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## WOODED REGION WAS WON BY THE BRITISH NORTH OF THE SOMME

### Fresh Progress Northwest of Village of Contalmaison Announced by War Office in London To-day; Several Hundred Prisoners Captured; Three More Guns Added to Booty Already Taken.

London, July 10.—British troops have made a new advance northwest of Contalmaison, in the field of their offensive north of the Somme, it was announced officially this afternoon. Three additional guns and several hundred prisoners were captured.

The British gain was scored by the capture of a small wooded district.

Contalmaison lies between Oivillers and Montauban, being 1 1/4 miles east of Oivillers and 2 1/4 miles northwest of Montauban. The British have been exerting steady pressure in that region and there has been heavy fighting there.

## RUSSIAN TROOPS IN FRENCH TRENCHES

### Have Been Sent From Camp de Mailly to the Front

Paris, July 10.—The Excelsior says the Russian contingents which arrived in France recently and have been quartered at Camp de Mailly, near Troyes, have been sent to join the French forces at the front.

Five contingents of Russian troops landed at Marseilles between April 29 and May 5, after a hard and sea journey of about 17,500 miles from Moscow, where they were assembled, to Port Dalny, Manchuria, and thence by water via the Suez canal.

It was said in Paris several weeks ago that the first Russian contingents, numbering probably 25,000 men, might be followed by more substantial numbers, but no word had been received of further arrivals.

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS STILL AT NEW YORK

New York, July 10.—Rain and cooler weather failed to check materially the epidemic of infantile paralysis, which since its inception two weeks ago has claimed 238 lives in New York city. During the 24 hours which ended at 10 o'clock this forenoon 14 deaths and 102 new cases were reported. Thirty of the new cases were in Manhattan, the largest number yet reported there in a single day.

## BERNSTORFF INQUIRES ABOUT DEUTSCHLAND

New York, July 10.—Count von Bernstorff, ambassador from Germany to the United States, to-day sent Baron von Haniel, counsel to the German embassy, to Baltimore, to ascertain the exact status of the German submarine Deutschland.

## CAPTURE OF VILLAGE OF BIACHES BY FRENCH A BRILLIANT OPERATION; ARE CLOSING IN TO TAKE PERONNE

Paris, July 10.—The new French drive south of the Somme river yesterday had been prepared for by artillery bombardments for more than two days, and the complicated system of German defences in the loop to the northward made by the river had been disorganized. The task of artillery preparation had been carried through rapidly and the infantry attack probably would have been made sooner had it not been for the bad weather.

The Attack.  
Yesterday morning the rain at last stopped and the signal for the assault was given. The French troops began to move along a two-and-a-half mile front. The left wing rested on the bridge over the Somme one mile east of the Sormont farm, and the right lay a little north of Bellay.

## ITALIANS TELL OF FURTHER SUCCESSES

### Advance in Molino Basin; Trenches and Pass Near Monte Chiesa Taken

Rome, July 10.—The war office made public the following communication last night:

"On the Upper Astico our infantry advanced in the Molino basin and toward Fornì. We captured arms, ammunition and other material left by the enemy.

"Dense mist prevented all activity of artillery on the Sette Comuni plateau. In the northern sector we stormed some trenches north of Monte Chiesa and occupied the Agnèlla pass, taking about 40 prisoners.

"In the Upper Campella valley we regained possession of the Digiovanni pass.

"Along the Isoneo front the enemy's artillery was particularly active in the Tolmino and Plava sectors and our artillery replied effectively. On the night of July 7 we repulsed two further attacks on positions which we had captured recently in the Monfalcone area."

## MONTAGU BECOMES MUNITIONS MINISTER

London, July 10.—Following the appointment last week of Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George as secretary for war, official announcement is made of several changes in the government. Rt. Hon. Edwin Samuel Montagu, financial secretary to the treasury, takes Mr. Lloyd George's place as minister of munitions. Rt. Hon. Thomas McKinnon Wood, secretary of state for Scotland, becomes chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster and financial secretary to the treasury. Rt. Hon. Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under secretary for war, is made secretary of state for Scotland.

Mr. Asquith has invited Lord Curzon to become a permanent member of the war committee.

## ORGANIZED FAMINE AMONG GERMANS NOW, SAYS A DUTCHMAN

Amsterdam, July 10.—A Dutchman who has been living in Germany has arrived here. In speaking of the general situation in Germany he said:

"Their organization is wonderful. They are organizing themselves to death and for the moment they have the most brilliantly-organized famine that ever was."

## DELATYN IS IN HANDS OF RUSSIANS; GAINS IN REGION OF KOVEL; BLOWS ARE DISORGANIZING ENEMY FORCES

Petrograd, July 10.—The following official statement was issued yesterday:

"Our offensive on the lower Stokhod in Volhynia, continues. The enemy is retiring in great disorder.

"South of the Sarny-Kovel railway the villages of Gulevitchi and Kachovka have been occupied after fighting. Farther south there are fires everywhere in the region of the village of Arenovitchi and Janovka and Douchtch.

"In Southern Galicia Gen. Letitchsky occupied Delatyn yesterday after violent fighting.

Delatyn is a railway junction of great importance. Depots of war materials, steel shields, grenades, cartridges, iron and wire abandoned by the enemy have been captured at many points.

"In the sector east and northeast of Baranovitch, lively fighting continues. The enemy is offering desperate resistance."

787 Captured.

An official statement issued last evening said:

"In Bukovina, west of Kimpolung, near the villages of Fundul-Muldovi and Vale, we repulsed the enemy, who left many dead on the field. We took

prisoners seven officers and 780 soldiers.

"Between June 23 and July 7 Gen. Letitchsky's army took prisoner 674 officers and 30,875 soldiers and captured 18 cannon, 100 machine guns and one caisson.

"There was nothing important on the remainder of the front."

German Statement.  
Berlin, July 10.—The Germans have checked the Russian forces which were advancing in Volhynia in the direction of Kovel, the war office announced to-day. The Russian troops moving toward the Stokhod line were everywhere repulsed.

## GERMAN SUBMARINE LIES AT BALTIMORE; FEARED THE BRITISH; LAY AT HELIGOLAND

### Deutschland Berthed This Morning; Captain Says Others Will Take Same Risk

Baltimore, Md., July 10.—The gigantic German merchant submarine Deutschland ended her voyage across the Atlantic at 4:30 this morning when she was docked at the pier of the Eastern Forwarding Company on the outskirts of Baltimore.

The submarine left quarantine at 5:30 a.m., after which the health officers had boarded the craft and given permission to proceed. It was announced that a statement would be made regarding the extraordinary voyage by officials of the North German Lloyd Company later to-day.

The statement that the Deutschland, which reached Chesapeake bay yesterday and came up the coast to this port, is the first of a fleet of such craft built to ply regularly in the transatlantic trade was made early to-day by Capt. Paul Koenig, master of the super-submarine.

"This is not the only one that is coming," said the captain. "Just wait. There will be more here soon, and we are going back for another cargo. We are going to have a regular line."

Talked With Officials.  
It was to port officials that the captain talked as his vessel was preparing to move up to dock from the lower harbor, where she dropped anchor at 11 o'clock last night at the end of her memorable voyage across the Atlantic through lanes of vigilant enemy warships. He spoke freely to the officers and laughed over his feat.

One thing U. S. boarding officers noted particularly—there were no torpedo tubes nor guns of any description visible aboard the vessel. They had been told that she mounted two small calibre rifles for defence, but came ashore convinced that the visitor was wholly unarmed.

Meanwhile the right wing threw the Germans into disorder and arrived at the outskirts of Barleux, where the German situation now appears to be precarious.

French military experts characterize the capture of Biaches as a brilliant and important operation. Whether the Germans still are holding on to the network of canals or have retreated to the other bank of the Somme, the French position on the last plateau before the Somme and the important point of support afforded by the capture of Biaches give them direct command of the valley immediately above Peronne.

## Roumanians Turned Deaf Ear to Voice of Central Powers

London, July 10.—The Roumanian government, according to a Berne dispatch, has declined an invitation from the German and Austrian governments to participate in a conference of the Danube powers.

## TOOK 11,980 TURKS WEST OF ERZERUM

### Russians Got Possession of Entire Line of Fortified Positions

### GREAT QUANTITY OF BOOTY FOR VICTORS

### Two Regimental Commanders and One Battery Commander Among Captured

Petrograd, July 10.—An official statement issued yesterday said:

"In the Caucasus on the night of July 6-7, in the region south of the town of Platana, the Turks made attacks which were repulsed by our fire.

"West of Erzerum we captured an entire line of fortified positions, taking prisoner 21 officers, two of whom were regimental commanders and one a battery commander. We also captured 792 men, seven machine guns and one cannon."

11,114 More.

An official statement issued last night said:

"Caucasus front—On Saturday, in combats west of the Erzerum line, one of our columns took prisoner 64 officers and 11,950 soldiers and captured a great quantity of arms, ammunition and engineering materials."

## BRITISH CRUISERS WILL BE WAITING

### Germans in Submarine at Baltimore Do Not Know Sailing Time

Baltimore, July 10.—On board the large German submarine merchantman Deutschland when she arrived here this morning were the master, Capt. Koenig, the first and second officers and 25 men, all wearing the regulation uniforms of the German merchant marine; with the North German Lloyd insignia upon their caps.

At the dock the boat hardly was tied up before an army of newspapermen and moving picture photographers stormed the place. They were not permitted to get near the Deutschland, protected by a barbed wire stockade and numerous guards, but Captain Koenig soon appeared on shore and cheerfully posed before the cameras.

Later he was persuaded to bring out his crew. The grinning youngsters brought with them a large green board taken from the stern of the ship, on which was painted in big silver letters "Deutschland, Bremen." Grouped about the board, with their skipper in the centre, the sailors posed until Captain Koenig said it was time to eat.

A force of longshoremen was ready on the dock to begin unloading the cargo, which is to be shipped as soon as possible by the Eastern Forwarding Company to the purchasers, New York chemical companies. Probably only a day or two will be required to discharge; then the submarine will take on the crude rubber and nickel consignments already stored in the pier warehouse for her return trip.

British Waiting.  
When the start back across the Atlantic will be made, of course, is problematical. An official of the forwarding company said to-day it might be two weeks or a month, but it was not denied that no advance notice would be given and that the vessel would make out of the Capes whenever and wherever the opportunity might offer to elude the enemy patrols which undoubtedly would be scouring the Virginia coast waiting for her to appear.

Captain Koenig went about his preparations for entering at the customs house without hurry or unusual formality, just as though his case was not to determine whether the Deutschland should be rated as an ordinary merchantman or a commerce carrier.

The story that the Lake Torpedo Boat Company was preparing to libel the submarine on the ground that her construction infringed upon its patents, apparently did not interest him.

## VENEZUELA, PERU, COLOMBIA, ECUADOR, MAY GET INTO WAR

Washington, July 10.—Official dispatches received to-day in Latin-American quarters say a secret agreement has been made between Peru and Venezuela with the object of taking vast tracts of land, the rightful possession of which they dispute with Colombia and Ecuador. Grave fears for the peace of the nations involved were expressed.

## FRENCH TROOPS HOLD BIACHES, PARIS SAYS; GAIN IN CHAMPAGNE

### In Position Less Than Mile From Peronne; German Trenches Between Barleux and La Maisonette, South of Somme, Taken; Advance on Front of 500 Metres West of Butt-de-Mesnil, Champagne.

Paris, July 10.—A new attack was launched in the Champagne by the French last night. The war office to-day announced the capture of trenches over a front of 500 metres west of Butt-de-Mesnil.

South of the Somme French troops took a line of German positions in the neighborhood of Barleux. In that sector 950 Germans were captured yesterday and last night.

North of the river the night passed quietly.

In the Verdun sector artillery fire continued in the regions of Chattancourt, Fleury and La Laufée.

German troops made attacks at three points simultaneously in the Vosges, but all their assaults were checked completely by the fire of French machine guns.

The text of the communication follows:

"North of the river Somme the night passed quietly.

"South of the river our troops, continuing their progress during the night in the region of Barleux, captured a line of German trenches situated between the village of Barleux and La Maisonette. We took a total of 950 able-bodied prisoners in this sector yesterday and last night.

In Champagne.

"In the Champagne district two surprise attacks by French troops resulted successfully. One was southeast and the other west of Tahure. West of Butt-de-Mesnil we delivered two attacks on a German trench, which we occupied and organized along a front of about 500 metres. Here we took ten prisoners.

"In the Argonne a French reconnoitering party penetrated a German trench near Four-de-Paris, which it cleaned up with hand grenades.

"North of Verdun the bombardment has continued in the regions of Chattancourt, Fleury and La Laufée. A strong patrol of the enemy was dispersed with hand grenades northwest of Fleury.

"In the Vosges detachments attacked our positions in the region of Chapelette at three points simultaneously. They were checked, however, by the fire of our machine guns, found it impossible to secure a footing and were completely repulsed."

## ENEMY SENT DOWN RUSSIAN HOSPITAL SHIP IN BLACK SEA

Petrograd, July 10.—An official statement made public last night said:

"In the Black Sea an enemy submarine without warning sank the hospital ship Vperiole, which carried all the required distinguishing signs. Seven men lost their lives; the others were saved."

## WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

Baltimore, July 10.—The German merchant submarine Deutschland was entered formally at the Baltimore customs house to-day without opposition.

## BREACH ON THE LUTSK SECTOR IS SEVENTY-FIVE MILES WIDE; STEADY PROGRESS BY BRUSILOFF'S TROOPS

Petrograd, July 10.—The right wing of General Brusiloff's armies has made brilliant manoeuvres between the Stokhod and Stry rivers, north of Lutsk, and has succeeded, it is declared, in completely offsetting the advantages obtained against the Russian forces before Kovel, and the one weakness of the Russian-southwestern front which developed after the drive through the opposing lines at Lutsk has now been repaired.

Fifteen-mile Advance.  
While the Germans were concentrating their forces and successfully defending the Rovno-Kovel line, the Russians delivered a surprise attack considerably to the north, along the Sarny-Kovel railway line, which apparently was ignored by the Austro-Germans. The result of this attack has been a clear fifteen-mile advance, which has driven the defenders back upon the Stokhod line fortifications.

Not only have the Russians expelled the Germans from every fortified position between the Stry and Stokhod, but at Ugli—the point where the Stokhod takes an abrupt turn westward—they have crossed the river and are declared to be in swift pursuit of the Germans beyond. The Stokhod river, upon which the Teutonic forces retired along the whole line from Ugli as far north as Nobel, is the only fortified line now separating the Russians from Kovel.

75 Miles.  
This new line of advance upon Kovel has extended what has commonly been known as the Lutsk breach to a front of 75 miles, along the whole width of which the fiercest fighting is proceeding. The hasty character of the German retreat has led to the conclusion here that the Germans have insufficient forces to make a serious stand in this quarter, where a Russian attack was not expected, and that the Stokhod line may not be defended.

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### FRENCH CAPTURED 633 AT HARDECOURT

Ten Officers Among Germans Taken in Attack South of Somme

Paris, July 10.—The following official statement was issued yesterday afternoon: "On both sides of the Somme the night passed quietly. The total number of prisoners captured by our troops yesterday during the attack on Hardecourt is 633, of whom 10 are officers.

"On the front north of Verdun the enemy maintained a rather violent bombardment of the sectors of Chateaucourt, Fleury and the Damloup battery.

"West of the forest of Apremont the Germans undertook two surprise attacks against our positions at Croix St. Jean. A detachment which was able to penetrate one of our trenches was expelled immediately by our grenadiers. The other detachment was dispersed before it was able to reach our lines.

"In the Vesges, after a lively bombardment, the enemy yesterday attacked one of our positions south of Salute Marie. The attack was broken up by our fire. During the night we carried out successfully a minor operation at Sudel, north of Hartmannswillerkopf, and brought back 14 prisoners and one machine gun."

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### 7,000,000 WOMEN ARE WORKING IN BRITAIN

Filling the Places of Men, Who Are Called to War, With Ability

London, July 8.—It is estimated that the number of women now working in war and peace jobs in the United Kingdom exceeds 7,000,000.

Nothing is more noticeable in the aspect of the streets than the disappearance of the youthful and middle aged civilian. The wholesale withdrawal of men from the commercial and industrial ranks has resulted in a huge substitution of female labor for the purpose of maintaining the industrial output of the country. Many hundreds of women are training to become milkers and dairy hands. In Scotland and Northumberland this sort of work is being regularly undertaken by women, while in Devonshire and other counties milking is being done even by young girls before they go to school.

Women are at the lathe, in overalls and cap, in the powder shed, working twelve hour shifts on the motor-buses or fashioning metal, timber and leather, carting, driving and distributing. Before the war it used to be said that every Jack has his trade. The same can now be said of every Jill.

Women in trousers are becoming more and more numerous. They are doing them in greater numbers every day in order to cope with the work where the skirt is found to be a hindrance. They do not dislike the change and it cannot be said to detract in any way from their native grace or carriage.

Napoleon Favore, Trouser.

Napoleon, it seems, was a great believer in arraying women in masculine attire in time of war. "Dress does not make the man," says the proverb; but Napoleon found that it made the woman, and that putting her into trousers made a world of difference to her work and strength.

Reliable English opinion is inclined to encourage women to adopt masculine attire for what, after all, ought to be man's work, convinced that so dressed women will give as good an account of herself as her absent mate.

Many thousands of women and girls are serving the nation as munitions workers. The ministry of munitions considers every case thoroughly, placing the workers not only according to industrial fitness and home locality but also with thought for the lives women have previously led and are likely to lead after the war. Many of the workers engaged in munitions work are art students, musicians, embroideresses—girls who had been engaged in the fine arts and hope to be again. Once drafted into a factory, the workers are specially looked after by the ministry as to hours, accommodation and rate of payment. The wages are \$5 a week as a minimum, and fit workers are soon able to earn \$15 to \$20 a week by piece work.

The ministry of munitions has established nearly seventy free training centres throughout the country, and at these centres learners are prepared for the lighter varieties of munitions work. In the newly organized air department, in the various government offices, in banks, insurance offices and commercial establishments thousands of young women are now struggling with stacks of official books, ledgers and official documents.

Employments For Women.

The withdrawal of so many men from all trades and the transference of a large body of female labor from the staple industries to munitions making and various other avenues of employment has led the home office and the board of trade to issue a series of pamphlets pointing out in detail the branches in which women can be employed—what relaxation of the requirements of the factory acts is permitted and what arrangements are necessary to be made in factories to meet the introduction of female labor.

The industries and trades dealt with in this way so far are: china and earthenware, india-rubber, wool, cotton, woodworking, pottery and brick, color, paint, varnish, papermaking, hosiery, heavy clothing and others.

The estimated number of females engaged in work in substitution of male labor is as follows:

All trades	Dec, 1915	267,160	Feb, 1916	306,200	April, 1916	375,900
Engineering trades	Dec, 1915	70,200	Feb, 1916	117,400	April, 1916	137,400
Chemical trades	Dec, 1915	9,600	Feb, 1916	16,200	April, 1916	23,000
Textile trades	Dec, 1915	87,000	Feb, 1916	73,000	April, 1916	73,000
Clothing trades	Dec, 1915	36,400	Feb, 1916	42,300	April, 1916	45,000
Book trades	Dec, 1915	29,500	Feb, 1916	29,500	April, 1916	29,500
Paper and printing trades	Dec, 1915	22,500	Feb, 1916	23,000	April, 1916	23,000
Wood trades	Dec, 1915	11,400	Feb, 1916	17,400	April, 1916	17,400
Other trades	Dec, 1915	37,000	Feb, 1916	37,000	April, 1916	37,000

### OLD CONSTITUENCY WELCOMES LEADER

H. C. Brewster and Party Visit the Alberts; Speak at Two Points

Port Alberni, July 9.—A whole-hearted and generous welcome to the constituency which he formerly represented in the legislature, Albert, was extended to the leader of the offer yesterday from the time he entered it a short distance outside Nanaimo city.

Mr. Brewster motored over from Nanaimo, making short stops along the road at Parksville and Combs, where he renewed acquaintance with old constituents. Frequently on the well-travelled road both he and William Sloan, a one-time federal member for the district, were recognized and greeted.

At Alberni a number of leading Liberals of the old town were waiting for the party and gave them a cordial greeting. The Liberal leader has had a long business acquaintance with this district, extending back over many more years than his legislative representation of it, and the same esteem for and complete confidence in him which is felt everywhere is, if possible, a little more emphasized here. The people of Alberni look upon him in a measure as one of their own, and they have a quite laudable ambition to elect the future premier both in token of personal regard for him and as a matter of public duty owed to themselves and the rest of the province.

A very strong sentiment in favor of Mr. Brewster exists in the two Alberts and all the settlements in this neighborhood. Information which is brought here from the west coast, along which the provincial constituency extends as far as Cape Scott, is that Mr. Brewster is the favored candidate at Holberg, San Josef, Quatsino and all the other settlements stretched along the coast. Later in the campaign when Mr. Brewster has concluded his tour of the province, he will arrange a tour of the constituency which will take him to as many points as can be conveniently reached.

Afternoon Meeting.

In the afternoon a meeting was addressed at the Beaver Creek school-house, at which a number of settlers of that district heard Mr. Brewster and Mr. Macdonald. Fred Drinkwater occupied the chair. Between the drain of enlistment and the lack of a land policy the district has lost a number of its people, which was referred to by Captain George A. Huff and Thomas Plaunt in moving and seconding a vote of thanks to the speakers for having taken the time to visit them.

Mr. Brewster spoke on the land question, finances, the burden of a growing debt and railway guarantee obligations and of the beneficial legislation forced from the government by the fact of two Liberals being elected to the legislature.

Mr. Macdonald went into the matter of the P.G.E. and the doubt raised by Mr. Bowser and others as to the date of expiry of parliament, and gave a convincing explanation of the need for the action taken by Mr. Brewster. An overwhelming sentiment was setting in against the government, he said. Why should the public tolerate this government any longer? In its exploitation of natural resources, increase of the debt and other financial obligations and mis-spending of public moneys it was the most corrupt in Canada.

At Port Alberni.

The meeting here was held in the theatre, was presided over by J. H. McNaughton, and was largely attended. Many women were in the audience. The flower meeting in this neighborhood was held in the old town, though most of the small audience of the faithful took the long and dusty hike over from here. It was a distinctly family affair, none but known and proved Bowserites being allowed in. In the audience which heard the Liberal speakers last night, on the other hand, there were numerous Conservatives, and the speeches were listened to with deep attention. Mr. Brewster, in the course of his speech, produced a letter signed by Fowser, Reid & Wallbridge as "solicitors for the P.G.E. Railway Co.," sent to a man in the Cariboo on that company's legal business.

An amusing incident of the Bowser meeting was related by Chairman McNaughton. During the course of the proceedings a barrel of beer was rolled in and watched eagerly by thirsty ones. But the chairman of the evening forgot to top it, the dry speeches of the premier and his friends drowned on while the crowd got drier, and finally the meeting broke up with the barrel still untouched. It is now a local conundrum—who got the barrel of Bowser beer?

Mr. Macdonald spoke of his last visit to Alberni, since which the war had come to occupy first and paramount attention. There, as elsewhere, he found that a large contribution had been made to the struggle from among the young men, and older men, too. Affairs at home, however, must absorb some attention.

After several false starts the government had got away for the polls. Over a year ago there was a dissolution which came to naught because of the quarrel between Sir Richard McBride

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and Mr. Bowser. Political manoeuvring became necessary, at the expense of the people, resulting in the retirement of the old agent-general with a retiring allowance and a pension for his wife should she survive him, and the appointment of Sir Richard as agent-general at a salary double what any other agent-general got.

Mr. Macdonald discussed the Vancouver election and the signal failure of the attempt of the Bowser government to secure political capital. He sketched briefly the knowledge possessed by the Vancouver Bowserites for days before the election that men were coming over from Seattle, the lack of any steps to stop them, the investigations of the Liberals which ended in the conviction of Peter Annance, the legislative inquiry and the banking of it at the critical point by the warrant issued for Scott's arrest.

Forced the Government.

Some semblance of representative government had been obtained at the late session by the presence in the House of an opposition of four, said Mr. Macdonald in a reference to what had been done during the late session. The election of two Liberals in by-elections defeating two ministers, had resulted in the introduction and passage of beneficial legislation which the government was compelled to pass in an effort to get votes. It had, also, secured for the public much information which they were entitled to, but which they would never have got if the opposition had not put questions which demanded honest answers. It was thus learned that the province had already paid out \$318,016 to meet interest defaulted on the bonds by the company. The criminal breach of trust in the payment out of six million dollars more than had been earned to the P.G.E. was disclosed as a result of questions.

Dealing with finances, Mr. Macdonald quoted figures to show the contrast between the handling of the people's money affairs by the present government. There was no sign of any change in methods of management by the present government, and as a change was imperative it could only be obtained by turning out the government and installing an administration under Mr. Brewster. In Mr. Brewster the province was fortunate in having a man who could be looked to in the present emergency. To a marked degree he had won the confidence of the people as a safe, sane man to whom might be entrusted the management of British Columbia's affairs. Albert would do itself honor if it made assurance doubly sure by electing him on Sept. 14.

Mr. Brewster.

Mr. Brewster expressed his thorough belief in open, public meetings for the discussion of political matters, and his contempt for such hole-and-corner methods as marked the Bowser meeting in Old Alberni. He devoted a good deal of his speech to railway matters, this community being keenly interested in these, and deeply resentful of the failure of the C. N. Pacific to proceed with its island section.

"I find everywhere in the southern parts of this island," said Mr. Brewster, "a desire to know why men high in authority, whose words never should be broken, have not fulfilled their compact with the people and seen that this railway was operating long before now for the benefit of this district. There is no excuse for the island section of the C. N. P. not being in operation, for they have the proceeds of provincially guaranteed bonds in their hands yet unexpended, or else the accounts are falsified."

The leader dealt very fully with the

case of the Pacific Great Eastern railway, its contract with the province, the overpayment to it from the proceeds of guaranteed bonds, the giving away to Foley, Welch & Stewart of the \$25,000,000 of stock instead of selling it, and the acting of the premier's law firm as solicitors for the P. G. E. as shown by original documents. Had Mr. Bowser enforced the provision that the stock should be sold the company would have had \$25,000,000 to add to the amount received from the sale of bonds, and the road could have been built.

The matter of the writ against the premier was explained in detail and the audience appeared to be quite with Mr. Brewster in the action he had taken. The leader insisted that what the province needed was an intelligent handling of its business, and in the office of attorney general a man big enough to see that illegality was not permitted. Mr. Bowser, he said, had asserted that he was neither physically nor politically ill. He was not politically sick; he was politically dead and was simply walking around to save the province the cost of a funeral. (Laughter and applause.)

Reference was made to the refusal of the premier to consider Mr. Brewster's bill to prevent persecution, and the Price-Love plugging correspondence was read, showing the complicity of the secretaries of the Victoria and Vancouver Conservative Associations in election crimes.

Mr. Sloan.

Mr. Sloan advised the electors to consign the government to the madhouse of political oblivion or they would be driven by the government to the poor house. Dealing with mining matters Mr. Sloan, as a practical miner, pointed out the necessity of a government-owned and operated smelter where the small miner and prospector could have his ore treated at cost or even less, and find whether his claim was worth developing. He insisted that more attention and encouragement must be given to the miner in this province, and that a wise and far-sighted policy would have to be adopted for the development of all branches of mining.

The present government was an abhorrent iniquity, and it would be for the people in a very few weeks to smash the machine and elect a party and a leader of high ideals and no entangling alliances, to the end that the resources of the province might be developed in the interests of the people and not of the corporations.

The meeting concluded with the national anthem and rousing cheers for the speakers.

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### BELGIAN ARTILLERY HAD THE ADVANTAGE

Paris, July 10.—A Belgian official communication issued last evening said: "There were lively artillery duels in different sectors in the region of Digue. In several places the German batteries were reduced to silence. We successfully resumed a destructive bombardment against the enemy works east of Steenstraete. The Germans made desperate efforts to silence our guns and provoked a struggle with bombs which ended to our advantage."

### TO THE FRONT.

London, July 10.—The following Canadian officers have gone to Flanders: Major Bodwell, Vancouver; Lieut. E. B. Hart, Victoria; Lieut. Bishop and Lieut. Depencier, machine gun sections, New Westminster, B. C.

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#### Enemy Repulsed at Bois-des-Trons; New Zealanders Beat Back Germans

London, July 10.—The following official statement was issued last night: "The hostile artillery was more active to-day. Artillery duels took place in several sectors.

"In the neighborhood of Ovillers (a short distance southeast of the Ancre) which the incessant fighting has converted into a mass of ruined trenches; unrecognizable debris and shell holes full of mud, we again made steady progress in the face of stubborn opposition.

"In an attempt to retrieve to some extent the losses of the last week, the enemy this afternoon launched two violent counter-attacks against our positions in and near the Bois-des-Trons. As in the case of his fruitless efforts yesterday, both at-

tacks completely broke down under the effective fire of our guns.

"On the rest of the front there was nothing of importance."

New Zealanders Fought

The following official statement was issued yesterday afternoon: "Last night between the Ancre and the Somme the fighting was considerably less violent than during the last two days. We made further progress in the neighborhood of Ovillers and in another sector charged a group of defended buildings.

"Near Givenchy we successfully sprang three mines.

"Farther north, after heavy assaults on a portion of the sector held by New Zealand troops, a strong hostile local attack succeeded in entering our trenches at one point. After half an hour's fighting the enemy was ejected by the New Zealanders, leaving many German dead in our trenches.

"There was no incident of importance on the rest of the front."

### DEUTSCHLAND'S HOLD SEVENTEEN FT. DEEP

### American Health Officer Describes What He Saw in German Submarine

Baltimore, July 10.—The interior of the large German submarine merchantman Deutschland, which arrived here this morning, appears to be a mass of machinery, according to Dr. John C. Travers, assistant health officer, who was taken through the boat by Captain Koenig, master of the craft. She has but one deck below and a seventeen-foot depth of hold for her cargo.

Dr. Travers descended through the forward hatch, where he found the crew's quarters, bunks on either side of a narrow passageway leading to compartments occupied by the captain and his two officers. The captain's room is scarcely six feet square and barely high enough for a man to stand.

It is furnished all in metal with the exception of a small oak desk. Directly beneath the officers' quarters is the dynamo which stores electrical energy to drive the vessel when submerged.

Small Messroom.

Next Dr. Travers was taken into the officers' messroom, scarcely larger than the staterooms, with a galley built with all the economy of space of a Pullman dining car. Aft of the messroom, one-third the ship's length from the stern, are the submerging machinery and two periscopes.

"I never saw such a mass of machinery in my life," said Dr. Travers. "It was an amazing sight and I doubt that it would mean much except to the engineer. There seemed to be 5,000 different pieces, an inexplicable tangle of burnished copper and glistening steel."

Aft of the submerging machinery he found the submarine's two powerful Diesel oil engines, which propel her. Both in the crew's and officers' quarters were phonographs and stacks of well-used discs.

Captain Koenig told the doctor that while on the surface the noise of the machinery was almost deafening. "When submerged," said the skipper, "she moves almost silently, and then we enjoy ourselves."

Through Periscope.

Dr. Travers was permitted to look through one of the periscopes, and declared that he could see the surrounding scenery greatly magnified with amazing clearness.

"The device was adjustable," he said, "for both long and short distance observation. It did not seem to me as I looked into it that I was in the submarine at all. I felt as if I were in an aeroplane on a wonderfully clear day."

Dr. Travers emerged through the conning tower holding in his hand two loaves of German war-bread presented by the captain as a souvenir. Canned meats and fruits were the crew's staple food, and with the exception of their loss of weight, due to the oil atmosphere, the crew to a man was physically fit.

"I never saw better set up men than these," said the doctor.

Both health officers congratulated the submarine commander on his feat and remarked that it had been many months since a ship flying the German merchant flag had arrived in Baltimore.

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### CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, July 10.—Only two casualty lists were issued by the department of militia yesterday, reporting a total of 175 names. The first list, issued at noon, contained 106 reports, the second, issued at midnight, 69.

Twenty-eight killed in action, 14 dead of wounds, two dead from illness, three previously reported missing, and now killed in action; one previously reported missing, and now officially reported dead of wounds; three missing, one missing and believed wounded, one dangerously and one seriously ill, two prisoners of war, two previously reported wounded and now officially reported missing, one unofficially reported a prisoner of war and wounded, one previously reported missing, and now unofficially reported a prisoner of war, one admitted to hospital and 108 wounded, made up the total of 175.

The list issued at noon follows:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Ensign Clement, Fern Falls, N. B.; Pte. Norman Dickier, Toronto; Pte. Wm. McKim, Raymond, Alta.; Pte. Geo. Meheew, Peterborough; Pte. Roy Stokes, Gunton, Man.; Pte. Ralph Freeman, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. Jas. Fulton, Calgary; Pte. W. J. Conkright, Belleville, Ont.; Pte. E. E. Frasse, Calgary; Pte. E. E. Latour, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. Irving Long, Walton Lake, N. B.; Pte. Chas. McQuoid, St. Andrews, N. B.

Died of wounds—Pte. Thos. Gore, Duluth, Minn.; Pte. Geo. Friend, Toronto; Pte. T. Petrie, Bathurst, N. B.; Pte. Wm. Henry, St. Thomas, Ont.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported killed in action—Pte. T. H. Cook, Winnipeg.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported died of wounds—Pte. F. E. Milla, Winnipeg.

Dangerously ill—Pte. James Edwards, Annapolis, N. S.

Died—Pte. Earl Morris, Kilburn, N. B.

Wounded—Cpl. Edw. Bell, Newfoundland; Pte. Geo. Ball, Lindsay, Ont.; Cpl. A. C. Bennett, Stocan City, B. C.; Pte. Alexander Boss, Scotland; Pte. Wm. Allen, Saskatoon; Sgt. J. S. Anderson, Lynthorpe, Sask.; Pte. Thos. A. Barnard, New Westminster; Pte. A. P. Corbne, Simcoe, Ont.; Pte. Arthur Conford, Chamberlain, Sask.; Pte. S. A. Fraser, Winnipeg; Pte. W. C. Golding, Toronto; Pte. M. H. Hamilton, Regina; Pte. Alfred Thomas, New Hamburg, Ont.; Pte. F. P. Walker, Toronto; Pte. Andrew Walls, Newcastle, N. B.; Pte. Chas. Wright, Sydney Mines, C. B.

Mounted Rifles.

Missing—Pte. A. A. Arrett, West Indian; Pte. W. H. Strumble, Grand Valley, Ont.

Engineers.

Wounded—Sapper Wm. Ayton, Toronto; Sapper O. O. Carr, Niagara Falls.

Falls; Sapper Patrick Connolly, Montreal; Sapper Nathaniel Tait, London, Ont.

Artillery.

Died of wounds—Gnr. Fred Morris, Montreal.

Wounded—Gnr. Fred Nixon, Winnipeg.

Infantry.

Missing; believed wounded—Pte. Moses Whiteside, Toronto.

Prisoners of war—Pte. John Pike, Nelson, B. C.; Pte. Robert McRae, Coquitlam, B. C.

Seriously ill—Sergt. Peter Moore, Renfury, Alta.

Admitted to hospital—Pte. George Bowen, Medicine Hat.

Wounded—Pte. J. L. Lightizer, Middleton, N. S.; Pte. Jos. Lynch, Chatham, Ont.; Pte. F. J. Morgan, Vankleek, Ont.; Captain F. E. Morckhill, South America; Cpl. T. F. Murtagh, Lindsay, Ont.; Pte. Albert Nielsen, Sudbury, Ont.; Pte. George Nicholls, Peterboro, Ont.; Sergt. Alex. Northey, Fenelon Falls, Ont.; Pte. J. E. Pendergast, Guelph; Pte. Gaspard Raymond, Quebec; Pte. George Rice, Chatham, Ont.; Cpl. E. Schwartz, Lunenburg, N. S.; Pte. L. R. Sheldon, Fredericton, N. B.; Pte. Chas. Caldwell, New Waterford, N. S.; Pte. Wm. Chambers, Havelock, Ont.; Pte. R. J. Coleman, Guelph; Cpl. E. Compagno, Quebec; Cpl. K. Cosselboom, St. Stephen, N. B.; Pte. Edward Collins, Ham, Swansea, Ont.; Pte. Wm. Gibbons, Winnipeg; Pte. John Hilton, Detroit; Pte. Jos. Hughes, Benton, N. S.; Pte. H. C. Jones, Macaan, N. S.; Pte. Edw. Keating, St. John, N. B.; Pte. A. G. Lusk, Quebec; Pte. D. R. McDonald, New Waterford, N. S.; Pte. Wm. R. Miskimmins, Hamilton; Pte. Jas. Mollon, Caledonia, N. S.; Pte. Leo Mail, Edmonton; Cpl. Earl Anderson, Cable Head, P. E. I.; Pte. Louis Billingsley, St. Thomas, Ont.; Pte. F. H. Collins, Belleville, Ont.; Pte. Edw. Day, Toronto; Pte. Norman Elchear, Zeebruggen, Ont.; Pte. J. K. Finlayson, Harris, Sask.; Pte. Jos. Humphrey, Toronto; Pte. Chas. Leggatt, Toronto; Cpl. Nelson Lepalm, Toronto; Pte. W. H. Lyons, Edmonton; Pte. E. S. McLean, Calgary; Pte. J. E. Pinkney, Sunderland, Ont.; Pte. J. E. Prosser, Edmonton; Pte. Curtis Upper, St. Catharines, Ont.; Sgt. E. J. Jones, Belleville, Ont.; Pte. S. Jones, Millville, N. S.; Pte. D. W. Stirling, Edmonton; Pte. Archibald Wilson, Elgin, Man.; Pte. Alfred Fieldus, Toronto.

Previously unofficially reported, now officially reported prisoner of war—Sergt. R. K. Preston, Ottawa.

Mounted Rifles.

Unofficially reported prisoner of war and wounded—Pte. Arthur Jodoin, Ottawa.

Wounded—Pte. J. S. Nicholson, Winnipeg.

Artillery.

Wounded—Gnr. G. K. Macdonald, Winnipeg.

Medical Services.

Died of wounds—Pte. Jas. Miller, Halifax.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. G. Bourdelais, Marboro, Sask. The list issued at midnight follows:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Cpl. John Innes, Montreal; Pte. Thos. LaRiviere, Cape Cove, Que.; Pte. John Smith, Hamilton; Pte. E. H. Sinden, Stratford; Cpl. Elmer Mardell, Hamilton; Cpl. Michael Maddigan, Kingston; Pte. Thos. Townsend, Belbeck, Sask.; Pte. Marcus Cragg, England; Pte. Wm. Faulstich, England; Pte. Thos. Lavin, no address; Pte. Archibald McCallum, Scotland; Pte. Chas. Miller, Scotland; Cpl. Fred Thompson, England; Pte. Wm. Turner, England; Pte. Edw. Ward, Ireland.

Died of wounds—Pte. Alex. Allan, Scotland; Pte. Henry Dove, England; Pte. Donald Macrae, England; Sgt. Chas. Mills, England; Pte. Douglas Stuart, Scotland; Pte. Bruce Cole, Picton, Ont.; Pte. Albert Tilley, Montreal; Lt.-Col. Douglas J. Lamborn, 559 Phoenix street, Victoria, B. C.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. Frank J. Munro, Winnipeg.

Missing—Pte. Thos. Cowan, Ireland.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported wounded—Pte. Chas. Faulkner, London, Ont.

Wounded—Pte. D. Arnell, no address; Pte. Arnold Asha, England; Pte. Edward Barica, England; Pte. Wm. Bewe, England; Cpl. Alfred Ingram, England; Pte. Thos. James, England; Pte. Alex. McAulay, Scotland; Pte. R. A. Mangin, England; Pte. Chas. Price, England; Pte. Alex. Reid, Ireland; Pte. Harry Riches, England; Pte. Walter Sams (on duty), England; Pte. Wm. Timney, Scotland; Pte. James Bedford, Toronto; Pte. Alex. Beers, Bass River, N. S.; Pte. Jos. Charest, Montreal; Pte. Martin Chiderton, Toronto; Pte. Harold Englishart, Wyerabrook, N. B.; Cpl. Wm. Kinnear, Kamsack, Sask.; Pte. Jas. Menzies, Nanaimo, B. C.; Walter Wilson, Kingston; Pte. Wm. Belcher, Toronto; Pte. John Black, Toronto; Pte. Jas. Brown, Toronto; Pte. Edward Hammel, Montreal; Pte. Jos. Lefebvre, Montreal; Pte. Harold Riddell, Montreal; Pte. John Scott, Winnipeg; Pte. Geo. Tout, Moose Jaw; Pte. Edward Wallace, Toronto; Pte. Norman Wallace, Toronto; Pte. Norman Walton, Erskine, Alta.; Pte. Chas. Watt, Regina; Pte. Fred Williams, Calgary; Pte. Wm. R. Williams, Wales.

Mounted Rifles.

Previously reported wounded; now officially reported missing—Pte. James Hight, 88 Dallas road, Victoria; Pte. David Miller, Scotland.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. C. O. Arnold, England; Pte. Jas. Reid, Scotland; Pte. A. G. Grieve, England; Pte. Horace Springett, England; Pte. Albert Mills, Toronto; Pte. John Saunders, St. Mary's Ferry, N.B.

Engineers.

Died—Lieut. H. S. Holcroft, Orillia, Ont.



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IMPORTANT PROGRESS.

Important progress by the Russians in Volhynia and Galicia continues. Between the Pripiet and the Sty they have occupied a number of villages after throwing the Germans out of the Czartorysk salient, and are now on the railroad less than twenty miles east of Kovel. The enemy will make a desperate stand before that important place, the possession of which is vital to the entire present German line. Its capture by the Russians would open the way to an advance northward to Brest Litovsk and due westward to the Bug. What this long stride to the rear of the German armies now fighting desperately in the Pinsk marshes would mean a casual glance at the map will reveal.

In southern Galicia General Letchitsky seems to have demoralized the Austrians, for he has just captured the railroad junction of Delatyn, west of Kolomea. He thus has inserted a wedge between von Bothmer's army and the Carpathians, and no doubt will try to drive it home by advancing northward along the railroad to Stanislaw. Preliminary to this, we should hear of the capture of Nadvorna, a few miles north of Delatyn, in a day or more. Thus the two ends of the army group involved in Brusiloff's offensive are again sweeping forward. For that matter Letchitsky has never stopped since the thrust began a month ago, but in Volhynia important German reinforcements held the Russians westward north of Lutsk and on the Sty north of Lutsk. It was the splendid victory of General Kaledin at Czartorysk a few days ago which broke the German counter-offensive and cleared the road for a renewal of progress towards Kovel.

In the west the French have made another striking advance, capturing the village of Blaches not more than a mile west of Peronne. They thus have reached a point where they can devote some very disturbing attention to the flank of the Germans who are stubbornly resisting the advance of the British north of the Somme. South of Blaches the Germans claim to have recaptured the town of Barleux, but the French line in any case is near enough to that place to keep the classic formation which must delight the soul of General Foch, whom Joffre has described as "the ablest strategist in Europe." The French have also begun a diversion in the Champagne, capturing five hundred yards of enemy trenches west of Mesnil. Whether this is the opening of another important operation or merely a hint to dissuade the Huns from diverting reinforcements to the Somme we shall know in a day or two. It is hardly likely that the offensive in the west will become general until further sensational developments have arisen on the Russian front. The fall of Lemberg, the intervention of Roumania and the invasion of Hungary at least must take place before the Germans are likely to attempt to balance their military resources more equally between the east and west fronts, and they may even wait until an allied army has entered Budapest. But whether early or late they must weaken or shorten their western line to meet the march of the Slav.

THE DEUTSCHLAND'S TRIP.

There is nothing astonishing in the trans-Atlantic voyage of the German submarine Deutschland, which reached Norfolk yesterday. On the contrary, it is surprising that nothing of the kind was attempted before, for the largest underwater craft, of the chief belligerent countries have a surface traveling radius of five thousand miles or more, and with favorable weather should be able to go anywhere. Once the Deutschland passed the patrols in the North Sea and entered the Atlantic she was comparatively free from danger. Examination shows that she had no torpedoes,

her carrying capacity being devoted largely to a cargo of dyestuffs amounting to some 750 tons.

The Deutschland's captain announces that she is the forerunner of a new service to be inaugurated between Germany and the United States. This, of course, is ridiculous. Aside from the fact that British and French patrols soon would reduce the service to painful irregularity, it would take many scores of Deutschland's to carry in a month as much cargo as only two of the Hamburg-American liners now fouling themselves in New York harbor formerly carried, and the war will be over before Germany has more than a handful of them. They would be useful, however, in bringing to Germany certain classes of chemical and other materials which enter into the manufacture of munitions, of which there is becoming an alarming scarcity.

But while the Deutschland had no torpedoes aboard when she entered Norfolk, she may not be altogether harmless. Somewhere in the Atlantic there may be a supply ship equipped by some ardent German sympathizers in the United States from which she could very quickly be converted into a menace to allied merchant shipping. During the last few days Berlin has been sending out reports of unprovoked attacks upon German submarines by steamships and attempts against German merchant ships in the Baltic by submarines belonging to the allies. These undoubtedly are preliminary to the resumption of the campaign of piracy and murder on the high seas, and we may be sure that Germany will endeavor to utilize her trans-oceanic underwater craft for the purpose.

There is good reason to believe that the Deutschland carried something of more vital interest to the German government than a cargo of dye-stuffs, and that is a note from the Kaiser to President Wilson. A few weeks ago a submarine visited Cartagena, Spain, with a message from the German emperor to King Alfonso. No doubt the Queen of Holland, the rulers of the Scandinavian countries and the leaders of other European neutrals have received similar missives. Berlin unquestionably is endeavoring to organize the most prominent among the neutral nations into a combination to exert peace pressure upon the entente powers, who now have the initiative in every war zone and are gradually backing the Teutons against the wall. Both internally and externally Germany, as the Frankfurter Zeitung admits, is facing a critical situation, and her leaders are beginning to look to neutrals to save them from the consequences of their high crimes against civilization. The scheme is hopeless. The allies are determined to destroy Prussian militarism by making it confess defeat on its own ground, that is, on the battlefield. They do not want to win through the blockade alone, for that would not destroy the confidence of the German people in the invincibility of their army and the conquering genius of their Prussian leaders. They must be shown through superior might that they cannot impose their will upon Europe by military force.

SIR DONALD MANN HERE.

Sir Donald Mann and party did not spend much time on Vancouver Island. As they were on a tour of inspection of the Canadian Northern system the nine hours of their visit here on Saturday gave them an ample opportunity to view the completed works of the company on the island and to devote eight and a half hours to other relaxation. It is now more than seven years since the people of British Columbia enthusiastically endorsed the scheme which was to give them another transcontinental railroad with important extensions on Vancouver Island, modern, first-class passenger and freight ferry, magnificent terminals and so on ad infinitum. Not a single section of that programme has been completed, and judging by present indications the public of this generation never will see the system for which it voted and for which it is about to pay.

Sir Donald Mann, we observe, attributes the delay to the war. But the agreement between the company and the province required the completion of the work by July 1, 1914, more than two years ago, and that was before the war broke out. Sir Richard McBride, we remember, promised to resign if the time clause was not fulfilled to the letter. In 1912, just two years after the first agreement was negotiated and embodied in legislation, the company sought and obtained further assistance, in order (to quote Sir Richard McBride) to provide a "better standard" of construction than it was originally intended to have. A year later saw Sir William and Sir Donald lobbying at Ottawa for more aid, which was given to them. It was six months before the war when they received a guarantee of \$45,000,000 from the Canadian government on the ground that if more aid were not forthcoming their system would go into the hands of a receiver. On Vancouver Island there never was the slightest prospect of the work being

ing done according to the agreement unless it were financed entirely out of the public pocket and the public before long had grown sick and tired of the never-ending importunities of the promoters.

We note that Sir Donald in an interview with our admiring morning contemporary declares that the earnings of the company's system were 100 per cent. greater this year than they were last year. That may be true, but we remember that just four months ago the Dominion parliament voted the company another cash subsidy as a life-preserver, \$16,000,000, and in the discussion on the vote Sir Thomas White, the Finance minister, announced that this year the Dominion and British Columbia governments would have to meet the interest charges on the company's bonds guaranteed by them.

For the ten thousandth time our morning contemporary announces that the Canadian Northern work on Vancouver Island is to be "rushed to completion." On January 22, 1911, the morning paper said: "The first contract for the island division of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway has been let and the work will be begun at once. Forty miles are to be put in hand, and as the work will be finished in a year we may look for very rapid construction. It means a mile of road for every eight days at least, which, through a country of the character of Vancouver Island, must be quite a record."

The Kaiser's grandson, aged ten, has been enrolled in the army. "Train up a child in the way he should go," etc. "Bloody Wilhelm" received his early education in accordance with Finnish imperial standards, and he did not depart from, but rather improved upon, the way of his mentors. But the young princeling is not likely, as his grandfather did, to see an army returning in triumph and amid grand acclaim from a victory over its enemies. The present Kaiser has been obsessed all his life by the impressions he received at the conclusion of the war of 1870.

The bold commander of the German submarine Deutschland, which has arrived in the United States, declares that he has broken Great Britain's command of the sea. But there was a declaration to the same effect after the battle of Jutland. In fact, such declarations have been periodically made ever since the beginning of the war. The captain should have waited until he got back to his home port before making public his boast.

You cannot beat the Huns at grasping straws. They see salvation in the establishment of a submarine transatlantic line. All the cargo that a dozen or more "gigantic" underwater vessels can carry will not feed many hungry Germans for one meal. The fact that they make so much of this event proves the desperation of their plight.

We have a "hunch" that the demand from passengers for accommodation on the return trip of the Deutschland, which inaugurated a new and continuous service between beleaguered Germany and free America and broke the back of British command of the seas, will not be extraordinary.

We believe the "Emperor of the Atlantic" did not parade the quarter deck of that gigantic German submarine as she "steamed" into the port of Norfolk, Va. He has bigger business on his hands than personally delivering "notes" to the president of the United States.

The Russian official bulletin, after announcing the capture of more than thirty thousand Teutons and about twelve thousand Turks, says there is nothing important to report on other fronts. Apparently, the other allies might safely stand by and let the Russians do it. But co-operation helps.

The Boston Transcript says "German plans a resumption of her submarine piracy in bold defiance of Notes Nos. 754 and 3,566,431 inclusive." The note that is to be delivered to President Wilson, then, by the commander of the submarine Deutschland must be No. 3,566,432.

Mr. Bowser says the government will be overwhelmingly victorious at the coming election. Yet Mr. Bowser cannot coax or force any man of standing in the town to join his cabinet as finance minister.

Yesterday's Colonist reminded us of old times. They were all there—Sir Richard (five columns), Sir Donald Mann (interview and picture), and Premier Bowser (front page prediction of overwhelming victory.)

His Majesty the Fox of the Balkans must be wondering, and trembling in his boots as he wonders, when the army at Salonica is going to perform its assigned part in the general offensive.

A contemporary says the Kaiser must be tempted at times to believe that his God is a very fickle being. Possibly he has secured an "illustrious ally" in another realm whose disposition is more in harmony with his own.

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active eruption in Sicily need not think that under present conditions it can force itself into prominence on the front page. The Kaiser's fireworks have it "beaten to a frazzle."

Sir Donald has paid us another visit, and we are greeted with the now familiar announcement that work on the Canadian Northern system is to be "rushed to completion." The phrase is torn and frayed and tattered.

It seems to us that the Don Cossacks have been nibbling at that paralyzed Austrian army long enough. One of these days they will open wide their mouths and gobble the whole bunch.

Our own Bowser is as hard to convince that his political sun has set as the other William in Germany.

The bulk of the Austrian armies must be operating now "somewhere in Ruesia."

THE MARVELOUS RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE.

The Russians have thus thrown themselves against at least four armies with a strength of 600,000 men, and if we count in the armies of the archduke and von Linsinger, which are unquestionably affected, we have between 500,000 and 600,000 men as defenders of a line that has been easily broken. For the marvel of the Russian effort we must still await explanation—show the men were gathered for the assault without arousing the suspicion of the enemy, and how such enormous stores of munitions could be brought in through such tedious channels as Archangel and Vladivostok. It is to be explained how the Austrians could have been lulled into embarking on the Italian adventure in the face of so grave a menace in the east. The Teuton commanders must have been wretchedly served by their secret service and their aerial reconnaissance. And the bewilderment of the Teuton strategists to-day must be great. For the Russian armies are conducting no such simple offensive as that to which they succumbed in

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In his report to the council last evening Chief Deacy called attention to the urgent need of fire protection inside the new city limits, particularly at Victoria West.

The B. C. Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers' Association have fixed Aug. 11 and 12 as the dates for the exhibition.

The Seafarers' Association met the Board of Trade this afternoon to discuss the question of meeting and conferring with the sealing commissioner. It was decided to appoint a committee to meet Sir George Baden Powell and Dr. Dawson.

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All Victoria should be at the fete and seize the opportunity of making the occasion something by way of a farewell to their royal highnesses, who will be present at the function. Both the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia, who is accompanying them here, have done much in strengthening the affection and loyalty of Canada for the motherland and for the empire as a whole during their residence at Ottawa, where his royal highness has represented his majesty King George V. for the past four years.

A second opportunity will be afforded the citizens, that of assisting the Red Cross, an institution which has received unmeasured praise and commendation for its fine work during the present war. A large attendance will assist, greatly in supplementing the funds for the furtherance of this work. Many attractive features are being devised to make the flower fete and country fair an event of the most memorable and pleasing kind, and further particulars will be given in the course of a day or so as to the disposal of the beautiful grounds at Oak Bay, which contains so many natural features singularly well adapted for such a function.

The Duke of Connaught will arrive in Victoria on Thursday, July 20, and will be, together with H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia, resident at Government House during the ensuing week. En route through British Columbia the duke will review the troops at Vernon, and after his arrival here will review the troops at Sidney. The Boy Scouts are also to be inspected.

The Oak Bay Red Cross, under the auspices of which the function is to be held, is under the convenship of Mrs. Bullock-Webster.

**REPORTED MISSING**

**PTE. JAMES HIGHT**

Whose name recently appeared among the wounded, is now officially reported to be missing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Hight, 88 Dallas road. He joined the 88th in July, 1915, and transferred to the 62nd New Westminster the same month leaving with that battalion early this year. On arriving in England he was transferred to the 2nd C. M. R. and went to the front on May 25. He was reported to have been wounded in the fighting near Ypres early last month. A sister and brother reside with their parents here.

**DIES OF WOUNDS**

**Acting Lance-Corpl. Douglas J. Lamborn Was Letter Carrier Here Before Leaving for Front.**

Mrs. Lamborn, of 887 Colville road, received word on Saturday that her son, Acting Lieut. Douglas J. Lamborn, had died of wounds. Pte. Lamborn was born in Scotland and was 29 years of age. He had been in Victoria for some years when he joined the 88th in July, 1915, and later transferred to the 1st Canadian Pioneer, leaving with that draft in September. He had been at the front for some time when he was wounded. He had been employed at the post office since 1911, being a letter carrier in the James Bay district for some time.

**HIT BY AUTOMOBILE**

**Woman Injured by Collision of Cycle With Car in Fairfield District Last Evening.**

Mrs. B. C. Dunn, who resides at the corner of Quadra street and Johnson street, was injured last evening when the motor cycle on which she was riding with Harry Morgan hit an automobile driven by W. Exton, of Bushby street, at the corner of Moss street and Faithful street.

The motor cycle had turned off Faithful street, traveling about six miles an hour, and the automobile was running down Moss street at 12 miles an hour when the collision occurred about 6 o'clock. Mrs. Dunn was badly shaken up and bruised, but no bones broken. Dr. Brown, who was called, had her removed to St. Joseph's hospital for treatment.

Constable Devoeur reports that the automobile horn is stated not to have been used, while on the other hand it

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 Well-Known Scientist and Mining Expert Spent Few Hours in City Yesterday.

One of the most eminent assayers and chemists of the Dominion, Dr. Milton Lewis Hersey, of Montreal, with Mrs. Hersey, and his son and daughter, Miss Ethyl, and Lewis Hersey, spent a few hours in the city yesterday, and returned to Vancouver on the night boat.

Dr. Hersey is a graduate of McGill university, and has been ranked as one of the Cobalt kings. For some years he was a lecturer in science at McGill university, to which institution he gave \$10,000 for the maintenance of the metallurgical department, and he gave a similar amount to endow a fellowship in the department of chemistry, Kingston school of mining. He was appointed analyst for the city of Montreal by the Dominion government in 1901, and acted as head of the government assay laboratory there, reporting on the purity of the city water supply in 1904. He founded a research fellowship in metallurgy and engineering at McGill university in 1908. He has been elected to office in several learned societies, and has held office in the Montreal Natural History Society and the Western Hospital, Montreal.

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A. Janson, of Ulucelet, is at the Dominion.

Thos. French, of Nelson, is at the Dominion.

Miss Cracroft, of Duncan, is at the Strathcona hotel.

A. Hartley, of Canmore, Alta., is staying at the Dominion.

W. J. Hogg, of Winnipeg, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

G. S. Gokey, of Vancouver, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. Margaret Molson, of Chicago, Ill., is at the Strathcona hotel.

Hugh McLean, of Kamloops, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Jack Byers, of Moose Jaw, Sask., is a guest at the Dominion.

H. Marton and Mrs. Martin, of Kettle Valley, are at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Zella Nuttall, of Cambridge, England, is at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Elizabeth G. Hughes, of Palo Alto, Cal., is at the Strathcona hotel.

D. F. Callaghan and Mrs. Callaghan, of Minto, Man., are at the Dominion.

Mrs. C. H. Gilbert, of the Stanford University, is at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Howard, of Tacoma, have registered at the Empress hotel.

Miss Agnes Palethorpe, of London, England, has arrived at the Strathcona hotel.

S. W. Black and Mrs. Black, of Vancouver, are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Ted Bateman and Mrs. Bateman, of Qualicum Beach, are at the Dominion hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Shrader, of Hollywood, Cal., are new arrivals at the Dominion.

F. E. Brightman and H. E. Griffith, of Seattle, have registered at the Empress hotel.

R. M. Gunn, Mrs. R. M. Gunn, and Archibald Gunn, of Atlanta, Ga., are at the Dominion.

L. H. Livingston and M. J. McLean, of Toronto, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Mrs. O'Sullivan and Miss O'Sullivan, of Hilliers, B. C., are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

W. A. Mansfield and Mrs. Mansfield, of Portland, Ore., are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hobbs, of Detroit, Mich., arrived at the Empress hotel on Saturday.

Miss Kate G. McLeod and Miss Edith Stephenson are Winnipeg visitors staying at the Strathcona hotel.

R. G. Johnston, of Inverness, B. C., came down on the Grand Trunk boat last night and is at the Dominion.

Mrs. H. Lorimer, Miss Lorimer, Miss Jean Houston, of Winnipeg, and Miss Ada Quance, of Canora, Sask., are at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, Miss E. Cunningham and Miss R. Cunningham, of Nanaimo, are staying at the Empress hotel.

The members of H. C. Brewer's family motored to Port Alberni from here on Saturday and there took the Tees for Clayoquot, where they will spend the next couple of months.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meriman, Cook street, Rev. Dr. Campbell on Friday evening celebrated the marriage of Mr. Gilbert Edward Heald and Miss Annie Elizabeth Sheratt, both of Royal Oak. The groomsmen were Mr. Ernest S. Goyette, and the bride was attended by Miss Jessie Violet Bruskey. Mr. and Mrs. Heald will reside at Royal Oak.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at noon on Wednesday, July 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter, Kelowna, B. C., when their daughter, Ruby Margaret, and Mr. James Malcolm Brydon, of Victoria, B. C., were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. C. Switzer, B. A. The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the prettily decorated drawing room to the strains of Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus, played by Mrs. Leslie Dilworth. The bride looked charming in a gown of white crepe de chine, trimmed with shadow lace, with a veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses and ferns. She was attended by her twin sister, Miss Annie Hunter, who made a lovely bridemaid attired in a gown of white crepe de chine. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was supported by Pte. Evans Hunter, of 172nd Battalion, C. E. F. After the ceremony a dainty breakfast was served in the dining room, the decorations being white sheets, daisies and ferns. The happy couple left on the afternoon boat, the bride wearing a smart costume of sage blue gabardine, with hat to match. After a tour of the Wenatchee and Walla Walla valleys, Mr. and Mrs. Brydon will make their home at Royal Oak, near Victoria. The groom's gift to the bride was a pearl and diamond brooch, to the bride a pearl and emerald pendant, and to the groomsmen a pearl stickpin. The out-of-town guests were Miss J. Brydon, of Victoria, sister of the groom;

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**WEATHER BULLETIN.**

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 10—5 a. m.—The barometer remains comparatively high in this vicinity and fair weather is general from this southward to California, while in Northern B. C. and in Kootenay rain has fallen. Fair and moderately warm weather prevails in the prairie provinces.

**Forecasts.**  
 For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

**Reports.**  
 Victoria—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 52; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 54; wind, 10 miles E.; rain, .28.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.89; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Penticon—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 81; rain, .11.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; rain, .24.

**Temperature.**

Entrance	66	Max.	Min.
Kamloops	82		
Barkerville	84		
Prince George	76		
Cranbrook	83		
Calgary	86		
Edmonton	76	84	
Qu'Appelle	82	86	
Winnipeg	86	70	
Toronto	76		
Ottawa	74		
Montreal	72		
Halifax	76		

**Victoria Daily Weather.**  
 Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

**Temperature.**

Highest	64
Lowest	51
Average	52
Minimum on grass	42
Maximum in sun	127

Rain, trace.  
 Bright sunshine, 12 hours 18 minutes.  
 General state of weather, clear.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

**Temperature.**

Highest	68
Lowest	52
Average	60
Minimum on grass	50
Maximum in sun	139

Bright sunshine, 7 hours 42 minutes.  
 General state of weather, fair.

**SUCCESSFUL SALE OF WORK**

Enjoyable Affair Under Auspices of Ladies of St. Mary Magdalene Guild.

A very successful sale of work was held in the grounds of Mr. Clark's residence, Gosworth road, by the ladies of St. Mary Magdalene Guild on Thursday. Mrs. Mackenzie Naughton, in a neat little speech, complimented the ladies on the attractive appearance of the stalls and prophesied a pleasant afternoon for stall-holders and patrons.

The stall-holders were: Plain and fancy articles, Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. Brooks; strawberries and ice-cream, Mrs. Hampton and Mrs. Druce; home-cooking stall, Mrs. Baron and Miss Lillian Brooks; tea tables, Mrs. Ashton, Mrs. Viggers, Mrs. Stewart and Miss M. Hampton; fish-pond, Mrs. Wilson and Miss Grace Wilson.

The concert in the evening was enjoyed by all. The programme was as follows: Pianoforte solo, Mrs. Hampton; song, Mrs. Hall; action song, "Eight Little Violets," Sunday school children; song, Mrs. Buckley; song, Mr. Gedrum; duet, the Misses Boydell; song, Mr. Mackenzie Naughton; reading, Mr. Schmidt; pianoforte duet, Mrs. and Miss B. Hampton; sketch, "The Inquisitive Prince," children; song, Mrs. Hall; recitation, Miss S. Clayton; song, Miss Boydell; song, Mr. Mackenzie Naughton; tableaux, "Searching for Happiness," children.

The proceedings closed with the singing of the National Anthem, the children who had taken part being grouped on the stage.

The takings for the afternoon and evening amounted to over \$70, and the ladies of the guild take this opportunity of thanking all those who helped to make the day a successful one.

**TOWN PLANNING EXPERT**

Thomas Adams Arrives in Vancouver; to Organize Branch of New League.

Thomas Adams, town planning expert of the commission of conservation, has arrived in Vancouver, and today will organize a branch of the Civic Improvement League of Canada, a body brought into existence last November and already spreading throughout Canada as a supplement to the work of the Canadian and provincial unions of municipalities.

"This league which I represent," said Mr. Adams in an interview, "is to make people do more thinking in the way of creating a better system of government apart altogether from the question of town-planning. There is something else to be done besides electing a mayor and aldermen and beautifying lots and boulevards. It is important to recognize that town-planning is not so much a question of looking after the boulevards and civic government as it is of land development. At the root of the whole of that question is that of industrial efficiency and business management of your civic affairs."

"Land development," said Mr. Adams when asked to specify more particularly what he meant, "is involved in this question necessarily because it is the biggest job any city has to handle, and it is one that involves a large expenditure of money. Land has to be used for the building of sewers, water mains and other things, and the taxation falls on the citizen either directly or indirectly, as most of the taxes are for the development of the land. It is a financial question pure and simple, and any great development is certain to throw a burden on the citizens."

"One thing is necessary here as in other provinces," added Mr. Adams, "and that is, that there is a great need for a municipal department to which all municipalities can go for advice in matters that concern the government of those municipalities. You have such a department in British Columbia, but its scope should be extended so as to make it operative in the way I have suggested."

"Madge—I wonder what the professor meant when he said that the girl were wearing mathematical skirts? Marjorie—I suppose he referred to them as an imaginary quantity."

**VARIETY THEATRE.**

"Come into the garden, Maud.  
 For the black bat might have flown,  
 Come into the garden, Maud,  
 I am here at the gate, alone."

These four lines from Tennyson's famous love-poem form but a part of the inspiration for the Bluebird Photoplay, "Naked Hearts," announced as the entertainment at the Variety theatre to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday with Rupert Julian as the star. The whole of Tennyson's lovely song is woven into the story. Mr. Julian has written for film purposes, giving a pictorial interpretation to one of the sweetest poems of sentiment ever composed.

There is no need to know the poem, or to have even read it, for the showman of to-day knows too well the requirements of his public; he knows that the public, largely, will not be troubled with any details much more complicated than purchasing an admission and then seating themselves for entertainment. But to read the

poem will, for those who have not already done so, add a new charm and, perhaps, lend an interpretation that the mere act of reading may not impart.

The poem, for picture purposes, has been placed in the old south before the war, and while some of its earlier battles were fought. The characters, with one exception, have been turned into Americans and the heart-interest and impelling force of the beautiful love story knows no nationality or period.

"Naked Hearts" is simply a gripping story, told in lucid detail by clever actors in support of Rupert Julian, the star, and Francis Billington, who lends the inspiration in the character of Maud.

A lady of great beauty and attractiveness, who was an ardent admirer of Ireland, once crowned her praise of it at a party by saying—"I think I was meant for an Irish woman." "Madam," rejoined a witty son of Erin, who happened to be present, "thousands would back me in saying you were meant for an Irishman."

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### AT THE THEATRES

#### ROYAL VICTORIA.

Frank Powell, director of the William Fox production of "Princess Romanoff," an adaptation of Sardou's Fedora, starring the eminent emotional actress, Nance O'Neil, which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria commencing to-day and for the balance of this week, is a motion picture producer of fame and ability distinctly out of the ordinary. Mr. Powell's marked genius for production demonstrated itself wonderfully in the memorable William Fox picture "Kreutzer Sonata," and again in the visualization of "From the Valley of the Missing," by Grace Miller White. Mr. Powell's stage career started as the stage director of the Frohman production, "The Education of Mr. Pipp." He went to England with this play, and while there attracted the attention of Ellen Terry who engaged him to produce some of her most famous successes. He remained with Ellen Terry three years, when he became interested in the production of great historical spectacular film dramas. In this work his knowledge of the classical drama and of massive stage classics stood him in good stead. He had become a master of types, costumes, architecture and picturesque backgrounds. In England he produced such lavish spectacles as "Jane Shore," "Robin Hood" and "King Henry VIII." On his return to New York, he produced "The Ghost," "The Corsican" and "The Stain," the latter an American political drama. A good comedy and a Pictorial Review finish off a very entertaining programme.

#### COLUMBIA THEATRE.

In the brave days of old, when pirates roved the Spanish Main, and all those semi-legendary chapters of romantic history, so attractive to adventurous youth, were in the making, they were not above doing a little strong-arm work, even when the process involved stealing a shipload or two of fair maidens to become brides for settlers in far away American colonies. "Daphne and the Pirates" is a true picture of events that were more or less ordinary in those days of French occupation and settlement in the region then and ever since named Louisiana.

Vigorous, adventurous men were not hard to find, who for large grants of land were willing to brave the Indians and other dangers of settlement in the wilds of the Mississippi valley. But to make a settlement permanent, wives for the settlers were needed, and the crude methods of stone age were resorted to. This wonderful Triangle-Fine Arts spectacle, to be seen at the Columbia theatre for the first three days of this week, shows most graphically the kidnapping of young French women in the Green Forest, their subsequent transportation in a ship bound to America, and the final disposition of the fair captives who became unwilling brides, by right of purchase, for the sturdy, lone settlers, who had gone to build up a new France on the shores of the Gulf of Mexico.

Each incident of this stirring chapter of early history is produced with faithful likeness to the original event—the staging of the auction, when the settlers judged and selected, and bid according to their estimate of the charms of person or the possible capability of the prospective bride, is convincingly real. Miss Lillian Gish as the heroine, Daphne, proves that some, at least of the leading characteristics of feminine nature persist, even to the present day.

"The Judge," a comedy in Mack Bennett's best Triangle-Keystone style, is also on at the Columbia.

#### PANTAGES THEATRE.

The bill which opened at Pantages theatre with the matinee this afternoon is calculated to please the most fastidious. There is wonderful animal acting, good music, bright comedy and skilful acrobatics and sharpshooting. They are all good acts, and there are seven of them.

Lipinski's canine comedians in their one-act pantomime, "Everyday Life in Dogtown," present a marvelously interesting act. They comprise 50 wonderfully trained dogs who go through their arduous and intricate performance without the direction of anyone on the stage. Their performance is filled with amusing antics which make it especially interesting, apart from the unusual skill of the dumb performers. Each carries out his role with zest and a fidelity to their trainer which speaks volumes for the care and attention they must have received.

Danny Simmons is here again, and that is sufficient to prove that the bill is going to prove interesting to those who see it during the week. Danny Simmons is always popular with all audiences. His line of imitable comedy to the accompaniment of uproarious laughter, and his melody of songs, never fail to make him a triumph.

"The Truthful Liar," presented by Leila Shaw and company, is a playlet based on a new theme, and holds the audience until the last without giving them the clue to its meaning. Leila Shaw is beautiful, clever and attractive and has a capable company. The act is given a touch of lightness and offers an abundance of artistic acting. A sweet voiced soprano who sings good songs and sings them well, is Florence Moore. Helen Savage and company present a sharpshooting act which is exceedingly good. Rio and Norman are two gymnasts and rope artists who offer new thrills and clever stunts which they present in an exceedingly finished manner. Buster and Bailey are splendid entertainers of the colored persuasion, and round out a very exceptional seven act bill.

It appears from the new episode of "The Iron Claw" that the "Laughing Mask" is preparing to unmask himself. It is an especially good installment.

#### DOMINION THEATRE.

Blanche Sweet, the beautiful Lasky star, will be surrounded by a cast of

unusual excellence in the Jesse L. Lasky production of "The Thousand Dollar Husband" at the Dominion theatre the first three days of this week. Prominent in her support are such distinguished artists as Theodore Roberts, Tom Forman, Jane Wolff, Horace B. Carpenter, Lucile La Varney and other members of the Lasky all-star organization.

An Olga Nelson, Blanche Sweet is seen as the Swedish maid of all work in a college boarding house. She is madly in love with Douglas Gordon, one of the wealthy young students living on the boarding house. Young Gordon, deeply in debt, wires his father for money, but Gordon, Sr., replies that his investments have failed and he is practically penniless and orders young Gordon to leave college immediately.

One evening after work, Olga and one of the house maids visit Madam Batavia, the fortune teller, and Olga is informed that she is soon to become wealthy. Shortly after that Olga's rich uncle, Sven Johnson, locates his niece and upon his deathbed leaves her his fortune, with the condition that she be married before her next birthday. Young Gordon, in an attempt to obtain some money, loses all that he has in gambling. Olga, learning of this, offers to give him the money if he will marry her, and knowing the difference in their positions, agrees that he can leave her at once. Gordon does this, pays his debts and returns home.

The fortune teller learns that Olga has received her fortune and agrees to make a lady out of her. The fortune teller's son, Hardy, who fleeced young Gordon, also attempts to get some of Olga's money. Fearing a raid, Madam Batavia flees town and establishes Olga in a western city, which chances to be one in which young Gordon lives. At a dance Olga and Gordon meet again and Gordon recognizes Hardy as the crook. Seeing the maid of all work in her new life, Gordon falls in love with his wife. Hardy makes unwelcome advances to Olga and he and his mother plan to force her to marry Hardy, thinking she is a widow. Gordon tells Olga he will soon be able to pay her back and free her from the marriage.

The story of how Olga is rescued from the clutches of Hardy and his mother and husband and wife are reunited keeps the audience interested to the end of the picture.

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Captain John Stevenson, Son of Mrs. Ridgway, of This City, Rewarded "for Conspicuous Bravery and Gallantry."

Captain John Stevenson, who won the Distinguished Service Order "for conspicuous bravery and gallantry in conducting his men in action and for mastery skill and devotion displayed while in retreat" from Chocolate Hill, Gallipoli, is the son of Mrs. Ridgway, 728 Hillside avenue, this city. Capt. Stevenson went out to Gallipoli with the King's Liverpool Regiment, attached to the City of London First Foot. He was wounded on June 23, 1915, and on the morning of the 25th led his men into action at Chocolate Hill. In the subsequent fighting and the wonderful retreat of the British forces he showed great gallantry, which won the notice of his superior officers and resulted in his recommendation for the D. S. O. In the retreat he was wounded a second time. He was invested at Buckingham Palace on February 19 by his majesty the King, the report appearing in the Court Circular for that month in the London Times.

Capt. Stevenson, who is now in Egypt with the Garrison Battalion of Alexandria, is 29 years of age, and of Scottish birth. A number of small photographs of different parts of Gallipoli and the various British units which were engaged in the fighting there last year have been sent by him to a sister, Mrs. Horne, of Laurel street, this city.

#### HIGHLY PRAISED

British Columbia Company of Western Universities Battalion Creates Favorable Impression.

The most enthusiastic reports have been received from Camp Hughes concerning the impression created by the 19th Western Universities Battalion. By one high in authority, it is described in a recent letter, as the best battalion at the camp in which there were at the time twenty-six or twenty-seven battalions. The British Columbia company has won its place as the best company in the best battalion.

At the recent inspection by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught of all the battalions at Camp Hughes when our own University boys marched past they were vigorously applauded by his royal highness, who shouted: "Well done, British Columbia." As it was a march of one and one-half miles and the formation as a company in line, it was about as hard a thing as British Columbia boys could have been given to do, more particularly as there were seventy-five raw recruits at the time in the company.

All of the companies are very enthusiastic about their colonel, W. S. Mackay, who knows them all, and who is in touch with the whole situation here and at the front.

Major Brock and the other British Columbia officers have received congratulations on all sides, and British Columbia will be glad to know that recruiting for the University of British Columbia company is being continued for a base company and for reinforcements.

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### TELESCOPE MOUNTING

#### DUE HERE SHORTLY

### Dr. Plaskett Arrives to Supervise Erection of Mechanical Parts of Instrument

Dr. J. B. Plaskett, the Dominion astronomer, arrived in the city this morning, intending to stay till the arrival of the mechanical parts of the telescope for the Saanich observatory, upon which construction has been in progress for some months. The mechanical parts have been assembled at the Warner & Swasey Company's works, Cleveland, and are being packed for shipment at this time, so Dr. Plaskett looks for them to arrive in Victoria in about two to three weeks. They are of the highest class of workmanship, and are a credit to this great firm.

Speaking of the parts, Dr. Plaskett observed: "The intention is to divide the instrument, which represents some 60 tons of steel, into suitable parts for transportation. One section, which is really in three parts and will not be subdivided if it can be handled in the present form, weighs ten tons alone, so that is the explanation why the doorway at the observatory has been left large enough to pass a heavy mass of steel through. The erection will proceed during the summer, the contract providing for the company supplying an expert superintendent, who will have charge of the workmen during the course of erection. "On May 23 there was a reception at the works at Cleveland, at which the makers invited a number of scientific men and their friends to view the telescope as set up there, I being invited as a guest of honor. The visitors were very much impressed with the workmanship, which had been put into the telescope. Since then it has been taken down for shipment here.

At Pittsburg the temperature has not been very favorable to the finishing of the mirror by the Brushwell Company. As the work progresses the process becomes increasingly delicate, but it is in the hands of a man who thoroughly understands the work, in the person of James B. McDowell, a son-in-law of Dr. Brishner, one of the most competent opticians on the American continent. As the firm is regarded as the best makers of lens and mirrors in the world, there can be no question that the government will receive the highest value under the contract. As to the date when the mirrors will be completed, that would be pure speculation at this time, since it is not known at the works, but what I hope to see is that it should be finished in about three months, or by the time the telescope will be in position at Saanich hill. Arrangements, however, have been contemplated which will assure the preliminary work proceeding at the hill co-incident with the polishing, so that we shall be ready by the time that the mirror arrives. During the period that the mounting is in hand, my intention is to stay in Victoria and supervise details."

Dr. Plaskett said with regard to the question of taking up permanent residence in Victoria, nothing had been decided. It would depend on the progress made with the completion of the undertaking, because if the equipment was not likely to be ready for work this winter, a situation which could only be conjectured at present, it might be desirable to return to Ottawa. However, he will remain in the city for some time now, he stated.

In paying a visit to the site at Saanich hill, Dr. Plaskett will find considerable progress made since he was last in Victoria. Then only the concrete piers were in position. Now the inner and outer sheath of the building has been constructed, but the dome is not yet covered in. A considerable amount of work has been also done in the interior of the building. An observer's house west of the water tank, which was started when he left, has now been completed and is ready for habitation. The director's house will be built later at a lower elevation. It is stated that the roadway up the hill, which is still in a rough condition, will not be surfaced till the heavy hauling yet to be done has been completed.

Dr. Plaskett asked it to be stated that so far as he knows there is no foundation for the story sent out from Ottawa shortly after Dr. King's death that he was slated to succeed him as chief astronomer. So far as he knows the department has taken no steps yet to fill the vacancy.

#### HOLDS CONVENTION

Milling Concern Celebrates Tenth Successful Year in Business in British Columbia.

The executive staff and salesmen of the Vancouver Milling & Grain Company, Limited, held the first annual convention on Saturday and made it also the celebration of the tenth year of business in this province. The convention was held at Vancouver and included a lunch and a banquet. L. A. Walker, the district manager for Vancouver Island, attended from Victoria. It was stated during the convention proceedings that the company, when it began ten years ago, employed three men and the first year's output was \$75,000. The present staff is one hundred men and the output has risen to about \$1,500,000 annually.

The convention was attended by twenty-four members of the executive and sales staffs from all over British Columbia. It began at 9.30 with an address of welcome by J. E. Hall, who also closed the convention with a speech after the banquet on "Good-will: Its Creation and Value." Mr. Walker spoke for fifteen minutes on "Successful Agency Operating."

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Grain Shipments Being Loaded by Blue Funnel Ship Are Valued at \$152,500

Seattle, July 10.—Last of the Seattle fleet to load grain at the West Seattle elevator for the United Kingdom, this year, the British steamer Teucer, of the Blue Funnel line, to-day, will begin taking shipments of 2,500 tons of wheat and 2,500 tons of brewing barley, valued at approximately \$152,500, as part of her cargo.

The West Seattle elevator in working its dock has been granting the same scale of wages and conditions of labor that obtain at Portland, and its operators have received the assurance of the Longshoremen's Association that there will be no picketing or disturbance during the loading of the Teucer, which had been declared unfair to organized labor while taking shipments for the United Kingdom, at pier 14.

The longshoremen have agreed to load the Teucer at the West Seattle elevator under the same working condition in force on the grain docks at Portland. The wheat and barley to be taken by the Teucer is being shipped by M. H. Houser.

Because of the great scarcity of tonnage on the Pacific Mr. Houser has been compelled to ship by rail to the east coast and by transatlantic steamer to the United Kingdom to facilitate exports of grain from Atlantic coast ports. Mr. Houser has opened offices in Portland, Me., New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Newport News and New Orleans.

The West Seattle grain elevator during the grain exporting season just closing has exported approximately 160,000 tons of wheat and barley, valued at approximately \$528,000. This is much less than during the previous season, due to the great scarcity of tonnage on this coast.

WIRELESS REPORT

July 10, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Cloudy; S. E., moderate; 30.17; 60; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 29.94; 62; sea smooth. Spoke str Zepora abeam, 6.15 a. m., southbound.

Pachena—Overcast; S. E.; 30.07; 54; sea smooth.

Estevan—Rain; S. E.; 29.83; 54; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Rain; calm; 29.88; 60; sea smooth.

Triangle—Fog; gloomy; 29.96; 53; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; S. E., light; swell.

Ikedra Bay—Rain; S. E., light; 29.52; 57; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Rain; S. E., light; 29.76; 54; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Cloudy; S. E., moderate; 30.17; 70; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Rain; calm; 30.05; 60; sea smooth. Spoke str Venture abeam, 11 a. m., southbound.

Pachena—Rain; S. E.; 30.08; 52; sea smooth.

Estevan—Rain; S. E.; 29.82; 56; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Passing showers; S. E., strong; 29.86; 60; sea moderate.

Triangle—Fog; drizzling rain; 30.04; 55; sea smooth. Spoke str Princess Maquinna, 9 a. m., Ivory Island, southbound; spoke str City of Seattle, 9 a. m., Mithank Sound.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; 29.89; 59; sea smooth.

Ikedra Bay—Overcast; W., light; 29.58; 57; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Rain; calm; 29.78; 55; sea smooth. Spoke str Prince Rupert abeam, 10.15 a. m., southbound; passed in, str Princess Charlotte, 9 a. m., northbound.

TSUSHIMA ON COAST

First of the N. Y. K. Panama Ships Makes Call at Golden Gate.

The Japanese freight steamer Tsushima Maru, first of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha ships to inaugurate the new Japanese service between Yokohama and New York via the Panama canal, reached San Francisco on Saturday.

After discharging 167 tons of Oriental freight and replenishing her bunkers the Tsushima Maru proceeded south. The N. Y. K. proposes to maintain six steamers in this service.

SCHOONER GETS AWAY.

The American schooner Golden State, Capt. Eagles, which loaded 1,200,000 feet of lumber at Eastanga Mills, has been towed to sea via Port Townsend by the tug Wanderer. She is bound for Port Natal, South Africa.

WATERHOUSE CHARTERS.

Waterhouse chartered steamers sailing from the Sound last week for the Orient was the Grena, with 8,000 tons for Japanese ports; the Kaifuku Maru, with 4,500 tons for Vladivostok, and the Ataka Maru, with 5,500 tons, also for the Siberian port.

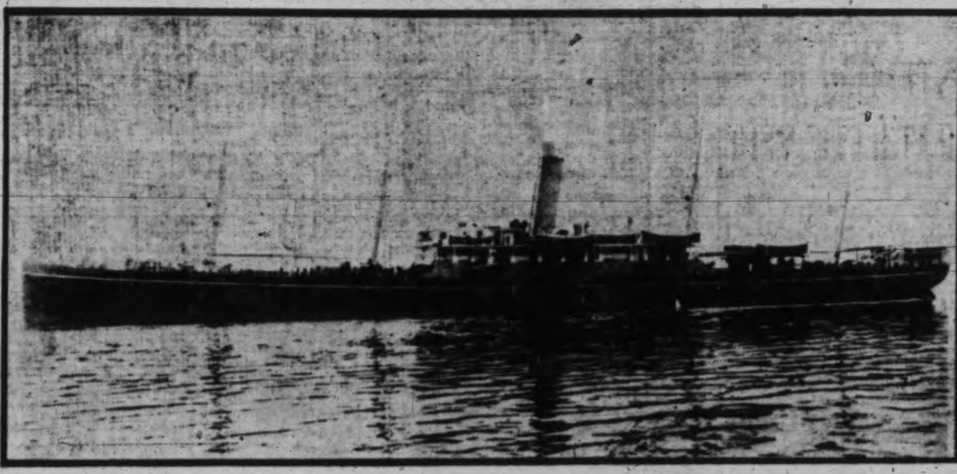
SOPHIA NOT COMING.

Owing to unusual freight shipments to be loaded at Vancouver, the C.P.R. steamer Princess Sophia will eliminate the Victoria call on her present southbound trip. She will leave Vancouver on Wednesday night for Skagway.

SIMLA BOUND SOUTH.

In tow of the tug Sea Rover, the Union Oil Company's barge Simla passed out during the night bound from Vancouver to Port San Luis. The Simla discharged 770,000 gallons of oil while at Vancouver.

WAS DELAYED LEAVING HONGKONG



C. P. R. LINER MONTEAGLE

Local agents have been advised that the Monteagle sailed from Hongkong slightly behind schedule on her return trip to this port. She was posted to leave Yokohama on Saturday, but her departure has not yet been reported through the usual channels. It is probable that the heavy rains, which have been interfering with the loading of cargoes at all Oriental ports, are responsible for the delay to the C. P. R. liner.

HOKKAI MARU BACK IN FAMILIAR WATERS

Japanese Steamer on Sound Put Back Here in December With Shifted Deckload

The Japanese steamer Hokkai Maru, under charter to Mitsui & Co., reached Seattle to-day from Otaru, Japan, via San Francisco and Portland, to load a cargo of lumber for the west coast of South America. This vessel, it will be remembered, was forced to put back to Victoria last December for repairs, after putting to sea from Seattle for Vladivostok with a full cargo of war supplies. On that occasion the Hokkai Maru carried a big deckload of steel car-sides and other heavy railroad material. When the vessel got outside Cape Flattery she bumped into a bad gale, and while she was heading into the storm part of her deckload shifted, bulging her bulwarks outward. The captain deemed it advisable to put back, and as Victoria was the nearest port it was decided to bring her here.

The contract to brace the damaged bulwarks was awarded to Yarrows, Ltd., and with her deckload released, the steamer, after several days' delay, again put to sea and ultimately reached her destination without further mishap. While the Hokkai Maru was at Portland on her present trip, Tachiro Kikuchi, a member of the crew, deserted by leaping overboard and swimming ashore. Toshiro Kakuta, a quartermaster, also decided to quit the ship and landed after a chilly swim, but he was arrested and returned to the ship.

ADVICE TO IMPORTERS

Pacific Coast Agents Suggest Arrangement With Brokers to Guarantee Freight Delivery.

R. P. Rithet & Co., agents for the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., were advised to-day that owing to the steamers going out on strike in sympathy with the longshoremen at San Francisco the situation has been greatly aggravated at the California port. No regular freight schedule can be announced at present. The steamer Queen was posted to leave San Francisco yesterday with cargo for Seattle direct, the Victoria call being eliminated as no cargo is consigned here by this steamer.

Wm. Allan, of R. P. Rithet & Co., stated this morning that, until the trouble is straightened out, it would be advisable to importers to place orders with the brokers, as in the event of cargo offering freight steamers will be routed to this port. It is contended that the suspension of the passenger service is only temporary and that with the settlement of the strike the steamships President and Governor will again touch at Victoria.

TREASURE STEAMER ARRIVES.

Carrying \$750,000 in gold bullion, the steamship Humboldt, of the Humboldt Steamship Company, reached Seattle on Sunday from Southeastern Alaska ports. This is the first big shipment of treasure from Alaska this season.

BORDER LINE SERVICE.

The Border Line Transportation Co. announce that the chartered steamer Northland will sail from Seattle for Anchorage on Wednesday, July 12. The Northland was chartered from the Parr-McCormick Steamship Co., of San Francisco, to replace the sunken steamer of the same name.

BOUND FOR SKAGWAY.

The G.T.P. steamer Prince George, which arrived from Prince Rupert and Anyox Sunday night, returned from Seattle at 2.30 p.m. to-day and left an hour later for Skagway via Vancouver and Prince Rupert. All her accommodation has been taken up for the voyage.

TUG MAKES FAST TRIP.

After a fast run up the coast from the Columbia river the powerful tugboat Onota, owned by the Port of Portland Commission, passed up at 1.30 a. m. to-day bound for Vancouver. The tug left Astoria at 8 a. m. on Sunday and averaged ten knots on the trip.

ROSE HARBOR IN LINE FOR RECORD

Forty-Six Whales Have Been Captured Within Month at Southern Charlotte Station

Reports coming in from the whaling stations indicate that the Rose Harbor plant is rapidly forging into the lead in the number of catches made, and if her whaling crews continue to make the present rate of progress the other stations will soon be outstripped. It is practically conceded by the whaling people that the record catch this season will go to the Rose Harbor station. Although this plant, which is located at the southern end of the Queen Charlotte Islands, has only been in operation one month, remarkable success has marked the operations of the three steam whalers making their base there. Manager S. C. Rick was in receipt of a wireless during the week-end to the effect that no less than 46 whales had been taken at Rose Harbor since the station was opened in June. As no record word has come through from the stations at Naden Harbor and Kyuquot, no comparisons can be made. Reports received here last month stated that about 50 whales had been bagged by each of the two stations, but as the deep-sea mammal appears to be more numerous this season, the latter plants have in all probability added considerably to the total catch. The Kyuquot and Naden stations were opened several weeks earlier than the plant at Rose Harbor. The three steam whalers stationed at the latter plant are the William Grant, Brown and Orion.

The Brown, Capt. Halvorsen, which last month had several of her plates stove in and was otherwise damaged in a tussle with a monster sperm, has returned to Rose Harbor after completing repairs.

The whaling tender Gray, Capt. Hawes, which recently proceeded to Southern California with a cargo of fertilizer, is being held up at San Pedro by the longshoremen's strike.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Aberdeen, July 9.—Arrived: Tank str Geo. Loomis from Port Richmond; str William Carlos from San Francisco. Sailed: Str Daisy Freeman and str San Jacinto for San Pedro.

Portland, July 9.—Sailed: Str Breconian (Br) for the United Kingdom; str Cello for San Diego.

Flavel, July 9.—Arrived: Str Great Northern from San Francisco.

Astoria, July 9.—Sailed: Str Breconian for the United Kingdom. July 8.—Sailed: Str Hokkai Maru for Seattle.

Victoria, B. C., July 8.—Passed: Str Waimarino from Sydney, N.S.W., for Vancouver. B. C.: str Thor from Nanaimo, B. C., for San Francisco.

Vancouver, B. C., July 9.—Arrived: Str Waimarino from Sydney, N.S.W., via San Francisco.

Nanaimo, B. C., July 8.—Sailed: Str Thor for San Francisco.

Tacoma, July 9.—Arrived: Barge Palmyra from Gypsum in tow of the tug Pioneer at 9.30 a.m.; str Admiral Farragut from Seattle; str Redondo from Southeastern Alaska. Sailed: Str Lansing for Port San Luis.

San Pedro, July 9.—The Pacific Mail str San Jose called to-day and proceeded to San Francisco. The str Thomas L. Ward completed discharging a cargo of poles for the city here to-day and sailed for Puget Sound to reload. The str Shina-Yak sailed for Long Beach for repairs to a broken tail shaft. The str Santa Barbara arrived from Willapa Harbor. The Pacific Coast str Governor called for passengers this afternoon, bound from San Diego for San Francisco and Puget Sound under the new 10-day schedule.

Seattle, July 9.—Arrived: Str Humboldt from Southeastern Alaska; str Northland from Anchorage; str El Segundo from San Francisco via Point Wells; str Wasp from San Francisco. Sailed: Str Ardlow for Southwestern Alaska; str Admiral Farragut for Tacoma.

WAIMARINO FROM SYDNEY.

The British steamer Waimarino, of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, arrived at Vancouver during the week-end and from Sydney, N.S.W., via San Francisco. For the outward trip she will load paper at Powell River.

MORE FREIGHT MOVING FROM ORIENTAL PORTS

Liner Awa Maru Has 800 Tons Aboard Consigned to Local Merchants

With 800 tons of Oriental cargo in her holds consigned to Victoria, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Awa Maru sailed from Yokohama on July 4, according to cable advice received from the Orient to-day by W. R. Dale, local agent for the Great Northern railway. This indicates that the freight business is picking up between Oriental ports and British Columbia, as the Awa's cargo is the largest that has been shipped to this port in many months. In addition to her local shipments the Awa carries approximately 3,000 tons for Puget Sound ports. She also has 8-passengers for Victoria and 87 for Seattle. The Japanese steamer expected to arrive here on July 17.

The Awa Maru is making her second trip across the Pacific in the N. Y. K. service from Kobe, she having inaugurated the sailings from the Japan port. In this service the steamships Tamba Maru and Inaba Maru have since arrived here. Both vessels have been considerably delayed on Puget Sound owing to the strike. The local agents expect that the Tamba Maru will get away from Seattle to-day and in that event she will sail from the outer docks this evening, ten days behind schedule, bound for Yokohama and Kobe.

The majority of Inaba's passengers are being transferred to the Tamba. The Inaba was posted to sail from Victoria last Saturday, but as yet no definite advice has been received as to what date the vessel will be in a position to put to sea.

ALASKA TRAVEL HEAVY

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CAPT. DAVISON GOES EAST.

Capt. F. L. Davison, who brought the C.P.R. liner Empress of Japan in from the Orient, and who is now on leave, has left for the East, accompanied by Mrs. Davison. He will stop at Banff and then visit his old home in Nova Scotia.

HAS RUBBER CARGO.

The Japanese steamer Tokai Maru, under charter to Waterhouse & Co., is due on the coast about July 20 with a large cargo from Oriental ports. She carries a big rubber shipment from Singapore for Vancouver.

ARNA SHORTLY DUE.

One of the steamers operated by the Maple Leaf Line under charter, the Norwegian freighter Arna, is expected at Vancouver shortly to load cargo for Europe.

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PUBLIC MEETING TO-MORROW EVENING

Messrs. Brewster and Macdonald Will Speak in the Old Victoria Theatre

There will be a public meeting in the old Victoria theatre to-morrow evening when H. C. Brewster, the Liberal leader, and M. A. Macdonald will address the electors of Victoria. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock and the speakers will discuss the issues before the electors at this time and explain the Liberal policies.

Those who wish to hear the leader and his lieutenant will do well to be at the theatre well in advance of the hour set for the opening, as no doubt there will be a large attendance. Seats will be secured by those who are given a hearty invitation to attend.

SIX SOLDIERS ARRIVE

Return From England for Treatment at Esquimalt Convalescent Hospital.

Six soldiers arrived here from England yesterday and were met at the wharf by John Day, representing the welcome committee. He provided them with an automobile and took them to the convalescent hospital at Esquimalt, where they are to receive treatment.

Sergeant S. Hutchinson, 29th Battalion, returned from Shorncliffe suffering from gastric ulcers. Pte. J. Carruthers, 29th Battalion, and Pte. T. Burdick, 16th Battalion, have both returned from Belgium, the former suffering from vein trouble in his legs and the latter from kidney complaint. The following came from Bramshott camp: Pte. J. McLean, 47th Battalion, who is suffering from rheumatism; Pte. R. Perdue, 47th Battalion, who is suffering from bronchitis; and Pte. V. Farrand, 47th Battalion, who has lung trouble.

OFFICERS ELECTED

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LOCAL NEWS

Blank Books, ruling, binding and gold lettering on short notice at fair prices. Sweeney-McConnell, Limited, 1012 Langley St.

Eight Watchmakers. Haynes has developed the largest watch repair business in Victoria. Satisfaction, reliability and moderate prices did it. Bring your repairs to Haynes.

To install Officers—District Deputy H. Callow and officers of Island District, A. O. F., will go to Cedar Hill on Tuesday night to install the officers of Court Douglas.

Meets To-morrow Night—Victoria Women's No. 1 Woman's Benefit Association of the Macabees, will hold their business meeting on Tuesday evening. Officers and members are asked to be present at 7.30, if possible for drill, as the business to be attended will take up the extra time later in the evening. The memorial service will be held at the close of the usual work.

Majestic Theatre—A special attraction is offered for the first part of this week at this popular playhouse. All admirers of Tom Hood and his immortal work will be glad of an opportunity to see "The Dream of Eugene Aram," which is presented in a 3-reel photoplay by Selig. Tyrone Powers, the great screen actor, takes the leading role. This film, which is being shown first run in Victoria should undoubtedly draw a big audience to-night. The programme is made more attractive also by the addition of a 3-reel Biograph "The Man in Hiding," while two breezy comedies complete the bill.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death is announced at Buffalo of Mrs. Edith Fairbairn, daughter of the late E. G. Russell, of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Mrs. Fairbairn had many friends here who will learn with regret of her death, which took place suddenly a few days ago.

PERSONAL

Angus Campbell left on Sunday afternoon for his usual summer buying trip in the east, and will visit Montreal, Toronto, New York and other big eastern cities before his return some time about the middle of August.

SCALP SPECIALISTS.

PLUMB & PHILP, specialists in treatment of dry and falling hair; expert shampooing and electric hair curling. 501 Cambie Building. Phone 2418. 391

BORN CLAIRK—On July 6, at 85 Springfield street, to Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clark, of Shirley P. O., a daughter. 391

CONFER TO-DAY ON MINING INDUSTRY

Deputation Waits on Minister of Mines; Resources Being Investigated

After hearing the remarks of a deputation from the Victoria and Island Development Association and the Board of Trade this morning on the iron and steel industry of Vancouver Island and the opening of the Ladysmith smelter, Hon. Lorne Campbell, minister of mines, said he had already given the matter consideration and hoped for results before long. He had opened negotiations which he trusted would be successful, both in regard to the iron ore industry and the smelter. The time and attention the committee had given to the matter would not be wasted. His endeavor in regard to the smelter would be more to keep it running permanently than merely a temporary opening. He was having an investigation made of the ore resources of the province, in the hope of having reliable information on which to work. The investigation included the iron resources and the utility of the coal for smelting. He hoped to have his plans complete in two months. He was impressed with the importance of the matter.

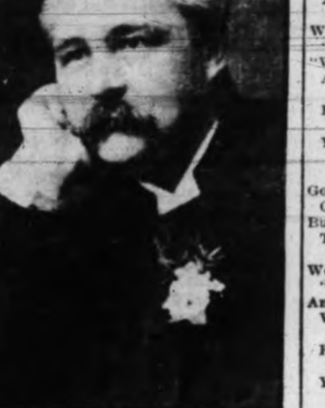
The deputation was introduced by Aid. Porter, chairman of the committee, and reference was made by Herbert Cutbert, commissioner of the V. I. D. A., to the necessity of getting a smelter for the use of mining people, and that present could not get their ore smelted outside the province because of the large business being done by foreign plants. He said there was now 8,100 tons of ore available monthly, and this did not represent half the amount that could be obtained.

William Blakemore presented documentary evidence on the resources of iron ore and coal for smelting. He said the material was to be secured and action would be necessary to provide manufactures at which returned soldiers could be employed. It would relieve a serious situation in the latter instance. A. C. Flumerfelt supported the previous speakers and regarded the subject as one of the greatest importance to the welfare of British Columbia.

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TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

Table with columns for League (American, National), Team, Score, and Innings. Includes games between Chicago and Boston, Cleveland and New York, and Pittsburgh and Boston.

VANCOUVER HALF HOLIDAY.

Vancouver, July 10.—A summary of interviews with the heads of numerous business firms on the half holiday question is that a Monday rush did not follow the holiday. The business to-day was just on a par with that of previous Mondays. Many merchants, however, report increased business on Friday. They believe that the week-end will still see the bulk of the trade done.

DIVIDED VERDICT RE HALF HOLIDAY

Merchants and Salesmen Not Unanimous in Regarding Innovation as a Success

Opinions are rather divided as to the success of the Saturday half holiday. Some merchants as well as some of the clerks seem doubtful as to whether the change is an improvement. On the other hand, there are enthusiasts who declare that in every respect the innovation has done what it was intended by its organizers to do—to give a holiday to the employer and employee, without in any way disarranging business.

"Our business certainly suffered from the half holiday," said one merchant. "The Saturday half holiday suits us splendidly," said the manager of another big store. "This is typical of the division of opinion. The former business man's verdict had its counterpart in other sources. 'As far as Friday's business went, it was not an iota better than on an ordinary Friday, and as far as Saturday morning's business was concerned we did practically nothing,' said another speaking in the same vein.

The optimist's view had its further champions, however. "We were very busy all day Friday and on Friday evening as well. And there was this difference we noticed between the Friday night business and the Saturday evening business: the Friday night shoppers came out with a definite purpose and the intention of buying; the Saturday night people often used to come with no other idea in mind than of wandering through the store and looking at things. We are pleased, and the clerks are pleased. Most of them spent the afternoon quietly, taking advantage of the opportunity to rest. We have asked most of them, and for the most part they stayed in the near suburbs of the city during the afternoon."

Even the clerks are divided in their verdict. Some of those who had to work very late and very hard on Friday night in order to prepare for the Saturday early deliveries found the half holiday barely sufficient compensation for their recuperation. On the other hand 9.30 on Friday to other proved richly compensated for by nearly nine hours additional rest on Saturday.

DER TAG.

A Cumulative Ballad. By Ernest Rhys in London News and Leader.

On Woden's day in the end of May Our High Sea Fleet put out to sea, To find the skulking British line And won a glorious victory.

With forty ships they sailed in line: "With twenty," said our Admiral, "With twenty, I will sink their pride, And make Great Britain smile!"

Forty ships of the British line, And if my rhyme runs on, You'll be surprised how many there'll be Before the ballad's done.

Gott and the Zepplins above Gave eyes to our fierce craft, But underneath their doomed ships The demon sea-drakes dived and laught.

We had our harbors at our back, "Sea-room!" we cried, "sea-room!" And by the night full fifty ships Went staggering to their doom.

Fifty ships of the British line, And if my rhyme runs on, You'll be surprised how many there'll be Before the ballad's done.

Ah Westfalen, brave Westfalen, With her "6-inch" and "11-inch" guns she sank ten cruisers And destroyed twenty-seven.

The Frauenlob went down, 'tis true; But 'twas by mistake our Admiral: They did not give her sea-room to dodge The torpedoes in her wake.

Sixty ships of the British line, And if my rhyme runs on, You'll be surprised how many there'll be Before the ballad's done.

The cowards rallied their Grand Sea Fleet, When we sent Queen Mary down, With only four minelayers left To fish for her sinking crown!

But the Black Prince and Invincible—We drowned 'em like a dog;— And the Warspite, when she put about, Read death on her ship's log.

Seventy ships of the British line, And if my rhyme runs on, You'll be surprised how many there'll be Before the ballad's done.

Who kings of "Tipperary" now?—A long, long way indeed, To find upon the Zealand coast Her men in the salt weed.

For ship by ship, ten thousand drown'd; We counted as we sailed off In pity, to the Kiel canal;— We had done them wrack enough.

Eighty ships of the British line, And if my rhyme runs on, You'll be surprised how many there'll be Before the ballad's done.

And "Hoch der Kaiser!" sang our crews And the Kaiser did "Hoch" repeat: As he told of the glorious victory When we ran from the British fleet.

GERMAN SKIPPER'S HUMOROUS STATEMENT

Submarine at Baltimore, He Babbles About Britain's Command Being Broken

Baltimore, July 10.—Capt. Koenig, master of the German merchant submarine Deutschland, this afternoon finally disposed of the report that he carried a message from Kaiser Wilhelm to President Wilson, saying there was no foundation for the story.

He headed out the following typewritten statement: "The submarine Deutschland, which I have the honor to command, is the first of several submarines built to the order of the Deutsche Ozean-Rhederei G. M. B. H. Bremen. She will be followed by the Bremen shortly.

"The idea of building this submarine emanated from Alfred Lohmann, then president of the Bremen chamber of commerce. He brought his idea in the fall of last year confidentially before a small circle of friends and the idea was taken up immediately. A company was organized under the name of Deutsche Ozean-Rhederei G. M. B. H. and the Germanwarerft, Kiel, was entrusted with the building of the submarine.

"The board of directors is composed of Alfred Lohmann, president of the board; Philipp Heineken, general manager of the Nord Lloyd Commercial; B. M. Herriman, manager of the Deutsche Bank; Karl Stapelfeldt, manager of the Nord Lloyd, has taken over the management of the company. "Our American Friends."

"We have brought a most valuable cargo of dyestuffs to our American friends, dyestuffs which have been so much needed for months in America, and which the ruler of the seas has not allowed the great American republic to import. While England will not allow anybody the same rights on the ocean because she rules the waves, we have by means of this submarine commenced to break this rule.

"Great Britain cannot, however, hinder boats such as ours to go and come as we please. Our trip passing across the ocean was an uneventful one. When danger approached we went below the surface and here we are safely in an American port, ready to return in due course.

2,600-Ton Submarine. "I am not in a position to give you details regarding our trip across the ocean, in view of our enemies. The boat has a displacement of about 2,600 tons and a speed of more than 14 knots. Needless to say, we are quite unarmed as only a peaceful merchantman.

"Regarding things in Germany, I may mention that everybody is convinced of the final and final victory of the German arms over those of our allies. The facts of the last twenty-two months go to prove that there is no doubt of this. All Poland and Courland, a country of the size of two-thirds of Germany, are since twelve months under peaceful rule, and the entire country has been put under the plough, and thousands of acres will be serving for the next winter's supplies of food-stuffs.

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"All Serbia, Montenegro and a great part of Albania are in the same position. Besides Belgium, one-seventh of France is in German possession and all in a flourishing agricultural state. So there really is not the least anxiety for the British attempt of trying to kill by starvation a hundred million German and Austrian children and women and non-combatants, the most devilish plan ever tried by any nation in the world.

"Our boats will carry across the Atlantic the mails and save them from British interruption. "Your Beautiful Country." "We trust that the old friendly relationship with the United States, going back to the days of Washington, when it was Prussia who was the first to help America in its fight for freedom from British rule, will awake afresh in your beautiful and powerful country.

"The house flag of the Deutsche Ozean-Rhederei is the old Bremen flag, red and white stripes with the coat of arms of the town, the key in the corner. This key is the sign that we have opened the gates which Great Britain tried to shut upon us and the trade of the world. The gates which we opened with this key will not be shut again. Open door to the trade of the world and freedom of the oceans and equal rights to all nations on the oceans will be guaranteed by Germany's victory in this struggle for our existence." For 90 Miles.

Captain Koenig's own story of the Deutschland's voyage across the ocean was told to newspapers soon after he made public his prepared statement. He laughed at stories of his being chased far off his course by enemy vessels and declared that during the entire trip the vessel traveled submerged only about 90 miles.

"I have seen," continued the captain, "statements that we were forced to go hundreds of miles out of our course in the Atlantic because of British warships. This is not so. Why should we go out of our course when we could submerge? That is the simplest and most effective way to get out of the way. Besides, it is much easier to submerge."

"We came to Hampton Roads by the straight course from the English Channel. We did not come by way of the Azores. Altogether from Heiligoland to Baltimore we covered 3,800 miles. Of that distance 90 miles were driven under the surface of the water.

Rolls a Bit. "Throughout the entire trip the officers and crew were in excellent health

and spirits. Of course, when we were under water for long spells, the air got very stuffy sometimes and there was some inconvenience, but it was never serious. The Deutschland is built to stay under water for four consecutive days, so you see we never reached anywhere near our maximum submerison on this voyage.

"The ship is much easier to ride in than a torpedo boat destroyer; much steadier. Nothing can happen to her, she is so perfectly built. Of course she rolls a little at times, but that is no hardship. "Any nation that can build a ship like the Deutschland can do what we did."

ASQUITH EXPLAINS IRISH SETTLEMENT

London, July 10.—Mr. Asquith, in explaining the Irish agreement in the House this afternoon said it was proposed that the bill should remain in force during the war and twelve months thereafter, and if parliament had not made further provision by that time for a government for Ireland, the period could be extended.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

The final publication of the Saanich Tax Sale List will appear in this paper on Saturday next, July 15.

R. R. F. SEWELL, Collector of Taxes.

TENDERS FOR COAL AND WOOD

Separate tenders for the supply of lump coal and first growth 4-foot cordwood in the Victoria School Board during the school year ending June 30, 1917, to be delivered at the various schools from time to time in quantities as required, will be received by the Secretary up to 6 p. m. on Wednesday, July 12, next.

Delivery of 15 cords of the 4-foot cordwood can be made during July and August. School Board Office, Phone 328, July 10, 1916.

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### GERMANS HAUNTED BY FEAR OF RUSSIANS

Eyes Turned Toward Eastern Front Rather Than Toward Western

London, July 10.—A dispatch from Berlin says: "The eyes of the Germans are turned toward the eastern rather than the western front. In the east a great general offensive has burst forth all along the line from Riga to Roumania. Wave after wave of Russian flesh and steel is rolling against the Teuton dyke which stretches across the Russian provinces. Thrust follows thrust in constant succession, and no sooner do the Germans succeed in wailing the advance at one threatened point than another is menaced. The most striking results thus far manifested have been seen in the leadership and distribution of the forces of the central powers, rather than in the actual movement of the contending armies. With the exception of General Pflanzer, commanding a small group at the extreme southern end of the line, the Austrian units are everywhere interlarded by Germans who have furnished reserves to bolster up particularly threatened points. At the very outset of the Russian offensive General Pflanzer detached divisions to relieve the hard-pressed Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and his operations now are directed mainly to the defence of the Carpathian forests and the passes into the Hungarian plain. It is betraying no secret to say that the German leaders have been astonished at the recuperative powers of the Russians, and their freely flowing reserves both of men and munitions. Time after time it seemed as if the Russians must be nearing their last resources in shells and reserves; time and again correspondents at Austrian headquarters reported that the Russian troops were losing their vim and striking power only to chronicle a day or two later a new onslaught with fresh troops freely supported by artillery.

Persons who talked with Captain Koenig are authorized for the statement that the only arms of any description aboard the Deutschland are four automatic pistols belonging to the officers, and a sportsman's rifle used for firing rockets. Shortly before noon Captain Koenig appeared at the downtown offices of A. Schumacher & Company, agents of the North German Lloyd Line, carrying an armful of papers. It was his first trip that far away from the waterfront. U. S. AND DEUTSCHLAND. Baltimore, July 10.—Guy V. Steele, surveyor of the port of Baltimore, made an official report to Collector Ryan late today advising that the German submarine Deutschland was an unarmed merchant vessel, entitled to all the privileges of other peaceful ships sailing under the flag of a friendly nation.

### INFANTILE PARALYSIS IN STATES CONTROLLED

Washington, July 10.—Dr. W. C. Rucker, assistant surgeon-general of the United States public health service, returned from New York to-day, where he has been directing the work of a staff of government surgeons investigating the epidemic of infantile paralysis. He said Dr. Emerson, health commissioner of New York, and his aides, have checked what promised to be the "greatest epidemic of all time." "The situation looks encouraging to me," he said. "I think it is now under full control." It has developed that the infantile paralysis epidemic is likely to cause severe shortage in the live monkey market in the United States. Dr. Rucker stated that the country is being scoured for monkeys to enable experts to carry on tests.

### KEEP PEOPLE AWAY FROM DEUTSCHLAND

Germans Nervous About Merchant Submarine Now Lying at Baltimore

Baltimore, July 10.—All of her 315 feet of greenish gray hull was standing well above the water as the German merchant submarine Deutschland was towed to her dock here this morning, following her arrival across the Atlantic. It was before 7 o'clock and rain was falling steadily, but there was a big, eagerly curious crowd waiting. Old waterfront salts and landmen alike gazed with open-eyed wonder. The big craft appeared like some giant fish of the deep, with two periscopes for eyes. Her main superstructure reached fully 15 feet above the waterline. Amidships the conning tower extended still higher, and above all towered the major periscopes. On the starboard side an emergency periscope was ready in case the other failed. Three hatchways lead below decks, one forward and one aft, and the main hatchway extends through the conning tower amidships. Extraordinary precautions have been taken to protect the Deutschland. As soon as she reached her dock an army of guards drove away all river craft and a huge chain of logs was drawn around her to prevent vessels from approaching within a hundred feet of the ship. On the land side of the dock a high board fence reaching far into the river had been erected. On top of the fence are half a dozen rows of barbed wire and these are curtains of burlap to shut off all view. No one without a permit was allowed near the entrance to the docks. "My orders are from my home government," said Captain Koenig. "No one can go aboard without authority. I am sorry. I would like the whole world to see."

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### AITKEN HON. COLONEL

Ottawa, July 10.—Sir Max Aitken, Canadian official eye witness at the court, has been named honorary colonel of the 236th Highland Battalion being raised in New Brunswick.

### U. S. OFFICERS WILL EXAMINE SUBMARINE

Will Visit Deutschland; Washington Spurred on by British and French

Washington, July 10.—The British and French embassies to-day officially called the state department's attention to the arrival of the German submarine Deutschland and asked that this government assure itself of the vessel's character. This will be done, it was announced, by the assignment of naval experts to assist the treasury department. It is understood that the representations of the British and French embassies were made formally. Later Secretary Daniels appointed Captain C. F. Hughes to represent the navy department. He probably will be assisted by some other officers. State department officials, from a hurried examination of the question of whether the elusion of the allied blockades by the Deutschland would affect the legal status of the blockade itself, came to the conclusion, for the present at least, that it would not. They think that isolated blockade running or even the elusion of the blockade by several vessels does not nullify a blockade. Collector Ryan, at Baltimore, reported informally to-day that the Deutschland did not carry guns, was manned by a merchant crew, carried a cargo and was not a warship. A written report is expected later. Officials said to-day that they had no reason to believe a special examination of the Deutschland would be opposed, and that as the submarine is a new ship in merchant trade, the United States must be wholly satisfied that she is what she professes to be, and not a warship. If objections are raised that the Deutschland is a secret type and nothing but a superficial examination can be allowed, the state department is expected to insist on a thorough examination, as has been done in the case of steamships.

### Princess Louise Presented to Steele Gifts From British Women and Children

London, July 10.—There was a very pretty scene in the palace gardens at Kensington on Saturday when Princess Louise of Argyll presented Maj.-General Steele, on behalf of the Canadian forces, with a silken Union Jack and a silver shield, given by women and children of the British Isles in acknowledgment of Canada's good will and co-operation. A guard of honor, consisting of four officers and 100 men of other ranks from the Canadian battalions stationed at Shorncliffe, was present. Three war detachments from church, nursing and ambulance organizations, the founding hospital and the Church Lads' Brigade were present. Before presenting the colors her immaculate highness inspected the guard of honor. The colors having been presented, there was a short service at which the children sang "The Maple Leaf." In the course of a short address the princess said: "General Steele and General Macdougall, I have been deputed to ask you to receive this flag on behalf of the officers and men of Canada, as a gift from the women and children of the British Isles. This gift from the Mother Country is a token of the high admiration and enthusiastic appreciation of the eager readiness with which they have come forward to take their share in the cause of the empire. The shield is to record the great deeds which Canada will inscribe as her part in the common effort of the whole empire towards the attainment of ultimate victory. To that victory faith only and absolute trust in God will lead us in that faith I entrust that flag to you from the women and children for whom the future is being made."

Maj.-General Steele returned thanks on behalf of the troops. Among those present were Brigadier-General Cavendish, Major-General Sir Alexander Wilson, the Earl of Meath, Sir George Foster and agents-general of the various provinces.

### \$25 TO THE TORIES; SOAP BILL INCREASED

J. C. Pendray Gives Evidence at Vancouver School Board Inquiry

Vancouver, July 10.—An admission by J. C. Pendray, a member of the well known paint and soap manufacturing firm at Victoria, that he donated a cheque for \$25 to the Vancouver Conservative Association after a discussion with F. W. Welsh, a member of the Vancouver school board, and that the amount was added to the cost of an order for soap for the school board, was the sensation sprung at the opening of the school board inquiry this forenoon. There was another cheque for \$50 which had been given by Mr. Pendray's firm a couple of months before for the purpose of getting on the Conservative patronage list, said the witness, but he insisted that the \$50 cheque was in no way connected with the school board contracts. He is to return to the witness stand this afternoon, and was instructed by Mr. Justice Murphy, at the request of S. S. Taylor, K. C., counsel for the inquiry, to bring with him all the originals of letters from Mr. Welsh to himself and also the weekly payment records of his firm.

### AMERICANS WITHDREW UNDER SHARP FIRE

San Antonio, July 10.—The withdrawal under sharp fire from Carranza soldiers of a party of American blue-jackets which attempted to clear the river at Tampico of mines several days ago, was published on July 7 in El Dia, of Monterey, a copy of which arrived here to-day. The published accounts of the incident included what purports to be a copy of the official report made by General E. P. Nafarrate to General Trevino at Chihuahua.

### BRITAIN HAS SENT NO PROTEST TO STATES

London, July 10.—The foreign office to-day denied a report cabled from the United States that the British government has protested to Washington regarding the presence of a German submarine in an American port. It is stated Great Britain has taken no action.

### TURKISH STATEMENT

Constantinople, July 10.—Official announcement was made here to-day that the Russian forces which recently evacuated Kermanshah, Persia, were overtaken by the Turks and put to flight after a battle of seven hours. The Russian offensive on the Teheran sector of the Caucasus front, undertaken to arrest the Turkish advance, has collapsed.

### FOR IMMELMANN

Copenhagen, July 10.—The Munthe Neueste Nachrichten says British airmen last week dropped in the German lines a beautiful wreath tied with black ribbons in memory of Lieut. Immelmann, the leading German aviator who was killed in an air battle recently. With the wreath was a card bearing the words: "In memory of a brave and gallant adversary. From the British flying corps."

### Russians Crossing Stokhod; Pressing Enemy in Retreat

Petrograd, July 10.—The Russian forces advancing in Volhynia toward Kovel are crossing the river Stokhod at various points, closely pressing the Teuton forces opposing them, says the war office in a statement issued this evening.

### FLAG AND SHIELD FOR CANADA'S FORCES

Princess Louise Presented to Steele Gifts From British Women and Children

London, July 10.—There was a very pretty scene in the palace gardens at Kensington on Saturday when Princess Louise of Argyll presented Maj.-General Steele, on behalf of the Canadian forces, with a silken Union Jack and a silver shield, given by women and children of the British Isles in acknowledgment of Canada's good will and co-operation. A guard of honor, consisting of four officers and 100 men of other ranks from the Canadian battalions stationed at Shorncliffe, was present. Three war detachments from church, nursing and ambulance organizations, the founding hospital and the Church Lads' Brigade were present. Before presenting the colors her immaculate highness inspected the guard of honor. The colors having been presented, there was a short service at which the children sang "The Maple Leaf." In the course of a short address the princess said: "General Steele and General Macdougall, I have been deputed to ask you to receive this flag on behalf of the officers and men of Canada, as a gift from the women and children of the British Isles. This gift from the Mother Country is a token of the high admiration and enthusiastic appreciation of the eager readiness with which they have come forward to take their share in the cause of the empire. The shield is to record the great deeds which Canada will inscribe as her part in the common effort of the whole empire towards the attainment of ultimate victory. To that victory faith only and absolute trust in God will lead us in that faith I entrust that flag to you from the women and children for whom the future is being made."

Maj.-General Steele returned thanks on behalf of the troops. Among those present were Brigadier-General Cavendish, Major-General Sir Alexander Wilson, the Earl of Meath, Sir George Foster and agents-general of the various provinces.

### DEUTSCHLAND'S CREW MUST BE INVESTIGATED

Washington, July 10.—The fact that boarding officers found the German merchant submarine Deutschland wholly unarmed goes far towards simplifying any question as to her status as a merchant ship in American waters. Officials realize, however, that the British and French embassies, while interested little in what the Deutschland has brought over, are concerned over the cargo of rubber and nickel she purposes to carry back to Germany, and expect that nothing will be left undone by Germany's enemies to prevent or hinder her clearance. Although the fact that the submarine is unarmed is of first importance, such factors as the composition of the crew and actual ownership will have to be established to determine whether the submarine could be classed as a naval auxiliary.

### CASUALTIES AMONG BRITISH OFFICERS

London, July 10.—The lists of casualties among British officers issued in the last four days, apparently composed almost altogether of losses suffered in the last week's advance, gives a total of 94 killed, 594 wounded and 30 missing. A small proportion of these probably were caused by other operations, while some of the casualties possibly were included in the lists earlier than Thursday. It is impossible from the lists thus far issued to judge of the casualties in the ranks.

### DEUTSCHLAND'S CAPTAIN BOASTS A BIT TOO SOON

Baltimore, Md., July 10.—Upon delivery of his ship's papers to the officers of the North German Lloyd line to-day, Captain Paul Koenig, of the German submarine merchantman Deutschland, issued a formal statement declaring his voyage across the Atlantic had broken Britain's rule of the seas.

### WINNIPEG WINDING-UP

Winnipeg, July 10.—An order directing the winding up of the International Securities Company, Ltd., real estate dealers, was granted this forenoon by Mr. Justice Metcalfe upon petition of a creditor. The Traders' Trust Company was appointed provisional liquidator.

### WHITE AT MONTREAL

Ottawa, July 10.—Sir Thomas White, minister of finance, will address a recruiting meeting in Montreal to-morrow night on behalf of the Irish Rangers.

### BRITISH HOLD GAIN IN TRONES WOOD

Take Copse Northwest of Contalmaison and Several Hundred Prisoners

London, July 10.—A gain northwest of Contalmaison, on the front north of the Somme, was announced by the war office to-day. Three more guns and several hundred prisoners have been added to the former captures. The text of the statement follows: "During the last 48 hours particularly severe fighting has centered around the Trones wood, which is triangular in shape and measures some 1,400 yards from north to south with a southern base of 400 yards, and has been strongly defended by the Germans with trenches and wire entanglements. "On the morning of July 8, after a heavy bombardment, we captured the southern end of the wood. Subsequently we extended our position to take the north and drove back a determined counter-attack with heavy losses to the enemy. "Yesterday afternoon, as already reported, two more German counter-attacks in mass against our positions in the wood were crushed by our artillery. Again last night the enemy bombarded the wood and launched two strong attacks against it from the east and southeast. The first of these was completely repulsed. The second penetrated the southern end of the wood, but the Germans were ejected immediately with heavy losses. Later in the night a fifth desperate attack was made to drive us from our positions, but this also was completely crushed by our fire. "The enemy's casualties in these five fruitless attacks were severe. "On other places on the battlefield progress has been made. Northwest of Contalmaison we captured a small copse and three more guns, and this morning we took several hundred more prisoners. "On the Flanders front the enemy's artillery was active and heavily bombarded our trenches near Hooge for three hours. In this neighbourhood we made three successful raids into the German front line."

### NO MORE INFANTILE PARALYSIS ON COAST

San Francisco, July 10.—In all three Pacific coast states strict precautionary measures against the spread or introduction of infantile paralysis were being taken to-day by the health authorities. No cases of the disease have developed in addition to the two in Los Angeles and the one in this city already reported. Preparations have been made for examination of passengers on all incoming trains and steamships in Oregon, California and Washington by inspectors of the several boards of health. Sanitary measures also are being taken in the various larger cities, with special attention to the extermination of flies and the quick disposition of refuse.

### MONTREAL STOCKS

(By F. A. Borden & Co.) Montreal, July 10.—To-day's increased activity in the local stock list was at the expense of values, especially in the early session, when Dominion Iron and Steel of Canada were offered quite freely. The latter recovered two points from the extreme low, closing about a point below Saturday's last. Cement common also was under pressure and closed near the low of the day. The steel companies contend that regular business has improved considerably and that this will bring about a rise in share values after the liquidation on account of the approaching cessation of munitions orders has run its course. C. P. R. gross earnings for the first week of July increased \$56,000.

### REPORTS OF BLACK RUST CONTINUE TO COME IN

Chicago, July 10.—The visible supply showed a decrease of 208,000 bushels in weight. It proved a stubborn market all day and support intruded on every little decline. Values only gained one cent, however, for traders were digesting the black rust reports first received Saturday. Advice of damage to the growing crop in this respect were numerous and kept shorts in an uncomfortable position all session.

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Open High Low Close Jan. 13.40 13.41 13.23 13.24 Feb. 13.56 13.57 13.39 13.40 March 13.75 13.76 13.58 13.59 July 12.90 12.90 12.86 12.87 Sept. 12.06 12.06 12.06 12.08 Oct. 12.14 12.17 12.19 12.18 Dec. 12.34 12.35 12.17 12.18

### NEW YORK CURB PRICES

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked Ann. Marconi 31 47 Caledonia 57 67 Can. Copper 14 18 Can. Marconi 1 2 Crown Reserve 53 55 Cuban Cane Sugar 60 60 Em. Phone 118 124 Goldfield 83 87 Hecla 98 104 Hedley Gold 25 28 Hollinger 28 29 Howe Sound 48 49 Kerr Lake 48 49 La Rosa 50 50 Magna 54 55 Midvale 61 61 Mines of Am. 21 22 Nipissing 98 98 Standard Lead 12 13 Stewart 35 35 Submarine 35 36 Success 65 67 Tonapah 5 5 Tonapah Belm. 4 4 Tonapah Ester. 5 5 Yukon 28 29

### NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, July 10.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, \$6.27; molasses, \$5.50; refined steady; cut loaf, \$8.50; crushed, \$8.50; white A, \$8.45; cubes, \$8.45; powdered, \$7.80; XXXX powdered, \$7.75; fine granulated, \$7.65; diamond A, \$7.50; confectioners' A, \$7.45; No. 1, \$7.30.

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### MARKET ACTION IS NARROW THROUGHOUT WALL STREET MOODY AT DAY'S SESSION

Prices on Victoria Stock Exchange Continue to Stay Featureless; Coppers Sickly

Scope of action was narrow to the extreme and as a general rule the character of support was decidedly flat. Listlessness was attributed principally to the influence of outside markets, more especially in New York, where liquidation was freely indulged. Talk of price concessions in copper metal has induced selling of that class of security and together with steady devaluation in issues of that sort. The local list stands in need of buying incentive in the leaders if further declines are not to be experienced.

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, Stock Name, Price. Includes Blackbird Syndicate, Can. Copper Co., Crow's Nest Coal, etc.

### TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, July 10.—Wheat closed higher for July and 1/2 higher for Oct. and Dec. It was another whirlwind day, with wide fluctuations. Trading was not so big or broad as on Saturday, but wheat was strong after a weak opening admitting a little. The cash market was flooded with both wheat and oats to-day, which sent premiums down. Towards the close there was a slump. Wheat weakened to 1/2 under for No. 1 Northern.

Table with columns: Wheat, Oats, Cash prices, etc. Includes Winnipeg, July 10, Wheat, Open, High, Low, Close.

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Advertisement for Dr. Cassell's Instant Relief for Liver Trouble. Includes text: 'Instant Relief for LIVER TROUBLE', 'No liver sufferer can fail to benefit from the use of Dr. Cassell's Instant Relief...', 'Dizziness', 'Constipation', 'Flatulence', 'Price 50 cents from all Druggists and Storekeepers', 'Sole Proprietors: Dr. Cassell's Co., Ltd., Manchester, England.'

ARCHAEOLOGIST PAYS VISIT TO ARCHIVES

Mrs. Zella Nuttall, Who is Interested in Pacific Exploration, Sees Documents Here

Mrs. Zella Nuttall, the noted archaeologist who is at present in the city, this morning visited the provincial archives, parliament buildings, and spent some time inspecting the historic documents with reference to Pacific coast explorations which E. O. S. Scholefield has collected there.

and a great deal more than she ever anticipated. "I have visited many archives in all parts of the world, but never have I met with people more obliging than in the royal archives at Seville, Madrid, and others of the Spanish collections among which I worked during the past three or four years," she said.

"New Light on Drake," one of this distinguished archaeologist's most recent books, is a history of the great navigator's voyage of circumnavigation, 1577 to 1580.



Dr. Lennox returned from Toronto yesterday.

The many friends of Miss Alice Rams will be pleased to learn that she has recovered sufficiently to be removed from St. Joseph's hospital to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Thompson, after spending a two months' holiday with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lethbridge, 20 Bushy street, have left for their home in Winnipeg. Mr. Thompson is the senior member of the firm of Thompson, Sons & Co., grain commission merchants, and has seen the marvelous development of grain production in the prairie provinces.

Mrs. Scobleby was reading the evening paper and annoying her husband with her irrelevant comments. "Oh, Hubert," she exclaimed suddenly, "listen to this! Hubert muttered something between a reply and a groan.

DECREE ON DANCING ISSUED BY ROME

Sacred Consistorial Congregation Bans the Bunny-Hug, Ragging, Etc.

In connection with the decree of the Sacred Consistorial Congregation at Rome endorsing the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore and decreeing that "all priests of the Roman Catholic church, secular and regular, and other clerics, are absolutely forbidden to promote or foster the said balls, even though in aid and in support of pious works or for any other pious end," become part of public law to be religiously observed by all, special addresses were given yesterday morning at St. Andrew's cathedral.

Rev. Father Macdonald delivered the address at the 8 o'clock and 11 o'clock masses, and Rev. Father Wood at the 8:30 o'clock mass. After reading the decree both the priests expounded the moral theology governing dancing, saying that it could not be condemned in itself, and pointing out that there were many innocent dances and many innocent dances. There were, for instance, dances peculiar to countries, such as the Highland dances of Scotland, the Irish and Scandinavian folk-dances, etc.

Dancing was compared by Father Macdonald and Father Wood to the use of intoxicants. Some people could use intoxicants and keep it in control. Others, on the contrary, were not able to do so. The same was true of dancing. To some it was harmless; to others it was evil.

PROSECUTIONS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW

Administration of Weekly Half-Holiday Act is Going to Cause Trouble to Police

The dragnet of the police was spread on Saturday in order to obtain a test of the Weekly Half-Holiday Act. The city solicitor was called up frequently during the morning for advice on the matter, but he referred most inquirers to their private solicitors.

The problem appears to centre on the proposition of what is the principal line of business carried, in other words, can a grocery sell ice cream, bread, soft drinks, etc., after hours, without it being a breach of the law? Two or three places of this character carried legends on Saturday stating that no groceries were sold after 2 p. m., but they would remain open for other classes of trade coinciding with the exempted trades of schedule A of the act.

Have a Good Complexion! The Flower of Good Health. The true secret of complexion lies in the blood. Keep it rich, pure, nutritious, and, above all, keep the system regular.

Orphanage Meeting.—A meeting of the subscribers and donors of the B. C. Protestant Orphanage is in progress this afternoon to confirm a sale of land along the boundary line of the property by the executive committee.

Dance To-night at Saanichton.—The B. C. Bantams Orchestra are giving a dance in Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, 8:30 to 12. Good music. All come. Tickets, gentlemen 60c; ladies free. Special rates on B. C. Elec.

Call of Fire.—The fire department was called this morning to a roof fire at 1255 Fort street. The premises are occupied by Mrs. R. B. Hurkes, and owned by Thornton Fell, K. C. The damage was about \$10.

Prohibition Meeting.—A public meeting free to all will be held in Ward IV, Saanichton, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Professor C. E. Bland, of Edmonton, who is occupying the Metropolitan pulpit in this city will be the principal speaker at the meeting in the Garden City Methodist church. A discussion will be invited.

To Pay for Damage.—The magistrate in the city police court this morning released the two prisoners from the 103rd battalion who damaged the police cells on Thursday night when drunk, on payment of the damage done \$21 in one case and \$4 in the other. An officer in the battalion undertook that the money would be forthcoming.

Departure of Troops.—In addition to the feature film "Naked Hearts," the manager of the Variety theatre will present a picture showing the departure of the 103rd Battalion from Comox. This reel, which will be shown for the first three days of the week, should prove of special interest to Victorians and will no doubt attract many to the theatre to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday.

Six Months' Fire Loss.—The loss from January 1 to June 30 on buildings from fire was \$8,768, and on contents \$9,148, a total of \$17,916, as against \$13,309 in the corresponding period of 1915. The property at risk is valued at \$74,000.

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DANCE AT SAANICHTON

The 143rd Battalion B. C. Bantams Orchestra are giving a series of dances in the Agricultural Hall, the first to be held on Monday next, 10th July.

TO THE BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS VICTORIA, B. C. TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at their next sitting to be held at the City of Victoria, for a transfer of the hotel liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors held by Herbert Albert Rudge and seized by me, as bailiff for Lorenzo Joseph Quagliotti, under a landowner's license for rent, in and upon the premises known as the "Pandora Hotel," situate on the corner of Pandora avenue and Blanshard street, in the City of Victoria.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH. NOTICE is hereby given that the first annual sitting of the Court of Revision will be held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, on Monday, July 17, 1916, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments made by the Assessor, and for amending and correcting the assessment roll.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH. BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES. Sealed tenders for the transportation of Cordova Bay pupils from a point on the north line of Section 31, Lake District, to Cedar Hill school and return will be received until twelve o'clock noon, July 17, (MRS.) M. M. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. In the Matter of James, Garden Smith, deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act: Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the 13th day of June, A. D. 1916, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 15th day of July, A. D. 1916, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of June, 1916. WILLIAM MONTGOMERY, Official Administrator.

Canadian Red Cross Society SUPERFLUITIES - RAFFLE

So many presents have been given to the Superfluties Shop that are beyond the pocket of the ordinary person, or have an enhanced sentimental value, that the Ladies' Committee of the Superfluties Branch of the Red Cross Society have decided to make one big raffle—the price of the tickets to be within the reach of everybody's purse.

- 40 PRIZES PRICE OF TICKETS, 10 CENTS Presented by 1st Prize—Woolen Petticoat, made by H.L.M. Queen Mary. 2nd Prize—Oil Painting by Mr. M. Rita Hamilton. 3rd Prize—Set of Old Engravings; Capt. Cook's Voyages. Mr. A. Carmichael. 4th Prize—Planola, with over 100 pieces of music. Mr. Cuyler Holland. 5th Prize—Overmantel. Anon. 6th Prize—Ostrich Feather Fan. Mrs. Henry Webster. 7th Prize—Hand-made Linen Bedspread. Mrs. De Clung. 8th Prize—Indian Hand-Embroidered Silk Shawl. Mrs. McCallum. 9th Prize—Silver-Tipped Bearskin Rug. Mr. Ferguson. 10th Prize—Water color; F. Koyashi. Mr. D. J. Angus. 11th Prize—Set of Balzac's Works, 18 vols. Anon. 12th Prize—Hand-Made Tea Cloth. Mrs. Edgington. 13th Prize—Hand-Worked Rug. Mrs. J. G. Morris. 14th Prize—Cedarwood Box (made by returned soldier). Miss Muriel Lyon. 15th Prize—Gold and Sapphire Ring. Rev. St. John Payne. 16th Prize—Solid Silver Ink Stand. Anon. 17th Prize—E. P. Silver Coffee Service. Anon. 18th Prize—Hand-Crocheted Bedspread. Mrs. A. Ryland. 19th Prize—Gold Bracelet, hammered out of \$20 gold piece. Miss Holmes. 20th Prize—Cigarette Holder in solid gold case. Mr. Granville Cuppen. 21st Prize—Silver Hair Brushes. Mrs. W. Todd. 22nd Prize—Ladies' Saddle. Mrs. C. J. Prior. 23rd Prize—Solid Gold Watch. Anon. 24th Prize—Coffee and Liqueur Set, Solid Silver Spoons. Anon. 25th Prize—Turquoise Necklace. Anon. 26th Prize—Fringe Hair Ornament. Madame Russell. 27th Prize—Camera. Lieut. Wedermeyer, R.N. 28th Prize—Guitar. Mrs. Sait. 29th Prize—Malacca Cane. Mr. Howard Potts. 30th Prize—Indian Table Cloth. Mrs. Leader. 31st Prize—Leather Collar Box. Anon. 32nd Prize—Gold and Pearl Bracelet. Mrs. B. Fell. 33rd Prize—Copper Kettle. Mrs. C. Thomas. 34th Prize—Statuary. Anon. 35th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia. 36th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia. 37th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia. 38th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia. 39th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia. 40th Prize—Signed Photograph of Princess Patricia.

At a conservative value these Prizes are worth well over \$1,000, and all have been donated to the Superfluties Shop. No more than \$1,000 worth of tickets will be sold. THE WHOLE OF THE PROCEEDS of the raffle will go to the Red Cross Society. The raffle will be drawn in about four weeks' time, and the prizes will be on view at Messrs. O'Connell's store, Government street.

THE really particular among cyclists have learned to appreciate the attractiveness of Goodyear "Blue Streaks." Blue Streak White Diamond Tire—an aristocratic tire of white rubber—the All-Weather-Tread as strong as it is handsome—the bicycle tire de luxe. \$3.00 GOOD YEAR MADE IN CANADA BICYCLE TIRES

NOTICE Estate of John Slater Wilkinson, Late of Mill Bay, Shawnigan District, B. C., Deceased Intestate. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Alfred Ernest Wilson, late of Darcy Island, British Columbia, deceased, who died on the 18th day of April, 1916, are requested to send the same to the undersigned on or before Monday, the 24th day of July, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, after which time the executor will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to claims of which she has received notice, and shall not be responsible for any claims of which notice has not been received. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay the same to the undersigned forthwith. Dated this 10th day of June, 1916, at Victoria, B. C. ALAN S. DUMBLETON, Solicitor for Mary Annie Wilson, Executrix of Alfred Ernest Wilson, deceased. 500-119 B. C. Permanent Loan Building, Victoria, B. C.



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NOT READY YET

Complications Attend Report of Special Civic Committee on Water Rates.

There will not be a report on the suggested reduction of water rates to consumers ready for the city council's consideration this evening, the special committee having found it difficult to arrive at a conclusion before more data is to hand.

The board of trade has been pressing the subject in so far as it affected manufacturing interests, and has quoted encouragements of this character offered by neighboring cities. The Retail Merchants' Association has similarly championed the matter from the standpoint of the steam laundries of the city.

The problem which the committee has been faced with has been to find a possible opportunity for reduction without raising rates to other consumers. The city would not be justified in taxing the household to give the manufacturer a benefit, and the situation is that the Sooke undertaking so closely now balances revenue and expenditure that concessions would disrupt the adjustment. If the water-works actually showed a loss, the deficit would have to be made up out of revenue. One of the alternatives of raising the frontage rate, would be reported at this time when people are complaining of taxation.

While the issue thus presents complications, the city would welcome any increased consumption of water, which is now available to three times the extent of the present demands. It would thereby lighten the load which the ratepayers are called upon to carry, but the prospects are not bright. Industrial development on the reserve would not aid the sale of city water, as that territory falls within the area of the Esquimalt Waterworks Company.

Sir James Watson's Opinion Considered Most Valuable. He says that the commonest of all disorders, and one from which few escape is Catarrh. Sir James firmly believes in local treatment which is best supplied by "Catarrhose." No case of Catarrh can exist where Catarrhose is used. It is a miracle worker, relieves almost instantly and cures after other remedies fail. Other treatments can't reach the diseased parts like Catarrhose because it goes to the source of the trouble along with the air you breathe. Catarrhose is free from cocaine, it leaves no bad after-effects, it is simply nature's own cure.

Beware of dangerous substitutes offered under misleading names and meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhose which is sold everywhere, large size containing two months' treatment costs \$1.00; small size 50c; trial size, 25c.

"In the last century in the United States the custom sprang up of gathering Catholic families to balls, which used to be protracted to a late hour at night by entertainments and other forms of amusement. The reason given for this was that Catholics might get to know each other and become more intimately united in the bonds of love and charity and that funds for this or that pious project might be obtained. Those who usually presided over the gatherings were generally the heads of some pious work, not rarely the rectors of the parish priories.

"But the local ordinaries, although they entertained no doubt as to the right purpose of the promoters of these dances, considering the perils and losses caused by the growing custom, deemed it their duty to forbid them; and therefore, in Canon 296 of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore, they decided as follows: 'We order also that priests shall take care to remove entirely that abuse in which entertainments and balls are held for the purpose of promoting pious projects.'

"But, as often happens in human things, what was very wisely and justly ordered in the beginning gradually commenced to fall into oblivion, and the custom of holding balls again flourished and even spread into the neighboring Dominion of Canada.

"Knowing these things, the Most Eminent Fathers of the Sacred Congregation, having consulted several local ordinaries, and having subjected the matter to deep study, concluded that the decision laid down by the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore must be obeyed; and with the approbation of Our Most Holy Lord Benedict XV, Pope, they decreed that all priests, secular and regular, and other clerics, are absolutely forbidden to promote or foster the said balls, even though in aid and in support of pious works, or for any other pious end. Moreover, all clerics are forbidden to be present at these balls if they happen to be promoted by laymen.

"This decree the sovereign pontiff ordered to become a part of public law and to be religiously observed by all standing.

"Given at Rome from the Sacred Consistorial Congregation, March 31, 1916. "C. Cardinal La Lai, bishop of Sabina, secretary. "Thomas Boggianni, archbishop of Edessa, assessor."

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**REGIMENTS TRAINING WILL DECIDE ISSUE**

**Lt.-Col. Mayes Will Visit Sidney; Knowledge of Bayonet Fighting is Essential**

That the soldiers now in training in Canada and in England will decide the final issue of the war and that they must be physically fitted through the army system of physical training and bayonet fighting, is the belief of Lieutenant Colonel H. G. Mayes, who reached Victoria on Saturday and will go to the island military camp at Sidney tomorrow to lecture to the men of the 143rd and 21st Battalions. Lt. Col. Mayes is director and inspector of bayonet fighting and physical training in the Canadian forces, having come from England to undertake that work. This morning he went to the island with Col. J. Duff Stuart, D. O. C., who returned from Vancouver.

Lt.-Col. Mayes believes that every man who ever has had physical training in any kind of athletics should enlist, as in the cases of these men the work of training has been begun. He says that men at the front must be physically fit, because then their period of utility is doubled, and they are better able to stand the hard strain, mentally and physically. He has had athletic experience himself, for before the war the name H. G. Mayes meant something in the tennis world. Lt. Col. Mayes was a member of the Canadian Davis cup team with Schwengers, of Victoria, and Powell in 1913 and 1914.

His present mission is to lecture on bayonet fighting and physical training in all the military camps in Canada. He has visited Vernon and tomorrow will go to Sidney. Under the department which he supervises there are 2,500 physical instructors who have been trained since the organization was completed in 1915. It was then recognized by authorities that physical training and bayonet fighting would be the deciding factor in bringing the war to a successful conclusion. It is believed by the authorities, Col. Mayes says, that the climax will come in great hand to hand battles by the infantry with the bayonet and the knife, supported by artillery, and the cavalry standing off waiting the issue, ready to pursue or protect.

It is essential, Col. Mayes says, that men who have enlisted should be taught to fight before they go to the front. Fighting fitness is the first necessity. A man who never had taken a hard punch on the nose, he says, does not understand the fighting incentive. This must be taught him while in training because when the men get to the front and engage in hand to hand battles it becomes a matter of kill or be killed. They must know what they are there for, and must be trained thoroughly to the work before they leave.

In the lecture he is giving to the various battalions a few paragraphs of significance, as follows:

"The present deadlock that has existed along the 300 miles of battle front in the west is now being broken, and likely to spread over the entire western front. Our success depends on the reinforcements being trained in up-to-date methods of using the bayonet, backed up by superior physical condition, combined with nerve and stamina which will win the day.

"It is the battalions at present in training that will decide the final issue. These are critical days in the war in all parts of the British empire. Every effort must be made to get our men physically fit and imbued with a spirit of the bayonet."

**NATIVE SON AWARDED VICTORIA CROSS**

**Captain J. A. Sinton, M. B., Decorated for Most Conspicuous Bravery**

The war office recently announced that his majesty the king had been graciously pleased to award the Victoria Cross to Captain John Alexander Sinton, M.B., Indian Medical Service. This announcement is of special interest to Victorians, as Captain Sinton is a native of this city, where his father was for some time in the employ of the E. & N. His mother at present resides at Ulster Villa, Lisburn road, Belfast.

The announcement regarding the awarding of the Victoria Cross says it was "For most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty. Although shot through both arms and through the side he refused to go to hospital and remained as long as daylight lasted attending to his duties under very heavy fire. In three previous actions Captain Sinton displayed the utmost bravery."

Captain Sinton is 31 years of age and as a boy attended the Memorial school at Lisburn and afterwards proceeded to the Royal Belfast Academical Institution. He had a brilliant career in the medical schools at Queen. He was a scholar in three of his undergraduate years and graduated M.M., B.Ch., and B.A.O., with first class honours in 1908. Two years later he was awarded the diploma of public health with a prize of £50 and was subsequently Riddell demonstrator of bacteriology. He was also for a period house surgeon at the Royal Victoria hospital.

Deciding to compete for the Indian Medical Service, he went to the School of Tropical Medicine at Liverpool, and took first place in the examination. The war office allowed him to continue his studies for six months and he left to take up his duties in India about four years ago. He was attached to the 51st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers, a class squadron with headquarters at Kohat. On the announcement of the operations of the Indian expeditionary force in the Persian Gulf he made application for permission to go on active service, and in November last succeeded in his object, by effecting a transfer to the 87th Dogra.

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**PTE. BURTON KILLED.**  
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"I gave my wife a fine little dog," remarked the inconsequential-looking man. "Does she like the dog?" "I'm not sure. The first thing she did was to name it after me and the next was to tell the servant to keep it shut up in the basement."

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**INTERESTING NOTES FROM WESTERN SCOT**  
 Canadians Win Honors; Battalion Band to Play Before King George  
 Copies of the Western Scot, published by the 6th Battalion at Bramshott, contains a number of items of interest to Victorians. Following are notes from recent issues of the paper:

A list compiled recently shows that Canadians at the front have won: Five V. C.'s. Sixty-one D. S. O.'s. Fifty-one Military Crosses. Thirty D. C. M.'s. Four hundred and ninety mentions in dispatches.

The band of the 67th Battalion Western Scots has been chosen to appear before His Majesty King George. This announcement continues: "We are practicing hard under our worthy bandmaster and are determined to add more laurels to our already highly complimented battalion."

Charles Simms, professor of drumming, 67th band, was married recently, and he left barracks in state, surrounded by the entire pipe band playing. "He was a good fellow while he lived."

R. F. Green, M. P., of Victoria, was a recent visitor at our mess, and a most welcome one.

Speaking of the discipline in the Canadian ranks compared with that of England or France, the Western Scot says that no discipline could be better than that of the men who have held the dangerous Ypres salient for over a year.

Nanaimo has the honor of having the youngest bugler in the trenches from B. C., age 14. Vancouver claimed that distinction first, but later searchings have proved that the youngest is from Nanaimo. I may add here that the 67th has a good supply of Nanaimo men, mainly miners, but one and all "Pioneers."

Referring to Y. M. C. A. work in connection with the Canadian battalions in England or France, the Western Scot says that permission was obtained from Lieut.-Col. Lorne A. Ross, officer commanding, for the formation of a Y. M. C. A. within the battalion. Sergt. Young organized a meeting at which 20 men of the regiment attended and arranged for an organization meeting of a Y. M. C. A. of the 67th. Sergt. Young also attended a meeting in Falkstone of Canadian Y. M. C. A. secretaries, at which Major Birks reported that he was able to raise \$300,000 in the financial campaign which he conducted in Canada in May for Canadian work in England and France.

Sergt. Young read a letter from Arthur Pascoe, a Victoria boy, in which the writer, who has been over a year at the front, says: "Out here the Y. M.'s are simply life-savers for us."

This organization has been the means of supplying the 67th and other Canadian regiments with all kinds of games for indoor and outdoor use, papers and

magazines for reading rooms, entertainments for the men.

The 1300,000 collected in Canada by Major Birks is to be used for erecting new buildings and supplying writing paper, magazines, athletic goods, etc., for the troops.

**GYMKHANA AT WILLOWS**  
 Roping Horses to Be Feature of Wednesday Afternoon's Sports; Shetland Pony Race.  
 The gymkhana, which is to take place at the Willows race-track on Wednesday afternoon, and in which the principal participants will be officers and men of the 103rd Battalion, Vancouver Island Timber Wolves, is to commence at 2 o'clock sharp in order that the last event may be run off by 5 o'clock. Admission to the grounds will be 25 cents, and 10 cents will be charged at the grandstand.

**BANTAM RECRUITS SENT TO SIDNEY**  
 Additional Drafts Coming From Mainland; Battalion Close to 800 Mark  
 A party of fifteen recruits for the 143rd Battalion, C. E. F., made up of arrivals from Calgary, Kamloops, Vancouver and men enlisted in Victoria, left by the 10.30 a. m. train for Sidney to-day to join the Bantams in camp at Sidney. With the addition of these men the 143rd Battalion has reached very close to the 800 mark, and this is expected to be passed within a day or two. The arrivals from Calgary included Sergt. Burnbury, a man with considerable military experience, both in the imperial service and in the R. N. W. M. P., in which body he has served for some time. He holds the two ribbons for South Africa. Advice from Lieut. Campbell and

Greenhill, the officers engaged in recruiting duty at Edmonton and Calgary, state that a number of men are coming in from various points in Alberta and drafts will be sent on to Victoria shortly. Lieut. R. F. Ely, who is engaged in recruiting in the upper country, with headquarters at Kamloops, reports that five more men will leave Kamloops within the next day or two, and advice have been received from Lieut. H. J. Bush, the officer in charge of the depot at Vancouver, that about fifteen men are expected to enlist within a few days.

When these men have arrived the enrolment of Bantams will have exceeded the 800 mark, and strenuous efforts will be made to reach full strength as soon as possible. If the enlistments are maintained at the same rate as they have been during the past few weeks, it is anticipated that about five weeks will see the Bantams at full strength.

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