very large purchases, results of co-operation with manufacturers, but we will endeavor to strengthen every point of store service and our ability to satisfy your wants to the mutual advantage of manufacturer, distributor and consumer.

\$10,000 Worth of New Dresses for \$5,000

Will Be Sold at Half Price While They Last



Poiret Twill, Tricotine and Flannel Dresses

On Sale For
\$6.90

Navy Blue Poiret Twill and Tricotine Dresses, designed on simple lines, trimmed with fancy braids and buttons, in self and contrasting shades. Sleeves are full or three-quarter length. There are also a number of sports dresses in plaid, stripe and plain flannel, with stiff collars and cuffs, leather and tie belts, long sleeves. Prevailing shades for sports wear; sizes 16 to 40. On sale for **\$6.90**

Beaded, Ribbon and Lace Trimmed Afternoon Frocks

On Sale, Each
\$12.90

Beaded Ribbon and Lace Trimmed Afternoon Frocks of georgette, Canton, flat and satin crepe, in shades of green, grey, brown, Saxe, navy and black. The frocks are designed on straight lines, some with frilly bouffant skirts, others with Godets of pleating. The sleeves vary from very short to full length. The necks finished with collars and piping; sizes 16 to 44. On sale, each **\$12.90**

Some Handsome Frocks

Beautifully Trimmed

On Sale For
\$19.90

This group of frocks include Chiffon Velvet, in black, marabou trimmed; satin, Canton, flat georgette and crepe de Chine. The trimmings consist of embroidery in gold and bright shades; braiding, beading, ribbon, lace and buttons. The sleeves are short or full length, the necks piped and with collars. Straight line and girdled, low waist line. The shades are jade and pinegrove, green, brown, fawn, grey, navy and black; sizes 16 to 48. On sale for **\$19.90**



Many Beautiful and Distinctive Dresses for \$24.90

This group includes many beautiful and gorgeous frocks of eut velvet, ostrich, flower and marabou trimmed, black and lace trimmed georgettes, braided and embroidered Canton and satin crepes, tunic and Godet effect skirts; sleeveless, short and full length sleeves. Necks are finished with or without collars. The shades include this season's high shades of browns and fawns; also grey, navy, nigger and black. Suitable for afternoon or semievening wear; sizes 16 to 44. On sale, each **\$24.90**

Canton Crepe de Chine and Flat Crepe Dresses for \$9.90

Dresses of Canton, crepe de Chine and flat crepe for afternoon wear. They have short sleeves, plain and collared necks, trimmed with fancy ribbon, braid and buttons. The shades include grey, sand, fawn, cocoa, nigger, brown, Saxe, peacock and navy, henna, rust and black apron fronts, with tie girdles and straight line styles; sizes 16 to 42. —Mantles, First Floor.

Women's and Children's Knit Underwear at Half Price

Medium Weight Knit Cotton Combinations, high neck, short sleeves, knee length; odd lines to clear. Regular \$2.50 for **\$1.25**

Women's Heavy Cotton Vests, Zimmerknit; odd lines, splendid value; regular \$1.50. On sale for half price, **75¢**

Women's Winter Weight Drawers, knee or ankle length, open or closed styles, odd lines, splendid values; regular \$1.50. On sale for **50¢**

Children's Wool Mixture High Neck Vests, with long sleeves, good weight; odd sizes for ages 7, 8 and 9 years. Values to \$1.25 for **85¢**

Women's All Wool Combinations, V neck, short sleeves, knee length, good weight; regular \$6.50. On sale for half price, a pair **\$3.25**

—Knit Underwear, First Floor



Pleated Skirts With Waists

Wonderful Bargains at **\$1.00 Each**

Skirts of check homespun, pleated on to white bodice and shown in shades of mauve, green, grey and brown, in sizes for 8 to 14 years. Ideal for school wear with middie or sweaters; values to \$1.50, for, each **\$1.00**

Navy and Fawn Serge Skirts neatly pleated and attached to white cotton bodice. Special, each **\$1.00**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Women's House Dresses and Aprons

ASpecial Purchase to Sell at Bargain Prices Thursday

\$1.00 and \$1.98

House Dresses made up from good quality gingham in a selection of attractive plaid and check designs. Light or dark colors. On sale for, each **\$1.00**

House Dresses in extra large sizes, made of blue and mauve chambray with square neck, sleeves and pocket trimmed with rick-rack braid. On sale for, each, **\$1.98**

Large White Cooking Aprons with wide cross over straps and bib, full around skirt, finished with pockets. On sale for, each **\$1.00**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Collar and Cuff Sets

Special Thursday, Each
69c, 98c and \$1.98

Collar and Cuff Sets, in organdie, lace, linen and fancy Oriental collars, jabots, vestees and panel fronts; all one price **98¢**

New Lace Cascades, panel fronts, novelty vestees, suede collar and cuffs, linen; some trimmed with real Irish. Special, each **\$1.98**

New Launderer Collar and Cuff Sets, in smart plaid effects. Special, a set **69¢**

—Neckwear, First Floor

Women's Fine Undermuslins at Bargain Prices To-morrow

Bloomers of colored satinette, plain or figured materials, double or single elastic knee, in a splendid selection of light and dark colors. Regular value to \$2.75 for, a pair **\$1.19**

Bloomers of cotton dimity, will wear and launder well, in white, flesh, maize and peach. On sale for, a pair **59¢**

Costume Slips of fine broadcloth with hemstitched top and shoulder straps in shades of sand, orchid and pink. On sale for **\$1.79**

Princess Slips of fine muslin with lace trimmed flounce. On sale for, each **98¢**

Underskirts of fine white cotton finished with tucked and embroidered flounce. On sale for, each **98¢**

Corset Covers of good grade cotton, trimmed with Val. lace and insertion, ribbon run; sizes 36 to 44. On sale for, each **49¢**


Crepe Gowns in slip-on styles with allover butterfly designs and shirred fronts. On sale for, each **\$1.25**

Oddments in fine lingerie, hand made and hand embroidered garments comprising envelope chemises, drawers and cami-skirts; regular values to \$5.95. On sale for **\$2.98**

Crepe Kimonas in attractive styles and colors, trimmed with hand embroidery and crepe ruchings in shades of rose, Saxe, apricot and pink. On sale for, each **\$1.98**

Underskirts of colored taffetine with tucked and pleated flounce, in navy emerald, cerise, Saxe and purple. On sale for, each **98¢**

—Whitewear, First Floor



Women's Kayser Silk Underwear Reduced

Great Bargains Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Kayser Silk Vests with round or opera straps, good quality silk, ribbon run; shown in flesh and white in sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$3.50 for, each **\$2.50**

Kayser Silk Vests with round or opera tops, plain finish, made extra long; sizes 36 to 42; in flesh and white. Regular to \$4.75 for, each **\$3.00**

Kayser Silk Vests, round or opera tops, hemstitched, good weight, finished with ribbons; sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$4.75 for **\$5.00**

Kayser Silk Bloomers, double gussets, marvel fit, elastic waist and knees; shown in white, smoke, flesh, navy, beige, black; all sizes. Values to \$5.75 for, a pair **\$3.50**

Kayser Silk Envelope Chemise, opera or round straps; a well-known brand of good weight; shown in white and flesh; sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$5.95 for, each **\$3.50**

Evening Combinations of fine quality silk with elastic tops. Values to \$5.95 for, each **\$3.50**

—Knit Underwear, First Floor

Bargain Table of Children's Wear

Values to \$1.25. **25c**

On Sale for **25c**

Boys' Cotton Suits, Oliver Twist and Buster Brown styles, in khaki, blue, white and stripes; sizes for 2 to 4 years; values to \$1.25, for **25¢**

Blue Denim Overalls, with strap shoulders, knee length, red piping; size 2 only. A pair **25¢**

White Wool Gaiters, knee length values to \$1.00. On sale for **25¢**

White Cotton Drawers, for girls from 2 to 4 years. A pair, **25¢**

Boys' Hats and Caps of felt, astrachan and plush. Special, each **25¢**

Red Cloth Gaiters, knee length; sizes for 2 to 4 years. Special, a pair **25¢**

White Flannel and Corduroy Caps and Tams, each **25¢**

Odd garments, 1 blue jean blouse; size 8; 1 blue pleated skirt, size 4, and 1 overall apron, size 12. Each **25¢**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Bargain Table of Children's Wear

Values to \$2.75. On Sale **50c**

For **50c**

White Jean Balkan and Regulation Style Middies, with pink or blue collars and cuffs, long sleeves; sizes for 6 to 12 years. Values to \$1.25, for **50¢**

Embroidered Voile Dresses, 3 only, in sizes for 4 to 6 years; values to \$3.75, for **50¢**

White Cotton Nightgowns, with long or short sleeves, embroidery or lace trimmed and ribbon run; sizes for 3 to 14 years; values to \$1.25, for **50¢**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Lace and Embroidery

At Special Bargain Prices To-morrow

Real Hand Made Torchon and Chantilly Lace, 2 inches wide; regular 25c for, a yard **15¢**

2 1/4 inches wide; regular 40c, for, a yard **29¢**

5 inches wide; regular 80c, for, a yard **49¢**

New Embroidery Edgings, in blind and openwork patterns, on heavy cloth. Special at, a yard **5¢**

Embroidery Edging, 2 to 4 inches wide, suitable for children's wear. Special, a yard **10¢**

Radium Lace, in allover designs, in wool and silk; regular \$4.75. Special, a yard **\$1.98**

—Main Floor

A Special Purchase of Berry Pickers' Overalls

That Sell Regularly at \$2.50. **\$1.50**

On Sale for **\$1.50**

Now is your opportunity to get ready for your future needs at the lowest possible cost.

350 Pairs of Women's and Children's Khaki Overalls, practical styles with bib and pockets, adjustable shoulder and ankle straps; sizes 28 to 42. On sale for, a pair **\$1.50**

—First Floor

Children's Waists, Special, 2 for \$1.00

Waists of good weight white cotton, buttoned down back, adjustable shoulder straps, buttons around waist-line to fasten clothing on to; sizes for 2 to 10 years. Also a few simplicity waists, slip-on style, not all sizes in this lot. Special, 2 for **\$1.00**

—Corsets, First Floor

Children's Panty Dresses

Regular \$1.50. Great Bargain Thursday **\$1.00**

At, Each **\$1.00**

Black Sateen Panty Dresses, in a good variety of styles; dresses made in loose style, with novelty trimmings of gingham and bright colors; panties made with elastic at waist and band at knee. Regular value \$1.50. On sale for **\$1.00**

Children's Colored Chambray and Gingham Dresses, with bloomers to match, good quality fabrics and smart styles, in sizes for 2 to 6 years. Special, **\$1.25** and **\$1.50**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Mah Jong Sets

A Great Bargain. Regular \$2.25. On sale, Complete **98c**

for **98c**

Mah Jong Sets of hand-carved bamboo tiles, bone counters and dice complete. Put up in lacquered box, with tray. These will not last long, at this ridiculously low price. Regular \$2.25. On sale, a set **98¢**

—Notions, Main Floor

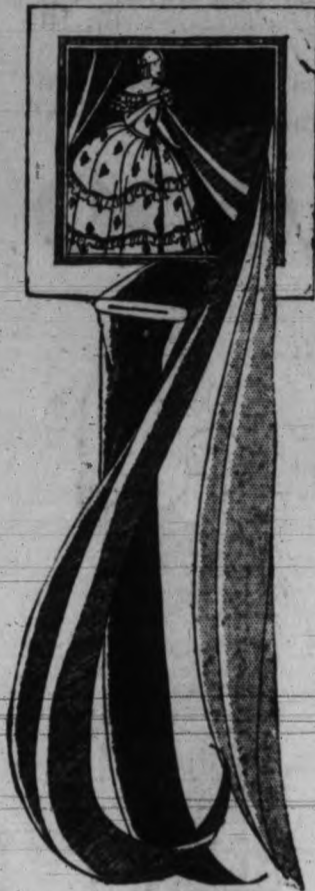
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IMPORTANT STORE NEWS

A Sale of Silks

Spun Silk, at, a Yard, 98c



A Heavy Grade All Silk, for dresses or lingerie. It washes and wears well. Shades are pink, white, flesh, natural, old rose, Saxe, navy, black, brown, orchid, lavender, tan, biscuit, peach, jade, lacquer, turquoise, sky and copper. Great value, a yard.....**98c**

29-inch Spun Silk. A Yard, 69c

Hard-wearing Silk with a slight cotton mixture; suitable for lingerie. A yard.....**69c**

33-inch Natural Pongee. A Yard, 69c

Natural Pongee, free from filling, washes well and is suitable for dresses, children's wear and curtains. On sale, a yard.....**69c**

40-inch Rayon Silk. Regular Price, a Yard, \$2.00 for \$1.59

Artificial silk and cotton, good design, wears well and is suitable for ensemble suits or tunics. Grey, navy, cream, old rose, white, grey, orchid and Saxe grounds. Yard, **\$1.59**

40-inch Fancy Woolen Crepe. Regular Price, a Yard, \$2.00 for 98c

All Wool Crepe and a medium weight for dresses; makes up well and is light and warm; small designs. Black and green, black and rose, gold and green, Saxe and copper, rose and green. A yard.....**98c**

40-inch Silk Crepe. Reg. Price \$2.00 for 98c

A Soft Finish Silk Crepe in small check designs. Shades are navy, fawn, blue and white, black and white, brown and fawn. Great value, a yard.....**98c**

40-inch Satin Baronet. Regular Price, a Yard, \$4.00 for \$1.89

A Handsome Satin with a rich sheen; very soft and suitable for dresses. Shades are maize, mauve, blue, navy and green. Great value, a yard.....**\$1.89**

40-inch Stripe Satin. A Yard, \$1.98

A Check Satin for dresses that makes up smartly. Shown in green, blue green, mauve, fawn, lemon and red. A yard.....**\$1.98**

38-inch Crepe Marocain. A Yard, \$1.98

A heavy grade silk and cotton mixture; ideal for dresses. Peach, grey, almond green, biscuit, mauve, lovers green, Saxe and sky. On sale, a yard.....**\$1.98**

40-inch Embroidered Crepe. Regular Price \$2.00 for 98c

A Smart Crepe with a silk embroidery design; makes up well in dresses. Shades are mauve and gold, blue and orange, green and copper, all grey, all blue, fawn and maize. Great value, a yard.....**98c**

36-inch Tussah Silk. Regular Price \$1.90 for 98c

A mixture of silk and cotton with a very bright sheen and good design. Shades are gold, sky, white, maize, peach, ceru, grey, black. On sale, a yard.....**98c**

36-inch Silk Crepe. On Sale, a Yard, \$1.39

Well-made Crepes of good texture for crepes. Shades are lemon, peach, sky, mauve, fawn, black, navy, grey, white, cream, rose, lavender, orange, biscuit, stone. A yard, **\$1.39**

36-inch Satin Check Crepe. A Yard, \$1.98

A new Crepe with a satin check and of fine appearance. Shades are powder blue, almond green, navy, rose, white, lavender, orange and maize. A yard.....**\$1.98**

Stamped Goods

Wonderful Bargains Thursday

House Dresses, 4 only, stamped and made up on unbleached cotton and 2 only, stamped flat on brown linen; regular \$1.90 for, each.....**\$1.00**

Children's Dresses embroidered on fine Swiss muslin in colors, pale blue, pink, green and peach; sizes for 1 to 4 years. Regular \$1.25 for, each.....**75c**

Children's Nightgowns, stamped on fine quality crepe, in sizes for 10 to 14 years; white only. Reg. \$2.25 for, each.....**\$1.00**

Women's Nightgowns, stamped flat on soft cotton, easy designs to embroider. Special, each.....**\$1.00**

Step-in Chemisette, stamped and made up on peach voile, 7 pieces only; sizes 28 to 32. Regular \$1.10 and \$1.45 for, each.....**75c**

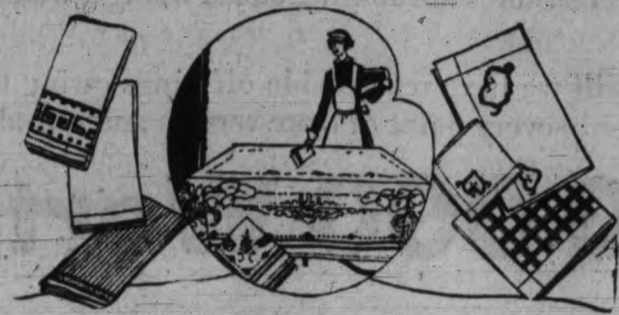
Bucilla Packages, 3 only, made up infants' Dresses, stamped on white batiste. Each.....**75c**

WOOLS

Gossamer Wool, a fine quality 2-ply botany yarn, suitable for fine garments of all descriptions; regular 30c a 1-oz. ball. Special, 2 balls for.....**25c**

Corcettill, a heavy wool, suitable for sweaters and garments in colors navy, Saxe, rose, grey, green, buff, emerald, maroon and white. Reg. \$1.98. On sale for, a pound.....**\$1.49**

Art Needlework; First Floor



A Special Purchase of TABLE LINENS

Travelers' Samples to Clear at About Half the Regular Price

These consist of English-made runners, dresser sets, squares, white and colored embroidery and trimmed with lace; tray cloths, laundry bags, cushion covers in choice assortment of painted gold block printed on saten, embroidered crash, muslin, piano tops. No two alike. All clean new goods. On sale, in our Linen Department at about half the regular price.

Special Purchase of Real Hand Work, Oriental Designs on Real Irish Linens

Beautiful goods, ideal designs, linens that will adorn any home. Bought at great advantage. No two pieces alike. Beautiful Cluny hand made, lace trimmed, handsome cut-out designs. On sale at special prices.

Irish Damask Pure Linen Cloths, Great Values

These are all perfect goods suitable for daily use. Three excellent designs.

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| Cloths, 70x70 inches. Regular price, each, \$4.75 for..... \$3.95 | Colleen Brand Irish Damask Napkins, ivy pattern. We cleared the makers of this design at a big discount. All perfect goods; size 22x22 inches. Regular price, a dozen, \$5.50. On sale, a dozen..... \$3.95 |
| Cloths, 70x90 inches. Regular price, each, \$5.95 for..... \$4.95 | |
| Napkins to match, 22x22 inches. On sale, a half-dozen..... \$2.50 | |

Corsets, Corsettes and Brassieres

Special Bargain Offering Thursday



Side Hook Corsettes, of pink coutil, without bones, insets of elastic, in back, and four hose supporters. Special at, each.....**\$1.00**

Corsettes, back hook styles, made of pink novelty cotton without bones, wide insets of elastic over hips and four hose supporters. Special, each.....**\$1.75**

Corsettes for young girls, made of pink novelty cotton, in back hook style, with very short skirt, boneless, elastic insets in hips and four hose supporters. Special, each.....**\$1.75**

Pink Satin Corsettes, back hook style of good weight pink satin, insets of elastic over hips and four hose supporters. Special, each.....**\$5.00**

Corset Belts, made of pink coutil and elastic fasten down front with dome fasteners and have four hose supporters. Special, each.....**\$1.00**

"Treo" Girdles, very short, fasten down front with heavy hooks and eyes, lightly boned, good weight pink broche and elastic. Special, each.....**\$3.50**

Corsets, with spiral wire boning, ideal for full figures, back laced style, good weight white coutil, medium bust, graduated front steel. Regular \$6.50 for, a pair **\$5.00**

Brassieres for full figures, front hook style, white Indian head, top trimmed with narrow white embroidery; sizes 36 to 46. Special, each.....**\$1.00**

Front Laced Corsets of white coutil, medium bust, long skirt, well boned and with ventilated back, suitable for full figures. Special, a pair.....**\$4.75**

Step-in Corsets, made of all surgical elastic, with no bones, four hose supporters, exceptionally good fitting. A pair.....**\$5.00**

Wrap Corsets, made of sections of satin striped batiste and elastic, finished with lace and satin ribbon around bottom. Special, a pair.....**\$3.50**

Royal Worcester Girdles, wrap style, soft boning, made of pink coutil and elastic, short skirt, low bust, four hose supporters. Special, each.....**\$2.75**

Whalebone Hair Brushes

Special Week-end Sale

An excellent assortment of Whalebone Hair Brushes, exceptionally good values, go on sale for the week-end. Your, choice, each.....**75c**

Toilet Articles Section

Richard Hudnut's Free Offer

With each jar of Vanishing Cream, Cold Cream or Skin Food purchased, value 50c, we give you a trial box of Three Flowers Face Powder, FREE.

Perfumery Section

250 Pairs of Boys' Running Shoes

Clearing At, a Pair.....**\$1.00**

Boots and Oxfords in black or brown, "Fleetfoot." All sizes to 5½. Clearing at, a pair.....**\$1.00**

Lower Main Floor

WOMEN'S SHOES

Some Wonderful Bargains Offered To-morrow

Black Satin Pumps, in new gore and strap effects; all sizes. A pair.....**\$4.95**

Crepe Rubber Sole Golf Shoes, in light tan calf, Oxfords with extra strap and buckle and new non-slip soles. A pair.....**\$5.00**

Light Tan Strap Pumps, with low or medium heels. Special, a pair.....**\$5.00**

Misses' Light Tan and Black Calf and Patent Leather Oxfords; sizes 11 to 2. A pair.....**\$2.95**

Misses' Patent Sandal, good quality shoes, with double soles and rubber heels; sizes 11 to 2. A pair.....**\$2.75**

Women's Shoes, First Floor

500 Pairs Women's Boudoir Slippers to Sell at, a Pair, \$1.00

Boudoir Slippers, in suede and kid, all colors, rubber heels, soft leather soles and pom pom trimmed. Packard make; all sizes, in all lines. Special, a pair, **\$1.00**

In the Special Bargain Shoe Section

On the Lower Main Floor

We are offering many very attractive specials in Women's and Children's Shoes for Thursday at, a pair.....**\$1.95**

Also hundreds of pairs of lines taken from our regular stock and greatly reduced to **\$2.95** and.....**\$3.95**

Lower Main Floor

Stationery at Bargain Prices To-morrow

Good Quality Stationery, packed in useful and pretty boxes; make dainty gifts for any occasion. Value to \$5.00 to sell at.....**HALF PRICE**

Odd Lines of Stationery to be cleared at, each.....**25c**

Playing Cards in leather cases; splendid bridge prizes. Each.....**69c**

Lower Main Floor

Hemmed Sheets and Pillow Cases

Exceptional Qualities At Special Prices—Perfect Goods Bought Direct From the Mills



Hemmed Sheets ready for use. We buy the sheetings and have them hemmed. No charge for hemming. This is a big special. Stout, round thread.

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| Sheets | | Sheets | |
| 60x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$3.00 | | 63x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$3.75 | |
| 70x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$3.50 | | 72x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$4.50 | |
| 80x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$4.00 | | 80x90 inches. Special, a pair..... \$5.25 | |
| 90x100 inches. Special, a pair..... \$5.25 | | | |

Pillow Cases, Hemstitched

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| 40x33 inches. Special, each..... 35c | 40x33 inches. Special, each..... 50c |
| 42x33 inches. Special, each..... 35c | 42x33 inches. Special, each..... 50c |
| 44x33 inches. Special, each..... 40c | 44x33 inches. Special, each..... 55c |
| | 46x33 inches. Special, each..... 60c |

Staples, Main Floor

Bedspreads Great Values

Strong Durable Bedspreads, such as English marcella dimity, colored alhambra and crocheted. At special price quotations.

White Crinkle Bedspreads, 72x90 inches, at, each.....**\$2.95**

Crochet Bedspreads, in blue, pink and gold, 72x84 inches. Big value, each.....**\$2.95**

English Alhambra Bedspreads, 72 x 90 inches, each.....**\$4.50**

Popular American Colored Dimity Bedspreads, 72x90 inches. Special, at **\$6.75**

American Colored Crochet White Bedspreads, 84x94, each.....**\$4.95**

Famous English Marcella Bedspreads, 80x96 inches, each.....**\$6.75**

Satin English Marcella Bedspreads, 86x96 inches, each.....**\$9.75**

Satin, English Marcella White Bedspreads, 88x104-inch size, each.....**\$11.95**

English Marcella White Bedspreads, 72x96 inches, each.....**\$5.95**

Lancashire Silk Finish Damask White Bedspreads, 68x88 inches, each.....**\$5.75**

Lancashire Silk Finish White Damask Bedspreads, size 78x98. On sale, each.....**\$7.50**

Staples, Main Floor

BROADCLOTHS AT 59c A YARD

Other Fine Wash Goods at Special Prices

We have several lines which have sold well, and in consequence there are some colorings left. These we will clear at special prices.

English Broadcloths, in stripes and floral designs. Splendid grade, mercerized, 38-inch. Regular 95c a yard, for.....**59c**

Swiss Tussore Silk, in dainty contrast designs; will wear well; 38-inch. Regular, a yard \$1.00, for.....**59c**

Plain English Ratines, jade green, white, pale lemon and paddy green, 36-inch. Reg. a yard 49c, for.....**29c**

English Melange Suitings, ideal fabric with all the appearance of woolen suiting. Shown in neat, mixed colorings and checks, 36-inch. Regular \$1.15 a yard, for.....**79c**

Guaranteed Fast Color Check and Plaid Gingham, mill ends of 10 to 15 yards, any length cut for customers. Suitable for house dresses and children's wear. A dress length of 3 yards for.....**87c**

Check or Plaid Gingham, in a choice of colors, 32 inches wide. Regular, a yard 39c. On sale for.....**29c**

Wash Goods, Main Floor

Wonderful Offering of Trimmed Hats at \$2.00 Each



Smartly Trimmed Ready-to-Wear Hats, in shades of almond green, navy, rose, black, brown, sand and grey, in small or large brim shapes, floral trimmed or banded straws. Styles and fittings suitable for either matrons or misses. Wonderful bargains at, each.....**\$2.00**

Millinery, First Floor

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

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Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday, 7 p.m. Saturday, 9 p.m.

IMPORTANT STORE NEWS

The Spencer's Stores are forging ahead along a well defined plan of development. We are demonstrating in a special way, commencing Thursday and during the coming month, our increasing ability to do business.

Not only will we have remarkable offerings owing to some very large purchases, results of co-operation with manufacturers, but we will endeavor to strengthen every point of store service and our ability to satisfy your wants to the mutual advantage of manufacturer, distributor and consumer.



Women's Hosiery

Full Range of All the Popular Colors

Gordon Chiffon Hose, full fashioned, reinforced heels, soles and toes. Shades are black, airdale, French, nude, gunmetal, bluish and Russia calf. A pair **\$3.00**

Kayser Full Fashioned Chiffon Hose, with pointed heels, lisle garter tops. Shades are black, gunmetal, platinum, silver and mauresque; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **\$2.50**

Venus Pure Thread Silk Hose, elastic garter top and strongly reinforced foot; black, white and colors; sizes 8½ to 10½. At a pair **\$2.00**

Marvel Pure Silk Hose, pointed heels; made of the finest quality, thread silk, shaped leg, extra wide top, reinforced heel, sole and toe; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **\$2.00**

Ribbed Silk Hose for sports wear; this hose combines softness, durability and style with perfect fit. Colors are black, fawn, sponge, brown, log cabin, airdale, pongee and silver grey. A pair **\$2.00**

Novelty Stripe Silk Hose, with double garter top and reinforced foot; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **\$1.00**

Fine Quality Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, double sole and high spliced heel; black and colors. A pair **\$1.75**

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, reinforced with art silk, double heel, sole and toe, seam up back of leg; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **98¢**

Neat Fitting Lisle Hose, special values to be had in black, white and colors. At a pair **59¢**

Full Fashioned Silk Lustre Hose, seamless, hemmed garter tops, strongly reinforced foot. Shown in black, white, fawn and brown. A pair **50¢**

Full Mercerized Ribbed Lisle Hose, ribbed to toe, a good wearing hose, in shades of black, sand, grey and log cabin; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **89¢**

Children's Hosiery

EXCELLENT VALUES THURSDAY

Children's Socks, fancy tops, ¾ length lisle hose, ribbed to toe. Suitable for either boys or girls; sizes 6½ to 10. A pair **89¢**

Medium Weight Golf Hose; brown, grey and fawn, with fancy turn-over tops; sizes 6, 6½, 7 and 7½. A pair **98¢**

Sizes 8, 8½, 9 9½ and 10. A pair **\$1.25**

Children's Silk Socks, ribbed cuff, shown in white, mauve, sand, peach, rose buttercup, sky, navy and brown. A pair **75¢**

Children's ¾ Length Lisle Socks, with fancy turn-over tops; sizes 6½ to 9. A pair **50¢**

Children's Pure Silk Hose, in fine 1-and-1 rib. Shades are brown, pink, sky and white. A pair **\$1.50**

Boys' Strong Serviceable Black Cotton Hose, knitted in the 2-and-1 rib which insures a neat fit. Have comfortable seamless feet, and are reinforced at heels and toes. Priced according to size at, a pair, **50¢** and **60¢**

Boys' Knit English Golf Hose, ¾ length, in mixtures of grey and brown, with fancy turn-over tops; sizes 7½ to 10. At a pair **\$1.25**

Children's Fine 1-and-1 Rib Cotton Hose, in black, brown and white. A pair **35¢**

Or 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

Children's Art Silk and Mercerized Cotton Hose, ¾ length, with turn-over tops; sizes 6 to 9½. May be had in nude, sand, stone, brown, black and white. Special at, a pair **50¢**

Mercerized Half Socks in shades of black, white, buttercup, sand, jade and romper, with contrasting colored tops. A pair **35¢**

BOOKS

Excellent Bargains To-morrow

Now is your chance to secure books to read at camp or while traveling. Books of all kinds, specially priced at 3 for **\$1.00**

A special table for poetry to be cleared out at 20% off their usual price. Modern and standard works. Reprints and Novels at, each **49¢**

Children's Books. Special values at, each **\$1.00**

A clearance table of Children's Books and kindergarten goods to sell at, each **10¢**

New Spring Novels now on sale at, each **\$2.00**

Boys' Underwear, Great Values For All Ages

Boys' Cashmere Drawers, good weight, knee length; sizes 24 to 32; regular price 95¢. On Sale for **25¢**

Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, natural color, strong and durable; sizes 22 to 32. On Sale a pair **50¢**

Small Boys' English Combinations, with short sleeves and quarter leg; soft and comfortable; sizes 22 to 28. A suit **\$1.50**

Boys' Balbriggan Combinations; sizes 22 to 32. Have short sleeves and quarter leg, neatly made. A suit **75¢**

Boys' Fine Nainsook Combinations, no sleeves and quarter leg. On Sale, a suit **75¢**

Boys' "Hatchway" No-button Combinations, Balbriggan and White Nainsook—Athletic style; sizes 22 to 32. Great value, a suit **\$1.00**

Underwear for the big boy to size 34. Great value. —Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor.

Men's Ties—A Number of Good Values

25 Dozen Silk Ties with wide ends, patterned in fancy stripes and brocades; regular 75¢ and \$1.00 values. On sale for **50¢**

Men's Socks

Men's All Wool Black and Navy Cashmere Socks, with embroidered clocks; sizes 11 to 11½ only. Regular price, a pair \$1.00, for **69¢**

Silk and Wool Socks, in two-tone shades and with fancy embroidered clocks. Several colors; sizes 10 only. Reg. price \$1.00, for **69¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

SPECIAL LUNCHEON

Thursday

50c

Chicken Okra
Filet of Sole—Tartar Sauce
Veal Cutlets—Milanaisé
Braised Beef à la Mode
Combination Salad
Roast Chicken or Turkey
Petit Pois
Roast Brown or Mashed Potatoes
Caramel Nut Pudding
Rhubarb, Apple or Raisin Pie
Tea, Coffee, Milk
Rolls and Butter
—Dining-room,
First Floor



Men's Shirts, Drawers and Combinations A Bargain

Watson's Natural Spring Needle Underwear, light weight for Spring shirts and drawers, long sleeves and ankle length. On sale, a garment **\$1.39**

Combinations with short or long sleeves and ankle length. On sale, a suit **\$2.39**

25 dozen men's natural shade, merino finish, Cotton Undershirts and Drawers. Shirts have short sleeves, drawers ankle length. On sale, a garment **69¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Fine Cotton Shirts, of soft, Ceylon finish. Made in Scotland. Large bodies, reversible polo collars; single band cuffs and pocket; light Spring weight. Assorted stripes on a cream ground. On Sale, each **\$1.75**

Pure Wool (Forella) Forsyth Brand Light Weight Shirts, neat stripes on a white ground, with silk stripe running through the pattern. Made with soft neck band, double soft cuffs and separate collar; sizes 14 to 16; regular price \$5.25. **\$3.95**

On sale for

Men's High Grade Shoes

Selling Regularly at \$9.00 and \$10.00 for **\$4.90**

Including Slater's, Talbot's, "K's" and such famous makes.
Black or Brown Calf Boots and Brown Kid Boots and Oxfords; all sizes. A pair **\$4.90**

Men's Brown Calf Oxfords, welted double soles and fashionable square toe lasts. Regular \$6.00 a pair for **\$2.95**

Men's Solid Leather Work Boots of brown grain leather. Special, a pair **\$2.95**

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

Men's Suits

Three Bargain Groups, Tweed and Serge, New Models, Big Values at

\$13.50 \$15.00 \$19.75

Men's Irish Blue Serge Suits, made of all wool cloths, fashioned in two and three-button models, tailored and trimmed perfectly. Suits that will wear well and give great service. On sale at, each **\$13.50**

Men's Tweed and Worsted Suits, made from English and Canadian cloths. They are smartly tailored, well modeled and in browns, greys, pin-stripes, herringbones and fancy tweeds. Young men's or conservative models. A great bargain at **\$15.00**

New Model Suits of English tweeds and worsteds, medium and dark plain colors, pin-stripes and subdued shades. The models are neat and represent the styles mostly in demand; half belts, fancy backs, one button, double breasted with long roll lapels, and new, English models; all sizes. A great bargain at **\$19.75**

—Men's Suits, Main Floor

Five Dozen All Wool Golf Sweaters

Regular Price \$3.50, For

\$2.75

Five Dozen All Wool Golf Sweaters, light weight Jersey cloth and in camel shade only. Made without collar, and two pockets, jacket sleeves; all sizes. On sale, each **\$2.75**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



Men's SHIRTS

All Bargains, Thursday

100 Dozen Men's Negligee Shirts, made of Bedford cords, Bombay cords and woven Zephyrs. Patterned in fancy and wide and narrow stripes, assorted colors. They have starch neckbands and double soft cuffs. Every shirt guaranteed as to fit **\$1.79** and size; regular \$2.25. On sale

English Union Taffeta Shirts, wool and cotton mixture of wool and cotton, made coat-shape with soft neck band and double cuffs; fancy assorted stripes; sizes 14½ to 16. Two dozen only to sell; **\$2.45** regular price \$5.00. On Sale for

Men's Percalé Shirts, printed, our own brand, patterned in fancy stripes on a white ground. They have soft double cuffs and starch neck band. On Sale, **\$1.39** each

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Boy's Furnishings

Including Shirts, Jerseys and Coveralls All Great Values

Boys' Strong, Twill Khaki Shirts, well made and with plain or sports collar; sizes 12 to 13½. **\$1.25** for

Boys' Cotton Jerseys, in assorted colors, plain or polo collars; sizes 22 to 32. **50c** Each

Boys' Combination Overalls of khaki twill, trimmed with red; sizes for 3 to 8 years. **\$1.35** At

Boys' Blue Chambray Combination Overalls, red trimmed. Sizes 3 to 8 years. **95c** A pair

Boys' Wool Tweed Bloomers, sizes 28 to 35; full lined and with Governor fasteners. Well made pants that will wear well. **\$1.00** A pair

Boys' English Gaberdine Raincoats, double breasted styles; full belt and two-way collar, full check lined; sizes 28 to 36. A bargain **\$6.95** at

—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor

Boys' Suits, Two Great Values for \$5.95 and \$10.95

Boys' Suits of strong union tweeds; shades browns, greens and grey. They are neatly tailored and well trimmed. Have full lined bloomer pants with governor fasteners; sizes 26 to 35. On sale a suit **\$5.95**

Boys' Suits of fine all wool tweed, ideal for Spring wear. Shown in a great assortment of patterns and shades.

Two Pairs of Full Lined Bloomers Given With Each Suit

This is a chance to get a Spring suit for your boy at a bargain price; sizes 26 to 36 **\$10.95**

—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor.



50 Only, Men's Hats, Regular Values to \$8.50, On Sale for \$4.50

Broken lines in Men's Velour and Fur Felt Hats in such well-known makes as Borsalino's, Stetson and Joseph E. Ward; all smart shapes and colors; some silk lined, all with leather band. Values to \$8.50. On sale for, each **\$4.50**

—Men's Hats, Main Floor

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, 1 p.m. Saturday, 5 p.m.

IMPORTANT STORE NEWS

Great Values in Hardware, Ranges, Chinaware Silverware and Cut Glass

A Sale of Wear-Ever Aluminum



Great Values in Kitchen Utensils

Wear-Ever Tea Kettles, 5-quart, seamless spout, tight-fitting cover; regular price \$5.50. On sale for... \$3.79

- Wear-Ever Tea Kettles, 7 1/2 quart size; absolutely seamless. They have sheet spout and tight-fitting covers; regular price, each, \$6.05. On sale for... \$3.95
Wear-Ever Saucepans, 1 quart. Each... 62¢
Wear-Ever Lip Saucepans, 2 quart. Each... 83¢

The Hardware Department Offers Many Excellent Values

- Heavy Copper Nickel-plated Tea Kettles, 5 1/4 quart size; regular price \$2.85. On sale for... \$1.98
Large Galvanized Wash Tubs, with drop handles, wire rims and corrugated bottoms. Regular \$2.00 for... \$1.00
"Char" Polishing Mops with a big sweep; complete with handles; regular 95¢. On sale for... 54¢

1,000 Pieces of Kitchen Maid Aluminumware

98c

Regular Prices Up to \$1.75 Each. On Sale, Each... 98c
10-quart aluminum pails, 2-quart rice boilers, 4-quart convex saucepans, 2-quart rice boilers, 6-quart convex kettles, 1 to 3-quart flaring saucepans, 1 to 3-quart pudding pans, self-basting round roasters, fry pans, and 6-cup paneled percolators. Regular \$1.75 for, each... 98¢

Lawn Mowers of the Better Type Excellent Values

- Thousand Island Lawn Mower, 4 blades, 12-inch cut. Each... \$10.00
Thousand Island Lawn Mower, 4 blades, 14-inch cut. Each... \$11.50
Thousand Island Mower, 4 blades, 16-inch cut. Each... \$13.00



\$15,000 Worth of Albion Ranges

Made to Our Order—At a Special Price—These Reliable Ranges We Can Now Sell to You at Considerably Less Than Ordinarily

We have placed a large order with the Albion Stove Company of this city amounting to \$15,000. For this large order the Albion Company gave us a considerable price concession, and this advantage in price we pass on to our customers on Thursday. The Albion Ranges are well known for their reliability, and at the prices we can now afford to sell them to you will make them twice worthy of your attention.

- With black high closet. Each... \$53.75
With enamel high closet. Each... \$56.00



Silverware and Cut Glass

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Genuine Community Silverware on sale at exactly half price. Highest quality standard silverware in Community Patrician pattern. Tea Spoons; regular \$5.50. On sale for, a dozen... \$4.25
Community Patrician Table Forks; regular \$17.99. On sale for, a dozen... \$5.50

Cut Glass Articles

Special Values at, Each, \$1.00

- All these articles in special gift boxes and are extraordinary value at \$1.00 each. Included in the assortment are—
1 Pair of Cut-glass Vases. The pair... \$1.00
1 Pair of Candlesticks. The pair... \$1.00
1 Flower Bowl and Block. Each... \$1.00
1 Large Cut-glass Vase. Each... \$1.00

Suit Cases and Letter Cases

All Real Bargains

Tan Enameled Leatherized Fibre Suit Cases, imported, stronger than leather and light as a feather. Have heavy protected corners, metal hinge, cotton lined leather swing handle, two lever spring locks and trimmed all around with brass studs and four large brass studs on bottom.

- Size 22-inch. On sale for... \$6.75
Size 24-inch. On sale for... \$7.25
Size 26-inch. On sale for... \$7.75

CHINAWARE

Sale of Odd Pieces and Sets at Bargain Prices, Thursday

- English Tea Sets, 5 only, 21 pieces, 6 cups and saucers, 6 teaplates, 1 sugar and 1 cream. Special, a set... \$1.95
Soup Plates, regular \$5.40 a dozen. On Sale at 6 for... 99¢
Fancy China Sugar and Creams, very special. A pair... 49¢

BEDTIME STORY

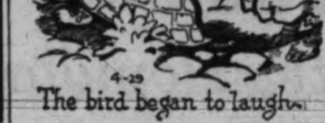
Uncle Wiggily and the Funny Door

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Uncle Wiggily carefully stuck his head out of the bathroom, where he had gone to shave his whiskers and put a little talcum powder on the end of his pink, twinkling nose. The rabbit gentleman saw Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy mending a hole in a stocking, and in a rocking chair nearby was Mrs. Uncle Wiggily, the new bunny wife, beating up some eggs to make a strawberry-jam-cake.

"No, I don't see either Tingle, Jingle, Scooter, Tooter or Nipper now," said Mrs. Wiggily. "But if you want them—"

"No, No! Not for the world!" cried Uncle Wiggily, holding up both paws and laughing. "That's just what I don't want—any of my new little rabbits just now. I am going adventuring and the last time I started off two of the little bunnies filled my tall silk hat with water and gave me a shower bath. So now I thought I'd



The bird began to laugh.

slip off alone, quietly, and have an adventure. Then I'll come back and tell them a bedtime story about it." "Oh, how lovely!" exclaimed Mrs. Wiggily, while Nurse Jane sort of sniffed as if she had a cold. "Run along, Wiggie," said his new wife. "None of the children will see you."

Carefully and quietly Uncle Wiggily slipped out of his holiole window. Over the hedge he could hear the little bunny children laughing and shouting. "They are having a good time," thought Mr. Longears. "When next I go adventuring I will take some of them with me!"

Then Mr. Longears twinkled his pink nose and thought how jolly it was to be a family rabbit—for he had married a wife and family after living alone with just Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy for a meekrat lady housekeeper many years.

"But suddenly," as Uncle Wiggily hopped along he heard voices coming from behind a large stone. The voices were those of rabbit children. "It's a doctor!" said a little boy rabbit. "It's a funny door!" I know it is! Maybe it's the door to Fairyland and if we knock it will open and we can go in."

"All right—go ahead—knock!" said the voice of a little girl rabbit. Then Uncle Wiggily heard a tapping sound, as though some one were knocking on a door.

"But there is no door around here," thought Mr. Longears to himself, for he knew the woods and fields from one end to the other. "There is no door here to Fairyland, or any other place. I wonder what it is they are knocking at."

He crept nearer and listened. Again came that tapping sound. Then the boy rabbit said: "I tapped on the funny door with a stone but it doesn't open. Suppose you try, Jingle."

"All right, Tooter," was the answer. "Why, these are some of my own little rabbit children!" laughed Uncle Wiggily to himself. "I must see what they are doing."

BRITISH COLUMBIA TO EXPORT GYPSUM SOON

Manitoba Company Plans to Develop Deposits For Overseas Markets

Winnipeg, April 29.—That a substantial market for Canadian products exists in New Zealand, Australia and the Orient for manufacturers who go after business, is the opinion held by William Armstrong, vice-president of the Manitoba Gypsum Company, who has just returned to Winnipeg from a combined business and holiday trip.

The Canadian manufacturer, Mr. Armstrong said, has a decided advantage over the United States in seeking entry into the New Zealand and Australian markets. There is the preference in both countries which favors Canada, and again, he said, there was a preference of the people for Canadian goods.

The chief requirement is for the manufacturer to go there, find out what the people want and then endeavor to fill their needs," he declared.

From the immigration viewpoint, Mr. Armstrong believes Canada offers greater attractions and opportunities than either New Zealand or Australia. In the latter country, he said, property was held at too high a figure to permit men without money to make a start, while the restrictive regulations limited the number of people that might be admitted there.

The Government system in Australia, he considered, afforded the Canadian manufacturer additional advantages. There the stringent regulations restricting working conditions made the cost of production so great that it was possible for Canadian manufacturers to compete successfully with the Australian.

JUGOSLAVIA WARNED

Milan, April 29.—The Sofia correspondent of The Secolo says in a dispatch that Premier Mussolini of Italy has firmly but courteously informed Jugoslavia that Italy would not tolerate any action by Jugoslavia against Bulgaria.

GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is dangerous unless checked. Gin Pills will remedy all kidney troubles. Get a box to-day before it is too late.

Mayonnaise A New Way

"How do you make your mayonnaise?"—hear your friends ask that when they taste yours made with lemon juice in place of vinegar. Note the new tang and zest, the daintier flavor. See how good this dressing tastes.

Our teaspoon method: 1 teaspoon milk to 1 teaspoon vinegar; 1 egg yolk; 1 tablespoon lemon juice; 1 cup salad oil. Mix the dry ingredients, add the egg yolk and mix well. Add the oil a very little at a time at first, then when an emulsion is made add the oil and lemon juice alternately.

Use California lemons, practically seedless, juicy, tart, to get the best results.

California Lemons

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For Sale at All Hardware Stores and Building Supply Dealers. Made by Sidney Roofing & Paper Co., Ltd., Victoria, B.C.

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HERTZOG OPPOSES SECESSION NOTION

Premier Says it Would be Mistake For South Africa to Leave Empire

Capetown, April 29.—Premier Hertzog, addressing the National Assembly yesterday, opposed secession of the Union of South Africa from the British Empire. He said secession would be a flagrant mistake for the Union of South Africa and that it would be a national disaster if it were caused by one section, either British or Dutch, imposing its will on the other.

He said he did not fear secession so long as each section refrained from attempting to assert its superiority or to dominate the other. He urged both

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

Wall Street TO-DAY

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, APRIL 29, 1925

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

Table of New York Stock Exchange data including columns for High, Low, Last, and various stock prices like American Steel, Bethlehem Steel, etc.

U. S. Bankers Backing Britain To Restore Pound To Parity

Washington, April 29.—Announcement that U. S. bankers had agreed to back Britain in restoring the pound to parity...

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, April 29 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: The market staged a big come back in the late trade...

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, April 29.—Cotton: The market staged a big come back in the late trade...

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, April 29.—Sugar: The market staged a big come back in the late trade...

Retail Market

Table of Retail Market prices for various goods like flour, sugar, and other commodities.

Wholesale Market

Table of Wholesale Market prices for various goods like beef, pork, and other commodities.

Money Market To-day

New York, April 29.—Call money easy; high 3 1/2%; low 3%; ruling rate 3 1/2%...

METAL MARKETS

London, April 29.—Standard copper, spot, 100 lbs., 118.00; futures, 118.00...

VICTORY BONDS

Victory Loan, 5 1/2%—Tax Free 1927 1st June and December 107.50 107.50...

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

New York, April 29.—Foreign exchange firm. Quotations in cents. Great Britain—Demand 48 1/2...

SPRITED BUYING SEES WHEAT UP

Winnipeg, April 29.—Spirited buying before the wheat market closed today lifted wheat prices from a break of nearly five cents to a comparatively strong position...

NEW YORK WILD IN SCRAMBLE FOR B.C. MINE STOCK

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The Canadian exportable surplus is placed at about 50,000,000 bushels, and it will not take much buying to quickly reduce this amount heavily...

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BULGARIA RECEIVES BRITISH WARNING

London, April 29.—Replying to a question in the Commons to-day regarding the Bulgarian situation...

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The Bank of Montreal, Gov't St. will remove to their new building at the corner of Douglas and Yates Streets and open for business there on Friday morning the 1st of May.

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Dated this 28th day of April, 1925.

SYDNEY MORTIMER JONES,
Applicant.

TIMES CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

It took a short time to construct this puzzle. But the ease of construction has nothing to do with its solution. It may be a sticker. Try it.

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ANSWERS TO CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

- Slender spoon used to carry one thread on sewing machine.
- Turning around axis like wheel.
- To regret extremely.
- To diminish gradually.
- Region.
- Aperture.
- Clever.
- To attempt.
- Gave nourishment.
- To accomplish.
- To cry as a crow cries.
- Epoch.
- Myself.
- Lacy beautiful red or pink or white flower.
- Feminine pronoun.
- Twenty-four hours.
- Aesthetics.
- Bel.
- Edge of a skirt.
- To smooth and dress as birds do their feathers.
- Twice.
- Upon.
- Courteous.
- Alcoholic drink.
- Conjunction used with either.
- Fish (favorite in Japan and China).
- Flap on a shoe.
- Conjunction.
- Mental anguish.
- Tree that bears acorns.
- Janet.
- Shelter afforded by an object in the wind.
- Boom.
- Sax.

VERTICAL

- Plaits.
- Pronoun.
- Vegetable (generally dark red).
- Neuter pronoun.
- A horse.
- Corded cloth.
- Conjunction used with either.
- Inspired with dread.
- Fish spawn.
- Shawl.
- The foot of a cat.
- Portion of a circle.
- A parrot that attacks sheep.
- To yelp.
- To cook by immersing in fat.
- Tired.
- To come in.
- To deserve.
- Root of vine used instead of potatoes in tropical countries.

"The Circular Staircase"

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

The evening dragged along slowly. Mrs. Watson came to my bedroom before I went to bed and asked if I had any errands. She showed me a badly swollen hand, with reddish streaks running toward the elbow; she said it was the hand she had hurt the night of the murder a week before I went to bed and asked if it might be serious, and I told her to let Doctor Stewart see it.

The next morning Mrs. Watson went up to town on the eleven train, and was admitted to the Charity Hospital. She was suffering from blood-poisoning. I fully meant to go up and see her there; but other things drove her entirely from my mind. I telephoned to the hospital that day, however, and ordered a private room for her, and whatever comforts she might be allowed.

Mrs. Armstrong arrived Monday evening with her husband's body. She sent for me before she went, and I saw she had been crying. "How can I thank you, Miss Innes?" You have taken me on faith, and you have not asked me any questions. Some times, perhaps, I can tell you; and when that time comes, you will all despise me. Halsey, 1925.

"I tried to tell her how glad I was to have had her, but there was something else she wanted to say. She said it finally, when she had had a comfortable good-bye to Halsey and the car was waiting at the door.

"Miss Innes," she said in a low tone, "if there is any attempt made to—have you give up the house, do it, if you possibly can. I am afraid to—have you stay."

That was all. Gertrude went into town with her and saw her safely home. She reported a decided cool-

ness in the greeting between Louise and her mother, and that Doctor Walker was there, apparently in charge of the arrangements for the funeral. Halsey disappeared shortly after Louise left and came home about nine that night, muggy and tired. As for Thomas, he went around dejected and sad, and I saw the detective watching him closely at dinner. Even now I wonder—what did Thomas know? What did he suspect?

At ten o'clock the household had settled down for the night. Liddy, who was taking Mrs. Watson's place, had finished examining the tea-towels and the corners of the shelves in the cooling-room, and had gone to bed. Alex, the gardener, had gone heavily up the circular staircase to his room, and Mr. Jamieson was examining the locks of the windows. Halsey dropped into a chair in the living-room, and stared moodily ahead. Once he roused.

"What sort of a looking chap is that Walker, Gertrude?" he asked.

"Rather tall, very dark, smooth-shaven. Not bad looking," Gertrude said, putting down the book she had been pretending to read. Halsey kicked a taboret viciously.

"Severely placed the village must be in the winter," he said irreverently. "A girl would be buried alive here."

It was then some one rapped at the door. Halsey got up leisurely and opened it, admitting Warner. He was out of breath from running, and he looked half-bashed.

"I am sorry to disturb you," he said. "But I didn't know what else to do. It's about Thomas."

"What about Thomas?" I asked.

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OLD CLAIMS LAID BEFORE GOVERNMENT

Winnipeg, April 29.—It is a far cry from 1812, and its battles belong to the category of unhappy, far-off things. But there is a wrong in Winnipeg who remembers and she is asking the Government of Canada to remember too.

She is Mrs. D. A. Kellar, granddaughter of Major-General James Russell, one of the heroes of 1812.

At that time General Russell was the proprietor of a small settlement on the quiet countryside of Bath, near Belleville, Ontario. When the invasion of the "uncanny" invaders—the British general turned his mill into a fortress and there sheltered his neighbors and finally repelled the invading force. He had saved that part of Upper Canada, but the mill was ruined.

The government spoke fair words in tribute of his services, but none of compensation for his losses. It is to secure this belated compensation that Mrs. Kellar, a widow for the past forty years, is now making representations to Ottawa.

In her appeal to the Federal authorities, Mrs. Kellar has the support of many prominent men in Western Canada, including Sir Hugh John Macdonald and Rev. C. W. Gordon. In support of her petition Dr. Gordon has sent the following letter to Ottawa:

"General Russell's granddaughter, while she was fit, earned her own living by hard work. To-day, friendless and alone, unable to work and too proud to beg, she appeals to the Government of Canada, which her gallant grandfather helped to defend, to give her a little aid in her declining years.

"In this she is moved by the feeling that since distinguished and brave her grandfather in those early days received no recognition or pecuniary reward, possibly the succeeding generation in whom the name and the pension to the dependants of those rendering military service has become familiar, may have some claim on the Government, and that those in charge of such matters may recognize it to be a privilege to care for her in her old age. In this feeling I heartily share."

APPEAL SUPPORTED

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Answer to Cross-Word Puzzle 0239

only way to deal with tariff rates is by the direct action of Congress. When the last tariff law was enacted there was much said that as soon as Europe settled down, making of rates here would be simplified. But Europe has been slow in settling down and it will still take much time before things in Europe are back to normal. The talk in Europe about paying the debts to the United States in goods tends to keep United States manufacturers stirred up and insistent on high rates. They do not take kindly to paying the debts in goods and it is plain to be seen the high tariff men in Congress will fight to the limit against any plan that would permit large quantities of European goods to enter the United States at rates lower than those of

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



THE RETURN OF ODYSSEUS

man looks bad, too; he can scarcely speak.

"He's as full of superstition as an egg is of meat," I said. "Halsey, bring some whisky and we will go down."

No one moved to get the whisky, from which I judged there were three pocket flasks ready for emergency. Gertrude threw a shawl around my shoulders, and we all started down the hill; I had made so many nocturnal excursions around the place that I knew my way perfectly. But Thomas was not on the veranda, nor was he inside the house. The men exchanged significant glances, and Warner got a lantern.

"He can't have gone far," he said. "He's trembling so that he couldn't stand, when I left."

Jamieson and Halsey together made the round of the lodge, occasionally calling the old man by name. But there was no response. No Thomas came, bowing and showing his white teeth through the darkness. I began to be vaguely uneasy for the first time. Gertrude, who was never nervous in the dark, went alone down the drive to the gate, and stood there, looking along the yellowish line of the road, while I waited on the tiny veranda.

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CHAPTER XX

Doctor Walker's Warning.

Warner was on his knees in a moment, fumbling at the old man's collar to loosen it, but Halsey caught his hand.

"Let him alone," he said. "You can't help him; he is dead."

We stood there, each avoiding the other's eyes; we spoke low and reverently in the presence of death, and we tacitly avoided any mention of the suspicion that was in every mind. When Mr. Jamieson had finished his cursory examination, he got up and dusted the knees of his trousers.

"There is no sign of injury," he said, and I knew I, for one, drew a long breath of relief. "From what Warner says and from his hiding in the closet, I should say he was scared to death. Fright and a weak heart, together."

"But what could have one it?" Gertrude asked. "He was all right this evening at dinner. Warner, what did he say when you found him on the porch?"

Warner looked shaken; his honest, boyish face was colorless.

"Just what I told you, Miss Innes. He'd been reading the paper downstairs; I had put up the car, and, feeling sleepy, I came down to the lodge to go to bed. As I went upstairs, Thomas put down the paper, and, taking his pipe, went out on the porch. Then I heard an exclamation from him."

"What did he say?" demanded Jamieson.

"To be continued"

Montreal, April 29.—Sugar prices were reduced ten cents a hundred pounds here yesterday, which makes a net decline for the month of April to date of thirty-five cents a hundred pounds.

THE GUMPS—SPRING FEVER



BRINGING UP FATHER



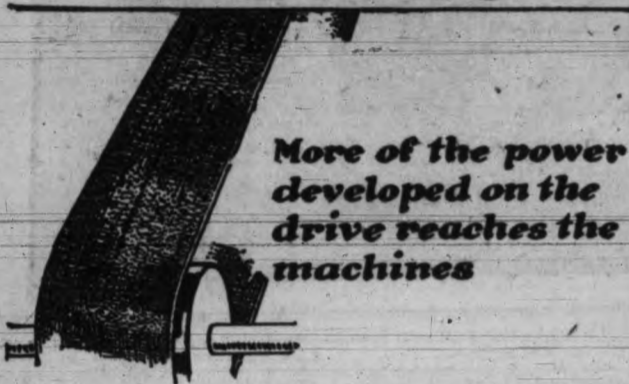
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Thompson is Found Guilty in Vancouver

Vancouver, April 29.—C. C. Thompson, alias "Ted" Hollywood, Seattle, was found guilty by a jury in the Assize Court here yesterday afternoon on a charge of being implicated in the City Hall payroll robbery of September 27, 1923, when city paymasters were relieved of \$75,000 in one of the most sensational holdups in the criminal annals of Vancouver.

Hollywood will come up for sentence on the charge at the conclusion of the Assize.

The jurors were absent from the court-room three hours and a half in reaching their verdict.

Thompson, along with Frank de Paulo, is now under arraignment on a charge of being concerned in the Capitol theatre hold-up of April 13, 1923, when \$2,700 was stolen. John Howell, who was also extradited to answer to the same charge, was freed when the case commenced yesterday afternoon, the prosecutor asking for a stay of proceedings.

ASK FOR "Peerless" BUTTER

B. C. Leads All Canada in Divorce as Dominion Total Keeps Climbing Yearly

By Times Staff Representative
 Ottawa, April 29.—Marriage is proving more unsuitable in British Columbia than in any other province in Canada, according to divorce figures compiled here. These statistics, showing an upward tendency in divorce all over Canada, reveal an extraordinary proportionate growth in marriage failures in the Pacific Coast Province. The latest figures, in fact, show that the divorce increase indicated by the figures for the years preceding 1924, is continuing and is in line with the frank alarm of leading parliamentarians over the break-up of Canadian homes.

The total of 543 divorces granted in Canada last year is an increase of 7.5 per cent over the total of the previous year. It is only five less than the record of 1921 when post-war conditions were thought to be responsible for a period of domestic uncertainty.

British Columbia, heading the list of all provinces, granted 134 divorces last year. Alberta was next with 118 and the other provinces in order were as follows: Ontario, 114; Manitoba, 77; Nova Scotia, 42; Saskatchewan, 28; New Brunswick, 15; Quebec, 13. As in the previous year, not a divorce was granted on Prince Edward Island.

Prince Edward Island seems to occupy an unique position in North America, where the divorce problem has mounted up like a wave in the last few years. Since Confederation only one marriage has been legally set aside in the island province. This one break in the long period of domestic tranquillity occurred in the year before the war. Apparently, therefore, even the unsettling effects of the war failed to break into the peace and quiet of Prince Edward Island's homes.

The new figures seem to support the apprehension over the divorce evil expressed in the House of Commons a short time ago, when the new divorce legislation was under consideration. At that time the 1924 statistics had not been compiled. Had they been available the leading members on both sides of the House, who pointed with alarm to the 1922 record, would have been still more alarmed.

British Columbia's position is regarded as particularly alarming as it leads the whole of the Dominion in divorces, despite its relatively small population. It must be remembered, however, that British Columbia, with other western provinces, enjoys greater facilities for divorce than some of the big eastern provinces, where applicants for divorce must take their case all the way to the Canadian Senate for action.

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Week-end Sale... **49c to \$6.75**

Specials in Staple Goods

Curtain Serim, white and ivory, plain centre, striped border; 31 inches wide, Thursday, **15c**
 Plain Serim, colored bordered; also Check Marquisette; 36 inches wide, Thursday, **19c**
 Pile Net in great variety, dainty spot and allover patterns, white and ivory; 40 inches wide, **55c**
 Cretonnes, allover rose patterns, light ground with blue and grey stripes; 36 inches wide, **29c**
 regular 40c to **29c**

PRETTY GINGHAMS
 400 yards, checks, stripes, plaids, for dresses and children's wear in light or dark color; good washing quality. Thursday special, yard **17c**

A Wonderful Bargain in Wool Crepe
 \$1.59 Value for only **95c**
 300 yards, All Wool Crepe, lovely soft even quality in all the season's most desirable shades, including almond, rust, sand, reindeer, nikko, tangerine, cedar, flame, burnt orange, navy, black and Pekin. A most desirable quality for dresses, blouses, etc.; 28 inches wide; sold in most stores at \$1.75. Thursday Special at **95c**

Remnant Day Bargains in Silks and Woolens

33-inch Natural Pongee, fine evenly woven pure silk, good weight; 95c value. Extra Special, **59c**
 a yard

36-inch Black Paillette, exceptional quality, will give every satisfaction; \$1.95 value. Special, **\$1.45**
 a yard

34-inch Novelty Silk Crepes in beautiful colorings and designs for overhauses, ensemble suits, etc. Vary colors, a yard **\$1.59**

35-inch Wool Crepe, a lovely fine quality in a large range of colors; \$1.59 value. Extra Special, **95c**
 a yard

35-inch Crepe Supreme, a wool crepe in self stripe effect for dresses, children's wear, etc., all the new shades; \$1.15 value. Special, a yard **\$1.15**

35-inch Novelty Check Wool Crepe, a smart dressy fabric, in splendid color combinations; regular \$2.50. Very special, a yard **\$1.59**

Women's Knit Underwear Reduced

Ladies' Bloomers in white, pink and helle, also peach, elastic waist and neck; sizes 36 to 44, **49c**
 Pair

Ladies' Vests in rib and plain cotton, opera and strap shoulder styles; sizes 36 to 40, **\$1.00**
 At **3 for \$1.00**

Ladies' Combinations, strap shoulder and opera style, also short sleeves, knee length light and open knee—
 Sizes 36 to 40... **\$1.15**
 Sizes 42 to extra odd sizes... **\$1.25**

HIGH SCHOOL IS CAUSE OF RIFT IN ESQUIMALT BOARD

Opinion Divided on Retention of Abolition of Separate Institution
 Manual Training and Domestic Science Also Under Fire

The policy of continuing a separate High School for the instruction of Esquimalt pupils was canvassed by the Esquimalt School Board in session last night on a motion by Trustee Victor Carver, who asked abolition of the school and the transferring of students to the Victoria High School.

CONCERT CANCELLED

An announcement on behalf of the school choir made today cancels the concert which had been announced for Friday evening of this week and makes provision for the refunding of money collected to the ticket holders. Those who have purchased tickets are asked to get in touch with the people from whom these were bought or telephone 3642X or 1307L.

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PIONEER DIED
 Nelson, B.C., April 28.—Edward Glasford of Yakk, thirty years in the Kootenay as a prospector and lumber worker, dropped dead here yesterday morning while returning to Kootenay Lake General Hospital after taking a walk. He was aged sixty-seven and had been in the hospital since December. He was an ex-Mounted Police and a Riel rebellion veteran, coming from Ottawa.