

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Tuesday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy and mild.

Princess—What Money Couldn't Buy. Pantages—So Long, Letty. Dominion—The Frontier of the Stars. Variety—Flying Pat. Columbia—The Heart of Texas Ryan. Royal—Not Guilty. Romano—The False Road.

# ALLIED TROOPS TO MOVE INTO GERMANY

## Strikes Cost B. C. \$2,000,000 Last Year Labor Report Shows

### During 1920 Wages Advanced and Hours of Work Were Decreased, Legislature Learns; Even In Busiest Times, With Demands From Up-Country Industries Unfilled, There Was Surplus of Labor Hanging Around Coast Cities.

The story of the changes in the labor affairs of British Columbia last year—a year in which industrial wages went up, hours of labor were somewhat reduced, and the habit of striking was uncommonly prevalent—is told in the annual report of the Provincial Department of Labor, presented to the Legislature this afternoon by the Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, Minister of Labor.

Information in the report is based upon details given direct to the Department by 1,869 employers of industrial labor in the Province. It relates to wages, working hours, fluctuations in employment and nationality of employees. The figures show that the upward tendency in wages was not only continued, but accelerated, in the past year. Percentage of the total adult male wage-earners engaged in industrial occupations in the Province at the different wage rates, beginning at under \$15 weekly and taken in steps of \$5 to and over, are compared. These percentages are based on the figures given in the three annual reports, and are:

Weekly Wage	1918	1919	1920
Under \$15	2.54%	2.12%	1.79%
\$15 to \$20	14.10%	10.19%	4.85%
\$20 to \$25	25.78%	23.69%	14.25%
\$25 to \$30	19.32%	21.14%	23.80%
\$30 to \$35	15.94%	16.71%	19.98%
\$35 to \$40	13.71%	15.13%	17.89%
\$40 to \$45	8.51%	8.23%	8.21%
\$45 to \$50	1.97%	2.66%	4.58%
\$50 and over	1.83%	2.29%	4.85%

### Average Wages Shown.

The classified weekly wage-rate has also been used as the basis to work out an estimate of the average wage for adult males in each group of industries.

## MEET TO PLAN REVENUE FIGHT

### Municipal Union Executive Prepares for House Lobby

Final preparations for the lobby which representatives of the cities and towns of the Province are to conduct among members of the Legislature will be considered at a meeting of the Union of B. C. Municipalities Executive in Vancouver this afternoon, according to word which was received at the Parliament Buildings this morning. It had been expected that the Union heads would arrive here to-day to start their fight for increased financial aid for the municipalities, but apparently they have been delayed. It is anticipated that they will reach here to-morrow morning.

### Whisky Bottles in Car Broken

Windsor, Ont., March 7.—Never was a public tank more popular than one on a car of a Canadian Pacific express train arriving here from the East yesterday on the way across the border. It seems that a nervous Detroit citizen, fearful of the attentions of the United States revenue officials, had induced a trainman to hide several bottles of Scotch whisky in the bottom of the tank. Energetic station employees at London unwittingly dumped some heavy pieces of ice on the precious bottles. There was a crash of broken glass. From then on the tank was confined to the sidings, waiting for a turn at the tap.

### Men Idle in Vancouver Get Work in Camps

Vancouver, March 7.—Reopening of many logging camps which have been closed since November 30, relieving the city of a large proportion of its unemployment problems, has been announced. It is expected that 4,000 men will be employed.

### A Sunday Fire

Saskatoon, March 7.—Fire yesterday morning completely gutted the warehouse of Kalmakoff and Veregin, general merchants at Kamsack, Sask. The flames were confined to the building by the strenuous efforts of fire fighters.

## CANADIAN TRADE AGENT IN NEW YORK

### Commissioner Probably Will Be Appointed Soon

### Col. J. A. Cooper Urges Several Appointments

New York, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—It was learned to-day that Colonel J. A. Cooper, director of the Canadian Government office here, is to retire from the Government service in the near future and engage in private business. It is understood that the Canadian Government office here is likely to be enlarged and made a trade office with a trade commissioner in charge. A publicity and information bureau probably will be one of its features.

### Urges Appointments.

Colonel Cooper is firmly convinced that Canada should have more adequate trade representation in the United States. In an interview with the Canadian Press to-day he pointed out that although the United States has over a hundred officials for handling commercial matters in Canada, the Dominion up to the present has not a trade commissioner in the United States.

"I believe the Dominion should place trade commissioners in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and Seattle immediately," he said, "and the total number of Canadian trade commissioners in the United States should ultimately be increased to one hundred."

## AMERICAN CREDIT ACCOUNTS FOR EUROPE

Paris, March 7.—United States financiers and manufacturers are disposed to open large credit accounts in Europe, Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel Company, declares here last night to a representative of the Paris edition of The New York Herald. Mr. Schwab was optimistic in his estimate of the future prosperity of the countries he has visited since his arrival in Europe.

## ERIE RAILROAD AND BOARD'S RULINGS

Chicago, March 7.—The United States Railroad Labor Board to-day ruled that the Erie Railroad had violated previous Board rulings in six respects, particularly in reducing wages of employees and in failing to cancel these reductions when ordered to do so by the Board. The road had contended that the Board must hold a hearing before ordering restoration of previous rates of pay.

## Parliament to Provide Money for Railways

Ottawa, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—Expenditure on the Canadian Government railways will, it is understood, figure largely in the coming main estimates which Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, will table in the House probably tomorrow or next day. Last year's operation of Canadian Government lines, it is stated, resulted in a loss of approximately \$60,000,000, including interest charges on the Canadian National and the Grand Trunk Pacific. The exact figures will be submitted to the House when the Minister of Railways presents his budget on the House going into supply on the railway estimates.

### Grain.

Ottawa, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—Nothing more has been heard of the bill to provide for the appointment of a royal commission to investigate grain marketing conditions, which was to have been introduced in the Senate last Tuesday. It was said this morning that the Government might take other means of bringing about appointment of the commission.

## GERMANS' PLACE TROOPS CLOSE TO SILESIAN BORDER

London, March 7.—Information has reached well-informed Polish circles in London in connection with the Upper Silesian plebiscite that German troops have been concentrating near Loetzen and Aris, in East Prussia, since the middle of February.

## JAPANESE CABINET ASKS MORE MONEY FOR NAVY AND ARMY

Tokyo, March 7.—The Government has requested from the Diet an additional appropriation for defences amounting to 50,000,000 yen (\$25,000,000) of this sum 40,000,000 yen is asked for the navy to meet the increased cost of the construction of warships.

## Uprising Gaining in District of Petrograd

Paris, March 7.—Late dispatches from various sources confirm reports that the Soviet Government of Russia is facing a situation of extreme gravity and is struggling against a veritable revolutionary movement.

London, March 7.—The correspondent of the Central News at Helsingfors reports receipt of news of a most serious character from Petrograd since midnight. The advices said many of the residential and business quarters were in flames.

The Soviet Government, the message continued, was dispatching a large number of troops from Moscow to Petrograd to assist in restoring order. The Petrograd rebels, it was added, were planning to accord these troops a friendly reception in the hope of winning them over.

A wireless message received here from Moscow to-day says: "The leaders of the Petrograd uprising are Petrichenko, Yakovlenko and Savchenko, father of Serge Savchenko; Captain Burtseff, Engineer Oryeskin and a former clergyman named Putlin. Although General Kozlovski has been reckoned as the official leader, he is in no way the principal leader of the movement. The general's two brothers were arrested in the marine school in Petrograd."

The foregoing dispatch, showing the existence of a revolt in Petrograd, comes from official Soviet sources, the Moscow wireless service being conducted by the Russian Soviet authorities. This official statement that a revolt actually has occurred follows closely recent declarations from highest Russian Soviet authorities that no uprising existed in Petrograd.

### Kronstadt.

Helsingfors, March 7.—All classes of citizens at Kronstadt, the great Russian base near Petrograd, have united in the uprising against the Soviet Government, says a dispatch to the Russian Union agency here.

Organization of a revolutionary committee, which later became the Provisional Government, was carried out. Its members were chosen almost exclusively from seamen and workmen. The Provisional Government has published a programme, the agency announces, the essence of which is a demand for the immediate convening of a Constituent Assembly and the restoration of freedom of trade between individuals.

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## TENANTS OBJECT TO RENTAL PLAN

### Scheme Made Out in Chicago Is Criticized

Chicago, March 7.—Calling for rentals ranging from \$20 a month for stove heated flats without electrical equipment, to \$140 for modern seven-room apartments in average neighborhoods, the fair rent schedule adopted by the Chicago Real Estate Board Saturday, was the target of criticism and ridicule by officers of the Tenants' League, organized to combat high rentals.

"From what I have gleaned of these rent schedules, they are aimed to increase rents rather than to reduce or regulate them," said J. H. Patterson, president of the Chicago Tenants' Protest League. "The schedule is to come in after March 1, the lease signing date, and it is certain landlords will take advantage of the top rental figures given in the list."

### Extraordinary precautions were taken on these trips.

Parties of soldiers motored in advance. Gen. Cumming following in his own car with two soldiers sitting behind him. An armored car with machine guns ready, brought up the rear. Outside the courthouse during the proceedings of the court, at the hotel where the general ate lunch, and in the streets traversed by him between the courthouse and the hotel, large detachments stood guard. Two previous attempts had been made to ambush Gen. Cumming.

### The Attack.

On Saturday a heavy fire was opened on the convoy from high ground on both sides of the road. The driver of the first car was seriously wounded by the first volley and the car plunged into a ditch. All the soldiers left the cars and went into action, but the armored car, in endeavoring to pass that of Gen. Cumming, ran into the ditch. Gen. Cumming was hit on the head shortly after leaving his car and died instantly. The firing continued an hour, during which a lieutenant also was killed.

### Raiders Fled.

A party from the head of the convoy succeeded in working to the flank of the attackers, but before an effective fire could be opened, the latter had fled. Few of the faces of the army.

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## THEIR DECISION MEANS PRESSURE ON GERMANY



PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE

## U. S. PRESIDENT HAS LEAGUE PLAN

### Ready to Discuss Association With Ambassadors

New York, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—President Harding, having studiously avoided all contact with representatives of foreign powers since last June, when he became a standard-bearer of the Republican Party, is now ready for a series of important conferences with the Ambassadors of Great Britain and France and other Allied Powers, says the Washington correspondent of The New York Tribune.

It is understood, according to the correspondent, that Mr. Harding intends to lay before these representatives his scheme for an association of nations for world conference which would support the international court of justice.

## HARDING STARTS AT HIS TASK

### U. S. President Will Have Cabinet Meeting

Washington, March 7.—Legislative policies of the new administration will be discussed by President Harding with Republican Congressional leaders at a dinner to-night at the White House. To-morrow the President will preside at the first meeting of his Cabinet. The call went out to-day and the hour was fixed at 11 a. m.

It was said the President would take up with the Cabinet in particular the question of relations with Costa Rica and Panama and the programme for the special session of Congress.

## MAJ. NORTHOVER BACK IN OTTAWA

### Gun Expert Served Lengthy Period Overseas

Ottawa, March 7.—After nearly six and a half years' overseas service, Major H. R. Northover, O.B.E., M.C., of the Canadian Ordnance Corps, and a well-known rifle shot, has just arrived in Ottawa.

Major Northover went overseas with the 8th Battalion. After sixteen months' service in France, he was engaged in England a year modifying Colt and Lewis machine guns, into which he introduced patent devices, and on which he is now awaiting the award of a royal commission on inventions. For two years also Major Northover was officer commanding the gun-testing section of the R.A.F. during which time he tested 28,000 machine guns. He was directly responsible for all machine guns used in the R.A.F. from the end of 1917 until the armistice.

Major Northover has been responsible for the collecting of machine guns and rifles for the Canadian Government from the British authorities. Prior to enlisting was a gun and rifle expert in Winnipeg. He brought with him from England the regimental colors of the 152nd Battalion of Regina, and which had been deposited in Canterbury Cathedral.

## ALL RAILROADS IN GREECE IDLE; STRIKE IS CAUSE

Athens, March 7.—All railway communication in Greece was suspended to-day as a result of a strike affecting every line in the country. The men are demanding increased wages and shorter hours.

## Forces of Allies Ordered to Occupy Towns in Germany

### Premiers Telegraphed Instructions When They Found Germans Refused to Adopt Reasonable Attitude on Question of Reparations.

London, March 7.—Allied troops will march into Germany to-morrow in accordance with the decision of the Allies to inflict on Germany the penalties provided for because of the non-fulfillment of her reparations obligations, it was announced officially to-night.

After the Germans had left the conference this afternoon the British, French and Belgian Premiers telegraphed orders for the immediate occupation by the Allied troops of Ruhrort, Duisburg and Dusseldorf.

The instructions to the Allied commanders on the Rhine were given after the Premiers had requested Marshal Foch and Field-Marshal Wilson to join in the discussion of the action to be taken.

The Allied representatives will meet again to-morrow to further the concerted enforcement of the various penalties.

London, March 7.—Application of the penalties against Germany for non-fulfillment of her reparations requirements was decided upon by the Allies here this afternoon.

## TORONTO BANDIT KILLED DRUGGIST

Toronto, March 7.—Leonard Cecil Sabine, druggist, was shot and fatally wounded late Saturday night by one of two bandits who entered his store as he was making up his cash before closing.

## SAYS PEOPLE'S DESIRE FLOUTED

Pardee Says Meighen Party Has No Mandate

Brantford, Ont., March 7.—Fred F. Pardee, M. P. for West Lambton, addressed Liberals of Peel County at a convention here Saturday when William J. Lowe, a local cattle-buyer, was chosen as the Liberal candidate in the next Federal Election. Mr. Pardee, who formerly was Chief Liberal Whip in the House of Commons, accused the Ottawa Government of having broken its every pledge, and said the Meighen Government was climbing to the sweets of office despite the will of the people.

W. J. Lowe, the Liberal candidate in Peel, was a member of the Ontario Legislature. He defeated J. R. Fallick, the Conservative member, in a by-election in 1916, but in the provincial general election of 1919 he was defeated by Thomas J. Kennedy.

Conservative member, in a three-cornered contest in which Hon. Manning Doherty, now Minister of Agriculture, was the United Farmers' candidate.

## HOME SECRETARY TO REVIEW EVIDENCE IN TELLETT CASE

London, March 7.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The Court of Criminal Appeals, consisting of Justices Darling, Coleridge and Shearman, to-day dismissed the application of Charles Tellett, ex-member of the original Canadian Third Battalion, for leave to appeal from the sentence of death passed upon him in February for the murder of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ada Askew.

The Court held that in the prisoner's own interests it was infinitely more desirable that the Home Secretary should review the fresh evidence which has come to light since the trial.

The later evidence which the Home Secretary, according to the above judgment, has been asked to review, largely concerns the mental condition of the prisoner for some period previous to the time the murder was committed.

## MRS. HOHENZOLLERN GROWING WEAKER

Doorn, Holland, March 7.—Professor Van Denberg, the specialist in heart diseases, who some time ago attended Mrs. Hohenzollern, former Kaiserin of Germany, has again been summoned to Doorn. Her appetite is falling, although her condition has not changed radically in the past few days, except that her strength is said to be decreasing.

## "PUSSYFOOT" IN ONTARIO.

Toronto, March 7.—It is said that "Pussyfoot" Johnson, the American prohibition advocate, will come to Ontario to take part in the referendum campaign, but no official announcement to this effect has been made.

## Ottawa in Touch With Situation in Europe

Ottawa, March 7.—(Canadian Press)—"The Government," announced the Prime Minister in the House of Commons this afternoon, "is being kept informed of the proceedings in connection with the difficulties between the Allied Powers and Germany."

The Government, Mr. Meighen added, had not received definite information that the Allied forces were marching on Berlin.

The Prime Minister made his statement in reply to questions by Dr. Clark, member for Red Deer, Alberta.

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## JANITORS NOT NOW SPIES FOR POLICE

Vienna Apartment House Workers Change Conditions

Vienna, March 5.—The concerges, or janitors, of Vienna apartment houses have risen in protest against one of the oldest and most distinctive institutions of Europe and refused longer to act as spies for the police.

The employment of concerges as police spies has been the custom for so long that its origin seems to be lost in history and they have been counted as one of the most valuable aids to the police of most continental capitals.

They have been required to note and report the coming and going of their tenants and generally to maintain an espionage over the people whom they serve.

This practice has been one of the most objectionable features of foreign life to people from the American continent who have made their homes temporarily or permanently in French and Austrian cities, for such people are unused to having their daily actions the subject of reports to the police.

The concerges of Vienna have always received most of their income from the tips of tenants. They carry the keys to the building and without their aid tenants could not obtain admission at night. The janitors now refuse to stay up at night to open doors for late comers and, instead of tips, demand fixed salaries from the landlords. They also ask for clean, dry rooms, sick insurance benefit at the proprietors' expense and other reforms. They insist that every tenant shall be provided with a front door key.

## A. JOHNSTON MAY BE REAPPOINTED

May Be Dominion Deputy Minister of Marine

Ottawa, March 7.—It is stated that Alexander Johnston, former Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, will be reappointed to his old post in the Department.

Mr. Johnston resigned his position after ten years of service to join the British Empire Steel Corporation as assistant to R. M. Wolvin, general manager. The huge steel merger has been in process of formation for some time, but has not been carried to the point of completion and Mr. Johnston has severed his connection with it.

WOULD REMOVE MAYOR.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 7.—Attorney George S. Hawke, Cincinnati "dry leader," seeks the removal of Mayor J. Galvin of Cincinnati on the charge of failure to enforce the prohibition law. This was disclosed when he entered suit in the Ohio Supreme Court to have Governor Davis ordered to serve notice on Mayor Galvin of charges filed by Hawke against the Mayor which the Governor on February 24 last.

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## ST. BONIFACE HAS BUT ONE DOCTOR

Suspension of Physicians Affects Manitoba Cities

St. Boniface, Man., March 7.—As a result of the action of the Manitoba Medical Council in suspending a large number of doctors for infractions of the Manitoba Temperance Act, the city of St. Boniface has been left without medical service except for one practitioner and the interns of the St. Boniface Hospital, who are too busy to answer sick calls. This state of affairs has become so serious that a meeting is to be held this week to discuss what steps can be taken to safeguard the health of the city.

## OPENING OF MAYO SCHOOL AN EVENT

Duncan, March 7.—Opening of the Mayo School was a big success, over 350 celebrating in the new hall erected by the men of the Mayo Lumber Company. The materials and labor were supplied by the company. They gave the materials and the men certainly made good use of it. A piano was donated by Mayo, and two beautiful lamps were donated by J. W. Dawe.

During the evening Miss Marjorie Evans was introduced to the company as the first teacher of Mayo school. With a great deal of persuasion Mr. Mayo was led into the hall, and when they succeeded in getting him inside everybody sang most heartily "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The opening festivities took the form of a Hard-time dance. It was very amusing to see the gentlemen, collarless and wearing overalls of every description, ladies in house dresses and old dresses, only wedding rings and simple exempt from fines as penalties for not obeying the rules of the "Hard-time" dance. At 11 p. m. the Grand March was led off by Mr. and Mrs. D. Evans, followed by two Highlanders playing bagpipes. Then followed the lengthy train of "Hard-timers." Miss M. Payne was awarded ladies' prize and Robert Beech, of Cowichan Lake, gentlemen's prize. The judges were two commercial travelers, Mr. McLeod and Mr. McKinnell.

## BANKER SPEAKS OF CONDITIONS IN U. S.

Chicago, March 7.—The present industrial condition is the most critical in the last forty years, David B. Forgan, president of the National City Bank of Chicago, declared in a speech yesterday. He said: "This is due to the aftermath of the war, and the fact that Europe is a veritable millstone about our necks. Only the operations of the Federal Reserve Bank system have prevented a financial panic."

Mr. Forgan urged that the debts of European nations to the United States should not be cancelled. "The conditions of prices of raw materials and other commodities may be back to normal in three months. By said, "but prophets declare it will be five years before conditions reach a pre-war basis. On raw material, which now are down to low price level, there will be a psychological reaction which in a few months should send prices up again."

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## SEEK DIAMONDS IN BRITISH GUIANA

Americans Search for Vast Store of Wealth

New York, March 7.—Two young Americans have sailed from this port for South America to search for a vast store of wealth supposed to lie in the "chimney" of the diamond deposits of British Guiana. At Georgetown, the capital of the British possession, they will be joined by a third adventuresome American who has outfitted in Paris.

The expedition is under the patronage of Harvard University and the Smithsonian Institute of Washington for which it will carry on geographical explorations. William J. LaVare, Jr., a Harvard graduate, of 1919, heads the party and his fellow explorers are James MacDonald, of Lima, Ohio, and Dudley Lewis of Springfield, Mass. They expect to spend more than a year in the jungle. Besides an attempt to follow the scattered deposits of precious stones several hundred miles through tangled, reptile infested wilderness to their source, long known to exist somewhere in the hill country, but never discovered, the expedition will take observations of the aboriginal inhabitants and geological features of the country, as well as capture specimens of native wild animals for the Smithsonian Institute.

Details  
Before his departure on the Brazilian steamship Uberaba, Mr. LaVare outlined details of the adventuresome project. Though still in his twenties, the young explorer has accompanied three expeditions to South and Central America, including a difficult mission into the heart of the Andes.

After provisions are provided at Georgetown, the expedition will board a canoe houseboat with a crew of a dozen to twenty men and laborers, and begin its journey up the Essequibo River (passing out of the area settled by white men in a few days paddling. After that it will penetrate the tropical jungle entirely on its own resources.

Establishing headquarters in the prairie country 170 miles up the Mararuni River, which empties into the Essequibo, the expedition will begin work on the alluvial lands bordering streams on the eastern watershed of the Sierra Pacaraima Mountains, which separate British Guiana from Venezuela.

Rich Field  
The area in which the expedition will operate has been known since the middle of the last century as a rich diamond field, though its inaccessibility and the prevalence of tropical diseases have served to discourage prospecting by white men. Thousands of carats of the gems, said to be as fine as any in the world, however, are taken out annually by negro miners employing primitive methods.

"Somewhere near every spot where diamonds are found in considerable numbers there must be a 'chimney,'" explained Mr. LaVare. "There is no telling definitely where the Essequibo 'chimney' is located but we mean to find it and are basing our expectations on more than speculation. Study of data collected by our explorers and prospectors, as well as my own observations, indicates that it is within a certain area near the Venezuela border."

Fine Quality  
He added that the quality of stones taken from the vicinity of his party will work points to a "chimney" as rich or richer than those of the South African diamond fields.

## ONTARIO HOUSE PROCEEDS SLOWLY

Legislature Will Not Prorogue Till After Easter

Toronto, March 7.—With the Ontario Legislature this week entering upon the seventh week of its session, there is little prospect of prorogation until after Easter. No business of outstanding importance has been discussed in the House since Hon. Harry Mills, Minister of Mines, moved the adjournment some time ago and it is to be expected that the continuance of the debate on the proposed amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act may occupy considerable time this week.

The Government has practically consented to an amendment to permit appeals to county judges on the record where the evidence taken before police magistrates.

It is possible there may be a division in the House this week on these amendments, but it is not thought the Government will be in danger in a test of strength. In such an emergency it is believed the Government could draw sufficient support from the Liberals to save it from defeat.

## CONSISTORY IS HELD IN ROME

Rome, March 7.—Cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church gathered at the Vatican this morning for a secret consistory at which Pope Benedict announced the names of six new members of the Sacred College.

The names submitted to the Cardinals were those of Monsignor Dennis J. Dougherty, Archbishop of Philadelphia; Juan Vivo, Archbishop of Burgos; Francisco Barrquer, Archbishop of Tarragona; Francisco Ragonese, Papal Nuncio in Madrid; Josef Schute, Archbishop of Cologne, and Michael von Faulhaber, Archbishop of Munich.

Long before 9 o'clock the hour fixed for the assembly of the Cardinals, the plaza of St. Peter was crowded with citizens of Rome and visitors to the city who struggled to obtain vantage points from which they might witness the brilliant procession of the prince of the church to the throne room of the Vatican.

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## SCHOOL SITUATION IN U. S. SURVEYED

Many School Buildings Are Fire Traps

New York, March 7.—Tens of thousands of school children housed in fire traps, and hundreds of thousands of them either on half-time or in makeshift buildings, is the condition in 429 cities of the United States as disclosed in a report made public here.

The report was issued by the National Committee for Chamber of Commerce Co-operation with the Public Schools on a survey conducted by the American City Bureau.

The committee was organized in February, 1920, to inquire into school conditions. Its executive committee is headed by George D. Strayer, of Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York.

In Old Buildings.  
The evidence presented "shows clearly that there are tens of thousands of children now housed in old, insanitary, dangerous buildings," says Mr. Strayer in his introduction to the report. "Many of these structures are best classified as fire-traps."

Data was received from 429 cities. The report says: "These facts, obtained from 75 per cent. of all the cities reporting, show that in these cities, even excluding those housed in annexes whose conditions are normal, there are more than 452,000 children who are either on half-time because of lack of building space or are housed in partially adequate buildings, attics, basements or corridors. It would require an average of two thirty-room buildings in each of these cities properly to house these groups of children alone."

Playgrounds.  
The report sets forth statistically the inadequacy of playground space. "It is clear that in many cities children are now housed in buildings in which there is less space on the playground than is supplied in the classrooms in which they are taught," says Mr. Strayer in the introduction.

"Three million six hundred thousand and children are represented in this report on playgrounds," it is stated, "and the study discloses that one-half of them—1,800,000—children have each a playground less than six by six feet per pupil and many of them have no playground at all."

"These facts of limited playground space," says the report, "present one of the serious problems confronting those who are interested in the welfare of American school children. Whatever the cost, adequate playground space should be provided for those school buildings already erected in congested districts. Public sentiment must become so strong that it will be considered a breach of trust for school authorities to erect a school building on a site that will not afford adequate playground space for all the pupils housed in the building."

Fire Hazard.  
On the subject of fire hazard in schools, the report states: "Only five per cent. of the total number of buildings are of the types of construction usually called fireproof. Only a small number have fireproofing elements to lessen the fire hazard to the children. At least twenty-five per cent. of the two poorest types of buildings of the two poorest types and do not have a fire-escape. Thirty-nine per cent. of these two types are without fire extinguishers, and less than ten per cent. of them have automatic sprinkler equipment in any part of the buildings. Only eleven per cent. have automatic fire alarms. Such facts as these demonstrate the existence of a real menace to the children of these cities." One-half of present-day schools were built prior to 1897.

Leaving School.  
The report directs attention to "the large number of children between the ages of 13 and 18 years who leave the public schools." There is probably no more serious problem or one more difficult to solve now facing the people of this country," it says.

According to the reports from 230 cities, six per cent. of the children have left school before their thirteenth year, 18 per cent. before fourteen, 35 per cent. before fifteen, and

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64 per cent. before they are sixteen years old.

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"In the geographical groups," the report continues, "the highest per cent. of these children remain in the Western cities. . . . Next in order are the Great Plains cities, then the Southern, the Great Lakes, and lowest of all are the Eastern cities. In this last group only 29 per cent. of the children 15 years of age and 56 per cent. of those from 14 to 16 years inclusive are in school."

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**BY-ELECTION ECHO IS HEARD**  
Move to Expel Beaverbrook From London Club

London, March 7.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The Manchester Guardian declares that much soreness is felt in Conservative circles over the result of the Dudley by-election against those conducting The Daily Express, in connection with the crusade against Sir Arthur Griffiths-Boscawen on the Canadian cattle question.

There is a rule in the Carlton Club against members attacking other members in elections and there is a movement on foot to put the rule in force against two members of the Club, viz., the proprietor and the editor of The Daily Express, who fought his own party in this election.

Members, however, The Guardian adds, do not think this is more than a threat.

The Sunday Express, Lord Beaverbrook's Sunday edition, paraphrases this announcement of The Guardian more bluntly. It said:

"The Manchester Guardian discloses the existence of a movement at the Carlton Club to expel Lord Beaverbrook from membership because it is alleged he is responsible for the defeat of Sir Arthur Griffiths-Boscawen at the Dudley by-election. The Carlton Club is a political club, its membership being exclusively confined to members of the Unionist Party."

Inquiries by the Canadian Associated Press show that the movement is serious, and it is understood further that Lord Beaverbrook is quite ready to join issue on the matter with those who have been recognized as his former political associates.

In an interview with the Canadian Associated Press he stated that he had nothing to say about the matter of the club, but on the question of the embargo, he urged the Canadian press to dispel from the minds of the public the frequently repeated charges of disease among Canadian cattle.

**STRIKES COST B. C. \$2,000,000 LAST YEAR**  
LABOR REPORT SHOWS

(Continued from page 1.)

"It is not possible to attain precise accuracy, which, indeed, could only be done by means of a special audit of the wage-books of all firms making a return, but, under the system adopted, it is claimed that the margin of possible error in the table given below can only be very slight," the report says.

Breweries	22.27
Builders' Material	31.65
Cigar and Tobacco Mfg.	22.48
Coal Mining	37.14
Coast Shipping	26.81
Contracting (general)	21.61
Explosives, Chemicals, etc.	31.38
Food Products, Mfg.	29.72
Garment Making	26.14
House Furnishings	28.79
Jewellery Mfg.	31.20
Laundries, Cleaning, etc.	28.42
Leather and Fur Mfg.	28.81
Lumber Industries	32.47
Metal Trades	31.14
Printing and Publishing	25.96
Miscellaneous Trades	28.24
Oil Refining	28.52
Paint Mfg.	27.22
Printing and Publishing	25.79
Pulp and Paper Mfg.	25.18
Shoe Making	26.44
Smelting	26.44
Street Railways, Gas, Water, Power, Electric Lamps, etc.	32.81
Mfg. Wood (not elsewhere specified)	27.46

These averages are based on the figures supplied by each firm for the week of employment of the greatest number, and represent the pay for a full week's work for the number of hours worked in each industry. The rate given for Coast Shipping does not include board.

**Hours Slightly Revised.**  
In computing these averages, the wages received by skilled and unskilled, Anglo-Saxon and foreign, white and colored labor have all been taken into account. A general average of the above trades, as returned to the Board, is \$21.18 per week; 1918-19, \$29.11 per week; 1918 (Jan. to July), \$27.97 per week.

There is no conspicuous change in the number of hours worked, though there has been a slight tendency in the direction of shorter hours. This year 50.43 per cent. of the wage-earners (as against 49.78 per cent. last year) worked 48 hours or under, and there were 2.06 per cent. working over 60 hours.

**Foreigners Not Gaining.**  
The tables relating to the nationality of employees do not indicate that the foreign races are gaining ground in the Province. Native Canadians make the largest contribution to the industrial population, with the British-born coming behind. The two sections show the biggest increase compared with last year's figures. This year 68.88 per cent. of the total number is made up of natives of Canada and Newfoundland, as against 65.29 per cent. last year. A slight decrease in the percentage of Oriental employees is shown.

**Never Free From Strikes.**  
Reference is also made in the report to the large number of labor disputes which occurred in the Province during the year. At no time in 1920, it appears, was the Province entirely free from such disputes. "Needless to say, the offices of the Department were almost constantly in requisition to investigate the causes of these disputes, to mitigate their effects, and to bring the contending parties to an understanding and agreement as quickly as possible," the report says.

"In all there were 68 disputes reported during the year. This compares with the 44 reported in 1919, and 28 in 1918. However, there was no single dispute during the past year comparable in magnitude with the general strike which lasted for several weeks in the Midsummer of 1919. And, therefore, though the number of strikes was greater, the resulting loss to the strikers themselves, to the employers, and to the general public was probably much less.

**Strikes Cost \$2,000,000.**  
"The 68 disputes of 1920 directly affected 9,951 workers, and the estimated number of working days lost was 117,979. Allowing \$5 as the average working day's pay of every striker, it totals \$589,895, representing the actual loss in wages. The loss to employers through having their works closed or their output curtailed, and the loss inflicted upon the general public in many directions, might probably be estimated at double, or more than double the sum mentioned." So that broadly speaking, strikes of the year have entailed a loss to the Province of two million dollars.

**O. B. U. Blamed.**  
"More than half the year's strikes occurred in the lumber trades, which account for 29. They were also the strikes among miners. In nearly all of these the active agents in promoting the disputes were members of the Lumber Workers Industrial Union, which was federated with the One Big Union. Usually the strike would affect only the men working at one camp, in some comparatively remote part of the Province; and the action of the men in stopping work would be taken after very short notice, or possibly without any notice to the em-

ployer, and without direct instructions from union headquarters. "Employers have complained that this method of bringing about a strike has meant serious loss to them through the action of irresponsible men, who may have been found later to have no substantial grievance. The men who defend these tactics, however, say that they are the only effective means of bringing their united power to bear, especially where there is necessarily much delay in communicating with headquarters.

**Conditions Bettered.**  
"These strikes met with varying success, or failure, according to the nature of the demands. In the early part of the year a campaign was set on foot for improved camp conditions, for better food, better cooking, better sanitation, more room in bunk-houses, shower-baths, and the provision of blankets and bedding by the employer instead of by the workman. Many employers recognized that an improvement in these matters was desirable, and readily fell in with a portion at least of the men's demands. This was so more particularly in camps operated by large and wealthy companies. Employers working on a smaller scale found the demands proportionately a bigger handicap. There was, however, an all-round improvement in camp conditions.

**Even Cooking Caused Strikes.**  
"Sometimes the demand for these improvements was made the occasion of a strike, the men went back to work after some change had been made. Another prolific cause of dispute was discrimination, or alleged discrimination, by employers against certain men. In these disputes, as a rule, the evidence from the one side flatly contradicted that of the other; the employer stating that the reason for a man's dismissal was his unfitness or neglect of work; and the men contending that he was dismissed because of his association with the union. The discrimination trouble had two sides; sometimes the men themselves refused to work alongside a non-union man, or one who did not belong to their particular union, or they objected to the cook or the bull cook who had been engaged to minister to their creature comforts, as these objections were found sufficient to start trouble.

**Surplus Labor in Cities.**  
"Other strikes were for higher wages or a shorter working day. Speaking generally, workers at the up-country lumber and mining camps, during the busy season, found it easier to obtain higher wages on occasions, either with or without a strike. In the coast cities, however, there was a surplus of labor practically all through the year, and some of the most important strikes were called off without the terms demanded being secured."

**Unemployment Extensive.**  
Dealing with recent unemployment conditions, the report says:

"In the last two months of the year the Province was faced with a large amount of unemployment, caused by the gradual closing down of logging and mining camps, sawmills, shingle mills and canneries, which led to thousands of men crowding into the cities from the interior and up the Coast. Added to this was a very large winter migration into British Columbia from other parts of Canada. This is, indeed, an annual phase, and in a considerable measure British Columbia in the winter has to cope with the unemployed problem of other Provinces as well as her own.

"The Provincial Government offered to lend money to cities and municipalities for the purpose of relieving the unemployed those out of work, and a scheme was also set on foot whereby those in actual need could be relieved by the local authorities. The Governments of the Dominion and the Province each paying one-third of the cost. These schemes were taken up in a number of localities, but most of the work accomplished belongs to 1921, and not to the year now under review.

**Industries Seasonal.**  
"The events of the last few months have emphasized more than ever the fact that some of our most important industries are largely seasonal in their character, and that there is a considerable period of the year, varying from one to five months, when the men accustomed to follow these occupations cannot depend upon them as a means of livelihood. "This is the crux of a difficulty which is sure to recur, in more or less insistent form, each winter, and one the solution of which is worthy of the best endeavors of us all. It means as much as any other, done, than being attempted in the past, in the systematic provision of work during the winter months.

**Should Spread Work.**  
"Instead of public authorities and private employers crowding as much as possible their activities into the Spring, Summer and early Fall, there should be a more intelligent anticipation of the industrial needs of Mid-Winter. As far as possible, an effort to arrange beforehand for work to be in hand not later than the middle of November, to carry workless men over the following few months. "We have examples in the Province to-day of works of a public character, which in the early Spring are expected to be ready to employ

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Kiddie Coops, complete with mattress and cover. Big bargain at \$34.20	Golden Oak Chiffonier, 4 drawers; bevel plate mirror. Cash price \$38.25
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**WHISKY AND BOAT SEIZED AT SEATTLE**  
Canadian Craft; 110 Cases Taken by Police

Seattle, March 7.—One hundred and ten cases of whiskey and the Canadian seine boat Night Owl were seized by the harbor patrol boat here near the Great Northern dock Sunday morning.

Frightened by the sudden appearance of the patrol boat in their wake, the whiskey-runners beached their boat and fled into the darkness under the docks, leaving the craft and whiskey to be captured.

The seizure is said to be one of the largest ever made in Puget Sound waters. The liquor was turned over to the police dry squad by the crew of the harbor boat.

The Night Owl carried papers showing that she was registered in the name of Frederick Herbert Chappell of Vancouver, B. C., October 28, 1920.

The craft is of eight and a half tons register.

Bought in Vancouver.

Vancouver, March 7.—"Yes, I know the boat all right," replied F. H. Chappell, of Chappell Brothers, machinists, when shown the dispatch regarding the Night Owl. "I sold her on Thursday and, I'm very pleased to remark, I got a cash settlement. I had no idea that she would be used in the whiskey running trade. They told me they were going to do some fishing or freighting on the west coast. She was sold to J. C. O'Brien."

Mr. Chappell states that the boat was formerly the old Government boat Lizette. He bought her in 1918 and rebuilt her, rechristening her the Night Owl.

"And what did Mr. Owens say when you told him you were a bill collector?"

"Said he was, too, and that if I'd leave my bill he'd take pleasure in adding it to his collection."

**PIGS RAN ABOUT BUFFALO STREETS**

Buffalo, N.Y., March 7.—Several hundred pigs ran wild through the streets and yards in the East Buffalo section Saturday, when 200 women, weary of waiting for city ordinances to regulate livestock driving through the streets, took the law into their own hands.

The women first argued with the drivers and, finding them obdurate, attacked them with sticks and stones. The pigs scattered during the melee.

A detail of policemen quelled the riot. The drivers were cut and bruised, but seemed most concerned over the loss of their charges.

The Departments of Public Health and Public Safety have had under consideration several weeks ago ordinances forbidding the promiscuous driving of pigs through the streets.

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Paul, in his epistle to the Ephesians, who, just then, were in need of guidance, advised them, and laid stress on the point that they proceed not "in vanity of the mind."

Over-confidence in judgment, where there is not a profound understanding, is an ever-ready means of precipitating the reverse of intent.

Solomon, who knew quite a few things, said that Knowledge was the Servant of Understanding. "A little knowledge is a dangerous thing" is the household adaptation of his wisdom in that particular.

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TO FORCE GERMANY.

It had been hoped by all those who are able to appreciate the economic consequences of armed invasion that the German delegates would submit new proposals to the London Reparations Conference to-day that would be acceptable to the Allies and remove the necessity to apply coercive measures.

What effect a naval and military display will have upon the national spirit may not be determined at this stage. The occupation of Frankfurt and Darmstadt by French forces on a previous occasion staggered the average German.

On the other hand there is a very grave danger lest the French desire to extract the maximum from her age-long adversary—now backed by the knowledge that Great Britain is committed to the principle of armed coercion—should provoke a condition of despair and involve an international situation in which reparations payment might be the least important factor.

Military occupation and a naval blockade are imposing remedies at the Conference table. But their application in practice are a good deal more terrible. In the meantime there appears to be no other way.

THE PENALTIES.

When Mr. Lloyd George delivered his reply to the German Reparations proposals last Thursday he enumerated the various penalties that would be imposed upon the defeated nation if she should fail to do better than her offer of thirty billion marks.

The cities of Duisburg, Dueseldorf and Ruhrort will be occupied by Allied troops. Provision is made for the imposition by each Allied country of such a tax upon German imports as it may deem fitting.

HOPEFUL SIGNS.

If The New York Tribune is correct in its information President Harding is ready to submit his proposals for an association of nations for world conference which would support the international court of justice.

Great Britain and France would welcome such an announcement from the President himself. To discuss a new form of machinery to prevent war would in no way discredit the existing institution.

THE BETTER WAY.

It is understood that the more influential officials connected with the Union of British Columbia Municipalities intend to conduct an active lobby in an endeavor to persuade the individual members of the Legislature that the Government should assist its members in a more definite form than that promised by a division of the spoils from the sale of liquor.

THOSE TROPHIES.

It ought not to require a great deal of mental effort on the part of the City Council to arrive at a decision about the disposal of the German guns which are still standing in the mud at the Stillwells. Surely there is sufficient civic pride in the trophies to recognize the necessity of placing them amid surroundings a little more open to the public gaze.

magnificent one and there is no reason why the more pleasant reminder of victory should not be visible to everybody.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Allied troops will march into Germany to-morrow in accordance with the decision reached in London to-day.

President Harding said in his inaugural speech that no civilization could survive repudiation. The suggestion may not be applied to Germany.

It seems to require the whole of the official machinery at Moscow to send out denials that the Soviet Government is not even perturbed about the recent revolts.

The first German Consul-General for Canada since the beginning of the war has arrived at Montreal to take up his official duties and residence.

According to the Vice-President of the Edmonton Canadian Club the municipal golf course in the Albertan capital has paid the greatest returns for its relatively insignificant outlay of all the public utilities under civic control.

OTHER PAPERS' VIEWS

AT LARGE IN PHILADELPHIA (From Punch)

Five million typhoid germs, the property of Mr. John Gibbon, are intended to be at large in Philadelphia, according to The Daily Express.

IN STORAGE (From The Chicago News)

There are more potential plowshares and pruning hooks in the world to-day than ever before since Cain killed Abel.

TOO MANY LONG SPEECHES (From The Toronto Star)

Sooner or later there will be a general election in Canada, and, before it arrives, those of us—and there are millions of us—who object to the tedious length of political speeches and the way meetings are drawn out until the thought in every mind is to organize to abate the nuisance.

FORCES OF ALLIES ORDERED TO OCCUPY TOWNS IN GERMANY (Continued from page 1.)

Reasoned Reply. After asking Dr. Simons a number of questions, Premier Lloyd George stated that there is no doubt as to the answer which the Allies must be forced to give.

London, March 7.—Dr. Simons and his fellow conferees of Germany returned to their hotel directly after the early meeting of the reparations conference to-day.

London, March 7.—The Italian Foreign Minister, then driving off to Downing Street, the noon conference was attended by all members of the various delegations.

London, March 7.—Soldiers and sailors from Kronstadt says a dispatch to The London Times from Riga, attacked Oranienbaum across the river on Friday, but were repulsed by the batteries there.

London, March 7.—Twenty-five Russian soldiers were reported to have been taken to the hospital in Petrograd.

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will send them into German territory Hohenzollern Reside. Doorn, Holland, March 7.—William Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, who daily reads the German, Dutch and English newspapers, is closely following the progress of the London conference on German reparations.

MURDERS AND FIGHTS IN IRELAND (Continued from page 1.)

hushing party could be seen as the fight proceeded, the slopes on each side of the road being thickly covered with bushes. Mines had been laid out, but they failed to explode.

A dispatch from Dublin said the belief was generally held there that the ambush in which Gen. Cumming was killed, was prepared for Major-General Sir Edward Strickland, commander of the Crown forces in Munster. General Strickland was supposed to be returning to Cork Saturday from Tralee.

At noon yesterday in Dublin a faring attack was made on a military installation in Dooey street, off Parnell Square, great excitement being caused. Bomb explosions and rifle fire ensued, causing a panic among the crowd and the closing of the street.

Earlier in the day an attempt was made to ambush a military automobile near Dublin, the automobile escaped, but a private car, happening to pass, was wrecked by a bomb. The driver of the car was killed and the passenger injured.

Appeal by Logue. Belfast, March 7.—Cardinal Logue, Primate of Ireland, in a letter to the priests of the Armagh diocese, makes another powerful appeal for a truce in Ireland and suggests the forthcoming birthday of the first national apostle offers an opportune occasion for an appeal to the Almighty.

Before Judgment Seat. "We shall not, before the Judgment Seat, be called upon to account for the crimes of the Black and Tans or the auxiliary cadets or the military, who have taken the military lives on the most futile pretence in their wild raids through the country. We shall not be even called to account for the blindness, obstinacy and partiality of our present Government."

Deplored the disregard for human life and property shown by both sides, which he declares threatens to reduce the country to a state of desolation and ruin.

Indiscriminately. "They who commit such acts know well those armed forces will blaze away indiscriminately, killing or wounding 'poor innocent victims, often women and children engaged in lawful occupations," he says.

"Lawyers, I think, say such acts, endangering the good of the public, involve malice against all mankind. Certainly all mankind should join in putting an end to them."

Mentioned by Pope. Rome, March 7.—Pope Benedict, in his allocution delivered at the secret consistory to-day, declared Ireland having her ancient struggles renewed. There had been an outbreak of appalling violence and crime in the south of the island.

UPRISING GROWING IN DISTRICT OF PETROGRAD (Continued from page 1.)

Join Anti-Bolshevik. Paris, March 7.—The garrison at Kronstadt, near Petrograd, has rallied to the anti-Bolshevik cause, according to a wireless message given out to-day by the French Foreign Office.

The town of Pskov, near the Estonian border, is reported to have been captured by insurgents. Commissaries Kalinin and Zinovief and several of the other Bolshevik Commissaries at Petrograd are reported to have taken flight and to have been arrested at Isborg, according to a dispatch from the French Foreign Office.

Oranienbaum. Paris, March 7.—Russian Bolshevik forces have been driven out of Oranienbaum, a town on the southern shore of the Gulf of Finland, nineteen miles west of Petrograd, by naval units from Kronstadt, says a news dispatch. Warships have gone up the Neva River and landed sailors in Petrograd, where part of the garrison has joined the revolutionary forces.

Prepare to Flee. Soviet leaders are terrified and Lenin and Trotsky are preparing for flight, says a Reval dispatch to The Matin.

Anti-Bolshevik lead Antonoff, at the head of 50,000 armed peasants, is declared to be in control of the governments of Tambov and Voronezh, in Southern Russia, and it is said that this fact makes it impossible to re-occupy the northern sections of the country.

Repulsed. London, March 7.—Soldiers and sailors from Kronstadt says a dispatch to The London Times from Riga, attacked Oranienbaum across the river on Friday, but were repulsed by the batteries there.

Troops Ready. London, March 7.—A British battalion is reported to be standing ready to advance upon Dusseldorf, while French and Belgian troops are said to be awaiting marching orders that

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When you consider that every moment you are awake your eyes are doing their ceaseless work, never still, never at rest, it is evident that they should be in the best possible condition in order to perform their task without effort.

Too often, a neglected defect impairs the efficiency of these delicate organs and serious trouble results.

You will be wise to have me make a slight examination if you have reason to think your eyes are defective. I can grind you lenses that will give immediate and permanent relief.

Glasses as Low as \$5.00

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Asian Soviet Commissaries who have been abandoned by their troops have taken refuge in Estonia, according to a wireless message picked up here this afternoon.

Use Ex-Prisoners. Stockholm, March 6.—Advice received here state that the Communists are concentrating detachments of former German and Austrian war prisoners in Petrograd and Moscow to put down the trouble arising out of the Kronstadt revolt.

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Profit by these offerings of unrivalled values in household cotton goods. Such savings cannot be repeated when present stocks are exhausted.



Ready-Made Sheets

Made from good, durable qualities of English and Canadian Sheeting. Finished with 2-inch hem at top and 1-inch hem at bottom.

Size 72 x 90. Reg. \$4.00. Special \$3.25. Size 81 x 90. Reg. \$5.00. Special \$3.95. Size 72 x 90. Reg. \$4.50. Special \$3.45. Size 81 x 90. Reg. \$5.75. Special \$4.25.

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Made from Circular or plain pillow cottons; plain ends or hemstitched; sizes 42, 44 and 46 inches.

Regular 45c. Special at 35c. Regular 70c. Special at 60c. Regular 85c. Special at 65c.

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Extraordinary value in high-grade Canadian Sheeting. 63 inches wide. Special 65c. 81 inches wide. Special 85c. 72 inches wide. Special 75c. 90 inches wide. Special 91.15.

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LETTERS

Letters addressed to the Editor and for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion.

A CORRECTION. To the Editor:—In reporting re the spoiled ballots in yesterday's election The Times says that the number of ballots cast was 2519 for the two years' term and 3473 for the one year term—a total of 6992.

Two Chicagoans ESCAPE GALLOWS Chicago, March 7.—From the death cell, convicted of murder, to a jury verdict of not guilty on the same evidence that caused conviction, was the unusual march of Harry Andras and Richard Wilson. Four months ago they were put in the death cell with the gallows built, convicted of murdering Thomas O'Donnell, an aged watchman. A last-minute stay gave them a new trial and on Saturday a jury found them both not guilty.

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IN TONE it is superior to any \$200 talking machine. IN PRICE it is cheaper by \$20.00 than any talking machine of similar design and size.

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Mars is in benefic aspect to-day, according to astrology. The Sun sheds friendly rays, but Uranus is strongly adverse.

All the planetary influences should be stimulating in the morning, making for sanguine plans that should bring success.

Constructive enterprises of every sort are well directed and it should be easy to secure financial support for them.

Warning is given against the danger of too much questioning of motives where human relations are involved.

The Moon opposed to Mercury threatens treaty disputes for the United States and one of these may be serious.

Women must safeguard their lives as well as their property until the planetary government changes and it is foretold that it may be some time before the after-war madness is overcome.

Persons whose birthdate it is should safeguard the health during the coming year. There may be a tendency to get into litigation and this should be resisted.

Children born on this day should be active, persevering and industrious. These subjects of pieces are generally very fortunate.

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Every new style and fancy in Spring Millinery that fashion favors you will find displayed amid the large assembly of beautiful creations in our showrooms on the first floor.

You have only to visit this department to be convinced of our preparedness to supply every desire, and that at prices lower than you expected.

All the new shapes are represented and all the wanted shades, including grey, golden gate, mahogany, all the new shades of blue, nasturtium, black, transparent and black jet braid effects.

See our Visco, Jet and Bolivia Cloth Hats. The very latest.

Competent and courteous assistants always present to serve and advise you.

—Millinery, First Floor—Phone 1194

### Children's Dresses and Jerseys at Special Prices

**Girls' Dresses**, in cotton jersey, consisting of skirt with jersey attached. Very desirable for play suits. In shades of navy blue. Sizes to fit 2 to 8 years. Special at **\$1.50**

**Children's Jerseys**, in a good grade cotton, in shades of navy, green and white and navy trimmed with red collars. Sizes for 2 to 10 years. Special at **75¢**

—Children's, First Floor—Phone 6895

### The Shoes Women Want at Lower Prices

**Women's Queen Quality Brown Calf Oxfords** with military heels; very stylish shoes, priced regularly at \$15.00. Our new price is **\$12.90**

**Women's Queen Quality Black Kid Oxfords** with Cuban heel; a neat shoe and a comfortable fitter; old price \$15.00. Now offered at a pair **\$12.90**

**Women's Brown and Black Queen Quality Oxfords** with the new French toe and Louis heel; old price \$15.00. Now offered at **\$10.90**

**Women's Queen Quality Patent Leather Oxfords**, a smart shoe with Louis heel; the old price of this was \$12.00. Our price now is **\$6.85**

—Women's Shoes, First Floor—Phone 6896

### New House Dresses at \$2.98 and \$3.98

**House Dresses** in loose and semi-fitting styles; made of excellent grade prints in light and dark shades. Special at **\$2.98**

**House Dresses** of checked ginghams, in shades of blue and pink, and trimmed with smocking and pearl buttons; also plain chambray and white percale dresses. All specially priced at, each **\$3.98**

—Women's Whitewear, First Floor

### Rompers for Babies—Priced Low

**Rompers**, in excellent grade black and white check flannelette, trimmed with crimson piping, and designed to button underneath. They are neat little rompers with loose belt; sizes 6 months to 2 years. Very special value at **\$2.00**

**Rompers**, in pale blue and pink check chambray, with square yoke, short sleeves, breast pocket and loose belt; size for the ages of 2 years. Regular \$2.00 value at **\$1.50**

**Crepe Rompers**, in blue, pink and white, with square or round neck. Made for the age of 2 years. Regular value \$2.25. On sale at **\$1.75**

**Rompers** in excellent grade, blue and white stripe Chambray, designed in a pretty dutch style, with square neck, short sleeves and breast pocket, trimmed with white. Made for a child of 1 year old. A regular \$2.50 value at **\$1.75**

**White Dimity and Chambray Rompers**, with round neck, short sleeves trimmed with blue and white stitching. Regular \$2.50 values at **\$1.75**

**White Rompers**, in chambray, with square yoke, short sleeves and loose belt. Regular \$2.00 value. Special at **\$1.50**

—Infants', First Floor

### Music Department News

Two songs of exceptional merit are now awaiting you in the Music Department—

"Smile Through Your Tears" and "Where the Lazy Mississippi Flows" The two best numbers we have offered you during the past six months. At, each **50¢**

"Where the Good Songs Are"

—The Music Department, Lower Main Floor

### Violin Strings of Best Quality

A New Shipment of Kerrell's Standard Violin Strings has just been received; strings spun from the finest Tiana silk by special machinery; of British manufacture and absolutely the best silk strings made; three lengths. Sold at, each **30¢**

—Music, Lower Main Floor—Phone 6522

### Bonnets and Dresses for Baby Pretty Effects at Modest Prices

**Bonnets**, in dainty styles of silk, satin and crepe de Chine, as well as many beauties in corded silk. At prices ranging from **85¢** to **\$2.75**

**Babies' Dresses** of crepe, in shades of blue, white and pink, piped with plain shades in contrasting colors; sizes for 6 months to 2 years. At **\$1.00**

**Dresses** of exceedingly good grade crepe, hand-embroidered, and designed for the ages of 6 months to 2 years. Special value at **\$1.75**

—Infants', First Floor—Phone 1194

### Boys' Jersey Suits at \$1.75

**Boys' Neat Cotton Jersey Suits** for Spring wear. The suits consist of jersey and pants, in two-piece style. The pants attached to bodice, the jersey fastened on the shoulder with three buttons. The colors featured are saxe blue, brown and navy. Special at, a suit **\$1.75**

—Children's, First Floor

### Corset Department Specials For Misses and Children

**Misses' Sports Waists**, made of strong white coutil with two elastic front laces; cut away front, four hose supports. An ideal model for school sports. At **\$2.25**

**A Model for Stouter Girls**, made of a good grade coutil, well corded and lightly boned, with button front and shoulder straps. A special value at **\$1.85**

**Children's Corset Waists**, made of strong white batiste, well reinforced, adjustable hose supports. Sizes for 2 to 12 years. Especially good value at **\$1.00**

—Corsets, First Floor—Phone 1194

You Will be Delighted  
With Our New Spring  
Display of

## Voiles and Organdies

Voiles and organdies will be in great demand this Spring, therefore our stock of these beautiful dress fabrics will be exceedingly interesting to you.



**38-Inch Voile**, in light grounds, with pretty rosebud designs, in many shadings. In this you are offered a splendid value at, a yard **75¢**

**39-Inch Voiles**, offering a beautiful variety in medium and dark colorings, in quite new designs! Suitable for dresses. At, a yard **\$1.25**

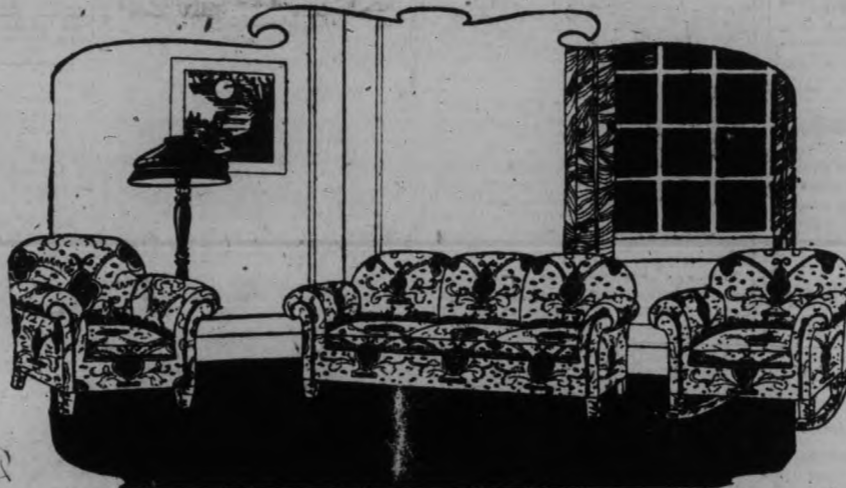
**PLAIN VOILES AT 65¢ A YARD.**  
Every wanted color in plain Voiles of a fine even weave, including mole, brown, grey, sky, turquoise, apple green, canary, helio, wisteria, pink, coral, old rose, navy, sand, gray, white cream black. Special at, a yard **65¢**

**38-Inch Voiles**, in which you are offered a selection from 10 designs. A superior grade voile and superior value at, a yard **\$1.00**

**Voiles**, in pretty border effects, in medium and dark grounds. Voiles, 39 inches wide, and very suitable for dresses, skirts and jumpers. Excellent values at, a yard **\$1.50**

**ORGANDIES AT \$1.00 A YARD.**  
Organdies will be very popular this Spring and Summer, and in our stocks you will find the following shades: Pink, old rose, grey, mauve, sky, white and champagne. Material 46 inches wide and special value at, a yard **\$1.00**

—On display in the Staple Dept., Main Floor—Phone 3950



## Upholstered Furniture In Which the Best Fillings and Fabrics are Featured—At New Prices

Upholstered furniture manufactured by our expert workmen in our own workshops; furniture we can conscientiously recommend in every particular.

**A Chesterfield Settee** six feet long, upholstered in hard wearing tapestry over a high grade spring seat, and full stuffed arms and back. An excellent value at **\$97.50**

**A Chesterfield Settee** six feet long, in three cushion effect; a settee excellently upholstered in best quality tapestry, a deep spring seat, back and arms; practically all hair filling used throughout. A superior value at **\$165.00**

**A Chesterfield** in large size; 15-inch pillow arms, loose cushions, spring seat, back and arms; a luxurious piece of furniture, manufactured of the best materials inside and out; the tapestry covering is of the best texture. A special value at **\$225.00**

**Tapestry Upholstered Easy Chairs** are offered at **\$25.00, \$35.00, \$65.00, \$75.00** and **\$125.00**

We re-upholster furniture and make it look as good as new. Call at the Upholstery Department and have us estimate the cost of re-covering your chesterfields and chairs. Inspect our large assortment of tapestries at new prices. —Second Floor—Phone 1248

### A Bed, Spring and Mattress Complete For \$39.60

**A Well Designed Wood Bed** finished in ivory or walnut, with 1½-inch square posts; the spring is a spiral of splendid quality and the mattress of felt. The whole for **\$39.60**

—Furniture, Second Floor—Phone 5441

### Our Sausage Are Made From Choice Meats

You will enjoy our Sausage because they are always fresh, seasoned, just right. Take a pound home for lunch.

**Pure Pork Sausage**. At, a lb. **40¢**  
**Cambridge Sausage**. At, a lb. **35¢**  
**Beef Sausage**. At, a lb. **25¢**  
**B. C. New-Laid Eggs**. At, a doz. **38¢**

—Delicatessen, Lower Main Floor.

### Men's Handkerchiefs at 2 for 25¢

**Men's Khaki Handkerchiefs** in a mercerized finish and neatly hem-stitched. Special at two for **25¢**

—Main Floor

### Moderate Prices Quoted on Penman's Underwear for Men

**Penman's Natural Merino Shirts and Drawers** in a light weight for Spring wear; a very special line that includes all sizes. Wonderful value at, a garment **\$1.25**

**Penman's Preferred Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers**, a medium weight, soft quality, comfortable underwear suitable for any time of the year; all sizes up to 42 shirts. Special at, a garment **\$2.00**

**Penman's Light Weight Elastic Rib Cotton Shirts and Drawers** for early Spring wear. Special at, a garment **\$1.10**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

### Attractive Values in Men's Furnishings

**Men's Print Negligee Shirts**, made of a heavy material, patterned in fancy stripes of mauve, blue and green; shirts with starch collar band and double soft cuffs; sizes 14 to 15½. Special, each, **\$2.75**

**Men's Elastic Web Braces** if heavy makes, with leather or cord ends; regular \$1.00. On sale at, a pair **75¢**

**Men's Working Socks** in shades of grey, brown, blue, black and natural. At, a pair **35¢**  
Or 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

**Men's Heavy Rib Working Socks** in a wool mixture; in shades of grey, heather and black; regular 75¢ values. A pair **49¢**

**Men's Natural Color Working Socks**, light weight. Special at, a pair **25¢**

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## Groceteria Daily Bulletin

ALL DAY SPECIALS

- Oxo, tin **9¢**
- Full Cooked Dinner, contains beef, potatoes and other vegetables; 30¢ tins **21¢**
- Peek Frean's Old Country Biscuits, package **20¢**
- Spencer's Breakfast Tea, pound **38¢**
- Spencer's Choice Blend Ceylon and India Tea, pound **45¢**
- Spencer's Ceylon and Orange Pekoe, pound **60¢**
- Spencer's Darjeeling Blend Tea, pound **80¢**
- Palethorpe's Old Country Staffordshire Pork Sausages, tin **74¢**
- Wrinkled Green Peas, 3 pounds **23¢**
- Spencer's 18-ounce Milk Bread **9¢**
- Australian Jam, apricot or black currant; 2's. Per tin **49¢**
- Del Monte Spinach, 2½'s. Per tin **24¢**
- New Season Seville Orange Marmalade, Laurel Brand; 4-pound tin, **90¢**
- Quaker Pork and Beans, 3's; 35¢ value. Per tin **21¢**
- Black Strap Molasses, 45¢ tins **25¢**

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SPECIAL ALL WEEK IN DRUG DEPARTMENT Taylor's Infants' Delight - Per box of three cakes 29c

CONFECTIONERY DEPARTMENT Special, 500 Pounds of Fresh Sweets, Circus Wagons and Made Peanut Brittle - Regular 50c per pound

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SPECIAL TO-DAY AND TUESDAY IN GROCERY DEPT. Okanagan Pumpkins - Large tins, regular 20c

NOW IS THE TIME TO PUT DOWN EGGS FOR THE WINTER New Laid Eggs - By the case per dozen 38c

PHONES: 178 and 179, Fish and Provisions, 5520, Meat, 5521, GROCERY, Fruit Department, 5523, Delivery, 5522

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These Caps are very smartly designed and are made from the celebrated Mackenzie Scotch tweed in very attractive colorings. Priced low at \$2.00

Boys' Clothes Specialist Sam Scott 1221 Douglas Street

Sabot Pumps For Easter

In patent, brown kid and black with suede instep strap set with tailored buttons.

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Is your old Range or Cook Stove nearly all in? If so, turn it in on a new up-to-date 6-hole polished steel top, cup waterjacket, triple outside casting, non-warping oven, plain nickel trimmings, a quick cooker and even baker, easy to regulate and economical on fuel. Price only \$75.00

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SOCIAL PERSONAL

LATE INDIAN POETESS

PAULINE JOHNSON

to-day marks the eighth anniversary of the death of Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess, who as Princess Tekahionwake attained fame through her Indian legends and ballads.

E. Hambleton and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hambleton, of Dauphin, Man., Mr. and Mrs. Byron B. Havelin, of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. S. Priest, of Portland, Oregon, and Miss M. J. Banham, of Denver, Col., are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mrs. A. E. Jones and W. W. Walker, of Ladysmith; T. R. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Martindale, and Miss Martindale, of Nanaimo; Miss N. Bazett, F. Van Norman, Mrs. and Miss Williams, Miss Irvine and H. R. Punnett, of Duncan; Miss H. M. Cartwright, of Shawanigan Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dakins, of James Island, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

D. Green, Miss B. Hanson, Mrs. L. R. Callahan, Mrs. J. Bird, of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. C. Foss, and Miss Ruby Foss, of New Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. T. Bagley, of Cranbrook; Mr. and Mrs. H. Croome, G. M. Stuart, J. H. Child, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rhodes, and Mrs. H. P. Rhodes, of Vancouver, are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

Miss Helen Laundry entertained a number of young friends at the tea hour on Saturday afternoon. Among the guests were the Misses Fuller, Margaret Cotton, Vivian Matson, Inez Carey, Flora Burns, Alice Nash, Margaret Lewis, Miss Irving and H. Ethel Helmsken, Esther Alexander, Sally Watson, Beatrice Wolfenden, Betty Streetfield and Kitty McClure.

Mr. Kenneth Raymur was a supper-host at his home, Stanley Avenue, last evening when his guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Corning, Miss Bodwell, Miss Peggy McBride, Miss Tina Mowbray, Mrs. Harold Eberts, Miss Mabel Eberts, and the Messrs. R. Ker, H. Wilson, Arthur Little and Jack Nichol, of Vancouver.

In honor of her approaching marriage Miss Jennie L. McCulloch was presented with a handsome set of Community silver by the staff of the office of the King's Printer on Saturday. The gift was accompanied by an illuminated address in parchment the work of the survey draughting room.

Recent arrivals in Halifax on the Carnarvon are Captain and Mrs. J. D. D. Stewart and their daughter, the former en route for Bermuda, where he will take command of H. M. S. Cambrian. Mrs. Stewart is expected to arrive shortly in Victoria, and will be the guest of her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Forbes (nee Porritt), of Victoria, who have been spending the first stages of their honeymoon in Vancouver, left the mainland city on Saturday evening for Montreal and New York, where they will remain for some days, before sailing for Europe.

Mrs. R. L. Wilson (nee Margaret Redding) arrived from Montreal today with her daughter, and will spend about two months the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Redding, Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Robinson, of Chemamus, Mrs. and Miss Stewart, of Cowichan Street; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Parker are among the up-and-coming visitors registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss Anna Michells returned to her home, 1162 McClure Street, at the end of last week after spending the past two weeks in Seattle, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Sander.

Mrs. E. A. Hunt, of Shawanigan Lake; John Gogo, of Ladysmith, W. R. Harris, of Hill; Mr. and Mrs. A. Murphy, of Jordan River, are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. Dwyer, Dr. Kerr, J. G. Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Provost and family, R. W. Waldon and Mrs. J. S. Robinson, of Duncan, are registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Major Gavin Davis and his sister, Mrs. Arthur Pigott, of Oak Bay, have gone over to Vancouver to spend the next week or ten days with friends in the mainland city.

Mrs. M. MacBeth, of Vancouver; Miss N. MacBeth, of Regina; A. MacBeth, of Regina, and Mrs. John Schofer, of Regina, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. W. C. Nichol, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor, arrived in St. John from England on Friday and is expected to arrive at the Coast on March 15.

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### "The Bull Called Emily"

By Irvin St. Cobb

We were sitting at a corner table in a certain small restaurant hard by where Sixth Avenue's L structure, like an overgrown straddlebug, wades through the restless currents of Broadway at a sharpened angle. The dish upon which we principally dined was called on the menu Chicken a la Marengo. We knew why, Marengo, by all accounts, was a mighty tough battle, and this particular chicken, we judged, had never had any refining influences in its ill-spent life. From its present defiant attitude in a cooked form, we figured it had pipped the shell with a burglar's jimmy and joined the Do-minicker Kid's gang before it shed its pin feathers. There were two of us engaged in the fruitless attack upon its starchy tissues—the present writer and his old un-law-abiding friend Scandalous Doolan.

For a period of minutes Scandalous wrestled with the theme of one of the embattled fowls' knee-joints. After a struggle in which the honors stood practically even, he laid down his knife and flinched a thumb toward a bottle of peppery sauce which stood on my side of the table.

"Hey, bo," he requested, "pass the liniment, will you? This sea gull's got the rheumatism," remark, taken in connection with the gesture which accompanied it, was plain enough to my understanding; but for the nonce I could not classify the idiom in which Scandalous couched the request; it was too direct and at the same time too picturesque. Moreover, the underworld, as a rule, concerns itself only with altering such words and such expressions as strictly figure in the business affairs of its various crafts and pursuits. Nor to me did it sound like the language of the circus lot, for in such case it probably would have been more complex. So by process of elimination I decided it was of the slang code of the burlesque and vaudeville stage, with which, as with the other two Scandalous had a thorough acquaintance, I felt sure, then, that something had set his mind to working backward along the memory-grooves of some one or another of his earlier experiences in the act-producing line of endeavor, and that, with proper pumping—a story might be forthcoming. As it turned out, I was right.

"Where did that one, Scandalous?" I asked, craftily. "Your own coinage, or did you borrow it from somebody else?"

**The Undeafened Champion**  
He only grinned cryptically. After a bit he halted the attention-waiter, who, because he plainly suffered from fallen arches, had already been rechristened by Scandalous as Battling Intestines.

sort of figuring on visiting Antioch, Gilead, Zion and other religious towns up state with a view of selling the haymakers some Bermuda outs for their fall planting, when along came Windy Jordan and breached a proposition.

"This here Windy Jordan was one of them human drafts; hence the name. At all hours there was a strong breeze blowing out of him in the form of words. If he wasn't conversing, it was a sign he had acute sore throat. But to counter-act that fault he was the sole proprietor of the smartest and the largest bull on this side of the ocean, which said bull answered to the name of Emily."

"Did you say a bull?" I asked. "Sure I said a bull. Why not? Ain't you wise to what a bull is?" "Certainly I am, but a bull named Emily—"

"Listen little one: To them that follow after the red wagon and the white top, all elephants is bulls, regardless of genders. So very properly this here bull, being one of the most refined and cultured members of her sex, answered to the Christian name of Emily.

### AUTHORITY TO SPEAK ON ATTIC VASES

Dr. J. C. Hoppin, of Boston, to Lecture Here To-morrow

Second of the lectures on archeology here, the public will to-morrow have an opportunity of hearing a distinguished archeologist in the person of Professor Joseph Clark Hoppin, of Boston.

Dr. Hoppin is one of the leading authorities in the world to-day on the fascinating section of ceramics, which deals with Attic vases, covering a period of art in Greece which has been receiving increasing attention from students. The appearance of these vases is fairly familiar to the public owing to the fact that the majority of the painted vases now in existence are to be found in the museums and collections of Europe, particularly in the British Museum, the Louvre, and the Berlin Museum, and on this continent in the Boston Museum and the Metropolitan Museum in New York.

Mr. Hoppin, who has held professional appointments in Greece, in the American School of Classical Studies at Athens, at Bryn Mawr College, and elsewhere, commenced his special study of Attic vases when attached to the party conducting the excavations of the Argive Heraeum in 1894 and 1895. He also took part in the expedition for excavating Cyrene, Northern Africa, in 1910 and 1911. In addition to being a contributor to periodicals on Greek art and Archeology, he has written several works on Attic vases, his latest one being a handbook of Attic Red Flowered Vases. The latter were created from 520 B. C. to 400 B. C. in the third period of the art, when figures were drawn in outline on red clay, and the background wholly filled in with shining black, the details being supplied by phosphate lines or dashes of purple and white.

Dr. Hoppin will speak on "Greek Vases" at the High School to-morrow evening.



### WHO CHANGED THE SABBATH

Pastor C. E. Wood Explains Interesting Prophecy to a Crowded House at Orange Hall

He said in part: "Twenty-four hundred and seventy-five years ago in the days of Belshazzar, the last King of Babylon, Daniel the prophet, was given a vision in which the rise and fall of earthly kingdoms was presented before him. In this vision by night, he saw four great beasts coming up in consecutive order from the sea. Dan. 7:1-3. The angel, in explaining the vision said: 'These great beasts, which are four, are four kinds, which shall arise out of the earth;' verse 17; and to show that the beasts symbolized not only the kings, but the kingdoms over which they ruled, the angel further explained: 'The fourth beast shall be the fourth kingdom upon earth. Verse 23. In the second chapter of Daniel, in the prophet's explanation of Nebuchadnezzar's dream, he said that there were to be but four universal kingdoms from the time of Daniel to the end of the world's history. Daniel was broken up into ten divisions. As Daniel considered this fourth beast, he witnessed a strange movement: a little horn coming up, and uprooting three of these ten horns. (Verse 8). The angel's explanation of this little horn is, that it would be a power that would arise after this kingdom was divided into ten parts; and that it would be divided from all kingdoms, and would subvert three of them. The king of this subdivision of Rome were civil rulers, so this other, to be diverse, would be an ecclesiastical power. There was an ecclesiastical power that arose among the ten divisions of Rome, at the very time indicated by the prophecy and in every detail; and that is the ecclesiastical power of the Papacy. Three of these horns were unwilling to submit to the authority of this powerful organization, and one after the other was overthrown, and uprooted, until the last, Ostragoths, the last opposing power, was overcome in 538 A. D. the date which marks the commencement of the Papacy. This power was so prominently in the Scriptures, when Papal Rome was the most powerful ecclesiastical organization in the world."

**A Change in God's Law Foretold.**

In verse 25, after mentioning the character and work of this power, the angel declared: 'He shall think to change times and laws; and shall set up the law of God; and shall attempt to raise himself above God.' This power is to exalt himself above God, and to attempt to raise himself above God. He might institute any number of ceremonies, he might prescribe any form of worship, he might exhibit any degree of power; but so long as God had requirements which the people felt bound to respect, and as long as he owned, so long he would not be above God. He might enact a law, and teach the people that they were under great obligations to obey it, and as the law of God; then he would only make himself equal with God. But he is to do more; he is to attempt to raise himself above God. The one must promulgate a law which conflicts with the law of God, and deprecate obedience to his own law in preference to God's law. There is no other possible way in which he could place himself in the position assigned in the prophecy. This is simply to change the law of God; and if he can cause this change to be adopted by the people, he is to attempt to raise himself above God. The original enactment, the law of God, is above God, the law-maker. And this is the very work that Daniel said the man who thought to do, 'shall attempt to raise himself above God.' Has the Papal Church fulfilled this prophecy? In answering this question, Mr. Wood directed attention to two commandments given by God to the ten commands as they were written by the finger of God on two tables of stone; and the other, the same law as it reads in the tablets of the Church, which made the change. In commenting upon the changes, which he said had been made, he said: "Two distinct changes have been made; first, the second commandment is eliminated, and the number kept at ten by dividing the tenth into two. When questioned concerning the reason for the omission of the second, our Catholic friends argue that there has been no violence done to the decalogue, as the second commandment is included in the first. Concerning the division of the tenth, they reason that in this precept there is a distinction of ideas, and they have placed the coveting of a man's wife in one command, and the coveting of his goods in another. By this reasoning they indicate that neither of these changes has been made with intention; but there is an intentional change, and this unquestionably is the one referred to in the prophecy."

**An Intentional Change.**  
"In 'A Doctrinal Catechism,' by Rev. Stephen Keenan, page 174, we read the following: 'Have you any other way of proving that the Church has power to institute festivals of precept? 'Ans.—Had she not such power, she could not have done that in which modern religions agree with her; she could not have substituted the observance of Sunday, the seventh day, a change for which there is no Scriptural authority.' Cardinal Gibbons, in his book, 'Faith of Our Fathers,' makes the following definite statement: 'You may read the Bible from Genesis to Revelation, and you will not find a single line authorizing the sanctification of Sunday. The Scriptures en-

force the religious observance of Saturday.'



(Commandments with Sunday put in the place of the seventh day command).

"God has just as faithful a people in the Catholic Church as He has among the Protestants; sincere Christians, who are living up to all the light they have, and who will not be condemned for unconscious transgression; but in these days when Christ's coming is right at hand, God desires these faithful ones to hear His message of truth. Listen to the instruction to His messengers in Isa. 68:1-2: 'Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet, and show My people their iniquities, and the house of Jacob their sins. Yet they seek Me daily. They take delight in approaching to God.' Even though they seek Me daily in prayer, and are anxious to do My will, tell them that they are doing something that is sin, and are not aware of it; and then in verses 12 and 13 of the same chapter He designates the sin in the most definite manner: 'Thou shalt be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of paths to dwell in. 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Acts as Prosecutor.—In the absence of Harrison, who is slightly indisposed, Acting Chief Palmer acted as city prosecutor to-day in the police court proceedings.

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Chamber of Commerce Plans Entertainment in Old Drill Hall
Plans for the entertainment of the Canadian Navy which will arrive here on Wednesday were discussed at the meeting of the Directors of the Chamber of Commerce at the meeting at noon to-day at the Dominion Hotel.

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Wholesalers Meet.—A meeting of the wholesalers of the city was held in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters at 4 o'clock this afternoon at which various matters affecting the interests of local business houses were discussed.
No Tail Lights.—In the Saanich Court to-day before Magistrate Jay two cases of leaving motor cars without the necessary tail lights after dark were called.

Fathers and Sons Banquet.—The Fathers and Sons of First Congregational Church held a banquet on Saturday night, at which about fifty fathers and sons attended.
Benefit Concert.—A benefit concert in aid of a fund to secure transportation to the Old Country for an old lady and infirm son will be given in Caledonia Hall, View Street, next Monday evening.

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Eleventh Canadian Machine Gun Brigade.—No. 1 Company will parade at 7.55 p.m. Dress, drill order.
Fairfield Church Choir.—The choir of Fairfield Methodist Church is getting busy for Eastertide, preparing an Easter Cantata entitled "The Crucified," by George B. Nevill, which will be given in the church at the Easter Sunday evening service.

BOYS' NAVAL BRIGADE
Supplementary Weekly Orders.
Thursday, March 10, 9.30 a.m.—1. Parade with bugle band at ship's office to proceed to Esquimalt for inspection by Capt. H. G. H. Adams, R.N., C.B.E.
2. The three ratings selected by the first lieutenant to proceed in the S.S. Algerine to Vancouver on Wednesday, March 3, should report at 2 p.m. on board the S.S. Algerine.

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# Times Latest Sporting News

## Senators and Varsity In Big Game To-night

### Fans Expect Local Champions to Get Off to Good Start in Series to Decide British Columbia Amateur Hockey Title-Holders; Both Teams Reported to Be in Best Shape; Great Crowd Expected.

Several thousand fans are expected at the arena to-night to watch the Senators and Varsity hockey teams battle in the first game of the British Columbia amateur championship and the right to be considered as a challenger for the Allan Cup.

The Varsity squad arrived here this afternoon and are in prime condition for the fray. A cellar team which can pull through a play-off and defeat the league leaders in an aggregation which must not be treated any too cheaply. The Senators in a measure feel relieved that they do not have to battle with the Towers, who defeated them last year, but any team which has sufficient speed and ability to defeat that sextette must be a real wonder.

### Look For Championship.

"I do not wish to brag, but I think we have a team which will bring a championship to Victoria," stated George Stralther, manager of the Senators, this morning. "I believe we have the best team that has ever represented Victoria in the play-off. Every man is in top form and ready to step the full distance at a fast pace. This will be the first real test that the Senators have had this season, and we will be able to judge the real calibre of the champions by their performance this evening. We are not undervaluing the prowess of Varsity, but we are confident that we will win."

### Varsity Well Primed.

The Varsity boys are keen on going home to-night with this game. They have spared no effort to be in top form for the struggle, and like most Varsity athletes have plenty of time to condition themselves.

### Play in Vancouver Friday.

The second game in the series will be played in Vancouver on Friday night. The team which scored the greatest number of goals will be awarded the Savage Cup, emblematic of the championship of British Columbia.

### The Teams.

Senators: Goal, W. Broadfoot; Defenders, L. D. Wainwright, Burnett, R. D. Plummer; Forwards, D. L. Hunter, D. J. Wilson, H. Morrison, Smith, D. Utility, Shields; Market, Utility, Tierman.

### Varsity Wins Again.

Vancouver, March 7.—Members of the University of British Columbia senior hockey team continued their winning streak on Saturday at the local arena when they defeated the visiting University of Washington team by the score of 5 to 2 in the second game of the two-game series arranged between the rival student squads.

## Schedule for P. I. Ball League Still Incomplete

Tacoma, March 7.—After wrestling with the 1921 playing schedule for several hours, Pacific International League directors and officials adjourned last night. While the bigger part of the schedule was taken care of, Secretary Leo Hartnett reported that the work was still incomplete and it will be several days before the dates are given to the public.

### Open Here May 10.

The Yakima and Victoria opening dates are set for Tuesday, May 10, with Tacoma opposing the Victoria team. The British Columbia city and Vancouver playing at Yakima. Holiday dates are not definite as yet. It is practically certain that Tacoma and Yakima, the American cities, will be at home on Decoration Day. Tacoma and Yakima will, of course, play on the Canadian side of the line on Queen Victoria's Birthday (May 24) and Dominion Day, July 1.

### Sunday Games.

The law that prohibits baseball in Victoria and Vancouver will give Tacoma and Yakima a flock of Sunday engagements. There is also a possibility of double-headers being scheduled for Sundays.

### Everton's Defeat At Home Saturday Soccer Surprise

London, March 7.—(By Canadian Associated Press).—The biggest surprise of the Association football English cup fourth round games was the defeat of Everton at home by Wolverhampton before 33,000 spectators. Edmunds scored for the visitors within 11 minutes. Everton never looked like equalizing, for when clear openings were presented to them, there was always blind shooting. Wolverhampton certainly did not show science at all times, but they accomplished a victory with only a tenth of the chances given to their opponents.

### LAST RUGBY HONOR GOES TO VANCOUVER

Centrals in Better Condition Than Local Intermediate and Win by 11-6

Victoria has lost every rugby cup and championship to Vancouver. The Centrals failed in the senior series, and although great hope was held out for the local intermediates to triumph over the Centrals of Vancouver last Saturday, they nevertheless lost by a score of 11 points to 6. As a result the intermediate rugby laurels are now also in the possession of Vancouver.

### SELECTING EASTERN HOCKEY CHALLENGERS

Elimination Series for Allan Cup Will Get Under way in Toronto To-night

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### MANITOBA FARM BOYS WIN HOCKEY LAURELS

Winnipeg, March 7.—Poplar Point, a team made up of farmer boys, won the intermediate hockey championship of Manitoba here Saturday night by defeating Minnedosa, 2 to 1, in the final. The winners meet Brandon here Tuesday night for the right to defend the Allan cup.

## Eddie Oatman Not to Play Again This Year

### Capitals Received Terrible Shock When Doctor Said Brilliant Captain Must Hang Up His Skates and Stick; Patrick Boys Leave For Vancouver Determined to Fight to Last Ditch.

Eddie Oatman, captain of the Capitals, will be unable to strap on his skates and partake in another hockey game this season, according to an announcement made this morning by Dr. Grant, medico of the Victoria Hockey Club. It has been discovered that the base of Eddie's spine has been more seriously injured than at first reported, and the beautiful little right wing player will have to watch the remaining games of the schedule from the side-lines.

### ONE OF SENATORS' STAR DEFENCE MEN

Harry Meeking who is at present at the height of his playing career. Harry has the ability to play stellar hockey and in the last few games he has been stepping about the ice like a cyclone.

### Hurt While Trying.

It was while driving in the third period on Friday night that Eddie lost his feet and collided with the goal-post. He was carried off the ice and was under the care of the physician for the rest of the period. Despite the entreaties of his club-mates not to get up, Eddie labored over to a corner and laced on his shoes. He wobbled out on to the ice for the overtime and made one rush and then toppled over to the penalty bench where he was hoisted from the ice and carried back to the dressing room.

### Meeking Gets Chance.

Oatman's place will be taken by Harry Meeking who is at present at the height of his playing career. Harry has the ability to play stellar hockey and in the last few games he has been stepping about the ice like a cyclone.

### CHRIST CHURCH TOO SLOW FOR CRUSADERS

Teams Now in Tie for Third Place in Senior League; Bays Intermediates Win

Christ Church's flashy basketball team got a knock on the top of the napper at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening when the Crusaders defeated them by 49-34 in a Senior "A" fixture of the Sunday School Basketball League. The large crowd of spectators was provided with many thrills as the game was one of the tightest played this season.

### CANADIENS RUDELY JOLTED BY OTTAWA

St. Pats and Frenchmen Meet To-night to Decide Leadership

### V. I. A. BASKETBALL.

Five basketball games are to be played this evening at the V. I. A. gymnasium, Victoria West, commencing at 7:30 sharp.

### QUEEN'S BEAT VARSITY

Toronto, March 7.—Queen's University defeated University of Toronto intermediates Saturday afternoon, 3 to 1, in the first of home-and-home games.

### Wests Unlucky and Lose Out to Mets

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### VICTORIA FAILS TO SAVE HOCKEY TITLE

Vancouver Wins British Columbia Championship After Close Game

### QUEEN'S BEAT VARSITY

Toronto, March 7.—Queen's University defeated University of Toronto intermediates Saturday afternoon, 3 to 1, in the first of home-and-home games.

### OAK BAY GOLF NOTES.

The following was the result of the sixth monthly competition held at Oak Bay on Saturday: E. A. Burton, 3 up; J. R. Matson, 2 up. There were twenty-eight entries. The competition was match play against par.

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# at the Theatre

## THEME OF TWINS IS CENTRAL THREAD

### Two Brothers Change Places in "Not Guilty" at Royal

The attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre all this week is "Not Guilty," a Sidney A. Franklin production, presented by Albert A. Kaufman and released by Associated First National Pictures, Inc.

In it appear Sylvia Breamer as Elsa Chetwood, Richard Dix as Paul and Arthur Ellison, Molly Malone as Margy Ellison, Elinor Hancock as Mrs. Ellison, Herbert Prior as Newell Craig, Lloyd Whitlock as Frank Malloy, Charles West as Herbert Welch, and Alice Forbes as Virginia Caldwell. Here is a brief summary of the plot:

Paul Ellison, the son of wealthy parents, while supervising a railroad through the heart of the Adirondacks, has met and fallen in love with Elsa Chetwood. While out riding Elsa's horse is startled by the shock of an explosion and bolts. Paul spurs his horse after her and just catches up with Elsa as her horse plunges over the cliff. He snatches her from the saddle and as she lies in his arms with closed eyes he talks feverishly to her of his love. She becomes conscious of what he is saying, and pulls away from him, telling him she is already engaged to be married.

Paul returns to the bungalow where

- AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY**
- Royal—"Not Guilty."
  - Dominion—"The Frontier of the Stars."
  - Pantages—"So Long, Letty."
  - Columbia—"The Heart of Texas Ryan."
  - Variety—"Flying Pat."
  - Romano—"The False Road."
  - Princess—"What Money Couldn't Buy."
  - Cabaret—"Winter Garden."

his mother and sister are, and as he enters finds his twin brother, Arthur, there. Arthur tells Paul he is fleeing from justice, having murdered a man. Years previously, when the two men were lads, Paul accidentally shot his brother. After Arthur had been operated on the doctor warned them that it might leave an intermittent weakness in the boy's mind. Paul remembering, decides that his is responsible for what has happened and changes places with Arthur.

Five years later Elsa Chetwood is still unmarried. She meets Paul's young sister, Margy, at the hotel and is introduced to Arthur (now posing as Paul). Friendship turns to love. Arthur and Elsa become engaged. Elsa decides to take a trip and accompanied by Margy, leaves for the Orient.

Meanwhile Paul, who has a parrot for a pet, tires of the Orient and de-

clines to return to America. While on the wharf awaiting his steamer a fight occurs between two coolies. Paul separates them but the fight has drawn the passengers to the boat-rail. Elsa asks the purser to introduce her to Paul.

## THOMAS MEIGHAN AT THE DOMINION

Star of "Frontier of the Stars" Travels Much

"The world's greatest commuting star." That is the undisputed title Thomas Meighan, Paramount's magnetic star, won for himself when he made a hurried trip from the Lasky studio in Hollywood, Cal., to the New York studio, to work in "The Frontier of the Stars," which will be the attraction at the Dominion Theatre this week. With the establishment of West and East studios by most film companies, it has become common for stars to travel back and forth, but none do it with such frequency as Mr. Meighan.

Somehow it has been Mr. Meighan's fate to have stories that alternated between locales of the two extremes of the country, so the only thing to do was to give the star a dressing room at each studio, and have his suit case always in readi-

### AT DOMINION ALL WEEK



Thomas Meighan in "The Frontier of the Stars" A Paramount Picture

ness for a trans-continental journey. Fate, always on hand with Mr. Meighan, ordained it that immediately upon completion of "The Frontier of the Stars," he was called right back to the West Coast to do "Easy Street." That completed, Mr.

### Meighan again made a flying trip to New York as the East was the locale of his latest story.

## HUSBANDS LOSE OUT IN "SO LONG LETTY"

Pantages Has Breezy Film Offering; Quartette of Artists

One of the best Robertson-Cole super-special releases of the year is "So Long Letty," the comedy-drama produced by Al Christie, which will begin a run of two days at Pantages Theatre to-day. The picture is the screen adaptation of the Oliver Morosco play of the same name which established an enviable record on the legitimate stage during the last five seasons.

The picture was made in the Hollywood studios outside of Los Angeles by Mr. Christie so that everything in both productions are alike in detail and none of the fine points of the play as originally put on, are lost in the picture.

As a photo-play, "So Long Letty" has one of the most capable casts seen in any picture this season. The four principal characters call for artists of ability and in "So Long Letty" there are four beautiful bathing girls in the picture, Mr. Christie believing that water, either as a part of a picture setting or otherwise, is useless unless you put something worth while in it.

Throughout the story of "Letty" matters become mixed, muddled and fixed in the most surprising manner. The two husbands depict the home loving and the gay dog types. The two wives differ in about the same manner. It so happens the gay dog is married to the home body wife while the hubby of the fireside and carpet slippers has the consort who loves the jazz bands and the creations of a Fifth Avenue modiste.

The difference in temperament leads to all sorts of comedy and discussion with the result the men decide to swap wives. The women are called into conference and they agree with the men in order to teach them a lesson. A trial of one week is demanded by the women before taking up the business of divorce. The trial week follows and so does some of the most interesting situations ever seen in pictures.

### AUDIENCE GIVES TO HELP NURSES

Following a moving appeal by Lady Martin Harvey (Miss N. D. de Silva) the audience which packed the Royal Victoria Theatre Saturday night to see Sir John Martin Harvey's production of "The Burgomaster of Stilemonde" contributed \$434 to be used to assist English

# ROYAL TO-NIGHT

## AND ALL THIS WEEK

PRESENTS

# "Not Guilty"

FROM THE WELL-KNOWN STORY "PARROTT & CO.," BY HAROLD MacGRATH

## Suddenly in the Night

—when he thought the whole world had forgotten him.  
—when India's stars, blinking down through the purple night, saw white man fighting black in the shadows where the jungles touched the sea—

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Sylvia Breamer in "Not Guilty"

## You Will Like This Picture

USUAL PRICES—COMEDY—CONTINUOUS 2-11 P. M.

# DOMINION All the Week



THE man had sprung from the gutter. Gangster, gunfighter, spawn of a great city's slums.  
The girl, an invalid, lived on a roof-top. Below her, the roar of the world. Above her, the stars, the infinite blue and the God of her innocent faith.  
One day the man, pursued by police, rushed into her lonely life.  
What comes after that—your heart will cherish always.  
From the Wonderful Story by Albert Payson Terhune

## JESSE L. LASKY PRESENTS THOMAS MEIGHAN in A CHARLES MARGNE PRODUCTION "The Frontier of the Stars" A Paramount Picture

SUNSHINE COMEDY "DANGEROUS EYES"—FOX NEWS—  
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# So Long Letty

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TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW—CONTINUOUS 2 TO 11











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SEIZURE OF LOADS OF COAL URGED But B. C. Coal Commission Lacks Power

Vancouver, March 7.—Numerous allegations of short weighing in local coal deliveries, accompanied by a request to Commissioner Alex. Henderson that he immediately order the seizure of every coal wagon on the streets of Vancouver for the purpose of examining and weighing their contents, featured this morning's session of the provincial coal inquiry.

"I doubt if I have the power to order such a thing; in fact I am almost sure I have not. We have two learned King's Counselors present and they will probably bear me out," declared the Commissioner.

RAILWAY DIRECTORS RUN TRAIN WHILE MEN ON STRIKE

Birmingham, Ala., March 7.—Directors of the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railway managed to-day the first mail train sent over the line since it was tied up by a strike last week.

WHEAT IN FRANCE.

Paris, March 7.—The price of the 1920 wheat crop will be maintained at 100 francs, it is officially announced.

Announcements

- Announcements under this heading will be inserted at the rate of 5c per word per issue. After the Show—Poodle Dog Cafe, 615 Yates Street.

FEED PRICES STILL SHOW DECLINE

Rapid Return to Normalcy in Grain; Other Retail Prices The retail prices show a considerable change in the feed prices to-day. Barley and ground barley have taken a big drop, the former being down to \$50 a ton, while ground barley has dropped to \$52.

Table with columns: Item, Price. Includes Carrots, Turnips, Alfalfa, etc.

During an interview T. Gauchi, when asked concerning the evacuation of Siberia by Japanese Imperial troops, stated it was the expectation of the Japanese public generally that the first stages of evacuation would take place within three weeks.

ENGLISH VOTERS ELECT LABORITE

London, March 7.—Another labor gain is reported in the Penistone (Yorkshire West) riding by election, the result of which was announced to-day.

RESIST PLAN FOR LONGER WORK DAY

Chicago, March 7.—The Chicago Federation of Labor has pledged its resources, "moral and financial," to the 200,000 workers in the packing house industry in their determination to resist to the last ditch the breaking down of the eight-hour day.

ANTI-RED GROUPS START MOVEMENT IN SIBERIAN FIELD

Tokyo, March 6.—According to travelers from Chita, seat of the Bolshevik Far Eastern Republic in Siberia, an anti-Soviet movement has been started by troops and peasants in the interior of the republic, says a dispatch to The Jiji Shimpo from Vladivostok to-day.

COW CAUSE OF SHOOTING AFFRAY

Fort Arthur, Ont., March 7.—David Siddall walked into the police station yesterday and reported that he had shot and wounded a man named Kirkpatrick at Hurlert, thirty miles east of here.

STRIKE THREATENED

New York, March 7.—Members of the Tidewater Boatmen's Union, affiliated with the International Longshoremen's Association, have voted to strike here Thursday.

A HOPELESS CASE

"You're looking poorly, old chap. Why don't you go and see a doctor?" "I did. I saw one this morning."

News of Markets and Finance

FOREIGN NEWS EFFECTS MARKET

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.) New York, March 7.—The stock market while holding fairly well during the morning session, lost all the ground it had gained during the afternoon market. The news from abroad to the effect that the Allied troops have been ordered to march into new German territory Tuesday caused the bear element to sell freely throughout the session.

Table with columns: Item, High, Low, Last. Includes Allis-Chalmers, Am. Beet Sugar, etc.

Chicago, March 7.—The grain market moments when extreme weakness was shown and especially during the last few days had a weak undertone throughout today's session. The foreign situation is being watched very closely and the latest news that Foch has left for the Rhine is causing much speculation as to the next move to make.

Table with columns: Item, Bid, Asked. Includes Athabasca Oils, Boreas Copper, etc.

Winnipeg, March 7.—The local wheat market, after acting strong during the greater part of the session, broke during the last 30 minutes and fell away over 2 cents from the high of the morning.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE WEAKENS AT CLOSE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.) New York sterling, \$3.31. Canadian sterling, \$4.45. New York funds, 1 1/4 per cent. New York silver, domestic, 99 3/4c.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKET

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London, March 7.—Bar silver, 7 1/4d. per ounce. Money, 1 1/2 per cent. Discount, 6 per cent. Short bills, 7 per cent. Three months' bills, 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 per cent.

Bremen, March 7.—The shareholders of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company have voted an annual dividend for 1919 and 1920 of eight per cent, and approved an increase in the company's capital stock of 250,000,000 marks.

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