

Special Offer ONLY \$4.50 CASH Places the famous "Hoover" in your home, the balance of the purchase price can be arranged to suit your convenience.

B. C. ELECTRIC

15 lbs. for \$1 Extra Lbs. 7c Not only is this service a help in washing—it is a help in ironing as well. This is what we do—we take your entire family bundle. We wash everything in our modern way, with the purest of soaps and water.

Economy Steam Laundry 607 John Street Phone 3399

Special—To-day Children's Fairy Sandals, size 6 to 10 and 11 to 2, at pair, \$1.00 G. D. CHRISTIE, 1623 Douglas Street

SUPPORT HOME INDUSTRY 50 YEARS OF STOVEMAKING BUY A FURNACE MADE IN YOUR HOME TOWN ALBION STOVE WORKS 2101 GOVERNMENT ST. LIMITED PHONE 91

Official Speaks of Numerous Needy Hebridean Homes J.E. Painter & Sons 617 Cormorant Street Phone 536 William T. Tilden Forest Hills, Sept. 2.—William T. Tilden II, of Philadelphia, to-day conquered William M. Johnson of San Francisco, and won the national singles championship for the fifth straight year.

Messrs. M. & H. A. Fox Fishing Tackle and Cutlery Specialists Late of 1239 Broad Street Beg to Announce That They Are Now Located in Their New Premises 622 View Street, Central Building

U.S. WORLD PLANES FLY OVER LABRADOR

(Continued from page 1.) Journey—in six hours and forty-nine minutes. They flew in a northwesterly wind which blew from twenty to forty miles an hour, and speeded their machines at times as high as 125 miles an hour.

NEEDED REST Rear-Admiral Magruder and Capt. Colton went ashore to welcome the men home. All four were weak from the strain of the journey and the suspense of long days since they left Kirkwall early in August, and expressed the keenest joy. They declared their world flight was virtually uneventful.

PREDICTION FULFILLED By a strange coincidence, the fliers, after their lengthy delay, reached the Labrador shore on the date prophesied on a plate already placed on the cliff overlooking the mooring place—August 31. The plate was made on the cruiser Lawrence, which awaited at Labrador the arrival of the aviators through weary weeks. It is riveted on the rock and bears the date and the inscription: "American aviators completed world flight."

With their arrival Sunday on the Atlantic coast of the North American continent, the round-the-world fliers of the United States Army Air Service came within measurable distance of the completion of one of the most striking achievements in the history of aviation to date—the virtual encircling of the globe in heavier-than-air machines. Before the flight was commenced, Major-General Patrick, chief of the Army Air Service, said that the history of the world's record-breaking flight compares with the most gripping adventure tales of fiction.

MARTIN'S ACCIDENTS What misfortune or ill-luck there was in the adventure seemed to attach itself to the commander and the flag plane of the squadron. Major Fred L. Martin, who was flight commander at the start, had a series of mishaps along the North Pacific coast of the North American continent culminating in his flag plane, the Seattle, crashing into a mountain on the Alaska peninsula. Major Martin and his mechanic, Sergeant Alva Harvey, escaped unhurt, but their plane was destroyed. Nothing was heard from the two men for ten days, despite a thorough search of the regions, and hopes for them were about to be given up when the radiogram from Major Martin to the chief of the Army Air Service announced their safety. This accident eliminated Major Martin and his mechanic from further participation in the flight.

OTHERS PROCEEDED When it became apparent that Major Martin could not continue the flight, orders were dispatched to the other two to proceed without him. Lieutenant Lowell H. Smith, who succeeded Major Martin as flight commander, was the victim of trouble encountered after a fracture of a rib in a fall from a culvert on the flying field.

WADE'S ACCIDENT The three planes had completed about two-thirds of the flight when the machine piloted by Lieutenant Leigh Wade was forced down by engine trouble and then so badly damaged by an accident that it was unable to continue the remainder of the flight. The accident occurred August 3 the hop from Kirkwall to Iceland. Lieutenant Eric Nelson succeeded in completing that leg of the trip the day before, but Commander Smith and Lieutenant Wade were obliged to turn back because of a heavy fog. On August 3 they hopped off again and when about midway between Kirkwall and Iceland Lieutenant Wade was forced down by engine trouble. He and his mechanic, Sergeant Ogden, worked on the engine for six hours.

A SOVIET INCIDENT With one exception the aviators were hospitably welcomed everywhere they landed and the various governments co-operated in looking after the needs of the airmen as well as providing entertainment for them. The one exception was when the squadron hopped off the North American continent for its flight across the Pacific, a distance of 875 miles and to accomplish which it would be necessary to break the

existing non-stop seaplane flight of 722 miles. A severe storm encountered en route forced the fliers down off shore at Komandorski, on an island owned by Russia. The Soviets refused permission to land, but the Americans had got out of the storm and were ready to take off again just as the Russians' decision was rescinded.

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT The primary purpose of the flight has been to determine the physical practicability of a round-the-world air route with heavier-than-air machines of present development. It is making the planes available for consideration whatever was given to attempts to make a time record, because the successful completion of the feat, regardless of the time required, was the main object.

ECHO OF LOSS OF SS. PRINCESS SOPHIA

Vancouver, Sept. 2.—Echoes of the foundering of the Ss. Princess Sophia in 1915 were heard in Supreme Court in 1915 were heard when an application involving the validity of the marriage of Captain J. Alexander was heard before Mr. Justice Morrison. The marriage was alleged by Cecil Killam, appearing for the plaintiff, to have taken place in Chicago, but no particulars as to the actual place or the person performing the ceremony were forthcoming.

NEW EXPERIMENTAL FARM The Pas, Man., Sept. 2.—An area of approximately ten acres of crown lands situated at either Mile 127 or Mile 185 on the Hudson Bay Railway is to be placed under cultivation as a demonstration farm by the Federal Department of Agriculture, stated Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, on his return trip after an inspection of the railway. The object will be to demonstrate the growth and maturity of all garden vegetables, grains and grasses which may prove commercially practicable.

CIVIL WAR IS STARTING IN CHINA

TOWARD SHANGHAI Reports which are apparently definite are that the principal columns of the Northern forces has been advancing toward Shanghai from Quinsan and approaching Hwangtu and Nanking to-day, and that another objective of the movement of the Northern forces is Luho.

DISARMAMENT BIG SUBJECT FOR WORLD LEAGUE (Continued from page 1.) sion of the principle of arbitration as a remedy. SYRIAN MANIFESTO A committee representing the Syria League has drafted and circulated a manifesto protesting against what was termed "the imperialist regime" imposed upon Syria under the cloak of a mandate.

FOR LEAGUE DECISION There seems here to be a distinct movement, under the apparent leadership of France, to insist that all international deliberations for the limitation of armaments shall be held through the mechanism of the League of Nations.

ARMENIAN PROBLEM Greece came out strongly for the Armenians when she introduced a resolution providing for the transfer of the Armenian refugees to the Caucasus and the creation there of an Armenian national home.

MANY ATTEND BIG SAANICH PICNIC Conservatives Stage Successful Celebration at Brentwood Bay Twelve hundred men, women and children attended the Saanich Conservative Association's big picnic in the grounds of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wallace's home, "The Anchorage," at Brentwood Bay, yesterday.

TWO TAXI DRIVERS WERE HURT TO-DAY IN VANCOUVER SMASH Vancouver, Sept. 2.—T. F. Hart and G. Westbork, taxi-cab drivers here for the Yellow Cab Company, were injured in the cars they were driving smashed in a collision at the corner of Hastings and Richards Streets to-day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS The Vogue School of Millinery now open for Fall season. Phone 25807. Ask your dealer for Hallybrook C. camera; better quality guaranteed. Butter—Insist on the best local fresh made Salt Spring Island creamery.

CHARLIE HOPE Walter Walker & Sons, Ltd. Oldest Coal Dealers in B.C. 635 Fort Street Phone 3667

FREE STAR CAR FREE Only four more days left in which to get your free tickets on the New Star Car. And your interest in the New Durant Coupe. CALL AND GET YOUR TICKETS

Atkinson MOTOR CO. LTD. 609 Yates Street Phone 3667

The New Fashions Give a Thrill The enthusiasm of these days over the beauty of all that's Mallek's comes as a fitting reward for our efforts in presenting in this collection, so early in the season, the art that excels in such an aggregation of New Fall Dresses Coats, Suits and Millinery FOR JUNIORS, MISSES AND WOMEN As women insist on a great variety of things in dress, so we have capitulated to the insistence with a dazzling variation—so many models, all so different that even YOUR "dream" from among them awaits your coming. OUR PRICES ARE MODERATE 1212 Douglas Street Telephone 1901 ONLY ONE STORE

WAR VESSELS SENT Washington, Sept. 2.—Three destroyers have been ordered to Shanghai and the gunboat Sacramento to Amoy, China, as a precautionary measure by Admiral Washington, commander-in-chief of the United States Asiatic fleet. No details of the situation growing out of war threats between the military governors, Chi Shieh Yuan and

\$25! \$25! \$25! FALL SUITS TO ORDER Same price for men as women. CHARLIE HOPE Walter Walker & Sons, Ltd. 635 Fort Street Phone 3667

Let Us Be Your "Coal Man" This Fall A trial order will warrant you staying on our books all Winter. "Nanose Wellington" Coal is economical. Prove it! Try it! Phone 3667. Walter Walker & Sons, Ltd. 635 Fort Street Phone 3667

SCHOOL DAYS YOU want your children to get out of life all that knowledge and comfort is obtainable. If they are faulty they are denied their right to grow tall. An eye examining imperative if they are. Victoria Optical 1027 Douglas St. (Campbell) Phone 1223 GORDON SHAW Rec. Optometrist and

FREE STAR CAR FREE Only four more days left in which to get your free tickets on the New Star Car. And your interest in the New Durant Coupe. CALL AND GET YOUR TICKETS Atkinson MOTOR CO. LTD. 609 Yates Street Phone 3667

"HUMAN FLY" WAS FATALY INJURED

Albert Lea, Minn., Sept. 2.—H. G. Piggman, known as the "human fly," was probably fatally injured last night, when he fell seven feet from the tower of the Freeburn County Courthouse to a cement pavement. Several bones were broken.

NOW STATED THIN PEOPLE LIVE LONGEST

Battle Creek, Mich., Sept. 2.—Thin people live long. This was an interesting disclosure at the annual picnic of the Three-quarter Century Club, Battle Creek's unique organization of those who have reached seventy-five or more, of which Fred Lamora, aged ninety-four, was the oldest. In the entire assemblage not a fat person was to be found.

CHARGES AGAINST GUARDS OF JAIL

Montreal, Sept. 2.—Four more guards at Bordeaux jail were suspended Saturday as a result of information obtained by the Government commission investigating the plot of last week when Giuseppe Serafini attempted to escape and secret arrangements had been made for the get-away of three more of the bandits awaiting execution for the murder of Henry Cleroux, bank chauffeur, in the Hochelag, Bank collection car holdup of last April. Up to the present twelve guards are in the toils. Four are awaiting trial on charges of complicity in the liberation plot, while eight others are suspended.

DECLARES CRISIS IS NEAR IN CANADA

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—"Canada is on the eve of a crisis. On Wednesday the Federal Government has called a conference to consider the question of unemployment. It is restricted as to scope, but the fact that it is called indicates the Government realizes there is reason for it, and that is something."

TOM MOORE SPEAKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT CONFERENCE IN OTTAWA THIS WEEK

Regrets Canada Has Not Ratified Eight-hour Day Plan



GILLET'S PURE FLAKE LYE is the best-aid to home sanitation. Nothing equals it for cleaning out sinks and drains, cleaning greasy cooking stoves, keeping floors clean, etc. Get a can from your grocer. It will save you much hard labor.

Angus Campbell & Co., Ltd.

1008-10 GOVERNMENT STREET

OPEN ALL DAY WEDNESDAY

Monday being a statutory holiday we will be open for business until 6 p.m. Wednesday.

GOWEN'S QUITTING SALE

Going Strong WHY?

Because the Values Are Unprecedented and the Merchandise Above Par

35c to 65c on the \$

or High-class Men's Clothes, English Imported and Fashion Craft Made, is the Chance of a Lifetime to Stock Up

Nothing Stock Divided into Groups Alphabetically for Easy Selection

A	B	C	D	E
Suits Values to 40.00	Suits Values to 45.00	Suits Values to 55.00	Suits Values to 65.00	Overcoats Values to 45.00
<u>995</u>	<u>\$2395</u>	<u>\$2895</u>	<u>\$3395</u>	<u>\$1895</u>

XVERCOATS Values to \$35.00 for \$13.95
 HVERCOATS Values to \$50.00 for \$23.95

WONDERFUL

X SUITS Values to 38.00 for \$13.95

SMOKING COATS AND ODD COATS Values to \$15.00 for \$5.50

GOLF BLOOMERS AND KNICKERS Values to \$12.00 for \$3.95

Lots of Youths' Suits and First Longs

Owing rice at Which This Stock is Being Sold All Alterations Will Be Charged Extra

Spial! 40 Wool Blazer Coats Worth 100 to 12.00 To C \$3.49

GOWEN'S 1107 GOV'T STREET

MANITOBA WHEAT OF EXCELLENT QUALITY

Tests Carried Out Indicate High Yield of Flour This Season

Winnipeg, Sept. 2.—"Samples of new crop wheat from Manitoba points have been very much superior in every respect to the wheat obtained from the same districts in previous years. They have shown much greater weight per measured bushel, due to the fact that the kernels are well filled, hard and vitreous, and the prevailing hot, dry weather, caused the wheat to be low in moisture. The protein content is anywhere from one per cent to three percent higher than it was last year."

Dr. Alcock's laboratory has examined samples from the latest cuttings from all parts of the province, has checked up the physical and chemical properties of the grain and has gauged the qualities which make for good milling and good baking.

The test carried out justify an optimistic view regarding the quality of the wheat grown in Manitoba. Although there has been damage to some extent due to rust, root rot and other causes, it is now said to say not only that this province will reap a much larger crop, but also that the wheat will grade higher and its milling and baking qualities will be considerably higher than was the case a year ago.

Dr. Alcock's laboratory has examined samples from the latest cuttings from all parts of the province, has checked up the physical and chemical properties of the grain and has gauged the qualities which make for good milling and good baking.

DISARMAMENT IS TO BE DISCUSSED

Report of Commission Is Sent to Assembly of League of Nations

Geneva, Sept. 2.—The report of the permanent disarmament commission of the League of Nations, which includes the text of the draft treaty for the control of international traffic in arms, was presented at a meeting of the Council of the League by Dr. Edouard Benes, president of the Council.

President Benes recommended that this report, together with the replies from various governments on the proposals for the Statute of Assistance, be forwarded to the Assembly without any special action, because the Assembly would want to examine these matters thoroughly.

ALBERTA LIBERALS WILL CHOOSE LEADER

Will Hold Convention November 27; City Not Yet Named

Edmonton, Sept. 2.—Liberal members of the Alberta Legislature gathered in Edmonton Saturday, selected November 27 as the date for a provincial convention at a place to be chosen by a preliminary conference to be held in Calgary September 13. The convention at which a leader of the party in the Province will be chosen, will be called by Dr. W. G. Ebert of Calgary, president of the Alberta Liberal Association.

Manufactures in Canada Will Grow, Declare Visitors

Montreal, Sept. 2.—It is not to Canada British manufacturers will look in future for any great expansion of their markets, in the opinion of Sir Max Muspratt, prominent industrialist.

CHANGE IN BRITAIN'S IMPORTS OF BUTTER

Supplies Bought From Countries of Empire Show Decrease

London, Sept. 2.—There has been a serious shrinkage in the supply of butter from Empire countries, according to Weddell's annual review for the year ended June 30, last.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Winnipeg, Sept. 2.—With a full charge of shot in his body, nine-month-old Karl Chyny, whose parents live on a homestead near Selkirk, thirty miles north of Winnipeg, was found dead in the barn late Saturday evening.

DIED SUDDENLY

Vancouver, Sep. 2.—Oscar Bowman, a warehouseman of Vancouver, dropped dead Sunday afternoon while paying a visit to Dr. J. A. Montgomery. He had been in failing health and had gone to the physician for an examination.

Keeps The Home Clean

GILLET'S PURE FLAKE LYE is the best-aid to home sanitation. Nothing equals it for cleaning out sinks and drains, cleaning greasy cooking stoves, keeping floors clean, etc. Get a can from your grocer. It will save you much hard labor.

INSTITUTIONS OF MERCY MAINTAINED BY LUTHERAN SYNOD

Forty-seventh Convention of Body Meeting at Pittsburg, Pa.

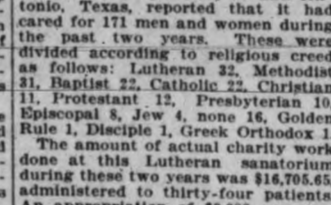
Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 2.—Foremost among the institutions of mercy of the Lutheran Joint Synod, meeting here for its forty-seventh convention, are the Wernle Orphan's Homes of Richmond, Indiana, and the St. John's Orphan's and Old Folk's Homes at Mars, Pa.

This past year the Wernle Orphan's Home, Richmond, Ind., sheltered eighty-four orphan boys and girls. Superintendent C. D. Fisher and the board of trustees maintained that an opportunity must be given to those boys and girls to secure a higher education while still remaining in touch with the home.

Speaking for the St. John's Orphan's and Old Folk's Homes at Mars, Pa., Rev. G. D. Simen of Pittsburg, reported that thirty children were being cared for in the one department and thirty-three old people in the other. He also reported that a hospital had been erected at Mars, called the Suhr Memorial Hospital, being chiefly the gift of and founded by Charles L. Suhr, Mrs. J. C. Black and Mrs. E. A. Burch, who were members of Good Hope Church, Old City, Pa. Many other benefactors contributed towards building and equipment of the hospital.

BUY BROOMS MADE BY BLIND MEN

Don't say "Give me a Broom," say "Give me a Broom made in B.C. by Blind People." We sell them. Splendid Corn Brooms priced 70c to \$1.00



VENUS PENCILS

The largest selling quality pencil in the world. All perfect for every purpose—as soft as you wish; as hard as you please.



17 black degrees (with or without eraser) Also 3 copying. American Lead Pencil Co. 230 Fifth Ave., New York. Write for booklet on pencils, penholders, erasers, VENUS Everpointed, and VENUS Thin Leads

Coats and Suits

The mantle department continues to offer the New Fall Coats and Suits in all the desirable styles, cloths and shades. You will be interested in these offerings as prices are very reasonable.

Balance Summer Frocks at \$7.50

We have still a few Voile and Ratine Frocks in good shades to clear at \$7.50. In some of the frocks this price barely covers the cost of material, but we intend to clear the lot without regard to cost. Do not miss this opportunity.

Wool Crepe Skirts at \$3.75

Stylish Pleated Skirts in wool crepe, with and without bodice, in shades of navy, sand, grey and black. A most useful skirt and remarkably cheap at \$3.75

Cardigans and Blouses

Cardigans, in self and rainbow colorings. Special \$2.95
Shetland Wool Cardigans, in pretty shades \$2.50
Dimity Blouses, long sleeves, Peter Pan collar, in white only. Regular to \$2.99, at \$1.35
Crepe de Chine Blouses, long sleeves, Peter Pan collar. Regular to \$9.75 \$5.00

Aprons

Rubber Aprons, in colored checks; very useful for household work; warranted waterproof. Special at \$1.00
Kitchen Aprons, without bibs, in blue and white check flingham. At \$1.00. Special \$1.00
Children's Plaid Play Aprons, easy designs two to four years. Special \$1.00

Vests and Bloomers

Women's O. S. Lisle Vests, with and without sleeves. Special at \$1.00
Women's Lisle Combinations, all sizes and styles. Regular price \$2.00. Special \$1.49
Women's Lisle Vests, up to 7c for \$1.00
Women's Lisle Bloomers, in black, navy, helio, pink. Special at \$1.00
Women's Lisle Bloomers, up to 7c, for \$1.00

Special Prices on Hosiery

Ladies' Ribbed Lisle Socks, in black, white, sand, grey and brown. Regular \$1.00. Special \$1.00
Ladies' Wool and Silk and Wool Sports Hose. Regular to \$2.25. Specially priced \$1.29
Children's Lisle Half-Socks, sizes 5 to 8 1/2 \$1.00
Children's Heavy Black Cotton Hose, sizes 6, 7, 8. Regular price 8c. To clear at 25c

Gloves Corset Specials

Novelty-Fabric Gauntlets, in all shades, not all sizes in each shade, but all sizes in the lot. These are regularly sold for \$1.75, but will clear at \$1.00
English Duplex Gauntlets, strap and dome styles, pique sewn, in black, white, natural, pastel, nigger, grey and heaver; sizes 6 to 7 1/2 only. A very good bargain at our special price \$1.50

Pretty Bed Jackets

Dainty Bed Jackets of fine wool, in white, sky, pink, grey and mauve, finished with contrasting shades, in women's and O. S. sizes \$2.75
Dainty Bed Jackets of bottom crepe, in pretty shades of rose, sky and mauve. These have collars daintily embroidered and finished with satin ribbon. Price \$4.75

BUY BROOMS MADE BY BLIND MEN

Don't say "Give me a Broom," say "Give me a Broom made in B.C. by Blind People." We sell them. Splendid Corn Brooms priced 70c to \$1.00

SMITH & CHAMPION

THE BETTER VALUE STORE UNITED
420 DOUGLAS ST.

VENUS PENCILS

The largest selling quality pencil in the world. All perfect for every purpose—as soft as you wish; as hard as you please.

17 black degrees (with or without eraser) Also 3 copying.
American Lead Pencil Co. 230 Fifth Ave., New York.
Write for booklet on pencils, penholders, erasers, VENUS Everpointed, and VENUS Thin Leads

After eating - help yourself with LIFE SAVERS THE CANDY MINT WITH THE MOUTH they aid digestion always good taste!

They're coming!

KINDERSLEY'S CREW IS SAVED AND RESCUE SHIP RECALLED

Salvage Chief and Seaplane Viking Have Orders Cancelled When News of Rescue Comes From U.S.S. Boxer in Arctic Ocean.

The Pacific Salvage Company announced this morning that the steamer Salvage Chief, formerly known as the Nitinat, would return here from Vancouver to-day, following the report from the U.S.S. Boxer that the crew of the Lady Kindersley were safe aboard the former vessel, and no longer in danger of being lost in the Arctic ice.

The Salvage Chief, Capt. J. Hewison, left here yesterday to pick up the seaplane viking at Vancouver and from there would have proceeded to the relief of the Lady Kindersley locked in the ice off Point Barrow.

The Department of National Defence gave orders a short time ago for the seaplane Viking to proceed northward in an attempt to reach and save the crew of the Kindersley. Word to-day from Ottawa to-day confirmed the cancellation of orders to the air men from Jericho Air Station.

Squadron Leader A. E. Godfrey, with Sergeants Gorrill and Corporal as mechanics were to have gone North. It was the plan of the rescue party to send the plane on the deck of the Salvage Chief as far north as the border of ice and then to allow the plane to proceed alone to where the Kindersley lay stranded. No such action will be necessary now, and the salvage craft and the plane will return to their stations.

RESCUE EFFECTED Aboard U.S.S. Boxer, in the Arctic off Alaska, Sept. 2—The crew of the Lady Kindersley was taken on board the Boxer yesterday after being ice-locked and in danger for days. Captain Gus Foelmer and eighteen others of the Kindersley, which was abandoned at one o'clock yesterday afternoon, worked their way through the ice two miles from the craft in three canoes. One mile from the Boxer they were met by large Eskimo skinboats and all hands returned to the Boxer.

The story of the rescue of the Kindersley's crew is a thrilling one, as for days without hope of outside assistance, the seamen stayed with their ship after vain attempts to reach the land over the ice and intervening water. They were in constant communication with civilization by radio, however, and their plight was called to the attention of Government and private authorities, with the result that there were several offers from private interests

EMPRESS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE TO-NIGHT

The C.P.S.S. liner Empress of Australia is due at the quarantine station at 6 o'clock this evening, according to the latest advices received at the Canadian Pacific offices, and is one whole day ahead of schedule. The Empress, commanded by Capt. A. J. Halley, will be at the Ritheta's pier at about 7 o'clock. It is expected. There are 150 cabin passengers on board the Empress, some of whom will disembark here.

In addition to a considerable quantity of mail the Empress carries heavy general cargo, 150 tons of which will be unloaded here.

The Empress has made excellent time from the Orient and encountered fair weather throughout her entire voyage.

to rescue the crew, with the Government eventually sending assistance to the unfortunate vessel. But no sooner had the salvage craft from this city set about what would have proved a difficult and perilous task, when the U.S.S. Boxer came close enough to the Kindersley to effect a rescue.

SALMON PACK SHOWS INCREASE

B.C. Canneries Exceed Average Pack by Over Quarter Million Cases

The salmon pack of all the British Columbia canneries this year up to August 6 shows an increase of more than 250,000 cases as compared with the same period last year, according to statistics compiled by the canned salmon section of the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. The actual increase is 252,053 cases. Up to August 16 a total of 878,313 cases was put up as against 626,266 cases last year. The Skeena-river area is leading all the other districts with a pack of 302,743 cases, with District No. 2 second with 127,933 cases, followed by Rivers Inlet and Smith's Inlet, with 112,344 cases. The packs in other districts follow: District No. 1 (Fraser River and Vancouver), 36,166 cases; Queen lighted on August 23.



The Thinker

can't think anything that is worth thinking if he eats heavy foods that use up vitality in an effort to digest them. Men who use their brains eat Shredded Wheat with milk, fresh fruits and green vegetables. Eat this delicious whole wheat cereal instead of meat and potatoes for a while and see how smoothly your brain works and how much better you feel. Shredded Wheat is ready-cooked and ready-to-eat.

A delicious meal for a few cents—the most food for the least money.



The Canadian Shredded Wheat Company, Ltd. Niagara Falls, Ontario. Shredded Wheat

MAKING PORT TO-NIGHT FROM THE ORIENT



EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton., Agent, From, Due. Includes sections for DEEP SEA ARRIVALS, DEEP SEA DEPARTURES, and CANADIAN FARMER.

C. G. M. S. SHIP MOVEMENTS LISTED

Canadian Freighter to arrive Vancouver from United Kingdom Oct. 28. Canadian Freighter to arrive at Vancouver from United Kingdom Oct. 25. Canadian Highlander left Victoria for United Kingdom on twelfth voyage.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are notified that the unwatched acetylene gas light on Fairy Block, entrance to Saanich Inlet, B.C., heretofore reported not burning was re-lighted on August 23.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time H, Time M, Time F, Time Ft. H, Time Ft. M, Time Ft. F. Includes a section for COASTWISE MOVEMENTS.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

ESTEVAN, 8 p.m.—BEN AVON, Yokohama for Portland; 240 miles from Portland. WALLENFORD, bound for San Francisco; 174 miles north of San Francisco. LOCH TAY, left Gray's Harbor for Sydney, noon. JACOB, Port Angeles for San Francisco; 520 miles from San Francisco.

VETERANS' OUTING ENJOYED BY MANY

About 1,000 Visit Everett on Labor Day Excursion From Victoria

On the steamer Princess Adelaide yesterday close to 1,000 persons left this city for Everett, and greatly enjoyed the many and varied amusements. The Great War Veterans' Association has a reputation of being able to provide excellent entertainment in outings of this sort, and the most recent excursion was exceptionally enjoyable.

Leaving Victoria at 9:30 a.m. yesterday the company experienced ideal weather from the time they left the wharves here until they returned. The Victoria Juvenile Pipe Band struck up a rousing tune as the ship slowly steamed into her berth at Everett and the crowd on the shore answered the sound of the pipes with hearty cheers of welcome.

During the stay in Everett, which lasted for over three hours, the pipe band paraded the streets of the city while the visitors made a systematic tour of inspection of the American town. The excursion ship left Everett at 6 o'clock.

WILL BUILD NEW FISHERY STATION

After months of waiting, New Westminster is finally to have actual work commenced on the new fisheries patrol station which was provided for in the 1924 estimates of the Federal Government. The Dominion Department of Public Works has completed detail plans and specifications for the new station and has issued a call for tenders to be in the hands of the secretary, S. E. O'Brien, Ottawa, by noon (daylight saving time) on Tuesday, September 24.

EXCURSIONS GO ON TWO WEEKS LONGER

AGENTS ANNOUNCE Motor Traffic Good and Ferry Boat Will Operate For Some Time Yet

Mr. Kulshan will take over the S.S. Sol Duc's run to-morrow while the latter vessel is in drydock at Seattle. It was announced to-day by E. E. Blackwood, agent of the Northern Pacific Railway. Mr. Blackwood added that the motor traffic at this time of year was unusually good and that the mid-week and Sunday excursion rates would be maintained until as late as September 14, or later, depending upon the volume of traffic to be handled.

"The company has found that these excursions are a good business move," said Mr. Blackwood, "and they will continue until September 14 at least. The S.S. Olympic will be on that run until then, if no longer. The reason is that motor travel both to and from the American side is very good now, surprisingly good, in fact."

TRANS-PACIFIC MAIL

September, 1924. Empress of Australia—Mails close Sept. 11, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 23, Shanghai Sept. 28, Hongkong Oct. 1. President Jefferson—Mails close Sept. 17, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama Sept. 29, Shanghai Oct. 4, Hongkong Oct. 8.

E.CZEMA

For Eczema and Skin Irritation. It relieves at once and gradually heals the skin. Sample box Dr. Chase's Ointment free if you enclose this paper and send 2c stamp for postage. See a box at dealers or Edman, Sales & Co., Limited, Toronto. (Adv.)

E. & N. Ry. Effective Sunday September 7

The Sunday afternoon train from Wellington will resume regular schedule, and will leave at 1:10 P.M., arriving Victoria at 5:00 P.M.

CANADIAN PACIFIC B. C. COAST SERVICE

Gulf Island Excursion every Wednesday and Saturday from Victoria at 7:15 a.m. Returning same day. \$2.05 Return fare \$2.05 including tax.

CANADIAN PACIFIC UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF B.C. Limited

Regular sailings from Vancouver to all East Coast and West Coast Ports, Logging Camps and Canaries as far as Prince Rupert and Anyox. For detailed information apply to GEO. McCREGOR, Agent Tel. 1925 No. 1 Belmont House

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS TO EUROPE

Make Reservations Now FROM MONTREAL. To Cherbourg-Southampton-Antwerp Sept. 17 Oct. 13. To Liverpool Oct. 1 Oct. 25. To Belfast-Glasgow Oct. 9 Nov. 3. To Montreal To Liverpool Oct. 9 Nov. 3. To Montreal To Liverpool Oct. 23 Oct. 27. To Montreal To Liverpool Oct. 27 Oct. 31. To Montreal To Liverpool Oct. 31 Nov. 4.

Advertisement for HEAD-FIX for Sick and Nervous Headaches, featuring a woman's face and a box of the product.

Advertisement for PUGET BOUND NAVIGATION CO. Mid-week Excursion Fares to Port Angeles Every Wednesday \$1.00 Only \$1.00 Round Trip.

GREAT CAST SUPPORTS GLORIA SWANSON IN "HER LOVE STORY" BEING SCREENED AT DOMINION

It is Based Upon Frank Tuttle's Adaptation of "Her Majesty the Queen," by Mary Roberts Rinehart

Gloria Swanson's latest picture, "Her Love Story," boasts a truly extraordinary cast and it is due to the fact that Allan Dwan, who directed it for the Paramount organization, takes the word "realism" seriously. "Her Love Story" is based upon Frank Tuttle's adaptation of "Her Majesty, the Queen," by Mary Roberts Rinehart. It is a touching romance of love and mother-love in the atmosphere of royalty. Gloria plays the part of the Queen. The other members of the all-star cast include such capable players as Ian Keith, George Fawcett, Mario Marjeroni and Donald Hall. Now here's where Allan Dwan's mania for realism comes in. He wasn't satisfied to have merely actors, no matter how able, interpret the various roles. He wanted the genuine, dyed-in-the-wool, born-to-the-manner nobility—men and women who were just as much at home in a European court as the average man is on Main Street. And he got them! So that when you see the Baroness de Hedemann or General Lodiensky on the screen, remember you are looking at people who spent most of their life hobnobbing with real kings and queens.

- AT THE THEATRES
- Dominion—"Her Love Story."
 - Pantages—"Blind Husbands."
 - Columbia—"Old Bill Through the Ages."
 - Playhouse—"And Old Sweetheart of Mine."
 - Capitol—"Lily of the Dust."

the life of a queen is not all that it's cracked up to be. Not that being a queen hasn't got its advantages, because it certainly has! On the other hand there are so many disadvantages that the average girl who sees the picture will be glad that she wasn't born to the royal purple! The photoplay will be on view at the Dominion Theatre all week.

Accommodating Terms—On High Grade Pianos and Players

When we say "accommodating" we mean precisely what the word implies.

Your choice of a Knabe, Willis, or Chickering—and if you've an old Piano, player, organ or gramophone we will make you a liberal allowance.

WILLIS PIANOS LIMITED

1003 Govt. Street. Phone No. 514

the human appeal of the poem. It is the poem itself made to live before our eyes. And the dramatic interest is sharpened by a beautiful and thrilling story which fits admirably the spirit of the lyric. Where the original poem suggests, the picture amplifies. It is a simple lyrical melody, orchestrated and expanded into a powerful and beautiful photoplay symphony. One feels, in seeing this picture, that the great poet would have been proud to have his work made into a picture "in harmony of rare charm."

The photoplay begins with the love of John Craig and his boyhood sweetheart, with its youthful trials and joys. This love develops, through young manhood and finally flowers into undying devotion. The story is filled with thrills and rapid action. There are conflicts and perils. It is a picture that will hold the interest. The selection of Elliott Dexter for the leading male role was fortunate. He can portray power and tenderness with ability. And Helen Jerome-Eddy, as the girl, creates, with charm, a novel type of heroine. The whole cast is of the highest standard. The screen adaptation was made by Louis Duryea Lighton. The picture is a Harry Gascon production and photographed by L. William O'Connell. It was edited by Violet Blair. The lighting effects were executed by Harry Collins, and Joseph Wright was art director.

Humor and Pathos But Space Apart Is Screen Lesson

Pantages Offers Tale of Mountains and Contrast of Domestic Environment

Everyone who has ever given the subject a thought knows that there is only a very brief step from humor to pathos. A striking example of this fact is contained in "Blind Husbands," the Universal photodrama of the Alps mountains, which is now showing at the Pantages Theatre. Dr. Armstrong, a famous surgeon, played by Sam DeGrasse, is a visitor in Cortina, an Alpine mountain resort. His professional services are called upon by the only other doctor in the village to attend a little mother. Dr. Armstrong and the village doctor arrive at the home of a mountaineer and his wife just in time to assist in bringing into the world a fine set of healthy triplets. The picture of the three, howling-kicking little chaps, laid by the doctor one at a time on the table before the eyes of the proud father is one of the interesting situations offered. But the pathetic part of the affair is that while Dr. Armstrong is absent, devoting his unswerving efforts to others, an insidious love vulture is attempting to destroy the sanctity of the doctor's home. How the situation was met by Dr. Armstrong and "the other man" on the sublime heights of the Pinnacles, the most inaccessible peak of the Alpine mountain range, is unsurpassed for dramatic interest. "Blind Husbands" is the first effort in directing of Eric Stroheim, of the Universal Company. He not only wrote and directed the piece, but played the principal role. Francis Billington plays opposite the star in the role of Mrs. Armstrong. T. H. Gibson-Gowland plays "Silent Sepp" Innerkofler, a famous mountain guide.

Film Version of Riley Poem Credited With Charming Story

Playhouse Shows Offering Which Said to Amplify Original Story by Author

James Whitcomb Riley's poem "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," has been pictured for Metro and is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. This charming lyric of the great Hoosier poet is called "perhaps America's most popular poem" by Marcus Dickey in his book "Youth of James Whitcomb Riley," and it is deservedly popular, because it contains the essence of life and love. In it is the pure sentiment, the wisdom, the pathos and the joy that characterizes the best work of the poet. The photoplay version retains all

SINGING AT CAPITOL THIS WEEK



MISS BELLE McEWAN

"LILY OF THE DUST" IS TENSE DRAMA OF LIFE AS PORTRAYED BY FAMOUS STAR POLA NEGRI

First of Famous Forty Paramount Pictures is Offered This Week at the Capitol Theatre

"Lily of the Dust," which opened at the Capitol Theatre this week, is the first of the Famous Forty Paramount pictures starring Pola Negri. It's Miss Negri's first of this big group of pictures, to be followed shortly by "Forbidden Paradise" and "A Woman Scorned," also booked for showing at the Capitol.

"Lily of the Dust," written for the screen by Paul Bern, is based on the novel, "The Song of Songs." It's a tense drama of life and love with the charming continental star in her greatest acting role. Critics acclaimed the legitimate play, "The Song of Songs," a veritable sensation. When you see the screen version of the story you'll do the same thing. Here's a great story, made by a great director, Ben Lyon, one of the most likeable of the screen's younger leading men; Noah Beery, who needs no word of introduction to picture patrons, and Raymond Griffith appear in leading roles in support of the star. Others include William J. Kelly and Jeanette Daudet. Here's the finest thing Pola Negri's done since she came to America, and that's saying something when you glance back over "Shadows of Paris," "Men" and all the rest.

TWO THOUSAND CLUB IS FORMED HERE

Incorporation papers have been issued for the Greater Victoria Two Thousand Club, formed for the purpose of giving insurance to its members at cost. An office has been opened at 709 Permanent Loan Building, and the membership is open to members not over 50 years of age or under 18 years of age. The following are the officers:

President—R. G. Marshall, president of Victoria Typographical Union.
Vice-president—J. W. Gillis.
Secretary-treasurer—A. T. Weight.
Directors—President and vice-president, J. L. Tall, A. J. Patton and C. W. Brooke.

MAN IN MOOSE JAW KILLED BY TRAIN

Moose Jaw, Sask., Sept. — Just as he was about to jump on a freight bound for Winnipeg here yesterday afternoon, Otavio Alfonso, forty-two, of Winnipeg, lost his footing and was instantly killed when he fell under the wheels of the moving train. Alfonso was formerly employed as a car repairer until the loss of an arm prevented him from continuing in that line of work. His later trade was that of cook and he was returning to Winnipeg after a four months' fruitless search for work when the accident happened.

PLAYHOUSE

ALL THIS WEEK
Every Evening, 7 to 11
Matinee
Wednesday and Saturday
THE PLAYHOUSE PLAYERS PRESENT

Believe Me Marcus A COMEDY FARCE AND ON THE SAME BILL ELLIOTT DEXTER

IN
An Old Sweetheart of Mine
From the Immortal Poem by James Whitcomb Riley and



Country Store To-day PLAYHOUSE

YOU LIKE OUR COFFEE TRY OUR TEA

CHASE AND SANBORN

PANTAGES

ALL WEEK AT POPULAR PRICES
Evenings, 20c, 25c; Children, 10c. Matinee, 10c, 15c

The most Enthralling Moving Picture that the Art has ever Produced

VON STROHEIM'S "BLIND HUSBANDS"

GREATEST PRODUCTION

As much alone in its perfection as a photo drama as she was in her neglected widowhood

Added Attractions
Mr. Arthur Gore
Baritone
In Popular Selections
Comedy—
Don't Be Foolish

Felix the Cat in Hollywood
UNIVERSAL-JEWEL PRODUCTION DE LUXE

DOMINION To-day

BIG DOUBLE BILL

GLORIA SWANSON

IN

"HER LOVE STORY"

Mary Roberts Rinehart's stirring story of the secret romance behind a throne. Gloria's best!

ALSO
COMEDY ATTRACTION

Lloyd Hamilton

IN

"Good Morning"

It's a Riot of Laughs
USUAL PRICES

Coming—ROYAL—Week Commencing September 15

Big Musical Comedy

Based on The Great London Success

"To-Night's the Night"

Popular Prices, 85c, 55c and 35c
Mall Orders Now Received All Seats Reserved

COLUMBIA

TO-DAY AND ALL WEEK
USUAL PRICES; CHILDREN 10¢

LAUGHS! SHOUTS! SCREAMS!

NO MORE LONG FACES!
ALL THE COUNTRY IS LAUGHING OVER
OLD BILL'S NEW AND MERRIEST FILM

OLD BILL THROUGH THE AGES

Makes the roof ring with hilarious laughter.

Don't Miss the Greatest Mirth-maker of All!
THE MERRIEST, JOLLIEST FILM ON RECORD
A CURE FOR THE BLUES
SYD WALKER as "OLD BILL"
Story specially written by Captain Bruce Bairnsfather, who himself appears in the Picture

ALSO
Final Chapter OF "The Fast Express"

Orchestral Organ
W. F. VHEBELL
Organist
DOING THE WORK OF A SIXTEEN-PIECE ORCHESTRA

NOTE:
Thursday Night Country Store
On account of the Stores all being closed yesterday, we will hold our Country Store Thursday night this week only.

Bairnsfather Fun

Featured in Film Showing at Columbia

How Cartoonist's War Hero Would Have Viewed English History in the Making

"Old Bill Through the Ages," showing at the Columbia Theatre, is just burlesque. It is English history seen through the distorting mirror of Captain Bairnsfather's inimitable humor. It shows the sometimes dull pages of the history book suffused with a rich glow of fun, in which some of the most conspicuous characters and incidents in our island story figure.

It takes that most typical of an Englishmen—Old Bill—carries him back through the ages, and lets us see how he, with his Cockney outlook and humor, would have viewed past events—if he had happened to be mixed up in them—and the result is highly diverting.

Though hilariously funny "Old Bill Through the Ages" has a background of realism in matters of make-up and cast selection which greatly enhances the effect. It is something entirely new in film production, appealing both to young and old—sheer extravaganza, full of life and merriment and clever acting. If it does seem sometimes to be making fun of ourselves—well, we are strong and sensible enough to take it all in good part.

HINCKES COMPANY TO PUT ON MUSICAL COMEDY AT ROYAL

The new version of "To-night's the Night" will be presented by the Hinckes Company at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the week commencing September 15. The original dialogue will be retained, and there will be a beauty chorus.

CAPITOL ALL THIS WEEK

The story of the girl who found she couldn't fight Fate. Pola's most fascinating love-drama. With Ben Lyon, Noah Beery and many others.

POLA NEGRI

in "Lily of the Dust"

with
RAYMOND GRIFFITH
NOAH BEERY BEN LYON
ADDED ATTRACTIONS
COMEDY "INCOME TAX COLLECTOR"
Return Engagement

Miss Belle McEwan

Dramatic Soprano

AT DOMINION

Gloria Swanson in "Her Love Story"

it's coming!

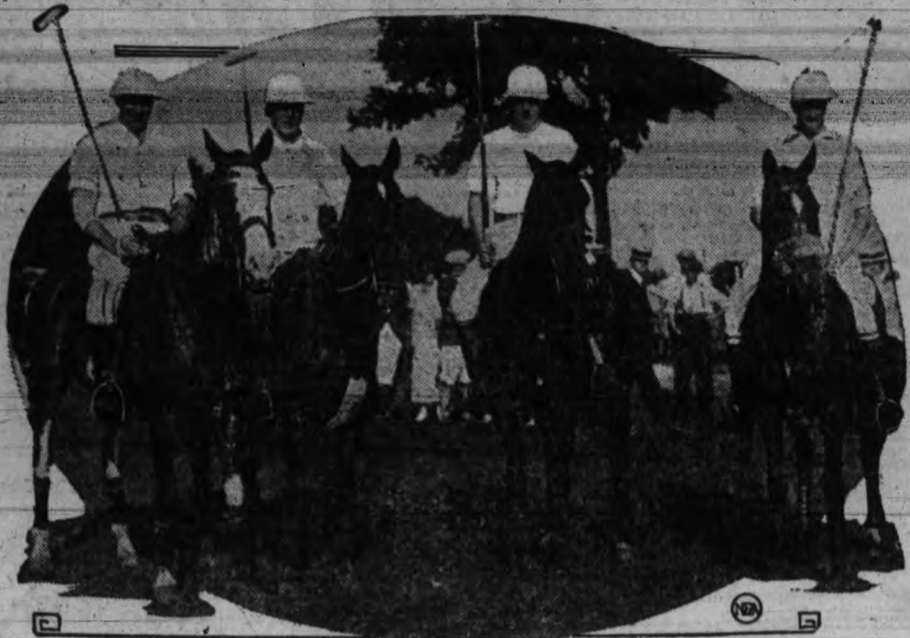
The biggest winner in chocolate land—

What is it? Can't tell you for a few days yet—but its the most superbly delicious confection we ever made. Watch for it. It's from

Neilson's

"You'll never get enough of it"

Prince of Wales More Popular Than Ever, as He Starts Visit in United States



READY FOR THE PRINCE OF WALES—This is the American Polo Team that is to compete with the British players in the presence of the Prince. From left to right: Devereaux Milburn, back; Malcolm Stevenson, three; Tommy Hitchcock, two; and Watson Webb, one.



HE SWINGS A WICKED RACQUET—The Prince of Wales occasionally finds a little time for tennis, too. Here he is in action on the courts. Over in Britain they say he swings a mean racquet.



COUSINS—Lord and Lady Mountbatten, cousins of King George, are on the trip to Canada and the United States with the Prince of Wales.



IN A POLO GAME—Polo is one of the Prince of Wales' favorite sports. He goes to a game every chance he has. And what is more, he plays himself.



HOPES TO RESIDE IN CANADA—The Honorable Janet Aitken, daughter of Lord Beaverbrook, Canadian publisher of English newspapers, who has been spending several days this week in Toronto, accompanying her father and two younger brothers. Miss Janet, who is a vivacious, sporting-loving girl is being raised as a true Canadian and hopes some day to reside here permanently.



ABOARD SHIP—The Prince of Wales is a regular fellow on board ship. He always can be found right out on deck mingling with the other passengers.



ROYAL HOST—Baron Byng of Vimy, Governor-General of Canada, will be host to the Prince of Wales during His Highness's stay in Canada. He will be one of those in the Royal box at the Meadowbrook matches.



WITH PRINCE—Mrs. Richard Norton, London society leader, is a prominent member of the Prince's entourage.



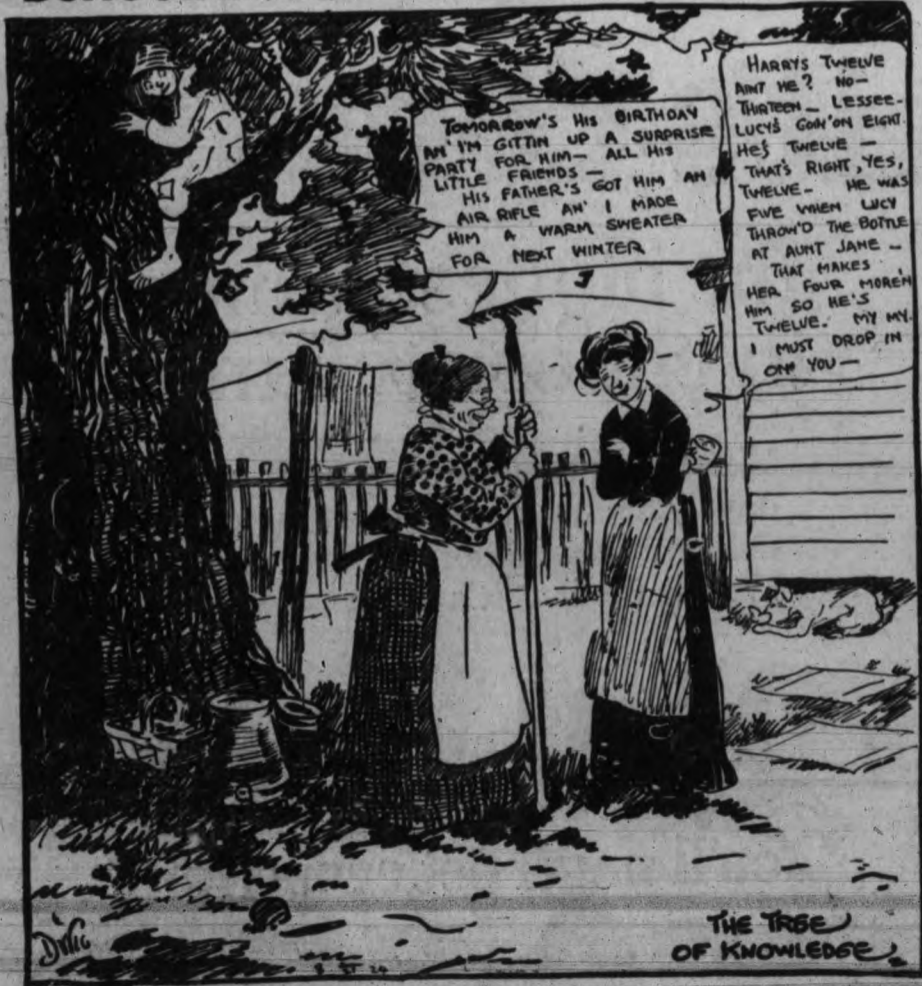
PRINCE IS A GOOD SWIMMER, TOO!—The Prince of Wales is a keen swimmer. But there isn't much chance of getting to see him at any of America's popular sea-side resorts. He will do most of his swimming in the pool on James A. Burden's estate at Syosset, L.I. The Prince, you see, will be a guest there during the polo games. The artist has inset a picture of His Highness over a picture of the pool, showing how the Prince will look emerging from his morning plunge.



SCHOOL DAYS

Copyright, 1924, by The Wichita Evening Signal

By DWIG



TOMORROW'S HIS BIRTHDAY
AM I'M GITIN' UP A SURPRISE
PARTY FOR HIM— ALL HIS
LITTLE FRIENDS—
HIS FATHER'S GOT HIM AN
AIR RIFLE AN' I MADE
HIM A WARM SWEATER
FOR NEXT WINTER

HARRIS TWELVE
WANT HE? NO—
THIRTEEN— LESSEE—
LUCY'S GOT 'ON EIGHT
HE'S TWELVE—
THAT'S RIGHT, YES,
TWELVE— HE WAS
FIVE WHEN LUCY
THROW'D THE BOTTLE
AT AUNT JANE—
THAT MAKES—
HER FOUR MORE
HIM SO HE'S
TWELVE. MY MY
I MUST DROP IN
ON YOU—

THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE



IN ROYAL BOX—Major-Gen. Robert L. Bullard, U.S.A., is one of the Americans who will sit in the Prince's box at the polo games.



WILL RACE YACHT—Lady Baird, widow of the famous Admiral Sir John K. E. Baird, K.C.B., who brought a yacht to America to compete in the fourth annual competition for the British-American cup which will be held off Oyster Bay, September 6.



TRUCK DERAILS FAST TRAIN; FOUR KILLED—Four persons were killed and scores injured when a Jersey Central Philadelphia-New York express was derailed when it crashed into a ten-ton auto truck near Cranford, N.J. The engine and three cars ploughed over the ties for a distance of three city blocks and then toppled over.



PROOF POSITIVE THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHERS HAVE GONE TO THE DOGS—The bathing beauties and other essentials of the rapidly moving world were given a day off by the photographer who went in search of unusual poses by man's best friend, the dog. He found them.

