

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday: Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, partly cloudy, with showers, followed by clearing weather. Lower Mainland—Mostly cloudy, with showers.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO, TO-NIGHT

Royal—The Heart of Wetton. Princess—H. N. Hucker's Company. Pantages—Vaudeville. Dominion—Don't Change Your Husband. Variety—Snadows. Columbia—The Trap. Romano—The Grouch.

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ALLIED REPRESENTATIVES MEET GERMANS

BOLSHEVIKI SAID TO BE EVACUATING THE CITY OF PETROGRAD

Reports Reaching Helsingfors Say Many Inhabitants Being Sent Away; Soviet Leaders Trying to Keep People in Dark As to Defeat

Helsingfors, April 30.—Via London, May 1.—Petrograd is being evacuated by the Bolsheviki, reports from reliable sources say. Many of the inhabitants are being sent away and the Bolshevik Government is taking rigorous measures to prevent the news of the happenings at Olonez from reaching the people.

London, May 1.—Along the Murmansk Railway the Bolshevik troops under Allied pressure have withdrawn to new positions thirty miles west of Petrosavodsk, on the western bank of Lake Onega.

A Russian wireless message reporting the withdrawal says that the Bolsheviki have carried out an advance on the front south of Archangel and that on the eastern front the Russians have been driven back twenty miles in the region of Orenburg.

RAILWAY BOARD AND SHIP CONTROL

Prairie Cities Object to Commission Controlling Inland Water Rates

Ottawa, May 1.—The special Committee of the Commons which had under consideration the bill to consolidate railway legislation held a meeting yesterday afternoon to hear representatives of opponents of J. E. Armstrong's clause to give the Railway Commission control over vessels engaged in coastwise and inland water traffic.

A. W. Atwater, K. C., of Montreal, appeared as representing ocean navigation and coasting trade interests. A sharp discussion took place between him and Mr. Armstrong over the question of the United States control of ocean traffic, Mr. Atwater contending that the United States did not really control.

Mr. Denison appeared as a representative of the Winnipeg Board of Trade and Boards of Trade of other western cities including Regina, Saskatoon and Calgary.

Advance Expected. Mr. Morphy asked to see the letter which had been sent to these Boards having their co-operation against Mr. Armstrong's proposal. Mr. Denison read a copy of the letter which said that an advance of rates was to be expected if Railway Commission control should go into effect, and that there would be no difference between all-rail rates, lake and rail rates and all-water rates, and that ship owners subjected to being placed under the control of the Commission.

Mr. Morphy inquired what was meant by "advances to be expected," and Mr. Denison replied that their experience had been that wherever the Railway Commission had been put in control advances followed.

Railways Would Gain. Mr. Morphy said that would be in favor of the ship owners, but Mr. Denison thought the railways would benefit if the rates were the same, because they would then be given the bulk of the freight-carrying trade. He said the principal object they had was to impress upon the Committee that they had rates from the independent vessels very much lower than the all-rail rates or the lake-and-rail rates. The all-water rate was lower and the service not particularly slow, if placed under the Railway Commission, the vessels would be subjected to all sorts of rules and regulations put into force by the Commission. They felt that the rates would be higher and the service not so good. The rates had been made lower than the rates of the all-rail rates established by the Railway Commission, for that was the only way the ship owners could live. The merchants of the municipalities he represented would rather take their chances with competition.

Government Troops Close In on Munich, Capturing Villages

Copenhagen, May 1.—The sting of Government troops is closing around Munich, according to Berlin dispatches. The villages of Schongau and Umting have been captured from the Soviet forces without loss. They are about forty miles southwest of the city.

U. S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WANTS WILSON TO RETURN

St. Louis, May 1.—The Chamber of Commerce of the United States, representing half a million business men, to-day unanimously adopted a resolution urging the immediate return to this country of President Wilson and an extraordinary session of Congress to enact legislation necessary to "safeguard our social and business structure."

Budapest Communist Government Offers Land to Roumania

London, May 1.—The Hungarian Communist Government, a wireless message from Budapest says, has offered the Roumanian Government territorial concessions and requested an immediate cessation of hostilities.

MAY DAY DEMONSTRATION BY LABOR RANKS IN FRANCE

Paris, May 1.—Paris and a great part of France were tied up to-day by labor's twenty-four-hour general strike as a demonstration for better working conditions and changes in certain Governmental policies.

Paris, May 1.—Crowds which gradually had been assembling this forenoon in the Place Madeleine broke through the infantry cordon stretched between the Madeleine and the Place de la Concorde and swept down the Rue Royale. Cavalry hurried them backward into the side streets, but several thousand reached the Place de la Concorde.

Paris, May 1.—Several persons were slightly injured in clashes with troops resisting the passage of crowds toward the Place de la Concorde during attempts at May Day demonstrations here this afternoon. No shots were fired, but a few individuals in the crowd were slashed with swords.

Paris, May 1.—The cessation of work here to-day was virtually complete. Some of the hostesses took food for the day to the guests' rooms last night.

The tie-up of the transportation lines was broken somewhat by the appearance of a few taxicabs on the streets. The most conspicuous feature of the Government's measures against possible troubles was the occupation of the Place de la Concorde by cavalry to insure enforcement of the order against street demonstrations. This afternoon detachments of infantry occupied positions near the Hotel de Crillon, headquarters of the American peace delegation. Squads of Republican Guards assembled in the streets leading from the principal boulevards.

Gloomy Appearance. Paris, May 1.—(Havas)—Rain and cold this morning were unfavorable for the celebration of May Day. Paris presented a gloomy aspect, there being no carriages, auto-buses or taxicabs on the streets. No newspapers appeared.

The Metropolitan Railway was shut down this morning in conformity with the decision to cut off electricity for two hours.

The Union of Syndicates of the Department of the Seine placarded Paris to-day with an expression of surprise that the Government had forbidden street demonstrations May Day.

A SHAM FIGHT IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY

San Francisco, May 1.—On Saturday two Liberty Motor seaplanes and a motor launch were engaged in a sham attack on San Francisco Bay on the battleship Oregon as part of the Victory Liberty Loan exercises.

MAY DAY RIOTS OCCUR IN BOSTON

Boston, May 1.—Reports of rioting in the Roxbury district reached the police to-day and reserves were ordered out from several stations.

CHINESE PARLIAMENT ASKS THAT KIAU CHAU BE GIVEN DIRECTLY BACK TO CHINA

Peking, April 30.—(Associated Press).—Both Houses of the Chinese Parliament passed a resolution to-day protesting to the delegates of the five Great Powers at Paris against transfer of control of Kiau Chau to Japan and requesting that Kiau Chau be restored directly to China. They ask that every concession be cancelled.

Tokio, May 1.—(Associated Press).—The Diplomatic Advisory Council voted yesterday to adhere to Japan's attitude relating to the Shantung Peninsula and to make no concessions at Paris, according to newspapers here.

Paris, May 1.—(Associated Press).—All German rights in Kiau Chau and in Shantung Province are to be transferred without reserve to Japan, according to an agreement reached yesterday by the Council of Three. Japan voluntarily engages to hand back Shantung Province in full sovereignty to China, retaining only the economic privileges granted Germany and the right to establish a settlement at Tsing-Tau, at the south of Kiau Chau. (Concluded on page 4.)

GERMAN DELEGATES' CREDENTIALS RECEIVED BY ALLIED COMMITTEE AT VERSAILLES THIS AFTERNOON

BELGIANS TAKING A STRONG STAND

Government Objects to Allied Leaders' Allotment of German Indemnity

Brussels, May 1.—Extremely strong measures were taken to-day by the Council of Three decided to impose on Belgium as part of a total reparations the rest of which is to be exacted later, according to the Paris correspondent of The Mail. The Belgian delegates, it is added, decline to accept the arrangement for an indemnity of 100,000,000,000 francs that the country will receive £100,000,000 as a part of the £1,000,000,000 which Germany will be asked to pay by the end of next year as part of a total reparations of 100,000,000,000 francs.

London, May 1.—One of the principal features of the arrangement for an indemnity for Belgium against which Belgium is protesting is that that country will receive £100,000,000 as a part of the £1,000,000,000 which Germany will be asked to pay by the end of next year as part of a total reparations of 100,000,000,000 francs.

Ministers to Paris. A Reuter dispatch from Paris states that a meeting of the Belgian Cabinet was held under the presidency of King Albert, and that the question was discussed. It was decided, the dispatch states, that three members of the Belgian Cabinet would be sent to Paris to instruct the Belgian delegates.

ITALIAN DELEGATES HELD CONFERENCE

Representatives Who Returned From Paris Discussed Situation Yesterday in Rome

Rome, May 1.—(Associated Press).—King Victor Emmanuel received Premier Orlando yesterday and discussed the situation with him. The King expressed satisfaction at the display of unity and loyalty given by the Italian country and Parliament.

The Italian delegation to the Peace Conference met late in the day under the chairmanship of Premier Orlando to consider the situation. The meeting came after the Premier had seen the King, and after the Premier had had a talk with American Ambassador Page.

Volpna. Paris, May 1.—(Associated Press).—The town of Volpna, which President Wilson said in his memorandum to Premier Orlando should belong to Italy, is not an Albanian port now occupied by Italians.

The Albanian delegates here say seizure of Volpna by Italy would threaten dismemberment of Albania.

Premier Venizelos has based on Italy's possession of Volpna a claim on the Albanian Islands for Greece, and the Serbians are making appeals said to be threatening Albania's existence.

Versailles, May 1.—(Associated Press).—The spacious dining-room of the Hotel Trianon yesterday received its Peace Congress installation—the long tables in horseshoe form, covered with the traditional green cloth of diplomacy. The installation is imposing in the size of each of the side tables, which extend some forty or fifty feet through the room. At the head of the apartment is a table about thirty-five feet long, at which the representatives of the Great Powers will be seated. (Concluded on page 4.)

AUTOMOBILE KILLED WOMAN IN SPOKANE

Spokane, May 1.—Officials to-day were investigating circumstances of the death yesterday of Mrs. Susan Rolatine, struck by an automobile as she was alighting from a street car. Mrs. Rolatine died in a hospital here last night as a result, it was declared, of her injuries. William Macken, an employee of the City Park Board, was driving the automobile, according to the police.

First Official Meeting Between Allied Representatives and Teutons; Opinion Now Is Preliminaries Will Be Communicated to Germans Monday

Versailles, May 1.—(Associated Press).—The first official meeting between Allied representatives and the German peace delegates will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A committee from the Allies will receive the credentials of the Germans at that time.

Paris, May 1.—(Havas).—The opinion prevails in Peace Conference circles that the peace preliminaries will be communicated to the Germans Monday afternoon.

Paris, May 1.—Various lesser details of the peace treaty were taken up to-day by the Council of Three, among them the question of the captured German cables.

With the Kiau Chau problem disposed of, the Adriatic question is the only highly important matter remaining unsettled.

SEARCH FOR MEN WHO MAILED BOMBS

Authorities in New York Plan to Round Up Terrorists

New York, May 1.—With discovery and frustration of a nation-wide bomb conspiracy against the lives of prominent Americans, every Federal and municipal government agency here was at work to-day in an attempt to trace the authors of the terrorist plot and to guard against the "Reds" boast of a country-wide surprise on May Day.

New York's "bomb squad," under the direction of Inspector Patrol and detectives, watched the haunts of every known radical here, and it was intimated by the police that before night there would be a round-up.

Thirty-six packages have been delivered or intercepted in various cities. Postmaster Hatton said that evidently the packages were mailed so they would reach their addresses on or about May 1. This is indicated by the fact that parcels reaching the Pacific coast bear the postmark of April 23. Those detained here were mailed April 26.

Warning Given. Though packages identified were sent from New York, the postal authorities believe others may have been posted in other cities, and post offices at other points have been warned to be on the lookout.

The police to-day made further examinations of the sixteen packages found in the general post office here yesterday, where they had been held for three days because of insufficient postage. Bomb experts worked six and one-half hours in opening one of the packages. Owen Eagan expressed astonishment at the ingenuity of the contrivance.

The packages in size and shape are suggestive of a biscuit package. Members of the Gimbel Brothers' firm reiterated to-day that the printed wrappers on the packages were faked. Persons in touch with authorities predicted that haunts of the Reds here would be invaded and may radicals be deported.

It is understood the officials have decided to put an end to leniency towards anarchists.

Youth Arrested. New York, May 1.—Police turned over to the Federal authorities to-day for investigation a boy, Nathan Abramowitz, aged nineteen, arrested last night on a charge of distributing Bolshevik literature in Harlem. Pamphlets seized quoted Bolshevik propaganda circulated among American and Allied troops at Archangel and urged "a general amnesty or general strike in connection with Debs and Haywood."

On Lock-Out. Washington, May 1.—Orders have been sent to all postal employees in the United States to be on the watch for suspicious packages, and this, together with widespread publicity, is counted upon to prevent delivery of any bomb parcels that may be in the mails.

Postmaster-General Burleson to-day wrote Postmaster Patten, at New York, suggesting that suitable action be taken to reward Charles Kaplan, a post office clerk, whose good sense resulted in the discovery of the sixteen bombs. They had been held since Saturday night for postage, and on his way home Kaplan read of the attempt to kill former Senator Hardwick, of Georgia, and immediately set about to prevent delivery of these packages.

All incoming mail for Government officials was scrutinized. (Concluded on page 4.)

WEATHER GOOD FOR ATLANTIC FLIGHT

Outlook for Start From Newfoundland Was Favorable at 1 p. m.

St. John's, Nfld., May 1.—Chances for the start this afternoon of the trans-Atlantic flight planned by Capt. Rayham and Harry Hawker were considered favorable at 1 p. m., with the prospect of virtually ideal weather conditions.

American Plans. New York, May 1.—The start of the trans-Atlantic flight by United States naval seaplanes will be from Trepassy, Nfld. It was announced to-day by Commander John H. Towers. From Trepassy the planes will fly to the Azores, then to Lisbon, Portugal, thence to Plymouth, Eng.

FIFTY-SIX JEWS KILLED AT PINSK

Report Says Forty Others Brutally Treated; Three Women Flogged

London, May 1.—Fifty-six Jews have been killed in a pogrom at Pinsk, according to an announcement from the central office of the Zionist Association here, which received its information from the organization's Copenhagen bureau. Forty persons were imprisoned and brutally treated. It is said, and three women were flogged, one school mistress being rendered insane by the torture.

The synagogues at Pinsk are reported to be closed, and the Jews have been impressed into forced labor. Military leaders are said to have demanded 100,000 marks, threatening to shoot Jewish leaders if that sum is not raised within twenty-four hours.


TEN-YEAR SENTENCE GIVEN IN CALIFORNIA

Sacramento, Cal., May 1.—Frank A. Bishup, cashier of the Santa Rosa National Bank, Santa Rosa, Cal., pleaded guilty to-day in the United States District Court here to a charge of embezzling \$204,000 of the bank's funds. He was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in McNeil Island federal penitentiary by U. S. District Judge William Van Fleet.

Fernando Somoso, V. son-in-law of the late former President Sierra, of Honduras, and William C. Grant and Harold E. Loughbury, assistant cashiers of the bank, pleaded not guilty to similar charges in indictments returned against them.

BURLESON HOLDS POSTAL TELEGRAPH

Washington, May 1.—Postmaster-General Burleson to-day refused to consider the request of Clarence H. Macleay for the immediate return of the Postal Telegraph lines to private ownership.



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ITALIAN COMMENTS ON ORLANDO'S SPEECH

Rome, May 1.—The Rome newspapers in commenting on Premier Orlando's speech before Parliament and the vote of confidence in his Government declare that now that the Italian people and Parliament have voiced their solidarity with the Government it remains only for the Entente to revise its decision regarding the Adriatic adjustment.

The view taken is that President Wilson appealed to the Italian people and now that they have given their answer it is bound to have its effect upon his attitude.

The Corriere d'Italia sees in the demonstration in the Chamber of Deputies an indication that it is the will of Italy to help in bringing about a prompt peace and that she is ready to make reasonable sacrifices.

The press is unanimous in praising what is referred to as the spirit of justice and moderation pervading the speech of the Premier.

The Popolo Romano says: "The world is now confronted with the following dilemma: Either the five Great Powers must agree on the Italian question or Italy will be obliged to act independently of the others."

The two main ideas promoted by the Canadian Trade Commission at present are: "Buy less abroad and make more for export."

AN INTERNATIONAL NAVAL POLICE FORCE

World League Needs One to Rely on, Says Secretary Daniels

London, May 1.—A large naval international police force will be necessary under the League of Nations plan immediately after peace is declared, in the opinion of Joseph W. Daniels, American Secretary of the Navy, and one of the objects of his trip abroad is to discuss with the Admiralties of Britain, France and Italy some details as to the force, particularly the types of vessels desirable.

"The desire of conquest may still linger in the hearts of some nations after peace," said Secretary Daniels, "and such nations must be shown that it would be unprofitable to attempt to accomplish these desires."

As the League of Nations becomes established, Secretary Daniels added, the naval police force would be decreased in proportion to the strength of the League.

The Secretary has just returned from a visit to the interned German battle fleet at Scapa Flow.

DISORDERS IN BREMEN.

Berlin, April 30.—Via London, May 1.—Sanguinary conflicts have been so numerous during the last few days in Bremen and the outlying districts, due to Spartacist uprisings, that President Ebert has added to the existing martial law a regime in which extraordinary military courts will try prisoners charged with insurrectionary crimes.

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TRADE PREFERENCE WITH THE EMPIRE

Lloyd George Government's Plans Outlined by Chancellor of Exchequer

London, May 1.—It was thought the Opposition Liberals might challenge a division of the House of Commons on the inter-empire trade preference proposals outlined in the budget speech delivered yesterday by Rt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, but Mr. Chamberlain gave an assurance that there would be ample opportunity later to challenge the preference policy, and the House adopted the resolutions without a division before concluding the night's session.

The chief critic was William Adamson, the Opposition Leader, who characterized the budget as extremely disappointing and strongly criticized fresh borrowings, reduction of the excess profits tax and the introduction of trade preference, which he regarded as the thin edge of the protection wedge.

Sir Donald Maclean, the Liberal Leader, declared that the Liberals were opposed to the principle of preference, and would not at this time prejudice their position in the debate.

Figures.

Mr. Chamberlain said the expenditures for the current year were estimated at £1,159,650,000, without new taxation, or £275,000,000 more than last year's revenue. The national debt on March 31 was £7,455,000,000, compared with the estimate of a year ago of £7,840,000,000 and £640,000,000 at the outbreak of the war.

Of the actual deficit incurred, the internal debt accounted for approximately £6,085,000,000 and the external debt was £1,130,000,000.

Inflated Currency.

The Chancellor declared that the expansion of the floating debt could not be allowed to continue indefinitely. There had been a forced issue of currency notes; the inflation of currency was a world-wide phenomenon at the present time, he added.

The first measure for inflated currency was to reduce expenditures; secondly, to pay expenditures as quickly as possible out of revenue, and, third, to borrow as much as possible from the real investors in funds on short-dated securities.

Of the amounts due the Government, he continued, £171,000,000 was owed by the Dominions, £438,000,000 by France, £412,520,000 by Italy, £88,799,000 by Belgium, £47,815,000 by other Allies.

A Set-Off.

"In accordance with a proposal outlined by a predecessor," said Mr. Chamberlain, "a set-off has been effected between the Canadian and British Governments in respect to our liabilities to the latter in regard to obligations to this country. It has reduced the debt of this country to Canada by the sum of £30,855,000. I am not without hope that we might be able to carry through a similar loan in the coming year."

from the Empire. The preference will be worth 4s. per one hundred weight, meaning a loss of £250,000 in revenue. The preference on wine duties is levied at two rates, 1s. 3d. and 2s., according to the strength of the wine. Preference is given by a reduction of six per cent. on the lower class. This will prove of importance to South Africa and Australia. The Chancellor said he was unwilling to raise the duties on account of the interest of Great Britain's allies, France and Portugal.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, May 1.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.
Previously reported missing and believed killed; now unofficially reported died while prisoner of war—Pte. R. E. Munson, Vancouver.
Reported missing—Lance-Corpl. A. D. Aldous, M.M., Victoria.
Siberian Expeditionary Force.
III—Capt. F. A. Daily, Toronto.
Artillery.
Reported wounded—Lieut. J. S. McRae, Croix de Guerre, Vancouver.
Infantry.
Previously reported missing; now officially reported died while prisoner of war—Pte. R. C. Wolfe, Victoria.
Lieut. W. J. Preston, Toronto.
Previously reported wounded and missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Lieut. R. J. Wilson, Winnipeg; Lieut. W. Dougall, M. C., Port Arthur.
Previously reported missing; now through German sources, reported dead—Lieut. K. W. Murray, Vancouver.
Machine Gun Corps.
Previously reported missing; now officially reported died while prisoner of war—Lieut. W. Benny, Winnipeg.

BALTIC REGIONS DEBATED BY ALLIED FOREIGN MINISTERS

Paris, May 1.—The Foreign Ministers of the four Great Powers yesterday examined questions concerning aid to be given to the regions bordering on the Baltic Sea, the organization of a provisional administration for Schleswig, submarine cables and similar matters.

Paris, May 1.—The German delegation to the Peace Congress was greeted officially at Vauresson by M. Challe, Prefect of the Department of Seine-et-Oise, representing the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Col. Henry, for the Ministry of War, and M. Quastler, for the Interior Department. Eugen von Lersner, the ranking officer of the advance party of Germans, also drove from Versailles to meet his chiefs. He was accompanied by an American officer, Major Kaiser, and by French and British officers.

Many of the German representatives carried their own personal baggage, from which they apparently were anxious not to be separated.

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turned to their residence in Courtenay. A Y. W. C. A. Committee meeting was held on Tuesday night to plan the coming drive throughout Cowichan. An endeavor will be made to secure the help of the ladies, as part of the fund is for the Y. W. C. A.

POINCARÉ EXPRESSES FRANCE'S FRIENDSHIP FOR ITALIAN NATION

Paris, May 1.—The continued friendship of France for Italy was expressed yesterday by President Poincaré in a message through the Association of France and Italy. The message said:

"Italy and France, as closely as in war, will remain united in peace. Nothing will separate them. A break in their friendship would be a catastrophe for Latin civilization and for humanity. France remains faithful to its engagements, its sympathies and its traditions."

SIR E. KEMP NOT TO RETURN TO LONDON

Winnipeg, May 1.—A local paper carries the following from an Ottawa correspondent: "Sir Edward Kemp, who is returning to Canada on the Mauretania, will not go back to England as Overseas Minister of Militia. This can be stated on authority. He will hold his portfolio for the remainder of this session, or until the Cabinet is reorganized."

FISHER MAY BE AMBASSADOR TO U. S.

London, May 1.—Gladstone former Premier Asquith, Rt. Hon. Herbert A. L. Fisher, the Minister of Education, and Professor Gilbert Murray, of Oxford, have been suggested as successors to the Earl of Reading, British Ambassador to the United States.

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HOME-MADE ORANGE MARMALADE —4-lb. tin.....	75c	ANTI-COMBINE COFFEE —Fresh ground as ordered. Per lb., 45¢ and.....	40c
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The increase on beer, the Chancellor said, would produce £21,200,000 in a full year and £22,200,000 this year. The increase in the duty on spirits would produce this year £19,350,000. The excess profits tax would be continued for one year at the reduced rate of forty per cent.

The revenues also would include the sum of £300,000,000 on account of the excess profits duty for accounting periods already closed, or running out, and the sum of £100,000,000 representing receipts from realization of the votes of credit and assets. If the excess profits tax were brought to an end now, he continued, there would remain to be collected in the current year £290,000,000. The Chancellor said he anticipated that the sum to be collected would be £100,000,000 the year after.

Mr. Chamberlain announced that the Government will be allowed to increase their output by fifty per cent. over the 1918 barrellage, bringing the authorized barrellage for the year to 20,000,000 barrells, as against a previous barrellage of 13,000,000.

Tea, Cocoa and Rum.

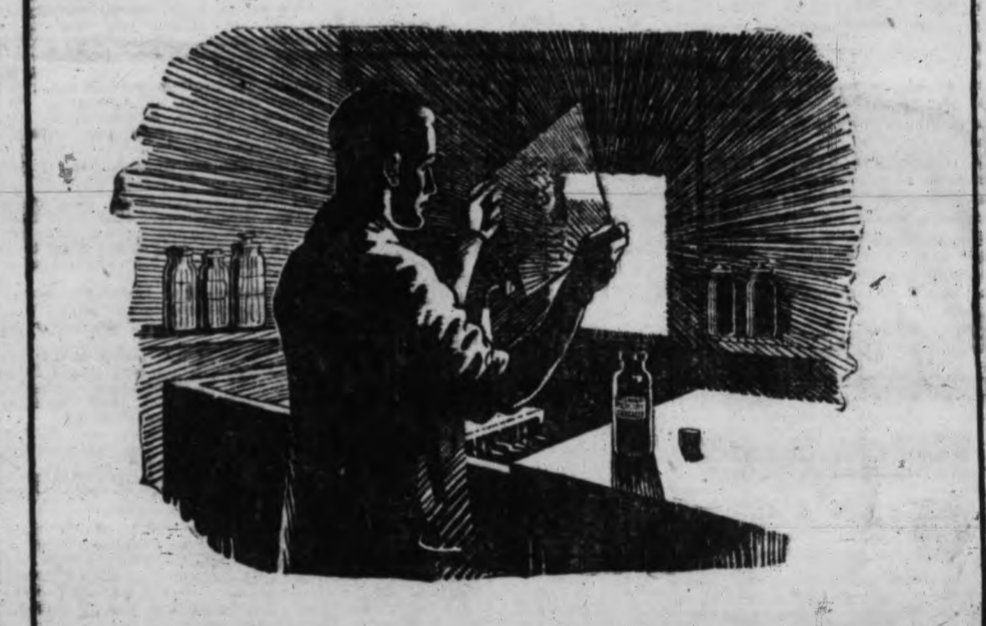
London, May 1.—The principal products of overseas Dominions and colonies affected in the introduction of the Empire trade preference in the budget as announced yesterday by Rt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be tea, cocoa and rum, but there are other products like cotton, sugar, tobacco and wine, in which there will be great opportunity for the development of trade. It is considered that never was there a time when imperial development was so important.

The preference on alcohol is essentially while the preference on tea, nearly ninety-two per cent. of which is grown within the Empire, will be equivalent to reducing the tariff and involve a loss of £2,200,000 in revenue. Fifty per cent. of the cocoa is produced within the Empire, and at a preference of 7s. per hundredweight the loss in revenue will be £200,000.

The increased duties on beer and spirits will be domestic, and not customs duties.

Tobacco.

The preference on manufactured tobaccos will be 1s. 4d. per pound, which is considered a substantial concession, and should increase production in India and other parts of the Empire. The estimated revenue from tobacco is £47,000,000, but only two per cent. of it comes from Empire sources. The estimated sugar revenue is £35,000,000. Seven per cent. of it comes



Workers in Chemicals and Metals Are Often Subject to Anaemia

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Mr. Robert Blain, painter, 26 Wharf St., Belleville, Ont., writes:

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SIR JOHN MAHAFFEY DIES.

Dublin, May 1.—Sir John P. Mahaffey, provost of Trinity College, Dublin, since 1914, died yesterday. He was eighty years old.

PIANO BARGAINS

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ALLIED ARCHANGEL FORCES WILL SEND A FLOTILLA SOUTH

Archangel, April 29.—(Associated Press)—The Bolshevik flotilla, a prisoner reports, is about half-way between Kotlas and the Allied positions south of Bereznik.

Preparations are under way to rush an Allied flotilla southward as soon as the ice clears.

ANOTHER SETBACK FOR LLOYD GEORGE COALITION CABINET

London, May 1.—The Lloyd George Coalition Government has lost another seat in the House of Commons, its third in four bye-elections since Parliament was elected in December, in the victory of the Central District of Aberdeen and Kincairdine of Major M. Wood, a Liberal. Major Wood defeated the Coalition Unionist candidate and Labor candidate. The vote was: Major Wood, 4,970; Mr. Davidson, Coalitionist, 4,764; Mr. Duncan, Labor, 2,312.

Major Wood contested Ayr in the December election and was defeated by more than 5,000 votes by Sir George Younger, Coalition Unionist. In the December election the Central District of Aberdeen and Kincairdine was carried by Lieut.-Colonel A. T. Gordon by 633 votes out of a total of more than 12,000 over J. M. Henderson, Liberal.

CLOSE OF TRIAL OF HUMBERT AND OTHERS IN FRENCH CAPITAL

Paris, May 1.—At the Humbert trial yesterday Captain Morneret, the prosecutor, in his closing speech, reiterated his demand for the death sentence against Pierre Lenoir, charged, with Humbert, with commerce with the enemy. The prosecutor, however, requested a light sentence for Captain Georges Jile Ladoux, former chief of the Intelligence Bureau at the Ministry of War, another co-defendant.

BOWERY, ON CONEY ISLAND, IS BURNED

New York, May 1.—With a loss estimated at \$1,000,000, the famous "Bowery" at Brighton Beach, Coney Island, was wiped out last night. The burned area covers between twelve and fifteen acres.

TRADE OF CANADA SHOWS DECREASE

\$372,322,922 Less in Year Ended With March Than in Previous Year

Ottawa, May 1.—A decrease of \$372,322,922 in the total of Canada's trade for the fiscal year ended March 31, as compared with the previous year, is shown by the annual statement issued through the Customs Department. The statement shows that the value of Canada's trade during the year ended March 31 was \$2,176,378,717, while in the previous year it amounted to \$2,548,691,639. The decrease in exports, amounting to \$332,413,952, was largely responsible for the falling off in the total amount of Canada's trade value. The total of duties collected during the last year was \$158,044,456, as against \$161,588,465, or a decrease of \$3,544,009.

The exports of domestic agricultural products during the past fiscal year reached a total of \$269,819,833, as compared with \$567,713,884 in the previous year. This was a decrease of \$297,893,751. The export of forest products last year was about \$20,900,000 greater in value than it was in 1917-18.

CLEVELAND LABOR MEN WANT BURLESON TO GIVE UP POST

Cleveland, May 1.—A resolution demanding the resignation of Postmaster-General Burleson was adopted last night by the Cleveland Federation of Labor. Another call for the withdrawal of American troops from Russia.

THUG IN VANCOUVER ESCAPED WITH \$80

Vancouver, May 1.—A bold daylight robbery took place in this city yesterday when an unknown man walked into the store of the Star Loan Company, Robson Street, held up the proprietor, a man named Hatch, at the point of a gun, relieved him of \$80 and then made good his escape. The holdup occurred at noon, when Granville Street, less than half a block east, was crowded with hundreds of pedestrians.

\$50,000,000 MORE TO ITALY FROM STATES

Washington, May 1.—Italy was given a new loan of \$50,000,000 yesterday by the United States Treasury to cover a number of obligations incurred by the Italian Government on Contracts for war materials and foodstuffs from American producers. The credit extension brings Italy's total borrowings from the United States to \$1,571,500,000.

AIRMAN HURT IN SMASH NEAR DETROIT

Cleveland, Ohio, May 1.—Major Norman Booth, commanding officer at the Selfridge aviation field near Detroit, sustained a fracture of the arm, severe sprains and possible internal injuries, and six others, including four other officers, were less seriously injured, here late yesterday when a huge Caproni aeroplane turned over. The accident was said to have been caused by misunderstanding of landing instructions.

JUGO-SLAVS ATTACK GERMAN-AUSTRINIANS

Copenhagen, April 30.—Via London, May 1.—(Associated Press).—A dispatch received here from Vienna says the South Slavs have crossed the demarcation line in Carinthia and opened an offensive in the whole of the front from Volkermarkt to the Villach basin. This line of demarcation was fixed with the co-operation of the American Commission.

The German-Austrian Government has protested, and it is declared that the refusal to withdraw the troops will be regarded as a hostile act.

The dispatch adds that the Entente Missions have been requested to have the disputed territory occupied by troops of a neutral great power.

Volkermarkt is a small town in Carinthia, fifteen miles northeast of Klagenfurt, on the Drave River. Villach also is on the Drave, fifty-two miles northwest of Laibach.

MILBURN'S LAXA-LIVER PILLS

Act as a stimulant to the sluggish liver, clean the furred tongue, and clear away all the poisonous accumulations from the system by causing the bowels to move regularly and naturally every day, thus preventing, as well as curing constipation, sick headaches, bilious headaches, water brash, heartburn, and all diseases arising from a lax, slow or torpid liver.

They are purely vegetable, small and easy to take, and there is nothing of the griping, weakening and sickening effects of the old-fashioned purgatives.

Mrs. John Kadey, Chipman, N. B., writes: "I have been using Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills for some time and can recommend them to anyone suffering from heartburn and liver trouble. I tried other remedies, but they only relieved me for a short time. I always recommend Laxa-Liver Pills to all sufferers, as I think they are a valuable remedy."

When you go to your dealer and ask for Laxa-Liver Pills, see that you get the genuine "Milburn's." Price 25c a vial at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

CALGARY MAN HAS GAINED 20 POUNDS BY TAKING TANLAC

"Was About the Wisest Thing I Ever Did," Declares Crutcher

"About the wisest thing I ever did was stop all other treatments and medicines and commence taking Tanlac," said Joseph Crutcher, while in the Liggett's-Finlay Drug Store, Calgary, recently. Mr. Crutcher runs the Holm Patrick Farm, and is one of Calgary's best known and respected citizens. His mail address is General Delivery, Calgary.

"During the past three years," he continued, "I have certainly gone through untold suffering, and it had cost me more than five hundred dollars. My troubles were catarrh of the head and stomach, together with disordered kidneys and, to tell the truth, I just fell I didn't think I could pull through the winter. At times I would bend almost double with such an awful pain in my back that I could hardly stand it. I also suffered from biliousness and headaches, and was so nervous and miserable that I could hardly get any sleep. My appetite was all gone, I would get up in the mornings coughing and gagging, and for two years I never ate any breakfast. Of course, I was under treatment all this time, but my condition kept getting worse, and finally I got to be very low spirited and down-hearted.

"In fact, I was just about ready to give up when I saw a Tanlac testimonial from a lady I know personally. I had about lost faith in anything to help me, but when I read her statement, I stopped all other treatment and got some Tanlac, and this medicine has given me a new lease on life. Since I began taking I've actually gained twenty pounds and feel better than I have in ten years. Before that my muscles were all flabby, and I couldn't do an hour's work without feeling completely exhausted, but now I am working hard every day. My nerves are now strong and steady and I don't have any more headaches. I have an appetite like a wolf, and have gotten so much better that I've had to let my belt out five holes. My breakfast is about my heartiest meal now, and the catarrh is so much better that I hardly notice it any more. It has taken several bottles of Tanlac to do all this, but it has been worth more than all I have to me. I have taken Tanlac so regularly that my wife keeps it on the table for me, and I have never missed a dose since I began taking it. I have lived in Calgary for eleven years, and just lots of people know what a big change Tanlac has made in me, and I want my statement published in all the papers, and I will gladly tell anyone personally just what Tanlac has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas.—Adv.

AMERICAN REPUBLICANS AND WORLD LEAGUE

Washington, May 1.—Replies have been received from several Republican Senators to whom Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, Republican Leader, and Senator Curtis of Kansas, whip, sent telegrams asking them to refrain from discussing the recent League of Nations covenant until a Republican conference could be held to determine upon the Republican attitude toward the document.

Senator Curtis said that about five Senators now absent from Washington had replied approving the suggested course. The names of those from whom answers were received were not made public.

No date for the conference has been selected.

INCREASING UNREST IN UPPER SILESIA

Berlin, April 28.—Delayed.—(Associated Press)—The combination of a general strike at Gliwicz, increasing unrest throughout Upper Silesia, the continued deposit of mine directors for trivial causes by employees under the new right of determination and a great Polish Socialist demonstration at Katowitz on May 1 brings Upper Silesia to the front at least temporarily as the seat of trouble and unrest in Germany.

PARADES FORBIDDEN.

Paris, May 1.—The United Trades Union of the Seine Department met last night and decided to organize a parade for this afternoon, but almost simultaneously came an announcement from the Government forbidding any street demonstration.

Mrs. W. Will Pardon Us

In a letter to us this lady says in part: "It is the nearest approach to fresh milk and cream. It is made in B. C., which appeals rather strongly and is one of the few commodities made in the Province which are as good, and even better, than their imported rivals."

Mrs. W. asked that her name not be published but she will pardon this liberty with her initial, we are sure.

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Women's Lisle Thread Hose at 50c Pr.

Women's Fine Lisle Thread Stockings, in black or white, fashioned with strong garter tops and reinforced sole, heels and toes; sizes 1/2 to 10. Very special value at pair, 50¢

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Fine Corsets to Clear at \$1.45

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Clearing odd lines of Corsets, suitable for stout, medium and slender figures, fashioned from good quality materials; sizes 20 to 32. Values to \$2.50 to clear at, pair \$1.45

A Notable Offering of Women's Spring Suits Friday at \$35.00



A noteworthy offering of Women's New Spring Suits, fashioned from fine quality serge, tweeds, etc. Coats are well lined with silk or satin, and at the low price of \$35.00 represent unusual value. The skirts are in most cases plain and cut on narrow lines. It will pay you to investigate this special suit offering Friday at \$35.00

FRIDAY BARGAINS

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Stamped Nightgowns in fine quality white cambric, with square, V-shaped necks and Empire style; neat designs. Reg. \$1.75 for.... \$1.25

Stamped Envelope, Chemise with hemstitched yoke, fine quality nainsook. Reg. \$1.75 for.... \$1.25

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ON SALE FRIDAY

Odd Lines of Chamoisette Gloves at 95c

Clearing odd lines of fine quality Washable Chamoisette Gloves, in shades of black, natural, grey and white. Regular \$1.25, to clear Friday at 95¢

REMEMBER THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL TAG DAY, SATURDAY, MAY 3rd.

SAN SALVADOR FELT VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE

San Salvador, April 30.—Via New York, May 1.—The earthquake Monday was the most violent ever registered in this country. Tremors of less violence have been felt since. Many people are sleeping in the parks and plazas. Electric light and water service has been restored.

A dispatch from San Salvador on April 29 said the damage to life and property caused by the earthquakes on Monday could not be estimated, but it was large. The Government had proclaimed a state of siege and engineers and many workmen were engaged in draining Lake Ilopango of the extraordinary increase of water, which was attributed to the earthquake. The temperature of this lake had risen and it was covered with the bodies of dead fish and debris. Many persons had been injured, and the Red-Cross was working actively to help the sufferers. The number of dead was not known.

The Western Railroad was badly damaged and the railroad service had been interrupted.

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ITS MAIN FUNCTION
A great many people appear to have a narrow and distorted view of the functions of the Peace Conference.

IF THEIR CONCEPTION WERE CORRECT THE Peace Conference would be a ghastly failure, for it would mean that the awful agony of the last five years had taught no lesson and pointed no moral for future good.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE HAS NO ILLUSION AS TO ITS true function. It knows its task is not to erect another ramshackle structure on the old, rotten foundation upon which so many structures have been erected at past peace conferences.

MILLIONS OF LIVES AND BILLIONS OF TREASURE were sacrificed to restrict the development of Russia by keeping her from the sea, and the various treaties which expressed that policy were shown within a very few years of their adoption to have been staggering blunders.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE CANNOT LOOK TO POPULAR ebullitions or waves of national sentiment stimulated by political leaders for the solution of these questions.

"ONE BIG UNION" UNDER FIRE

ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION Mr. J. W. Hays, the secretary-treasurer of the International Typographical Union, has hit out from the shoulder on matters of policy vitally affecting organized labor.

MR. HAYS EMPHASIZES THE BENEFITS ACCRUING TO craft organizations through their collective bargaining as such, and fails to find any references in the "one big union" propaganda which show how it proposes to overcome obstacles attendant upon the policy of a particular craft if its actions are to be controlled by conditions existing in some other trade.

IN HIS APPEAL TO THE CANADIAN MEMBERS OF THE International Mr. Hays need have no fear. Canadian labor as a whole will be able to take the measure of the false prophet who may seek to deliver the country over to Bolshevism.

CURIOUSLY ENOUGH THE CHIEF OBSTACLE IN THE way of the League of Nations is the opposition to it in the United States, some of it political and some based upon the opposition of many people in the United States to "foreign entanglements."

THE NEW DOCTRINE — and may not the "one big union" be the thin edge of the wedge? — would be disaster completed.

THE KIAO CHAU QUESTION

THE RESEMBLANCE OF THE DISPUTE BETWEEN Japan and China, involving Kiao Chau and the Shantung Peninsula, to the Adriatic issue is so close that another impasse was feared by observers when the matter came before the Council at Paris.

THIS BEARS ALL THE EARMARKS OF THE OLD SYSTEM OF diplomatic bargaining with a vengeance. There are 30,000,000 Chinese in Shantung Peninsula, which, therefore, is an important province of China.

UNDER THE SETTLEMENT REACHED IN Paris full sovereignty over Shantung is restored to China, while Japan receives Kiao Chau in accordance with the treaty between her and China four years ago.

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS WHOSE EFFORTS HAVE LONG BEEN directed towards convincing the Dominion Government that the country owes a special debt to her younger soldiers will have been gratified by an announcement which appeared in our news columns yesterday.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE DEBT IS LATE IN THE day, but it is still in time to be of considerable value. It is the least the country can do for its future citizenship.

THE SCHOONBOY-SOLDIER IS NOW BACK HOME WITH a sense of his responsibility to the state and with an altogether broader outlook on life. It is a pity, however, that so many "veterans" just out of the 'teen age have had to drop into insignificant positions through lack of facility to take up such courses of study as were interrupted by their own patriotism.

COLONIAL PREFERENCE

AS THE COLONIAL PREFERENCE PROVIDED IN THE budget introduced by Mr. Austen Chamberlain is confined principally to tea, cocoa and rum, with certain concessions on tobacco, wine, cotton and sugar, and a few manufactured articles such as cloths, watches and musical instruments, Canada is very much in the position of an interested spectator.

COMES TO GABRIELA — J. Clarhue, of Queen's University, has arrived in Nanaimo to take over the work of Presidential minister at Gabriela for the summer. He will hold his first session next Sunday.

BIG CAMPAIGN FOR PUBLICITY FUND IS AROUSING INTEREST

VICTORIA AND ISLAND DEVELOPMENT Association Teams Are Active

LUNCHEON AT DOMINION HOTEL FOR TO-MORROW

REPORTS OF PROGRESS IN THE VICTORIA AND Island Development Association drive to raise \$7,000 for publicity purposes will be made by the various captains at a luncheon to be given by Stephen Jones at the Dominion Hotel at 12.30 noon to-morrow.

THE DRIVE OPENED TUESDAY, BUT AS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON WAS A HOLIDAY, a slight break was made in the efforts of the campaigners. Twenty captains are at work, and each has been allocated a business block to canvass with his team.

THE TEAM CAPTAINS ARE FIRST DIRECTING their energy toward obtaining subscriptions to the \$7,000 fund, and if success is lacking in this object, they next make a vigorous effort to obtain their prospect as a new member, the association membership fee being \$20.

WILL GET THE MONEY

W. A. McAdam, Publicity Commissioner, is enthusiastic over the prospect of raising the stipulated amount. He says that if Vancouver is going to raise \$25,000, and she is now engaged in a campaign to raise that amount for publicity work, it is absolutely essential that the citizens of Victoria should support the local drive and ensure getting a fair proportion of the tourist business.

HE POINTS OUT THAT MANY PEOPLE WHO have visited Victoria and Vancouver Island as tourists have become permanent residents by reason of the attractions offered. As an instance of this he referred to a man from Calgary who was speaking to him yesterday, and declared that he was so delighted with Victoria that he had decided to spend the rest of his days here.

PRACTICAL RESULTS

"ANOTHER CASE THAT CAME DIRECTLY BY MY notice," said Mr. McAdam, is that of a medical practitioner in the West who suffered from a severe attack of Spanish influenza last fall and decided to go to California to recuperate. Before leaving for the South he received some of the association's literature, and decided to visit Vancouver before his return.

GOOD FOR AUTO FIRMS

IT IS CLAIMED IN SOME QUARTERS THAT tourists do not spend much money in the places visited by them. To offset this impression Mr. McAdam related an instance of half a dozen people who arrived here two weeks ago and during most of that time, pending their departure for Australia, they have made the headquarters in Victoria and have toured all of the surrounding districts, in connection with which their automobile hire bill has amounted to \$20 a day, and he does not mention hotel expenses, and the large amount of money they have spent here in numerous other ways.

REMAILED

NEW YORK, May 1.—Two bombs, one of them addressed to Senator Reed Smoot, of Salt Lake City, and the other to an unknown addressee in Utah, were returned to the Gimbel Brothers' department store for additional postage and innocently remained Tuesday by a shipping clerk, post office inspectors learned to-day.

SEARCH FOR MEN WHO MAILED BOMBS

CHICAGO, May 1.—Search of the mails for additional bombs was made in Chicago to-day upon information from officials in New York that parcels believed to contain infernal devices were mailed from New York April 29.—The New York advices said the parcels were addressed to points in Utah. Postal authorities planned to get in touch with officials at Sioux City, Ia., and Ogden, Utah. It was thought that one of the packages probably was sent to Frank K. Newberry, of Salt Lake City, who was chief prosecutor in the case of the 100 members of the I. W. W., convicted before Federal Judge Landis, Nene Fund.

WANTS NEW COMMISSIONER

TO THE EDITOR.—Whether it is a fact or otherwise, that too many persons are employed in the Water Works Department, I am not in a position to say. But when the Water Commissioner (after having dismissed the President of the Civic Employees' Protection Association, the third in succession) confesses, "I had no idea the matter would cause so much agitation," one feels pretty safe in affirming that the sooner the present Water Commissioner is replaced by a man with an elementary knowledge of human nature, and a wee bit of common sense, the better it will be for all concerned.

HAVING A HOLIDAY

THE HUSBAND OF A MILITANT SUFFRAGETTE in Boston threatens legal proceedings against anyone attempting to deprive his wife of her right to stay in jail. Kyrle, it is the first vacation the poor man has had since marriage.

KIRK'S WELLINGTON LUMP COAL at \$10.25 and Kirk's Wellington Nut Coal at \$9.75

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When You Break Your Glasses Save the Pieces and Bring Them to Rose. WE will do more for you than merely duplicate the lens you have had the misfortune to break.

CHINESE PARLIAMENT ASKS THAT KIAU CHAU BE GIVEN DIRECTLY BACK TO CHINA. The American delegation regards this agreement as the best solution of the problem to be obtained without making a break similar to the Italian break.

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Simplifies the Serving of Afternoon Tea. The Woman's Auxiliary of the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital hold a tag day on Saturday. Remember to give. Mahogany Tea Wagons, beautifully built and finished with rubber-tired wheels and glass tray. Price \$18.00

TENT CATERPILLARS. In view of the probability of a heavy infestation of these pests during the coming season, owners of gardens and orchards are urgently requested to adopt the following precautions to prevent or mitigate the damage and inconvenience that otherwise will be caused.

ITALIAN DELEGATES HELD CONFERENCE. President Poincare or Premier Clemenceau in the centre. Inside in the horseshoe is a table covered with red plush, and in the space between one side of the horseshoe and the windows is a similar table.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY. Globe Trotter Griffith, the man who is trying to break the round-the-world record, passed through Victoria this morning on the Empress of China, and by nightfall will have commenced his journey across the continent.

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Two Silk Waists Selling at \$2.90



These Waist styles are shown in colored stripes of Copenhagen, tan and green on a white ground. One style has a Peter Pan collar, finished with black moire, silk ribbon tie. The front of waist has two side pleats which gives the desired fullness. It has long sleeves with turnback pointed cuffs. It offers a very special value at **\$2.90**

Another good style Waist is made with a convertible collar and turnback cuffs of all white silk. This Waist has the same assortment of colored stripes as that mentioned above and is also very special value at **\$2.90**

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Special Values in Ladies' Fancy Silk Hose

These are offered in all the leading shades, clocked and striped and spotted. Really an unusual display of the best qualities at the moderate prices of, a pair, **\$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.00 and \$3.75**

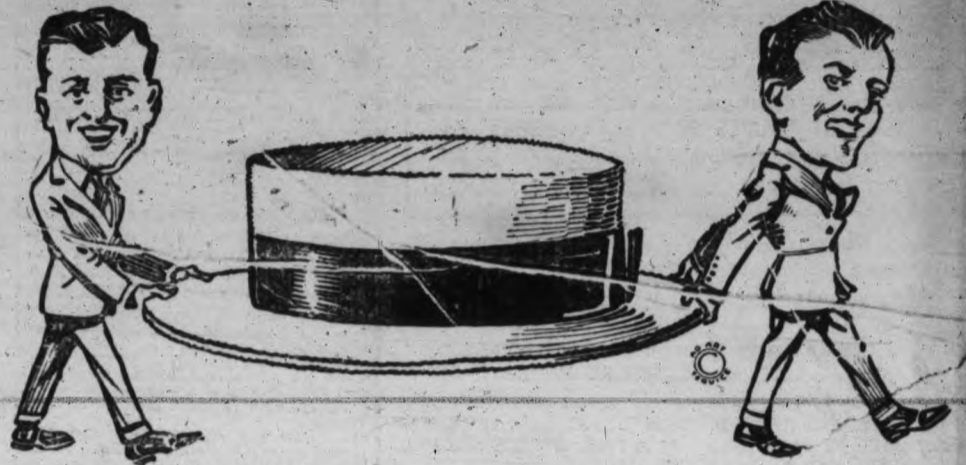
—Hosiery, Main Floor

Children's Silk Lisle Socks, a Pair, 50c

They are shown in all sizes and all shades and have colored tops. These are very special value at the price.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Newest Styles in Straw and Panama Hats For Men and Boys



Scores and scores of Hats are here awaiting your selection—big hats, small hats—hats for men and hats for boys—hats at every price, every one of them correct in style. You will have no trouble in selecting a becoming style.

BOATERS

At **\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.75 and \$3.00**

These are all of good quality and light to wear. At this range of prices you may readily choose your summer hat.

WHY NOT A PANAMA?

You will get more real worth and satisfactory wear out of a Panama than you can possibly get out of any other hat. It is light and comfortable for the hot summer days and always looks well. You may have it blocked every spring and it will look and wear as good as new. Call and see the values you can get here for **\$3.50 or \$3.95**. These are fitted with black or Pugaree bands.

IMPORTED NATURAL PANAMAS, Unblocked, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50

Boys' Straw Hats, \$1.50

The bigger boy may be fitted from this large assortment with the Hat that suits him best. They are telescope shape and the very best value, **\$1.50**

Child's Straws in Sailor Styles With Name Band

This is a very select assortment, assembled with a view of giving the best service, and the prices according to quality are **\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75 to \$3.75**

There are also black and fawn straws in newest styles at **\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75**

Men's Garden Hats, 50c

This is a Hat you should have. Call and see them and take one home with you.

MEN'S CHIP STRAWS

In Fedora and round shape. Best value at **\$1.00 and \$1.50**

Three Dozen Only Men's Heavy Imported Cambric Outing or Business Shirts, Selling To-morrow for \$2.25 Each

This is one of the best values offered in this quality Shirt for a long time. They are imported and of British manufacture, which is a guarantee of value. The shirts are large in the body, with centre pleat and closed skirt. They have starched collar band and 2½ inch soft double cuff. The colors are blue, mauve or black stripes. Sizes 15 to 17 only. Regular \$2.75, selling for, each **\$2.25**



—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Cambric Pyjamas Special To-morrow a Suit \$1.50

They are made from fine cambric and are the correct weight for summer wear. They are nicely made and finished with pearl buttons and frog trimmings. The colors are blue, cream and white; sizes 36 to 42. Regular value, \$2.00, selling for **\$1.50**

Men's Pongee Silk Outing Shirts, Special \$5.75

They are made from white and natural shade Pongee silk of very best quality. A very stylish shirt that will give the wearer entire satisfaction in every way. They are stylishly made, with sports collar attached, to wear either open or closed. Sizes 14½, 15 and 15½. Special at **\$5.75**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Women's Pure Wool Sweaters, Coat Style, \$8.75

They are made in fancy stitch, with sailor collar, side pockets and girdle, and finished with tassel. The colors, turquoise trimmed with grey stripe and melon trimmed with white.

These are very pretty Sweaters, both serviceable and snug.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and Bunty's Skates

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Uncle Wiggly Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, was asleep in his hollow stump bungalow one morning, when he heard, as if in a dream, Nurse Jane Fussy ring the breakfast bell. "Oh! Um! Ah! I don't hardly believe I'll get up this morning!" said Uncle Wiggly, sort of stretchy like. "You may keep breakfast for me, Nurse Jane."

"Oh, Uncle Wiggly you must get up! You must get up! You must get up! Oh, Uncle Wiggly, you must get up! You must get up to-day Right away!" sang a jolly little voice.

Uncle Wiggly gave a sudden start. All his aches and pains seemed to go away at once, and he felt as shy as a new grasshopper.

"Hello! Who's down there?" he called from the top of the stairs, for the voice seemed to come from the dining room, down below. "Who wants me to get up?"

"It's Baby Bunty!" said Nurse Jane. "Have you forgotten that you brought her home from a hollow stump yesterday, and that she's going to live here?"

"Oh, I did forget!" cried Uncle Wiggly. "Is she still here?"

"Well, you'd better come down here and look after her while I get breakfast!" said Nurse Jane. "I never saw such a lively little rabbit before! She nearly jumped over the milk bottle while I had my back turned!"

Uncle Wiggly smiled until his pink nose twinkled on both sides at once.

"So Baby Bunty is lively, is she?" said the bunny gentleman. "Well, that's just what I need to keep me from getting old and stiff!"

"Hurry, Uncle Wiggly! Hurry!" called Baby Bunty.

"What's the hurry?" asked Mr. Longears, as he smoothed out his fur with a pine tree cone for a brush.

"Why, this is the first of May!" went on the little rabbit girl, who was going to live with Uncle Wiggly. "It's the first of May and we're going out and gather flowers to-day, tra-la!"

"Who's going?" asked Uncle Wiggly, as he came downstairs to breakfast.

"You and I are going to gather flowers. We'll have fun, many joyful hours!" sang Baby Bunty, as she danced about the breakfast room like a sunbeam playing tag with a pussy cat.

"Oh, ho! We'll see 'bout that!" said Uncle Wiggly. "Now you run out and play while I eat, and then we'll see what happens. Did you have your breakfast?"

"Oh, yes, Baby Bunty was up as soon as I was," said Nurse Jane.

Uncle Wiggly ate his breakfast slowly and carefully. He didn't like to hurry except when the Pipelace was chasing him. And after he had eaten Uncle Wiggly felt sort of lazy and comfortable.

"I'll play a little trick on Baby Bunty," he thought. "I'll tell her it will do my old bones good to go off in the damp woods so early in the morning to gather flowers. I'll wait until the sun is warmer. I'll just stay here

and go to sleep. She'll forget all about me."

"So Uncle Wiggly curled up in the easy chair, thinking how good it felt to rest his tired bones and joints. But, all of a sudden, as he was sort of dozing off to sleep, he heard Nurse Jane cry: "Oh, Uncle Wiggly! Come here! Come quickly! There goes Baby Bunty off on her skates!"

"Baby Bunty? Going off on her skates? Why, she hasn't any skates!" cried the bunny gentleman, suddenly waking up. "She's too little to have roller skates, and it isn't the time of year for ice skates. How you talk, Nurse Jane!"

"Well, there she goes, anyhow!" said the muskrat lady. "She's a lively little tyke, is Baby Bunty. She made herself a pair of roller skates out of some old-round clothespins, and there she goes on them, skating down the woodland path. You'd better run after her, Uncle Wiggly, or a bad fox may catch her!"

"That's so!" cried Uncle Wiggly. Then he forgot all about his stiff joints, and how he used to have rheumatism and all that. Away he hopped and ran and leaped and jumped after Baby Bunty. And away the little Bunty went on her clothespin roller skates.

"Come on, Uncle Wiggly!" she cried to him. "See if you can catch me!"

Well, Uncle Wiggly finally did, but it was hard work, and he was out of breath when he finally ran and caught up to Baby Bunty that he could hardly twinkle his pink nose at all.

"Isn't this jolly!" laughed the tyke. "Now we can get May flowers! I wanted you to be lively and come, and you did. You came right after me!"

"Yes, but you led me quite a chase!" panted Uncle Wiggly. "However, I guess I feel better after it. I'm not stiff now!" And he wasn't a bit, and he and Baby Bunty gathered a fine bouquet of May blossoms. And if the molasses jug doesn't get stuck in the alley when it's trying to run through and tag the sugar cookie, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly and Bunty's ride.

A SUCCESSFUL DANCE

Resthaven Patients Entertained at Delightful Affair at Alexandra House.

Some three hundred dancers made the ball given at the Alexandra House last night, under the direction of the Resthaven Committee, a complete success from every standpoint.

Headed by Capt. Pearce, some forty of the patients, drove in by trolley or came by train early in the evening and were accompanied by Nursing Sisters Carr, Mulhall and Pegram and by the following energetic committee, which managed the function: Pte. Gardner, secretary-treasurer; Lieut. Atkins, M.C., and Messrs. Callow, Sprinkling, Noel, Carter and Evans.

The work of Mrs. George Simpson was evident in the arrangements, while Mrs. J. D. Pemberton and Messrs. Callow, who provided flowers for the decoration of the supper tables, helped in no small way to make the affair the success it was. Thanks are also due to the members of the I.O.D.E., who generously allowed their decorations to be used in the ballroom, and to the numerous contributors of cakes and mid-winter for the delicious supper.

The music was supplied by Miss Thain's popular orchestra.

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

LADY BARNARD "AT HOME" TO I. O. D. E.

Delightful Function for Provincial Chapter at Government House Last Evening

A delightful culmination to the two days' session of the Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., was furnished at Government House last night when Lady Barnard, the honorary president of the Order in British Columbia was at home to the members and visiting delegates. The visitors were received by the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard in the spacious drawing-room, the beautiful floral decorations of which formed an effective setting to the brilliant scene.

Under the direction of Miss McGregor, the following students of the B. C. Academy of Music rendered an attractive musical programme, this feature being staged in the ball-room: Mrs. Godson, Miss Lugrin, Miss Mona Misener, Miss Winifred Bell, Miss Lotus Griffiths, Miss Dorothy Dorvill, Miss Southwell, Miss May Mitchell, vocal selections; Miss Griffiths, Miss May Mitchell and Mrs. Wendell Shaw shared the role of accompanist, and Miss Kathryn Bradshaw played violin obligatos to several of the vocal numbers, adding much to their charm.

A delicious buffet supper was served in the dining-room, where the daintily appointed table was further beautified by floral decorations of pale pink anemones and asparagus fern, the illumination from the lighted candelabras casting a soft radiance over the animated scene.

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Mrs. Julia Henshaw is in the city.
Captain and Mrs. George Wright are in the city from Calgary.
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mould, of Cleveland, are visiting in the city.
Alan Guinness, of London, England, arrived in the city yesterday.
R. T. Ward, of Bullion, Cariboo, is staying at the Dominion Hotel.
E. C. MacMillan, of Toronto, registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday.
Dr. L. W. Roberts, of Sydney, Australia, is staying at the Empress Hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Saunders, of Winnipeg, are staying at the Empress Hotel.
G. E. Gilley, of New Westminster, arrived at the Dominion Hotel yesterday.
Miss Ethyl Aylwin passed through the city on Tuesday on her way home to Vancouver from Pasadena and Los Angeles, Cal. She was met here by her sister, Miss Ruby Aylwin, of Mackay.
Miss Cora Hind, of the editorial staff of The Winnipeg Free Press, who has been a guest at the James Bay Hotel for some weeks past, has gone out to Elk Lake, where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stone.
Through an error the name of Mrs. Crawford, of Vancouver, was inserted in the list of Provincial Councillors elected at the Chapter's session and published yesterday. This should have read: "Mrs. Dennis Cox, of Victoria."

rites of the Greek Church, of which the prince is a member. The couple received many presents, including jewelry from the King and Queen, other members of the royal household, diplomats and politicians. The prince gave his bride jewels of great value, which had belonged to his mother.

Everything is in readiness for the dance to be given under the auspices of the Willows Camp Chapter at the Empress Hotel to-morrow night, a large committee of the girl-members having been working indefatigably to attain the success of this function in aid of their funds. No efforts have been spared to ensure the comfort and enjoyment of patrons, and the dance bids fair to add another to the laurels already earned by this chapter as promoters of delightful social affairs. The event will have the distinguished patronage of the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard, Major-General Leckie and Capt. Martin. Professor Turner's orchestra will render an especially alluring programme of the very latest dance music.

VANCOUVER TO BE NEW I.O.D.E. HEADQUARTERS

For Provincial Chapter; Mrs. R. C. Boyle, of Mainland City, New President

After holding the office of president since the inception of the Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., Mrs. Henry Croft tendered her resignation at the annual meeting which concluded its sessions yesterday, and in her stead Mrs. R. C. Boyle, of Vancouver, will guide the destinies of the chapter during the coming year. Other officers elected were: Honorary vice-president, Mrs. Croft; first vice-president, Mrs. E. S. Hasell; second vice-president, Mrs. A. U. de Pencier, Vancouver; organizing secretary, Mrs. Boynton; educational secretary, Mrs. C. D. Neroutos; Echoes secretary, Mrs. Cecil Cookson; standard-bearer, Mrs. T. W. Major, New Westminster. The election of a secretary and treasurer will be left to the Provincial executive. The provincial headquarters will be in Vancouver.

War Memorial Scheme.

Mrs. Neroutos, educational secretary, introduced a resolution bearing upon the form which the I. O. D. E. national memorial to fallen soldiers should take. Suggestions emanating from the National Committee included the endowment of a chair of history in one of the universities; memorial lectures to be given by eminent speakers on the subjects relating to the war; presentation of pictures depicting the actions of Canadians in the war to Canadian schools; historical libraries and lantern lectures on subjects of general interest, and the fourth, favored by the meeting as its choice, was for the endowment of scholarships for war-orphans, of whom there were over 30,000.

The meeting went on record in favor of the establishment of scholarships for the children of fallen soldiers, feeling that the men themselves would have wished their children to receive the best educational advantages possible. Mrs. Hasell, who will represent the Provincial Chapter at the annual meeting of the National Chapter, was instructed to vote accordingly on this matter.

High Cost of Living.

A resolution forwarded from the Allies Chapter of Sidney, and moved by Mrs. Simister was read as follows: "Whereas, in our opinion, the high cost of living is causing general dissatisfaction and unrest, and the need of food has caused the downfall of Russia, and the swamping of several countries with Bolshevism, the need of the Government making a strong stand in the matter is still most necessary, and,

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"Be it resolved, that the Dominion Government be petitioned to control the prices of foodstuffs."

In the ensuing discussion the high price of butter was referred to, Mrs. Leather, of Duncan, defending the farmers by quoting the high cost of labor.

Mrs. Simister spoke to the motion pointing out that in a family of small means where the high prices of food necessitated a curtailment of the necessities of life, the women and children were the sufferers.

Cottage Homes.

The chapter decided to include in its programme of work for the raising of a "compassionate" fund and the establishment of cottage homes for children orphaned by the war. F. Giolma, M. P. F., who was present and spoke briefly on the subject, advocated the cottage system of caring for groups of youngsters under the direction of a motherly, sympathetic woman, rather than establishing one big institution. The chapter will also include this among its new activities.

Capt. Julia Henshaw, of Vancouver, gave an interesting address on her experiences in civilian relief work in France, appealing to the members of the chapter to give their support to "France's Day" this year, when the funds derived by the street collections would be devoted to the rehabilitation of the civil population of the devastated areas of France.

Life Memberships.

Mrs. Martindale, of Nanaimo, gave notice of a motion, asking for a ruling that greater importance and care be placed upon the awarding of life memberships, which she declared should be bestowed only upon such members as have merited the award. The speaker voiced the opinion that such decorations should be regarded much the same as the soldier regards his military decoration, and should be bestowed with the same care.

The meeting decided to hold the next annual provincial meeting and also the next quarterly meeting of the order to give their support to the chapter in Vancouver, and special general meetings will be held at various points in the Province, from which special invitations had been received. Many notes of thanks were extended before the meeting concluded. Mrs. McCullough, of Nelson, tendering appreciation of the courtesies extended to the visiting delegates by the Provincial and Municipal Chapters.

Resolutions Passed.

Resolutions of loyalty were passed to their Majesties, and to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire during the afternoon. A pleasing incident was the presentation to Mrs. Curtis Sampson by Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, on behalf of the Victoria Municipal Chapter, of a life membership in recognition of her devoted services as Municipal Treasurer. The presentation was accompanied by the gift of a bouquet of carnations.

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2nd C. M. R. Association Organized Last Night; Col. Johnston as President

The 2nd C. M. R. Association came into being last night at a meeting of former members of the battalion held in the Union Bank Building, and its destinies in the coming year will be guided by the following officers: Lieut.-Col. G. C. Johnston, elected president by acclamation; vice-president, Dr. W. B. Barty; secretary-treasurer, W. C. Warren, and an executive of five including Major F. B. Edwards, Lt. Booth, W. H. Nash, W. Wilson and E. Palmer. Although the association was already in the embryo stages, last night's meeting was the first held since the battalion's return from overseas service.

Major Barty, who presided, gave a brief history of the steps taken towards organization and in connection with the recent reception to the battalion and to Lieut.-Col. Johnston, the O. C. Happy reference was made to the local Chapters of the L. O. D. E., and other friends whose efforts contribute so largely to the success of the reception, and the secretary was instructed to incorporate their names in the original minutes of the Association. The meeting decided to perpetuate the name of the battalion by providing permanent headquarters for the Association. The constitution and by-laws will be drawn up and considered at the next meeting, and the hope was expressed that ex-members of the battalion throughout the Province would send in their names and addresses, when copies of the constitution would be later forwarded.

A committee, of which Major Thos. Godfrey is convener, and comprising Messrs. Barty, Edwards, Foster, Wilson Oxberry and Booth was appointed to deal with the membership clause, and will announce its decision before the next meeting. At the conclusion of the election of officers Major Barty relinquished the chair to Col. Johnston and took occasion to pay tribute to the work of Major Edwards and others on the reception and organizing committees. The meeting passed a hearty vote of thanks to Major Barty for his efforts in bringing the organization to such a happy culmination.

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WAS A MISTAKE

Mrs. Wardale's Name Appears Erroneously in Police Court Records.

Police records last week show that the name of Mrs. W. G. Wardale, of 713 Port Street, was called in the Police Court in answer to a charge of keeping her store open on Wednesday afternoon (April 23) contrary to the

PRIVATE G. C. HODGE GOES TO COMMISSION

Appointed by the Provincial Government as Travelling Representative

ONE BOY BURGLAR GETS SIX MONTHS

Six Other Lads Are Allowed Out on Suspended Sentence; Magistrate Warns Them

Four of the youthful burglars who perpetrated a number of robberies in this city during the past few months were allowed out on suspended sentence by Magistrate Jay in the police court this morning. The fifth lad, however, was sent to jail for six months owing to the fact that he had two previous convictions against him. Two juveniles who came up in the juvenile court later this morning on charges arising out of the same robberies, were also allowed out on suspended sentence.

In passing sentence on the lad who, under a six months' imprisonment, Magistrate Jay said he was sorry to see the prisoner go for his third offence. In Vancouver a few months ago he had been convicted of stealing a motor car, and had been allowed out on suspended sentence. About six weeks ago he had been in the Victoria court on a similar charge and leniency had been used in passing sentence. The boy was to have done one month but was released before the time. The magistrate pointed out to the boy the disrespect he had cast on his mother, who, although ill, had done her best to bring him up properly, but this effort was not appreciated.

In regard to the other four boys, Magistrate Jay regretted to see them in court on such serious charges. It was not only bad for themselves but also for their parents. The disgrace was not in being brought to court, but in the crimes which they had committed. In allowing them out on suspended sentence, the magistrate added a rider that three of the lads report to him once a month for the next six months, and he hoped to see an improvement in their conduct. If they did not go to school he would like to see them get into good employment. Magistrate Jay also gave good advice to the two juveniles before he let them go.

The parents of the boys are making arrangements to compensate the storekeepers whose premises were broken into and goods and cash taken. This gang of youthful criminals was arrested after a clever piece of work by Detectives Heather and Phipps. For four months the police had been baffled as to the parties who were breaking into a great many stores. They had followed many unsuccessful clues, but finally picked up a thread which ultimately placed them in possession of the seven lads, who pleaded guilty to no less than eight charges of burglary.

Auxiliary Will Meet.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Comrades of the Great War will hold the regular meeting at the club rooms to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

PRIVATE G. C. HODGE GOES TO COMMISSION

Appointed by the Provincial Government as Travelling Representative

Private G. C. Hodge, formerly a member of the Seventh Battalion, has been appointed by the Provincial Government to the position of travelling representative for the Provincial Returned Soldiers Commission, with headquarters in Vancouver. It will be the duty of Mr. Hodge to take up the work carried on by Secretary Pyke, who now finds that the increasing detail work of the office demands the whole of his time. For many months past he has met the trains conveying men back to British Columbia, and during the journey from the eastern section of the Province to the coast his assistance to the men homeward bound has been highly valuable.

Mr. Hodge is well-known in British Columbia and will be particularly remembered on the coast for his active interest in all kinds of athletics. For fifteen years he held the position of District Superintendent for the B. C. Telephone Company, stationed at Nelson. He enlisted in the ranks of the Western Irish in 1916, and finally reached the Seventh Battalion in the trenches with a reinforcing draft. After a spell in the front line Private Hodge was drafted to the Canadian Corps Signals, with which unit he went to Bonn, finally returning to Canada with the Seventh on Friday last.

WEIRD CODE LEADS MAN INTO TROUBLE

Found guilty on a charge of stealing a grip the property of G. Zarelli, of Great Falls, Montana, from the Dominion Hotel, Jonas Petersen was sent to jail for one month by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning. Petersen entered a most unusual defence, stating that a code told him to take the grip as the things in it were his own size, and would be useful to him.

Petersen who came over from Vancouver about two months ago, went to the Dominion Hotel one morning and registered, but did not get a room. While waiting there passengers from the steamer Sol Duc arrived. The grip of Mr. Zarelli was left in the hotel, and later in the day was reported missing. Several nights ago Petersen wandered into the police station and stated that he had a grip in his room at the Westholme Hotel which he had taken from the Dominion. Detective Phipps went with the man and secured the grip and contents, and Petersen returned to the station, and was charged with theft.

Petersen in trying to excuse his action stated that he had suffered mental collapses at different times, and that he had no intention of stealing. A code told him that things he wanted were in the grip, and he took it. Many of the things were his size, and he was wearing them when arrested.

OBITUARY RECORD

Thomas Dewhurst, a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years, passed away at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday afternoon. He was seventy-two years of age, an Englishman by birth, and was a member of the Stonecutters' Union of this city. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3.30 from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Ward passed away at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday afternoon at the age of sixty-three years. She was born in Sunderland, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past five months, residing with her son-in-law, S. Atkinson, of 238 Mills Street, Fowl Bay. The remains are deposited at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will be held at 3.45 to-morrow afternoon, Rev. W. Boyd officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CLERGY AND LAITY SHOULD INTERMINGLE

Says Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, in Addressing Rotary Club To-day

Why a clergyman should not hold aloof from the laity, but should associate with the man on the street was explained to the Rotary Club to-day by Rotarian the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, who entertained the Club to a delightful luncheon in St. John's Church, of which he is rector. "The trouble and the misfortune with most clergymen," said Mr. Chadwick, "is that they do not—and often on account of the standards set up for them cannot—mix with business men on the street. They hold aloof and the scope and sphere of their work as a result is limited. In spite of all criticism I have maintained an independent attitude on this subject, and I find that the Rotary Club is a splendid medium through which to meet and see the views of men."

Continuing to describe the true ideals of Rotary, Mr. Chadwick emphasized that it stood for service in the place of self. Selfishness, he declared, was a disease against which Rotary was making a strong and successful fight. That Mr. Chadwick is one of the most popular and respected men in the Rotary Club was evidenced by the storm of applause which greeted his remarks.

As ladies were invited to the luncheon the Rotarians who failed to bring their wives were duly censured and fined seventy-five cents. A total of \$17.50 to aid in the collection for the Salvation Army was thus secured. The Club's thanks to the ladies of the Church who served the delicious luncheon were expressed in three hearty cheers, and the gathering adjourned from the Sunday School room to the Church proper to hear a beautiful organ recital by G. Jennings Burnett.

SHRINE NOVICES TO CROSS BURNING SANDS

Of international interest generally and of particular importance to all Nobles of the Mystic Shrine resident in British Columbia and the adjoining States of the Union, is the Ceremonial Session of the Ancient Arabic Order which is scheduled to take place in Vancouver on Saturday next. Visitors from Gizeh Temple of this city; of Afton Temple, Tacoma; of Al Kader Temple, Portland, and of Nile Temple, Seattle, will be in attendance in force. Ellis L. Garretson, Imperial Chief Rabbat, will make an official visit escorted by the full band and patrol of Afton Temple, of Tacoma. Nile Temple, of Seattle, also intends to send its band and patrol. Al Kader Temple, of Portland, will be represented by its Divan of thirty-seven members, under whose immediate direction the work of the session will be conducted. The Victoria and Seattle Temples will give the "novices" the benefit of their vast experience in the "consolation" end of the session. About fifty ladies will accompany the

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United States Nobles, and ample arrangements have been made for their entertainment while their "mythic" better halves proceed to tackle the "serious" duties ahead of them. Gizeh Temple, of Victoria, has now attained a membership of 650, and it is anticipated that a class of seventy-five will cross the "burning sands" at this session.

Returned To-Day.—Private West was the only veteran to return to-day, reaching Victoria on the afternoon boat.

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ROYAL VICTORIA
Norma Talmadge, the beautiful Select star, will be presented by Joseph M. Schenck in her latest Select Picture,

"The Heart of Wetona," at the Royal Victoria again to-night. This is an Indian story by George Scarborough. The scenario was written by Mary Murillo, and it was directed by Sidney A. Franklin.
The story begins when Quannah, chief of a tribe of Comanche Indians, learns that his daughter, Wetona, has been wronged by a white man. Wetona's mother was a white woman and Wetona has been brought up as a white girl.
The Comanches decide to seek vengeance. They will find the man who has wronged the daughter of the chief of their tribe and put him to death. Wetona refuses to tell the name of her

TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Princess—R. N. Hincks and Company present "What Happened to Jones."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Royal Victoria—Norma Talmadge in "The Heart of Wetona."
Columbia—Miss Alice Brady in "The Trap."
Dominion—Eliot Dexter and Gloria Swanson in "Don't Change Your Husband."
Romano—"The Grouch," featuring Montague Love.
Variety—Geraldine Farrar in "Shadows" and Houdini in "The Master Mystery."

lover. All she will tell her father is that he is a white man.
She goes to John Hardin, the agent in charge of the reservation, and the only white man the Indians trust, to ask him to save her lover. While she is talking to Hardin, Quannah in his search for the man who wronged his daughter sees Wetona and Hardin talking so intimately together that he judges Hardin must be his daughter's lover. Hardin, in order to save Wetona, offers to marry her. Tony, a good-for-nothing, is the man Wetona loves. Later her eyes are opened to the kind of a man he really is, and she has a change of heart. Hardin is the lucky man this time.

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The wonderful interior settings for "Don't Change Your Husband," which will be shown at the Dominion Theatre

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this week, were designed by Wilfred Buckland, art director, whose hand is responsible for so much that is highly artistic in Arcraft and Paramount films. These settings, it is said, have never been surpassed in screen productions. This is a Cecil B. DeMille Arcraft production.

VARIETY

Geraldine Farrar's reputation for sartorial splendor is such that she is at her wit's end to outdo herself in each succeeding Goldwyn Picture. For she contends that the first duty of a star is to interest her audience no less by her acting than by her appearance. It is known that she international celebrity never wears the same gown in public twice. After a costume has served its purpose either in opera, on the concert stage or in Goldwyn Pictures it is cast aside. What does Geraldine Farrar do with all the wraps, hats, dresses, and accessories she uses once and no more? Everything goes to the Stage Women's War Relief at monthly intervals. Sold to actresses at a fraction of their cost, the proceeds are devoted to the work of the organization now that the war is over. In "Shadows," newest of her series of Goldwyn Pictures, in which the diva appears at the Variety again to-day, she wears beautiful creations that cannot fail to delight the feminine eye.

ROMANO

In the presentation of "The Grouch," featuring Montague Love, which will be seen for the first time on the Roman screen to-day, a most engrossing sort of tale will be unfolded. It is a thrilling production giving splendid opportunity for the display of the genius of Mr. Love. It has a novel educational interest as well, for the patrons of the theatre will have an opportunity to view a strange race of people who inhabit the inaccessible swamps of North Carolina. These people, called the Okfees, have long been one of the mysteries of this country. A hundred different tales have been told of their origin. The most reliable information credits them with being the descendants of a crew of pirates who when closely pursued by enemies were compelled to take refuge in the bayous con-

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in
"The Heart of Wetona"
Also Comedy: "Why Worry"

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uous to Cape Fear River. The management has made a matinee special for children for this programme in consequence of the opening episode of the "Hand of Vengeance," which will be shown. All children under fourteen years of age were admitted free to the theatre this afternoon and will be again to-morrow afternoon.

COLUMBIA

When "The Trap" is viewed on the screen at the Columbia Theatre for the remaining days of this week, Miss Alice Brady, the attractive and talented screen star, will be seen in one of the very best parts she has yet essayed. She portrays the role of a village maiden who runs away and becomes an artist's model. She thinks she is forced to do this because of force of circumstances. Her mother had eloped with her lover; it was a narrow-minded village anyway, she didn't approve of the "honest" young man the meddlers had picked out for her, so she simply ran away with an artist chap who chanced to visit the place. She wins fame and fortune as an artist's model in Greenwich Village, New York. But, physically alluring, she is caught in a net of circumstances in which her mother's history again plays a part. She is separated from luxury in this man's home by a real man who becomes her husband, after some unusual scenes are staged.

PRINCESS

To-night the inimitable Jones, his associates and his victims will once more delight the audience with their skillful interpretation of George Broadhurst's world famous farce, "What Happened to Jones." The many complicated and amusing situations so delightfully handled by Mrs. D'Oyly Rochfort, Mr. R. N. Hincks and the other members of the very excellent cast never fail to please and gain the laughter as well as the plaudits of the audience.

To-night's performance, the eighth of the present run will be witnessed by many who have signified their intention of seeing the production for the second time, and it is in the highest terms of praise that this performance is recommended to those who wish to see a high class entertainment of the most enjoyable kind.

PANTAGES

The trials and tribulations of a song writer and his wife, who take a motorcycle trip across the desert in search of atmosphere or a band of Indians are comically brought forth in the humorous sketch, "It Happened in Arizona" at the Pantages this week. When the couple make their first entrance the music has ceased to work; the engine is stalled. The wife doesn't like the idea of walking back two miles to a ranch-house for help, so she takes the lunch basket, in which reposes a bottle of wine, and begins to eat and drink. In consequence she makes merry—very merry. The resulting dialogue is humorous in the extreme, and after several minutes of rapid joking she sits down on the sand with a robe around her. She takes feather and sticks it in her hair and she resembles an Indian squaw. Her husband, the song-writer, immediately sets his idea and she acts close with his recitation in a fine tenor voice of the song he is seeking.

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Duncan, May 1.—William Melvin Davie, brother of the late Theodore Davie, former Premier of British Columbia, was found dead at his home at Somenos, near Duncan, on Monday evening.
He had lived the life of a recluse for many years, holding himself apart from everyone and had evidently been dead for at least a week. On his person were found two worn purses containing \$240 worth of Bank of British Columbia notes, and \$190 in old American gold pieces.
Born at Lyme Regis, Dorsetshire, England, seventy-three years ago, he came over to Vancouver Island with his father, the late Dr. Davie, when a boy. He took up land and had lived at Somenos for over fifty years.
He leaves a brother, Horace, at Somenos, and an unmarried sister in the United States. Death from natural causes was the verdict of a coroner's

Dorothy Bernard, Well Known To Local Filmdom, In Play At Royal Victoria Shortly



Dorothy Bernard, who plays the role of Marcelle in "The Man Who Came Back," was born in Port Elizabeth, South Africa. Her mother was Scottish-Irish, born in Sligo; her father was English and partly Jewish and was born in London. Her grandfather, Joseph Bernard Simmons, was a dramatic critic for The London Times, "The Thunderer," and his son (Dorothy's father) dropped the family name and was known as William Bernard. Her parents were globe-trotting actors and that is how the young star happened to be born in South Africa. The Bernards came to New York with the Keadels when she was but five years old. For three years Dorothy played child roles with Roland Reed and other Charles Frohman stars. She was educated in San Francisco and Los Angeles and has played in stock in

Portland and all over the Pacific Coast. About sixteen years ago she played "Little Eva" in an all-star production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and she has played the role of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" in another all-star cast. In London Miss Bernard has appeared with Dion Boucicault and has played with Nance O'Neil in Australia. Quite some globe-trotter herself. Between times Dorothy has made an enviable reputation in "the movies." Picture fans will recall her fine work in "Fine Feathers," "A Man of Sorrows" and "Les Miserables," and last but not least, her "Jo" in Brady's film production of "Little Women."

DUNCAN EX-SOLDIER TO ONTARIO FARM

Duncan, May 1.—Miss Louise Grover and Mr. Jasper Grover left Duncan yesterday for Vancouver en route to Ontario. Mr. Grover, who some time ago returned from overseas wounded and a short time ago resumed his work in the Duncan branch of the Bank of Commerce, will spend the summer on a farm in order to recuperate. Mr. Grover is a grandson of the late Mrs. Farrer, of Duncan, and has many relatives in Ontario.
Mr. and Mrs. Fenn, formerly of Duncan, spent a few days here after their return from England. They have re-

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Inquest Verdict.—An inquest held over the remains of Chan Foo yesterday decided that death had resulted from natural causes.

Reformed Episcopal Church Ladies will hold a bazaar May 7, 911 Hinton Building. Afternoon tea a specialty.

Evinrude.—New 1919 Models, just received. A large stock of repair parts kept in stock. Bring your motors and have them repaired, and put in good running order for the season to A. A. Sears, 906 Market Street, distributor for B. C. Phone 2513.

Members of the Women's Auxiliary, to the Army and Navy Veterans, intending visiting Esquimalt Convalescent Hospital Thursday night, please meet at Sailors' Club, Admirals Road, at 7:30 o'clock.

Big Rummage Sale.—Tuesday, May 7, 10 a. m., at 1412 Douglas Street, by "J" Unit Chapter, I. O. D. E. Friends and members who have articles to donate, phone 5201R.

Many Will Fly This Summer.—Better keep the flies out of your home with our reliable fly screens, sizes from 25c to \$1.25; Screen Doors, \$2.50 to \$5, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1202 Douglas St. Union Store.

Pioneers to Organize.—The 1st Pioneer Battalion will hold their organization meeting this evening at 8 o'clock at the Commodore's Club, Douglas Street, and not at the Belmont Block, as previously arranged. It is hoped that all members of the Battalion will make an effort to attend.

Voters' Registration.—As a good deal of misunderstanding seems to prevail respecting the closing of the Provincial voters' lists the Registrar of Voters calls attention to the fact that the first Monday in May and the first Monday in October are the closing days for receiving applications for the Provincial list. The fact that in 1917 the time was extended until the second Monday in May in order to allow women to register, seems to be the reason for the misunderstanding, and quite a number of women have been applying for registration of late.

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LIEUT. CREECH IS HOME
Left Here With 62nd Battery in 1916; Lieut. Hilary Littler Also Returns.

Lieut. William Creech, well-known in this city, has returned from overseas service. "Bill" left here with the 62nd Battery in May, 1916, and went to France as Quartermaster-Sergeant in the 51st Battery. He was moved to England in March of last year to take out a commission and joined the 5th Battery in France shortly before armistice. He went through to the Rhine with the First Division.

Lieut. Hilary Littler, son of the Rev. C. R. and Mrs. Littler, of Royal Oak, is home after a very long spell of service. He went away with the 20th Battalion and was in the line for thirty-two months, when he was sent to England to study for a commission. On his return to France he saw another year of active service. Prior to enlisting in 1914, Lieut. Littler was employed at the Bank of Montreal.

WAS CHARTER MEMBER

MRS. MARGARET JENKINS former member of the Victoria Board of School Trustees who is the only remaining charter member of Triumph Lodge, No. 16, of the International Order of Good Templars. The Templars will celebrate the 23rd anniversary of the institution of the lodge on May 4 and 5.

Social Dance in Patricia Hall, Saturday evening, May 3. Dancing 8.45 to 11.45. Perry's Orchestra. Ladies 25c., gents 50c.

Ex-Service Men's Association.—An echo of the trouble that arose at the meeting of the Ex-Service Men, Dependents and Relatives of Sailors and Soldiers' Association of Victoria, when one half of the members withdrew from the meeting, is contained in the notice of a general meeting of the association to be held this evening at the Belmont Building. The resolution which was passed at a meeting April 2, that no members should hold executive office in any other political association or service men's organizations, will again come up for consideration. It is suggested that all business transacted on April 2 after the motion was passed be declared void. The election of officers was one of the items of business carried out after the passing of the resolution and the election of a new set of officers is forecasted.

MEASURES TO REMEDY SCHOOL CONGESTION

Measures to remedy the present condition of congestion in some of the local schools are now being put into effect. Work on the wooden annex to the George Jay School has already commenced and is progressing rapidly. To alleviate the lamentable conditions at the Spring Ridge School, which has been receiving the attention of the School Board recently, a hall belonging to the Baptist Church will be taken over immediately. The Oaklands School is still under consideration, but a decision to build an addition, as has been suggested, has not yet been made. The King's Road School is also receiving attention. It is thought that if the Trustees decide to do anything they will order the tearing down of the old building, and the construction of a new structure, as had been originally contemplated. It is probable that the School Trustees will meet some time next week to consider with representatives of the teachers certain details with regard to the present salary scale.

Campbell's Adzes, \$5.50; Campbell's Slicks, \$5.25; Campbell's Ship Axes, \$5.50. R. A. Brown & Co., 1202 Douglas St. Union Store.

North Ward Red Cross.—The regular monthly meeting of the North Ward Committee was held in the Scott Building on Monday evening. The treasurer's report for the month showed receipts \$105.42, disbursements \$98.25. As the work in hand is completed it was decided that no more sewing meetings would be held, and that the furniture being no longer necessary, those who kindly had lent same should be free to take it away by first notifying the convener by telephone of their intention. As the card parties will be continued for some time, and the card tables and chairs will be in the building it was decided to renew the insurance. This being the only activity it was deemed unnecessary to call the committee together and Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. Fulton and Mrs. Clark were empowered to transact the business of the branch until the card parties ceased. The rooms will be open on Saturday from 2 to 5 for receipt of work still out.

Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings for the week ending to-day were \$2,231,063 compared with \$2,196,200 in the corresponding week of 1918.

Y. W. C. A. Sale of Home Cooking. Saturday, May 3, 10 a. m., at Spencer's Store, View Street entrance.

Truck in Flames.—While Chief Vernon Stewart and his secretary were touting about town yesterday on an inspection trip they suddenly came upon a motor truck in flames. They were thus able to extinguish a fire which threatened to demolish Simon Leiser & Co.'s lorry.

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OUTSIDE UNIONS TAKE A HAND IN CIVIC DISPUTE

Will Meet Mayor About Dismissal of President of Protective Association

The situation at the City Hall, caused by the dismissal of Isaac Byers, President of the Civic Employees' Protective Association appears to be assuming serious proportions as other organizations get into line behind the civic workers. This afternoon the Mayor will discuss the matter with a delegation composed of the presidents of the Trades and Labor Council, the Metal Trades Council, the Firemen's Union, the Police Union, and the Protective Association. While there seems to be a genuine effort at compromise, and while the discussion will be merely preliminary to any action that may be decided upon, a remark of E. S. Woodward, President of the Trades and Labor Council, seems significant.

Behind Civic Employees.
"There is no question of the unions being behind the Civic Employees," said Mr. Woodward. "We are behind them heartily."
The discussion with the Mayor will serve to make both sides of the question clear, so that the unions may act with full knowledge of the case. In the meantime the civic employees are waiting for the outcome of the conference before holding a meeting to consider the matter further.

There is no doubt apparently that members of the Council realize that a serious situation has arisen, and the Mayor this morning was in conference with Water Commissioner Preston, who claims full responsibility for the dismissal of Mr. Byers. It is understood that Mr. Preston is not inclined to abandon his stand which, he states, was taken purely in an effort to bring more efficiency into his Department.

A Coincidence.
The idea that the dismissal of the Association President was intended as a veiled blow to that organization is strongly repudiated by Mayor Porter. The fact that the two former presidents were likewise dismissed is purely a coincidence, he declares. His Worship expresses confidence that the matter will be straightened out amicably without the necessity of the extreme measures which the Protective Association appears ready to adopt if necessary.

TWO COMPETITORS HAVE ENTERED CONTEST FOR MOST POPULAR GIRL

In order to provide every facility for a thorough contest which will be representative of the city, during the ballot for the most popular girl in connection with the service men's pageant on May 24, the votes will be received in any ballot boxes on this occasion, instead of at specific boxes as was done on the previous occasion.

There are now two entries for the contest, Miss Nora Moore, the nominee of the Women's Auxiliary of the Great War Veterans' Association, and Miss Grace Stevenson, on behalf of the Foundation Company.

There will be 250 boxes to receive ballots scattered throughout the city. Nomination will be accepted by the Secretary of the Great War Veterans, A. E. Prescott, or by R. P. McLernan, House Secretary of the Foundation Club. Early application is desirable if the candidates are to be placed on an even handicap for the contest.

NATIVE SON APPOINTED TO IMPORTANT POST

T. D. Fawcett, native son of Victoria, employed for some five years in the British Columbia Coast Service of the C. P. R., and recently connected with steamboating on Puget Sound, has been promoted to and named official for the Navy Yard route of steamers in Seattle. The recognition has come after valued services rendered at Bremerton during a year as agent for the Navy Yard route steamship line. Mr. Fawcett will in a few days relinquish local duties to take a position as assistant to Capt. W. E. Mitchell, port superintendent, in Seattle. His duties will cover the departments of traffic agent and steam-official.

The recognition is a substantial testimonial. In a year of service at Bremerton, Mr. Fawcett has made many friends and his labors on behalf of his employing company have been always recognized. "He leaves the community," says a Bremerton paper, "with a splendid record, and the community's satisfaction that close association with local business life is to continue."

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This trouble is most distressing, and is caused from a cold that has settled in the throat.

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So great has been the success of "Dr. Wood's" in curing coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., it is only natural that many imitations have been placed on the market. The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees in a trade mark; price 25c. and 50c. Manufactured only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST WORLD

TYEES NEW PITCHER TRIED OUT YESTERDAY

Shut Out for Amateurs With Al Bonner on the Mound

Jim Brown's boys had little difficulty last night in shutting out the amateurs by five runs to nothing. Al Bonner, who has just arrived on the scene to twirl for the Tyees, was on the mound and had things all his own way.

There was a good crowd out to see the Tyees working, and the latest addition to the pitching staff was the cause of a lot of congratulation among the fans.

Box score table for the Tyees vs amateurs game, listing players like F. Brown, Moran, Green, etc.

Summary of game statistics including runs, hits, errors, and fielding percentages for both teams.

TYEES PLAY TWO GAMES AT VANCOUVER FRIDAY

There will be no game at Athletic Park, Vancouver, between the Vancouver Beavers and the Victoria Tyees, of the International Northwestern League, until Friday.

LACROSSE

J. B. Burton, of the Sidney Athletic Association, sends in a challenge to play at Sidney Saturday to any Victoria lacrosse team, mentioning the Veterans, Foundation or Nationals.

The desire to see Boss Johnson back in the amateur game may have something to do with the Victoria men's views.

In any event the Mann Cup rules prohibit a reinstated professional from taking part in the series.

President Christopher sends out another reminder of the meeting of the Victoria Lacrosse Association to be held Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Dominion Hotel.

"WINGED V" AWARDED TO CLUB MEMBERS

V. I. A. A. Has Distinctive Badge to Honor Stars of Club

The "winged V," the new emblem of the Vancouver Island Athletic Association to members of the club who have won distinction in sport, has been awarded as follows, according to announcement made at the meeting of the executive last night:

First Class—Miss Audrey Griffin, for winning The Times long distance swim, breaking the Pacific Northwest record for the fifty yards' swim and for winning the P. N. A. A. championship for fifty yards and 60 yards.

Mrs. H. Martin for winning the P. N. A. championship for fifty yards breast stroke swimming.

Herbert Calder, for spectacular high-diving exhibitions during the season of 1918 and for winning points at the Vancouver gala last summer.

SWIMMING CLUB HAS WONDERFUL SUCCESS

Foundation Company Aggregation Numbers 700; Big Event Proposed; Dance Wednesday

The Foundation Company Swimming Club probably ranks first in history for its meteor-like growth. The organization of the club was completed on April 24, and according to Secretary L. D. Lord there are already 700 members.

While it is almost too early to enter fully into the swimming game, the Foundation Club has already paved the way for some interesting events for the time "when the water is warm."

The executive of the club will meet the executive of the J. B. A. A. with a view to arranging a joint gala event on Dominion Day, July 1. It is proposed to have a great big "free for all" affair, and that the J. B. A. A. will provide the rowing excitement while the Foundation aggregation will supply the elements in some of the speedier amateur swimming events ever staged in Victoria.

The club will elect its first social secretary at a later date. W. L. Locke, W. H. Kennedy and C. Schenck were elected to the executive to represent the Assembly Plant.

The club will hold its first social event on Wednesday evening next when a dance will be given at the Foundation Club House.

BEST GOLFERS THOSE WHO COMMENCE EARLY

Most Things Are Learned by Instinct When Player is Young

Should the boy play golf? The answer is in the affirmative, as they say in "another place." If the game is to become a national pastime. For it is one's early days, when most things are done by instinct, that one can best acquire the smooth, true swing which counts so much.

But no game bestows more benefits than golf by serving an early apprenticeship to it. Examine the records of all the great players, and you will find that they began to swing a club, to hit a ball about, for the sheer joy of hitting, in their early teens.

The case of Capt. Hutchinson. The schoolboy's days are crowded with many contending interests, and it is not until many of the leading amateurs could only find time to play golf during the holidays.

At Seattle: Vernon 5 8 5, Seattle 1 6 1, Batteries—Houck and Cook; Mails and Ritchie.

At Los Angeles: Sacramento 1 8 2, Los Angeles 0 5 1, Batteries—Gardner and Fisher; Per-tien and Lapan.

At Portland: Oakland 0 3 0, Portland 3 7 0, Batteries—Brenton and Elliott; Pen-son and Baker.

At San Francisco: Salt-Lake 3 8 3, San Francisco 1 9 2, Batteries—Markle and Byler; Sea-son and McKee. (12 innings.)

At Detroit: Chicago 9 8 3, Detroit 7 12 5, Batteries—Kerr and Schalk; Erick-son, Cunningham and Stanaeg.

At New York: Philadelphia 3 8 0, New York 5 10 2, Batteries—Watson, Anderson, Geary and Perkins; Thormahlen, Shawkey and Russ.

At Washington: Boston 6 15 0, Washington 1 7 2, Batteries—Caldwell and Schang; Thompson, Shaw and Picinich.

At St. Louis: Cleveland 4 11 1, St. Louis 2 9 0, Batteries—Uhe, Coumbe and O'Neill; Wellman, Lowdermilk, Koob and Sev-erole.

Chicago-St. Louis game postponed; wet grounds. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Washington game postponed; rain.

National League. At Chicago: St. Louis 0 4 2, Chicago 4 10 1, Batteries—Mendows, Turo and Snyder; Douglas and Killifer.

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PRESIDENT PAYNE CALLS FOR MORE CRICKETERS

More cricketers for the Five C's club are needed, the President, P. C. Payne, announces. With an A and B team running, also a junior team and possibly a team in the Wednesday League, a big effort is necessary to keep up the standard of cricket in each section.

An objection has been received from the Foundation cricketers to being termed the Wanderers and the Ramblers without the use of the word Foundation.

THE INTERNATIONALS

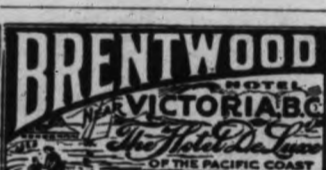
Newark, N. J., April 30.—The International Baseball League opened its season to-day with games in Jersey City, Newark, Baltimore and Reading.

ATHLETIC UNION TO RECONSTRUCT SPORT

Winnipeg, April 30.—Reconstruction in amateur athletics occupied a large share of the time of the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, Manitoba Branch, to-night, and the strongest support was accorded President Tom Boyd in his address, that the life penalty for infractions of the rules is too severe.

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rest of the Dominion. President John O'Hara was re-elected. Secretary Morrison was given his eighth year in that office.

SAM STILL K. O.'S 'EM. Columbus, Kansas, April 30.—Billy Hooper, negro middleweight, was knocked out by Sam Langford, negro heavyweight, in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here to-night.

A Problem for the Editor. It has been asked whether stepping on a man's corns gives provocation for swearing. Answer: Keep the toes clear of corns by using Putnam's Corn Extractor. It's the best, 25c. at all dealers.

Advertisement for The Monroe Arrow Collar, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit.



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KENTUCKY RACES

Lexington, Ky., April 30.—Results: First race, three-year-olds, purse \$700, 4 1/2 furlongs—Lancelot won, San Puere 2nd, Discussion 3rd. Time, 1:12 3-5.

Second race, two-year-olds, maidens, colts and geldings, purse \$700, 4 1/2 furlongs—Luke Dillon won, Breadman 2nd, Bonneville 3rd. Time, 56 2-5.

Third race, three-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, purse \$500, 6 furlongs—The Cullen Bon won, Mable Trank 2nd, Gypsy Queen 3rd. Time, 1:16.

Fourth race, The Versailles, three-year-olds, purse \$1,000, mile and sixteenth—St. Bernard won, Under Fire 2nd, Cerinus 3rd. Time, 1:47 4-5.

Fifth race, two-year-olds, purse \$500, 4 1/2 furlongs—Emma Weller won, Director James 2nd, Old Red 3rd. Time, 55 2-5.

Sixth race, three-year-olds and up, purse \$800, 1 mile—Jim Heffering won, Jiffy 2nd, Seafarer 3rd. Time, 1:42 3-5.

Seventh race, three-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$500, mile and one-sixteenth—Little String won, Irregular 2nd, Hondon 3rd. Time, 1:53 1-5.

SETS NEW MARK OVER CAPE NOME DOG COURSE. Nome, April 30.—Leonard Seppala, three-time winner of the All-Alaska dog team sweepstakes race, to-day set a new record for the measured Marathon distance over the Cape Nome course of one hour fifty minutes twenty-five seconds.

Advertisement for MECCA THE HOME REMEDY, featuring a bottle illustration and text describing its uses for various ailments.

Advertisement for Bengard Clothes, featuring a man in a suit and text promoting their spring suits and workmanship.

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NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 9 of the Water Act, 1914, every riparian proprietor claiming any right to divert water or to the exclusive use of water for any purpose by virtue only of his being such riparian proprietor is required on or before the first day of June, 1919, to file a statement of claim setting forth the particulars of his claim. Such statements of claim shall be filed in duplicate with the Water Recorder of the Water District in which the water is diverted or used.
After the first day of June, 1919, no right to divert water or to the exclusive use of water for any purpose shall exist by virtue only of any ownership of land.
Forms of statement of claim can be obtained from the Water Recorders of the several Water Districts in the Province or from the Controller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of March, 1919.
P. D. PATTULLO,
Minister of Lands

THE AMBITIONS OF VICTORIA

By Dr. George Bryce.

Six months' residence in the capital of British Columbia gives a stranger the chance to speak by experience of perhaps the most genial climate in the Dominion. There are roses blooming in the open air on Christmas Day, and practically no snow or frost from the first of November to the end of April. While Vancouver Island is not quite a "Lotus Eater's Land," yet there are found few, if any spots of Canada east of the Rocky Mountains which can compare with the Queen Island—Vancouver. When the enormous Douglas firs are cleared from the surface, a wide vista of rocks usually appears. A week ago, however, gave the writer the opportunity of visiting an attractive mansion where acres of barren rock are covered artistically with soil, where the blossom of nearly every fruit tree was blooming, and continuous beds of flowers presented a flora like that on the shores of the Mediterranean.
The writer and his wife have received the attention of scores of old friends from Eastern and Central Canada and have found them enjoying the pleasure of a mild climate. Indeed, Vancouver Island might well become Canada's cheerful winter home.

Its Resources.
A visit with the Natural History Society brought before the writer an attracting mental picture, both of beautiful flowers and plants, with great flocks of birds and an account of crowding shoals of profitable fish, filling the bays of the island which should be a source of food and with the profit proceeding from it a most valuable asset.

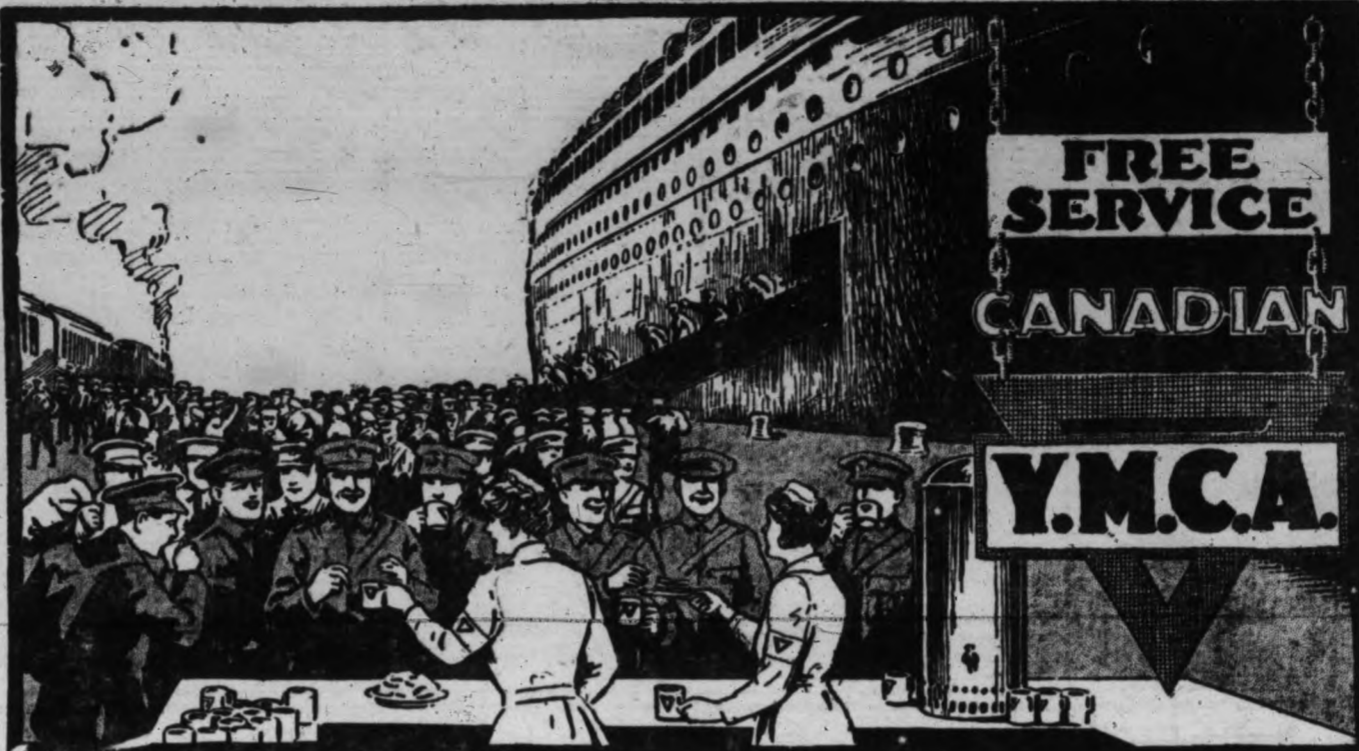
But unquestionably the rocks which look down upon the beautiful bays and narrows in rugged grandeur are of more commercial value than the flowery meads or even the shoals of fish. Victoria should be the centre of enterprise and of the development of the coal, iron, the mother rock of aluminum, gold, mercury and a score of other minerals. All the materials for constructing great ocean vessels are waiting to be used and the ship-building at Esquimalt is but the beginning of what may be a mighty industry. Such opportunities as made Glasgow, Liverpool and even New York and Montreal what they are may lead to Victoria being the shipping centre of the Canadian Pacific Coast.

The writer knows well that there are narrow-minded and short-sighted citizens who despise the hard-headed industry. How ridiculous this! What has made Montreal? Ships? What Toronto? Manufactures and the tall Chimneys? What has made a great population in Winnipeg and its suburbs? High elevators, crowded with wheat! Commercial enterprise has built foundries and docks. Smokestacks and elevators may make Victoria the Queen of the Pacific Coast. Energy, industry, investigation, study and organization, if in the hands of honest, hard-working men and women will win the day.

Education.
The terrible European war has taught us many lessons. Much as we despise and even hate our enemies, the Germans, they had in their wonderful public schools, in their higher schools and universities, a marvelous energy and scientific knowledge that in the early days of the war and again in the year before the close of the struggle nearly brought us and our Allies to ruin before Paris. It was only the extraordinary determination and started ingenuity of Great Britain and her Dominions, with the United States, that their industry, ingenuity and unrivalled energy swept before them by ship-destroyers, munitions, tanks, aeroplanes and the mighty fleet made German squadrons contemptible and closed the war. Fine uniforms, historic allusions to Wellington and Napoleon and their skill did not end the war, but under God it was the invention of war material in the hands of wealthy Britain and her Allies that dashed against and crushed the beleaguered foe. In the same way in developing our Canada it is only by perseverance in study, in invention, in courage and in despising hardships that we'll win in overcoming nature's obstacles.

As a member of the great Canadian bodies—Technical Education Commission, Conservation Commission and Royal Society—the writer knows that scientific education, investigation, perseverance and co-operation of our best, most daring and richest men in city, town and country school can alone cover nature's obstacles.
City, town and country school must be the channels by which practical ways can be devised for farmer, mechanic, manufacturer, druggist and skilled working man to reach our goal; Denmark, Holland, Switzerland, and to some extent certain cities in the British Islands, and notable examples in the United States are pointing out to us as Canadians what a same policy should be. Canada did take a brave and noble stand in the right direction in 1909, but a timid and unpatriotic policy of our rulers led to a tremendous loss for the whole Dominion.

At a time when the technical education movement was at its climax, the writer gave to a number of our scientific societies a list obtained by him from a hundred experts in universities, colleges, manufacturing, as suggestions of progress for the good of Canada. Thirty specific suggestions which might be used to advance Canadian scientific development throughout the Dominion are: 1, in our silver ore regions heaps of melattic cobalt and cobalt oxide now lying useless; 2, to find some way by which nickel can be separated from low-grade ore; 3, a method for improving illuminating gas; 4, a need for investigating anhydrite; 5, remedy to overcome sulphur in coal; 6, cause of explosion of coal dust; 7, utilization of straw; 8, how to use wood waste; 9, how to utilize smoke; 10, use of certain hardwoods—now useless; 11, utilization of sewage; 12, using tar as by-product; 13, how to use waste wood in pulp-making; 14, how to use Canadian peat; 15, how to use by-products of shales; 16, treatment of pulp (very important); 17, finding a safe bleaching agent; 18, improving newspaper making; 19, acclimatizing corn in northern latitudes; 20, acclimatizing alfalfa in some parts of the country; 21, acclimatizing wheat; 22, meeting water-lifting in the soil; 23, methods of destroying hurtful insects; 24, improvement of glue; 25, better glass-making; 26, making better glue; 27, improving enamel; 28, better mixing of gas producers; 29, treatment of ore in British Columbia; 30, important to B. C. utilizing fish waste. These are but samples of the wide field demanding investigation for capitalists, metallurgists, manufacturers, miners, farmers, city, council, etc. Here are times of golden opportunity Victoria may profit by investigation and courage.



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 \$1,100,000 May 5th to 9th

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But please note that for the military work in Europe this year you are not asked for further contributions. The gradual liquidation of assets overseas will suffice to maintain full service while the soldiers remain. The war work you are asked to support this year is for the soldiers coming home.

What We Are Doing for Returning Soldiers

On every troop ship a trained Y.M.C.A. man is on duty. He carries a supply of literature, writing materials, games, a magic lantern and slides, a gramophone and records. In some cases he has a piano or an organ.

Every one hundred dollars subscribed provides these facilities for one troop train. In each of eleven big Canadian Cities stretching from coast to coast, where soldiers are held over, or where they may have

business, the Y.M.C.A. maintains a fully equipped Red Triangle Club, where soldiers are provided with comfortable board and lodgings at nominal rates. Here they may meet to talk, play or read, write letters and make themselves at home generally.

He takes charge of the entertainment of men, organizes concerts, lectures, sing-songs, religious services, sports and games on ship-board. He helps and advises, explains the government plans for re-establishing soldiers into civil life, stimulates sociability and wholesome good cheer.

For Soldiers' Wives and Children
Out of the Red Triangle Fund \$175,000 will be set aside for the Dominion Council of the Young Women's Christian Association, who are looking after soldiers' wives and children coming to Canada. Y.W.C.A. secretaries help mothers on boats, and render to the women and children a service similar to that which the Y.M.C.A. does for the men. Y.W.C.A. rest rooms and refreshment service welcome the soldier's families at the ports of arrival. The sick are attended, children cared for, and the women folk cheered with the kindly word and the helping hand. At the big railway stations the Y.W.C.A. representatives are there to help, comfort, advise and direct. And in certain cases, where money is lacking, funds are provided to complete the journey. The budget of the Dominion Council, Y.W.C.A. provides also for the extension of its many forms of service among Canadian girls.

In Military Hospitals
In each of the military hospitals in Canada, in the military camps and barracks where men remain on duty during demobilization, the Y.M.C.A. place a trained man in charge of full Red Triangle service, providing entertainment, recreation, instruction and social stimulus.

At Ports and on Trains

When the transport reaches Halifax, St. John or Quebec, the Red Triangle welcomes the soldier back to Canada. Free canteen service awaits him on the dock, with hot coffee, or tea, cold drinks, eatables and cigarettes. Reliable information is furnished. Facilities for telegraphing home are at hand. If the men have to wait for trains, the Y.M.C.A. is there to organize entertainment.

For Coming Men of Canada
The Y.M.C.A. asks your support for a greatly enlarged programme of service to Canada's boys this year, as the most valuable reconstructive work that can be done to repair the awful war-wastage of Canada's man power (60,883 dead and 150,790 wounded).

For Soldiers of Industry
Something of what the Y.M.C.A. is doing for the soldiers in khaki, will be done this year for the army of workers in Canada's industrial plants. A programme of social activities and recreation will be promoted under the guidance of trained Y.M.C.A. men.

Every troop train leaving the ports of debarkation has on board a Red Triangle man. He distributes cigarettes, candies, and other eatables, reading materials and games—free of charge. He furnishes needed information, and helps, by entertainment, to make bearable the monotony of the train

The Red Triangle will be carried to the boys and men of the towns and villages and the open country this year, upon a plan of county organization. You are asked to help construct the manhood that will reconstruct Canada.

Every returned man is offered six months' full membership privileges free, in any local Y.M.C.A. The National Council is aiding the local Y.M.C.A.'s to meet the cost of dormitory accommodation, bathing facilities and other privileges and the employment of special secretaries in connection with local service to these men.

Help the "Y" Finish its Work for the Soldiers

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Negotiations on to Run Ships From Rupert to Orient

Prince Rupert, May 1.—W. F. Hin-... of the G. T. F., addressing the... of Trade here yesterday, said... negotiations for Oriental steamship... traffic out of Prince Rupert were... making good progress.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, addressing the... same meeting, said the Government... his summer would make the prelimi-... survey for a road from Prince Ru-... to Hazelton.

PROMOTION FOR CAPT. BEETHAM

Made General Superintendent of C. P. O. S. Fleet Oper-ating on Pacific

EMPRESS OF CANADA WILL BE FINE SHIP

New Trans-Pacific Liner Ready in About a Year; Scandina-avian May Also Come

Capt. Edward Beetham, R. N. R., for a number of years marine superintend-ent for the C. P. O. S. trans-Pacific liners, has been appointed general superintendent of the C. P. O. S. with headquarters at Vancouver.

Capt. Beetham was formerly com-mander of C. P. O. S. steamships in the Oriental trade and brought the crack liner Empress of Russia out from Liverpool on her maiden voyage here. He has been on the Pacific service for the company since 1891, and has commanded every ship the line has operated on the Pacific, with the ex-



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CAPT. E. BEETHAM

ception of the Athenian, Monteagle and Empress of Asia. In 1913 he was ap-pointed marine superintendent, which office he has held until the present promotion.

Empress of Canada. Capt. Beetham returned to the Coast yesterday from a trip to Mon-treal where he was called in confer-ence by the head office. He brings the information that the new liner, Em-press of Canada, now under construc-tion in England, will be brought to the Pacific run in about a year. There is a possibility that the Scandinavian, now on the Atlantic run, will be brought to the Pacific coast if found

suitable. C. M. Bosworth, the Vice-President, is now on his way to Eng-land in connection with matters of ocean service and the final decision regarding the Scandinavian will not be arrived at until his return.

S. C. Binns, formerly purser in the trans-Pacific service, according to Capt. Beetham, has been appointed freight claims agent. No other changes in the service have been an-nounced.

WIRELESS REPORT

May 1, 8 a. m. Point Grey—Passing showers; W. fresh; 29.93; 48; sea rough. Capt. Lazo—Overcast; N. W. light; 29.96; 43; sea smooth. Spoke str Ad-miral Evans, 4.20 a. m., Seymour Nar-rows, southbound. Pachena—Overcast; N. W. light; 29.88; 45; light swell. Estevan—Cloudy; N. W.; 29.99; 40; sea moderate. Spoke str Mei-wu Maru, 3.30 p. m., position at 8 p. m., lat. 50.33 N., long. 153.54 W., eastbound; spoke str Awa Maru, 12.50 a. m., position at 8 p. m., lat. 41.44 N., long. 124.52 W., northbound. Alert Bay—Rain; N. W.; 29.75; 44; sea smooth. Passed out, str Venture, 6.45 p. m., northbound. Triangle—Cloudy; W.; 30.15; 42; sea moderate. Spoke str Gray, 3.10 a. m., Millbank Sound, southbound; spoke str Admiral Knight, 7.10 a. m., Millbank Sound, northbound; spoke str Admiral Rodman, 7.30 a. m., off Bella Bella, northbound. Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 30.16; 37; sea smooth. Ikeda Bay—Passing showers; calm; 30.18; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 40; sea smooth.

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ESQUIMALT'S MEN GET BACK WAGES

Sum of \$2,900 Divided Between Seamen Shipped Here on Makura

Back wages to the aggregate amount of \$2,900 have been paid to the mem-bers of the original crew of the auxil-iary schooner Esquimalt, one of the six vessels of her type built at Victoria by the Cameron Genoa Mills Ship-builders, Ltd., for the Canada West Coast Navigation Company.

"The Rivet" Makes Initial Appearance As Shipyard Paper

"The Rivet," latest addition to the shipyard newspaper field, and issued with the object of building up the fel-lowship spirit among the workers of the Harbor Marine Company, which concern has under contract two \$1,000-ton steel ships for the Dominion Gov-ernment, made its first appearance to-day. The weekly publication, which is starting out modestly as a four-page leaflet, should develop into a popular sheet as the force of men on the con-tract is increased, and more interest aroused. In it will be recorded the every-day happenings at the Hospital Point shipyard.

EMPRESS OF ASIA WILL BRING BACK MEN FROM SIBERIA

Vancouver, May 1.—With a full list of passengers and capacity cargo of freight the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Asia, Captain W. Davidson, R. N. R., will clear for the Orient at 8 o'clock this evening. She will return with a large party of Canadian boys on the Siberian expedition.

SHIPYARD MANAGER LEAVES FOR SEATTLE

Paul B. Thompson Appointed to Another Department in Foundation Service

Paul B. Thompson, who has been works manager of the Foundation Com-pany's plants here since the begin-ning of the year, has been transferred to Seattle, where he will have charge of the department for expediting the delivery of material and equipment for the Foundation contracts on the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Thompson left by the afternoon boat yesterday for Seattle to take up his new duties. The management of the local under-takings of the Foundation Company will continue to be under the direct supervision of Edward E. Jenkins, as-sistant Pacific Coast manager, who has made his headquarters at Victoria for some months past. Mr. Jenkins has full control over the shipbuilding plants at Point Hope and Point Ellice and also the outfitting plant at Ogden Point.

McGregor on Vacation. William McGregor, who has been yard superintendent at Point Ellice since the contract was inaugurated, and who has been in poor health of late, is taking a vacation. During the ab-sence of William McGregor, the two built construction plants will be under Joe McKay, yard superintendent at Point Hope.

Development Plans

Plans are now ready and tenders will shortly be called for the erection of temporary C. N. R. terminals here. The temporary terminals will be erected on the north side of Point Ellice bridge. Until entrance can be secured to the Songhees Reserve the depot will re-main north of Esquimalt Road. The company will be in a position to put into immediate operation the truckage between Esquimalt Road and Alpha Street, also the new bridge across the Selkirk Water.

WHALING ENGINEERS STRIKE CONTINUES

But There Are Indications That Settlement Will Soon Be Reached

The strike of whaling engineers still continues but there are indications that a settlement of the dispute will shortly be reached. The secretaries of the National Association of Marine Engineers state that they are ready at any time to meet the Consolidated Whaling Corporation with a view to bringing about a settle-ment. The wages asked for by the engineers in Victoria, they point out, is less than paid to American engineers employed by the company under identical con-ditions. The following schedule is given show-ing the difference in the wages paid American and Canadian engineers em-

ARABIA MARU COMING

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha lines Arabia Maru from Oriental ports is due to arrive here about May 8, ac-cording to information received by R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents. The liner Canada Maru, of the same fleet, will sail this evening for Yoko-hama and Hongkong. Thirty-five passengers will board the Canada Maru at this port.

CANORA ARRIVES AT PATRICIA BAY

Steel Car-Ferry Reached Island Water Terminal at 3 o'Clock To-day With Freight

To-day saw the actual inauguration of the C.N.R. car-ferry service across the Gulf, when the big steel ferry Canora about three o'clock this afternoon arrived at Patricia Bay from Port Mann. The Canora proceeded to the Mainland from Esquimalt on Monday, and, after filling her coal bunkers, she commenced loading cars of freight for delivery on Vancouver Island.

Local officials were advised this morning by long-distance telephons that the Canora left Port Mann at 8 a.m. Laden with twenty-one cars of merchandise, the Canora negotiated the distance from the Fraser River terminal to Patricia Bay in seven hours, which is considered excellent steaming for a vessel of this particular type.

The freight cars will be hauled ashore at the Patricia Bay slip about 6.30 o'clock to-night, it being necessary to await a suitable stage of the tide to permit the unloading of the cars. Part of the freight brought across the Gulf by the ferry includes electric equipment to be installed in connection with the Patricia Bay slip. When this machinery has been adjusted the slip will be equipped with three aprons and can be operated at any stage of the tide.

The freight brought over by the Canora also includes shipments of railway material which will be used in the development of the C. N. R. system on the Island.

DECORATION FOR ZAMORA'S MASTER

Capt. S. Driver to Be Awarded D. S. C. for Sinking Submarine

Capt. S. Driver, of the British steam-ship Zamora, now at Vancouver, is to be decorated with the Distinguished Service-Cross by the British Govern-ment in recognition of his services while in command of the Zamora when she gave battle to and sank a German submarine off the southeast coast of Ireland in July of last year.

Capt. Driver has seen long war service in the British merchant marine. He was in command of a collier when the Koenigsburg took refuge in an East African River, and was present when the British monitors destroyed the German cruiser by dropping shells over the jungle from the sea. Later Capt. Driver was with Capt. H. Sadler, R. N., in the Persian Gulf.

Three members of the gun crew of the Zamora, C. E. Bowyer, W. R. Casey and J. Edwardsen, are leaving the ship while on the coast to take train over-land and sail on the liner Metagama on May 8 for London. The other two members of the gun crew will stay with the Zamora until she reaches England. In addition to the decoration to be

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awarded Capt. Driver for the submar-ine episode, the British Government is paying the officers and crew the prize money of an extra month's pay. The five naval men of the gun crew do not share in this, it is understood, they having merely performed the task they were put in the ship to carry out.

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MANY NAMES HANDED IN FOR AEROPLANE

Fair Sex is Taking Keen In-terest in Competition; Turn-buckles Are Missing

Great enthusiasm has been raised over the competition being conducted by the Aerial League of Canada for a name for the new aeroplane. Each mail brings a large number of letters from the fair sex. Names of birds, prominent men, animals, fashionable idols and war heroes have been submitted and the judges who sit to pick the winning name, will have a very large list to go through.

The young lady who is adjudged the winner of the competition will have the unique honor of being the first person to christen an aeroplane in Canada. All suggestions must be at the Aerial League by Monday of next week, so that the judges may decide upon the winner and have things ready for the christening on the big field day to be held on Wednesday afternoon.

The flyers are trying hard to have the plane ready for its inaugural flight on Saturday afternoon. Unfortunately half a dozen turnbuckles were lost in shipment and attempts are being made to have the necessary number turned out here. If these are obtained there is no doubt but that the plane will be out on a test flight on Friday and take the air on its first official trip the following afternoon.

Last evening at the Pentagon The-atre an interesting scene took place. During the second show Miss Beth Christie, the dainty little singer, and Mr. and Mrs. Housh, who provide a screaming motorcycle turn, were presented with beautiful bouquets by the Aerial League. At the grand-dance on Monday evening these artists gave their services.

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WILL PROSECUTE THE WORK OF THE LEAGUE

Local Navy League Branch to Raise Funds; New Officers Elected

Considerable enthusiasm was displayed at the extraordinary general meeting of the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, which was held in the Belmont Building last night. No grant from the Dominion Council has yet been made, but in the meantime the local branch needs funds to carry on its work. The Provincial branch has stepped into the gap by offering an advance of \$2,000, pending the receipt of a grant from the head office, and this offer was received with thanks last night.

The local branch considers, however, that it is time the Connaught Seamen's Institute, the Equimatt Club and the work in behalf of the naval and merchant seamen, is carried on, to some considerable extent at least, by local contributions.

To Raise Funds. Rev. H. T. Archbold moved the resolution calling for extended publicity respecting the work of the institutes and the Boys' Naval Brigade, and also providing for the inauguration of a campaign to raise funds to carry on the work. It is figured that about \$10,000 per annum is needed. Concerts were suggested as a means for raising funds and giving publicity to the objects of the League as well as securing new members. Attention was called to the fact that on May 6 and 7 the children of the Connaught Seamen's Choir were staging the operetta "Queen Flora's Garden Party" at the Princess Theatre

Four Good Lessons to Remember

First—Once your kidneys are affected, chronic complaints are sure to follow—if you don't remove the cause immediately.

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JAPANESE COLOR PRINTING FAMOUS

Exhibition in Progress Here Calls Attention to Remarkable Art History

Col. Appleton's wonderful collection of Japanese prints are now on exhibition at the premises formerly occupied by the Dorothy Tearooms in the Pemberton Building, on Broad Street, and the proceeds derived from the purely nominal admission fee will be devoted to the patriotic work of the Gonzales Chapter, I.O.E.

For the benefit of the uninitiated in Oriental art a brief sketch of the growth of the art of color printing as practised in Japan may be of interest. The youth of color printing was attained in 1743, when two-color prints were made possible by the invention of the method of combining two blocks, one for basic print and the other for additional coloring. The colors soon increased to three, adding more and more to the brilliancy of the effect. In the latter half of the eighteenth century the golden age of color prints was ushered in by Harunobu, who enjoys the distinction of perfecting the art. The embellishment of the prints was later carried to an exorbitant extent, sometimes no fewer than twenty blocks, and even gold and silver paints, being used to produce a brilliant effect. Hiroshige is the last important figure in the history of color prints. He was born in Yedo in the year 1796 and died there in 1858, falling a victim to the pestilence of cholera which swept the land at that time. He has been called the greatest interpreter of nature in all her moods. "No artist who ever lived," said Edward F. Stranger in his "Color Prints of Japan," "has succeeded better than the first Hiroshige in rendering the sentiment of a landscape; the tenderness of dawn and sunset; the wind over the ricefields, the beat of rain, the silence of deep snow."

Col. Appleton's prints may be seen between the hours of eight to ten this evening, as well as during the day. This arrangement has been made to permit of assistants in stores and others whose duties prevent their attendance in the day to view this wonderful collection of the finest type of Oriental art.

Smoke "Player's Navy Cut" Cigarettes Wrapped in Tin Foil

RIVERSIDE INN AGAIN OPEN FOR BUSINESS

As a result of the representatives of the Victoria and Island Development Association, the Riverside Inn, Cowichan Lake, has reopened for business. Travellers and fishermen will welcome the announcement, owing to the difficulty of securing accommodation at the Lake recently.


For some time past, following the accidental death of Thomas Geiger, one of the proprietors of the Inn, the establishment as an inn was closed, and many people experienced the greatest difficulty in securing accommodation.

The following were nominated members of the Advisory Committee for which the constitution and by-laws call: Messrs. Lindley Crease, Rattenbury, Cuppage, Miss Alice Pooley, Rev. Father Silver, Lieut.-Commander Hotham, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Rt. Rev. Bishop Schofield, Capt. Martin, R.N., Mrs. Travis, Mrs. C. D. Neroutos, Rev. Robt. Hughes, Rev. W. Haugh Allen, Messrs. H. Bishop, Norman Yarrow and Griffith Hughes.

Mrs. Alice Thomson was re-elected president of the Ladies' Guild, the other members of the committee nominated being Mesdames Hiscocks, Donald, Moore, Wilders, Travis and Say.

The cash account of the Ladies' Guild was read by the chairman, this showing a balance at the bank of \$113.48.

ONLY PURE FOODS BEAR THIS GOVERNMENT LEGEND



CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS BEAR IT

The Art Embroidery Class for Children will be resumed Saturday, May 3rd. Hours 10 to 11.30 a.m. Suitable pieces for the little ones to work may be found in our Art Needlework Department. Doilies, 10¢. Tea Aprons 19¢ With one Skein of Cotton.

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Java Hats for Misses—With pretty bands and piping on edge. Price, each \$1.50
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The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 1.—5 a. m.—Since yesterday an ocean low barometer area has moved quickly inland to Kootenay, accompanied by showers on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. Sharp frosts are general in the prairie provinces.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 44; wind, 28 miles S. W.; rain, .39; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, .14; weather, raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 38; wind, calm; rain, .52; weather, raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 44; wind, 10 miles S. W.; rain, .30; weather, raining.

Temperature.	Max.	Min.
Barkerville	48	..
Portland, Ore.	74	50
Seattle	66	44
San Francisco	53	48
Cranbrook	64	..
Ferretum	63	..
Grand Forks	67	..
Nelson	67	..
Kaslo	58	..
Edmonton	69	..
Qu'Appelle	69	..
Winnipeg	64	..

SHOCKED AT THE BARE IDEA.
"I don't think," said Mr. Roxley to the prospective son-in-law, "that you can dress my daughter in the style befitting her birth."
"Good gracious," exclaimed the startled young man, "I wouldn't dare."