

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

People's Hall—Pantomime. Playhouse—The Cabaret Girl. Dominion—Fog and Rain. Columbia—Do and Dare. Royal Victoria—The Pilgrim. Capitol—Java Road.

MURDER OF BANK CLERK STURS THE CITY

TURKS TO PROPOSE TREATY CHANGES

Probably Will Ask Allies to Omit Territorial Clauses. Wish Economic Section of Allies Pact Left Out. London, March 1.—Reuter's today says there is indirect confirmation of reports that the Turks, in reply to the Allied peace proposals made at Lausanne, will propose an alternate draft treaty, modifying the territorial and financial clauses and leaving out the economic section.

SWISS FARM HANDS COME TO CANADA

Several Hundred Will Migrate This Spring. First Contingent in March Will Number 200. Ottawa, March 1.—Fritz Beck, of Berne, Switzerland, representing the Swiss Association of Colonization, called on Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and expressed the thanks of the association for the co-operation that has been given to Mr. Beck by the Department in the work entrusted to him in Canada by the Swiss Government.

THREAT AGAINST OBOLENSKI'S LIFE

New York Police Protecting Former Russian Prince. 'Agents of Free Russia' Wrote Him to Clear Out. New York, March 1.—Search was begun by the police today for the writer of letters threatening the life of Prince Dimitri Michael Alexandovitch Obolenski of Russia, whose mother was a Romanoff.

FRENCH WILL HEED ONLY OFFICIAL RUHR GERMAN PROPOSALS

Paris, March 1.—Not but official overtures will be acceptable in connection with arrangement for settlement of the Ruhr and reparations questions, it was asserted in French official circles today. It was pointed out that there had been a new descent upon Paris of official intermediaries from financial and industrial quarters and various international centres, including New York, each with various complaints and plans for settlement.

STATE VIEWS ON SHIP BILL DEFEAT

British Newspapers Comment on Death of U.S. Proposal. Declare Attempt Artificially to Create Industry Futile. London, March 1.—The death of the United States Ship Subsidy Bill is commented upon by the British press this morning. The editorial writers find that the moral of the United States Government's attempt to create an industry artificially or to nationalize the shipping business is that it is futile.

IMMIGRATION FROM BRITAIN INCREASES

1,057 Came to Canada in Month of January. 62,489 From All Countries in Ten Months. Ottawa, March 1.—(Canadian Press)—Immigration from the British Isles has lately been showing a considerable increase when compared with the corresponding period of last year.

HARVEY'S REMARKS ARE DISCUSSED

Displeasure Expressed in London Regarding Debt Statements. Regarded as Unusual Course for Foreign Envoy. London, March 1.—Ambassador Harvey's speech of last night, in which he discussed the underlying causes and the nature of Great Britain's war indebtedness to the United States, evoked expressions of displeasure in British official circles to-day and gave indication of causing considerable discussion.

BY-ELECTION TO-DAY IN NORTH ESSEX

Light Vote Because Roads Almost Impassable. Windsor, Ont., March 1.—Predictions of a light vote in the North Essex Federal by-election to-day were strengthened by reports prevailing at the opening of the polls.

GERMAN CASH REGISTERS USELESS

Machines Formerly Used Will Not Count High Enough. Dusseldorf, March 1.—Among other casualties for which the depreciation of the mark is responsible must be added the passing of the cash register in Germany.

GERMAN SAID TO BE ASSASSIN

Hans Behr Alleged to Have Participated in Rathenau Murder. To Have Shared Also in Attack on Scheidemann. Berlin, March 1.—Field-Marshal von Hindenburg is quoted by the Tages Zeitung as having said at a meeting of the Hanover Agricultural League: "We will never forget that we are all Germans and must do our duty, and if necessary we shall fight even until the last drop of blood is shed."

W. L. McDUGGALL MAY BE FEDERAL RAILWAY MINISTER

Montreal, March 1.—The Montreal Star this afternoon definitely announces that Dr. W. L. McDougall, chairman of the Montreal Harbour Commission, has been offered the portfolio of Minister of Railways, formerly held by Hon. W. C. Kennedy, who died recently.

CLOSED SEASON FOR HALIBUT SOON

Canadian-U.S. Treaty Is Expected to Regulate Pacific Coast Fisheries. Hon. Ernest Lapointe Now in Washington. Special to The Times. Vancouver, March 1.—There is wide interest in the fishing communities of Vancouver and Victoria at the report of the visit to Washington of Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Marine.

READY TO IMPORT CANADIAN CATTLE

Dealers in Old Country Make Preparations. Situation Is Studied by Duncan Marshall. London, March 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Duncan Marshall, Canadian Commissioner of Agriculture, has returned to London after having visited several centres, especially in the North of England, where Canadian cattle are to be admitted when the new Importation of Animals Bill becomes effective a month or so from now.

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NO PROVINCIAL ALBERTA BANK

Commissioner's Recommendations Are Against Proposal. Clear Maximum Interest Law Is Urged. Edmonton, March 1.—The report on the banking system of the province prepared by Professor D. A. McMillan, special commissioner named by the Government last year for this purpose, shows strong opposition to the establishment of a provincial banking system or any other variety of local banking plan.

W. BOURKE COCHRAN, CONGRESSMAN, DIED IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

Washington, March 1.—Representative W. Bourke Cochran, Democrat, of New York, died suddenly to-day.

REV. G. B. LAWSON IS NOT WELCOMED

Semi-religious Community Will Not Migrate to Alberta From United States. East Orange, N. J., March 1.—(Canadian Press)—Rev. George B. Lawson, who attained prominence several months ago by his experiences with two "prayer brides," the first of whom killed him and the second of whom was married to him, is not welcome in Canada as the leader of a semi-religious community.

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E. LIONEL LORENZ SHOT BY ASSAILANT IN REDFERN STREET

Young and Popular Employee of Royal Bank Killed Shortly Before Midnight; Murderer Eludes Police; Slender Clues. Ernest Lionel Lorenz, aged 20, clerk in the Royal Bank of Canada, Government Street, was murdered last night on Redfern Street on his way home, shortly after leaving the Oak Bay street car.

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JOSEPH MARTIN'S CONDITION TO-DAY IS UNCHANGED

Vancouver, March 1.—No change was reported this morning in the condition of Joseph Martin, K. C., who is lying very ill in a hospital here.



**CAPE BRETON LABOR CONDITIONS WERE DISCUSSED**

Halifax, Feb. 28 (Canadian Press)—Cape Breton labor conditions received the most lively attention of the Nova Scotia Legislative Assembly last night, when the case for the workmen was presented by Forman Way and Dean W. Morrison, Labor members for Cape Breton.

Mr. Way charged the Government had done little to help the agricultural industry, which was in a lamentable condition.

Mr. Morrison advised the Government to go carefully into the character of the British Empire Steel Corporation and said it was disgraceful

**MISSIONARIES IN INDIA MEETING DIFFICULTIES**

Toronto, March 1.—Word just received by the Baptist offices in Toronto is to the effect that for months past Christian missionaries in India have been meeting with unusual difficulties, and that as a result of the Gandhi movement hostile feelings have been aroused to such an extent that Indian women have turned their backs on white women missionaries.

**CREAMERY BUTTER SUPPLIES INCREASE**

**But Dairy Butter in Cold Storage in Canada Decreases**

Ottawa, March 1.—A large increase in creamery butter held in Canadian cold storage over the quantity held a year ago is shown by a bulletin issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The quantity of dairy butter, however, shows a large decrease.

On February 1 creamery butter in cold storage amounted to 10,412,239 pounds, an increase of 15 1/2 per cent. over the same month of last year. Dairy butter amounted to 119,984 pounds, a decrease of 63.61 per cent.

Cheese in storage on February 1 was 2,822,071 pounds, a decrease of 73.21 per cent. from February 1 last year.

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**WINNIPEG FUR SALES \$250,000**

**Prices in General Showed Slight Decrease**

Winnipeg, March 1.—Total sales at the second fur auction sale of the year held here yesterday approximated \$250,000. The general trend of prices was slightly lower, with some strong exceptions which included wolf, white and red fox and fisher. Of the skins sold down the percentage was probably not more than two per cent. lower. Wolf sold above the former market with a high price of \$18 and a low of \$2. Weasels sold as high as 85 cents, with a low of ten cents. Silver fox showed a variation from \$20 to \$185; red fox from \$5 to \$19.50; cross fox \$10 to \$130, and white fox at \$45. Rats sold at 86 cents and a better grade at 55 cents, with an average of 50 cents. Small dark fisher sold as high as \$130, while the larger skins, not so much in demand, went as low as \$25. Beaver sold from \$7 to \$23. Mink averaged \$8, with a low of \$5. Bear was entirely neglected.

**FIVE-CENT FARE IN SEATTLE NOW**

Seattle, March 1.—After nearly three years of street railway fares ranging from 4 1/2 cents to 10 cents, with varying transfer and token privileges, patrons of the municipal street railway are now required to pay but five cents. Two cents in cash is charged for a transfer. The new fares came into effect to-day.

**SASKATCHEWAN ECONOMIES LARGE**

Regina, March 1.—The Saskatchewan Government has been able to effect an aggregate saving of expenditures to the people of the province amounting to approximately \$1,250,000 during the fiscal year ending April 30, 1923, it was announced in the Legislature yesterday.

The announcement was made by Premier Dunning when moving that the supplementary estimates be referred to Committee of Supply. He announced an estimated saving of \$500,000 on revenue expenditure and \$750,000 on capital account during the fiscal year closing two months hence. The supplementary estimates call for an additional expenditure of \$500,000 over the amount voted last year. This increase is required mainly for classes of expenditure controlled by statute and uncontrollable by the Government. Mr. Dunning stated they would be almost completely offset by savings in connection with other appropriations controlled by the Government.

Resolution urging the Federal Government immediately to complete the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway and asking the Provincial Government to bring down legislation at the present session "to establish certain areas as public grazing grounds," were adopted without dissent.

**REVENUE GROWS**

Ottawa, March 1.—Total revenue reported by the Customs and Excise Department for the eleven months ended with February, is \$250,612,000, as compared with \$209,023,000 for the corresponding period last year.

**SAYS BRITAIN WILL INCREASE TRADE**

**Overseas Trade Secretary Gives Survey of Present Situation**

**Work for All Unemployed is Objective**

London, March 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Speaking at Southampton yesterday, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Secretary for Overseas Trade, gave a broad survey of the industrial situation and declared the Government was determined to find work for the unemployed in Great Britain instead of doing. The £200,000,000 of export trade which the country now lacked compared with the exports of ten years ago, he said, must be recovered. He hinted that a threat to British shipping was coming from Germany, whose mercantile marine, which had been reduced under the peace treaty to 400,000 tons, would total 2,500,000 tons by the end of this year.

Reference was made by Sir William to "the black cloud which had come over the revival of trade, namely, the difficulties between France and Germany."

"We must not forget," he said, "though we may not agree with what she is doing, that France has suffered twice with the German enemy on her land within fifty years, and though her action is detrimental to our immediate hopes of reparations, I ask you to realize that France was our ally and Germany our enemy."

The audience applauded this part of Sir William's speech.

In closing the speaker said that Britain's great aim was to get back her position in the Dominion markets.

**Steel Works Re-opened**

London, March 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The well-known Palmers' Iron and Steel Works at Jarrow have resumed operations after being closed for two years. It is asserted that it is unwise to be unduly optimistic, but the present demand for iron and steel exists notwithstanding continental conditions, which brought about the increase in the price of coal and coke. Scottish steel makers announce increases averaging fifteen shillings a ton in the price of ship-plates, boiler plates and other goods.

**ALBERTA LIQUOR EXPORTS CONTINUE**

**More Time Needed for Ottawa Order-in-Council**

Lethbridge, March 1.—"Business as usual" is the figurative sign on the door of Lethbridge export liquor houses this morning, the day on which the liquor firms were to close up shop. There appears to be a hitch somewhere among the regular routine of business is to proceed to-day, although the liquor stocks in the city are not large at the present time.

It develops that the Order-in-Council passed by the Alberta Government has not reached Ottawa to receive endorsement. The date for closing export houses must be fixed at Ottawa, not Edmonton. The date will not be fixed, therefore, until March 15, and in the meantime the export firms are rejoicing in another lease of life.

**DEBT COLLECTION IN SASKATCHEWAN**

Regina, March 1.—An optional right to serve writs through the registered mail and provision to give uninsured creditors an equal right with execution creditors in the division of the proceeds of a seizure, are among the more important proposals of the Saskatchewan Government to reduce the cost of the legal collection of debts.

In two different bills which were up for second reading yesterday afternoon in the Legislature these proposals were drawn to the attention of the House by Attorney-General Cross.

**PRINCE RUPERT ECONOMIES.**

Prince Rupert, March 1.—(Canadian Press)—A readjustment of the City Hall staff, with a reduction in some salaries of several clerks, is ordered in a resolution adopted by the City Council. The resolution also cuts the wages of laborers employed by the city from 65 cents an hour to 50 cents an hour.

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19008 Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
19009 Bees Knees—Fox Trot	The Virginians
19010 Peggy Dear—Fox Trot	The Great White Way Orchestra
19011 Who Did You Fool After All?—Fox Trot	The Virginians
19012 Rose of the Rio Grande—Fox Trot	The Virginians
19013 La Paloma—Fox Trot	International Novelty Orchestra
19014 O Sole Mio—Waltz	International Novelty Orchestra
19015 Iry (Cling to Me)—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
19016 I Gave You Just Before—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
19017 When Your Castles Come Tumbling—Fox Trot	Zes Confrey and His Orch.
19018 The Lonely Nest—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra
19019 Dumbell—Fox Trot	Zes Confrey and His Orchestra
19020 Baby Blue Eyes—Fox Trot	The Great White Way Orchestra
216391 Quadrille—Canadian Set—1st Change—Violin	A. J. Boulay
216392 Quadrille—Canadian Set—2nd Change—Violin	A. J. Boulay
216393 Quadrille—Canadian Set—3rd Change—Violin	A. J. Boulay
216394 Jig Medley—Viola	A. J. Boulay

**INSTRUMENTAL—10-inch double-sided 75c**

18997 Reminiscences of Ireland—Part I	Arthur Pryor's Band
18998 Reminiscences of Ireland—Part II	Arthur Pryor's Band
18999 The Blackbird—Reel—Violin and Accordion	Michael Redmond and Marty Perry
19000 Medley of Irish Reels No. 8—Accordion with Piano	John J. Kimmel
216364 Minuet in G. No. 2—Violin Solo	Rae Eleanor Ball
216365 Sing Me to Sleep—Violin Solo	Rae Eleanor Ball

**VOCAL—10-inch double-sided 75c**

216390 (Shufflin' Along—Dumbell's "Carry On")	"Al" Plunkett
(And Her Mother Came Too—Dumbell's "Carry On")	"Al" Plunkett
216394 (Come Back Old Pal—Dumbell's "Carry On")	Harold Harvey
Golden Dream Boat—Dumbell's "Carry On"	Harold Harvey
216393 To-morrow (I'll Be in My Dixie Home Again)	Harold Harvey
When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down	Harold Harvey
19010 You and I Were Young Maggie Blues	Patricia, Murray, with The Virginians
(Come On Home)	Miss Patricia with The Virginians
18999 In a Corner of the World All Our Own	Edna Brown—Henry Burr
(Sunset Valley)	Peerless Quartet
19005 I'm Just a Little Blue	Helien Clark-Lewis James
(Down by the Old Apple Tree)	Billy Murray—Ed. Smalle
19006 Carolina in the Morning	American Quartet
(Toot, Toot, Tootsie, Goo'bye)	Billy Murray—Ed. Smalle
19004 'O Sacred Head Surrounded	Trinity Quartet
(Jesus Lives!)	Trinity Quartet

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45343 (Not a Sparrow Falseth)	Merle Alcock
(My Task)	Merle Alcock

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35722 (Gems from "Blossom Time")	Victor Light Opera Company
(Gems from "The Yankee Princess")	Victor Light Opera Company

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55194 (Moonlight Sonata)	Olive Kline and Male Quartet
(Hymn to the Madonna)	Lucy Marsh and Male Quartet

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55190 (It's a Fine Thing to Sing)	Sir Harry Lauder
(Saturday Night)	Sir Harry Lauder

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66126 Blue Bells of Scotland	Emilio de Gogorza
66125 Lucia—Mad Scene—Part II—Cast on My Grave a Flower	Galli-Curci
66829 Waltz in A Major—Violin	Mischa Elman
66124 Tannhäuser—Oh, Hall of Song—German	Maria Jeritza
66120 Killarney—Cello	Hans Krieger
66127 Pale Moon—Violin	Frits Kreisler
66122 Jesus, My Lord, My God, My All	John McCormack
66129 Serenade—Op. 3, No. 5—Piano	Sergei Rachmaninoff
66128 Dances of the Flutes	Philadelphia Orchestra
66864 Serenite—Op. 45, No. 5—Violin	Jacques Thibaud

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66065 Moment Musical—Schubert—Kreisler (2) Minuet Caprice—Violin	Jacques Thibaud
66066 Tambourin—Rameau—Kreisler (2) Saltarelle—Violin	Jacques Thibaud
87354 Christ the Lord is Risen Today	Louise Homer

**12-inch Records \$2.25**

74793 Andrea Chenier—Un di all'azzurro spazio	Beniamino Gigli
74795 Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!	Orville Harrold
74796 Valse in A Flat—Op. 42—Piano	Ignace Paderewski
88663 Song of the Volga Boatmen—Russian	Feodor Chaliapin

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**REPORTED FIRE DIED DOWN WHEN PICTURES THROWN IN**

Montreal, March 1.—What is claimed to be a supernatural twist was given to the fire-fighting efforts of firemen who fought a big fire in a garage in the East End of Montreal last night when a nun from a nearby convent brought two pictures of a saintly member of her community with the request that they be cast into the flames, which threatened the whole neighborhood. A fireman accepted the offer and threw the pictures into the fire, and it is claimed the fire immediately began to subside.

Several firemen were slightly injured, and 250 automobiles, besides the building, were destroyed. The damage amounts to \$200,000.

**DELCASSE FUNERAL WAS HELD TO-DAY**

Paris, March 1.—An address by Premier Poincaré describing the inception and growth of the Entente gave political significance to the state funeral of Theophile Delcasse, the eminent French statesman who died suddenly at Nice last week. The funeral service, held at the Montmartre Cemetery yesterday, was attended by President Millerand, many representatives of the Government, the diplomatic corps and a great throng of prominent persons.

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NEW PUBLICITY PRESIDENT.

It is fitting that Mr. J. C. Pendray's energetic and efficient work in his capacity of President of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau should be continued by one so admirably fitted for the task as Mr. Joseph Patrick.

APPALLING DRUG FIGURES.

According to statistics tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. H. S. Beland yesterday there are known to be 9,500 drug addicts in Canada at the present time and this Province accounts for very nearly twenty-five per cent. of that number.

These figures are alarming enough from the national standpoint; but the announcement that there were more than 150 convictions for illegal trading, and that there are 2,250 addicts in British Columbia alone, should give the people of this Province something to consider very thoughtfully and seriously.

Public bodies throughout the country have advocated all sorts of remedies. The Narcotic Drugs Act has been tightened in respect of importation for legitimate purposes and the authority for punishment has been considerably strengthened.

It would appear to the average mind that until the illicit trader is threatened with punishment equal to the havoc which his calling is working there will be little hope of a better state of affairs.

THE DEAD SUBSIDY BILL.

It now looks as if the United States Senate has performed the last rites over the Ship Subsidy Bill. In other words the Harding Administration may have to liquidate the business of the Shipping Board and sell its fleet of merchant vessels to the highest bidders.

The action of the Senate is not surprising. At no time has the proposal to sink public money in an undertaking which is peculiarly the forte of private enterprise been a popular one with the great bulk of the people across the border.

Meanwhile there should be no crowing over the defeat of the Jones proposal. The United States has a perfect right to "get on the sea" by her own initiative and her own money.

COLONEL HARVEY'S FRIENDLINESS.

If the excellent relations which already exist between Great Britain and the United States do not improve and mature into something a great deal more intimate than the "understanding" which springs from a common tongue and common laws it will not be the fault of Colonel George Harvey.

inoffensive speech with a warmth of friendliness that lends the fullest volume of significance to all his public utterances.

Ambassador Harvey's references to the manner in which Great Britain sent her delegation to the United States to arrange for the funding of her debt to Uncle Sam will be appreciated by British people everywhere.

In any case this allusion to world finance carries no sting for the less favored nations. None better than Colonel Harvey realizes the nature of their difficulties.

ONLY TO BANFF?

After visiting California a Vancouver citizen has just returned to British Columbia with the information that "all over the country down there the automobile clubs are announcing that motorists can drive directly to Banff next Summer."

Although this may not be as serious as it looks it would seem to suggest the desirability of some sort of inquiry. As far as Victoria is concerned there should be an excellent prospect of getting most of the tourists who are at present in the South as soon as climatic conditions down there reach the torrid state.

One can hardly credit that "all the automobile clubs" are singling out Banff in the face of the existence of the Pacific Highway. None the less an inquiry would soon bring information as to what is actually being done.

A LONDON "DARDANELLES."

Although Kensington's Church Street is a narrow one it is not as narrow as Victoria's "Dardanelles." None the less the Borough Council has adopted a novel method of reminding motorists that they must not exceed a speed limit of ten miles an hour in that particular thoroughfare.

The top of every lamp standard has been painted with three broad white-scarlet-yellow bands which actually occupy practically half the post. Since there are more than fifty standards in the street the whole effect is quite attractive and almost gay.

While the City of Victoria is wondering whether it can afford either to broaden the "Dardanelles" or pave Pandora Street the case might be met fairly effectively by imitating the procedure of a Borough Council in the West of London.

NOTE AND COMMENT

These champion pugilists who are arranging bouts with one another one day and cancelling them the next must be getting out of breath discussing contracts that are never signed.

Sir William Joynson Hicks told a Southampton audience last night to remember that although the action of France "is detrimental to our immediate hopes of reparations," the fact must be realized that "France was our ally and Germany our enemy."

Forty Kent hopgrowers held a meeting at a Sandhurst hotel the other day and deplored the tremendous decline in the consumption of beer in Great Britain. For more than three hours these two score producers of the fundamental ingredient of "the foaming" bemoaned their fate and cast about them for a remedy for the seeming trend towards a drier Britain.

It was Stinnes and Thyssen who instigated the destruction of France's industrial works at Lille and Lens. Now France is holding the works of Stinnes and Thyssen until the damage done to her has been made good.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

CUT DOWN THE SPENDING. Monetary Times:—Most of us will agree as to the need for avoiding small taxes which are more annoying than costly. The income tax can hardly bear reduction, and in fact, the government needs all its revenue.

RESOURCES AND IMMIGRATION. Winnipeg Tribune:—Possession of the natural resources would enable this Province to adopt a vigorous and effective immigration policy and so operate to bring about a return of prosperous conditions.

"BOOM" GENUINE TIME FOR CARE AS FLUSH SPREADS

Momentum of Forward Business Leap Concerns Financial Districts

Chicago, March 1.—The signs indicate that the present business revival is a healthy movement. 1. The absence of cocksure opinion in regard to it. (The hurrah boys are usually wrong.) 2. The fact that so much of the buying is replacement of past deficiencies caused by the recent depression.

In the financial districts the new "boom" as it is already being called is regarded a bit quizzically, if that be not too mild a term. Nobody wants to say anything that will kill Cooch Robin, everybody looks for continued improvement for months to come, but there is a wholesome candor in admitting surprise.

Price increased in recent months have on the whole tended to restore the general balance lost in the 1920 slump. The thrust has pushed up the prices of farm and home many of the things which suffered relatively less deflation.

The ease with which the immense volume of bond issues in the last year was absorbed is not all traceable to the desire of the rich to escape taxation. Many of these securities and some of the more adventurous investments were absorbed by the "white collar" folk, whom the depression relieved of crushing charges.

The immense capital savings of the American people in the period of deflation, as estimated by men like Prof. Taussig, cannot be ascribed to the inherent strength and faith of human nature as exemplified by the bourgeoisie. It would not be a good thing for the future of America to reward this faith with another period of inflated living costs to depress the incomes of the thrifty and to tempt them to the glided jax of the profiteering parvenus or the silk shirts of the shirk-announcers and humbuggers.

There is no record in history where any nation that lost the habit of work and saving ever recovered it. Only conquest from the outside by an alien race ever restored such habits. There may be no more Nordic barbarians in the northern forests, but there are plenty of Japs being born, and the mental testers say they grade too close to us for comfort.

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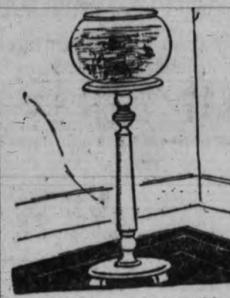
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All the best shapes and garnitures that the designers of Europe and America have given to the world this season will be on display, including new colorings that are pleasing in the extreme.

The Models are too many for individual description, but we can assure you that all shapes are represented, and the price range makes it possible for all to purchase the hat that will be most becoming to their particular type of beauty.

All are invited to view this far-reaching display to-morrow and Saturday.

—Millinery, First Floor

### News From the Dress Goods Dept.

- 56-Inch Donegal Tweeds, a strong, heavy tweed and most suitable for skirts and suits. Gives everlasting wear. At, a yard ..... \$1.98
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### Silks for Spring Excellent Values

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  - 36-Inch Shot Taffeta, of firm weave and suitable for dresses, millinery, etc.; shown in rich shades of mauve, rose, green and gold. Selling at, a yard ..... \$2.95
  - 40-Inch Satin Ratine; a bright satin of heavy weight and one that makes up well in separate skirts; black, strawberry and white. At, a yard ..... \$4.50
- Silks, Main Floor

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### Boys' Union-Alls Special Values at, a Suit, \$1.00

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—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



### Women's Springtime HOSIERY

- Women's Fibre Silk Hose, made with back seam and lisle tops with wide garter hems. They have spliced lisle heels and toes and in black, brown, white, navy, sand and camel. At, a pair ..... 69¢
  - Women's Light Weight Lisle Hose, of good quality, made with high spliced heels and strongly reinforced toes; black, white, brown, navy, nickel, polo and camel. Sizes 8, 9, 9½ and 10. Special at, a pair ..... 50¢
  - Women's Silk Hose, with fancy fronts and drop stitch, reinforced with lisle at feet; black, brown, sand, camel, grey and white. At, a pair ..... 98¢
  - Women's Out Size Lisle Hose, medium weight and extra wide in leg, and with double spliced heels and toes; black only; size 9, 9½ and 10. Special at ..... \$1.00
  - Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, with garter hem, reinforced heels and toes and shown in black, white, brown, sand, medium-grey, taupe, nickel, navy and sky. \$1.50
  - Women's Pure Silk Hose, with pointed heels and double hem garter top; black only; sizes 8½ and 9, at \$1.50
  - Women's Pure Silk Hose, with ribbed lisle tops, and seamless; all the wanted shades, at, a pair ..... \$2.00
  - Women's Silk Hose, with fancy embroidered silk clox lisle tops with garter hems, back seam, reinforced toes and heels; black, white, brown, beige, seal brown and camel, at, a pair ..... \$2.50
- Women's Hosiery, Main Floor

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Lamb, per lb. .... 23¢

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# WOMAN'S MAIN

## CABINET MINISTERS TO ATTEND DANCE

To Be Given by Liberal Association for T.B. Ward

Premier Oliver and members of the Provincial Cabinet and their wives will attend the dance to be given by the Liberal Association in the Empress Hotel, in aid of the Tubercular Ward of the Jubilee Hospital. Good music and a good dance programme, together with a card tournament in the card room is being arranged by the committees in charge, and a pleasant evening is assured to all who attend. Tickets for the occasion will be limited in number in order to prevent over-crowding on the dance floor, and with the present demand continuing, it is expected no tickets will be left after Saturday.

Those wishing to attend can procure tickets now at Ivel's Drug Store; I. Herman, Fort Street; J. Ross, Jeweler, Government Street, or at the office of the president, 309 Union Bank Building.

## SAANICH CHOIR IN PLEASING CONCERT

The choir of the Union Church at Saanich, under the direction of Conductor Mrs. T. P. Morrow, gave one of the most enjoyable concerts ever held in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday night before a large audience. The seventeen members showed effectively their careful training. In volume the singers displayed surprising powers, and in shading and pianissimo effects their work was artistic, while their impressive singing added greatly to the pleasure of all who attended.

A soloist who is always welcome before a King's audience, Miss E. Nimmo, who sang "For All Eternity" and "Memorial." Mr. W. McKay's singing furnished the surprise of the evening, his fine rendering of "Father O'Flynn" and "The Admiral's Broom" was applauded to the echo. Mrs. Styan favored the audience with a pathetic rendition of "The Cripple Boy." The Misses Anderson, Ferguson, McNabb, Heyer and Styan were the pianoforte soloists. Among those who took part in the choir were Meadames Anderson and McNabb, and the Misses Gale, McCarthy and McNally, and Messrs. Somerville, McCarthy, and Burtes. The accompanist was Miss Styan and her sympathetic work on the piano was exceptionally well done. The Girls' Club of the Union Church, made a great hit with the audience.

A pleasing feature was the presentation to Mrs. Morrow of a bouquet of beautiful flowers by Miss Sadie Paterson on behalf of the W. A. of the church. At the close of the concert Conductor Morrow expressed the views of all present on the meritorious work of the choir and asked for a vote of thanks from the audience, which was heartily given. The singing of the National Anthem brought a most successful concert to a close.

## WOMAN WINE-TASTER EXPLAINS DUTIES

London, March 1.—(Canadian Press)—The City of London has a woman wine-taster, probably the only one in the world. She is Mrs. I. M. Fisher, who occupies this unique position. Mrs. Fisher's father, Maurice Meyer, who died some years ago, conducted an old-established wholesale wine business at Roman Wall House, No. 1, Crutched Friars, London, and after his death his daughter took up the business and has since conducted it with remarkable success. She is the sole proprietress of the establishment.

"As far as I know," Mrs. Fisher told an interviewer recently, "I am the only woman wine-taster in the wholesale trade. Wine must be tasted in the morning before luncheon, and you must have a clean palate to begin with. It should not be done after smoking, or immediately after a meal."

Further explaining the wine-tasting as a profession, Mrs. Fisher said: "The wine should be taken on the tip of the tongue and conveyed to the roof of the mouth." Mrs. Fisher's palate is so sensitive that while blindfolded she can tell the difference between one brand of wine and another.

## Social & Personal

### TO PRESENT PICTURES

Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor, will attend the interesting ceremony in the auditorium of the Girls' Central School tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 when Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Municipal Regent of the L.O.E., will formally present the handsome collection of War Memorial pictures given by the Order. The standard-bearers of the Chapters will attend. The pictures have been framed at the Red Cross workshops and have been on exhibition in the city.

Presented a basket of carnations. A supper party commenced the evening's festivities, followed by cards and dancing. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. F. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan, Mr. and Mrs. William Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Litchfield, Mrs. J. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Brockhurst, and Mr. and Mrs. Bissell.

Mrs. J. H. Taylor entertained at a delightful bridge tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Moss Street in honor of her guest, Mrs. W. Bradley of Vancouver. The table, bedecked with daffodils surrounded by small vases containing violets, was lighted with softly shaded yellow candles in silver sconces, and was presided over by Mrs. W. H. Rowlands. Mrs. C. Griffith, Mrs. T. M. McKeown and the Misses Bunn and Annie Wright assisted in serving, while Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson cut the tea. To Mrs. Dickson was given the prize while the consolation gift was merited by Mrs. Maxwell. Among those present were Mrs. W. W. Bradley, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. E. J. Gordon, Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson, Mrs. Cyrus Peck, Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. T. M. McKeown, Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Mrs. W. D. B. Martyn, Mrs. John Cochran, Mrs. Mrs. Finland, Patrick, Mrs. Down, Mrs. J. E. McDonald, Mrs. George Dean, Miss Jessie Bunn and Miss Annie Wright.

On Thursday evening the fortnightly dance under the auspices of the C.P.R. Social Club will be held in the Empress Hotel, ballroom. Tickets are on sale by invitation ticket in attendance. Dancing commences at 8:30 sharp and continues until 11:30 in time for the last car home.

### RECITAL TUESDAY

In next Tuesday's Y.W.C.A. recital in the Empress Ballroom the selections by Mr. Drury Pryce will include the D Major Sonata by Handel, Furcell's Air on G String and a new composition by Dr. J. E. Watson. Numbers to be sung by Mr. George Patterson will include "Invited" by Brunel, Händel, and songs by Handel and Marshall. Mr. Patterson, who is the tenor soloist at the Metropolitan Methodist Church, is well known to our readers as the possessor of pleasing tenor voice.

### VICTORIA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held in the Institute rooms, Surrey Block, on Friday evening at 8:30. The members in charge of the meeting are Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Urquhart, Mrs. Waterhouse and Mrs. Todd, and a program is promised. Members are particularly requested to bring the oldest photograph they have of themselves.

### LANTERN SLIDE EXHIBITION.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Cloverdale, instead of the regular monthly meeting on Friday, will have an entertainment which will feature a lantern slide exhibition, with accompanying verbal explanation of scenes in British Columbia. This will be staged by Mrs. E. M. Cupp and Miss Forbes. There will also be a musical programme. The entertainment will be held at the Cloverdale School at 8 o'clock.

## WOMEN SUFFRAGE ISSUE IN CHINA

### Growth of Movement Expected to Be Slow Among Masses

Shanghai, March 1.—The "votes for women" cry has at last been heard in China and it is accompanied by a general movement for female emancipation. In the larger cities of China, especially those places where western ideas have gained the strongest hold, women's organizations have sprung up. Some of these organizations have gained the support of the wealthiest and most influential women of China, while in the case of others the principal support has been found in the purely imitative groups of so-called intellectuals, whose main purpose is to adopt, without adaptation, the most extreme radicalism of western countries.

In nearly all cases, however, the women's movement in China is imitative and seeks for no basis in Chinese history or psychology. The position of women in China is complex and her status difficult for foreigners to understand. In the home the mother is supreme; she preserves the family, its property and good name. No man, no matter what his position in society, will disobey his mother. She is consulted in business, politics and in all things which might affect the reputation of the family. In wealthy families there may be more than one wife, but the first wife is a personality apart, exalted and revered.

The women of China are not regarded as less capable or as having fewer rights than men, and it is assumed that if suffrage is taken seriously, the men will not exclude them from its exercise. Women have taken their places in industry during the last few years, although women factory workers were regarded with scorn at first, and they are gradually becoming established in many pursuits that not long ago were regarded as exclusively for men.

The difficulty with the feminist movement is that it offers to the large mass of women of China no problem which is sufficiently part of their daily lives to be understandable by them, and this is often the case with progressive movements in China. Feminism, as advocated by modern Chinese women, particularly those educated abroad, does not deal with any concrete problems in the lives of Chinese women, but concerns itself largely with general issues relating to the position of women in society the world over, and for that reason the growth of the movement is not expected to be as rapid as in the majority of other countries.

## Lady Nancy Takes Her Vacation



Lady Nancy, the American-born member of the British Parliament, is shown here on the floating rink at St. Moritz taking a vacation from the cares of office. The famous Virginia beauty, accompanied by her husband and children, has been one of the most prominent figures at the famous winter playground of the European society.

## STRIKING COSTUMES AT ELKS DANCE

### Swimming Club Masquerade Last Night Was Big Success

The masquerade dance held last evening in the Elks' Hall under the auspices of the Elks' Amateur Swimming Club proved to be the most successful affair of its kind ever staged by this aquatic organization. Over 150 members and friends of the club joined in the fun, a large number of whom were in fancy dress costume. The dancing commenced at nine o'clock and although continuing until the small hours of the morning there were many of the dancers who reluctantly left the hall after George Ozard and his orchestra had finished playing the home waltz.

## MICHIGAN WOMEN PRESENT NOVEL BILL OF RIGHTS

Lansing, Mich., March 1.—Marriage that does not deprive the woman of her identity or subject her to the "direction or control" of her husband is the mainpring of the "women's bill of rights," which has been presented in the Michigan State Senate. The bill provides that: A woman may engage in business without her husband's consent; may establish her residence with or without his consent; shall have equal guardianship over their children, and "in every way shall be the full equal of her husband in running the home and shall be exclusive mistress of herself in every affair outside the home."

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## YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL

### A Month's Supplies

The young housewife, who has not worked out a system of ordering her staple groceries, often discovers, much to her surprise, that she is "out of" confectioner's sugar or baking powder or coffee, and has to borrow from a neighbor or make an emergency trip to the nearest grocery. More experienced housekeepers, of course, are seldom caught in this way. Here is a scheme which may help the domestic beginner to keep up her stock of cooking and cleaning materials, so that she may be sure she is always supplied with everything she needs.

To begin with, sit down at your desk some morning and make a list of every commodity you use in your household, classified in several groups—groceries, cleaning materials, perishable foods (eggs, cheese, fresh vegetables, fruits, etc.), and last of all such articles as soaps, starch, cleansers, and the like. Be sure that absolutely everything you use is on this list.

On the first of every month, take this list and check up the staples. Then order as much of each one as you estimate will carry you through the month. By laying in a month's supply of salt, sugar, cocoa, flour,

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at the Theatre

COLUMBIA

Things are just as they should be when an intelligent, foot-footed nag is given the star role in a screen drama...

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Columbia—"Do and Dare." Dominion—"Peg O' My Heart." Capitol—"Java Head." Royal Victoria—"The Pilgrim." Playhouse—"The Cabaret Girl." Semple's Hall—Pantomime.

POPULAR LITTLE LOCAL ACTRESS



EDNA LOWRY

She appears in the pantomime "Dick Whittington and His Cat," which is to be given at Semple's Hall for three nights commencing to-night.

DOMINION

Laurette Taylor has a notable supporting part in the Metro-screen version of "Peg o' My Heart," in which the celebrated star is making her screen debut...

ROYAL VICTORIA

Several players who contributed to the screen success of Charles Chaplin support the famous comedian in his latest First National feature comedy, "The Pilgrim," which is the attraction again to-day at the Royal.

AT THE PLAYHOUSE TO-NIGHT



MISS MAMIE FRASER who plays the title role in "The Cabaret Girl" at the Playhouse.

"PASSION" WILL BE ROYAL FEATURE ALL NEXT WEEK

It is said the advent of the new super-drama, "Passion," to be presented by the Associated First National at the Royal Victoria Theatre next week...

"CABARET GIRL" COLORFUL, CATCHY AND LAUGH-MAKING

Playhouse Comedy Delights First Night Audience

The Playhouse scored another hit last night with the first production of "The Cabaret Girl," London's latest comedy success...

R. N. Hincks has again displayed his uncanny skill in selecting his casts, the introduction of Miss Mamie Fraser as leading lady for this show being another feather in his cap.

Miss Fraser is charming as Mary-Lynne Morgan, the Cabaret Girl, while Will Marshall is convincing as James Paradene, heir of millions and ardent admirer of the girl.

Mr. Hincks and Ernie Petch carry the comedy aspects of the show with their usual finished art, an accomplished chorus is supplied by Misses Elizabeth Atwood, Lillian Greenfield, Dorothy Sehl and Marie McLaughlin and Ernie Impett, while Peggy Lewis also scores a hit with her skilful comedy.

Gladstone McDonagh is the centre of laugh provoking moments as Mrs. Cadwallader Crump, the American aunt of young Paradene, with your power through the purse strings on the young man's choice of a wife.

In the last scene the lady thrusts herself into musical comedy as a whitewash star, and amid a colorful chorus dominates the scene through sheer energy and contrast.

Much of the action of the play revolves around an elaborate scheme to deceive the American aunt, this providing impetus with an opportunity for humorous portrayal of the Duke of Mulberrybush as typical of the English aristocracy, while Reggie Hincks causes huge amusement when he appears as a village vicar, in fulfillment of a pledge to the aunt that she should certainly meet the non-existent gentleman.

British and American Programme by Ladies' Musical Club

It was British and American afternoon at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon when the Ladies' Musical Club presented its postponed February concert, based on the work of British and American composers.

Dr. Hodgson's able talk pleased the appreciative audience on rapport for the illustrations given by number of gifted artists and students, a pleasing feature being the inclusion of a song cycle composed by Mrs. Julia Tupper Noble of Victoria, the words of which were composed by Mrs. Frances Ebbs-Canavan, also of this city.

Miss Helen Starr, whose beautiful contralto voice has been wonderfully developed under the tuition of Miss Kate Hemming, contributed "Allah by Chadwick," "The Enchantress" (Haddon), and as an encore "Land of the Sky Blue Water," Mrs. Hargreaves, cellist, Mrs. A. J. Gibbon accompanied the vocalists brilliantly, and Mrs. Percy James gave able support to the cellist.

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MARCH 15 THURSDAY at 8.30 p.m. IS NOW THE DATE of the Illustrated Lecture The Story of Mr. Punch by FRANCIS BURSILL, F.R.H.S. to be given in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HALL Admission at Door, 50 Cents

DOMINION TO-DAY Laurette Taylor The Famous International Stage Star in J. Hartley Manners' Great Stage Play. Peg o' My Heart A Brilliant Star in a Brilliant Success USUAL PRICES Coming Week After Next WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER Starring MARION DAVIES

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Ships at a Glance

Ships to Arrive. Proteus, Orient, March 5. President Jackson, Orient, March 6. Hans Hamsoff, New York, March 6. Kaga Maru, Orient, March 8. Knight Templar, U.K., March 10. Africa Maru, Orient, March 12. Empress of Russia, Orient, March 12. Niagara, Australia, March 24. Hawaii Maru, Orient, March 27. Empress of Asia, Orient, April 2. Ships to Sail. President McKinley, Orient, Mar. 3. Empress of Canada, Orient, Mar. 8. President Jackson, Orient, Mar. 15. Empress of Russia, Orient, Mar. 22. Proteus, Orient, March 23. Niagara, Australia, March 31. Empress of Asia, Orient, April 19. Coastwise Sailings. Princess Victoria leaves 2.15 p.m. daily. Princess Louise or Princess Royal leaves at 11.45 p.m. daily. From Vancouver. Princess Louise or Princess Royal arrives 7 a.m. daily. Princess Adelaide arrives at 3.15 p.m. daily. For Seattle. Princess Adelaide leaves at 4.30 a.m. daily. From Seattle. Princess Victoria arrives at 1.15 a.m. daily.

S.S. MAURETANIA IN MEDITERRANEAN

In a cable from Italy, Captain A. H. Rostron of the Cunard Mauretania, carrying a large number of American Express tourists to the main points of interest in the Mediterranean, reports that the big ship has reached Constantinople. Monte Carlo, from where the Mauretania sailed for Naples, gave the tourists a thrill. They crowded the Casinos and when they could find room took a flier on the wheels of chance. Aside from this, the captain says, they were charmed with the exquisite beauty of Monaco, the playground of Europe, where only the visitors are allowed to gamble. The tourists reached Constantinople to-day and will remain for three full days, after which two days will be devoted to Athens before the steamship heads for the Holy Land.

HARVARD DEGREE FOR STEFANSSON

Cambridge, Mass., March 1.—Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Canadian Arctic explorer, is one of the 151 men who have been granted degrees in the mid-year award at Harvard University. He has been granted the Degree of Master of Arts. Stefansson was a student of anthropological subjects at Harvard between 1903 and 1906.

Bodily Housekeeping

If your kidneys are sick, or you suffer with lumbago or rheumatism at times, pain in the back or back of the neck, take An-uric before meals. This can be found at any good drug store. Therefore my advice to young or old is, always drink plenty of pure water. And for long life, occasionally take tablets of "An-uric" three or four times a day. It is simply wonderful how quickly An-uric acts—much more potent than lithia. The poisons are dissolved (and eliminated) almost as sugar in water.



Does Your Back Ache?

After Grip, "flu" or cold, the kidneys and bladder are often affected—called nephritis, or inflammation of the kidneys. This is the red flag of danger—better be wise and check the further inroads of kidney disease by obtaining that wonderful discovery of Dr. Pierce's, known as An-uric (anti-uric-acid), because it expels the uric acid poison from the body and removes those pains, such as backache, rheumatism in muscles and joints. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists. Send Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., ten cents for trial package of An-uric, or ask your druggist for Dr. Pierce's An-uric (kidney and backache remedy). Many folks in town could testify to the merits of An-uric as does this woman: Kirkton, Ont.—"I have found Dr. Pierce's An-uric Tablets to be an excellent medicine. I have been troubled with inflammation in the neck of my bladder for about eight years. I doctored but failed to get cured, so I decided to try Dr. Pierce's An-uric (kidney and backache) Tablets and they have relieved me greatly."—Mrs. John Simpson, R. R. 1.

OCEAN AND COASTWISE SHIPPING

STERLING COMING TO LOAD LUMBER

Famous Barquentine Will Take British Columbia Lumber Across Pacific

San Francisco, March 1.—The five-masted barquentine E. R. Sterling left here to-day in tow of the steamer Grifidu for British Columbia to load lumber. The vessel is owned and operated by E. R. Sterling of this port, and is one of the finest equipped craft of its type afloat. She is equipped with a fine set of wireless and will be reported regularly on the way up the coast.

HARBOR HAS TWENTY FEET OF WATER AT EXTREME LOW TIDE

Large Cargo Carriers Now Enabled to Enter Upper Harbor to Load Without the Slightest Trouble—Channel Has 20 Feet of Water at Low Tide With 25 Feet at Canadian Puget Sound Mill

Vessels of large tonnage are now able to navigate the waters of Victoria's Upper Harbor at any stage of the tide.

This is a most satisfactory condition of things which is wholly due to the activity of the Federal Department of Public Works in the local harbor during the past year.

There is a clear channel from the entrance to the Inner Harbor to beyond the wharf of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company in the Upper Harbor. It was only a few days ago that the steamship Montana, a 3,600-ton carrier of the Luckenbach fleet, loaded 3,000,000 feet of lumber at the Upper Harbor mills and was taken in and out of the harbor quite easily under her own steam. The inside harbor has been maintained in the past but the stigma has now been removed.

INCREASE IN OCEAN FREIGHTS PROMISED

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—It is believed that rates on flour, lumber and logs will be increased slightly by the North Pacific section of the West-bound Freight Conference at a meeting to be held in Seattle on March 2. Representatives of all lines operating trans-Pacific, out of Columbia and members of the Conference will attend a meeting in the Sound city for the purpose of discussing the question of increasing the rates on commodities that are now considered low. It is probable that the flour tariff will be increased to \$4 from the present rate of \$3 and that lumber will be increased a dollar. It is now \$11. The present rate on logs is now \$14 and the new proposed rate is \$15. This increase, it is stated here, has been contemplated for some time.

TYNDAREUS GETS AWAY FOR ORIENT

The Rhin Funnel liner Tyndareus was in port this morning from Seattle, and left before noon on her outward trip to the Far East. The vessel embarked a number of steerage passengers here.

TUSCAN PRINCE INQUIRY STARTS

The inquiry into the wreck of the steamship Tuscan Prince was commenced this morning at Vancouver before Capt. J. D. Macpherson, wreck commissioner for British Columbia. Thirteen officers and men of the Tuscan Prince are being held at Vancouver for the inquiry and after the taking of evidence will leave for England.

The work of the Government dredges and rock-drilling plants has greatly facilitated the movement of commerce in the Upper Harbor.

EGYPT MARU PUT INTO QUARANTINE FROM ALBERNI CANAL

The Japanese steamship Egypt Maru arrived at William Head last night from the Alberni Canal and proceeded at 7.30 o'clock this morning to Vancouver.

The Japanese vessel was granted provisional pratique to enter the Alberni Canal, and came into quarantine here to get an official clean bill of health before passing up to the Mainland.

NATIVE OF INDIA TO BE APPOINTED

Delhi, India, March 1 (Canadian Press-Cable via Reuters).—Animated discussion took place yesterday in the Council of State on Srinivasa Sastrri's motion for the appointment of at least one Indian to the position of secretary, joint secretary or deputy secretary to the Indian Government secretariat.

INVENTIONS ARE SUBJECT OF CLAIMS

London, March 1.—The inventions committee sent from the United States to this country recently is holding daily sessions and hearing claims which will cost the United States Government thousands of dollars.

SCENE OF MURDER

Oak Bay Avenue. Redfern Street. Cowan Street.

W. PEASE NEW BRITISH M.P.

London, March 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Alderman W. Pease was elected member of the House of Commons for Darlington in the by-election caused by the recent elevation to the peerage of H. Pike Pease. Alderman Pease is a Conservative and there is no change in the political representation of Darlington in consequence of this by-election. He is a member of the Darlington Town Council. Pease polled 14,684 votes and his opponent, Will Sherwood, Socialist, 11,271.

HARVEY'S REMARKS ARE DISCUSSED

First Great Settlement. Ambassador Harvey said the settlement of the British debt question was the first conclusive settlement since the armistice. He said he firmly believed it enhanced the mutual respect and everlasting friendship between Great Britain and the United States.

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M'KINLEY TO SAIL ON OUTWARD VOYAGE

Admiral Ship Posted to Leave Saturday for Orient Has Varied Cargo

Apart from a good list of passengers, the Admiral Oriental liner President McKinley, scheduled to sail for the Orient on Saturday, will take out a widely diversified cargo, according to the local agents of the line.

The President McKinley will carry a shipment of 100,000,000 cigarettes consigned to China; a shipment of 50,000,000 sticks of chewing gum for Japan; flour from Tacoma for Shanghai sufficient to make 20,000,000 loaves of bread; a consignment of 500,000 quarts of condensed milk and 100,000 automobiles of various types for the Orient.

The next vessel of the Admiral Oriental Line to arrive here from the Orient will be the President Jackson, which is scheduled to arrive March 5 from Yokohama. The President Jackson is to be refitted and have additional refrigerator space installed following her arrival at Seattle from the Orient.

VESEL MOVEMENTS

Victoria, March 1.—Arrived: Tyndareus, from Seattle. Sailed: Tyndareus, for Seattle. Feb. 28.—Arrived: Jacob Luckenbach, New Orleans; Eagle, New York; Yonnie Maru, Aberdeen; Los Angeles, Los Angeles; President Harrison, San Francisco; Admiral Evans, San Francisco; Tuscaloosa City, Puget Sound; Mojave, San Francisco.

NEW BEAUPERE CHURCH WILL BE GREAT EDIFICE

Special to The Times. Montreal, March 1.—Plans for reconstruction of St. Anne de Beaupepe Church, which was destroyed by fire last spring, have been completed. The building will cost several million dollars when finished, but the work will be done gradually, the plans providing first for the completion of the church sufficiently for pilgrimages, and to allow religious services to be conducted after some \$100,000 has been expended, progressively according to subscriptions received, the building will be enriched to such an extent that when entirely finished in accordance with the final plans, it will be one of the most magnificent churches in America.

RECEIVED FROM WASHINGTON ABOUT \$20,000 TO PAY OVERDRAFTS OF APPROXIMATELY FIFTY AMERICAN OFFICERS.

FREIGHT HANDLERS GET HIGHER WAGES

Chicago, March 1.—An increase of two cents an hour for 65,000 freight handlers and station laborers on approximately forty-one railroads and subsidiaries became effective to-day.

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Canadian National

STOWAWAYS WERE SAFELY DEPORTED

Japanese Were Not Desperate and Submitted to Deportation Quietly

The Japanese stowaways from the freighter Taibu Maru who were deported last night on the Arizona Maru failed to measure up to the impression given of a desperate band of men who would balk at nothing to gain their liberty.

Handcuffed together, the twenty-three irrefragable, guarded by members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, were marched from the Belleville Street wharf out to the immigration building on Dallas Road, where they were held until placed aboard the outbound Japanese liner at the Outer Docks. It was a mild looking crowd, and at no time did they display any inclination to break away from their guards.

Others at Large. All efforts to locate the six Japanese stowaways who escaped from the immigration detention building at Vancouver yesterday morning have so far failed. According to reports from Vancouver to-day an investigation found no blame was attached to anyone for the escape. All guards had been at their posts, and every precaution had been taken to prevent any attempt to escape. It was stated by the Vancouver immigration inspectors.

LURLINE FLOATED WITHOUT DAMAGE

Matson Vessel Got Off Beach Last Night and Proceeded to Tacoma

Seattle, March 1.—The steamship Lurline, which grounded on Whidbey Island while groping her way through a dense fog, was floated at high tide last night and proceeded to Tacoma.

Capt. Sandelin, master of the ship, reported to local agents of the Matson Navigation Company that the vessel will be able to proceed on her voyage to Honolulu as scheduled Saturday.

Bound for all ports of call as far as Manila, two Japanese passenger liners sailed from this port this morning. They were the Nippon Yusen Kaseha liner Yokohama Maru and the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Arizona Maru. The latter Nippon Yusen Kaseha liner due here is the Kaga Maru, expected March 2 with a big passenger list.

In the service of the Alaska Steamship Company, the liner Northwestern arrived here yesterday afternoon several hours ahead of her schedule. In addition to 100 passengers, she brought 100 boxes of fresh fish and 1,200 tons of copper ore.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

All unreserved seats for the pantomime "Dick Whittington and His Cat" are sold out. The public anxious to secure reserved seats should telephone No. 431 or apply at Semple's Hall.

The Crusader's basketball team won the Community League Cup last night when they defeated the Y. M. C. A. team with a score of 23-27 at the regular mid-week entertainment at the Drill Hall. An enjoyable time was spent, the 16th Scottish band being in attendance, and dancing completed the evening.

A meeting of the World Alliance for the promotion of international friendship through the churches will be held this evening in the Metropolitan Methodist Church. Rev. Dr. Clay will preside and the speakers will include Bishop Schofield and Rev. W. P. Freeman. Officers of the Alliance will be nominated at this meeting.

Application to have the court appoint an administrator of the estate of a man made before Mr. Justice Murphy this morning by D. S. Tall on behalf of J. Napier Hibben, Jr. In view, however, of the fact that some of the assets are at present in California and Texas and had not received notice of the application, His Honor adjourned the matter until April 2.

At a meeting of the Victoria Mounted Police Veterans' Association, which was presided over by Superintendent Moffat, it was decided to give every support that the organization could give to the proposal that Edmonton should be the place for the holding of the celebration this year. The celebration referred to is the one that will commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the organization. The plans for a re-union dinner were also discussed at last night's meeting. Social intercourse brought the meeting to a pleasant close.

A pleasant evening was spent in Esquimalt Methodist schoolroom on Wednesday evening between the hours of 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. A grand display of ladies' and children's aprons was on sale, and the candy stall, under the supervision of the Ladies' Aid, did a good business. During the evening a musical programme was given, the following taking part: Mrs. R. Rowe and Miss S. Thompson, piano duet; Mrs. J. H. Parsons, song; W. C. Biggs, instrumental solo; Miss M. Bonyard and Miss E. Driver, duet; and J. Aitch, ballad, solo. Refreshments were served by the Ladies' Aid.

At their meeting last evening the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 5, made plans for their big cabaret at the Empress Hotel on April 3. Announcement was made of the pending visit of Grand Chief Facial Smith, of Vancouver, and Mrs. P. R. Brown and Mrs. McDonald were elected to the sick committee to assist Miss Thain. Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Robertson were appointed delegates to inquire into the question of the treatment of drug addicts and to report at the next meeting.

At the home of Mrs. W. J. Kelley, Cedar Hill Road, a meeting of the Missionary Society of the First Congregational Church was held on Tuesday afternoon. A Baby Mission Banquet was organized with Mrs. Roberts, of Oxford Street, in charge. Arrangements were made for the sending of the annual missionary bags of goods to Toronto. The following ladies were welcomed as new members: Mrs. Holcombe, Mrs. Frederick King and Mrs. Carter. At the conclusion of the business, Mrs. Sidney Johnson contributed vocal selections, after which a delicious tea was served by the hostesses.

WARD TWO LIBERALS HOLD THEIR regular monthly business meeting in the Liberal rooms on Tuesday evening. On hundred and two new applications were received and admitted to the ward roll. It was decided that the members of Ward Two would visit the next meeting of Ward Three on Tuesday, March 13, and take sides in a debate on "immigration" which that ward had arranged to have on that date. This is a visit without invitation, and the members of Ward Three will have to look to their laurels, as Ward Two is planning to show them something in the way of debating questions of this kind.

A well attended monthly meeting of the Esquimalt branch of the Ladies' Guild of the Seafarers' Club was held at the Club yesterday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Cave, in the chair. Arrangements were made for a silver tea and guessing contest on the afternoon of March 28. Mrs. Gaiger to be convener for this. Reports from the hard time danced recently given by the ladies showed that a fair amount had been added to their funds on account of that function. It was decided to hold the annual meeting in April instead of May as was done in former years by this Club. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Hanna kindly served tempting refreshments to all present.

CRICKETERS TO MEET.
The Victoria Cricket Club holds its annual meeting in the president's office, 410-11 Sayward Building this evening at 8 o'clock, when all members and officers are expected to be present. The club specially invites prospective new members to attend.

GORGE COMMUNITY HALL.
The Tillamook Veterans' Association will meet at Tillamook School on Tuesday evening next, when the chief discussion will centre on the recently announced intention of the Seanch School Board to end manual training in the schools. A proposal for the construction of a Gorge district community hall will also be advanced.

TO MEET TO-MORROW.
The United Grain Growers, Victoria and district locals, will hold a special meeting at the Dominion Hotel here on Friday at 3 p.m. C. E. Hope, one of the directors of the organization will speak. A report will be presented by F. Allan, who acted as delegate to the last annual meeting of the shareholders at Calgary. The meeting is expected to be well attended, as there are now many members living on the Island and also many who are here as visitors from the prairie.

EARTHQUAKE RECORDED.
An earthquake of moderate intensity was recorded on the instrument at Gonsales-Heights Observatory this morning. The first wave came at 8 o'clock 32 minutes, the second at 8 o'clock 34 minutes, the third at 8 o'clock 36 minutes. The probable distance is 2,000 miles.

NEW SHERIFF OF VICTORIA.
Herbert Wellington Goggin is now Sheriff of Victoria, having been sworn in this morning by Judge McIntosh at the County Court, with O. H. C. Barton acting as clerk of the peace. Mr. Goggin announces that there is no present intention of making any changes in the personnel connected with the sheriff's office.

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MARCH ENTERS IN LEONINE MOOD

February's Heavy Snowfall Eclipsed by Prince Rupert's Rain

March came in to-day attempting a leonine mood, with history weather interspersed with bursts of sunshine. The mean temperature for the month was 38 degrees, or 3 below the average; the lowest was 11 degrees on the 13th, with 10 degrees below on the 14th, and the highest was 51 on the 27th. It is interesting to note that during the past eight days when the sun has been shining in sunshine, Prince Rupert has been swimming in rain. In eight days 14 inches of rain has fallen, including 4.64 on the 28th ult.

SOLDIER CLUBMEN CLAIM FIFTEEN BARRELS OF BEER

Ask Magistrate Jay to Restore Property Seized in Raid

R. C. Lowe this morning appealed to Magistrate Jay for an order returning to fifteen members of the Grand Army of United Veterans, sixteen barrels of beer. These were seized last April, in the course of a raid on the Club's canteen, whereby Sparks and Caskie were convicted of selling beer.

Mr. Lowe declared that officials of the Liquor Board had stated the beer should be returned to the veterans, in view of their claim that the barrels were their individual property. Seventeen barrels had comprised the seizure, of these one or two were the property of the two convicted men, he asserted.

Magistrate Jay considered that the presence of counsel would suffice in a summons case, but upheld the arguments of City Prosecutor Harrison, who maintained that bail bond terms called for the presence of the accused as alternative to sequestration, the latter being granted as alternative to incarceration.

COURT DEMANDS PRESENCE OF ACCUSED

Bail of \$400 Estreated When Counsel Fails to Produce Client

In the city police court this morning Magistrate Jay estreated the \$400 bail of Mrs. F. W. Van Sickle, charged with selling beer. A warrant for her arrest was ordered to be issued after R. C. Lowe had again urged his argument that his presence as counsel satisfied the claims of the case.

QUESTIONS RIGHT TO COLLECT COMMISSION

A case involving the provisions of the Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act of 1920 was before Judge McIntosh in the County Court yesterday and judgment reserved. The plaintiff, C. H. Goodall, who is not a licensed real estate agent, asked five per cent commission on the sale of a five-acre chicken ranch at Colwood to L. G. Herchermer, by D. Cousins.

QUESTIONS RIGHT TO AFFORD TO PAVE PANDORA AVENUE

Leading aldermen who have been investigating the proposed paving of Pandora Avenue to divert traffic from the city streets, will be asked to-day that they had come to the conclusion that the city could not afford to do the work this year.

REVISION COURT FINISHES WORK

Cut City's Land Valuation About \$1,500,000

The City Court of Revision concluded its work last night after sitting continuously for several weeks. While no definite figures have been compiled by officials of the City Assessor's Department, yet it is estimated that the Court reduced the city's assessment about \$1,500,000. Practically all land in the city was affected by blanket reductions ordered by the Court.

CALL TENDERS BEFORE BRIDGE NOTES ARE HELD

That Will Enable City to Make Accurate Estimate of Paving Costs

Must Submit Loan By-laws Now to Raise \$150,000 Immediately

Before Victoria ratepayers vote to authorize the expenditure of \$80,000 more on the Johnson Street Bridge and \$70,000 on the paving of Johnson Street from the bridge westward tenders for the paving work will be called by the city, under plans drafted by Alderman George Sangster, Chairman of the Public Works Committee, and Alderman David Leaming, Chairman of the Finance Committee, yesterday. These plans will be laid before the City Council to-morrow afternoon, and, it is expected, will be adopted.

By calling tenders for the paving work we shall be able to find out before hand just exactly what the paving will cost so we can ask the ratepayers to authorize the payment of the right amount of money. We don't want to have any mistake about that.

Regarding the bridge, it is estimated now that \$60,000 more is required to complete it. That, at least, is the figure we arrived at yesterday afternoon, but the figures naturally have changed since we first considered the matter as the bridge work progressed.

Alderman Sangster and Alderman Leaming decided to recommend the submission of loan by-laws now, following the announcement Tuesday afternoon that the British Columbia Electric Railway Company would not use the new bridge this year and pay the city \$50,000 for the privilege. If the city could have secured this money now it probably would have been used to finance the completion of the bridge and the paving without by-laws at this time. In view of the Electric Railway Company's declaration of bankruptcy, the city has raised immediately and by-laws must be submitted for the purpose.

PLAN FOR GREAT EDUCATION MEETING

Harry Charlesworth Calls Preliminary Meeting of Committee

Harry Charlesworth, of this city, who is a member of the National Council of Education, has been asked by that body to form a local committee in Victoria, to consider arrangements for the great triennial Education Conference, which will take place in Toronto from April 2 to 8.

Dr. Lewis Hall and W. W. Northcott, as Bench of Justice, this morning in the city police court heard preliminary argument by counsel in the action of the Dominion Department of Health against Wong Chung Quong, charged with importation of opium.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT PRESSES CHARGE

Chinaman Acquitted of Opium Possession Faces Second Charge on Same Facts

On December 1 last at the Outer Wharf, Customs Inspector Mac found much opium in the false bottom of a trunk containing Quong's effects on his return from China. Quong was tried for having possession of opium and was convicted by Magistrate Jay, but secured reversal by Judge Lammiman, who gave credence to his assertions of ignorance of the contents of a trunk loaned him by a friend.

SAY CITY CANNOT AFFORD TO PAVE PANDORA AVENUE

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ACCEPT RESIGNATION.
The resignation of Dr. L. K. Foynt as radiologist of the Royal Jubilee Hospital was accepted by the board

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18999—In a Corner of the World All Our Own, Edna Brown-Henry Burr. Sunset Valley, Peerless Quartette.
216394—Come Back Old Pal (from "Dumbell's Revue") Harold Harvey. Golden Dream-Boat (from "Dumbell's Revue") Harold Harvey.
19000—Bess Knees—Fox Trot. The Virginians. Peggy Dear—Fox Trot. The Great White Way Orchestra.
19001—Who Did You Fool After All?—Fox Trot. The Virginians. Rose of the Rio Grande. Fox Trot. The Virginians.
19002—Le Falmons (The Doves). Fox Trot. International Novelty Orchestra. O Sole Mio (My Sunshine) Waltz. International Novelty Orchestra.
19003—Jvy (Cling to Me)—Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra. I Gave You Up Just Before You Threw Me Down. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19007—Parade of the Wooden Soldiers. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra. Mister Gallagher and Mister Shean. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19008—When All Your Castles Come Tumbling Down. Fox Trot. Zex Confrey and His Orchestra. The Lonely Nest. Fox Trot. The Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19009—Dumbell. Fox Trot. Zex Confrey and His Orchestra. Baby Blue Eyes. Fox Trot. The Great White Way Orchestra.

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NATIVE SONS TO MEET
Native Sons of Canada, Victoria assembly, will hold a meeting and election of officers and transaction of other business this evening at the clubrooms, 1610 Langley Street.

COMMUNITY BROTHERHOOD
At a meeting of a special committee, held a few evenings ago, to consider the organization of a community brotherhood in the James Bay district, the draft of the proposed constitution was agreed upon and will be presented at a public meeting on Tuesday evening. The members of the committee who were present and took part in the proceedings were Messrs. Joseph Patrick, Stephen Jones, Justin Gilbert, Whitmore, Waterson, D. A. Fraser, A. C. Kennedy and D. F. Sprinkling. The mention of whose names will suggest the

A RAILWAY DECISION
Ottawa, March 1.—(Canadian Press).—The Railway Commission to-day refused the application of the Canadian National Railways to close the divisional point at Jasper, Alberta, and consolidate it with existing terminal facilities at Lucerne, B.C.

PREMIER KING RECOVERING FROM INDISPOSITION
Ottawa, March 1.—The condition of Premier King, who has been suffering from an attack of grip, is reported to be much improved to-day.

# Basketball, Golf, Times Sporting News Football, Hockey

## Terrific Battle Won By Mets, Ties Up Race

### Cougars Show Plenty of Speed and Fight Despite Long Trip and Came Near Taking Measure of Seattle; Oatman, Victim of Vicious Attack By Foyston, Fights Back and Causes Small Riot; Issue Will Be Settled Here To-morrow Night.

Seattle, March 1.—Frank Foyston, slashed at by Harry Meeking, swung his club across the forehead of Eddie Oatman in the last three minutes of last night's Seattle-Victoria game and thereby precipitated a fight which made it necessary for uniformed policemen to come on the ice and separate the Seattle and Victoria captains, who were clinched and pummeling each other like a couple of infuriated rough and tumble artists. Any rules went. Incidentally Seattle won the hockey game 5-3 and is still in the running for the chance to play off for the coast championship with Vancouver. The Victoria club wound up its season's appearance in Seattle going on and off the ice as referee Ion inflicted penalties on the Cougars for tripping the Mets, who were trying to increase their goal average record, which will be counted in event of a point tie with the Cougars after Friday night's game between the two clubs in Victoria and the protested game.

Both Foyston and Oatman were fired off the ice by referee Ion for the remainder of the game, which lacked three seconds of being three minutes, and in addition were fined \$15 each. The trouble arose near the Victoria goal. Foyston was skating in with the puck when Meeking, who sneaked at him from behind, swung his club across Foyston's shoulders. A second later Oatman and Foyston were fighting for the puck against the fence. Oatman raised his stick, whether to strike Foyston or not is unknown, but the Seattle captain slashed in with his own hockey and dropped Oatman like a log. At least that is the way it appeared to ringiders. He may have thought that the Victoria men were out to get him and beat the first fellow who made a movement to the punch as they say in our most approved ring circuits.

When Eddie Awoke, Zowie. Referee Ion evidently figured that Foyston was about to be chased him and plastered a \$15 fine on him, when his dome cleared, could not figure why Foyston should take a shot at him and the more he thought about it the hotter he got. His head was stinging from Foyston's wallop. Eddie came tearing down the ice with both fists clenched and sailed into Foyston in front of the penalty bench. They slugged each other until their feet went out from under them, and both were down in a grudge clinch. It looked for a few minutes as if a free-for-all was in store, and to make things more lively Loughlin and Rowe clinched and pulled Oatman and Foyston apart, but it was necessary to hold the Victoria, who was as full of fight as the other wildcats. It developed later that Oatman was the innocent bystander. Foyston thought it was Eddie who had driven the hockey stick into his shoulder. Oatman, therefore, suffered for the transgressions of his mate, Meeking, who he accidentally raised his stick, a movement that Foyston interpreted as an continuance of the previous attack.

Mickey Growled. "Give the both of them the rest of the game and fifteen bucks apiece. We'll have a better show for the boys. I'm going to stop the game. The referee ion, who by more force words clipped another pedo off Foyston's pay cheque. That's about right, based on the average of Judge Dalton's court in the case of the boys who battle on the streets. Foyston, who is one of the cleanest players in the game, must have been greatly incensed. And once again, Foyston, Oatman, who has played a remarkably clean game this year, for letting his outraged feelings get the better of him. At any rate, the fans saw two good shows for the price of one.

### Cougars Fight Hard

The first period was productive of as hard fighting as has been seen here in the history of the coast hockey. It was not handed out as they were in the second.

Victoria broke into the scoring ten minutes after the first period opened. Oatman making a pass to Meeking, who started his shot near the blue line. Holmes got in position to stop the puck, but it skipped under his arm and the Cougars were in front momentarily.

After a later Foyston was in on a rebound and lifted the rubber past Fowler for the tying score. Less than a minute after the second period opened and with Rowe and Loughlin decorating the bench after their "russian" match, Fraser took the puck and skated wide and from. He skated up to the blue line and turned loose the missile with plenty of speed. It sailed past Fowler for a goal. After Riskey was injured by being hit on his wounded knee, Fraser played the game out.

## Regina Fails Before Attack Of Saskatoon

### Edmonton in Prairie Play-off But Calgary and Regina Still Tied

Edmonton, Alta., March 1.—Edmonton Eskimos made sure of a place in the league play-off by defeating Calgary, 3 to 0, in the most curious game of hockey ever played in Edmonton.

The ice was so soft that inside of a few minutes of the start of each period it was covered with snow so deep that the puck got lost in it. It was impossible to skate, so the players ran on their skates. It was impossible above the puck along the ice, so the players battled it or lifted it from end to end. Despite the conditions or because of them, the game was clean, not one penalty being handed out.

### Summary.

First period—1, Edmonton, Arthur from Gagne, 45.  
Second period—No score.  
Third period—2, Edmonton, Gagne from Keats, 2:00; 3, Edmonton, Keats from Simpson, 7:00.

### HAMILTON IS HOCKEY CRAZY OVER FINAL GAME THERE TO-NIGHT

Hamilton, Ont., March 1.—Hamilton is hockey crazy. From 6 o'clock yesterday morning there were lines in front of the two up-town booking offices and the arena, where the Toronto Granites, Allen cup holders, and the Hamilton Tigers will play the second game of the home-and-home series for the Ontario senior championship Friday night. Toronto won the first game, 4 to 2.

jaunt, but they had a wonderful reserve of speed, and kept stride for stride with the Mets over the whole route. The Cougars made a surprising showing and the Mets are now very confident that they will be able to overcome their rivals on the Victoria ice to-morrow night.

### SEATTLE HOME WINS.

Santa Clara, Cal., March 1.—In their first game this year players of the Santa Clara Golf Club, defeated the University of Santa Clara nine here yesterday, 11 to 1. Ren Kelley, former New York hurrier, held the collegians to four hits.

### MILITARY RUGGERS DEFEAT OAK BAY

University School Team Win Final Match From Oak Bay High Fifteen, 20 to 0

In the final match for the school league championship played yesterday afternoon between the University Military School and the Oak Bay High School, the former school's rugger team defeated the latter by a score of 20-0.

### PORT ARTHUR TEAMS BALKING AT PLAYING GAMES IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, March 1.—Members of the Port Arthur Hockey Club will meet Thursday night to decide whether to obey the ruling of the Manitoba Hockey Association that they should play two final games for the league championship at the amphitheatre rink, Winnipeg.

President Vanwick, of the Port Arthur Club, who has been in Winnipeg for the last few days attending meetings at which the playdowns were discussed, returned home to Port Arthur last night. He will endeavor to persuade the Port Arthur players to make the trip to Winnipeg.

## Lady Golfers to Play for B. C. Championship in May

Arrangements have been made to hold the British Columbia ladies' golf championship at the Colwood Golf Club between May 7-11. The winner will be presented with the Flumerfelt Cup.

## Fitz's Crowned Kings Of Wednesday League

Weller's, last year's champions of the Wednesday Football League, must turn over the Penderay Cup to Fitz's as a result of the outcome of yesterday's game when the pool-sharks surprised everyone by trimming the champions by 4 goals to nil.

### WEDNESDAY'S LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Fitz's	14	7	2	5	17
Weller's	15	5	6	3	13
Hudson's Bay	15	5	6	3	13
Garrison	14	3	6	5	11

Lost two points for playing ineligible players.

### WILLY BLACK GIVEN PURSE OF GOLD BEFORE LEAVING FOR U.S.

Willy Black, former golf professional at the Colwood Golf Club, pulled stakes and left town last night. Accompanied by his family he is going to Bellingham, Wash., where he will take up the post of pro at the Bellingham Golf Club.

### JIM JEFFERIES IS NOW ALONG BROKE

Los Angeles, March 1.—James J. Jeffries, formerly heavyweight boxing champion of the world, yesterday filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the U. S. District Court here.

### AMERICAN PLAYERS VICTORS ON COURT

Monte Carlo, March 1.—(Associated Press)—Mrs. Molla B. Mallory and Miss Elizabeth Rayner, the only Americans entered in the Monte Carlo tennis tournament, both won their matches yesterday.

### RITOLA, GREAT FINN RUNNER, SETS STILL ANOTHER TRACK MARK

New York, March 1.—Willie Ritola, Finnish-American long distance star, set a new world's indoor record for three miles in 14:00, defeating Jole Ray, Chicago star, in a handicap run at that distance at the annual games of the Knights of Columbus New York Chapter last night. Ritola's time was 14:15-4-5.

### NELSON IS LEADING AGAINST CRANBROOK

Nelson, B. C., March 1.—Nelson took a three-goal lead in the final series for the McBride Cup, when they defeated the Cranbrook team here last night by a score of 4-1.

### BOBBY MACLEAN IS SKATING CHAMPION

Sydney, N. S., March 1.—Winning two of four races on the card and finishing second and third, Bobby Maclean, New York, won the Canadian indoor professional skating championship here last night.

## Toronto May Be Nosed Out Of Play-Off

### Canadiens Whitewashed St. Pats Last Night; Ottawa Sure of Their Place

Montreal, March 1.—Canadiens whitewashed St. Patricks here last night, 3 to 0, and again jumped into second place in the league standing of the National Hockey League.

### Summary.

First period—1, Canadiens, Bucher, 12:45.  
Second period—2, Canadiens, S. Cleghorn, 5:20; 3, Canadiens, Herliquette, 7:10.  
Third period—No score.

### BAMBINO'S WEIGHT SHRINKS RAPIDLY

Ruth is in Best Physical Shape in Years; Other News From Ball Camps

Hot Springs, Ark., March 1.—"Babe" Ruth is shrinking. At his last accounting with the scales Ruth plus a Turkish bath weighed 200 pounds at 206 pounds, the lowest he has weighed since his pitching days with the Boston Red Sox. Ruth is splendid condition and is confident of getting an early start in the harvesting of home runs.

### NEW YORK MARCH 1.—All but five of the New York Yankees, American League champions for the past two years, have signed 1923 contracts, it was revealed yesterday by Business Manager Ed Barrow, in announcing a roster of thirty-five players ordered to report March 10 to Manager Miller Huggins at New Orleans, where the club will pitch its Spring training camp.

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### BARNES AND FARREL BEAT JOCK AND JESS

Miami, Fla., March 1.—Jim Barnes, former national open golf champion, and Johnny Farrell, of Quaker Ridge Golf Club, Kamaonock, N. Y., defeated Gene Sarazen, present national open champion, and Jock Hutchison, former British open titleholder, on the 35th hole in their match on the Hollywood links today.

### EMPRESS BILLIARDS

In the semi-finals of the Empress Billiard Handicap played last night at the Empress Billiard Parlor, Jones (R.25) beat Knowles (R.5) by 28 points after a close match. Kroeger (R.50) defeated Smith (sch.) by 13 points. The final match will be played on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock between W. J. Jones (R.25) and Kroeger (R.50).

## Cougars Are Back In Town For Last Game

### Welcomed Home By Fans This Afternoon and Will Rest Up For Deciding Match To-morrow Night; Boys Are Determined to Win; Lester Patrick Explains Secret of Success During Swing Around Prairie Loop; Great Game Expected When Mets and Cougars Meet.

"We know what's got to be done, we've got to win that game to-morrow night. All the boys are determined to take Seattle into camp but they realize that they will have a stiff job on their hands as the Mets were going well last night. We gave them a great battle considering we had only hopped off the train a few hours before and with a short rest before our final game we should be in fairly good shape for the last leg of the route. The boys know what is expected of them and I hope they will not disappoint the fans who have stacked up so solidly behind them."

So spake Lester Patrick, manager of the Cougars, as he stepped off the Seattle boat this afternoon at 3 o'clock of his team, which returned from its victorious trip around the prairie hockey loop.

### TWO VISITING HOOP TEAMS TO PERFORM

Vancouver and Nanaimo Basketers Will Be Here on Saturday Night

All roads will lead to the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday night when a good programme of fast basketball games will be played. Nanaimo basketballers are seldom if ever seen on a local floor. The local hoop stars are anxious to give an opportunity when their Foresters' team lines up against the James Bay Methodists intermediates Saturday night.

### WITH THE BOWLERS

The Colistons bowlers were humbled by the Elks last night in their league match, being defeated by 197 pins. The scores follow:

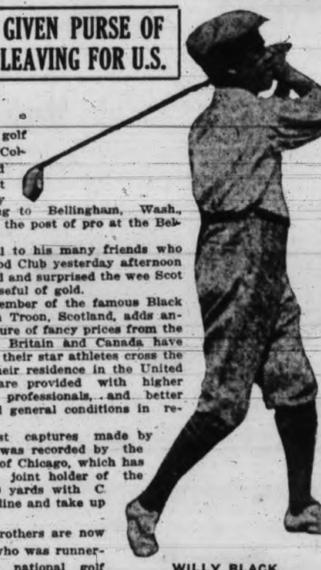
Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Handley	190	151	141	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	482
Bartley	150	153	188	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	491
Fuggie	125	178	158	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	461
Rayley	180	158	174	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	512
Mitchell	142	134	162	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	438
Totals	792	804	823	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2419

### VILLA WILL DEFEND FLYWEIGHT LAURELS AGAINST F. GENARO

New York, March 1.—Pancho Villa, the little Filipino, who won the American flyweight title from Johnny Buff will defend his title to-night at Madison Square Garden against Frankie Genaro, New York Italian, whom he has met several times previously in non-championship bouts.

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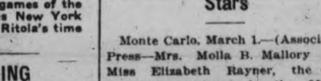
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ORIENTAL TRADING SPREADING ON LOWER MAINLAND

Significant Figures Are Presented by J. T. Crowder to Retailers

One Oriental store in every fifty people in the population of the city of Vancouver was the proportion which retailers were called upon to face, stated Joseph T. Crowder, provincial representative on the Dominion Executive of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada...

French; the repeal of discriminatory taxation, such as the 5 per cent tax on luxuries, candy, automobiles and the like; the repeal of the stamp tax on receipts and also certain changes in the income tax, under which charity grants by merchants would be allowed as operating expenses in their income tax returns...

ORGAN RECITAL PLEASAS MANY AT METROPOLITAN

Alfred Gurney Presents Programme of Comprehensive Merit

Alfred Gurney, organist of the First Presbyterian Church, gave an organ recital last evening in the Metropolitan Church in which he had the assistance of Mrs. Robert Baird, contralto.

"Under the Vancouver city charter we cannot separate the Oriental, nor say what business he may or may not enter. I don't believe that you can do that anywhere, in our representations to the Federal Government we asked restriction of the right of entry to the following classes of Orientals:

(a) Are representatives of foreign governments and their suites. (b) Will be bonafide students in attendance at colleges or universities—only while in attendance at such universities and colleges.

(c) Are bonafide representatives of Oriental commercial houses while acting in such capacity.

(d) Are bonafide tourists.

"Itemized these licenses were: Autos for hire, 14; auto drivers, 15; garage and supply houses, 5; apartment houses, 13; billiard and pool rooms, 10; billiards, 1; bookbinders, 40; barbers, 65; brokers, 4; boot and shoe dealers, 27; boot and shoe repairers, 23; bath parlors, 12; candy, ice cream and fruit stores, 123; confectionery, 11; cleaners and dyers, 55; drug-gists, 33; dry goods, 38; dressmakers, 4; express and draying, 38; flour and feed, 8; fish dealers, 20; groceries, 173; green grocers, 57; gentlemen's clothiers, 63; hawkers and peddlers, 154; hardware, 9; jewelers, 30; lodging houses, 63; laundries, 43; milliners, 3; miscellaneous, 52; printers and publishers, 5; poultryers, 17; photographers and photo supplies, 12; restaurants, 89; second-hand dealers, 14; stationery and books, 84; tobacco, 201; wholesale dealers, 29; total, 1,658.

"I tried my best to find out what the Federal Government was going to do, but naturally they would not talk as it had not been before the House. I understand, however, from unofficial sources that the Government is going to abolish the head tax of \$500 each; restrict entry to the merchant classes to the exclusion of Coolie labor and to a limited immigrant being in possession of \$2,500 at the time of entry.

"If they do bring this down as law we will have a very considerable influx. I have no quarrel with the elimination of the head tax, it is an insult anyway on any man, but it is to prevent them all from coming in as merchants? There are more Chinese merchant tailors in Vancouver now than all the others put together. "If this is the intention of the Government, and I don't know that it is, we will have an increase of 500 per cent every year. Then there is the possibility of evasion as to the \$2,500. They may come in under the tongue leader and return the money to him as soon as they are in. What is to prevent them, once in from farming potatoes at such an extent as the Okauchan? Who is to find them out and take their thumb prints? That looks to me as positively alarming. If this is going to be the law it will be just that much easier for them to put us all out of business," continued by retailers who dealt at some length with the various recommendations of the Dominion Executive in relation to sales and other taxes.

The proposals included, briefly, that the personal property tax as a permanent be abolished, as it kept out investors and was an equitable; abolition of licensing for revenue in favor of licensing for service rendered; that separate sets of books be kept by retailers who were also manufacturers, in either English or

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Friday Savings in Drug Sundries

- Forhan's Tooth Paste, value 60c for 44c Squibb's Liquid Petroleum, value \$1.00 for .88c Williams' Shaving Cream, double size, value 75c for .58c Salutarin, an after shaving delight, value 25c for .17c Whalebone Hair Brushes, value \$1.50 for \$1.18 Fine Tooth Combs, value 20c, 13c Hot Water Bottles, 2-year guarantee, value \$3.25 for \$2.25 Tooth Brushes, value 20c for 13c Emulsified Coconut Oil, value 35c for 25c Glycerin and Rose Water, 4 oz. for 19c

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- Women's Kid Gloves Fine quality French Kid Gloves in 8, 12 and 16-button lengths, suitable for wearing with the new afternoon frocks. Come in tan, brown, grey, black and white, over-sewn seams and with self points. 8 buttons, per pair \$3.95 12 buttons, per pair \$4.95 16 buttons, per pair \$5.95 Women's Suede Gloves "Empress" Suede Gloves, pique sewn, with silk embroidered points and two dome fasteners. Come in seal brown, beaver, mode and French grey. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7, per pair \$3.00 Women's French Suede Gloves Pique sewn, with self points and two dome fasteners. Very suitable for early Spring wear. Come in colors of tan, beaver, grey and pastel. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2, per pair \$1.75 Women's Suede Gloves Charles Perrin's French Suede Gloves, pique sewn, self points, in colors of brown, tan, beaver, grey and black. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2, per pair \$2.50

Friday's Grocery Bulletin

- Hudson's Bay Co. The Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per pound \$1.50 3 pound lot \$4.50 No. 1 Creamery Butter, per pound \$1.50 3 pound lot \$4.50 Finest New Zealand Butter, per pound \$1.47 3 pound lot \$4.41 Pure Sult Lard, per pound \$1.02 3 pounds for \$3.06 Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. 25c Sweet Pickle Picnic Hams, per lb. 19c Sweet Pickle Ham, per lb. 21c Sweet Pickle Picnic Hams, per lb. 21c Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb. 25c Mild Ontario Cheese, per lb. 25c Cottage Brand Peanut Butter, per jar \$2.00 Hudson's Bay Co's Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. \$1.50 Special Blend Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. \$1.50 3 lb. tin \$4.50 Fine Quality Dutch Cocoa, per lb. \$1.75 3 lb. tin \$5.25 Quaker Brand Choice Quality Pumpkin, No. 2, 2 lb. Special \$1.50 Quaker Brand Choice Quality Pumpkin, No. 2 1/2 lb. \$1.75 Special 3 for \$5.00 E. Lazenby's or Grove & Blackwell's Pickles in 6-oz. bottles \$1.50 Mixed, White Onions, special per jar \$2.00 Dainty White, special per jar \$1.50 Laurel Brand Strawberries, per tin \$2.25 Lina Rosal 3 lbs for \$1.00 Extra Choice French Walnuts, Bordeaux Hates, Special per lb. \$1.00 Dromedary Dates, special per pkt. 20c Fruit and Vegetables California Sunken Naval Oranges, per dozen \$2.75 40c and \$5.00 California Marmalade Oranges, per dozen \$2.75 40c Ripe Bananas, per dozen \$1.00 Florida Grapefruit, Special per lb. \$1.50 and \$2.00 California Grapefruit, 3 for \$2.00 Sunken Lemons, per dozen \$2.75 Fancy Table Apples, per box \$3.00 to \$5.00 Hobhouse Rhubarb, per lb. \$2.00



Aluminum Specials For Friday

Two-Quart Aluminum Double Boilers, Large-Size Aluminum Colanders with rivetted handles and feet, Aluminum Double Roasters, Five-Cup Size Aluminum Percolators with patented slides, Three-Quart Straight Aluminum Saucepans with lid, Four-Quart Converter Aluminum Saucepans, all grouped to sell at, each \$1.98

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### RACE BETTING DEBATED BY M.P.'S

#### Commons Asked to Make Commercialized Betting Illegal

Ottawa, March 1.—(Canadian Press)—The debate on the resolution of W. C. Good, Progressive, Brant, Ontario, to prohibit commercialized betting on racetracks, will probably be continued in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Mr. Good said yesterday afternoon that the purpose of the resolution was not to make horse racing illegal, nor to make betting on horse races illegal, but to make illegal the business of commercialized betting at race tracks.

It proposed to abolish the exemption of racing associations from the law which forbade other bodies to keep gaming houses.

Evidence placed before the Rutherford Commission in 1920 showed the jockey clubs had made enormous profits. The Rutherford report, continued Mr. Good, showed the Ontario Jockey Club in 1920 made a total takeoff of \$661,358, as compared with the high water of \$1,170,677 in 1911.

Hon. S. F. Tolmie favored Federal control of racing from one end of the country to the other.

"I might say that the mover of this resolution is a supporter of the Government in Ontario that is squeezing the last dollar out of the racing game," Dr. Tolmie remarked.

It was impossible to carry on racing without betting, he said, and it was better that race track gambling should be under proper control than that it should be done illegally.

Dr. Tolmie affirmed that against paternal legislation which was going to tell people when to go to bed and when to get up there was a very similar attitude throughout the country.

### MANITOBA M.P.'S IN LIVELY DEBATE

#### Labor Member Alleged Attempt Made to Shut Him Out

Winnipeg, March 1.—Declaration by Premier John Bracken of the Government's policy not to raise civil service salaries this year in view of financial conditions generally led to the first real "scrap" of the session in the Manitoba Legislature yesterday afternoon.

With the House in committee of supply, John Queen, labor member for Winnipeg, got at longheads with Capt. Cannon, Government member for Mountain, who Mr. Queen claimed had attempted to shut him out of the discussion of the Government's policy.

Following futile attempts to obtain a hearing, Mr. Queen brought the matter to a climax by moving that the chairman leave the chair and that another member take his place.

Mr. Queen maintained it was, and in support of his claim interpreted a rule providing that when a member was dissatisfied with the chairman, he could make a motion that the chairman leave the chair.

J. T. Haig, conservative, Winnipeg, disputed this interpretation of the rule, whereupon Mr. Queen went off on another tack. He moved that the committee rise and report progress, so that another member might be in the chair when the committee resumed.

The motion was put, but was turned down by a large majority. Mr. Queen again started a fight for the privilege of being heard and more discussion ensued, ending in laughter when J. Hamelin said he thought things were "so bawled up" that nobody knew what was wanted.

### HIGH WINDS

Los Angeles, March 1.—High winds harassed motorists traveling between San Bernardino and Los Angeles yesterday, piling up drifts of sand on the foothill and valley boulevards and ripping the tops off several automobiles, according to travelers arriving from inland points.

Interurban trolley traffic, however, was not noticeably handicapped.

High barometric pressure in the Utah region, with a comparatively low barometer along the coast, was responsible for the storm, according to the local weather bureau.

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### FRED STONE HAPPY SINCE CONVERSION TO CHRISTIAN LIFE

#### Noted Comedian Decides Not Too Late to Do Good to Others

Seattle, March 1.—Declaring the first week of a Christian life has been the happiest he has ever known, Fred Stone, noted comedian, yesterday told the story of how the impulse to accept the Christian faith came upon him while snowbound on the bleak prairies of South Dakota recently, thus confirming news in a recent dispatch from Butte, Mont.

Stone, according to the Butte dispatch, and continued yesterday by the comedian himself, appeared at the Mountain View Methodist Episcopal Church in Butte February 17 and there made a confession of faith to Rev. Cecil Leslie Clifford, the pastor.

"My only regret is that I did not do this step years ago," said Stone yesterday. "But it is not too late to do a lot of good to others and to get much happiness, peace and comfort out of my own life."

Stone regrets the publicity given his conversion with the possible innuendo of the "press agent" stuff. He said he would like to enjoy his work more than ever now and that his art will not suffer. On the contrary, he will be able to talk over his "grip" easier because his heart will be full of gladness.

It is Stone's intention to give away ten per cent. of his income, estimated at \$125,000 annually. A number of churches in the Northwest are reported to have received amounts up to \$100 from Stone in the past week.

"I have set ten per cent. as the minimum," he said, "and I have no doubt that I will exceed this amount more and more as the years go by."

Asked why he chose the Methodist Church for his confession of faith, Stone said:

"I had no particular church in mind. I simply felt an urge to confess myself as a follower of Jesus Christ, and I wanted to take over my spiritual welfare. I was tired, very tired, of the old life. I wanted to become a humble follower of the Man of Nazareth and dedicate my life to His service. I have always felt that some day I would like to lead a Christian life. My parents were devout Christians, members of the Methodist Church. It was their church affiliations largely that prompted me to join that denomination."

### LIVESTOCK SALES SUBJECT OF INQUIRY

Edmonton, March 1.—Following the recent appeal to the Dominion to prosecute an exhaustive inquiry into the grain trade, the Legislature of Alberta yesterday endorsed a resolution asking the Federal Government to conduct an investigation into the operations of livestock commission men and dealers, and suggesting that the Provincial Department of Agriculture should fill the role of watchman on Alberta.

The resolution was proposed by A. J. Babney, M.P., who is charged with livestock dealers and commission men were committing grave breaches of the law by using "dummy" purchases for an extra "take-off" by getting exorbitant profits in handling livestock and supplying feed.

"I don't think it is fair to give the impression to this House that all the livestock dealers are rogues," declared George Mills, Athabasca, after a number of speakers had followed the grain trade.

Hon. George Hoadley said such charges were not being made, the main complaint lying in the fact that the lack of proper regulations allowed improper practices to be allowed and unfair rates charged.

### PARING OF OUTLAY FOR EDUCATION IS OPPOSED

Winnipeg, March 1.—"Don't let us make economy in education our object," declared John W. Dufour, editor-in-chief of The Manitoba Free Press, when addressing the annual convention of the Manitoba School Trustees' Association here yesterday.

Vice, crime and poverty are largely the result of ignorance. If one-third the money spent in 1914 had been spent during the thirty years before in educating the people we might never have had a war."

J. Allison Glen, of Russell, Man., was unanimously re-elected president for his fourth term.

A request that the Department of Education take steps to have the school books of the western provinces standardized with a view to reducing the cost was made in a resolution adopted.

### TRAIL SHIPMENTS

Ors receipts of the Trail smelter so far this year are brought up to \$4,215 tons with the arrival during February 15 to February 22 of 8,223 tons.

Custom ore shipments in the past week amount to 1,906 tons. The Lone Pine, Surprise and Last Chance, the Republic claims in Washington lead in the receipt of customs ore for the week. Custom ore shipments for 1923 now total 6,322 tons.

### \$10,000 BAIL

Los Angeles, March 1.—Ten thousand dollars each was the bail fixed in court here yesterday for ten alleged swindlers arrested Monday on charges that they had conspired to steal \$17,000 from James P. Larsen, a farmer of Marquette, Neb., in a fake race track deal.

### COMMITTED SUICIDE

Calgary, March 1.—A special dispatch to The Morning Albertan from Drumheller says the body of Lewis M. Nelson was found yesterday morning hanging from the limb of a tree.

The coroner decided it was a case of suicide. Nelson was a traveler for No. 1 Brothers, wholesale grocers of Winnipeg.

### VICTIM OF HEAT

San Francisco, March 1.—Max Moore, of San Francisco, was taken to the emergency hospital here yesterday, suffering from sunstroke. The hospital records disclosed that this was the first case of sunstroke in February since the hospital began operations.

### UNIT OF SAANICH MUNICIPAL BUS SYSTEM



The first municipal bus system in operation in British Columbia commenced operations this morning, two handsomely equipped cars commencing a service from the Campbell Building in Victoria to Lake Hill Post Office.

### FUEL OIL TAX PROPOSAL UPHELD

#### Special to The Times.

Nanaimo—The City Council unanimously passed a resolution supporting the fuel oil tax proposal, in making the motion Ald. Smart admitted he knew the Council would be advocating a tax upon itself, as it was using a small quantity of fuel oil on the waterworks pump, but this

did not amount to a row of beans. It was not a political issue in any way, but one which affected the future welfare of Nanaimo, and the Island. The resolution was as follows:

"Be it resolved that this Council go on record as endorsing the action of Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, in bringing before His colleagues in Victoria the necessity of imposing a tax on all fuel oil consumers, to protect the mining industry of this province, and a com-

munication be sent to him, asking in what manner the city can best assist him in accomplishing this object.

The Council received a communication from Hon. A. Manson, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor, making an appeal for employment on behalf of returned soldiers.

Mayor Busby remarked that as far as the City of Nanaimo was concerned, it had always done what it could for returned men, who had al-

### CIVIL SERVANTS INCREASE INCOMES BY MARRYING

Toronto, March 1.—That various employees of the Provincial Government have found it possible to increase their earning capacity by marriage seems evident from a reply by Premier Drury when asked by J. McNamara, Riverdale, whether or not there were any married women working with their husbands in the Ontario civil service.

In the Hamilton Hospital, according to the Premier, employees have raised their incomes by marriage as follows: Chief attendant and supervising nurse, \$1,502 and \$1,100 respectively; supervising attendant and cook, \$1,200 and \$876; attendant and cook, \$1,000 and \$775; \$1,000 and \$850; \$1,000 and \$850; \$818; attendant and supervising nurse, \$1,000 and \$925.

The Ontario Hospital at London has 12 such "institutional marriages."

In the "inside service" or in the Parliament Buildings themselves, the housekeeper received \$2,700 per annum and his wife \$300 as linen keeper. There are also husband and wife working in the Treasury Department as clerk and stenographer respectively.

"The above are all gross salaries," says Premier Drury. "Perquisites such as houses, board and lodging, uniforms, laundry, etc., are charged for and deducted from the gross salaries. The practice of allowing employees to marry and both continue in the service has been in effect for many years at the public institutions, for the purpose of promoting efficiency, contentment and long service."

### NO COMMUNISM

Minneapolis, Minn., March 1.—The Minneapolis Trades and Labor Assembly at a meeting last night adopted a resolution pledging the assembly to divorce itself from the Workers' Party, the Communists, Industrial Workers of the World and similar organizations. The vote was 44 to 7.

### WOMAN EXCUSED FROM RUSSELL JURY

#### "Shocking Details" Expected in Rehearing of Divorce Action

London, March 1.—Rehearing of the divorce action brought by John Russell, son of Lord and Lady Amphill, against his wife, Christabel was begun to-day. On the suggestion of counsel, Judge Hill permitted the retirement from the jury of an unmarried woman on the ground that the case would develop some rather shocking details. Mrs. Russell is the daughter of Col. John Hart. The suit involves the legitimacy of a two-year-old child.

### J. HODGE, BRITISH M.P., IS TO RETIRE

London, March 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Rt. Hon. John Hodge, Labor member of the House of Commons for the Gorton division of Manchester, former Minister of Pensions, intends to retire at the end of the present Parliament, having "done his bit."

Mr. Hodge to continue as a member of the House of Commons, has notified the Labor Party that the union cannot continue subsidizing its representation of Gorton in the House for seventeen years.

The Steel Smelters' Union, the assistance of which alone has enabled Mr. Hodge to continue as a member of the House of Commons, has notified the Labor Party that the union cannot continue subsidizing its representation of Gorton in the House, like other trades organizations, the Smelters' Union is feeling the strain of many financial burdens and, besides, there are numerous members of the union who are showing a growing repugnance to the union's funds being used for political representation.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

COWICHAN CREAMERY ASSOCIATION MET

Annual Reports Presented and Directors Elected

Special to The Times. Duncan—About sixty men and a few women attended the annual meeting of the Cowichan Creamery Association held here.

The annual report was for fourteen months. The butter sales for that period were 227,732 pounds, and the average selling price was 47.76 cents per pound.

There are 275 members of the Association, an increase of twenty. During the year there was increased elevator accommodation.

Proposals for a jam factory were endorsed by the members at an extraordinary meeting in October and a form of contract which will bind shippers for three years.

Six per cent interest on capital shares will be paid in March. Trading bonuses will be paid at the same time.

The directors recommended segregating the accounts, cream, eggs, poultry and feed. Each departmental account will carry its own balance forward to the next year.

Finances sound. The financial statement, audited by Henry A. Norris, C. A., showed a sound state of affairs.

The poultry men wished a stronger representation on the board of directors, but the previous members were all re-elected. They are: John N. Evans, president; E. W. Neel, vice-president; W. Wilson, O. G. Hunt, V. M. Stewart-MacLeod, R. E. Barkley and J. E. K. Burnett.

A resolution passed before the meeting adjourned expressed confidence in the directors and was followed by one that each director should be paid \$3 for attending each regular meeting.

Women's Institute. On Thursday afternoon at 2:30 Dr. Warnick, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, has called a meeting of the members of the Cowichan Women's Institute to consider the present position owing to the resignation of some of the directors.

These resignations followed an excited adjourned annual meeting caused by one director having asked for greater clearness in the keeping of accounts and the resentment of others at the criticism implied.

No regular meeting was held this month and the meeting on Thursday will take action either in electing fresh directors or in deciding to disband.

Dance to be held. The Cowichan Chapter, L. O. D. E., will give a card party and dance in the Tea Kettle and the adjoining room of the I. O. O. F. to-morrow evening.

BEEKEEPERS ARE IMPROVING WORK

Special to The Times. Sidney—The Vancouver Island Beekeepers' Association held a demonstration of bees at the farm of J. Robinson, East Saanich Road.

J. Ramsay, the president, gave a very interesting lecture, explaining how to arrange the hives and the frames in the hives, how to prevent swarming and how to introduce new bees into the hives.

Mr. Maynard, from Victoria, was present, and explained the Shepherd hive. About twenty members were present.

The next meeting is to be held on Monday, March 5, at 8 p. m. in Wesley Hall, when lantern slides of the bees at work will be shown.

The Junior Branch of St. Andrew's W. A. held a very successful sale of candy, home cooking and roses on Tuesday afternoon. The roses were very pretty and most beautifully made by the girls.

Those in charge of the stalls were Mrs. Harrison, Miss G. Harrison, Miss R. Matthews and Miss Cobblewick.

The Women's Guild of St. Andrew's held its usual meeting at the home of Mrs. Whiting on Wednesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. J. White, was in the chair, and opened the meeting in the usual way.

Mrs. White then read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were adopted. The secretary, Mrs. Wilson, was unable to be present owing to illness.

The treasurer, Mrs. Philip, read the financial report, which was most satisfactory. After business had been discussed Mrs. Whiting gave a very nice tea to all.

He Speaks from Past Experience

That's Why He Praises Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mr. Mason S. Battisford Wants Everyone to Know His Views About Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Boggy Creek, Man., Feb. 25. (Special)—"I think Dodd's Kidney Pills should never be passed by anyone suffering from kidney trouble, without first giving them a trial. I am certain, from my past experience, that they will give sure relief.

There are lots of remedies for weak kidneys, but I find nothing like Dodd's Kidney Pills for strengthening the kidneys and keeping them in good order."

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NEW DUNCAN PASTOR WELCOMED

Rev. Bryce Wallace Inducted at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Special to The Times. Duncan—Rev. Bryce Wallace, of Vancouver, and formerly of Merritt, B. C., was inducted as pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Monday evening.

Rev. David Walker, Moderator, presided and constituted the Presbytery by prayer. The Presbytery appointed the Rev. D. Lister as clerk.

The Rev. J. Smith-Patterson, of St. Paul's Church, Victoria West, read from the scriptures and preached the sermon, taking the text, "Render Unto God the Things That Are God's."

The Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay, of Victoria, addressed the congregation and narrated the steps leading to the call.

Rev. Daniel Walker put the induction questions and the Rev. D. Lister, of Nanaimo, addressed the minister.

Welcomed. There was a full congregation in the church. After the service those present went to Kinsale-of-Orpheus Hall, where words of welcome to the new minister and his wife were spoken and a short programme followed.

A leader from each church activity gave a short address. The programme was as follows: Piano solo..... Miss Cowie

Short address..... W. Paterson Song..... J. Dick

Address from H. Fox representing the manager..... Mrs. O'Neill

Speech—Alex. Thompson representing St. Andrew's Young People's Society..... Miss Paterson

Song..... Mrs. G. G. Henderson representing the Women's Missionary Society..... Mrs. F. Bonsall

Speech—W. M. Fleming representing the Sunday School..... J. Dick

Song..... Miss Paterson

Speech—Mrs. Murchie representing St. Andrew's Guild..... Little Miss Margaret Peterson, for the Women's Guild, presented Mrs. Wallace with a beautiful bouquet of carnations.

During the evening a letter of good wishes was read from the Rev. A. F. Munro, former clergyman.

The Rev. Bryce Wallace feelingly replied to the very kind and sincere welcome that had been given to him and his wife.

The manse, which has for some years been let, will be renovated and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace will live there. At present they are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Ford.

Parent-Teacher Association. The Parent-Teacher Association formed at a meeting at the Duncan Consolidated School, when about forty parents and teachers attended, elected the following officers:

Honorary presidents, Messrs. A. B. Thorp, B. A. and W. Stacey; president, S. R. Kirkham; first vice-president, Mrs. Lander; second vice-president, Mrs. Buffell; honorary secretary, Mrs. Murchie; convener of education committee, R. A. Thorpe; convener of social committee, Mrs. Stock; convener of membership committee, Miss Miller.

It is hoped that Mrs. Muirhead, president of the provincial organization, will be able to address a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association about the middle of March.

Return to Cowichan. Mr. and Mrs. W. Morton, of Cowichan Bay, who have spent the winter in England and in Guernsey, are returning to Cowichan this week.

Major and Mrs. Porteous have removed from Cherry Point, and are making their home in Duncan.

COWICHAN I.O.O.F. ELECTED OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Held in Duncan; Cowichan Sports Club Met

Special to The Times. Duncan—The annual meeting of the Cowichan Chapter, I. O. O. F., was held Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. F. G. Christmas, the retiring Regent, in the chair. After the usual business the election of officers for the coming year took place and resulted as follows:

Regent, Mrs. Primrose-Wells; First Vice-President, Mrs. P. G. Christmas; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Carr-Hilton; Secretary, Mrs. H. N. Watson; Treasurer, Mrs. H. P. Swan; Echoes Secretary and Educational Secretary, Mrs. F. Parker; Standard Bearer, Mrs. H. A. Patterson.

It was reported that the net proceeds from the fancy dress carnival amounted to about \$175 and it was moved and seconded that this amount be paid over to the hospital to be used for furnishings for the new "T. B." ward.

A letter was read from Mr. Boynton, Educational Secretary for the Provincial Chapter, saying she would visit Duncan on March 14 or 15, and would address the Cowichan Chapter.

Sports Club Met. A special general meeting of the Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club was held at the Agricultural Hall Tuesday evening. This meeting was called to comply with the provisions in the trust deed respecting the de-benture issue. By resolution the issuance was endorsed and the debentures will now be signed and sent out. At the annual general meeting it was decided to retire seven debentures and these were drawn for Tuesday evening.

A ground committee will be appointed to deal with improvements. Also the question of encouraging the boys to practice will be taken up by the general committee.

Those present were Capt. R. E. Barkley, in the chair; Rev. F. G. Christmas, Carr-Hilton, A. E. Green, I. D. Mackenzie, H. B. Hayward, S. R. Kirkham, B. Hope, W. Parker, H. N. Ancocks, S. J. Westcott, Mrs. Aldersey, and C. M. Galt, secretary.

Langford—The Bohemian Club, of Langford, will hold a fancy dress dance on Tuesday, March 6, starting at 9 p. m.

SUCCESSFUL PLAY GIVEN AT LUXTON WILL BE REPEATED

Special to The Times. Luxton—The much-looked-for performance of the one-act farcical comedy, "The Area Belle," took place at Luxton Hall on Saturday evening and was enthusiastically voted an overwhelming success by the large and appreciative audience.

Miss Gladys Baxter made a charming "Belle," her appearance, diction and acting being all that could be desired.

The "Mrs. Croaker" of Mrs. Burnell was a finished and artistic piece of work, her mid-Victorian costume being particularly effective.

R. Richards as the amorous and ultimately successful milkman showed a surprising degree of latent talent; while H. T. Miller as Corporal Towner of the "Cameron's," and Capt. F. W. Baker as "P. C. Pitcher," kept the audience in roars of laughter at the various funny situations presented during the course of the play. The plot hinges on the mistake made by the flirtatious penelope in inviting two of her numerous young men on the same evening, the situation being further complicated by the "Missus" not having gone out, as was expected of her. The fun waxed fast and furious right up to the final curtain.

Capt. Baker's policeman song made a decided hit, as did Mr. Miller's musical explanation as to his reason for adopting the kill.

The play was exceedingly well staged, H. T. Miller having spent strenuous hours in fixing scenery, footlights, etc. The stage management was in the hands of Capt. Baker.

Prior to the performance there was a most enjoyable musical programme in which Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Hilgham, Miss Evelyn Smith and Master Gordon Marshall took part.

A unanimous desire has been expressed that the play should be repeated, and it has been decided that there will be another performance at Luxton Hall on Friday, March 9, starting at 8.30 p. m. The proceeds will be divided between the Colwood and Luxton Women's Institute and the Luxton Hall Piano Fund.

FRUITGROWERS TO DISCUSS NEW ORGANIZATION

(Special to The Times). Metchoin—At a meeting of the directors of the Metchoin District Co-operative Fruit Growers' Association, held at the home of Mr. W. O. Sweetman on Monday night, a very lengthy and detailed discussion took place in reference to the new Provincial Fruit Growers' Association now being formed, and while the directors were favorably impressed with the particulars so far available regarding the new organization, they felt that before any definite action was taken the matter should be placed before a meeting of the shareholders of the local association, and accordingly are calling a special meeting at Metchoin Hall on Thursday, March 15, at 8 p. m. when it is hoped all members will make an effort to attend.

The thanks of the Board of Directors were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Sweetman for the use of their home and for the excellent refreshments served.

Reduced Announcement To All Ford Owners

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LATEST NEWS OF THE MARKETS

Retail Market

Table listing various retail market items such as Beets, Carrots, Garlic, Parsley, and various meats with their respective prices.

SOCKLIST CONTINUES STRONG

(By Burdick Bros., Ltd.) New York, March 1.—Influences which have been at work recently from a market viewpoint were again chiefly responsible for the buying in most quarters of the list to-day.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE (Burdick Bros., Limited)

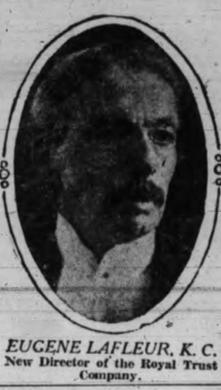
Table showing exchange rates for New York sterling, London bar silver, and other international financial data.

CHOPPY MARKET IN CHICAGO

(By Burdick Bros., Ltd.) Chicago, March 1.—The wheat market was a choppy affair to-day with early buying apparently based largely on the crop news.

Wholesale Market

Table listing wholesale market prices for various commodities including Cheese, Butter, and Eggs.



EUGENE LAFLEUR, K.C. New Director of the Royal Trust Company.

SIX U.S. NAVY MEN BURNED TO DEATH

Manila, March 1.—Six enlisted men on the United States destroyer Hubert of the Asiatic Fleet were burned to death yesterday in an explosion in the boiler room caused by a flare-back of oil. No others were injured.

BLUNDERS IN BIBLES TOLD

Editions Made Valuable by Printers' Errors. Although the Bible possibly receives more care when being printed than any other volume, curious misprints have crept in on occasions.

HON. A. K. MACLEAN MAY BE CANADIAN EXCHEQUER JUDGE

Ottawa, March 1.—While no appointment is likely to be made for some time, Hon. A. K. Maclean is suggested in parliamentary circles as the successor to the late Sir Walter Cassels on the bench of the Exchequer Court.

LABOR CONGRESS TO BEGIN SEPT. 10 IN VANCOUVER

Ottawa, March 1.—It is officially announced that the 1923 convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada will open on September 10 in Vancouver.

F. W. Stevenson STOCKS BONDS

102 PEMBERTON BUILDING Phone 352. Advertisement for F. W. Stevenson's financial services.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg, March 1.—Traders in local market appear to be waiting for some developments in either foreign demand or domestic news as to the real conditions of the winter wheat crop.

Table showing trading data for Winnipeg markets, including various commodity prices and market movements.

VICTORIA DAILY VICTORY BOND PRICE LIST

Table listing prices for various Victory Bonds, including New York Cotton and other government securities.

Local Stock Quotations

Table providing local stock quotations for various companies and commodities in the Victoria market.

NEW YORK COTTON

Table showing New York Cotton market prices and trading activity.

NEW YORK SUGAR

Table listing New York Sugar market prices and related data.

RETURNS FROM TRIP TO STEEL MARKETS OF UNITED STATES

F. Wilkinson, manager of the Wilkinson Co., Limited, vice-president of E. G. Prior & Co., Limited, and a director of the Morrison Steel and Wire Co., of Vancouver, has returned to Vancouver after a six weeks' trip which took him to the main steel producing centers of the United States and Eastern Canada.

SUMMARY EXCHANGE

Table summarizing exchange rates for various international markets and currencies.

FINLAND PLANS TO WIPE OUT DEBT TO UNITED STATES

Washington, March 1.—The Minister to Finland, Dr. Axel Leonard Astrom, to-day made an appointment with Secretary Mellon for tomorrow to begin preliminary conversations on the refunding of the Finnish Government's debt to the United States, amounting to \$8,251,928 in principal and about \$1,150,000 in accrued and unpaid interest.

IRISH RAILWAY LOSSES REPORTED

Raiders' Activities Cost Great Southern System £301,000. Dublin, March 1.—At the annual meeting of the Great Southern Railway here yesterday, the president stated that on this line alone the tracks had been cut 467 times, 297 bridges had been damaged, 133 signal cabins and other buildings destroyed or damaged, 86 locomotives damaged and 260 damaged, 100 cars destroyed and 260 damaged.

TWO LOST OFF FLORIDA WHEN SEAPLANE SANK

Stuart, Florida, March 1.—Delos Thomas, aviator, and Captain Theodore Tibbs, missing since Friday, when they left Bimini aboard a seaplane for Stuart, were regarded today as lost at sea, although search for them was continued to-day.

PRINCE OF WALES SUFFERS LAMENESS

London, March 1.—The Prince of Wales, when he arrived at the Ely's dinner last night, had to be helped from his automobile owing to lameness due to an accident while fox hunting at the last week-end, according to The Daily Mail.

KANSAS CITY MAN HICCUGHS FOR LONG PERIOD

Kansas City, Mo., March 1.—Charles Tewson, 57, has hiccoughed for more than seventy hours. He is in a hospital here. He told physicians at the hospital yesterday that he started hiccoughing Friday night.

FRANCOIS FLAMENG, PORTRAIT PAINTER DIED IN PARIS

Paris, March 1.—Francis Flameng, the painter, died last night. Flameng gained special prominence as a portrait painter and had to a great extent made his name as the former Emperor of Russia, the Queen of Great Britain and Princesses of Greece. He held the second medal of the Society of French Artists and was an Officer of the Legion of Honor. He was born in Paris in 1855.



T. J. Macabe. Assistant Treasurer of the Canadian National Railway, has resigned to enter private business.

Advertisement for British American Bond Corporation, offering various bond investments.

Advertisement for Monarch Life Assurance Company, highlighting life insurance benefits.

Advertisement for The Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd., offering financial services and investments.

Advertisement for SIR W. G. ARMSTRONG-WHITWORTH & CO., LTD., ENGLAND, featuring various products.

Advertisement for The Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd., detailing investment opportunities.

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# TIMES DAILY - PICTURE PAGE

## Stage Lures Member of Nobility



The Hon. Sylvia Gough, wife of Captain Wilfred Gough and daughter of General Sir Hugh Sutley-Gough, has startled London society with the announcement that she is about to go on the stage and will begin as a chorus girl.



Mrs. Walker Willebrandt, Assistant Attorney-General at Washington, is waging relentless war on bootleggers of high and low degree.



Lawson O. Clifford, M. P. for South Ontario, will probably be chairman of the special parliamentary committee appointed to inquire into agriculture and marketing conditions.



Claim of Edouard Belin to have made the first discovery of a process of transmitting photographs by telegraph is upheld by the French Academy of Science.

## "Miss Canada"—Her Home and Mother



Upper left, Mrs. F. R. Blair, mother of Miss Winnifred Blair, chosen as "Miss Canada," at the Montreal Winter carnival. At the right, "Miss Canada" in two delightful poses. Below, the Blair home, 224 Duke Street, St. John. The father died a year ago.



J. S. Woodsworth, Labor M. P. for Centre Winnipeg, precipitated a storm at Ottawa when he introduced a resolution urging that Canada forego all claim to reparations from Germany.



Neville Chamberlain, British Postmaster-General, has expressed himself as favoring lower newspaper postage rates in the Old Land.

## Bayonets Prod Ruhr Workers



German workmen who were prevented from striking by the French military are shown here loading coal at Essen under the shadow of a bayonet.

## No Jewels in Seaman's Coffin



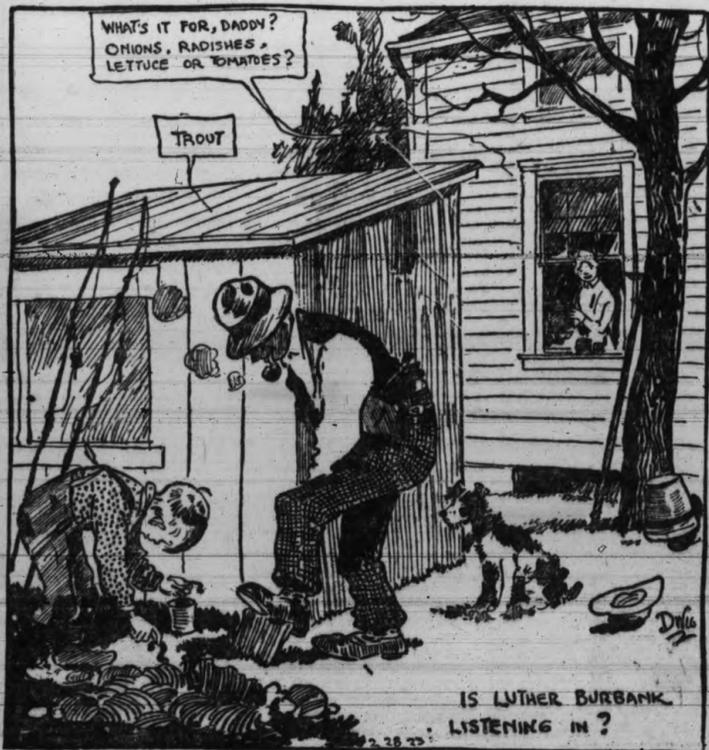
When the coffin of James Jones, American seaman, was opened in Brooklyn, N. Y., no trace was found of the jewels of the Russian royal family reported to have been smuggled into this country concealed in the coffin lining.

## To Give Legal Counsel to C. N. R.



Left to right, Gerard Ruel, General Counsel; W. C. Chisholm, K. C., Assistant General Counsel; A. J. Reid, K. C., Counsel for the Eastern region; and Henry Freeman Alward, Moncton, Counsel for the Atlantic region.

## SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



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Wilbur Glenn Voliva, overseer of Zion City and chief exponent of the belief that the world is flat, now faces a libel suit brought by a fellow clergyman, whom Voliva is alleged to have called a "blatherskite" and other similar terms of endearment.



Introduction of a redistribution measure for Ontario is demanded by G. G. Halcrow, independent labor member for East Hamilton. He has moved an amendment to the reply to the speech from the Throne, calling on the Drury Government to bring down such a measure.

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**BURNEDY Lawn Bowling Club**—Military 660, St. Mark's Hall, Friday, 2:30. Tickets 15¢.  
**TRAXY DANCE**, by Souths, Daughters, in Rex Theatre, Friday, March 2, at 8:30. Gentlemen wear overalls, ladies correct dresses. Admission, seats 15¢, ladies 10¢. Refreshments.  
**C. F. R. CLUB**—Our military 606 gun has been cancelled this week. m-2  
**DANCE**, Strawberry Vale Hall, Thursday, March 1, 8:30 to 11:30. Kinloch's piano orchestra. Admission 50¢. Refreshments. m-2

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**THE True Blue** whist drive on Friday, March 2, at 8:30 p. m. in the hall. Admission 25¢. Good prizes. m-2  
**WHIST DRIVE** in Orange Hall to-night, 8:30 p. m. Admission 25¢. m-2  
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fallen snow so that his body cast no shadow, he often happened to, and the black tip of his tail was sure to catch the eye of any one that happened along and hold it so that at a distance it was difficult to follow the outline of the rest of his body.

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GREEK WRESTLER WINS U.S. AMATEUR CROWN. New York, March 1.—J. Yokes, of the Greek Olympic Club, Chicago, last night won the national amateur wrestling championship of the United States.

TILDEN WINS MATCH WITH GREATEST EASE. Philadelphia, Pa., March 1.—William T. Tilden II, national lawn tennis champion, easily won his way to the second round of the middle states indoor champions yesterday.

DOG TEAMS TRAVEL. Calgary, Alta., March 1.—Eight racing teams from The Pas, Man., arrived in the city yesterday en route to the Banff Winter carnival.

DEMPSEY OPENS UP TRAINING QUARTERS. Los Angeles, March 1.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight boxing champion, opened training at a local gymnasium yesterday before a large gathering of fans and personal friends.

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**PROFESSOR SPEAKS**

ON G. B. SHAW

Professor G. G. Sedgwick, of the University of British Columbia, last night addressed a large audience in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, having chosen for his subject "George Bernard Shaw, and the University."

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**"I, Was a Fright!"**

"Nothing I Could Take Made Me Any Fatter."

"Up to the time I was seventeen years old, I believe that I was the most miserable and unhappy girl that ever lived. Honestly, I was a sight. I was the most ungainly looking creature you ever saw. I was thin and scrawny—straight up and down. My height was five feet nine inches and I weighed exactly ninety-one and three quarter pounds. No matter what kind of clothes I put on I looked like a fright. I was clumsy and awkward. I used to stand before the glass and study my features. I found I had a good nose, good eyes and a good mouth, but my cheeks were sunken and my face looked like a skull with a piece of parchment stretched over it. But nothing I could do or take made me any fatter. Men rarely even glanced at me. When they did, they merely gave me a casual, amused or pitying look,—an expression which I am sure meant, 'Why is a being like that allowed to live?' I used to be awake at night for hours at a time wondering why there were so many beautiful girls in the world and I was so hideous."

My friend of mine one day, Elsie W. and I hardly knew her. While she had never been as thin as I was, a year or more ago she ran me a close second, but when I met her she had taken on flesh and had developed into a fine handsome girl with one of the prettiest figures I had ever seen. I asked her what had caused the big change. She said Carol. She told me she had been taking it regularly for the last three months and that from the first week of taking it she had begun to put on flesh. I was encouraged by what she said that I couldn't get to the druggist fast enough. I bought a bottle and since then I have been taking it regularly. It has made the greatest change in me you ever saw. I now weigh 165 pounds and all my friends tell me that a wonderful figure I have and I know that I am admired."

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**SAYS COLLEGE CONTRACT WAS SECRETLY LET**

Government Gave Friends University Work Without Tender, Bowser Charges

Third Party Threatens Chaos for Politics, Conservative Chief Warns

That the Oliver Government had secretly and without calling tenders let a \$500,000 contract for British Columbia University buildings to a company in which prominent Liberals were interested was the charge made by W. J. Bowser, K. C., leader of the Conservative Opposition, at a meeting in the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, last night.

Mr. Bowser devoted himself chiefly to a warning against the new third party which is springing up in British Columbia. If this party were allowed to grow, he declared, such a party would be formed before party government was introduced in 1923, would result.

Mr. Bowser observed that the world was not normal and the formation of a third party in British Columbia was an evidence of this. The new party, however, had not progressed far yet.

"No Place for Third Party"

"There is no place for a new party in the politics of British Columbia or the world," he declared. Since Sir Richard McBride had ushered in party politics in 1903, British Columbia has enjoyed a stable government. Mr. Bowser declared. Liberals might attack the McBride Government and Conservatives might attack the Oliver Government but constitutional administration had been maintained.

If the new party succeeded in putting British Columbia back to its old condition before party politics would be chaotic again. Before 1903, he recalled, British Columbia had been administered by ten premiers in ten years.

"False Gods"

"I don't care whether you are a Conservative or a Liberal, but don't follow these false gods," he warned. "If you think Oliver has given you a good government give him a strong majority at the next election. If you don't there is only one thing to do."

Mr. Bowser asserted that Canada was cursed by lack of political stability. The King Government at Ottawa was crippled by the fact that it needed the support of the Progressives. Similar conditions prevailed in various provinces. What Canada and British Columbia needed was "tranquillity and stability" the policy of the Bonar Law Government in England.

Mr. Bowser declared that Premier Oliver was pushing all over Canada dragging the red herring of better freight rates across the people's trail. Lower rates were desirable and Mr. Bowser hoped they would be secured. Mr. Oliver was displaying a big chance of heart for he had attacked Sir Richard McBride's efforts in support of better terms years ago. The Premier had tried to become a railway king running the P. G. E. and, having failed, was now trying to become a rate raiser.

"A Second Rate Lawyer"

The Government already had paid \$50,000 to G. G. McGeer, its counsel in the railway rate case. Mr. Bowser charged that McGeer had added, as a second-class lawyer, when the Government had \$50,000 to spend on this work it was natural to expect that it would secure the services of a better lawyer than Mr. McGeer. But Mr. McGeer was an excellent Liberal and under the Government's loan system, only a certain few good Liberals could be appointed.

Mr. Bowser cast his eye over the last few years and was forced to the conclusion that the Oliver Government was heading through, to use the Premier's own words.

Mr. Bowser charged the Government with wanton extravagance as a result of which the Government's total loan of \$2,000,000 issued since the last session, had been floated at a higher interest rate than loans floated by Manitoba in spite of British Columbia's great resources. Of this loan \$1,400,000 had gone to the Bank of Commerce and only \$600,000 to the Provincial Treasury.

This year, he declared, the Province would spend \$1,200,000 more than it would receive.

Mr. Bowser said he feared that the position of the Province financially was very serious indeed, with a budget deficit of \$1,000,000 and \$150,000 earmarked for fixed charges. When he left office the Province's net debt was \$19,000,000. Now it was \$23,000,000 and he said he feared that British Columbia was in a bad way because it had a debt of \$2,000,000.

The Oliver Government, he stated, had borrowed \$46,000,000 and altogether had spent \$153,000,000 since 1915—a staggering sum.

"Do you want them to spend another \$133,000,000 in six years?" he demanded. "Why, there'll be no thing left. They say our credit is being ruined. Because the Kansas farmer will buy our bonds is no reason for reckless borrowing and wild expenditures."

Alleges Secret Contract

Mr. Bowser charged that the Government had secretly let a \$500,000 contract for University buildings in Vancouver to the Ryan Construction Company, a firm in which General Victor Odium, defeated Liberal candidate, was a leading shareholder, without calling public tenders. Contracting firms had not heard of the work until it had been started. The work was being paid for under force account, so that the more it cost the more would be paid to the Ryan Construction Company.

Experience of Value

Mr. Bowser said that the Conservative Party could bring into administration an experience that was worth something. "As for me, I have finished my wasteful session, and I am not so black as they paint me," he went on. "If I was half as bad as they make out I would have been driven out by my own constituency to private life long ago. They have never proved a single thing against me and never proved that a dollar was missing in our regime."

**MINISTER PRESENTED FIRST AID AWARDS**

Hon. Wm. Sloan Congratulates Successful St. John Ambulance Students

Prowess in first aid received its official recognition last evening when a number of successful students were presented with diplomas and medals of the St. John Ambulance Association. The ceremony took place at the Victoria High School, Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines presenting the awards in his capacity of President of the British Columbia Council of the Association.

The students receiving diplomas included the following of the Normal School:

Arthur L. Bagshaw, John Milton Bass, Delmer H. Battrick, William J. Birch, George A. Brand, Godwin Brant, James Bruce, Terence Crowley, John Denike, DeLaCour Des-Bray, Albert K. Eaton, Harold Ensor, John Gough, George E. Hamilton, John H. Harter, John E. Hobb, Allan W. Holmwood, Henry T. S. Hope, Sidney Hopkins, Leslie Howlett, Floyd Irwin, Albion W. Johns, Thomas D. Kilgus, George S. Knapton, John C. Loomer, Earl S. Meek, Edward F. Miller, Neil E. Morrison, Daniel Moses, Sylvio Muraro, James M. Neill, Lawrence Macrae, Donald M. McGregor, Elmer A. Nichols, James E. Nimmo, Katero Oberg, William Owens, Ivor Parritt, Charles H. Poirer, Peter Dudley Pritchard, Harold Reley, Clarence Richardson, Hartley Sargent, William J. Sheak, Maurice Smith, Paul Strickland, Charles H. Sterling, Garroll A. Stewart, Oswald Taylor, Robert Taylor, Stewart Taylor, Dan Thompson, J. Ronald Todd, Guy Waddington and Kenneth Watson.

Junior certificates were presented to C. Bissell, H. Renwick, V. Giolma, A. Taylor and J. Slater, of South Park School; L. Johnson, W. Oliver, E. Gray, L. Leary, of the St. John's Boys' Central School; K. Clark, Margaret Jenkins School; L. McComb, P. Morley, H. Griffiths, L. Watkins and E. Tuck, of George Jay School.

Silver Medals

Silver medals denoting their success in the Wallace Nesbitt Junior Competition were presented to Arthur Johnson, William G. Munn, George Levy and James Moir, of the Boys' Central Cadet Corps, commanded by Capt. T. R. Wheadon. The team that won the gold medal in the Province with the Fernie Boy Scouts, Cadets Johnson and Oliver of this team have the additional distinction of being holders of the gold medal in last year's competition.

Hon. William Sloan touched upon the origin of the St. John Ambulance Association and its growth throughout the world. He outlined its aims and principles, and expressed his pleasure at the interest taken in the movement by the young people. "It inculcates into a man or woman a better sense of citizenship and a proper knowledge of first aid is an invaluable asset throughout life," said the Minister.

Miners' Success

British Columbia's success in various competitions were reviewed by Mr. Sloan, particular reference being made to the success achieved by first teams in the Dominion and Vancouver Island. Realizing the tremendous importance of efficient first aid facilities especially in the event of mining disasters, he commended the miners who had encouraged its study among the miners, arranging lectures and practical courses among the mining community.

The more serious business of the evening was interspersed with musical and elocutionary numbers. Capt. J. St. Clair, superintendent of Cadets, gave a stirring rendering of "The Charge of the Light Brigade." Other items included solo songs by Claude Bess, lyrics by Lady Chorpey recitations, Miss Laura G. Chorpey, dances, Miss Dorothy Pettengill, Miss Moore and Ivor Parritt officiated.

Col. Lorne Drum, A. D. M. S., who has lectured to and otherwise coached the boys in their first aid studies, was an effective chairman in the unavoidable absence of A. J. Dailain, chairman of the Provincial Executive. Other members of the executive present included Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson, S. J. Hall and H. W. Edgewood, honorary secretary. Brigadier General J. M. Ross, O. C. M. D. No. 4, also occupied a seat on the platform.

Capt. Wheadon on behalf of the Cadets and successful students, expressed his appreciation of the Hon. Wm. Sloan and Col. Drum, his remarks being supported by A. Bain. A hearty vote of thanks to the artists was sponsored by General Ross, seconded by Mr. Hall.

**POOR LIQUOR IS LEGALLY MIXED, POOLEY CHARGES**

Says Government Wastes Thousands by Buying From Its Friends

Liberals Tried to Block Enquiry by House Committee, He Declares

Poorest grades of whisky, mixed together and with prune juice added, is being sold at Government liquor stores for industrial purposes and the Government has wasted many thousands of dollars by paying high liquor prices to its friends. Liberal friends of Premier Oliver, a Conservative member for Esquimalt, told a gathering of his constituents in the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, last night.

Replies to Manson Criticism

Mr. Pooley commenced by replying to a recent charge of an Attorney-General Mack of back-bone because he left the Legislature in 1921 when an unbecomingly boisterous mood had been introduced. Mr. Manson, Speaker of the House, had endorsed the action of the Conservatives in leaving the House in protest against what they considered an unconstitutional beer move. Mr. Pooley declared.

Mr. Pooley said that the Public Accounts Committee of the House was composed chiefly of Liberal members, and its chairman, Mr. Buckham, was the chief Liberal Whip. Mr. Pooley said that Conservative members of the Committee were faced with serious difficulty in attempting to investigate public accounts. He said Mr. Urquhart had been there for the purpose of seeing that things went as the Government wanted.

Travelling Companions

Mr. Pooley told of a trip to Europe made by Mr. Urquhart, head of the Vancouver liquor warehouse, some time ago. Mr. Urquhart had travelled extensively with Mr. Gilchrist, a prominent Vancouver Liberal, and later with Mr. Hart, a Liberal friend of J. W. B. Farquhar, then Attorney-General. Later Mr. Gilchrist and Hart represented a number of firms from which the Vancouver liquor warehouse, some time ago, had purchased liquor. Mr. Pooley added that he would leave the audience to form its own conclusions.

"Tipped Off Higher Up"

Mr. Pooley declared that Mr. Smith, of Vancouver, son of Mr. Ralph Smith, Liberal member for Vancouver, had offered the Government for \$18 a case of Spey Royal whisky for \$18 a case. Mr. Pooley said that this liquor had been ordered but, strangely enough, Mr. Patterson, Government purchasing agent, did not know where to get it. Mr. Patterson had no requisition for this purchase from the Government warehouse, the speaker said. Mr. Patterson had, however, tipped off—from higher up—Mr. Pooley said. In fact, Mr. Patterson had been forced to find out about the liquor from the men who were selling the whisky—and incidentally the prices had been raised because, it was explained, Australian exchange had advanced. Mr. Smith and his party, Mr. O'Brien, had made over \$1 a case commission on this whisky sale, he said.

Who Got the Margin?

Mr. Pooley said that in connection with the sale of Spey Royal whisky, he was interested, the Conservatives had traced a profit of \$2 a case, but there was a total profit of \$6.80 a case. "Who got the rest?" he asked. "We don't know."

No Poor were some of the whisky bought from friends of the Government. Mr. Pooley declared that Mr. Patterson had purchased the whisky and refused to sell them. Other brands had been mixed up with prune juice and other things added and then sold.

"No Wonder"

No wonder that men got sore heads drinking Government liquor, Mr. Pooley retorted. He added that he had heard of a man who had been partially paralyzed by drinking Government liquor recently.

Mr. Pooley charged that Mr. Patterson had purchased through a Mr. Gump, a relative by marriage, liquor at a higher price than he could have secured from other dealers. Mr. Patterson had thus kept the business "in the family."

Mr. Pooley renewed his old charge that Mr. Falconer and the Attorney-General had purchased liquor to push the sale wine made by well-known Liberals, composing the California Wine Company, at Falls Creek, Vancouver. This "black of Liberal grafters" had agreed to supply port almost overnight—when, as everyone knew, port could not be made except over a long period.

"Running Wild"

Mr. Pooley said it was up to Premier Oliver to take hold of his ministers who were running wild in their expenditures. Mr. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, for instance, had spent \$3,600 with an American concern for a new-fangled telephone system, which no other minister needed. And yet Mr. Patterson was not so busy that he could not afford to spend five months in England in 1921, and six months last year.

Road Costs

Mr. Pooley said that \$248,895.47 had been spent on roads in Delta, Premier Oliver's own former constituency last year, although there were only 29,298 miles of highway in the district, and all in a municipality almost \$10,000 a mile. In the constituency of the Minister of Public Works \$25,000,000 had been spent on roads. And in the face of this the Premier told people to take off their coats and work, while they were bleeding under oppressive taxation.

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**RETAILERS SELECT NEW OFFICERS**

Councillor Kirkham Is New President, Succeeding Howard S. Stevenson

The Victoria branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada took on a new lease of life at the annual meeting held last night in the Dominion Hotel with President Howard S. Stevenson in the chair. Twenty members attended, the gathering being reinforced by two provincial officers: Joseph T. Crowder, B. C. member of the Dominion Executive of the R. M. A., and Walter Ing, secretary of the Provincial Association.

The adoption of the report of the nomination committee supported unanimously when the vote was finally taken placed a strong hand of firmness on the Victoria executive in the persons of H. O. Kirkham, president; A. E. Humphries, first vice-president; G. A. E. Forie, treasurer; and A. E. G. Cornwall, honorary secretary. The permanent secretary of the local branch, A. W. Starratt, was introduced to the meeting and has taken up his post in room 204 Sayward Building from which point branch matters will be handled. Mr. Stevenson attended in a dual role, that of chairman of the meeting and as Vancouver Island member on the Provincial executive.

The feature of the evening was an address by Mr. Crowder on the result of his mission to Ottawa when the Dominion Executive got in touch with the Federal Cabinet. In a stirring address Mr. Crowder appealed for greater support from Victoria, which in the past he said had been notably lacking. As the capital city and Rear the seat of the Provincial Government it was essential that retailers in Victoria be strongly organized.

System of Trade Sections

The aims and objects of the Association and its functioning under the new system of trade sections was outlined by Provincial Trade Secretary Ing, who stated the sections' idea would obviate difficulties found under the former system. In this plan the grocers will form one section, hardware men another, and so on. The recommendations of each section would obviate difficulties found under the former system. In this plan the grocers will form one section, hardware men another, and so on. The recommendations of each section would obviate difficulties found under the former system. In this plan the grocers will form one section, hardware men another, and so on. The recommendations of each section would obviate difficulties found under the former system.

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**TELLS MEMBERS SHAWNIGAN LAKE NEEDS NEW ROAD**

Mr. A. Wyld, proprietor of Strathcona Lodge, Shawnigan, arrived here yesterday to tell members of the Legislature that people living on the west side of Shawnigan Lake are almost isolated by lack of a road around the West Arm of the lake. There is so much ice in the lake now

that it is impossible to use a boat with safety. Mr. Wyld said to the Times at the Strathcona Hotel, and some houses are several miles from a road. During the recent heavy snow storms one lady was forced to walk five miles through thick snow to reach the eastern side of the lake and get supplies, according to Mr. Wyld. One of the great difficulties, he says, is that South Shawnigan is in Esquimalt, riding, and north Shawnigan is Cowichan, and as a consequence the district gets the far end of service, although the residents are always remembered by the tax collectors.

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