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## OFFER ISLAND

### INTERESTS FOR SALE

French Company, Australia and New Hebrides

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 5.—Sale of all the French commercial interests in the New Hebrides, the South Pacific Islands which the British and French govern under a condominium, has been offered the Australian Government for approximately \$7,000,000. The offer has been submitted to the Australian Parliament by the Prime Minister, W. M. Hughes.

It is one of the most extensive transactions in real estate since the sale of Alaska and is believed to be preliminary to the disposal of the French political interest in the islands to Australia, which chafes under the condominium system and wishes the British Parliament to put an end to it. If necessary by compensating France in some other part of the world. What is now for sale is the total French commercial interests held by a private company with governmental backing.

#### An Option.

Both the United States and Japan are anxious to purchase the holdings of the French company and already have made offers, but the French directors preferred to deal with the British first and have thus given the Australian Government the first option of buying. It is understood that by this purchase Australia will have the predominating political position in the islands, a thing which she has desired next to complete political control.

#### Oil.

Prospectors in the Joodia valley have made discoveries of what are believed to be petroleum shales of great value. The supply is believed to be practically inexhaustible, and it is stated that before long Australia will be independent of United States gasoline and be able to provide all she wishes in the way of kerosene and petroleum for herself.

Production costs are estimated not to exceed for petrol forty cents a gallon, which is very cheap for Australia, and kerosene at approximately thirty-five cents. Already the plant is producing 700 gallons a week, but indications are that when boring is complete a supply of 15,000 gallons is certain.

The Commonwealth Oil Company adopted a new method of dealing with the shale. They formed natural reefs in the shaft itself, sealed off certain areas and then set fire to the chamber of shale thus constructed. The result was so successful that the workmen were unable to provide containers for all the oil that flowed out.

#### Wages.

New South Wales, as other Australian states, fixes minimum wages in most industries based on scientific calculation of the cost of living. A decision of the Board of Trade fixed the minimum for farm hands in the state at \$16.50 a week, with certain deductions for board and other things. This decision has been hotly attacked by the producing interests on the ground that it will mean unemployment, of which there is a good deal in Australia at present, but the reply of the Government is that the farmers are well able to pay it out of their war profits and Government guarantee for wheat.

New South Wales is the pioneer state in the Commonwealth to fix a basic wage for rural industries.

## COURT RULING ON PICKETING IN THE STATES

Washington, Dec. 6.—Organized labor has no right to picket during a strike when it involves importunity the Supreme Court of the United States declared yesterday.

The decision was delivered in an appeal brought by the American Steel Foundries Company growing out of a strike at its plant at Granite City, Illinois.

The court in its decision declared that no broad rule could be laid down in the matter of picketing, however, but that each case must be considered on its merits to determine whether picketing constituted restraint and intimidation.

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Chicago, Dec. 6.—Lumber rates from all Pacific coast terminals to all points east of Chicago will be reduced December 24, H. E. Pierpont, general traffic manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, announced.

The rate to the territory east of Buffalo and Pittsburg will be cut from \$1.05 1/2 to 39 cents per hundred pounds. To the Buffalo and Pittsburg territory the reduction will be to 85 1/2 cents, and to Cincinnati and Detroit common points the new rate will be 85 cents.

The tariff on shingles and cedar products will be 1 1/2 cents higher than the rates named for lumber, it was announced.

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## NEW REVENUE PLAN IN NEW ZEALAND

Tariff Has Three Divisions; Saluting Flag

Wellington, N. Z., Dec. 5.—Divided into a general, intermediate and British preferential tariff, the new customs duties introduced by the Reform Party which, under the leadership of W. F. Massey, forms the present Government of New Zealand, are now in force. They are imposed chiefly on luxuries, are mainly for goods from countries which like Germany suffer from depreciated currencies. The number of articles and commodities on which the British preference is increased either directly or indirectly is enlarged from 210 classifications to 367.

#### A Weapon.

The tariff gives New Zealand the right to discriminate against countries which discriminate against her. Excessively high duties imposed by the United States on wool and meat, which New Zealand exports so largely, have been a cause of much irritation here, and it is felt with satisfaction that the new tariff will give the Dominion powers which may be used against the United States to useful effect. For instance, American hosiery will in future pay a 40 per cent duty, and there is also a considerable increase on electrical goods, while preference is given those of British manufacture.

#### Some Disappointed.

Farmers are satisfied with the tariff because it leaves the commodities they require duty-free, much as they were before. On the other hand manufacturers are disappointed because they have not been accorded much consideration against overseas competitors. The latter point out that whereas Australia has a tariff of 45 per cent against New Zealand, on the other hand New Zealand has a tariff of only 25 per cent against her neighbor across the Tasman Sea. This state of things has given the Australian manufacturer opportunities of dumping in the New Zealand market. It is interesting to note that the value of the output of New Zealand factories in the last 25 years has grown from \$35,000,000 to \$350,000,000 and is still rapidly expanding.

#### Australia.

New Zealand has a reciprocity agreement with Canada and with South Africa, but not with Australia. The new tariff, however, will be extended so far as preference is concerned to the latter because New Zealand's Empire preference extends not only to Britain, but to all the Dominions. Australia will, therefore, benefit under it as compared with foreign countries.

A special duty varying from 2 1/2 to 25 per cent, is leviable upon goods from countries having depreciated exchanges if such compete with New Zealand industries.

#### Bananas.

Driven out of the Australian market by a tariff put on to benefit the returned soldiers of the Commonwealth, who have gone in extensively to grow them in the States, the banana husband No. 1 quarrelled with their attention to Canada, whether they have made some large shipments. The Canadian Government offered refrigerating space on its steamships, and the husband No. 2, quarrelled with the offer from Fiji as he is greatly pleased at the prospect of building up a profitable trade and realize that only for the Canadian Government steamships from southern India would be ruined in great measure.

#### Saluting Flag.

Teachers in New Zealand schools in future must take the oath of allegiance and children must salute the flag as in Canada. This decision has been made by the Department of Education, which has induced Parliament to pass a law to that effect. Already numbers of children have refused the salutation not apparently because they object to it, but because they object to compulsion.

The trouble started when a young German girl in one of the universities was found to be distributing Communist literature. She was dismissed, and there were extended investigations by the Education Minister, Hon. C. J. Parr, into the extent to which Communist or Socialist principles had permeated the universities. He did not find much that was of danger to the state, although one or two professors made it clear that they intended to stand for freedom of thought, economic just as much as theological, in the New Zealand centres of learning.

The Labor Party poured ridicule on the whole business and proved that the so-called seditious literature which had been circulating every day of the week in Britain and in Australia. The debate in Parliament lasted some days, and finally the Government got its bill through providing for the oath of allegiance for the teachers and the flag-saluting ceremony for the children.

#### Humorously.

By the general community the incident is taken humorously as New Zealand's loyalty is of so pronounced a character that it hits everyone in the eye when first he lands in the country. Even the Labor members themselves who are denounced by their political opponents as seditious and anarchists, are strictly constitutional in their methods though they frankly declare they are out to substitute some form of Socialism for the present "economic autocracy" that prevails in New Zealand.

#### Cook Islands.

There is one place in the world where a native race has successfully driven the color line against the white man. In the Cook Islands, a dependency of New Zealand and under the control of the Hon. M. Pomare, himself a Maori and a member of the Massey Cabinet, the natives for years past have had their own Native Councils and Government. The white people, a small community, have paid taxes, but have had no representation. This has constituted a grievance of long standing.

The natives have just removed it. But they laid down stipulations before they did so. They made it a condition that the white residents of the islands would undertake not to drink nor behave immorally, and generally to abide by the laws of the islands as the natives themselves did. The

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## GAME BOARD INQUIRY THURSDAY

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## HARDING IS NOT DISCUSSING IRELAND

Washington, Dec. 6.—President Harding does not believe the present time opportune for discussion of Irish independence, according to word sent by him to a delegation of citizens of Ohio desiring to present an Irish independence petition.

The President's secretary wrote Senator Pomerehne, Democrat, Ohio, that the President would be glad to receive the delegation at some future time.

## MAYOR OF CALGARY WAS RE-ELECTED

Adams Again Heads Council; Wilson Mayor of London

Calgary, Dec. 6.—Mayor Adams was re-elected by acclamation when his opponent, Peter Patterson, was compelled to withdraw owing to ill-health.

Prince Albert.  
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London.  
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## EXPLOSION KILLED TWO MEN ABOARD OCEAN YACHT

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 6.—One man was killed, one is missing and two were seriously injured as the result of an explosion last night on board the yacht Glendover, of New Orleans, according to advices received here. The explosion occurred when the boat was off St. Andrews, the injured being taken to Panama City. The Glendover was burned to the water's edge.

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Ethel Clayton, Paramount star, admirably plays the wife and T. Roy Barnes is excellent as the husband. Fontaine La Rue, noted in filmdom for her portrayal of vampire roles, constitutes the other side of the triangle. Theodore Roberts, William Boyd, Mickey Moore and others are in the cast. An excellent Harold Lloyd comedy is also shown. This is his latest production, and is entitled, "I Do." What Harold does is too funny for words. "I Do" is one of his best comedies. Miss Eva Hart is rendering several songs in a manner that wins hearty approval and applause from her audience nightly.

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IRISH QUESTION SETTLED.

Natural law and at least one brand of man's philosophy have it that the darkest hour immediately precedes the dawn. Could any adage be more fittingly applied to recent developments in the Irish negotiations?

How the new proposal differs from previous suggestions of settlement may not be known until the agreement has reached Sinn Fein headquarters in Dublin. But the very fact that final success of the latest understanding is not contingent upon either the consent or hostility of Ulster leads to the supposition that important changes and concessions have been made by both sides.

Interest very naturally will centre upon Ulster's reception of the agreement. Sir James Craig and his Cabinet will have to wrestle with the traditional policy of the North and reach a belief that the Sinn Fein is sincere in its undertaking before Protestant Ireland will consent to celebrate the agreement.

Thus has the Irish question passed from the realms of almost certain failure into the brighter air of hope and ultimate success. Since the eleventh day of July both sides have observed a truce which has brought Ireland more peaceful conditions than she has enjoyed since the revolution in 1916.

cease to be a question and commence to be a happy and contented part of a real United Kingdom.

ELECTION DAY.

This is easily the most eventful day in the national life of the Dominion of Canada since the fateful hour in early August more than seven years ago. In point of interest it surpasses the general election of 1911 because of the unusual party subdivisions at this time. Election day in 1917 provided an unique experience for the voters of this country because of a special issue involved. Nine-tenths of the people at that stage were not in the mood to express themselves politically.

One prominent citizen of Washington has suggested that Hearst is showing a peculiar manner of returning the courtesy which his congressional sales tax junket is now being accorded by the people of Canada. But Canada does not take Hearst seriously. She pities his small and nasty tactics.

According to a dispatch from London a communication has gone to Ottawa asking the Dominion Government if it is prepared to receive a number of Russian settlers and share the cost of their transportation. Our answer would be to the effect that when the Dominion Government pays passage money for settlers it can let British subjects have the benefit.

All the world will echo the sentiments which President Harding expressed to the United States Congress in person to-day. The chief executive of the neighboring Republic declared that a "most gratifying world accomplishment" by the armaments conference "is not impossible."

which those in the precincts of the corridors almost reverently withdrew in order that "the grand old man" might suffer his grief alone. He had just experienced the defeat of the second reading of his Home Rule bill.

There is one thing that is nice and agreeable about an election day. Everybody seems so good humored. Hands and heads shake and wag as they shake and wag on no other occasion. And the nice thing about it all is the certainty with which all parties predict their own complete success.

Among the most interesting developments of the present civic election campaign was the announcement yesterday that Mr. Patrick had been persuaded to run for the City Council.

The people know what I have stood for and what I will stand for if I am elected, so there is little for me to say in connection with my candidature. Mr. Patrick said in announcing his candidature.

With the Christmas season approaching and the coldest months of the winter ahead, the general public will be pleased at the announcement by local coal dealers that the price of coal is reduced, effective to-day.

The announcement comes from the mines that a reduction of fifty cents per ton will be effective to-day, and the retailers have gone one better, and made the reduction all around.

RETURNS TO PUBLIC LIFE AS CANDIDATE FOR CITY COUNCIL



JOSEPH PATRICK

Among the most interesting developments of the present civic election campaign was the announcement yesterday that Mr. Patrick had been persuaded to run for the City Council.

The Pantages Theatre was crowded to the doors last night with an enthusiastic audience which showed in no uncertain manner its hearty approval of the policies outlined by William Ivel, the Liberal candidate for Victoria and the battery of able speakers who reviewed the national issues involved in the election which is being held to-day at the polls.

During the course of the meeting word spread through the audience that the Talmie meeting at the Royal Theatre was a failure in comparison, and this emphasized the feeling of confidence that polite opinion has solidly behind Mr. Ivel's candidature.

The audience was astounded at the revelations made by J. S. Cowper in relation to the extent of the Asiatic menace in British Columbia. The speaker declared that matters were being taken out by the Japanese in foreign lands it does not alter their allegiance to their native land.

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W. MARCHANT Mayoralty Candidate.

Declares unemployment is one of the great issues of civic campaign. Dominion and Provincial Governments primarily responsible. Urges city appropriation for grading and macadamizing streets during winter months.



MISS FRANCES NEWMAN, Chicago, Ill. "Only a medicine of truly wonderful merit have done what Tanlac did for me and there is nothing half good enough for me to say about it."

JURY FIND FOR RELATIVES IN DAMAGE ACTION

Sum of \$20,000 Awarded to Relatives of Late Robert S. Day. Judgment for plaintiffs in the sum of \$20,000 was awarded by a special jury in the action of Day and others versus the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Ltd., in the Supreme Court yesterday before Mr. Justice Gregory.

KENT'S EDISON STORE. \$108 (Former Price \$120). Discount offered all this week on Cecilian Concertphones. Former prices \$167, \$140, \$120 and \$80.00. Phone 3449. 1004 Government Street.

ago Mrs. C. H. Rhodes, President of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital, stated that the hotel had practically been turned over to them for the ball.

Taylor, the noted counsel, who is leaving shortly for California to take up his residence in retirement there, on account of ill health.

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

Groceteria Daily Bulletin table with items like Cocoa nut, Lanks Tea, Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Coffee, etc.

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Fresh Meats. Cash and Carry as Cut in Cases—Not Delivered. Phone 2072. Corned Boneless Brisket, Lean Boneless Stewing Beef, etc.

Grocery Delivery. Phone 2077 and 2079. Boiled Cider for Mince-meat, French Angelica, Jireh Starch Treated Flour, etc.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Vienna is in a horrible mess. Here is one of the tragedies of the Peace which bids fair to remain a dangerous handicap to European recovery.

COAL. Victoria Fuel Co. Phone 3377. A. R. Graham—E. M. Brown. 1203 BROAD STREET.

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11.30 A.M. Till  
2.30 P.M.  
Wednesday Till 12.45

**December Silk Sale = December Linen Sale**  
**And Many Interesting Wednesday Morning Bargains**

**Afternoon Tea Service**

3 Till 5.30 P.M.  
**ORCHESTRA**  
Mrs. Gertrude H. Brick will sing every afternoon from 3.30 to 5 o'clock in our Tea Room until Dec. 6th.

**Wednesday Morning Bargains in the Children's Ready-to-Wear**

**Children's Colored Crepe Dresses**, with belt, trimmed white and finished with buttons, also in black and white checks; regular value \$1.00. Wednesday Half-Day Special at **45c**

**Children's White Flannelette Drawers** with frill elastic at knee; sizes for ages of 2 to 10 years; regular 65c. Half Day Special at, a pair **35c**

Sizes for ages of 12 to 14 years; regular 85c. for, a pair **50c**

**Children's Colored Crepe Dresses**, in colors of rose, pale blue, pink and sage; sizes for ages of 2, 3 and 4 years; regular \$1.00. Half Day Special at **45c**

A few slightly soiled Nightgowns of flannelette for children of the ages of 2 to 8 years; regular \$1.25. Wednesday Half-Day special at, each **85c**

**Children's Flannelette Shirts**, with bodice attached and trimmed with imitation Torchon lace; sizes for ages of 2 to 6 years; Half-Day special at **50c**

—Children's, First Floor—Phone 6375



**Women's English Gaberdine Raincoats \$13.95**  
All Sizes for .....

English Gaberdine Raincoats, in shades of fawn, grey and navy; shown in belted styles with strap on sleeve. They are of best grade material, well finished and with tailored collars and two pockets; all sizes for women or Misses, and good value at **\$13.95**

—Maniles, First Floor

**Nottingham Lace CURTAINS at a Pair \$1.95**



18 only, Nottingham Lace Curtains, 38 inches wide and 2 1/2 yards long; a fine quality curtain and in attractive design; former value \$3.95. On sale at, a pair **\$1.95**

—Drapery, Second Floor

**Babies' Rompers and Dresses of Fine Grade at \$1.25 and \$1.50**

**Babies' Rompers**, of best grade easement cloth, and linen, in blue, rose, pink and linen, shades trimmed with contrasting colors and finished with tie across the back. Special at **\$1.25**

**Rompers**, of plaid and check ginghams, in various shades and trimmed with white muslin collars. Special at **\$1.25**

**Babies' Dresses**, in pink, blue, rose and tan linen with collars and cuffs of white pique and finished with hand embroidery. Special at **\$1.50**

—Infants', First Floor—Phone 1194

**Extra Special Slipper Bargains To-morrow Morning**

**300** Pairs of Women's Plaid Felt Slippers, with felt and leather soles, and many patterns to select from; all sizes. A bargain at, a pair **\$1.45**

**240** Pairs of Women's Black Kid Boudoir Slippers, having rubber heels and trimmed with pom-pom; all sizes; in black only, at, a pair **\$1.65**

—Women's Shoes, First Floor—Phone 6376

**Men's Gift Handkerchiefs and Suspenders at Special Prices**

**Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs**, with half-inch hemstitch and full size; most acceptable as gifts; regular, each 50c. Special at **\$2.50** a half dozen, or, a dozen **\$5.00**

**Men's President Suspenders**, made of the best elastic, with fine or heavy weight; regular \$1.00 values at, a pair **75c**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**Voile and Plain Silk BLOUSES**  
Extra Special Values at Each **68c**

Well made Voile and Plain Silk Blouses of good quality materials; white only. You will find them wonderful value at **68c**

—Waists, Second Floor

**Three Big, Wednesday Morning Specials in the Staple Dept. COMFORTERS, SHEETS, BLANKETS**

**14 Down Comforters**, size 66 x 72, for double beds; they are filled with pure down and covered with down-proof, English satens and finished in plain panels or in contrast; regular \$16.75 values. At **\$11.90**

**White All-Wool Blankets** at a clearance price; in two sizes; 60 x 80 inches; regular \$10.75. Pair **\$7.00**

64 x 84 inches; regular **\$8.00**

At, a pair **\$12.75**

**Bleached Cotton Sheets**, hemmed, ready for use; sheets of strong durable grade; size 72 x 90 inches; our regular \$3.50 a pair values. On sale to-morrow morning at, a pair **\$2.65**

—Staples, Main Floor—Phone 3959



**A Wednesday Special in Women's Broche Corsets at \$3.95**

A Broche Corset of Fancy French Coutil, in shades of pink and blue, very low bust, surgical elastic sides and four never break hose supporters; sizes 21 to 26; regular \$7.50. Wednesday special at **\$3.95**

—Corsets, First Floor—Phone 1194

**December Sale of Women's Tea Aprons 35c to \$1.25 Each**

**Aprons**, of white lawn and fancy muslins, trimmed with lace ribbons and packed in dainty boxes. On sale at, each **\$1.25**

**Aprons**, of fancy colored muslins in Dresden shades, also white cross bar muslins, trimmed with lace and ribbons at, each **90c**

**Aprons**, of white lawn, trimmed with wide lace, pocket trimmed with lace. On sale at, each **65c**

**Aprons**, of white lawn with small bib, finished with deep hemstitching at, each **50c**

**Aprons**, of white lawn trimmed, with narrow lace edging. December Sale price, each **35c**

—Whitewear, First Floor—Phone 1194

**At Half Price To-morrow A Clearance of Silk REMNANTS To-morrow At Half Price**

During the first week of our December Silk Sale, remnants have accumulated at such a rate that we must make a clearance at once. There are lengths varying from one-quarter yard to one and three-quarter yards; all best grades; pongees, satins, Georgettes, taffetas and other makes; many wonderful values and all just half price.

—Silks, Main Floor

**"Simmons" Brass and Steel Beds Specially Priced for Wednesday Morning Buyers**

To-morrow morning you are offered an opportunity to get one of these well-known beds at a lower price; each bed is strong of construction and of excellent design.

**Four Brass Beds**, with 2-inch posts and five upright fillers. These beds are shown in satin ribbon finish 4ft 6 in. wide and offered at **\$16.75**

**One Brass Bed**, with 2-inch continuous posts and five 1 1/4-inch upright fillers, in dull satin finish; size 4 ft. 6 in. Priced at **\$33.50**

**Brass Beds**, with 2-inch posts and 2-inch top rod and 1-inch fillers; a heavy well designed bed with heavy ball corners; size 4ft. 6 in. A bargain at **\$26.90**

**Simmons' Square Tubing Steel Beds**, with 2 1/2-inch continuous posts and finished in mahogany and walnut, all sizes, priced at **\$24.90**

**Simmons' Square Tubing Steel Beds**, with 1 1/2-inch square posts and top turning in almost square corner; it has nine upright fillers and finished in walnut or grey enamel **\$13.95**

—Bedroom Furniture, Second Floor—Phone 5441

**See the Many Suggestions for Practical Gifts in Our Furniture Department**

**Imitation Walnut Tea Wagon**, with tray top, at **\$31.00**

**1 Golden Oak Tea Wagon**, with 3 tiers and loose tray top, **\$37.50**

**Fumed Oak 3-Tier Tea Wagon**, with loose top tray, at **\$50.00**

**1 Mahogany Tea Wagon**, with patent table top, at **\$65.00**

**Fancy Jardinieres**, in mahogany finish, **\$7.50** to **\$15.00**

**Parlor Tables**, in all sizes and shapes, in mahogany, walnut or oak, at **\$10.00** to **\$25.00**

**Walnut Smoker's Stand**, with copper-ash tray, at **\$6.50**

**Smokers' Stands**, in mahogany, walnut or oak, with glass ash trays, at **\$5.90**

See the many interesting lines we have for your selection.

—Furniture, Second Floor

**48 Axminster Rugs at \$5.00 Each**

**Axminster Rugs**, 27x54 inches, with a deep rich pile; shown in Oriental and conventional designs. Each a real bargain at **\$5.00**

—Carpets, Second Floor

**Bed Springs and Mattresses Big Values To-morrow**

**10 "No Sway" Springs**, made with interlaced tops, and built on a heavy frame; a guaranteed spring that will give full satisfaction, at **\$11.75**

**10 All-White Felt Mattresses**, built in layers, and guaranteed not to lump; a comfortable mattress covered with excellent grade art ticking. Special at **\$9.75**

—Bedroom Furniture, Second Floor

**Christmas Gift Suggestions in the Crockery Department**

**Fancy Tea Trays**, with wood rim and glass centres. Excellent Christmas gifts, and good value at, **\$1.85** to **\$6.80**

**Fancy China**, including cup and saucer, plates, Bon-Bons, Pin Trays, Salt and Pepper Shakers, Milk Jugs, Spoon Trays, Mustard Pots and Ash Trays. All at, each **95c**

**Fancy China**, Cups and Saucers, Milk Jugs, Salts and Peppers, Bon Bon Dishes, Spoon Trays, Sugars and Creams, Butter Tubs and Mustard Pots. Price, each **\$1.50**

—Lower Main Floor

**Perfection Heaters the Best at Lowest Prices**

**Perfection Heaters**, in black, at **\$9.25**

**Perfection Heaters**, with nickel trimmings, at **\$10.25**

**Blue Enamel Perfection Heaters**, at **\$13.00**

Wicks and Repairs Always Kept in Stock

—Stoves, Lower Main Floor—Phone 5225

**December Sale of Women's Silk and Satin Lingerie**

**Envelope Chemises**, of satin, trimmed with lace tops, finished with brocaded satin ribbons. Special for December Sale at **\$3.90**

**Envelope Chemises**, of fine quality Habutai silk, hand-embroidered fronts and finished with lace in Maltese pattern. Special for December Sale at **\$3.90**

**Nightgowns**, of fine quality Habutai silk, trimmed with lace and satin ribbons. Special for December Sale at **\$6.75**

**Gowns**, of wash satins, with yoke of filet lace. Special for December Sale at **\$7.50**

**Gowns**, of Habutai silk, with deep yoke of lace, in shades of white, pink, mauve and blue. Special at **\$7.50**

—Whitewear, First Floor—Phone 1194

KIRKHAM'S ISSUE SCRIP Price—Quality—Service At the Big Cash Market

- SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY MORNING
Okanagan Jonathan Apples, No. 1 stock, well colored, per box \$1.98
M. J. B. Coffee, 1-lb. tins, regular 70c, for 56c
Recleaned Currants, per lb. 19c
Orange or Lemon Peel, lb. 35c
C. & B. Ground Almonds, per tin, 35c and 60c
California Cluster Raisins, 1-lb. pkts., 35c
Seeded Raisins, in bulk, lb. 20c
Preserved Ginger, in syrup, 4-lb. jars, 75c
Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. for 35c
New Filberts, per lb. 35c
New Brazils, per lb. 30c
Hard Wheat Bread Flour, all kinds, 49-lb. sack \$2.10
Wild Rose or Snowflake Pastry Flour, 49-lb. sack \$2.05
Beans, per 100-lb. sack \$1.30
Shorts, per 100-lb. sack \$1.40
Wheat, per 100-lb. sack \$2.50
Scratch Feed, 100-lb. sk. \$2.35
Rolled Oats, 29-lb. sack .90c
Rolled Oats, in bulk, 6 lbs. 25c

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN



Griffith, Mrs. J. Racliffe, Mrs. J. Adams, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Cousins, Lincoln, Ill.
Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Hyde-Pearson were the hostesses at a delightful entertainment at Glenshiel Inn yesterday when Major Bullock-Webster gave a series of readings from Oscar Wilde's plays and the work of Drummond and Stephen Leacock as well as stories by Mrs. Adams-Beck. A musical programme added to the attractiveness of the affair, songs being contributed by Miss Eva Hart, Mr. Jones and Major Bullock-Webster with Mrs. A. J. Gibson at the piano. At the conclusion of the programme the guests repaired to the dining-room, where supper was served at a table prettily arranged with chrysanthemums.

ELKS CHARITY BALL ASSURED SUCCESS

The Christmas Charity Ball under the auspices of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the Order of the Royal Purple which will be held at Alexandra Ballroom on Thursday night, gives every promise of being a brilliant social affair. The net proceeds of this function will be devoted towards providing Christmas hamper for many of the destitute at the approaching Yuletide. The numerous cases of distress which have been brought to the attention of the Elks' Relief Committee have spurred the members of that order to greater efforts than in previous years and the slogan now is: "Make Merry Thursday so That Others May Be Made Merry at Christmas Time."

KING'S DAUGHTERS SALE AT DUNCAN

Duncan, Dec. 5.—Beautiful weather favored the Scattered Circle, King's Daughters, on Saturday afternoon, when they held their annual Winter sale of work at the Victoria Hall, Duncan. The many tempting articles displayed proved so irresistible that over \$400 was taken in during the afternoon. At the entrance to the Hall, Mrs. Fry, Mrs. N. Graig and Miss Blythe had a "Touch and Take" stall. Next came cooked food in charming variety, presided over by Mrs. Jayne, Mrs. J. Robinson and Mrs. Tomlinson, takings at this stall amounting to nearly \$30. Mrs. F. S. Leather and Mrs. "Trinity" Rice had a "Talent" stall, which brought in \$40 and Mesdames Corbishley, Spurrier and Cresswell sold handkerchiefs and sachets to the amount of \$37 odd.

Scattered Circle Sponsor Successful Bazaar and Badminton Tournament

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HALLIDAY'S CHRISTMAS SALE



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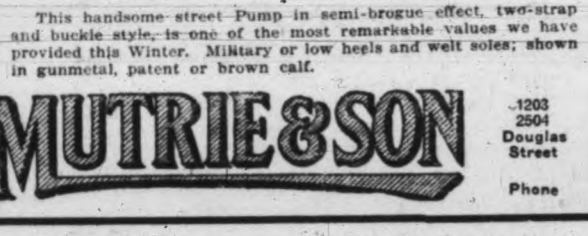
- DOOR MAT SPECIALS
Cocoa Fibre, size 14 x 24. Regular \$1.25. Sale Price 95c
Size 16 x 26, \$1.65 value, for ..... \$1.25
BIG VALUES IN PURE ALUMINUM
Double Saucepans, 2-pint size. Reg. \$2.75 value, now \$1.65
Coffee Percolators, 5-cup size, \$2.75 value. Sale price \$1.65
SEAMLESS GREY ENAMELED WARE REDUCED
8-Quart Dish Pan, regular \$1.25 value. Sale price ..... 65c
2-Quart Saucepan, straight sides, with cover, 29c value. Sale price ..... 60c
3-Quart size, \$1.25 value. Sale price ..... 85c
4-Quart Lipped Saucepan, \$3.00 value. Sale price ..... \$1.95
Self-Heating Roast Pans, round style, heavy quality; \$5.00 value. Sale price ..... \$2.75
Colanders, 10-inch size, 75c value. Sale price ..... 60c
Double Saucepans, 3-pint size, with cover; \$1.50 value. Sale price ..... \$1.10
2-pint size, \$1.25 value. Sale price ..... 95c
HAND-PAINTED CHINA—Do Not Overlook These Tables:
Your Choice, 75c—China Cups
Your Choice, \$1.00—China Tea Pots, Cake Plates, Cream Jugs, Sugar Bowls, Cups and Saucers, Spoon Trays and Nut Bowls.
75c Floor Mats With Cloth, 45c
HALLIDAY'S 141 YATES Free Quick Delivery We Sell for Cash and Save You Money PHONE 633 \$1.25

The Boys' Store For Boys' Gifts

- Boys' Store Gifts are sensible, practical and they're sure to please.
Sweaters: button shoulder; pure wool. Price, \$2.55 to \$3.00
Neckwear, boxed, \$2.00 to 50c
Belts, \$1.50 to 2.00
Kid Gloves, \$1.25
Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.65 and \$1.50



Wednesday Morning Special \$5.85



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At a Time When Every Dollar Must Count!
When a cook compares the work of this Shamrock Range on a dollar and cents basis with the work of a range much higher in price it is the natural, almost inevitable selection. On a basis of fuel consumption alone this range, saving you one-third of your fuel bill, will pay for itself in two years. See it yourself.
Features: 6-hole polished steel top with cup water-jacket, 3-piece back, triple outside casing, reinforced oven.
Trade In Your Old Range. Price \$69.00
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Furs at a Big Discount

Foster's entire stock is on the bargain counter, including Fur Trimmings, Slippers. Now is the time to save money on fur gifts. If you feel you cannot afford to buy new furs, let us make over and clean the ones you have in time for Christmas. 1216 Government Street Phone 1837

GIVE KIRKHAM'S SCRIP

The Hon. Mrs. Piers Leigh, formerly Mrs. Alfred Shaugnessy, has arrived in Canada on a visit to Lord and Lady Shaugnessy, and will later visit her mother in Tennessee, her husband, who is enquery to the Prince of Wales, has accompanied His Royal Highness to India.

Mr. H. C. Bevan, who left Victoria last week for Vancouver en route for England was among the guests at a dinner given by Brig. Gen. and Mrs. A. D. McRae at "Hycroft" on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Marie Lohr, who left on Sunday for the East.

Up-Island visitors at the Dominion Hotel include L. Hewitt and Mrs. Hewitt, of Metehosin; William Cain and J. E. Coates, of Mayne Island; H. Pringle, of Ladysmith; L. Peake, P. Mappin, and A. Aikenhead, of Nanaimo; Mrs. E. Sternberg, of Goldstream; W. J. Nightingale and Mrs. H. Carperson, of Ganges.

John McMillan, Mrs. and Miss McMillan, of Tacoma; R. E. Noble, of Seattle; Henry E. Mard, of Fernie; E. Doolan and Mrs. Doolan, of Edmonton; M. Humphreys McKee, G. Browning, J. L. Lyon, J. C. Scott, V. C. Young, D. H. Currie, J. W. Little, Miss A. Witty and Ronald McAlister, of Vancouver, are new arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. Henry Moss announces the engagement of his daughter Dorothy Beryl to Charles Keith, youngest son of the Rev. Dr. D. W. and Mrs. Moss, of Beauharnois, Quebec. Following the wedding, which is to take place on Saturday, December 10, a reception will be held from 2 to 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Basher, Mrs. John H. Worthington, 247 Government Street.

On Saturday evening at Broad-bane, 1182 Fort Street, the Rev. Dr. Campbell, in the presence of a number of friends, celebrated the marriage of Mr. Thomas Brattie Lang and Mrs. Jeanie Margaret Sloman, both of this city. The bride was attended as matron of honor by Mrs. Jessie Nelson. The best man was Mr. James Preston. After a honeymoon on the mainland Mr. and Mrs. Lang will make their home in Victoria.

Registered at the Strathcona Hotel are: C. H. Fogg, H. Watanabe, Vancouver; Mrs. C. E. Baker, Salt Spring Island; W. W. Bundock, Galiano Island; and Mrs. A. C. Campbell, Skoke; W. H. Forrest, Hillbank; Mrs. Ingles, S. A. Gullbride, Chemainus; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. James, Kelowna; G. J. Thorp, Telkwa; Mr. and Mrs. G.

CRANLEIGH HOUSE SCHOOL FOR BOYS
Special Division for Younger Boys, 549 Fowl Bay Road. Phone 4405

WASTED!
It was a missionary sermon, and a little girl who had accompanied her father to the hall seemed restless. When she reached home she asked her mother whether the natives of Africa wore any cloths. "No," replied her mother. "Then," retorted the observant young lady, "what was the use of that button father gave to the collection?"

CLEAN CARPETS
Absolutely Guaranteed by CARPETERIA CO. 1019 Cook Street Phone 1455

Wednesday Morning SALE SPECIALS
Pretty Handkerchiefs, Irish embroidered, nicely boxed for gifts, 85c to \$2.50
Silk Camisoles at Sale Prices, up from \$1.00
Silk and Cashmere Hosiery.
Dent's Kid Gloves, French flowered. Nice assortment of Ribbons.

Seabrook Young The Ladies' Children's Outfitter
1421 Douglas Street

TEA MUSICALES FOR MEMBERS ONLY

Ladies' Musical Club Gives \$25 to Friendly Help
At the meeting of the executive of the Ladies' Musical Club yesterday afternoon it was decided that in future the monthly Saturday musical teas should be available for members only and the practice hitherto in vogue of allowing members to bring their friends should cease. This step has been found necessary owing to the tremendous increase in membership, which has now exceeded two hundred and fifty, and to the fact that at the recent musicale held at the home of Mrs. George Basher the congestion was so great as to make the task of handling the crowd at the tea hour a difficult one.

The meeting voted the sum of \$25 to the Friendly Help Society towards Christmas cheer, and also made a donation of \$10 to the Victoria Symphony Orchestra for the purchase of instrumental music.

WOMEN OF MOOSEHEART INSTAL OFFICERS
The Women of Mooseheart Legion, Victoria Chapter No. 25, met last evening at the K. of P. Hall. After the usual business the installation of officers took place when the following officers were installed by Past Dictator Herd of Lodge No. 1290, assisted by Legionaire Glover: Senior Regent, Mrs. A. Knowles; Junior Regent, Mrs. J. White; Secretary, Mrs. Watson; treasurer, Mrs. Copley; chaplain, Mrs. Wilmut; guide, Miss M. Plummer; sentinel, Mrs. Potts; argus, Mrs. Merrifield; pianist, Mrs. Pike; past regent, Mrs. Elsmore.

Mrs. Elsmore was presented with a lovely basket of flowers by Miss Freda Scouler, whose speech was made by Brothers Copeland and Herd. After the serving of refreshments, dancing was indulged in, the Moose orchestra providing the music and Bro. Elsmore acting as master of ceremonies. About one hundred and fifty guests were present and had an enjoyable time.

FOR CHILDREN THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT
THE TAILS OF TWO ANIMALS
Mr. Fox and Mr. Coyote used to often meet when they were strolling about hunting, and it was on one of these hunting trips that their famous quarrel took place. "I don't look so much like me," said Mr. Coyote. "Here I get blamed many times for doing things that I never do. I have often said 'I am just as much ashamed of it as you are.' You, on the other hand, you are undertaking it is also the thing to insure a most pleasant evening for those attending and in order to avoid over-seeing they have limited seats to 350."

Mr. Fox stood almost anything but having anyone say his tail is not beautiful, so he did not wait to hear what Mr. Coyote had to say about his tail; he just jumped right at him. "See here, you ungrainly looking creature, don't you dare mention your tail in the same breath with mine. Your fur would not be used for anything but to make a brush for homes, while I am chased all over the country for mine."

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PROTESTANT HOME TO HAVE CHRISTMAS TREE

At the regular meeting of the Protestant Orphan's Home yesterday the president, Mrs. McTavish, was in the chair and the following members of the committee were present: Mesdames McGregor, Leithwaite, Beard, Jenkinson, Cameron, Hiscocks, Sea, Scowcroft, Spencer, Sherwood, Miss Newbury, Miss Tolmie sent in her resignation, but treasurer, which was accepted with deep regret.

The annual Christmas tree at the Orphanage will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 3 p.m., at which all friends of the institution are invited to be present.

The following donations received during the past month were gratefully acknowledged: Mrs. W. G. Cameron, clothing; Mr. G. A. Kirk, ten dozen doughnuts; Miss G. Thomas, Sannich, four sacks apples; R. P. Hiltch and Co. box of biscuits; A. Friend, apples; The Home Bakery, 100 loaves bread; Cloverdale, sack of sugar; Ruth Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Bannochkin, cake and sandwiches; Mrs. W. Munroe, box apples; Mrs. Lang, Battery Street, box apples; Sir Edward Carson L.O.L. 2394, cake and sandwiches; shower from Britannia Lodge, 216 L. O. B. A., clothing and groceries; Mr. Cameron, yellow sugar and pears; Authors' Association, cake and sandwiches; Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I. O. D. E., cake and sandwiches; shower from Purple Star

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"Well, I never!" exclaimed Mr. Coyote, looking after him, "but he forgets to tell me that he was going to do a favor for his tail can be seen now, and if anyone happens to be around with a gun they will be sure to see his white-tipped tail, while mine will be lost in the darkness."

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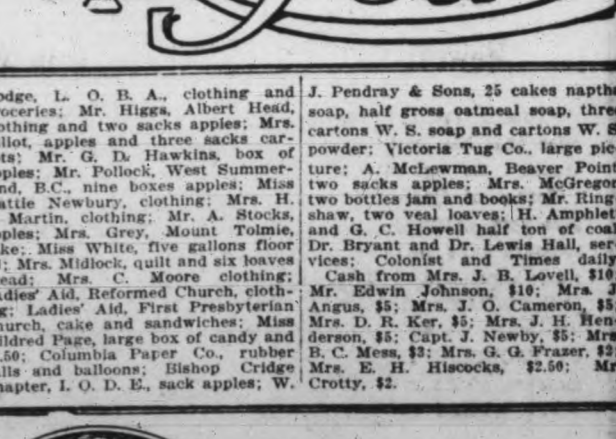
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THE STORY OF CAROL KENNICOTT

By SINCLAIR LEWIS

But Mrs. Mary Ellen Wilks was smiling. Mrs. Wilks was the proprietor of Ye Art Shoppe and Magazine and Book Store, and the reader of the small Christian Science church. She made it all clear.

"If this class of people had an understanding of Science and that we are the children of God and nothing can harm us, they wouldn't be in error and poverty."

Mrs. Jackson Elder confirmed. "Beside, it strikes me the club is already doing enough, with tree-planting and the antity campaign and the responsibility for the rest-room—to say nothing of the fact that we've talked of trying to get the railroad to put in a park at the station."

"I think so too!" said Madam Chairman. She placed uneasily at Miss Sherwin. "But what do you think Vida?"

Vida smiled tactfully at each of the committee, and announced, "Well, I don't believe we'd better start anything more right now. But it's been a privilege to hear Carol's dear generous ideas, hasn't it? Oh! There is

and all this awful political stuff about scandal and personalities and so on."

All—save one—nodded. The interrupted the formal business-meeting to discuss Mrs. Edgar Potbury's husband, Mrs. Potbury's income, Mrs. Potbury's sedan, Mrs. Potbury's residence, Mrs. Potbury's oratorical style, Mrs. Potbury's mandarin evening coat, Mrs. Potbury's coiffure, and Mrs. Potbury's altogether reprehensible influence on the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Before the programme committee adjourned they took three minutes to decide which of the subjects suggested by the magazine, Culture Hints, Furnishings and China, or The Bible as Literature, would be better for the coming year. There was one annoying incident. Mrs. Dr. Kennicott interfered and showed off again. She commented, "Don't you think that we already get enough of the Bible in our churches and Sunday Schools?"

Mrs. Leonard Warren, somewhat out of order but much more out of temper, cried, "Well upon my word! I didn't suppose there was any one who felt that we could get enough of the Bible! I guess if the Grand Old Book has withstood the attacks of infidels for these two thousand years it is worth our slight consideration!"

"Oh, I didn't mean—" Carol began. Inasmuch as she did mean it was hard to be extremely lucid. "But I wish, instead of limiting ourselves either to the Bible, or to anecdotes about the Brothers Adams' wig, which Culture Hints seems to regard as the significant point about furniture, we could study some of the really striking ideas that are springing up today—whether it's chemistry or anthropology or labor problems—the things that are going to mean so terribly much."

Everybody cleared her polite throat. Madam Chairman inquired, "Is there any other discussion? Will some one make a motion to adopt the suggestion of Vida Sherwin—to take up Furnishings and China?"

It was adopted, unanimously.

"Checkmate!" murmured Carol, as she held up her hand.

Had she actually believed that she could plant a seed of liberalism in the blank wall of mediocrity? How had she fallen into the folly of trying to plant anything whatever in a wall so smooth and sun-glazed, and so resisting to the happy sleepers within?

(To Be Continued.)

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**CONSERVATIVE CLOSE CAMPAIGN WITH RALLY LAST NIGHT**

**Dr. S. F. Tolmie Speaks at the Royal Victoria**

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, the Government candidate, made his final appeal to the electors at the Royal Victoria Theatre rally last evening. "When you elected me in 1917," he stated, "you took me in the raw. I knew very little about politics, but more about cattle."

"Again in 1919 I appealed to you and you returned me to cabinet rank. In that time I have tried to represent you and Victoria faithfully, and I trust to-morrow will show that I have been successful."

The speaker here dealt with the political issues of the tri-cornered contest, stating that the Meighen party was the only one with a clear cut programme that would "stick hard and fast." Dr. Tolmie rehearsed the expansion of Canada under Conservative regime, and quoted tariff operation in remarks similar to those published in previous speeches.

**"Unknown Apple Pie."**

"It is difficult to see where Mr. King stands on the tariff. I understand though that he is for a low tariff and for free foodstuffs. I noticed, however, that he did not refer to fruit, now there is nothing new or unknown about apple pie. (Laughter.) Has Mr. King the power to change his platform by wire to suit the West. (Cries of No, No.)"

"Well Meighen stands for a reasonable tariff. Take the case of the Okanagan," here the speaker cited the duty on apples, and stated that the duty of thirty cents a box on imported apples had built up the fruit industry of that valley to the point where \$,000 car loads of fruit were shipped this year at a value of \$6,000,000.

"This government has taken more of the people than any govern-

ment," continued the speaker passing on the war period, "and the cor-try has responded nobly. Our tariff was \$100,000,000 a year. We have taxed capital about all it will stand, and we must be careful of taxing capital—or we will drive it away."

Here the speaker dealt with points raised in former addresses, along the lines of the Canadian National Railway, expansion at the Outer Docks, and Victoria's opportunities.

**Victoria's Chances.**

"Victoria is going to be just what Victorians make it," he continued. "I would be very glad to co-operate in getting something started at the Outer Docks; they are not a credit to the city now, and provided you don't leave me at the post-to-morrow I will do all in my power to co-operate along any suggestion your business-men may have to offer in that regard."

The speaker referred briefly to the prospect of getting coal bunkers, lumber collecting bases and other facilities at the Outer Docks. Dr. Tolmie referred also to the C. G. M. M. service and rehearsed the growth of that department.

Three ships were in operation he said, to nearly all parts of the world, paying \$8,000,000 for operation this year, and making a profit of \$781,460, which, stated the speaker, "showed that the C. G. M. M. was getting on its feet." The C. N. R. and the C. G. M. M. were non-political and under special board of control, reiterated the speaker, and would within five years be great national assets to the country.

**No Charge Substantiated.**

Dr. Tolmie asserted that in spite of immense sums handled, not one single charge had been substantiated against the government in all its term.

**A Shipping Industry.**

The drydock at Esquimalt would be the basis for a ship building and repairing industry in Victoria, stated the speaker. "With that equipment," he continued, "all we need is pep to get our fair share of work on the Pacific Coast."

Dr. Tolmie explained that he had secured the formation of a cabinet committee to examine the claims rejected by the Audette Sealing Commission, and promised to use his influence with that body in this regard if elected.

The Minister closed his address by rehearsing his trip to England on the cattle embargo, and thanking all who had aided in his campaign. He was greeted with standing cheers at the conclusion of his address. C. H. Morden, of Vancouver, spoke briefly on various phases of the campaign. C. T. Cross presided.

**ARION CLUB CONCERT**

Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green to Assist at Opening Concert Dec. 15

The Arion Club, which entered on the thirtieth year of existence this season, has announced its first concert for Thursday, December 15, at the Empress Hotel. To the interest inevitably aroused by this popular club will be created additional enthusiasm by the announcement that Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, the gifted pianist, is to be the assisting artist, thus ensuring the artistic success of the opening concert.

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**BOOTH SUPPORTERS' FINAL MEETING**

Many Attended to Hear Speakers at Rex Theatre

J. S. Cowper, ex-M. P. P. of Vancouver, spoke on the Oriental issue in British Columbia, a subject to which he has given special attention, at a meeting of the Esquimalt Liberals held on the eve of the poll at the Rex Theatre.

He stated that T. B. Booth, the Liberal candidate, is pledged to work for a white Canada.

The other speakers were C. K. Christian, W. G. Stone and C. H. O'Halloran, who dealt with various phases of the situation, and were well received. Mr. Christian devoted himself to answer some criticism of the organization of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association, and also to the manner in which the vote at the

**1917 election was manipulated for the benefit of the Borden government, according to allegations made.**

Mr. Stone dealt with the tariff, and Mr. O'Halloran with the failure to precede the election by the redistribution of seats, depriving the West of adequate representation.

John Jardine presided. The candidate, Mr. Booth, was unable to attend, as he was conducting his final meeting in Nanaimo.

**Juvenile Foresters, A. O. F., Courts Canada and Excelsior will hold a meeting Thursday evening in Foresters' Hall.**

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(207) Strait of Georgia—Fraser River Entrance—Changes in Positions and Characters of Range Lights.

Frasermouth Outer Range—Change in character and positions of lights.

Front light. Position—Latitude N. 49 deg. 6 min. 28 sec. longitude W. 123 deg. 13 min. 38 sec.

Character—Fixed red electric light shown from a cluster of three incandescent lamps.

Elevation—Sixteen feet. Visibility—Six miles in the line of range.

Description—Wooden pole. Back light. Position—400 feet 88 deg. 40 min. (N. 53 deg. 40 min. E. mag.) from front.

Character—Fixed white electric light shown from a cluster of three incandescent lamps.

Elevation—Twenty-eight feet. Visibility—Ten miles in the line of range.

Description—Wooden pole. Remarks—The lights are unwatched. The lights in one bearing 88 deg. 40 min. lead up from the intersection of their alignment with that of the Garry Point range.

Change in position of lights. Front light. Position—Latitude N. 49 deg. 7 min. 54 sec. longitude W. 123 deg. 14 min. 23 sec.

Character—Fixed red electric light shown from a cluster of three incandescent lamps.

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Description—Wooden pole. Back light. Position—500 feet 302 deg. (N. 83 deg. W. mag.) from front.

Character—Fixed white electric light shown from a cluster of three incandescent lamps.

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Northside Range—Change in character and position of lights.

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FOUND SEACOCK IN STROKEHOLD OPEN AND OTHER LEAKS

Salvage Engineer Testifies Importer Would Not Have Survived Another Storm

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Two engineers employed by the Pacific Salvage Company took the stand at yesterday's session of the inquiry into the disabling of the steamer "Canadian" importer, Thomas W. Allen, superintendent of the company, who is a marine engineer by profession, testified concerning the work done by the salvage men after they reached the vessel. Darrell E. Vincent, gasoline and electrical engineer, was questioned regarding the pumps which the Algerine and the Observer put aboard the importer.

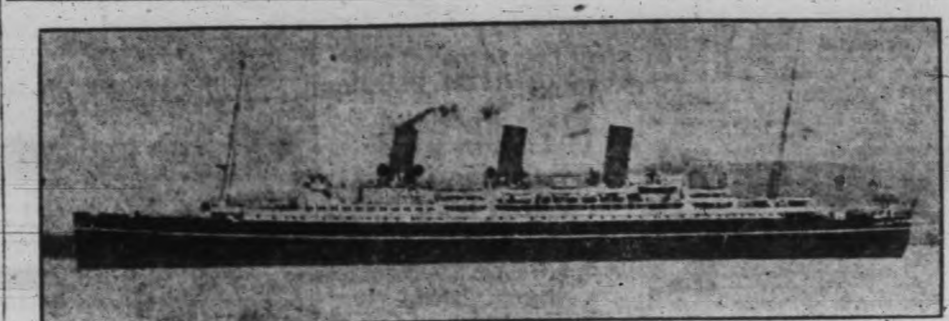
Mr. Allen declared that the importer appeared to be waterlogged when the Algerine arrived on the scene. For she was very deep in the water. When he went aboard, he water stepped from a small boat to the main deck, he said. A conference with Captain Bissett and Captain Cooper was held on board the Observer soon after the Algerine arrived. Captain Bissett did not want assistance from the salvage people, declared the witness, so he went back to the Algerine. Shortly afterward he received a message asking that he and his engineers go aboard the disabled vessel, and start the pump as a safety precaution. He said that he and his men did, and four of them remained with the vessel until it went into drydock.

YARROWS TO REPAIR DAMAGE TO AMUR

Yarrows, Ltd. of Esquimalt, have been awarded the contract to repair the steamer Amur, now resting on the keel blocks in the Esquimalt drydock. The Amur sustained bottom damage by going ashore recently. The work will cost about \$1,900, and will occupy about a week.

Along the Waterfront

Will Sail From Liverpool in February



R. M. S. EMPRESS OF CANADA. The above is a reproduction of the most recent picture of the Empress of Canada, which will be the largest steamship on the Pacific. She is 653 feet in length, 77.8 feet beam and 52 1/2 feet deep from the bridge deck with a tonnage of 22,600 gross register. The Empress of Canada is due to arrive out here early in May.

CHANCELLOR IS DUE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

The Harrison "Direct" freighter-chancellor is expected to arrive from the United Kingdom about December 23. Included in the Harrison boat's cargo is 3,500 tons of raw sugar from Demerara for the Vancouver refinery. The witness also said that a ten-inch pump had to be put on in addition to the six-inch pump as a safety precaution. He said that as soon as enough water was pumped out of the engine room to allow a person to enter, he had gone down on inspection. He found a sea cock in the strokehold open, a two and a half inch hose from the ballast pump leaking, and a pipe from the condenser also leaking a little.

CANADIAN ROVER FLOATED TO-DAY

Ship Released From Sandy Shore and Proceeded to Ocean Falls

After being aground for eleven hours near Campbell River, the Canadian Government Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Rover floated at 2:30 o'clock this morning without assistance and proceeded on her way to Ocean Falls. The Rover was bound from Vancouver to Ocean Falls to land paper for San Francisco and San Pedro, when, at 8 o'clock last night, she fetched up on a sandy bottom off Campbell River. The vessel was never in danger and when the United States cutter Snohomish, which was near the scene, offered assistance, it was refused. She floated off this morning with the rising tide and proceeded. No damage was sustained. The Canadian Rover was here last Monday from San Francisco and discharged cargo at the Grand Trunk Pacific wharf before shifting to Vancouver. The Canadian Rover is a vessel of 2,890 tons and is operated in conjunction with the steamer Canadian Observer and Canadian Farmer in the service of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine between Vancouver, Ocean Falls, Victoria, San Francisco and San Pedro, Cal.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN CROSSING PACIFIC

The Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Japan sailed from Yokohama on Friday last on her return voyage to Victoria and Vancouver. The Japan is due here December 14.

DEFIANCE SHOWN BY WITNESSES

"Evidence Most Unsatisfactory," Says Wreck Commissioner on Importer Probe

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Storm clouds appeared on the horizon at this morning's session of the inquiry into the disabling of the steamer Canadian importer. Commissioner Macpherson started things when he declared that the evidence submitted by the witnesses had been most unsatisfactory and that there was a certain tone of defiance in the manner of a number of the witnesses. "I am very sorry to say so," declared the Commissioner, "but the evidence in this inquiry has been most unsatisfactory. In fact, it seems to me that there has been a tone of defiance about a great deal of it, which has been very close to the border line of the permissible. This is a very serious affair and I can't help coming to the conclusion that there are certain things which have been purposely concealed from the court." Three members of the crew were on the witness stand. G. W. Irvine, A. B. testified that he went away with the crew in the lifeboat. He declared that he was surprised when they returned to find the importer on nearly even keel once again and that he had no theory as to how the accident occurred. The court struck the first snag when Emmanuel Sevelin, a donkeyman and oiler was called. Sevelin is a native of Denmark who has been in this country for 15 months. Sevelin's only answer was "I forget." His English was the first stumbling block, and his poor memory the second.

RUSSIA MAY ARRIVE HERE CHRISTMAS DAY

In order to permit her passengers to spend Christmas Day, or part of it ashore, there is a possibility that the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia, which is scheduled to arrive here on the morning of December 26, will attempt to cut several hours from her run to arrive in port on the holiday. The liner is due to leave Yokohama December 17.

C.P.R. LINERS WILL MAKE SOUTHAMPTON EUROPEAN TERMINUS

Liverpool Has Recognized For Some Time That Diversion Was Inevitable

London, Dec. 6.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The announcement that the Canadian Pacific steamships are to be diverted from docking at Liverpool and are to dock at Southampton has been received at Liverpool with regret, although it has been recognized for some time that this was inevitable. Most of the Canadian passenger traffic for the continent is from the continent and from the south and west of England and this means a long railway journey to Liverpool besides costly fares and loss of time. There was a time when the city of Liverpool made a good thing from the Canadian passenger traffic, but that was many years ago, before the opening of the Riverside Railway station, which enabled passengers from the steamships to take a train directly from the landing to London. Liverpool has lost this business entirely.

TUG OVERTURNED BY HUGE WAVE

Marshfield, Ore., Dec. 6.—Ten to fourteen lost their lives when the tug Sea Eagle on November 29 was overturned by a huge wave while running in the Columbia River to escape a storm on the Oregon coast. News of the loss, which has been feared since wreckage from the Sea Eagle washed up here last week, was brought by the schooner Ecola, to whose aid the Sea Eagle went November 18 last in a terrific storm. The vessel, which was unable to make port, was close to the Sea Eagle when she foundered, but was unable to save any of the crew. None of them were seen on the surface after the wave struck the tug. Owing to the hurried trips made by the Sea Eagle up and down the coast during the storm, the exact number aboard is unknown.

LAST OF ADMIRAL LINERS ON COAST

SS. Bay State Will Reach Seattle Next Week; Pine Tree State Sails Saturday

Completing the allocation of the five 525-footers to the Admiral Line for the Seattle-Victoria route, the new United States Shipping Board liner Bay State, Capt. Martin F. Tarpey, is due to arrive at Seattle next week from the Atlantic coast. The Bay State is coming out to Seattle in ballast, and will make her maiden voyage in the trans-Pacific service in January. The fourth vessel of the Admiral Line's trans-Pacific fleet, the SS. Pine Tree State, Capt. M. M. Jensen, will sail from Seattle next Saturday, and will touch at this port the same afternoon, on her way out to Yokohama, Manila and Hongkong. The liner Wenatchee, Capt. H. C. Thomas, is expected to arrive at this port next Friday from the Far East, completing her second voyage in the service. The Wenatchee will sail again for the Orient on Christmas Eve.

ITALIAN EXCURSION BY LINER AQUITANIA

A special personally conducted Christmas excursion to Italy for those who wish to reach the homeland before the holidays, has been planned by the Cunard Line and the Aquitania, sailing from New York December 13. The ship, that will carry the travelers on the first leg of the journey. By taking this liner which makes the passage in under six days to Cherbourg and entraining there for Turin and Milan, which will take but one more day, the excursionists will arrive at their points of destination in Italy in seven days.

VESSEL FLOATED AT PEAK OF TIDE

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Under her own steam and at the peak of the tide Sunday the steam schooner San Antonio, was refloated after having gone ashore in a fog at Roche Point. The vessel apparently is not badly damaged. It has been decided by the owners, the Kingsley Navigation Company, to have her hauled out before she is loaded.

NEBRASKA DUE TO LOAD NEXT WEEK

The British freighter Nebraska, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, passed up to Vancouver yesterday evening from Portland. The Nebraska is expected here next Tuesday or Wednesday to load 50 tons of box shooks for the United Kingdom.

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ALASKAN COAST IS LASHED BY STORMS Prince Rupert, B.C., Dec. 6.—The north coast of British Columbia is being lashed by one of the wildest storms in months. The Princess Mary from Skagway was obliged to turn back to Ketchikan to await calm weather. The U. S. S. Snohomish called here, en route south, after a fruitless search for the American fishing boat Squidmore, which has been given up for lost.

LAKE STEAMERS SEEK SHELTER IN STORM Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 6.—Down bound steamers report the most severe storm on Lake Superior this season. During the last week most vessels took shelter where possible. The Pioneer, down bound, lay in Baile

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de Gris, under Keweenaw Point, for 48 hours. There have been no reports of steamers in danger, however. No word has been received of the steamer Philip Minah or the Lydous. The storm has subsided considerably, although a high wind still prevails.

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### NEWS IN BRIEF

**Secures Optometry Certificate.**—Joseph Rose, the well-known optometrist, has just received notification of his success in the first examinations of the board appointed under the Optometry Act of 1921.

**Architects Meeting.**—The Victoria Chapter of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia held its regular monthly luncheon at the Pall Mall on Monday. The meeting was well attended.

**British Israel Association.**—The Unconditional Promises of God to Abraham and Their Relation to the British Empire and the Millennial Kingdom of Christ, will be the subject for discussion on Tuesday evening, December 6, 8 p.m., in the British Israel Hall, 857 Fort Street (near Quadra). Admission is free.

**Salvation Army.**—A sale of work will be held in the Citadel, Broad Street, on Wednesday. The sale will be opened by Mrs. W. F. Henderson at 3 p.m. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon and evening. A musical programme is also arranged.

**Sale of Work.**—A sale of work and home-cooking will be held in Burnside Schoolroom on Wednesday afternoon and evening, commencing at 2.30 o'clock. This is under the auspices of the Burnside Parent Teachers' Association. The proceeds will go toward the purchase of a piano for the school.

**To Meet Thursday.**—The Army and Navy Veterans, Victoria Unit, will hold their general monthly meeting at the Hagley Building on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. This being the last meeting for this year, all members are requested to attend. An executive council meeting will be held in the board room on the same evening at 7.30, and all members of the executive are specially requested to attend.

**Friendship Club.**—The Friendship Club weekly invitation dance held in the Knights of Pythias Hall on Saturday proved a big success. Guests numbering over one hundred spent a very enjoyable evening dancing to the strains of Perry's saxophone orchestra. The committee is making big preparations for their Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve dances, which both fall on a Saturday night.

**Authors' Association Met.**—The Victoria and Islands branch of the Canadian Authors' Association met last evening at the home of Mrs. R. P. Bishop, Newport Avenue. Mr. Gordon Smith, the president, was in the chair. Bishop Macdonald was introduced as a new member and has kindly donated a book to the branch. Lt.-Col. Fitch was elected to the executive. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Sheldon Williams, Yates Street, on January 9.

**Bazaar for New Orphanage.**—Right Rev. Bishop Macdonald will formally open the bazaar and sale of work to be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Knights of Columbus Hall. The entire proceeds will be used for the building fund of the new orphanage erected at Tzouhalem by the Sisters of St. Ann. There will be plain and fancy sewing, home cooking, delicious candy, and there will be a fish pond for the children. Light refreshments will be served during the day and a musical programme has been arranged for the evening.

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**Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E.**—The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., will take place Friday, December 9, at headquarters at 2.45 p.m.

**Voters' Lists Ready.**—Voters' lists for the civic election are now available at City Clerk E. W. Bradley's office. In accordance with the directions of the City Council twenty-five cents is the price of each list.

**Consider Douglas Street.**—The Local Improvement Commissioners will sit in the City Hall on the morning of December 8 and will consider the Douglas Street appropriation. It was announced at the City Hall to-day.

**Two Fires Yesterday.**—A burning floor under a stove in the Lucas Building yesterday gave the fire department a short run to right matters. A second fire followed about 4 p.m. at the corner of Cook and Douglas Streets, where Studebaker car caught fire, and was partially wrecked.

**Celebrated Golf Club.**—The first monthly medal competition will be held on the Colwood golf links to-morrow. These competitions are open to all members and are taken in alternate application to the professional, either in the morning or afternoon, but such cards must be turned in and signed by the opponent playing on the same day.

**To Hold Sale of Work.**—The ladies of the Hollywood Presbyterian church have been busy for some time, preparing for the sale of work which will be held to-morrow, Wednesday, afternoon, in the hall, Woodwood Avenue, between 7 and 8 o'clock. A large assortment of seasonal and useful articles has been gathered, affording an opportunity to help a good cause and at the same time accomplish some Christmas shopping.

**Girls' Corner Club.**—The next meeting of the club will be on Thursday in the clubroom, I. O. O. F. Hall, Douglas Street, where supper for business girls will be served at 6.15 p.m., to which all girls working in the city are cordially invited. Girls living away from home and newcomers will be especially welcome. Rev. W. L. Clay and Mrs. Clay are expected to be present, and Mr. Clay will give a short address, the meeting closing at a quarter to eight.

**Annual Drill Season.**—All ranks of the 11th Canadian Machine Gun Brigade are reminded that the annual drill season commences on Wednesday, December 7, at 8 o'clock. The drill is authorized for nine days, eighteen drills, and a full turn out is expected. Any would-be recruits will be welcomed, and any information regarding the unit may be obtained from the adjutant at the Drill Hall on drill nights, or by phoning 7621 at any other time.

**Fifth Regiment Lectures.**—On Wednesday evening an interesting lecture on "The Military Life of Julius Caesar" was delivered by Major W. B. Shaw to the members of the Fifth Regiment at the Drill Hall. The subject of the lecture for next Wednesday evening will be "The Growth of Liberty in the British Isles." These lectures, which commence at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evenings, are open to all members of the Fifth Regiment and their friends.

**Daughters of St. George.**—Princess Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, will hold their sale of work in the Veterans' Home rooms to-morrow afternoon at 2.30. Mrs. Coleman, president of the Lodge, will formally open the proceedings. Many attractive booths have been arranged and there will be an attractive assortment of winter wares suitable for Christmas and New Year gifts. A whist drive will be held in the evening to be followed by a dance. A Rhode Island Red will be the tomato prize for the whist drive which is to commence at 8 o'clock.

### NO REFERENDUM ON ONE-MAN CARS HERE

There will be no referendum on the one-man car question in Victoria at the forthcoming civic election. The referendum plan has been cancelled on account of Premier Oliver's announcement that no provision for a plebiscite is made in the B. C. Railway Act which governs the operations of street cars.

**Navy League Chapter.**—The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., will take place Friday, at headquarters, Jones Building, at 2.45 p.m.

**Victoria Cottage Gardeners.**—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Cottage Gardeners' Association will be held in the City Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. The executive will meet half an hour prior to the regular meeting.

**Guild of Health.**—Rev. T. E. Rowe will lecture on Divine Healing in the Cathedral Schoolroom on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Rowe will be in the schoolroom for consultation on Wednesday morning from 10.30 to 12 o'clock. There will be a general meeting of the members of the guild in the Sunday School of the Church of Our Lord on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of considering the expansion of the guild and the appointment of a central inter-denominational committee.

**City Must Take Responsibility.**—Writing in regard to the council's plan to submit to the voters a referendum on the one-man car question, Premier Oliver informed the City Council last night that the Railway Act of British Columbia "takes no cognizance of any referendum to municipal electors of any question arising under this Act." The Premier stated that he was about to confer with B. C. Electric Railway company officials and municipal representatives on the one-man car. If the city did not take part in this conference, the responsibility for such refusal or neglect must rest upon your Corporation, and not upon the Department of Railways. This conference was held yesterday with no municipal representatives present.

**Naval Brigade Silver Tea.**—Mrs. W. H. Langley has kindly consented to open the silver tea to be given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Boys' Naval Brigade at the Commodore's Restaurant, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The Ladies' Committee have been working very hard to make this a great success as it is their first effort to raise funds towards the brigade. The brigade band will be in attendance and will play several popular selections and it is anticipated that quite a large number of friends interested in the work will patronize the tea. The Ladies' Auxiliary will be pleased if all those friends who are donating cakes, would kindly leave their contributions at the Victoria Sporting Goods Company, 1010 Broad Street, on Wednesday morning.

**Lecture on Dickens.**—Describing Charles Dickens as the greatest social reformer of the century in which he lived, the Rev. William Stevenson in the course of an interesting address last evening threw some interesting sidelights on the character of the great novelist. His sympathetic pen was responsible for the alleviation of much of the poverty of the "submerged tenth" of his age, and the speaker, who quoted from the novelist's graphic descriptions of the miseries endured by many of his characters, "He believed in the law of compensation; he made you feel that life is very hard for many people, but there is always something ridiculous to mitigate its sorrows." At the close of his wonderfully entertaining address, the speaker was accorded a hearty vote of thanks. Mr. J. B. Warnicker occupied the chair.

**Acknowledges Donations.**—The manager of the Home for the Aged and Infirm Men acknowledges with thanks the following donations to date: Mrs. Fortune, vegetables; Mrs. Short, Old Country papers; Mrs. Gillespie, London Weekly Times; Mrs. Cook, magazines; Mrs. Taylor, magazines; Caledonian Society, per Mrs. Murray, cakes; F. Barton, Saturday Evening Post; Dubois, Mason, Literary Digest; Mr. Sprague, illustrated London News; Mr. Evans, tobacco; D. O. Lewis, magazines; W. Walker, Saturday Evening Post; Young Peoples' Society, First Presbyterian Church, A. H. Maynard, Mr. Thort (Sooke), Mr. Critchard and party and the Saanich Glee and Dramatic Club, for entertainments and refreshments; Farmers' Magazine, Colonist and Times, daily, two copies each.

**Linon for Hospital.**—Since the annual Thanksgiving shower held at the Jubilee Hospital last week, the Ladies' Auxiliary have received the following further donations for which they are very grateful: flannellette sheets from Pythian Sisters, Island Lodge, No. 4, Mr. Carver, and an anonymous donor; pillow-cases from Mrs. Goulding Wilson and Mrs. Hampton; bath-towels, the Misses Gallichan, and napkins from Mrs. Seabrook Young.

**Scout Officers Meeting.**—The Victoria District Scout Officers will hold a special business meeting on Wednesday, December 7, in room 324 Pemberton Building, at 8 p.m. There are a considerable number of important matters on hand.

**Military Five Hundred.**—The Victoria Women's Institute will hold a military five hundred in the Orange Hall on Thursday evening next at 8.30 o'clock. The proceeds of the drive will go towards furnishing the new rooms, and it is hoped there will be a good attendance. Fourteen prizes will be given.

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W. E. STANELAND
IS CANDIDATE FOR
CITY POLICE BOARD
W. E. Staneland was announced as a candidate for the City Police Commission late to-day. Mr. Staneland will contest the election with Thomas Walker and Stanley H. Johnson. Mr. Staneland was formerly a member of the School Board.

COUNCIL CONTEST
IS ASSURED
Fourteen Nominations Are Received to Date
Fourteen nominations for City Council seats had been received by Returning Officer William Sowercroft up to two o'clock this afternoon. No names not previously announced are included in this list.
Among new nominations for the School Board are Walter Walker, formerly a member of the City Council.

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Answers to Correspondents:
MARTHA—Housework and washing is only an excuse for red and ugly hands. I know a great many women who do all their own housework and yet have beautiful white hands. They use what I use, CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM. It is the most wonderful thing in the world for preventing chapping and redness of the hands. I wouldn't be without it. Keep a bottle of CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM on your bath-room shelf and rub a little on your hands every time you wash them in water to do cleaning. It will soften and whiten them and will protect them from the wear and tear of housework. You can buy CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM at any Drugstore. It's a large bottle.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS
Christmas Cards—Order early. See our samples. The Quality Press, Langley Street, Phone 4718.
Shaw Bros. Commercial Photographers, beg to announce that their new store, 569 Yates Street, is now open for business. Phone 1930.
Doughnuts—Hot and fresh daily at the Doughnut Shop, 1320 Douglas.
The Ladies of St. Mary's Guild, Oak Bay, will hold their Christmas sale Friday, December 9.
New Flower Store, next Spencer's, on View. Best display flowering plants.
Lettie Dairies, Canadian Pocket Diaries, Boys' and Girls' Almanacs, also Chums for 1922. T. N. Hibben & Co.
F. J. Woods, barber, basement, B. C. Permanent Loan Building.
Kelway's Cafe serve a merchant's lunch from 11.30 till 2.30 p.m. for 45c.
"Tea or Coffee?" "Tea please—If 'PLANTER'."
Cards, exclusively, at The Victoria Book & Stationery Co., Government Street.
St. Paul's Presbyterian Church—Sale of work, Ladies' Aid, Young Women's Auxiliary and Mission Band, Semple's Hall, December 7.
Christmas Presents? I'll go round to see A. T. Weight, who has purchased The Shirt, Collar and Tie Shop, 716 Yates.
English All-Well Socks, 75c; pairs \$1.45. The Beehive.
Holly Wreaths and Crosses made from \$2 up. Please order early. Phone 6001X.
"The Girl in the Tax" to-morrow and balance of week, at the Princess Theatre.
Grace English Lutheran Sale, Bannard and Queen's Avenue, to-morrow at 3 p.m. Opened by Mrs. R. J. Porter.
An Ideal Christmas Gift—Give a Fuller shower bath brush or bath brush. Phone M. Moss, W. T. Jourdan, 17807.
F. J. Woods, barber, B. C. Permanent Loan Building.
More Popular Than Ever—Fall Mail Luncheon 12 to 2, 45c, dinner, four courses, 6 to 8, 60c. Fort Street, opposite Times Building. (Excellent service).
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Personal Xmas Greeting Cards, completed within one day—Diggon & the specialists.

Financial News

MOTORS AND RUBBERS
FEATURE OF SESSION
(Burdick Bros., Limited.)
New York, Dec. 6.—The stock market showed further signs of increasing activity to-day and further gains were recorded. Motors and rubbers were particularly active and sharp rallies witnessed in these sections. The market was the leader of the motor group and U. S. Rubber for the rubber issues. The news received was all of a constructive nature and not the least among these items was the report from Washington that Japan had officially accepted the 2-2-2 plan for naval limitation of three leading countries. Equipment, cloths, oils and rails were also firm at the close.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE
(Burdick Bros., Limited.)
New York sterling, 14.95-4.
Canadian sterling, 14.14.
New York funds, 87-16 per cent.
New York silver, foreign, 66 1/2.
London bar silver, 36 1/2.

ARGENTINE NEWS
CAUSES LIQUIDATION
(Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
Chicago, Dec. 6.—Little support was given on the buying side of the grain market for the first hour of the session to-day and the market became general throughout the remainder of the day. Traders were disposed to liquidate their holdings on reports which stated that Broomhall estimated that the Argentine crop surplus was 2,400,000 bushels of wheat, and on this basis the crop surplus would appear to be 100,000 bushels. This of course created a bearish sentiment which naturally was reflected in lower prices. Wheat futures fell 1/2 cent. Buenos Ayres cables on what at noon were reported one to two and a half lower. Corn and oats acted heavy in sympathy with wheat.
Wheat—Open High Low Close
Dec. 1913-14 112-1 112-4 112-1 112-1
Dec. 1914-15 112-1 112-4 112-1 112-1
Corn—
Dec. 1913-14 48 48 46-4 46-4
Dec. 1914-15 48 48 46-4 46-4
Oats—
Dec. 1913-14 22-1 22-1 21-7 21-7
Dec. 1914-15 22-1 22-1 21-7 21-7
Local Stock Quotations
(By F. W. Stevenson.)
Bid Asked
R. C. Amal Oil 20.00 20.00
R. C. Perm. Loan 98.00 98.00
R. C. Refining Co. 28.00 28.00
Boundary Copper 89.00 89.00
Bowena Copper 89.00 89.00
Canada Copper 48.00 48.00
Can. Nat. Fire 18.00 18.00
Cons. M. & R. 18.00 18.00
Crown's Nest Coal 52.00 52.00
Douglas Channel 85.00 85.00
Empire Oil 25.00 25.00
Granby 28.00 28.00
Great West 11.00 11.00
Hove Sound 25.00 25.00
International Coal 40.00 40.00
Metallurgical 82.00 82.00
Nabob 25.00 25.00
Pacific Coast Fire 4.00 4.00
Pitt Meadows 85.00 85.00
Rambler-Charlton 25.00 25.00
Silver Smith 25.00 25.00
Silver Crest 25.00 25.00
Snowdrift 25.00 25.00
Spartan Oil 18.00 18.00
Standard Lead 12.00 12.00
Sturt Label 25.00 25.00
Sunloch Mines 25.00 25.00
Greatest Mines 25.00 25.00
De. Lead 10.00 10.00
Trojan Oil 82.00 82.00
Whalen Coal 25.00 25.00
De. Pref. 25.00 25.00

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The medal, being much affected by the acknowledgment of his fellow citizens on the act of bravery on his part, which it should be mentioned is his eighth case of rescue from drowning since 1914.

MONTEBELL MARKET.
(Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
Last
Bell Telephone 25-4
Beattie's Traffic 25-4
Albion Corp 25-4
Abilene 25-4
Canadian Pacific 25-4
Dominion Glass 25-4
Can. Nat. Fire 25-4
De. pref. 25-4
Montreal Power 25-4
Can. & U. S. 25-4
Can. Converters 25-4
Can. S. & S. 25-4
Detroit United 25-4
Dom. & U. S. 25-4
National Breweries 25-4
Dom. I. & S. 25-4
Bank of Commerce 25-4
Bank of Montreal 25-4
United Bank 25-4
Royal Bank 25-4
Melrose Bank 25-4
Melrose Bank 25-4
Shawinigan 25-4
Shawinigan Pulp 25-4
Steel of Can. 25-4

Denies Japanese are Bargaining
Statement Made by Kato in Washington
Says Motives Put Forward in Wrong Light
(Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
Washington, Dec. 6.—Baron Kato came out of his shell long enough yesterday to declare solemnly that the press for daring to intimate that the Japanese had been playing "a bargaining game" was untrue. He said he regretted that he had been misunderstood by the press and that his motives should be put forward in this wrong light. For the occasion the little admiral was in undress uniform, his tunic displaying many brightly hued ribbons. What his delivery lacked in expressiveness as he mumbled in Japanese from an interpreter, a strange individual whose features were a perpetual smile and whose voice rose in volume and pitch until it became almost a shriek.
Kato may be sincere when he says the Japanese attitude has been misinterpreted. In fact, it is determined that all sections of the press in this respect is strange. Subsequent events will prove whether or not the press has been mistaken.

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NERVES BADLY SHATTERED
Many a woman who should be strong and healthy, full of life and energy is bound by the shackles of ill-health.
Some disease or constitutional disturbance has left its mark in the form of a weak heart, shattered nerves, impoverished blood and an exhausted condition of the whole system.
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they will find a remedy that will supply food for the exhausted nerves, that will strengthen and regulate the weak heart and invigorate the whole system.
Mrs. W. W. Pearce, 14-Scotter St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "I was left with a weak heart and in a run down condition from the flu." My nerves were badly shattered, and I had such pains around my heart I could not sleep many nights. I took several doctors' medicines without getting any better. My husband got me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after I took one box I got relief and after taking six boxes I have been well and not bothered since."
Price, 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Medal Presented
TO A. E. PRESCOTT
Recognition of Heroism—Last Summer
An interesting function took place at the Arena last night, when some 2,000 persons who had assembled to witness the opening of the hockey season. Advantage was taken of the occasion for the presentation of the bronze medal of the Royal Canadian Humane Society's medal to A. E. Prescott who last July saved from drowning little William Shuttan off Dallas Road. Mr. Prescott made several dives before he found the little fellow, who had fallen off a raft in deep water. After recovering the unconscious lad, he applied artificial respiration and brought him back to consciousness.
The presentation was made by Col. W. M. Winiby and in a short address the Colonel mentioned that Mr. Prescott was veteran of the Great War, had served several years in the Royal Navy and was a member of the G. W. V. A., through whose instruments he had been awarded the medal. It was also the manager of the G. W. V. A. sports club, whose hockey team was playing last night. Mr. Prescott offered his thanks for

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50c LUNCHEON TO-MORROW  
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**Men's All-Wool  
Tweed Pants  
At \$5.00 a Pair**

Made of a good, strong all-wool Tweed, and a weight for winter wear; well made and good fitting; come in grey and brown. Splendid value for Wednesday's selling, per pair ..... **\$5.00**

**Men!—Buy One of These  
Good Suits  
To-morrow Morning  
for \$19.85**

Cut in smart two and three-button styles, in popular shades of grey, green and brown; a well made suit with good, strong lining. There are not many of these, so be here early. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$19.85**  
—Main Floor

**Bath Robe Blankets  
At \$8.50 and \$10.75  
Each**

Make up your own bathrobe from one of these cosy blankets; complete with girdle, neck cord and frogs; handsome designs and exquisite colorings to select from. Each, **\$8.50** and **\$10.75**  
—Main Floor

**A Big Glove Special  
At \$1.98**



Women's capeskin gloves, pique sewn, with two dome fasteners, and a perfect fitting glove; only a few pairs for Wednesday morning's selling; come in grey only; sizes 5 3/4 to 6 3/4. Wednesday's special, per pair ..... **\$1.98**  
—Main Floor

**Veiling Values to 50c  
For 25c a Yard**

Imported veilings greatly reduced less than wholesale cost for to-day only; come in most unusual designs and colors that are very becoming and much wanted; brown, taupe, navy, as well as black; values to 50c. Wednesday morning only, per yard ..... **25c**

**Hair Nets  
At 6 for 60c**

Cap shape hair nets made of real human hair; Hudson's Bay Special and Princess Pat; come in blonde, auburn, black, light, dark and medium brown; regular 15c each. Special Wednesday ..... **6 for 60c**  
—Main Floor

**Four Yards Wide  
Linoleum  
At 98c a Square Yard**

Have your floors covered in one piece, no joins or seams; extra heavy grade cork linoleum printed in the newest designs in block and carpet patterns; our regular \$1.35 value. Wednesday's special ..... **98c**  
per square yard .....  
—Third Floor

**"Seal of Quality"  
Groceries**

- Red Rosy Table Apples, No. 1 wrapped fruit, in boxes of about forty pounds weight. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, per box ..... **\$1.95**
- Assam Pekoe Tea, very fine quality; per pound ..... **40c**
- Hudson's Bay Imperial Blend Pure Coffee, pound ..... **50c**
- Comox Creamery Butter, per pound ..... **55c**
- Swift's Premium Oleomargarine, per pound ..... **27c**
- Home-Made Doughnuts at per dozen ..... **25c**
- Home-Made Crumpets, per half dozen ..... **15c**
- Ivory Soap, 3 cakes for **25c**
- White Heather Toilet Soap, 3 in a box; for ..... **25c**
- Harry Horne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 16-ounce tins, each ..... **38c**
- 6-ounce tins, each ..... **17c**
- 3 tins for ..... **50c**
- Rogers' Golden Syrup in quart jars. Each ..... **40c**  
—Lower Main Floor

**Serges, Armures and  
Clan Tartans**

**Regular \$1.50 and \$1.59 Per Yard**

**Special for To-morrow  
Morning at, a Yard . . . 98c**

Pure wool fabrics for women's, misses' and children's wear; come in a large range of colorings; regular \$1.50 and \$1.59 a yard. Special for Wednesday morning, per yard ..... **98c**

**22-Inch Velveteens  
At 89c a Yard**

A wonderful saving opportunity on this dependable quality velveteen with a rich, deep pile; comes in all colors; regular \$1.25 a yard. Wednesday morning's special, per yard ..... **89c**  
—Main Floor

**Embroidered Scalloped  
Pillow Cases at \$2.50  
a Pair**

Made from heavy linen finished, cotton, and neatly embroidered in many charming designs; neatly boxed for Christmas giving. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **\$2.50**

**Fancy Turkish Towels  
A Special Bargain  
At 85c Each**

Always acceptable as a Christmas gift; woven in a Jacquered design and finished with colored ends in pink, blue and helio; neatly boxed for Christmas giving. Each ..... **85c**  
—Main Floor

**Hudson's Bay  
"Trapper" Boots  
for Boys**

These well-known reliable boots are known for their service-giving qualities. Solid, strong and comfortable for sturdy boys. Special for Wednesday Morning's Selling:



Sizes 11 to 13 1/2, pair, ..... **\$3.00**  
Sizes 1 to 5 1/2, per pair ..... **\$3.75**  
—Main Floor

**Boys' Sweater Coats  
Selling Wednesday Morning  
for 95c Each**

A real strong-wearing Sweater, made in coat style in popular shades of cardinal, olive and brown trimmed with red. These are splendid sweaters and an exceptional bargain. Wednesday Morning's Special, each ..... **95c**

**Boys' Mackinaw Coats  
at \$7.50 Each**

Made in an all-wool, in fancy plaid patterns of brown, blue and dark red; Norfolk style with belt; this is indeed an ideal coat for good hard wear. Wednesday Morning's Special, each ..... **\$7.50**  
—Main Floor

**Women's and Misses' Coats  
Values to \$49.50 for  
\$27.50**

Nicely tailored in velour, Normandy and tinseltone cloth in all the latest models; ripple back and belted styles; slip and patch pockets, half and full lined; some have large collars of beaverine and French seal; come in all the leading shades of brown, kangaroo, beaver, date, blue and many others; styles to suit women and misses; sizes to 40. Wednesday morning's special, each ..... **\$27.50**



**Sport Skirts, \$8.95**

Fancy plaid box pleated styles, with narrow belts and fancy buttons; come in navy, sand, brown, grey and black; also black with white; waist 25 to 30; values to \$10.50. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$8.95**  
—Second Floor

**6-Inch Satin Ribbon  
At 85c a Yard**

Satin Ribbon imported from Switzerland; this is an all-silk satin ribbon with a firm finish in shades of sage, rose, sand, emerald, cerise, black, navy, henna, sky and white. Regular \$1.00 a yard. Special for Wednesday's Selling, per yard, **85c**

**Ribbon Remnants to Clear**

An accumulation of Ribbon Ends made into remnants in lengths from 3/4 to 5 yards. Marked very low for Wednesday Morning's Selling. —Main Floor

**Women's High Grade  
Brogues**

At **\$6.95 a Pair**

Brown Willow Calf Winter Brogues; smart and comfortable and suitable for spats; an excellent shoe for street, business or high school wear; sizes 3 to 7 1/2; width C and D. Special for Wednesday Morning's Selling, per pair ..... **\$6.95**

**Women's  
Skating Boots  
At \$4.75 a Pair**

Women's or Girls' Skating Boots; the improved style, also built-in ankle supporter; these boots are a bargain while they last at this price. Per pair ..... **\$4.75**  
—Main Floor

**Three Good Hosiery Values  
For Wednesday Morning**

**Women's Lisle Heather Mixture Hose at 59c a Pair**

With hemmed tops, reinforced heel and toes; come in odd sizes only; in shades of brown, navy, grey and peacock. Wednesday's special, per pair ..... **59c**

**Women's Lisle Hose with Clocks at 59c a Pair**

Good wide top and a very good fitting and wearing hose; comes in grey, black, nigger, champagne and white; comes in odd sizes only. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **59c**

**A Very Special Value in Women's Cashmere Hose at \$1.19 a Pair**

Full fashioned, reinforced heel and toes; only a few of this line left, so be on hand early; come in black only; sizes 9 and 9 1/2. Wednesday morning's special, per pair ..... **\$1.19**  
—Main Floor



**Suggestions for Art  
Needleworkers**

- Stamped Feeders, each ..... **20c**
- Stamped Nursery Sets, each ..... **25c**
- 24 Only, 18-Inch Centres, each ..... **23c**

**Lunch Cloths at 75c Each**      **Card Table Covers at 50c.**  
Of unbleached muslin; stamped for applique; size 36 by 36. Wednesday Morning's Special, each ..... **75c**

Stamped for outlining and satin stitch; size 36 by 36. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **50c**

**Dainty Muslin Tea Aprons at 50c and 75c Each**      **Aprons of Unbleached Muslin at 75c Each**

Stamped for embroidery. Wednesday morning's special, each ..... **50c and 75c**

Stamped for applique with patches. Special for Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **75c**  
—Mezzanine Floor

**Trimmed Hats  
Values to \$10.00  
To Clear at \$3.00**

We have specially grouped a number of very smart Trimmed Hats, duvetyns, velvets and felts, to sell to-morrow morning at this greatly reduced price. The original prices were as high as \$10.00. Special for Wednesday morning ..... **\$3.00**  
—Second Floor



**To-morrow Morning  
Specials  
In the Drug Department**

- Emulsified Coconut Oil, regular 35c  
Special Wednesday morning ..... **23c**
- Mary Garden Toilet Powder ..... **58c**
- English Bath Soap in large cakes, 2 for ..... **35c**
- Camphorated Oil, 2 ounces for ..... **20c**
- Dylcia Vanishing Cream ..... **23c**
- Ingram's Talcum Powder ..... **17c**  
—Drugs, Main Floor



# The Times Latest Sporting News

### ARISTOCRATS ARE FIT AND READY

The next big hockey attraction is in Seattle to-morrow night, when the Aristocrats meet the Mets. The locals are well primed for the battle.



### AMATEURS PROVE SURPRISE.

The hockey served up by the amateurs last night was a pleasant revelation to the fans. There was some very brilliant work.

## Amateurs Provided Brilliant Hockey In Opens Last Night

### Senators Showed Rare Form and Defeated War Vets After Game Featured By Two Scoring Bees; Garrison Scored Victory Over Elks In Keen Match In Which Work of Both Goalkeepers Was of High Order.

First Game—Garrison, 3; Elks, 0.  
Second Game—Senators, 11; War Vets, 6.

Amateur hockey in Victoria opened under the most auspicious circumstances at the arena last night. The 2,000 spectators who gazed at the double-header were treated to whirlwind displays and were greatly pleased to find the teams in such splendid condition and capable of playing such fine hockey.

From the moment Aubrey Archibald faced off the puck until the last long sounded there was scarcely a dull moment. The boys never loafed and were as keen after goals as a small boy after a jam-pot.

### WILL NOT ENCOURAGE SOCCER AMONG WOMEN

London, Dec. 6.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Holding that football is quite unsuitable for women and should not be encouraged, the football association council have refused to belong to the association to refuse the use of grounds for the holding of women's matches.

There were several outstanding features of last night's games. One was the speed and superb team-work of the Senators forwards. Another was the brilliant goal-tending of Engleson, of the Garrison. Not one shot passed him, although he was given some nasty ones to handle from the stick of C. Dion and Eric George.

It looks as though he will be one of the top-notchers in this department in the local league. Harry Stuart showed some fine work in the net for the Elks. A pleasing feature of the evening was the fast work of the youngsters on the War Vets' line. Oatman, Dudley and Miller showed brilliant form and fought like tigers, but they must learn the value of team-play. The Garrison gave a fine all-round performance and are not in any way inferior to the league by any means.

The opening ceremonies were of an unusual character through the fact that the Victoria Amateur Ice Hockey Association sought to pay tribute to one of the originators of amateur hockey in this city, Aubrey Archibald, the blind war hero, who is honorary president of the association, was honored by the playing of the "Puck." As he stepped on to the ice he was greeted with volleys of applause, which he acknowledged by bowing his cap.

Before letting the teams loose Aubrey called the players about him and gave them a little advice. He asked them to remember the good name of the sport and be clean at all times.

His little speech over Aubrey dropped the puck between the waiting sticks of Goodeve, of the Garrison, and Temple, of the Elks. The whistle sounded and the 1921-22 season of the V. A. I. H. A. was opened.

The Elks were expected to be one of the main contenders of the league, but misfortune attended their efforts last night. Sid Elmer, who showed a great burst of speed during the few moments he was on the ice, broke smoothly together and broke through for two goals, the first coming from Matthews' stick and the other on a close in shot from Goodeve. The Tom-

## Says Landis Cannot Take His Money Away

Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Bob Meusel, outfielder of the New York American team, declared here last night that Judge Landis could not make the fine "stick" and take away from Meusel the world series money because Meusel with Babe Ruth and William Piercy participated in a barnstorming trip after the world's series baseball games.

"I have talked with attorneys and they tell me that a man's wages can not be taken away from him," Meusel said. "I earned my world series money and Judge Landis has no right to take it away from me. Whether I will take the matter into the courts will be decided after I get in touch with Piercy and Ruth. I earned the world series money. It is mine by every right and I intend to have it."

### Landis To Attend Meeting.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—With the Babe Ruth decision finally handed out to the fans for discussion Judge Landis, baseball commissioner, left to-day for Buffalo to attend the minor league meeting.

No comment was added to the text of the suspension order by the baseball ruler, but when questioned about the Spring training season, the judge indicated the order would not bar Ruth and the others from playing in the Yankee Spring exhibition games.

## Aristocrats Ready For Opening Match

### Lester Patrick Has Not Decided Upon Whole Line-up, But Johnson Will Play Rover — Team Is Grand Shape

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Chicago, Dec. 6.—Following affidavits from Raoul Latroffe, former backer of the Montreal Hockey League, to the effect that Bouchard, president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, here yesterday, Bouchard, over the long distance telephone from Three Rivers, denied the charges and asked why other amateurs were not being charged.

Montreal, Dec. 6.—Edmond Bouchard, amateur hockey player from Quebec City, who recently turned down an offer to play professional hockey for the Canadian club of the National Hockey League, and who said he would continue to be an amateur and would play in the Quebec league, is in the limelight in connection with his standing as an amateur.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—Lens Gerstman, the Belgian wrestler who is to compete against Canadian and United States men, arrived in Toronto yesterday. His first contest will be either in Toronto against George Walker, of Fort William, or in Hamilton, against Jock Smith.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 6.—Bobby Ward, St. Paul lightweight, slugged Puggy Morton, Portland, Ore., in a ten-round no-decision bout last night, according to sports writers.

## MacKay Scored Goal Which Gave Game to Vancouver Squad

### Six Thousand Fans Watched Seattle Mets and Millionaires Battle Last Night; Ready For Overtime When MacKay Staged Solo Rush and Beat Holmes With Shot From Blue Line; Skinner Scored First Goal of Season.

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Vancouver Millionaires, Pacific Coast hockey champions, got away to a flying start in the opening engagement of the 1921-22 championship series last night when they copped the long end of a 2-1 count with the Seattle puck-chasing aggregation on the short end.

With the score tied within four minutes of the finish after the champions had been sailing along with a one-goal advantage for two periods, Mickey Mackay, Vancouver's hustling rover, blazed his way down the ice, evaded a couple of the opposition in centre and his long shot, fired from the blue line, found a resting place behind "Happy" Holmes for what proved the winning goal of the proceedings.

Plenty of Excitement. Four minutes before Mackay pulled his sole stunt which sent Vancouver's stock into the favorite class, Jack Walker, one of the shining lights of the season's coming out party, blocked a pass near the Vancouver blue line and his quick return tied the game in a knot. The fans were preparing to settle in their seats for an overtime session when the peppery Scot, who had thrilled all hands with a number of brilliant rushes and some great defensive play, came through with his fox trot which culminated in a goal. It was a low curving shot which beat Holmes completely although he sidestepped as fast as a flea in a blanket to prevent the score.

Six thousand wildly enthusiastic fans sat in one of the first engagements, the fastest, cleanest and closest scoring game since that young man Christopher Columbus stepped off the yacht, raised his brow and remarked: "So, this is America." From that time on the game was on a fast track to a surprising exhibition of speed and maintaining a hot pace for the first time out.

There was little to choose between the battling aggregations. Vancouver won through individual effort more than combination. Alf Skinner being in the right spot for the first score when he snared a loose puck in front of the nets, while Mackay's solo rush gave Vancouver the other count. Seattle's score came from Walker's stick, the latter happening along when Morris took a cut at the rubber, near the Vancouver "hole," knocking it just far enough to give Walker a clear shot, and he flipped the puck into the pocket for the tying goal.

Vancouver Position: Seattle Lehman ..... Goal ..... Holmes Cook ..... L. Defence ..... Rowe Duncan ..... R. Defence ..... Riecky Mackay ..... Rover ..... Foyston Skifner ..... L. Wing ..... Harris ..... Centre ..... Morris Adams ..... R. Wing ..... Walker Deslaur ..... Utility ..... Briden Parkes ..... Utility ..... Fraser

Goal Summary. First period—1, Vancouver, Skinner, 17:32. Second period—No score. Third period—2, Seattle, Walker from Morris, 12:34; 2, Vancouver, Mackay, 3:17. Total goals: Vancouver, 2; Seattle, 1.

Substitutions. First period—Seattle, Briden for Riley; Vancouver, Deslaur for Skinner. Second period—Seattle, Riley for Briden; Briden for Rowe; Fraser for Foyston; Foyston for Mackay; Mackay for Deslaur; Skinner for Parkes; Deslaur for Adams; Adams for Deslaur. Third period—Seattle, Briden for Rowe; Rowe for Foyston; Foyston for Briden; Briden for Riley; Vancouver, Parkes for Skinner; Skinner for Parkes.

Penalties. First period—None. Second period—Harris, 3 minutes; Riley, 3 minutes. Third period—None. Referee—Ion.

### JORDAN RIVER TEAM DEFEATED LOCAL BOYS

Jordan River, B. C., Dec. 6.—Jordan River basketball team again proved that they are a hard lot to beat on their own stamping ground, by defeating a business men's team from the Y. M. C. A. with the score of 44 to 35, last Saturday night. The game was the fastest and cleanest that has ever been staged at the River, and the fans had an exciting forty minutes.

### ZYBSZKO MAKES SHORT WORK OF BIG ITALIAN

Detroit, Dec. 6.—Stanislaus Zybszko, world's champion wrestler, defeated Giovanni Mazzan, Italian champion, in straight falls last night. The first fall in 2 1/2 minutes with a headlock and body scissors, and the second in seven minutes with a body scissors.

### TROUBLE AHEAD

"When I was 14 years," said the stout paragon, "I thought nothing of working 12 or 14 hours a day. 'Father,' replied the young man with the exquisitely pressed trousers and neatly shined shoes, "you wouldn't mention it. Those non-union sentiments are making you hideously unpopular."—Town Topics.

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### OLD COUNTRY LEAGUE STANDINGS

Division	P	W	L	D	Pts
Burnley	17	10	5	2	22
Huddersfield Town	17	9	4	4	22
Liverpool	17	7	2	8	19
Middlesbrough	17	8	4	5	21
Sunderland	17	9	5	3	21
Aston Villa	17	7	2	8	19
Manchester City	17	8	6	3	19
Fleetwood Town	17	7	5	5	19
Newcastle United	17	7	5	5	19
Falton Wanderers	17	7	5	5	19
Tottenham Hotspur	17	6	7	4	16
Chelsea	17	6	7	4	16
Sheffield United	17	5	7	5	15
Airmingham	17	6	8	3	15
Leeds Athletic	17	5	8	4	14
Everton	17	3	6	8	14
Blackburn Rovers	17	4	8	6	14
Bradford City	17	5	8	4	14
Manchester United	17	4	8	5	13
Wolverhampton	17	5	9	3	13
Woolwich Arsenal	17	5	9	3	13

### Division II

P	W	L	D	Pts
Notts Forest	17	10	5	22
Barnsley	17	10	5	22
Fulham	17	10	5	22
Leeds United	17	10	5	22
Notts County	17	10	5	22
Leicester City	17	6	8	19
Sheff. Wednesday	17	6	8	19
Clapton Orient	17	5	7	15
Rotherham Town	17	6	8	14
Coventry City	17	5	9	13
Northampton	17	5	9	13
Trifurdo	17	5	9	13
Bristol City	17	3	11	9
Blackpool	17	1	13	1

### Division III - Southern

P	W	L	D	Pts
Southampton	17	12	1	24
Hymnouth Argyle	17	11	1	23
Portsmouth	17	7	1	19
Bristol Rovers	17	8	4	20
Millwall Athletic	17	7	4	18
Aberdare	17	6	4	18
Queen's Park	17	6	5	18
Swansea	17	5	6	16
Swindon	17	6	6	16
Cardiff City	17	5	6	16
Charlton Athletic	17	6	6	16
Northampton	17	6	6	16
Bristol City	17	5	7	15
Newport County	17	4	9	12
Southend United	17	3	8	12
Worthing	17	4	9	12
Gillingham	17	4	9	12
Exeter	17	4	9	12
Reading	17	4	9	12
Norwich	17	1	9	6

### Division III - Northern

P	W	L	D	Pts
Grimsby Town	17	9	2	19
Farnington	17	7	2	18
Accrington	17	7	2	18
Southport	17	4	2	17
Preston North End	17	4	3	17
Creighton Athletic	17	2	4	16
Tranmere Rovers	17	5	4	14
Wrexham	17	6	2	14
Walsall	17	4	2	13
Wigan	17	4	2	13
Hartlepool	17	4	2	13
Lincoln	17	4	2	13
Ashington	17	4	2	13
Halifax	17	4	2	13
Rochdale	17	3	2	12
Barrow	17	3	2	12
Chesterfield	17	3	2	12

### SCOTTISH LEAGUE

P	W	L	D	Pts
Rangers	18	11	4	26
Dundee	18	11	5	23
Partick Thistle	18	11	5	23
Dundee	18	9	4	24
Falcons	18	9	4	24
Rath Rovers	18	9	5	24
Hibernians	18	9	5	24
St. Mirren	18	9	5	24
Motherwell	18	8	7	21
Aberdeen	18	8	7	21
St. Johnstone	18	8	7	21
Albion Rovers	18	7	8	19
Hamilton Accs	18	6	7	19
Kilmarnock	18	6	7	19
Kilsyth	18	6	7	19
Morton	18	5	9	15
Airdrieonians	18	4	11	13
Greenock Juniors	18	4	11	13
Cydebank	18	3	12	10
Queen's Park	18	3	15	3

### WATER GALA SET AT Y FOR DECEMBER 10

Saturday, December 10, has been set as the date for the next big gala at the Y. M. C. A., which is to be held by the Y. M. C. A. swimming and life-saving club in the Y tank. Two championships are to be a feature of this event. One of them is at stake for the first time, being the B. C. in-door championship for 100 yards breast stroke for men. The other B. C. championship is the 100 yards free style. This event has not been changed since 1912.

### Long List of Events Planned For Saturday Night: Two Championships at Stake

There are in all eleven events which are to be run under the sanction of the B. C. Section of the Canadian Swimming Association. No entries for any event close on Wednesday at noon and are to be handed in to J. T. Marshall, secretary-treasurer, care of the Y. M. C. A.

### CONTI SECURES LEAD

New York, Dec. 6.—Roger Conti led Jack Schaefer, winner's 38.2 balk line champion by 164 points at the end of the first round of his 3,200-point match. Conti won the afternoon block 400 to 217, but lost the night block 400 to 382.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

Municipal Notice

Municipal Bye-Election, December 1921, for One (1) School Trustee, to Fill the Vacancy Caused by the Resignation of Mr. Peter John Riddell.

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All voters from "A" to "L" inclusive in Booth No. 1, and voters from "L" to "Z" inclusive in Booth No. 2, in the said building at which time and place each elector who is duly qualified to cast his vote for the election of one (1) Candidate as above mentioned, for Member of the Board of School Trustees, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

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MINIMUM WAGE BOARD TO MEET

At Parliament Buildings Tomorrow to Discuss Pay in Manufacturing Classes

The Minimum Wage Board will meet at Parliament Buildings on Wednesday, December 7, in order to arrange for the completion of the Manufacturing Order in relation to female learners and inexperienced workers in the manufacturing industry.

It is proposed to fix a three-month learning period for all inexperienced female employees (not covered by Orders of the Board) employed in photographic studios, seed-packing and tea-packing establishments, and in industries in which any of the commodities mentioned in the following list are manufactured, prepared or adapted for use or sale: Window shades, soft drinks, cream and milk products, ink, sweeping compounds, men's neckwear, paint, varnish, soap, buttons, dig and toilet preparations, hairdressing, cosmetics, perfumes, jellies, jellies, baking powders, sauces, peanut butter, cans; cotton, jute, linens, mattresses, beds, bed springs, bedding, candy (except chocolate dipping), biscuits, macaroni, and vermicelli. The wages proposed for the above-mentioned group are as follows: Not less than \$8 a week for the first month's employment in the occupation. Not less than \$10 a week for the second month's employment in the occupation. Not less than \$12 a week for the third month's employment in the occupation. Not less than \$14 a week thereafter. The morning session will commence at 10 o'clock and throughout the day opening will be given for employers, employees and the interested public to express their views on the above proposals.

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SUCCESSFUL RECITAL AT COLUMBIA SCHOOL

A most gratifying and stimulating recital was that given by pupils of Columbia School of Music on Friday evening. These monthly recitals are of tremendous assistance to pupils in their studies, and the very large audience always present shows how popular Columbia recitals have become.

The interesting programme, comprising as it did violin solo, and trio, piano solo, duet and quartette, with vocal numbers, gave an excellent demonstration of the high standard of training given by Mrs. Burdon-Murphy and her staff. Among the vocal items that gave most pleasure was Mrs. W. D. Todd's sympathetic singing of "A Dream," Miss M. Morton showed excellent improvement in vocal numbers, and Miss McDonagh displayed a clear voice of very good quality, simple range and dramatic power. Mrs. W. Duncan was heard in vocal numbers, showing how progress in vocal numbers, and Miss McDonagh displayed a clear voice of very good quality, simple range and dramatic power.

The violin trio by Miss Middleton, Messrs Pullen and Tyrell was one of the gems of the programme and showed careful study and excellent training. Mrs. Burdon-Murphy's accompaniments are the perfection of sympathetic understanding.

Programme as follows: Piano Solo—Prelude, Porter; Vocal Solo—Fugue, Your Window, Miss Hazel Clyde; Violin Solo—Chariot, Miss Link; Vocal Solo—The Star, Rogers; Piano Duet—Polish Dance, Scharwenka; Misses Lucy McHugh and Hilda Elliott; Violin Solo—En Bourree, Tellam; Miss Olive Acton; Piano Solo—Serenade, Chamnade; Vocal Solo—Sylvia, Knight Logan; Violin Solo—Nuit D'ete, Bisset; Vocal Solo—Oh Sing to Me the Auld Scotch Songs, Lesson; Piano Quartet—Valse de Concert, Holst; Misses Dorothy Osborne and Isabella Middleton; Vocal Solo—Mother Machree, Ball; Violin Trio—Air Variations, Slicher; Vocal Solo—A Dream, Bardiet; Mrs. W. D. Todd; Violin Solo—The Bird, Bright; Vocal Solo—The Bird, Bright; Piano Duet—Polish Dance, Scharwenka; Misses Lucy McHugh and Hilda Elliott; Piano Solo—Mr. Ronald Heard; Piano Two—Miss Muriel Kelly.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AT WESLEY

Very successful anniversary services were held in Wesley Methodist Church on Sunday, Rev. J. F. Dimmick, father of the pastor, who is now in his eighty-third year, preached to an appreciative audience in the morning; the pastor, Rev. J. F. Dimmick, preached in the evening. Splendid music was provided by the choir. The Ladies' Aid, giving an anniversary supper in the social hall of the church on Wednesday night following which an excellent programme was provided in which prominent musicians and soloists will take part; an address will be given by Rev. W. J. Sippel, D.D. It is also expected that Rev. R. D. Chow, D.D., general superintendent of the Methodist Church will be present and deliver an address.

WILL RUSH WORK TO STANDARDIZE PAPER

A. E. Thompson, of the Neuner Corporation, has been appointed chairman of the paper committee of the National Association of Purchasing Agents, according to an announcement made yesterday. This committee will work in conjunction with the Department of Commerce at Washington in connection with the standardization of paper. Mr. Thompson is the son of Mr. W. F. H. Thompson, of 2317 Bligh Street, Moose organizer.

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Christmas shopping early is going to be too late

Vancouver Island News

Community Christmas Tree

Sidney, Dec. 5.—A public meeting was held on Friday evening in the Sidney schoolhouse to discuss the idea of holding a large community Christmas tree in place of several small ones for the children of Sidney school district. The meeting was unanimously in favor of the idea, and the following committees was appointed: Programme, R. Sloan and the four school teachers; Mr. Ramsay and Miss C. Christie, Miss Moore and Miss Creighton, committee to canvas the district for funds; Mrs. Deacon, Mrs. Gibbons, Mrs. Brewster and W. Harvey, G. Goss and J. Hamby; buying committee, Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Mrs. Le Sage, Mrs. MacMullen and Mrs. J. Storey, with power to add. The entertainment will be held in Berquist Hall on December 19.

New Sports Club

Duncan, Dec. 5.—A meeting was held on Saturday evening at Tazouhale Hotel of ladies and gentlemen interested in cricket, football and field hockey. The outcome of this meeting was that a club be incorporated to be known as "The Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club." The following were appointed as a committee to arrange details of incorporation and finance: Capt. R. E. Barkley, R. Gore-Langton, G. Mellin, R. Corfield and E. W. Carr-Hilton.

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**DEMANDS PROBE OF SINKING FUND DIVERSIONS HERE**

**Dewar Wants Responsibility Placed Where It Belongs**

Complete investigation of diversions in the city's sinking funds so that "responsibility could be placed where it belongs," was advocated at the City Council meeting last night by Alderman Robert Dewar. But the Council up-loaded the sinking fund question upon city officials by instructing them in a formal resolution to handle sinking funds in accordance with provincial legislation and city by-laws.

Sharp passages between Alderman E. B. Andros, Chairman of the Finance Committee, and Alderman Sargent, the former chairman, were provoked when City Auditor Floyd reported upon the diversion of \$185,978.01 from the sinking fund account to general revenue as follows: "Disbursements of sinking fund money were made whenever collections of the following were deposited in the bank to the credit of the general account instead of the local improvement sinking fund account, and cheques drawn against same for general purposes:

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- (c) That portion of capital sum instalments applicable to local improvements assessments;
- (d) That portion of committed payments of local improvement assessments;
- (e) That portion of committed payments of local improvement assessments.

"The purpose for which these diversions were made was to offset short collections of taxes and rates."

**Must Obey Laws**

Alderman Woodward thought that the Floyd report should be handed over to the Finance Committee. "Anything that will minimize the offence of last year's Council should be made clear," he said.

"I can't see what the Finance Committee can say in the matter," Alderman Sargent replied. "It is the duty



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of the Council to instruct the officials that the requirements of the sinking funds must be attended to as the law dictates."

"Have they not been instructed to do that for the last five years?" Alderman Sargent demanded.

"They were not instructed, no," Alderman Sargent replied. "It was taken for granted the laws were being carried out. Now it is revealed that they have not been so carried out."

Alderman Sargent then moved that the officials be instructed to live up to the law in dealing with sinking funds.

"This makes it look as if the officials do not obey the law unless they were instructed to do so," Alderman Woodward protested.

"Yes, it carries with it the implication that they have been instructed before to divert sinking funds," Alderman Andros agreed.

**Wants Probe.**

"It suggests that they have been instructed otherwise," said Alderman Dewar. "They have not been so instructed in my time. There is a good deal of comment around about this matter. It should be thoroughly investigated and the responsibility for the diversion of the sinking funds placed where it belongs."

"If anyone of you instructed your son, say, to bring in a load of wood would that carry with it the idea that you had instructed him not to do it?" Alderman Sargent demanded.

"The Chairman of the Finance Committee (Alderman Andros) submitted a report last week saying that things had been done wrong."

"By you?" Alderman Andros interjected.

"No, no, no," the Mayor objected. "That's what I said," Alderman Andros insisted, but Alderman Sargent proceeded with, "I think I have instructions to the officials so far as I know, but evidently the laws have not been followed."

"Instructions to the officials are not necessary," Alderman Andros persisted. "They know the law as well as the members of the Council. It is their business to know it."

"Alderman Andros gets off some very insulting things—things unbecoming to a body of this kind," Alderman Sargent remarked. In vain Alderman Andros tried to interrupt. Alderman Sargent went on, "He says he unearthed these matters and got certain reports from the City Solicitor. I presume he instructed the officials then not to repeat their offence. This was at the beginning of the year. But the diversion has been going on since the beginning of the year. If the statement that he found these things out early in the year is correct he should have told the Council and should have seen that the wrong was stopped."

**Never Lies Down.**

"I never yet lay down when somebody got after me," Alderman Andros replied. "My action and attitude, during 1919 and 1920, was common talk. Everyone knew that it was at logger heads with the Finance Committee. Why, members of the Finance Committee got up a round-robin to get me off the committee."

When I was appointed Chairman of the Finance Committee I looked into this matter and found how things were going on and Municipal Inspector Baird's report corroborates it. Mr. Baird says that no attempt to find out had been made before then. Why was that attempt made by then? When the Mayor was sick and I was acting Mayor I asked for a report on the question. I don't want to rub this in, but I must make my position clear. My instructions to the Comptroller were to do what was right from the beginning of the year. If that has not been done then it was contrary to my instructions, that's all. This sort of thing before election is absurd.

"I don't admit we knew anything about these doings in the past," said Alderman Fullerton. He proposed that a resolution be passed, "It having come to the knowledge of the Council that sinking funds have been diverted."

**Would Quash Question.**

"It would be best to file the whole matter," Alderman Sargent declared, but the Sargent resolution instructing officials to obey the law was finally carried.

Premier Oliver wrote to the Council on the sinking fund question, in which he said: "Allow me to say that I made no charge in regard to the diversion of Sinking Funds. I simply directed your attention to the report of the Inspector of Municipalities in this respect, and do not think you have any right to put in writing a statement that I have made a charge when such is not the case."

**SAY WOOLEN MILL SCHEME NOT DEAD**

**City Takes Plan From New Angle; Other Negotiations On**

The woollen mill scheme is not dead by any means, the civic industrial committee, headed by Alderman John Harvey, informed the City Council last night in an annual report outlining its work for the year.

The committee's report, in part, follows:

"On February 28 the committee recommended to the Council that the City Engineer be asked to prepare sketch plans, etc., of a comprehensive scheme of a recreation centre, and later the same to be submitted to other public organizations and the Chamber of Commerce for consideration and perhaps revision. It was moved in amendment and carried that the matter be referred back to the committee with instructions that it first take up by them with the Chamber of Commerce with a view to enlisting the interest of that body in the project, and report back to the Council."

"The Committee begs to report that the several sub-committees of the Chamber of Commerce have been formed. An immense amount of care and thought, together with a vast amount of labor, upon sketch plans for a scheme which, if carried into effect, will fill a long-felt want, and will attract a large number of the best type of people to Victoria, and should be revenue-producing. These plans are about ready to come to the committee for presentation to the Council."

"The removal of the last section of the Sidney Rubber Roofing Company's plant from Sidney to Victoria next engaged the attention of the Committee, with the result that the company's whole plant is now located in Victoria."

"Negotiations with the Beach & Baking Company have resulted in the establishment of a jam and preserving plant by that company in Victoria, which will be a great boon to the fruitgrowers and the consumer alike. The company's estimated turnover for the year is four hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

**Oil Company.**

"Successful negotiations have also been carried on with the Shell Gasoline Company, which will be located on the Indian Reserve. There will be a considerable amount of work in connection with these tanks, etc. The committee is making efforts to arrange for this work being done, if possible, during this time of unemployment."

"With further reference to the establishment of the Hirst Woollen Mills in Victoria, the committee begs to say that negotiations have been carried on as was suggested in the committee's last report, and while there is nothing yet of a conclusive nature to record there are hopeful signs of ultimate success. During the month of November we received three letters and one cablegram on the subject, a very encouraging letter

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from Mr. Hirst himself suggesting his coming here and seeking a personal interview with the Mayor for a full discussion of the whole matter, also a letter from Mr. Hodgson in which he suggests (in full detail) the taking up of the project from an entirely different angle, which suggestion requires careful consideration and study, and will receive attention by the committee. We attach tremendous importance to the establishment of such big payroll industries here, and believe that every effort should be made to secure them.

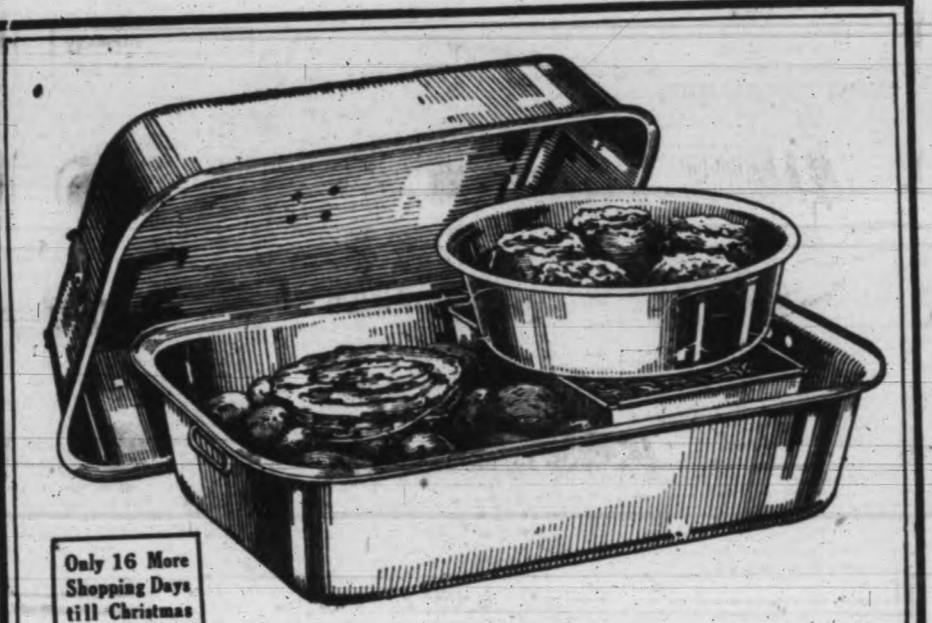
"Negotiations are going on with several other concerns, details of which it is best to withhold for the present."

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