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## FIERCE CONFLICT RAGES ON THE AISNE

### Map of Europe After War to Be Re-drawn Upon National Lines

#### First Lord of the Admiralty in Assuring Italy of Its Safety With Britain and France, Deals With Issues of Conflict

London, Sept. 26.—Considerable interest and no little controversy have been aroused by an interview recently given by the First Lord of the Admiralty, Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, to the London correspondent of the Giornale d'Italia of Rome.

The interview seems likely to play a large part in the eventual discussion arising out of the war, as it foreshadows the basis upon which the map of Europe will be altered at the close of the war.

The correspondent asked what impression was made in the United Kingdom and upon the British government by the Italian declaration of neutrality. Mr. Churchill answered: "We always thought it was impossible for Italy to fight with Austria or to fight against Britain, and in all the admiralty arrangements for the Mediterranean since I have been here, we have always acted on the certainty that Italy would be neutral, and measured our naval force only against Austria."

"There has been a great deal of talk in Italy at the possibility of active intervention by Italy in case of a change in the Adriatic situation," the correspondent said. "Is there any probability of a change in the Adriatic situation in consequence of the Franco-British naval operations?"

"You see," said Mr. Churchill, "the naval situation in the Adriatic is rather like that in the North Sea. The Austrian fleet is in hiding. It lies hidden in its hole, and until it is convenient to dig it out it is difficult to give a decision. I do not see how any change in the Adriatic situation would result from naval operations, but the great changes that will come will result from the collapse of Austria on land. The greatest feature yet apparent in the course of the war is the collapse of Austria as a military factor. That collapse appears to be irrevocable, and that is a tremendous event in the history of the world."

"Do you think it probable that there will be a possibility of such an arrangement as will give a guarantee to the position of Italy and leave her free from any fears of hostile predominance?"

"I think the great events of this war that will affect Italy are taking place on land rather than on sea. Italy would have nothing to apprehend, navally, from the victory of Britain and France. She would always be strong enough to deal with Austria on the sea, unless, of course, victorious Germany came to the aid of Austria. If Germany succeeded in the war and the British power were broken, Germany could, of course, send as many ships as she liked to join the Austrian fleet and could send them much quicker than Italy could build them. But still, I repeat, that for Italy this is primarily an affair of the land rather than of the sea."

"There appears to be this moment," said the correspondent, "danger of an Islamic movement in the north of Africa promoted by Germany that would eventually menace British, Italian and French interests equally on the northern shore of the Mediterranean. Do you think it possible that on this basis there would be room for an agreement between the three chief Mediterranean powers?"

"The great issues of the war," Mr. Churchill replied, "are in Europe, and not in Africa; and if they can be satisfactorily regulated as far as Europe is concerned, Africa is an easy matter."

"The argument is put forward by a few that there has hitherto been no decisive engagement between the German and British fleets, and consequently they regard this as a success. Do you think there is any foundation for this belief, and is the fact that the German fleet still remains in being in any way likely to affect the outcome of the war?"

"A great battle on the sea has not yet been fought, but though it has not been fought, we enjoy as great a command of the sea and as free use of seapower as we would have after a decisive engagement," said Mr. Churchill.

"What is there, for instance, that we could do that we are not doing now? German trade has ceased; German supplies have been largely strangled; British trade is in all essentials going on the same; the materials of industry and food of the people are entering the country daily in vast quantities at commercial prices. We are moving scores of thousands of our men across all the oceans of the world. Our submarines are blockading the very throat of the Elbe."

"We started with a substantial naval preponderance, much more like two to one than sixteen to ten. In the next twelve months we shall have twice as many battleships completed and three or four times as many cruisers as Germany. If the losses were even equal, our position at this time next year will be far stronger than it is to-day. You must remember that none of the ships built in my terms of office, except the small cruisers, Arctus, have been commissioned yet. These are the most powerful and most expensive ships that ever have been built. They are the fruit of the greatest naval effort Britain has ever made. They are all coming up."

"We have always regarded the first month of war as our most difficult and most critical month from the na-

### AUSTRIA MAY FAIL TO PAY DIVIDENDS ON NATIONAL BONDS

Venice, Sept. 25.—Via Paris, Sept. 25, 9:40 a.m.—A telegram from Vienna states that the minister of finance is considering the question of payment of the coupons of Austrian rentes, due October 1, to holders in France and the United Kingdom. In view of the action, it is said, taken by those countries regarding the payment of debts due in Austria, it is expected the minister will withhold the payments.

The first case of Asiatic cholera has been officially announced in Vienna. It was the case of a wounded officer brought from Galicia. The patient had been isolated, and it is reported that he is recovering. There are a large number of cases of dysentery in the capital.

The military commander at Sarajevo, capital of Bosnia, has forbidden all ingress and egress without special passports.

### GERMAN TERRITORY IN AFRICA OCCUPIED

#### South African Troops and French Gunboat Have Successes Against Enemy

London, Sept. 26.—7:37 a. m.—A Capetown dispatch to Reuters says that a union defence force occupied Luderitzbucht, in German Southwest Africa, on September 19. The German garrison had previously retreated, blowing up the railway and destroying the wireless installation but otherwise leaving the place intact.

Bordeaux, Sept. 25.—11:55 a. m.—The ministry of marine announces to-day that the French gunboat Surprise, on September 21, took possession of Coco Beach, in Kamerun, the German colony in Western Equatorial Africa.

Coco Beach is at the entrance of the Muni river, which flows into the sea in Corisco Bay. This territory was ceded to Germany as a result of the Franco-German agreement of 1911.

Previous to landing her marines, who dislodged the German troops on shore, the Surprise, a vessel of 650 tons, unarmored and carrying ten small guns, sunk two vessels belonging to the German auxiliary fleet, the Rhos and the Italo.

### GENERAL ALDERSON TO LEAD CANADIANS

#### Distinguished Soldier Understood to Have Been Selected for Chief Command

London, Sept. 26.—The Canadian Associated Press is reliably informed this afternoon that the command of the Canadian contingent has been given to Major-General Edwin Alfred Hervey Alderson, C. B.

Major-General Alderson, who is in his fifty-fifth year, has had a notable career, and is credited with being a most popular officer. He commanded the mounted infantry in South Africa and was several times mentioned in dispatches. He served in the mounted infantry in the Boer war in 1881, in Egypt in 1882 including the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, in the Nile expedition in 1884-5, in the Mashonaland campaign and in India.

From Ottawa comes the announcement of the appointment of commanding officers of the various brigades. The infantry brigades will be commanded by Lieut.-Col. R. E. W. Turner, D. S. O., V. C., commander of the 23rd Scottish Light Dragoons, Waterloo, Que., who won his V. C. in South Africa; Lieut.-Col. M. S. Mercer, commander of the 2nd Regiment Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto; Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, commander of the 50th Regiment, Gordon Highlanders, Victoria, B. C.; Lieut.-Col. J. E. Cohoe, commander of the 5th Infantry Brigade, Niagara Falls.

The artillery brigade will be commanded by Lieut.-Col. H. E. Burstall, commander of the Royal Canadian Artillery. Lieut.-Col. A. C. Macdonnell, D. S. O., Winnipeg, will command the Strathcona Horse, and Lieut.-Col. C. M. Nelles, an officer in the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Toronto, will command the Royal Canadian Dragoons.

### POINCARÉ'S COUNTRY HOME MADE A TARGET

Bordeaux, Sept. 25, 4:15 p. m.—The Germans are paying marked attention to the homes of President Poincaré and the members of his family.

The president's country home at San Pizny, in the department of Meuse, 23 miles south of Verdun, was bombed with special violence yesterday, according to news received here by the French government.

### RUSSIAN SUCCESSES HAVE COMPLETELY ISOLATED PRZEMYSL

London, Sept. 25.—10:50 a. m.—The fall of the town of Khyrov, telegraphs the Petrograd correspondent of the Evening News, completely isolates the Austrian fortified position of Przemyśl, as regards railroad communication. Khyrov is 20 miles south of Przemyśl and close to the junction of several railroad lines.

New York, Sept. 26.—Gol Golejewski, military attaché of the Russian embassy, issued to-day the following statement which he received from his government at Petrograd: "On September 23 we repulsed the attempts of the advance guard of the Germans to penetrate further to the east in the province of Suwalki. Near Schuttkin and Vincent our advance troops have been successfully engaged with the enemy. In Western Galicia no fighting of importance has taken place. The Austrian army which has been forced to evacuate Chyrow has continued in retreat."

### BERLIN IS SHUT OUT FROM NEWS OF WORLD

#### Kaiser Fears Effect Upon His Subjects of Truth of German Excesses

Berlin, Sept. 25, via London, 3:30 p. m.—The cutting of German submarine cables, the censorship and the exclusion of foreign papers from the empire have resulted in shutting out from Germany virtually all news of the outside world.

For the last three days the Berlin newspapers have been carrying full descriptions of the architecture of the Rheims cathedral and the damage inflicted, while in the last sixteen days only three places have been specifically mentioned in the government war bulletins. These are Noyon, Rheims and Chateau Brimont.

### COTTON CARGO ON FIRE

New York, Sept. 25.—Sixteen hundred bales of cotton in the lower hold of the White Star liner Cretic caught fire this morning as the vessel lay at her pier under steam and ready to weigh anchor for Genoa.

### FORMIDABLE BRITISH HEAVY ARTILLERY



This gun, a type of what is known as the siege howitzer, is not only of service in reducing fortresses or strongly held fortified positions, but is often employed against bodies of the enemy's troops, and for clearing away strong natural or artificial obstacles which could not properly be dealt with by field artillery. In the battle now proceeding along the Aisne guns of this type have done excellent service.

## DECISIVE RESULTS STILL IN BALANCE ON BATTLE FRONT

### Allies Acting Vigorously on the Offensive at all Points — Slight German Advances Have Been Repelled With Heavy Loss to Enemy—Struggle Continues With Great Violence in Northern Area.

London, Sept. 26, 5:15 p. m.—The official press bureau this afternoon issued a statement reading as follows:

"There has been much activity on the part of the enemy all along the line (in France).

"Some heavy counter attacks have been repulsed and a considerable loss has been inflicted on the enemy."

Paris, Sept. 26, 8 a. m.—For fourteen days the battle of the Aisne has continued practically without cessation, and still Paris awaits news of some decisive results.

Here and there, according to the official communications, the line has given way to one side or the other, but the importance of these incidents, if any, or the final result has not become apparent. The latest French official statement mentions several such movements.

On the French left wing, northwest of Noyon, where the French apparently have been trying to outflank the German right, the advanced French troops, it is announced, were compelled to give a little ground, having come into contact with superior forces.

Fresh troops were brought up, however, and the French offensive was vigorously resumed. The communication says the struggle in this region has become extremely violent.

Similarly, on the heights of the Meuse, the Germans have had successes, but they have not succeeded, the French communication says, in effectively crossing the river. The French report, however, that on their right wing the Germans have begun to give way to attacks coming from Nancy and Toul, while in the southern region of the Woevre, the enemy has also retired, but the action continues.

Following is the text of the communication: "First, on our left wing, between the Somme and the Oise, the battle continues very violently. Between the river Oise and Soissons our troops have advanced slightly. The enemy has not attempted an attack.

"Between Soissons and Rheims there has been no important changes in the situation.

"Second, on the centre between Rheims and Verdun the situation is also unchanged. In the Woevre region the enemy has been able to cross the river Meuse in the vicinity of St. Michael, but the offensive taken by our troops already has, to a large extent, thrown him back on the river.

"To the south of the Woevre region our attacks have not ceased to progress. The fourteenth German army corps have fallen back after having suffered great losses.

"Third, on our right wing (in Lorraine and in the Vosges) the effective German forces seem to have been reduced. These detachments which had, at certain points, driven back our advance posts, have been repulsed by the entrance into action of our reserves.

"In the Russian zone the Russians have captured Rzeszow, on the railroad leading to Cracow, and have also taken two fortified positions to the north and south of Przemyśl.

"In Poland the Germans appear to have fortified themselves to the north of Kalisz."

### AIRMEN'S SCOUTING IS PERILOUS DUTY

Paris, Sept. 25, 8:35 a. m.—An aviator who has just returned from the front tells of the difficulty encountered by the flying men on reconnaissance duty. He said:

"We are obliged to fly at a height of about one mile and a quarter, which makes observation difficult, as small objects, even with the aid of the strongest glasses, assume unfamiliar shapes.

"If we fly under that height we are greeted by a hail of rifle fire, which is far more effective than cannon. We fear the rifles more than the bursting shrapnel, as the fire of the regiments, concentrated on a single object, is far more deadly."

### HOSPITAL OFFERED ITALY

Rome, Sept. 25.—10:20 p. m. via Paris, Sept. 25.—9:15 a. m.—The Freemasons have offered the government the palace here, in which they have their quarters, one of the largest in Rome, for hospital use in case of war. The minister of war, in reply, said he would remember the kind offer in case of a general mobilization.

### KRUPP FACTORY IS GOING DAY AND NIGHT

Edinburgh, Scotland, Sept. 25, 3:51 p. m.—A Scotch woman, who has returned here from Germany, where she has been staying with friends at Essen, relates that work is going on at the Krupp gun factory feverishly day and night. The gun and ammunition departments alone are being operated, and these keep 43,000 men constantly employed.

This woman relates that foreign spies are numerous, and that one day 14 Russians dressed as women were shot.

She says food is abundant in Essen, and some of it is even cheaper than before the war.

### WATCHERS OF THE TRAILS

New York, Sept. 25.—The British auxiliary cruiser that used to be the Cunarder Caronia continued to-day the strict watch she kept yesterday at the door of New York. She lay as if at anchor off the Hook. Her companion of yesterday, the British cruiser Lancaster, had weighed anchor during the night, however, and was not to be seen.

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**LATE NIGHT WAR NEWS**

**STUPENDOUS BRAVERY OF BRITISH SOLDIERS**

Laughed, Sang and Cracked Jokes While Facing Deadly Hail of Bullets

New York, Sept. 26.—A tale of warfare from the British camp in France, vivid with description of the way the British forces faced death on the battlefield, of the jokes they cracked and the prayers they said with the bullets sweeping their ranks, was brought to New York by Rev. James Moller, Trenton, N. J., who served as chaplain for several weeks with one of the British regiments in France, and returned home on the Mauretania.

"In a modern battle there is an overpowering sense of unreality," he said. "The business of seeing men kill each other seems mechanical because of the preponderance of the machine element in the affair. The human element simply bleeds and dies, but the machines continue in their perfection of slaughter."

"The conduct of the Scotch, English and Irish soldiers in the trenches was surprising. There those men stood behind shoulder-high mounds of earth facing level sprays of death in front, yet cracking jokes and singing snatches of music-hall ballads between volleys. Stupendous bravery I call it, or stupendous absence of nerves."

"I have heard men under the crashing fire of the terrible German guns, and with comrades dropping all about them, quite in roaring 'The Long Road to Tipperary' as if they were in the barracks. Sometimes I'd hear a big Irishman call out to a neighbor in the trenches 'Well, I winged that Dutchman all right.' The business of killing, with them, seemed personal and to partake somewhat of a sporting event."

"But how the Germans did pound that British line at night! They came on and on, and never stopping, never retreating. The German commanders threw their men into the face of the British fire with absolute recklessness, counting on the sheer weight of numbers to overwhelm us. To see these German lines move forward through glass was like watching regiments of toy soldiers pushing across a table."

"The facts concerning the sinking of the cruisers are contained in the admiralty statement. The reports of Commanders Nicholson, of the Cressy and Norton, of the Hogue, state that the Aboukir was hit by one torpedo and sunk in 35 minutes. Three torpedoes were fired at the Cressy, one of the explosives missing narrowly. She lasted from 35 to 45 minutes. The Hogue was struck twice, ten to twenty seconds elapsing between the torpedoes, and went under in five minutes.

**LOSS OF OFFICERS ABNORMALLY HIGH**

London, Sept. 26.—London papers this morning contain, outside of the official communications, no dispatches from abroad referring to operations, or in any way indicative of the character of the operations in progress. "The Times" military correspondent confines himself to a discussion of the need of training officers, pointing out that in a month of fighting England has lost about 1,100 officers killed, wounded and missing; that is, nearly two officers out of every five. All testimony has shown that the Germans have suffered equally in regard to officers. Last night's casualty list contains the names of six officers previously reported wounded who have died since of their wounds. Nine other officers have been wounded and four officers of the medical corps are missing.

**IMMENSE SAVING BY POLICING OF THE SEA**

London, Sept. 26.—The Naval and Military Record publishes an interesting calculation showing what would have been the cost to Great Britain had prices risen owing to any failure of the British navy to control the enemy's fleet. The average expenditure per head per week is reckoned at \$1, which is thought a moderate estimate. With a population of 45,000,000 the increase would represent an extra expenditure for food, manufactured goods and clothing of \$60,000,000 a week. Therefore, according to the Naval and Military Record, the navy has saved the nation about \$420,000,000.



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**SPLENDID DISCIPLINE ON BOARD SUNKEN CRUISERS**

Appalling Suddenness of Disaster Did Not Shake the Nerve of Crews—Heroism Displayed in Rescue—Death List Heavy One

London, Sept. 26.—It was officially announced last night that nearly sixty officers and 1,400 men were lost in the sinking of the British cruisers Aboukir, Hogue and Cressy in the North Sea. No fresh news has been received at the admiralty concerning the officers who were unaccounted for, and who, it now must be presumed, lost their lives. They include:

- Aboukir—Lieut. B. H. Bradford, Lieut. Oscar Tizer, Engineer Lieutenant Thomas Harrison, Lieut. S. A. Deane, Lieut. J. G. Watson, Engineer Commander A. F. Everitt, Capt. of Royal Marines C. Fields, Chaplain Rev. K. G. Robson, Surgeon H. J. Hopps, First Paymaster F. W. Roome.
- Cressy—Captain R. W. Johnson, Lieut.-Commander Watkins Grubb, Lieut.-Commander B. M. Harvey, Lieut.-Commander E. P. Gabbett, Lieut. S. Wise, Lieut. Royal Naval Reserves S. P. Bennett, Lieut. Royal Naval Reserves P. A. G. Kell, Engineer Lieutenant Commander H. G. Gazebrook, Engineer Lieutenant Commander F. C. Haydon, Paymaster H. D. Ward, Surgeon Royal Naval Volunteers A. E. Turnbull.
- Hogue—Lieut.-Commander Clive Phillips-Wolley already reported lost; Lieut.-Commander H. E. D. Rennick, Lieut. Royal Naval Reserves E. P. J. Timney.

The admiralty, publishing the reports of the senior surviving officers of the cruisers Aboukir, Hogue and Cressy, lays down the rule that military dispositions and interests must take precedence over the saving of life in such cases, and that ships must be left to their own resources as they would be in battle.

Discipline Maintained. The facts concerning the sinking of the cruisers are contained in the admiralty statement.

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The Cressy fired on the submarine, and some of the officers were confident that some of the shots sunk her. Commander Nicholson says that the three torpedoes directed against his ship might have been fired by the same submarine, and that there is no real proof that more than one was engaged. The reports show that the strictest discipline was maintained, and that acts of heroism were performed, but the admiralty has established the rule that such affairs must be governed by the same laws as prevail in naval actions, and that disabled ships must be left to their own resources rather than that other ships should be jeopardized by rescue work. The statement follows:

Reports From Officers. The facts of this affair cannot be better conveyed to the public than by the attached reports of the senior officers who have survived and have landed in England.

The sinking of the Aboukir was, of course, an ordinary hazard of patrolling duty. The Hogue and the Cressy, however, were sunk because they proceeded to the assistance of their consort and remained with engines stopped, endeavoring to save life, thus presenting an easy and certain target to further submarine attack.

The report on sinking of the Cressy, signed by Bertram W. L. Nicholson, late commander of H. M. S. Cressy, follows: "Sir,—I have the honor to submit the following report in connection with the sinking of the H. M. S. Cressy in company with H. M. S. Aboukir and Hogue on the morning of the 22nd of September while on patrol duty: "The Aboukir was struck at about 6.25 a. m. on the starboard beam. The Hogue and the Cressy had taken up positions, the Hogue ahead of the Cressy about 400 yards on her port bow. As soon as it was seen that the Aboukir was in danger of sinking all the boats were sent away from the Cressy and a picket boat was hoisted out without steam up. When cutters full of the Aboukir's men were returning to the Cressy the Hogue was struck apparently under the aft 8.2 magazine, as a very heavy explosion took place immediately. Almost directly after the Hogue was hit, we observed a periscope on our port bow about 300 yards off.

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the starboard and remained steady. The time was 7.15 a. m. All the watertight doors, deadlights and scuttles had been securely closed before the torpedo struck the ship. All the mess stools and all available limber below and on deck had been previously got up and thrown over the side for the saving of life.

Rescue by Trawler. "A second torpedo fired by the same submarine missed and passed about ten feet astern. About a quarter of an hour after the first torpedo had hit, a third torpedo, fired from a submarine just before the starboard beam, hit us under No. 5 boiler room. The time was 7.30 a. m. The ship then began to heel rapidly, and finally turned keel up, remaining so for about twenty minutes before she finally sank at 7.55 a. m. "A large number of men were saved by casting adrift one pattern three target. These pattern floated out of her crutches, but filled and sank. "The second torpedo which struck the Cressy passed over the sinking hull of the Aboukir, narrowly missing it. "It is possible that the same submarine fired all three torpedoes at the Cressy.

"The conduct of the crew was excellent throughout. I have already remarked on the bravery displayed by Captain Phillips, master of the trawler, L. T. Corinder, and his crew, who picked up 156 officers and men."

Vessels Sank Quickly. The report of Commander Reginald A. Norton, late of H. M. S. Hogue, follows: "I have the honor to report as follows concerning the sinking of the Hogue, Aboukir and Cressy: "Between 6.15 and 6.30 a. m. H. M. S. Aboukir was struck by a torpedo. The Hogue closed on the Aboukir, and I received orders to hoist out the launch, turn out and prepare all limber and highboats were sent to the Aboukir, but before the launch could get away the Hogue was struck on the starboard side amidships by two torpedoes at intervals of ten to twenty seconds. "The ship at once began to heel to starboard. After ordering the men to provide themselves with wood or hammocks, etc., and to get into the boats on the beams and take off their clothes, I went, by Captain Nicholson's directions, to assist the damaged engine room. The artificer engineer informed me that the water was over the engine room gratings.

"While endeavoring to return to the bridge the water burst open the starboard entry port doors, and the ship heeled rapidly. I told the men in the port battery to jump overboard, as the launch was close alongside, and soon afterwards the ship lurched heavily to starboard.

Incidents of Rescue. "I clung to a ringbolt for some time, but finally dropped on to the deck, and a huge wave washed me away. I climbed up the ship's side and was again washed off. Eventually, after swimming about from various overlaid pieces of wreckage, I was picked up by a cutter from the Hogue, Coxswain L. S. Marks, which pulled about for some hours picking up men and discharging them to our picket boat and steam pinnace and to the Dutch steamers, Flora and Titan, and rescued in this way Commander Sells of the Aboukir, Engineer Commander Stokes, with legs broken, Fleet-Paymaster Eider and about 120 others. "Finally, about 11 a. m., when we could find no more men in the water, we were picked up by the Lucifer, which proceeded to the Titan and took from her all our men, except about twenty, who were too ill to be moved. "A Lowestoft trawler and the two Dutch ships, the Flora and Titan, were extraordinarily kind, and clothing and food for our men. My boat's crew, consisting mainly of Royal Navy Reserve men, pulled and behaved remarkably well. I particularly wish to mention Petty Officer Hallon, who, by encouraging the men in the water near me, undoubtedly saved many lives.

Died Like True British Sailor. "Lieut.-Commander Phillips-Wolley, after hoisting out the launch, asked me if we should try to hoist out another boat, and endeavored to do so. The last I saw of him was on the after bridge, doing well.

"Lieut.-Commander Tillard was picked up by a launch. He got up a cutter's crew and saved many lives, as did Midshipman Casalet, in the Cressy's gig. Lieut. Chichester turned out the whaler very quickly.

"Dutch malling trawler sailed close by, but went off without rendering assistance, although we signalled to her to come near.

"The Aboukir appeared to me to take about thirty-five minutes to sink, floating bottom up for about five minutes. The Hogue turned turtle very quickly in about five minutes, and floated bottom up for several minutes. A dense black smoke was seen in the starboard battery, whether from coal or torpedo cordite, I could not say. The upper deck was not blown up, and only one other small explosion occurred when we heeled over.

"The Cressy I watched heel over from the cutter. She heeled over to starboard very slowly, dense black smoke issuing from her when she attained an angle of about 90 degrees, and she took a long time from this angle till she floated bottom up.

Every Man Was Cool. "All the men on the Hogue behaved extraordinarily well, obeying orders even when in the water swimming for their lives, and I witnessed many

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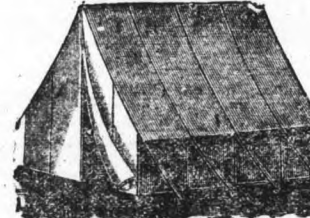
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cases of great self-sacrifice and gallantry. Farmington, able seaman of the Hogue, jumped overboard from the launch to make room for others, and would not avail himself of assistance until all the men nearby were picked up. He was in the water about half an hour.

There was no panic of any sort, the men taking off their clothes as ordered and falling in with hammock or wood. Captain Nicholson, in our other cutter, as usual, was perfectly cool and rescued large numbers of men. I last saw him alongside the Flora, Engineer-Commander Stokes, I believe, was in the engine room to the last, and Engineer Lieut.-Commander Fendick got steam on the boat hoist and worked it in five minutes.

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**MEXICAN FEDERALS FLY AS LEADER FALLS**

Rebel Governor of Sonora Routs Troops Sent Against Him With Heavy Loss

Naco, Sonora, Mex., Sept. 26.—Two hundred were left dead on the field between Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz, after the battle between the forces of Gov. Maytorena and General Benjamin Hill yesterday, according to fugitive Carranza soldiers. General Hill was to-day ordered by Carranza to make another stand at this point against Maytorena.

The routing of Hill's troops yesterday is said to have been primarily due to the wounding of Lieut.-Colonel Gomez, commanding the advance guard. Gomez had Maytorena's Yaqui in flight when he received a bullet. Discovering that their commander was wounded, Gomez's men fled.

Santa Cruz has been cut off from communication since 9 o'clock last night. General Turbide, Carranza's commander in Sinaloa, is reported to be at Guaymas to-day with several thousand troops on the way to Sonora to check Maytorena.

Hill officially reported to Mexico city to-day that only twenty-six of his men were wounded yesterday and none were killed. Fugitives say, however, that two hundred dead were left on the field.

Hill issued a statement to-day saying Maytorena was not master of his own movements, but on the contrary was a servant of "liquor-laden Yaqui Indians, who fight for mere love of blood-letting."

**DEATH OF PREMIER CAME AS A SHOCK**

Physicians Thought He Would Have Rallied for a Time; Speculation on Successor

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 26.—The announcement of the death of Sir James Whitney came as a shock to the ministers and the staff at the parliament buildings, and spread like wild-fire throughout the city.

For several days there was thought to be a considerable improvement in the premier's condition. He was visited by his brother Albert a day or two ago, and his condition then was thought to be much better than for some time past.

Sir James Whitney, after his great effort at the Massey hall meeting, prior to the provincial election, was warned by his doctors as to his health. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage caused by hardening of the arteries. Dr. Hamilton and the Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education, had both hoped that Sir James would be able in a few weeks to be about as usual.

From about August 1, when Sir James became confined to his home, his condition alternated. At times he was confined to bed entirely, but on several occasions he was able to sit up and take nourishment. During the past few days he had seemed to be in a better condition than he had been for a month. His doctors held out no hope for his complete recovery, but they did believe that his condition would improve to such an extent that he would be able to move about. The end was as much of a shock to them as to the members of the family.

Just a few minutes before noon yesterday the nurse noticed a sudden change. The premier became very weak. Lady Whitney and Miss Whitney were summoned and Dr. Hamilton notified. Sir James opened his eyes, smiled up at his wife and daughter, and then lapsed into unconsciousness. For a minute or two he seemed to rally, but had passed beyond medical aid.

Sir James is survived by Lady Whitney, one daughter, Nora Whitney, and one son, Garnet. Three brothers—Albert, at Prescott; E. C., at Ottawa, and Edgar, at Montreal—also survive.

The members of the cabinet, Hon. I. E. Lucas, Hon. Dr. Pyne, Hon. W. I. Hanna, Hon. W. H. Hearst, Hon. Dr. Preston and Hon. J. J. Foy, who were present at the building, were immediately informed of the death of Sir James, which event automatically dissolves the cabinet.

The members met in the afternoon for the purpose of officially notifying his honor, Lieut.-Governor Sir J. M. Gibson, of the death of the leader of the government and to make arrangements for the funeral early next week. The lieutenant-governor will call upon one of the members of the late cabinet to form a government. Since the illness of the late leader, Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education, has been president of the council and acting prime minister, and his honor has asked him to temporarily continue the government. It is believed here that Hon. W. I. Hanna, provincial secretary since the Whitney government was formed, will be the next premier, although the name of Hon. Adam Beck, minister without portfolio, is also mentioned.

**IRISHMEN FLOCK TO EMPIRE'S STANDARD**

Recruiting Campaign Opens With Appeal in Dublin by Asquith and Redmond

Dublin, Sept. 26.—Premier Asquith appeared at the Mansion House here last night for the purpose, as he expressed it, in the opening of his speech, "as head of the King's government to summon loyal and patriotic Ireland to take her place in defence of our common cause."

The premier received a tremendous ovation when he appeared at the Mansion House with John E. Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, and the Earl of Aberdeen, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and his opening words aroused the greatest enthusiasm. He went on to say that there had been war with regard to which there was a diversity of opinion, but that was not the case to-day.

To-day, he declared, throughout the Empire without distinction of creed, or party or race, climate or class or sect, the people were united in defending the principles the maintenance of which was vital not only to the British Empire, but to all that was worth having in our common civilization and the future progress of mankind, whether Great Britain succeeded or failed.

"But," exclaimed the premier, "we are not going to fail."

There could not be any higher cause, said the premier, than the vindication of international good faith and protection of the weak against the violence of the strong and those who preached a practical religion of force.

Germany was the real responsible factor in this war. There was nothing in the quarrel, such as it was, between Austria and Serbia, that could not be settled by pacific means, but for the fact that in the judgment of those guiding and controlling the German policy the hour had come to strike the blow which had been long and deliberately prepared. In their hands lay the choice between peace and war, and their election was for war.

"The invasion of Belgium and France," said the premier, "constitutes the blackest pages of war's sombre history. Britain worked to the last for peace."

In his appeal to Irishmen he was backed by Irishmen of all parts of the Empire and the world, he said.

"The old animosities are dead. What Great Britain asks, what she believes Ireland is ready and eager to give," he said, "is a free will offering of free people."

Mr. Redmond, who followed, said he had promised the Archbishop of Malines that Ireland would bring her arms and strength to avenge Louvain. "It is Ireland's duty to fight," declared the Irish Nationalist leader. "Great Britain has kept faith with Ireland, and Ireland will keep faith with Great Britain."

Great crowds gathered in the streets of Dublin and cheered the Nationalist volunteers, who, armed with rifles and bayonets, acted as a guard of honor.

**FIENDISH ACT OF GERMAN BARBARIANS**

New York, Sept. 26.—Captain W. J. Roberts, of the American liner New York, which arrived yesterday from Liverpool, said that his daughter, at his home in Liverpool, was caring for a little Belgian girl whose hands had been cut off by German soldiers.

"She is a pretty flaxen-haired little thing about six years old," the captain said, "and I cannot understand how any man could commit such a barbarous act on an innocent child."

**MURDERERS PAY PENALTY.**

Macleod, Alb., Sept. 26.—Fancy Sokoloff and Joe Smith, two Calgary Russians, yesterday paid the penalty for the murder of Paymaster Wilson of the Ekshaw Cement Works. Since their conviction both men appeared absolutely indifferent to their fate and to the last their indifference did not desert them. On reaching the scaffold Sokoloff said, "Can't you postpone the execution; I did not do it." Being informed that the proceedings could not be stopped he said, "Good-bye Smith." In both cases death was instantaneous.

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Mr. James M. Douglass, Superior Junction, Ont., writes: "For about six years I suffered from piles, and often could not work for two or three days at a time, so great was the suffering from pain and itching. Doctors treated me in vain, and I tried many treatments before I came across Dr. Chase's Ointment. Two boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured me, and for several months I have had no return of this annoying ailment."

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**CONDITIONS IN MEXICO ARE CLOSE TO ANARCHY**

Only in One Province is There Any Order Being Maintained, Says Traveller

New York, Sept. 26.—Before sailing for Glasgow on his way to Petrograd aboard the Olympic to-day, Alexandre Stroginsky, Russian minister to Mexico, spoke freely on conditions in that country as he had found them.

"Mexico is without a government and practically in a state of anarchy," he said. "With the exception of the state of Yucatan, where some semblance of order is still maintained, it is unsafe for a person to travel in Mexico. The bands of brigands that rob, burn and pillage as they please, without interference from the authorities are the cause of all the trouble. There is no interference from the national authorities, simply because there is no national government worth mentioning."

"The United States should not withdraw its troops from Vera Cruz. From what I was able to observe there is no prospect that a stable government may be established in Mexico. Carranza is an able political chief, but he cannot compare with Villa as a leader of men. I am frank to state that conditions in Mexico to-day are not one-half as good as they were during the Madero reign."

**GERMAN USE OF SEARCHLIGHTS.**

London, Sept. 26.—The Chronicle's correspondent at Paris, in the course of a lengthy dispatch, describes the use of searchlights by the Germans. He says as soon as darkness falls the Germans light their lamps and play them upon all points. If any moving object is picked out by the dazzling rays shells and bullets immediately fly over the spot.

**A HOME RECIPE FOR REMOVING WRINKLES**

Who will blame the modern woman for trying to look as young and attractive as she reasonably can? Why should she be placed at a disadvantage in numerous ways by wearing wrinkles, if she can avoid these hateful marks of advancing age? Few women, however, know what to do to effectively rid themselves of wrinkles or sagging. Most of the advertised preparations are unsatisfactory and very expensive. But a very simple and harmless home remedy, which any woman can make, will work wonders where all the patent preparations fail.

Buy an ounce of powdered sassafras at any drug store. Dissolve the whole ounce in a half pint of witch hazel and use as a wash lotion. The results are practically instantaneous. Marked improvement is noticed immediately after the very first trial. Wrinkles and sagging are corrected and the face feels so refreshed and snug-like.

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**AVIATOR TURNS UP SAFE.**

Los Angeles, Sept. 26.—Silas Christofferson, aviator, was surprised to-day to learn that he had been reported missing. He landed here safely last night, within two miles of the Griffith Park hangars, but did not report his arrival and parties were sent out to search for him.

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**THE WAR**

Neither side seems to be making much progress in France, according to the official bulletins issued from Paris to-day. Last night it was announced that the allied advanced troops north-west of Noyon had been driven back, but that they had returned to the attack with reinforcements. Noyon commands an important crossing point on the Oise, and the Germans are holding it in great force. North of Noyon their line runs along the heights east and west from the region of Montdidier to Terquien and from that point north of St. Quentin. The situation seems to be such that if the allies' left wing does not outflank the German right it is in danger of being threatened itself. Generally most of the gains there have been made by the allies and the announcement last night is the first admission that there has been a check. There is this difference, however, between the circumstances governing the two armies. If the allies were to fall in their operations they could withdraw to safety. If the Germans fall in their defence, their lines of communication will be cut and a considerable part of their whole front will be left in a critical condition.

In the centre there is little reported. Both sides apparently have detached forces from this neighborhood to reinforce their wings. The battle of the Aisne now has become a matter of flank movements, saving the insertion of the French wedge between Rheims and the Argonne. The operations on the French right along the Meuse and in the Woevre district are as violent as those on the German right. The Germans undeniably have made some progress between Verdun and Toul, which if pressed forward would seriously endanger the allies' prospects. They have crossed the river near St. Mihiel, but will have difficulty in gaining the heights. On the other hand, they are in danger of being caught away from their base by a French army from Toul which has made considerable progress towards Beaumont. Elsewhere in this region, however, the French have more than held their own. In the Argonne district the Crown Prince's army has turned at bay at Varennes. Either he finds it impossible to join the German armies along the main front in the region of Rethel or he hopes to gain some advantage from the successful operation of the German forces northeast and southeast of Verdun. Frederick William's army is not out of the woods by any means.

The Russians have captured Rzeczow, where the Wislok river, a tributary of the San, is crossed by the railway some forty miles west of Jaroslaw. As this announcement is two or three days old, or it never would have been made, we may conclude that the Russians are much farther west than the point named. Their cavalry are said to have reached the neighborhood of Cracow, but this must be the screen of the Russian force advancing southwest through Poland with the object of cutting off the Austrians who are being driven westward by the army of Galicia. Cracow will make a formidable resistance, as it is said to contain three German corps hurriedly sent to its aid. In East Prussia the occupation of Soldau by the Russians from Warsaw imperils the line of retreat to the Vistula of General von Hindenburg's army, which pursued Rennenkampf's forces farther east to the Russian frontier. Certainly if the Russians are in force at Soldau von Hindenburg's troops cannot return to their base, the fortress of Thorn, and will be compelled to retire in a north-westerly direction.

The arrangements for the exchange of prisoners have nailed a whole column of lies given out by the German official bureau, as we know they would. Berlin has been compelled to admit that its statement that the Germans had taken altogether 250,000

prisoners was an exaggeration and that the figure should have been 50,000. Of these 30,000 are Russians. What became of the 90,000 Russian prisoners taken at Allenstein? Where are the forty thousand prisoners captured when Maubeuge (garrisoned by 1,470 troops, many of whom escaped) fell? Where are the tens of thousands of Frenchmen captured in Lorraine? Where are the ten thousand British taken between Mons and Paris? We knew that when the German Harbund wanted some of it fighting men taken by the opposing armies back and had to prepare a list of prisoners, it would have to admit the falsity of its grotesque announcements. Both France and Great Britain have taken five times as many German prisoners as Germany has captured from their ranks.

**OUR CONTINGENT.**

The greater part of the Canadian contingent is now on the ocean, bound for the United Kingdom. The ships carrying the troops are under the convoy of a formidable fleet of warships and no vagrant German cruiser will attempt to molest them. Our soldiers probably will be mustered at one of the big military camps for inspection and training before they will be dispatched to the front. A message from Ottawa says that the artillery and cavalry will see service first, while the infantry will undergo the stern Kitchener process before crossing the channel.

The Canadian people have implicit confidence in the valor and skill of their contingent. Many of its members have seen service, especially in the South African war. Like the British soldiers in France, they are volunteers. They have not been driven into the service by the menace of a sword or threats of imprisonment. They have not been crushed beneath a system which transforms men into mere machines with no initiative and little tactical value. If their officers fall, they will keep on fighting according to their own clear judgment. They may retire before overwhelming numbers, but they never will break.

The only advantage enjoyed by the conscript soldier over the volunteer is superior readiness. The gap between war and peace is not so wide to him as it is to the man who has devoted himself primarily to the pursuits of industry. He crosses it more quickly, but there his lead ends. Once the volunteer has passed over the gap, he has his baptism of war and has accustomed himself to manoeuvres in the field, his tactical superiority, the initiative and resource which spring from an intelligence developed in many directions, at once assert themselves. He quickly grasps the object of the strategy behind the orders he receives, he at once gets into accord, mentally and physically, with the officers who command him, and the morale of his battalion in consequence becomes superior to that of the automata who only record in a physical sense the instructions of those over them. In the first stages of the American civil war the soldiers of the South, owing to their better training and discipline, made immense progress against the North, but finally when the volunteers who responded to Lincoln's clarion call began to find themselves they brought the struggle to a triumphant end.

The tactical ability of the Canadian soldier in the very nature of things is high. He is adaptable and can meet any situation that may arise. The conditions of the country in which he lives or has spent a considerable part of his life have called for the development of his faculties along many lines. On the prairies he becomes an expert rider and marksman. In the mountains, as a hunter or prospector, he develops steadiness, alertness and the ability to stand fatigue. He is accustomed to all varieties of climate from extreme cold to oppressive heat. He is fearless and patriotic. This is a combination that is hard to beat, and the Germans are going to find it so.

**CANNOT UNDERSTAND IT.**

German newspapers arriving in London express surprise and anger because there are no revolutions in the British Empire. Ireland, which they confidently believed would rise in revolt, has given them a rude jolt. The spectacle of Redmond and Carson acting as recruiting officers is something they never anticipated. But India gave them the surprise of their lives. They banked on an uprising in Britain's great dependency. They frankly admit that they are unable to understand why Indian princes should offer armies and money to the British cause. As for South Africa, words almost fail them. The idea of a people with whom Britain was recently at war rallying enthusiastically around the British flag with a Boer prime minister at the head of a South African force is the last thing that ever entered their heads.

It is upon such miscalculations as these that the Potsdam junta inaugurated their whole campaign against the peace of the world. The Bismarck and von Bernhardt system ignored the human equation. The nation wedded to it made no allowance for the predisposition of a people towards institutions which gave them good government and liberty. German experience

in Poland and Alsace, where her peculiar form of military tyranny has made the populace sullenly antagonistic, has ingrained in her suspicion and distrust of all peoples brought under her sway by force of arms. Therefore, being utterly incapable of appreciating the merits of the British colonial system which is so emphatically contrary to their creed of force, Germans naturally enough expected certain of the dominions to do what they would have done had the German system prevailed throughout the British Empire—rise in rebellion when the motherland was engaged in war.

This great struggle is exhibiting to the world the weaknesses of despotism, monarchical and military. Before it is over the German people will realize that the British system, which they regarded as decadent, is the only system through which a great empire can be held together and that if Germany ever is to command a place in the sun she will have to fall in line with the world's democracies. The Bismarckian policy was successful as far as territorial aggrandizement was concerned largely because it triumphed over little Denmark, a weak France and a weaker Austria. This is the first time it has been tested on a comprehensive scale, and already it has to admit failure, although it does so reluctantly. The refusal of Italy to align herself with Germany and Austria in their brutal treaty-breaking course, the deep undercurrent of sympathy for the triple entente which exists in the United States, the comparative isolation of the dual alliance among the nations of the world, in themselves prove that the Prussian system is an irreparable mistake.

The Kölnische Zeitung, in admitting that the resolutions which Germany had hoped for had not broken out in the British Empire, consoles its readers with the assurance that things would change if the allies were unsuccessful. It overlooks the crucial point that the four hundred million people who comprise the British Empire have become welded indissolubly together in order that the allies shall not be unsuccessful. They are determined that the cause for which the Empire is fighting, under which they enjoy the widest measure of freedom, shall win. They are going to vindicate the principles embodied in such "scraps of paper" as Magna Charta and the Petition of Right if it takes them ten years. It is not within the farflung limits of the British Empire that the world needs to look for revolutions, but in Germany itself when starvation and fear cause the people to realize the predicament into which their mediaeval system has plunged them.

**CARNEGIE'S "FRIEND."**

Andrew Carnegie says the Kaiser is misunderstood, that he is a man of peace, and that he has been driven into this war by the militant party which gained ascendancy over him. Like most vain turf-hunters who, after becoming enormously wealthy, endeavor to buy a seat at the table of the titled elect, Carnegie cannot forget the many handshakes the Kaiser has given him. If the Kaiser is merely recording the will of the martial element of Germany, he has been under its influence so long that he must be regarded as one of the gang, to say the least. Seven years ago his government humiliated France by demanding, with threats of war, the resignation of Delcasse, the foreign minister credited with anti-German sentiments. France was unready for war and meekly submitted to the presumptuous demand. About the same time Austria forcibly annexed Bosnia and Herzegovina in defiance of treaty, and threatened Russia with war if she intervened. Russia, also unready, swallowed the insult. Three years ago Germany tried the same tactics with France over the Morocco affair and sent a cruiser to Agadir. But France faced the mailed fist defiantly. Lloyd George, speaking for Great Britain, threatened Germany with intervention, and Germany climbed down. Are we to assume that the Kaiser, who at that time made speeches about standing alongside Austria "in shining armor," was the unwilling victim of the machinations of a war party in Berlin?

The fact is that the German Kaiser is the head and front of the system cynically emphasized by Bismarck and von Bernhardt, and the record we have cited proves it. Before this war began he rattled his sword at Russia and France in precisely the same way he has rattled it four other times during the last decade. This time, however, other swords as heavy and sharp as his own rattled in reply. Europe has become sick and tired of these crazy antics. As long as they failed to arouse a general response from the German people, nobody was apprehensive, but when the subjects of the Kaiser showed that they were as unbalanced as their ruler on the policy of blood and iron it was time to put an end to it. If some Belgian aviator, distraught over the outrages inflicted upon his people—hideous outrages such as have been proved in every detail of name, place and circumstance—dropped a bomb on this imperial maniac and blew him to smithereens, the world would breathe easy once more, for the

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militant spirit would die out of Germany.

**TO-DAY'S SUMMARY.**

A battle of extraordinary severity is raging at the western end of the Anglo-French and German battle line in the region of Noyon, sixty miles to the north of Paris, where the French still are striving to outflank General von Kluck's reinforced army. The French official statement issued this afternoon claims that the allied troops have made a slight advance.

On the eastern end of the fighting line the French officially admit that their line has been forced back by the Germans across the river Meuse near St. Michael, a point about twenty miles to the south of the French fortress of Verdun.

In the eastern arena the Russians are preparing to attack the important Austrian fortified city of Cracow in Galicia. The inhabitants of the city are reported to be fleeing and the civil government is said to have been assumed by the Germans.

Russians operating against the fortress of Przemyel have captured two towns to the north and south of the position and have completely cut off its railway communication.

The French ministry of marine to-day announced that a landing force from the gunboat Surprise had hoisted the French flag over Coco Beach in the German colony of Kamerun in Africa.

The British forces from the Union of South Africa have occupied Luderitzbucht, a town in German South Africa, where the Germans retreated after blowing up the railroad.

China has protested against the occupation by Japanese troops of Wei-Hai-Wei, a town in Shantung province, outside the zone set apart by the Chinese government for the Japanese military operations against the German concessions of Kiau Chau.

The Kaiser has distributed 38,000 iron crosses amongst his warriors; but think of the big cross all the German people will have to bear before the war is over.

**MEINSELF VAS IT.**  
 Dat partnership mit me und Gott Vas all a fake—vas simply rot—  
 To dine of it shunt makes me hot—  
 Meinself vas IT.

Vat care I for der Russian Czar,  
 For kings or princes near or far?  
 Ven conflicts come, mit din of war,  
 Meinself vas IT.

Ven France rears up and vants a fight,  
 Meinself vil knock her out of sight—  
 Meinself vas ALWAYS in der right—  
 Meinself vas IT.

Ven England dakes der gauntlet up,  
 Vat care I for der old bull pup?  
 Vrom me dey gets no loving cup,  
 Meinself vas IT.

Der's Canada, der Lion's whelp,  
 Dat country I vill surely scarp,  
 Vill make her shout aloud for help—  
 Meinself vas IT.

Ven I declares dat back is white,  
 Der nations must say dat vas right  
 Or feel der power ven mein might—  
 Meinself vas IT.

I shunt absorb der lager beer  
 Und points mein moustache to mein ear—  
 Der boss of all der hemisphere—  
 Meinself vas IT.

Mit Gott I am not satisfy,  
 He did not make der Belgians fly,  
 Mit Gott I eferrmore fight shy—  
 Meinself vas IT.

Der nations all may take a tip,  
 For Gott I do not care a rip—  
 I haf dissolved dat partnership—  
 Meinself vas IT.  
 —By H. E. Stuart, Moosomin, Sask.

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 —First Floor

**Fall Clothing for Men and Boys at Money-Saving Prices**



It's time to consider with all seriousness your new Fall Clothing. There's a decided touch of autumn in the air, and most men and boys are preparing for colder weather. Spencer's clothing values are already well known, but to-day we wish to emphasize more strongly the fact that recent shipments have brought us some wonderful values in Men's and Boys' Suits, Pants and Knickers.

Most of these goods were purchased under exceptional circumstances, most favorable to us, and we give you the chance to share in the extra saving that we made. We are delighted with the chance to offer such values, and if you buy to-day you, too, will be pleased with the extra value secured, and the fact that you were able to buy at a saving. Some of the special garments on sale to-day are:

- Men's Suits in heavy tweed mixtures, serges and chevots. Made up in very latest single and double-breasted styles with medium peg pants. Splendid assortment of new shades and patterns. All sides. Special, per suit, \$15, \$12.50 and ..... **\$10.00**
- Boys' Suits in an entirely new range of shades and patterns, in strong hard wearing tweeds, well-tailored in double-breasted and Norfolk styles, with bloomer pants; all sizes, at prices up to \$12.50 from ..... **\$3.75**
- NOTE—The Suits at \$3.75 are extraordinary good value for such a low price.
- Men's Pants in good quality tweeds and worsteds, finished with cuff bottoms, belt straps and five pockets. Regular \$3.00 pants. To-day, per pair ..... **\$2.50**
- Boys' Knickers in plain knee style, good assortment of strong tweeds. Special, per pair ..... **75c**
- Boys' Bloomer Pants. Special, per pair ..... **\$1.00**
- Men's and Youths' Overcoats in all the newest styles and materials, up to \$25 from ..... **\$12.50**
- Boys' Overcoats in a large assortment of new shades and patterns. Prices up to \$15 from **\$7.50**
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35 Dozen Outing Shirts, Worth \$1.25, to Sell at \$1.00

We took all the maker had left of these Shirts, which was 35 dozen, so we got them at a substantial price reduction, which enables us to offer you to-day a regular \$1.25 grade for \$1.00. These Shirts come in good quality prints in light, fancy stripes, plain tan, blue and white. Cut coat shape and finished with soft French double-cuffs and collar to match. All sizes from 14 to 17. To-day, special, each ..... **\$1.00**

Main Floor

**Four Rolls of Japanese Matting Clearing Monday at 25c Yard**

This is a well woven Matting in colors fawn, blue and greens. Excellent for bedrooms, halls and dens. At this special price a quick morning's sale should see the lot cleared.  
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**25 Men's Raincoats**

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**A Special Cotton and Towel Opportunity for Monday**

Monday is to be a busy day in the Staple Department, for Towels and Cottons have been marked off for a quick day's selling. Here are a few of the lines on sale:

- White and Colored Turkish Towels, Values to 50c. Monday 25c
- Honeycomb Towels at the Following Special Prices
- Face Towels, Bath Towels, Huck Towels in all sizes and qualities, taken from our regular stock and placed on the table for you to choose from. Get here early, sharp at 8.30, and have first pick.
- Colored Brown Turkish Towels, Regular 15c and 20c. Monday, 2 for 25c
- These are handy size Towels for kitchen use, particularly absorbent and good wearing qualities. Splendid values.
- Extra Large Size Bath Towels, \$1.00 Values for 75c Pair
- A good useful Towel with a red stripe and cream ground. Splendid for bathroom use. Our Special \$1.50 Bath Towels for \$1.00 Pair
- And you cannot find a better Towel at this price anywhere. Ten dozen only at this price. Cream ground with broad red stripe.
- \$1.00 White Turkish Towels, Each 75c
- A plain hemmed Towel well woven from strong quality cotton and noted for its tightness of weave. Guaranteed to wear well; good useful size.
- 30c Linen Glass Cloths for 25c
- All pure linen and woven specially for glass drying, absorbent and leaves no lint.
- Regular \$1.25 grade, for, per dozen ..... **95c**
- Regular \$1.50 grade, for, per dozen ..... **\$1.20**
- Regular \$2.50 grade, for, per dozen ..... **\$2.20**
- Regular \$3.00 grade, for, per dozen ..... **\$2.50**
- 15c Linen Roller Toweling for 10c Yd.
- 16 ins. wide, closely woven and makes up into inexpensive kitchen towels.
- 25c White Turkish Towels for 20c
- A nice white Turkish Towel with red border. Soft in use and a good size.
- White Cottons at Quick Selling Prices.
- 36 in. heavy white cotton. Reg. 12½c, for, per yard ..... **10c**
- 36 in. heavy white cotton. Reg. 15c, for, per yard, only ..... **12½c**
- 36 in. fine white cambric. Reg. 20c, for, per yard, 15c
- 36 in. fine white cambric. Reg. 22½c, for, per yard, only ..... **17½c**
- 36 in. extra fine cambric. Reg. 27½c, for, per yard, only ..... **20c**
- 40, 42, 44 and 46 inch Circular Pillow Cottons. Reg. 25c, for, per yard ..... **20c**
- White Nainsook. Reg. 15c, for, per yard ..... **12½c**
- Reg. 20c, for, per yard ..... **15c**
- Reg. 25c, for, per yard ..... **20c**

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BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

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S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L.1738.
Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.
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Montrose Rooms.—Blenshard street, are exceptionally well ventilated and heated. If looking for a bright cosy room for the winter months it will pay you to examine these. Special low rates are being asked.

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The Coming Winter.—Will it be a case of roaming the streets looking for a job, while you spend your few dollars renting a room and eating at restaurants? Or will you join the number who are already in the country carving out a home for themselves, where every day's work improving their land is a cash deposit in the safest of banks? That they did not take advantage earlier of the exceptional facilities we offer the landless man is the one regret our settlers have. We control thousands of acres of good, well-watered land close to the railway between Parksville and Courtenay. Come to our office for particulars.—Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Ltd., general agents, Carmichael & Moorhouse, Ltd., 508 Belmont House, Victoria, B. C.

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Majestic Theatre.—Under new management. Home of the finest pictures.
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Eagles' Auction Social and Dance.—Victoria Aerie No. 12, F. O. E., will hold another of their rousing social sessions on Wednesday evening, October 7, 1914. Following the business session dancing will start at 9 o'clock sharp. During the evening an auction sale will be held, and for this purpose members are requested to bring parcels and articles to be auctioned. Ladies are requested to bring cakes. Proceeds of evening to go toward Eagles' Relief Fund.

School Board.—A special meeting of the Victoria school board will probably be held next Wednesday.
Building Permit.—A building permit has been issued to James Reid for a house at 1271 Walnut street.

List for Consumers.—A list of Victoria manufacturers is being prepared. It will be issued to all householders, so that in ordering goods Victoria consumers may patronize home industries.
Gordon Head Fruitgrowers.—The executive of the recently-formed Saanich Fruitgrowers' association, the headquarters of which will be at Gordon head, has called a meeting of the members for Saturday next in order formally to establish the society.

St. Columba Dedication.—The seats for the new St. Columba church, Oak Bay, were shipped this week from the east, and should reach Victoria about October 16, so that the dedication of the church, which was to have taken place this month, will take place in November about the first Sunday in November.

Missing Six Months.—Missing from home for about six months, information is sorely needed by his sister of the whereabouts of S. G. Salyers, of Courcil Bluff Iowa. When last heard of the missing man was in Victoria and anyone having information as to his present address is asked to communicate with city detective office, Cormorant street.

Chinamen in Court.—Three Chinamen faced charges this morning in the police court of frequenting a disorderly house. Their names were Yee Set, Yee Fong and Wong Tan. The first was dismissed, the second was remanded until Wednesday, and the third fined \$25 with one month in jail as an alternative. The arrests were made by Detectives Heather and Edens.

Boy Scouts Inspected.—In the absence of Col. Cunliffe, Fifth Troop Boy Scouts, was inspected at St. John's schoolroom last evening by the chaplain, Mr. Cunningham. There was an excellent turnout of boys, 42 being on parade. The ten out of thirteen scouts who passed the fireman's examination were presented with the whetstones donated by the forestry department. Dr. Grant during the evening delivered another of the excellent series of lectures on first-aid, and Mr. Proby presented the Canadian standard to the troop. It was announced that the Scouts would meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at St. John's schoolroom, to be addressed by Mr. Coates, and great enthusiasm was evinced by the lads when it was announced that the Bishop of Columbia had kindly given the free use of a club-room at Bishop's Close, where the ambulance class will be held on Monday evening, October 5, will be composed of George Agnew, Edward Matthews, Edward E. Johnson, W. W. Horne, Herbert Tilley, W. C. M. Grant, George M. Elliott, R. V. L. Johnston, J. S. Floyd, Luke Pither, Harry P. Simpson, W. F. C. Taylor, and W. McKinley.

White Sewing Machine Store removing to Speer-Walton Furniture Co., 1221 Douglas street, October 1.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, September 26, 1889.
In the supreme court this afternoon M. W. T. Drake, Esq., Q. C., was sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia. Harvey Combe, deputy registrar of the supreme court, read the commission of the governor-general-in-council authorizing the judges to administer oaths to persons appointed by the government. He then read Mr. Drake's commission, after which the judges administered the oath of office.
The north wing of the Royal Naval hospital, Esquimalt, is rapidly approaching completion, as is also the administrative block. The buildings are of brick and stone, and modern in every way.
The annual harvest festival at Christ Church Cathedral will be held this evening, when a sermon will be preached by Bishop Hills. Appropriate music will be rendered.

TO TRY MURDER CASE

Nanaimo Assize Has Only Two Cases on List; Charge of Dynamiting.

Only two charges are on the list for the Nanaimo assizes, but one is a murder charge and the other is the sensational dynamiting charge arising out of the Ladysmith strike. W. H. Bullock-Webster, who has been appointed crown prosecutor, has just been given the briefs.

Robert Suttie is accused of murdering Richard Hargreaves in the graver of the two cases. Hargreaves was road foreman at Oyster River and witnesses state that on May 14 of this year Suttie and Hargreaves had an altercation following which Suttie took a rifle and chased the other man down the road, eventually shooting him. Hargreaves never spoke afterwards, the witnesses who saw the shooting declared at the preliminary hearing.

Mike Adams and William Jackson are the two accused in the Ladysmith dynamiting case and the charge is that they "inflicted grievous bodily harm on Alex. McKinnon with intent to murder. The depositions show that on the morning of August 13, 1913, at 1 o'clock a stick of dynamite was thrown through the window of McKinnon's house into the room where his five children were sleeping. McKinnon heard the glass break and rushed in from the next room and found the explosive burning under the bed. He picked it up and rushed to throw it from the window but before he could get rid of it the fuse burned down and the explosion blew off his forearm. He was for weeks in the hospital.

Not until a few weeks ago was any arrest made and then the two accused were seized. William Stacouse and Mike Michek testified that they were with the accused on the occasion in question. When in the box in their own defence Adams admitted throwing the explosive and Jackson said he was with him at the time.

WILL OPEN WORK

Council Decides to Spend \$65,000 on Street Improvements Immediately.

The streets committee of the city council at its meeting yesterday afternoon determined to recommend to the council on Monday the inauguration of work on two streets, at a cost of about \$65,000 as straight relief work, \$2 a day to be offered for the work.

The two streets proposed for improvement are Blackwood street, between Bay street and Hillside avenue, and Gorge road, between Carroll street and Harriet road. In both cases some underground work has yet to be carried out. To qualify for employment on this relief work the men must have been resident in the city for six months and only those who either are married or have dependents to keep will be accepted.
This decision was made as a result of the discussion of unemployment the previous day, which followed the hearing of a deputation. There is also about \$35,000 available for other paving or street work out of the issue of treasury bills made in February for local improvement work.
When a contractor's request that the ironwork contract for the new jail be awarded, was being heard yesterday, it was stated that the city council would not hurry construction of the building, as it was the desire to spread out over the winter as far as possible work for the building trades on the jail.

Grand Jurors Named.—The grand jury for the Victoria assizes which open on Monday, October 5, will be composed of George Agnew, Edward Matthews, Edward E. Johnson, W. W. Horne, Herbert Tilley, W. C. M. Grant, George M. Elliott, R. V. L. Johnston, J. S. Floyd, Luke Pither, Harry P. Simpson, W. F. C. Taylor, and W. McKinley.

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OF VICTORIA GOODS

Members of Manufacturers' Association Discuss Event for October; Patriotic Fund

"That the members of the Manufacturers' Association of British Columbia, Victoria branch, will solicit subscriptions from members of the branch and other manufacturers on the understanding that the funds be used solely for the benefit of men and their families who are serving the colors against the enemies of the Empire from Victoria and the surrounding districts of Vancouver Island."
The above resolution, passed at a meeting of the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Manufacturers' Association yesterday evening, records the desire of the members to contribute to the patriotic fund and aid in the loyal support of the empire at this time. The meeting was held at the Board of Trade rooms, J. Carl Pendray presiding.

The desirability of stimulation of the demand for home products and thereby making it possible for the manufacturers to give more employment was discussed. When the question of establishing a Made-in-Victoria exhibit, preferably at the Drill Hall, was being discussed the members expressed their approval of the proposal advanced at a recent meeting of the industrial committee of the Victoria and Island Development Association.

The dates suggested, October 8, 9, and 10 were thought to be too early for a satisfactory display of food and general products made in Victoria. It was held that if the exhibition was postponed till October 15, 16 and 17, a better representation of the products made in Victoria could be staged.
The manufacturers present promised their hearty co-operation for the exhibition, which it was declared would be a more representative one than any hitherto held.

Another means of aiding the expansion of local manufactures, was the suggestion that local retailers should hold displays of locally-made goods twice a month. The meeting endorsed the suggestion, made at the recent meeting of the Development Association, that the support of the retail merchants be obtained for the holding of these displays on the first and third Fridays of each month. Friday was held to be the best day as it is on Friday that the city market is held. This proposal, however, will not be pushed until after the Made-in-Victoria exhibition has taken place, as the first determination is to make the exhibition a thoroughly representative one.

As part of the campaign of the British Columbia Manufacturers' association to create greater trade with South America, it is announced that representatives of the American Express company, with which arrangements have been made to conduct an examination into the opportunities for trade with the southern continent, will leave New York on October 1 to start their work. It is expected that new and wider avenues for the exchange of the products of this province will be opened up as a result of the study of conditions.

For Patriotic Fund.—A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Railway company, has announced that a percentage of the monthly earnings will be given by practically every employee of the company to the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society's fund. The families of employees who have volunteered their services as defenders of the Empire will be cared for by the company.

Donation of Coal.—The management of the Canadian Collieries, Ltd., has contributed 200 tons of coal to support the efforts of local philanthropic organizations to provide for needy families of those who have gone to the war. In addition to this generous gift the Collieries have undertaken, through the donations of employees, to contribute \$30 monthly to the Patriotic Aid fund.

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"Samson and Delilah" (Saint-Saens), "Israel Burst Your Bonds," Morgan Kingston, tenor. In English, with orchestra.
"Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni), "Siciliana," (Oh Lola, Fair as the Flowers), Morgan Kingston, tenor. In English with orchestra.
"Melody in F" (Rubinstein) Kathleen Parlow, violinist. Orchestra accompaniment.
(a) "Gavotte in E Major" (Bach) Kathleen Parlow, violinist.
(b) "Serenade" (Arensky) Kathleen Parlow, violinist.
"My Croony Melody" (Goetz & Goodwin) Arthur Collins, baritone and Byron G. Harlan, tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
"Baby Love" (H. Von Tilzer) Billy Watkins, tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
"You're More Than the World to Me" (Solman) Manuel Roman, counter-tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.
"Cherry Ripe" (Home) Mrs. Thamnene Cox, soprano. Orchestra accompaniment.
"Rose of the Mountain Trail" (Green) Henry Burr and Albert Campbell. Orchestra accompaniment.
"Cherry Ripe" (Home) Mrs. Thamnene Cox, soprano. Orchestra accompaniment.
(a) "In a Garden" (Hawley) (b) "If No One Ever Marries Me" (Lehmann) Mrs. Thamnene Cox, soprano. Orchestra accompaniment.
"Sunshine and Rain" (Blumenthal) Carrie Herwin, contralto. Orchestra accompaniment.
"The Children's Home" (Cowan) Carrie Herwin, contralto. Orchestra accompaniment.
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HINDUS ARE GIVEN SEVERE SENTENCES

Gurdit Singh Gets Four Years, Dalip Two; Bomb Case Brought to End

Four years for Gurdit Singh and two years for Dalip Singh were the sentences imposed by Judge Lappman yesterday in the case against the above two Hindus for having in their possession under suspicious circumstances a number of explosive substances. Gurdit Singh did not go into the box to satisfy the onus thrown upon him by the Criminal Code to prove that he had the explosives for a lawful purpose. Dalip Singh went into the box and said he knew nothing of the objects.
The point relied upon by the defence was the ownership of the shack in which the explosives were found. Judge Lappman decided, however, that the finding of Gurdit's bankbook and other articles in the shack with the explosives proved that it was his place and he declined to place credence in Dalip's story.
Gurdit Singh endeavored to make a speech to the court at the conclusion of the trial, but the police removed him from the court room.
The conviction of these two men concludes one of the most important cases which have occupied the attention of the local police in some time and the severe sentences imposed is an indication of the seriousness of the circumstances disclosed.
Some time was taken yesterday afternoon by E. E. Wootton and S. T. Hankey, the defence counsel, in introducing certain documents. A discharge certificate from the Indian army in the name of Gurdit Singh was submitted but the height of the discharged man was three and a half inches less than that of the accused.
W. H. Bullock-Webster, the crown prosecutor, also objected that the witness who testified to the identity of the document could not identify the accused as being the man named in the certificate.

WAS CHOIR MEMBER

Late Mrs. Kayton Was Well Known in Local Musical Circles; Lived Here Twenty-Four Years.
A prominent member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church choir passed away last evening at the Jubilee hospital after a three months' illness.
Mrs. Grace Ann Kayton, well known in Victoria through her long association with St. Andrew's and also through her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Longfield, both of whom are widely known in musical circles, all over Vancouver island, had lived in the city for twenty-four years, coming here with her husband, the late Mr. Kayton, connected for many years with the American company of Victoria, who preceded her ten years ago.
She was a native of Bradford, Yorks. Until her illness three months ago, Mrs. Kayton was an enthusiastic and regular attendant at all the choir practices and meetings of St. Andrew's choir, by the members of which, as well as by the congregation, she will be greatly missed.
The funeral, which has been arranged by the B. C. Funeral company, will take place from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Longfield, 1309 Yates street, where the deceased had made her home for the past four years. Services will be held at 2:30 on Monday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Clay officiating.

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Fortunate is the woman if she realizes that she lacks this gift, for then, if she desires, she can by a little careful study acquire some sense of clothes. The first essential is to wear clothes which accord with one's mode of living. One should be careful to have her costume complete, for instance, she should not wear heavy shoes with an evening gown, or slippers with a tailored suit. The same thing may be said of hats. Tailored hats are for tailored costumes and more dressy hats for the more elaborate gowns and social occasions. The combination of cheap and expensive materials is a gross mistake unless an unusual color combination or other effect is obtained, and usually such an effect can only be attained by an artist. A most important thing to remember is not to buy a dress because it pleases the fancy, but because it will accentuate all of one's good points. To many this cate-



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A. Field, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

E. Sullivan, of Seattle, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

E. H. Cooke is a guest at the Dominion hotel from Moose Jaw.

A. E. McIntosh, of Nanoose bay, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Miss Annie Rowe, of Seattle, is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

George Nairn, of Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

G. G. Willis, of Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel this morning.

Mrs. J. F. Singleton is registered at the Dominion hotel from Kingston, Ont.

T. Thompson, of Aberdeen, Wash., is registered at the Empress hotel while here.

D. G. Cameron, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward hotel while here.

Captain Watson, of Westholme, is among those staying at the Empress hotel.

B. M. Kirker is here from Vancouver and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

D. Hamilton is here from Vancouver and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. O. Scarf and Miss Scarf are guests at the Dominion hotel from Scarf, B. C.

M. M. Williams, of Trinidad, Col., is among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel.

A. C. Hayward is in the city from Ipswich, Eng., and is registered at the Empress hotel.

J. Garner and George R. Weston are registered at the Dominion hotel from Banfield creek.

C. H. Wood is staying at the Dominion hotel while in town. He is registered from Parksville.

F. C. Saviers has arrived in Victoria from New Orleans and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

V. Harris arrived from Vancouver yesterday and became a guest at the King Edward hotel.

M. Ollis and Mrs. Ollis are guests at the Dominion hotel while in the city from Cooper's cove.

W. Z. Drummond is visiting the city from Vancouver, and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Among the visitors registering yesterday at the Empress hotel was O. E. Longwell of Portland, Ore.

Bartley A. Bull, of Brampton, is registered at the Empress hotel, having come to the city for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevenson, of Montreal, are registered at the Empress hotel while visiting the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bunce and Miss M. Bunce are stopping at the Empress hotel. They are here from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Roy Long have arrived in the city from Vancouver, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Fife, of Vancouver, who has been spending the week at the Empress hotel, left for home this afternoon.

Miss C. L. Du Puy, of Washington, D. C., is among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel. She is accompanied by Miss Adela Breton, of London.

A party consisting of Havelock Lonsdale, Thomas Lonsdale and C. Wollett, of London, Eng., and F. Lyson, of Brussels, Belgium, is staying at the Empress hotel.

F. W. Witham, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A.; H. G. Beall, physical director, and E. R. Crompton, instructor of the boys' department, left last evening.

The popularity of the cape coat is undiminished and it is seen in widely varying fabrics. Those for especially dressy wear are of velvet or broadcloth, duvetyne, velour or one of the various fur-cloths. For sports or every-day wear in cold weather they are made in tweeds, plaided chevots and rough mackinaw cloth. The coat illustrated is developed in rough nov-

elty worsted plaided in green and blue and black. It is stunning in its style and simple in its construction. It is a style which is much more practical for winter wear than the plain cape, as it fits closer to the body.

Braiding and beading are used extensively for trimming, and are combined charmingly with a darning stitch in coarse silk, which is done in effective but simple designs.

Illustrated is a costume of simple, good style. The new small armhole is evident, and the skirt with its tunic having set-in pleats at the side and pockets, which are placed just at the pleats on either hip, makes a costume of singular smartness. It is here developed in black serge trimmed with white broadcloth heavily braided in black, for revers, cuffs, pockets and sash ends. The dress buttons down the front of the waist and to the bottom of the tunic with buttons of the same. Around the waist is looped a sash of the serge. A cunning little hat of black velvet, with dashing little white Mercury wings placed on either side, adds a chic finish to this costume.



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skirt was made with a yoke short on one hip and longer on the other. To this the lower skirt was attached, which was gathered about an inch and a half from the top edge and formed a narrow ruffle as the heading where skirt and yoke were joined. This skirt hung straight to the ankles on one side, while on the other it was draped up. Around the waist was a wide girde studded in a graceful design with brilliants.

A dress of brilliant brocade with waist full low in the back and skirt draped up at one side was entirely veiled with blue tulle. At the back two ends were fastened to the waist and reached out to the wrist, to which they were attached with bracelets of jet. When the arms were raised the effect was of transparent azure wings.

One-toned costumes are very smart. Suits of gray, green, brown or blue have blouses to match of satin, or chiffon. A striking suit of beige-colored



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gory of don'ts will seem so elementary that it is hardly to be taken seriously, but unfortunately they are but few who actually put these rules into practice.

The styles this season are shown in such variety that there are clothes for the fat, the thing and the negative woman.

Velvet and other pile fabrics, and the imitation fur-cloths, such as mole, Persian lamb, civet and leopard, are used extensively for gowns, suits and wraps, as well as for the trimming of gowns.

A taupe gown of chiffon over the same colored charmeuse had two tunics which were edged with bands of imitation mole skin. The waist also had a band of it to outline the surplice waist.

Another stunning gown had a waist made after the junior style of Persian lamb cloth. The sleeves of the waist were of black chiffon. The skirt was made with a long tunic of velvet with a lower skirt of fur-cloth.

A suit of black velvet has a jacket with long ends of velvet, which tie at the back beneath a cape-like back. The cape is edged with a four-inch band of Persian lamb. The long tunic of velvet has a band of this same fur and is over a narrow skirt of velvet.

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evening for the tri-city conference to be held to-day in Vancouver, when plans for the intercity membership competition for the Paterson cup will be discussed.

Mr. Mary Barber is a visitor in the city from Chicago, a guest at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. M. Rowe, of Seattle, is spending a short time in the city, and is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

D. J. Matheson is among those visiting the capital from Ladysmith. He is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Visitors in the city from Oregon include Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burns, who are guests at the King Edward hotel.

Miss Gwendolyn Stevens, who has been spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. H. Little and friends in this city, returned to Portland to-day accompanied by Miss Rita Gardiner.

were settled by the rapier or sword. And as the rest of the play takes place in England and the troublesome kingdom of Ruritania during 1900 the spectators are made to realize that the days of chivalry and honor are not yet over.

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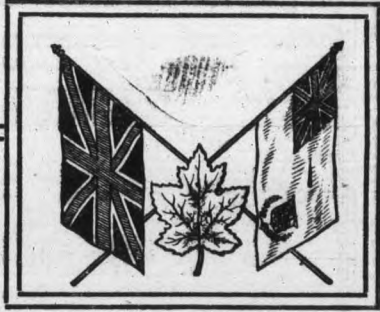
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Ye whose hopes are one with hers,  
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When the pulse of memory stirs;  
She from whom your life ye take  
Claims you; how can you forget?  
Come, your honor stands at stake!  
Pay your debt.

By her sons that hold the deep,  
Nerves at strain and sinews tense,  
Sleepless-eyed that ye may sleep  
Girded in a fast defence;  
By her sons that face the fire  
Where the battle-lines are set  
Give your country her desire!  
Pay your debt.

He that, leaving child and wife  
In our keeping, unafraid,  
Goes to dare the deadly strife  
Shall he see his trust betrayed?  
Shall he come again and find  
Hollow cheeks and eyelids wet?  
Guard them as your kith and kind!  
Pay your debt.

Sirs, we should be shamed indeed  
If the bitter cry for bread,  
Children's cries in cruel need,  
Rose and fell uncomforted!  
Ah, but since the patriot glow  
Burns in British bosoms yet,  
Twice and thrice ye will, I know,  
Pay your debt.

Everyone of us has a duty to perform. Some have gone to the front to fight and uphold the honor of Canada as a part of the British Empire.

The British cause is right, and when we consider the heroic and noble fight and great personal sacrifices the people of little Belgium made to uphold their national honor and integrity all Canadians should be keen to do their part.

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## MUNICIPAL CHAPTER IN MONTHLY MEETING

Letter of Thanks From Valcartier; Gifts of Clothing Much Appreciated

The Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., met yesterday in regular monthly session, when a quantity of business was dealt with and a number of vital matters discussed.

The resignation of Mrs. G. Turner from the secretaryship was accepted with regret, which was somewhat tempered by her expressed intention of continuing still to work actively on the patriotic service committee of the I. O. D. E.

A very interesting letter from Lieut. W. B. Shaw, with the troops at Valcartier, was read to the meeting by Mrs. Hanington, to whom the letter was addressed under date of September 9.

This was as follows:  
"Dear Mrs. Hanington—  
"Your wire to hand to-day advised me that you had already shipped 53 pairs of shoes and were also sending socks and underclothing.

"I handed your wire to the Victoria men to-day, and I assure you that they are more than simply appreciative. We have had nothing but rain since we arrived, and as the men spend a good deal of their time in the horse lines, which have been extremely wet and muddy, the shoes which they brought with them are almost useless. Since wiring you they have received their issue of boots and underclothing, but unless they have a change, there is no alternative except to put on wet boots and possibly wet underclothing.

"The remainder of the 5th, who went to Nos. 1 and 2 batteries, received their issue of boots, etc., shortly after their arrival, and consequently did not suffer so much.

"Once more I assure you that in sending shoes, underclothing and socks to the 23 men who are attached to this battery, your society has done another patriotic and kind act—an act which will do much to soften and lighten the rigorous campaign, which they undoubtedly have before them.

"We expect to leave Valcartier very shortly, and will carry with us very kind feelings towards the Daughters of the Empire of Victoria.

"Most sincerely,  
"(Signed) W. B. SHAW, Lieut."

Reporting for the ration committee, Mrs. Hanington stated that requests had been received from the troops, who had gratefully acknowledged gifts of various kinds, for boots, arrangements for the provision of which had been made by R. F. Green, M. P., and for socks and underwear.

A balance in hand of \$56.23 was reported by the treasurer. It was decided that Christmas cards would be on sale at the Temple building rooms in the near future.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Young Men's Christmas association for its generous action in placing the swimming pool at the disposal of the men of the forces; also to Mr. Fraser, of Ucluelet, whose contribution of heater had been the source of a considerable addition to the chapter's fund.

A special vote of sympathy with Capt. and Mrs. Olive Phillips-Wolley, who recently sustained a grievous loss in the death of their only son, Lieut. Commander Olive Phillips-Wolley, while fighting for the empire, was passed by the meeting.

Mrs. W. J. Roper was appointed convener of a committee to consider the best means of responding to the appeal for clothing and other necessities for the Belgian sufferers. The decision will be made known as soon as possible to W. S. Terry, Belgian consul in Victoria.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 25—5 a. m.—The barometer is abnormally low over the British C. and unsettled, rainy weather is general, while on the coast from Vancouver Island to Oregon, southerly winds prevail. Fair and moderately warm weather is reported in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday, Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong easterly and southerly winds, unsettled and cool, with rain.  
Lower Mainland—Easterly and southerly winds, unsettled and cool, with rain.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 50; wind, 2 miles E.; rain, .01; weather, rain.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, rain.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, rain.  
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 54; wind, 12 miles S.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, 6 miles S.; rain, trace; weather, rain.

Temperature.	Max.	Min.
Penticton	65	50
Nelson	69	50
Barkerville	60	40
Prince Rupert	60	40
Calgary	46	40
Edmonton	78	50
Prince Albert	60	44
Winnipeg	60	44
Toronto	62	44
Ottawa	54	40
Montreal	60	40
St. John	60	40
Halifax	70	40

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Friday.

Temperature.	Max.	Min.
Highest	61	50
Lowest	50	40
Average	55	45
Bright sunshine	45	minutes.
General state of weather.	cloudy.	

This conversation was overheard at a ladies' club in London last week. Four ladies were lunching together, two of them being visitors from Scotland. The two Scotchwomen exchanged a few sentences in the dialect of the country. When the familiar colloquy finished one of the English ladies said very gravely: "It's all right here, of course, but if I were you I should not speak German just now in a restaurant."

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## DIOCESAN W. A. MEETS

Interesting Session Marks Resumption of Season's Meetings; Quarterly Rally to Be Held Oct. 16.

A very interesting session of the Diocesan Women's Auxiliary was held yesterday in connection with the regular monthly board meeting which convened at St. Mark's schoolroom, Miss Turner, the president, presiding.

There was a very representative attendance of members. The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. J. W. Flinton, rector of St. Mark's, after which a brief but beneficial talk was given by Miss Aston, the subj. of whose remarks was "A Quiet Mind."

The routine business included the reading of several reports, including that of the diocesan treasurer, who announced receipts amounting to \$197.25. Expenditures, which included the thank-offering of \$1,263.72, amounted to \$1,341.80. The Dorcas sec-

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

MAKURA COMES FROM SUVA WITHOUT STOP

Makes Over 5,200 Miles in 13 Days; Missed Honolulu owing to Warships

Steaming over 5,200 miles in 13 days, the steamship Makura, Capt. Phillips, which docked yesterday afternoon from the Antipodes, logged the longest non-stop run ever made by a vessel of the Canadian-Australian fleet. Owing to the presence of German warships in the vicinity of the Hawaiian islands the green liner did not make her scheduled call at Honolulu. She steamed direct from Suva, Fiji Islands, to Victoria. Through pursuing a round-about course the Makura did not sight any German cruisers. It is said that the Kaiser's warships in the Pacific were informed of the date the red-stacker was due in Honolulu, and they were keeping a strict lookout for her. However, Capt. Phillips was not seeking a visit from German representatives, and he played a game of outguessing the fighting machines which waited for him. After getting away from Suva, one day behind schedule time, the skipper forsook the regular steamship track and decided to eliminate the call at Honolulu. At night the Makura proceeded at full speed with only her running light burning. Had Good Weather. Capt. Phillips said yesterday that good weather was encountered on the passage from Sydney. The Makura lost one day in steaming between Auckland and Suva, but she made good time on the long 13-day run to Victoria. The Makura brought in a very light list of passengers, owing to the missing of the call at Honolulu. The Australian boats always pick up good crowds at the Hawaiian port, but under the conditions confronting the Makura this trip it was advisable that she avoid the call. The red-stacker is the first ship to arrive in the new schedule which the Canadian-Australian line has put into effect. The Makura and Niagara will maintain a monthly service between Canada and Australia and in order to do this they will be kept running almost continually. The Makura will have but four and one-half days on this coast, in which to work her inward and outward cargoes and steam to Comox to load bunker coal. The saloon passengers who disembarked here were as follows: First class, Miss G. L. Clark, Mrs. Carney, Messrs. H. H. Carney, H. Carney; third class, Mesdames Koker Brennan, Messrs. H. Brandow, M. Kingallon, J. Chenail, J. Brennan and F. Binl. The local cargo was small, including a light shipment of New Zealand butter.

More than half of the world's population live in the tropics of the Old World. Under British rule alone are over 35,000,000 tropical natives.

When leaving Vancouver at 10:30 o'clock this morning on her regular run to Nanaimo, the fast steamer Princess Patricia, Capt. Ritchie, broke one of her shafts. She returned to her pier and transferred her passengers to the steamer Charmer, which took the sailing to the Coal City. The Patricia is expected to arrive here to-morrow to undergo repairs. While the flyer is out of service the steamer Princess Ma-

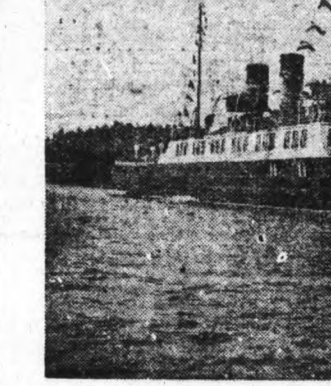
TAHOMA'S CREW HAS REACHED LAND SAFELY

Men Landed on Agattu Island and Joined Survivors of a Wrecked Schooner

Seattle, Sept. 26.—On Agattu Island, of the far western Aleutian chain, the officers and crew of the United States revenue cutter Tahoma are safe, while their vessel lies a total wreck on uncharted reefs 40 miles to the southeast, unprotected from the sweep of the Pacific. With the men of the Tahoma is the crew of a small schooner wrecked near the Smith Islands. All are believed to be well supplied with provisions. News that the shipwrecked men had reached shore was received at Valdez, Alaska, yesterday upon the arrival of the Alaska Steamship company's liner Alameda, Captain Fred Warner. The Alameda, while bound from Cordova for Valdez, picked up a wireless message from either the U. S. coast and geodetic survey steamer Patterson or the steamer Cordova. Both the Patterson and Cordova went to the assistance of the Tahoma as soon as they learned of the disaster. The message said that the Tahoma had been abandoned and would be a total loss, and that the survivors would await the arrival of the Cordova on Agattu Island.

Latest information received by Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. coast service, from Denny Bros., builders of the ships, says that the Princess Margaret was to have had dock trials this week. These trials include the raising of steam and turning over the engines to see that every piece of machinery is in working order. In another couple of weeks the great flyer will be tried out over the measured course on the Clyde. She will also be subjected to other trials of speed.

NANAIMO FLYER BREAKS ONE OF HER SHAFTS WHEN CLEARING VANCOUVER THIS MORNING



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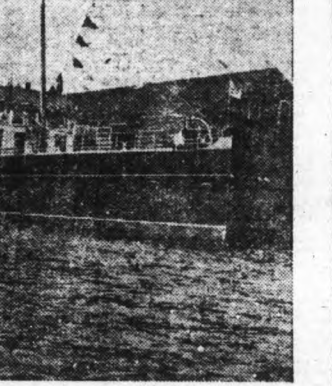
JAMES WALLACE TO BE CHIEF ON IRENE

Chief Engineer of Princess Victoria Left To-day for Dumbarton, Scotland

James Wallace, who for several years has been chief engineer of the steamer Princess Victoria, left Victoria this afternoon at 3 o'clock for Dumbarton, Scotland. He is to watch the construction of the huge turbine engines which will be installed in the new C. P. R. steamer Princess Irene. Both men who are to have charge of the engine-rooms of the two new flyers now building at Dumbarton have been selected by the officials of the B. C. coast service. Two months ago J. A. Heritage, formerly chief engineer of the Princess Charlotte, left for Scotland, and he is to act in the same capacity on the Princess Margaret. Latest information received by Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. coast service, from Denny Bros., builders of the ships, says that the Princess Margaret was to have had dock trials this week. These trials include the raising of steam and turning over the engines to see that every piece of machinery is in working order. In another couple of weeks the great flyer will be tried out over the measured course on the Clyde. She will also be subjected to other trials of speed.

The date for the departure of the Princess Margaret from the Clyde for this coast has not been announced as yet, although it is reported she will sail some time in December. Word is expected very shortly of the launching of the Princess Irene, which still rests on the ways. After the Irene takes the water it will not take any great time to have her ready for her trial trips.

ST. LAWRENCE FIRST WHALER TO RETURN



Little Steamer Took 21 Whales While Operating Out of Sechart Station

After having operated out of the Sechart station for three months, the whaling steamer St. Lawrence, Capt. Walker, returned to port this week and signed off her crew. She is the first of the fleet to arrive home and tie up at winter quarters at Point Ellice. The St. Lawrence took 21 whales during the time she was at Sechart. She missed the early part of the season owing to repairs which she had to undergo at Seattle. It is not expected that the other whalers will be returning for a week or two yet, as the weather is moderate off the coast at present and the little ships will hunt until the real winter storms set in. The catch this year will undoubtedly be larger than the total aggregate for 1913, as the Naden Harbor station is turning in a heavy catch. Kyuquot has done remarkably well and Sechart, although usually the high station, has cut up a good number of manna fish. Inside of three weeks it is believed that all the whalers will have steamed into port and signed off the crews.

ANOTHER BIG LIST

The American liner Philadelphia from Liverpool, September 19, reached New York to-day with 530 one-class (11) cabin and 145 third-class passengers. The Atlantic transport liner Minne-aha from London, September 19, with 162 first-class passengers, is due at New York on September 28th.

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Table with columns: Ship, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes entries for Epsom, Rowell, Sado Maru, Taitohibus, Historian, Monteleone, Yokoama Maru, Mexico Maru, Awa Maru, Niagara, Chicago Maru, Arna, Brasilia.

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Table with columns: Ship, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes entries for Panama Maru, Makura, Teucor, Sado Maru, Yokoama Maru, Monteleone, Niagara.

SAILER'S COMING.

Table with columns: Ship, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes entries for Alliance, Birkdale, Carrier Dove, Columbia, David Evans.

FERRY SERVICES.

Table with columns: For Vancouver, For Victoria, For Seattle. Includes entries for Princess Victoria, Princess Alice, Princess Charlotte, Princess Alice.

FERRIES START ON WINTER SCHEDULES

Changes in Sailings Become Effective To-morrow; to Overhaul Steamers

To-morrow the new winter schedule of the B. C. Coast Service will go into effect. Several changes have been made in the sailing lists of the ferry steamers and owing to the decided falling off in the passenger travel between here and Vancouver, the company has decided to cancel the morning boat out of each port. The Tacoma service is to be suspended for the winter and the steamer Sol Duc will take the night sailing out of Seattle to Victoria via Port Angeles.

In future the steamer Princess Victoria will sail for Vancouver at 1:45 o'clock in the afternoon, instead of 3 o'clock as at present. She will reach the mainland port a few minutes after 6 o'clock. The steamer Princess Charlotte will leave Vancouver at noon, instead of 10:30 o'clock, and she will arrive at Victoria at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon. As the Charlotte takes the hour of her departure for the Sound has been advanced from 4:30 o'clock to 5:30 o'clock. The morning sailing at 10:30 o'clock out of Victoria for Vancouver has been cancelled and the afternoon sailing at 2 o'clock out of Vancouver has been dropped.

It is understood that the steamers Princess Alice and Princess Mary will take the midnight sailings out of Victoria and Vancouver. The Princess Charlotte is to be laid up for a few days next week to be given a short overhaul and while she is out of service the Princess Aldeide will take the triangular run. The Aldeide is to be laid up for a couple of weeks after the Charlotte returns to her old route. To-day the steamer Iroquois, Capt. Carter, left Victoria on the last trip she will make to Tacoma until next spring. The steamer Sol Duc will be in on Monday from Seattle and Port Angeles. Her schedule calls for her arrival at Victoria at 9 a. m. daily except Sundays and she will sail on the return trip at 11 a. m.

TIDE TABLE.

Tide table for September with columns: Date, Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Includes entries for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls during two successive tidal periods without turning.

German Southwest Africa has an area nearly three times that of the United Kingdom, and a population of about 120,000.

COASTING VESSELS.

Table with columns: Ship, From, Due. Includes entries for Princess Alice, Princess Charlotte, Princess Alice, Princess Charlotte, Princess Alice, Princess Charlotte.

B. C. COAST SERVICE

Effective Sunday, September 27

Vancouver 10:30 a.m. steamer will be discontinued. Steamers will leave daily at 1:45 p.m. and 11:45 p.m. For Seattle, 5:30 p.m. daily only. Full particulars on application at C. P. R. Ticket Offices, 1102 Government street. L. D. CHETHAM City Passenger Agent. Phone 4670, 174.

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CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

Effective Monday, Sept. 28. S. S. "Sol Duc" Will leave Victoria at 11:00 a. m. for Port Angeles, Dungeness, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle. Returning will arrive Victoria 9:00 a. m. S. S. "Iroquois" Will be withdrawn from Seattle route September 25 until further notice. E. E. BLACKWOOD, Agent. 1234 Government St. Phone 456.

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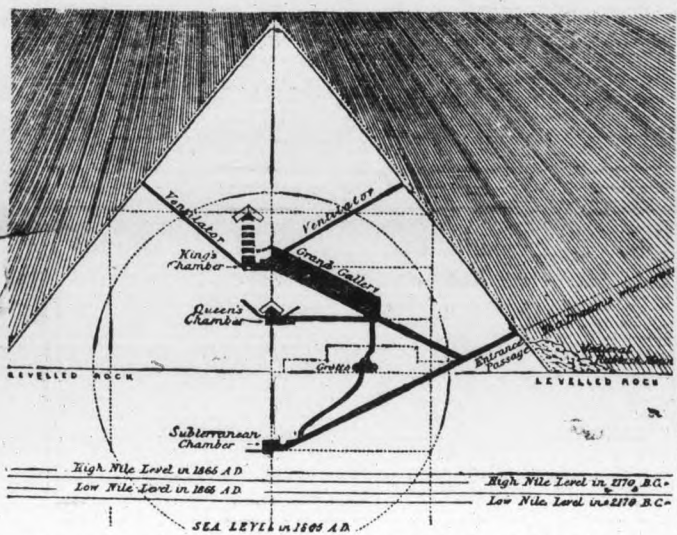
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# God's Great Stone Witness In the Land of Egypt

## Atheistical Scientists and Evolutionists Confounded

"IN THAT DAY SHALL THERE BE AN ALTAR TO THE LORD IN THE MIDST OF THE LAND OF EGYPT, AND A PILLAR AT THE BORDER THEREOF TO THE LORD. AND IT SHALL BE FOR A SIGN AND FOR A WITNESS UNTO THE LORD OF HOSTS IN THE LAND OF EGYPT."—Isa. 19:19-20.



VERTICAL SECTION OF THE GREAT WITNESS—ISAIAH 19:19-20

A special illustrated lecture will be delivered upon the subject of this great witness, Sunday evening at 7.30, in the Pantages theatre.

This wonderful witness, as the Prophet says, is in the midst and at the same time at the border of the sector-shaped Land of Lower Egypt, and contains in symbol, God's great plan of salvation; not that it is in any way an addition to the divine revelation, God's Word is complete, so that "the Man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished." Accordingly, as the Prophet says, "It shall be for a sign and for a witness." Hence it contains in symbol a complete and absolute confirmation of God's revelation to man, corroborating with such exactitude and harmony the divine revelation, that not only does it confound atheistical scientists, but it refutes utterly the modern and anti-scriptural theory of "Evolution."

This remarkable witness is one of the wonders of the world, and cannot be duplicated despite the increased science and knowledge of our day. Some of the stones used in its construction weigh approximately 880 tons, and are so beautifully fitted together that the joints are scarcely discernible.

Its absolute corroboration of the Bible testimony, however, is more wonderful than any of its scientific or constructional features. The plates and diagrams, with which the lecture is illustrated, are taken from the works of Professor C. Piazzi Smyth, F. R. S. E., F. R. A. S., Ex-Astronomer Royal for Scotland, and Dr. John Edgar, M. A., B. Sc., M. B., C. M., F. R. F. P. S. G.

The lecture is under the auspices of the International Bible Students' association. Seats are free and no collection is taken.

# SERVICES in the CITY CHURCHES

### SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

#### ANGLICAN.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdett avenue. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; choral eucharist with sermon at 9.30 a. m.; preacher, the Rev. W. H. Dawe; matins with sermon at 11 a. m.; preacher, Archdeacon Seriven. Week days: Holy communion on Thursdays and holy days at 8 a. m.; matins daily at 10 a. m.; evensong daily at 5.15 p. m. Service of intercession on Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

#### CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational church, corner of Quadra and Mason streets. Services at 11 and 7.30. Sabbath school, ladies' Bible class and Men's Own class at 2.30. Rev. H. R. Baker will preach in morning. Evensong service will be special one in connection with young people's society of Christian Endeavor. Rev. A. R. Gibson will preach.

#### INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS.

International Bible Students' Association meets in the I. B. S. A. hall, 4613 Douglas street. Bible study, 10.30 a. m. and 3 p. m. Special lecture, 7.30, in Pantages theatre on "God's Great Stone Witness" (illustrated). Tuesday, 7.30. Bible study. Thursday, 7.30. prayer, praise and testimony.

#### LUTHERAN.

St. Paul's, corner Princess avenue and Chambers street. Rev. O. V. George, pastor. German service at 11 a. m.; English service at 7.30 p. m. English Sunday school, 9.45 a. m.; English Sunday school, 10 a. m.

#### SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

Society of Friends, meeting house, Fern street (off Port street). Meetings for worship, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; mission meeting, 7 p. m.

#### UNITARIAN.

First Unitarian, Fernwood road and Esplanade street. Services at 11 and 7.30. The preacher will be Rev. H. E. B. Speight, M. A., pastor.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 925 Pandora avenue. Services are held on Sundays at 11 a. m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday at 8.

#### NAZARENE CHURCH.

Nazarene, corner Esplanade and Chambers street. Class meeting, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Sabbath school, 10.30 a. m.; preaching, 7.30 p. m. Pastor, Rev. J. M. Cios. Class leader, G. Boulding.

#### OTHER MEETINGS.

Victoria Christadelphian Ecclesia, Castle Hill, North Park street. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning meeting, 11 o'clock. Christians gathered to the name of the Lord Jesus Christ meet in Victoria, 1415 Blanshard street, near Pandora street. Sunday, 11 a. m., breaking of bread; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., gospel meeting.

#### METHODIST.

Burnside, corner of Burnside and Millgrove roads. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Pastor, Rev. L. S. Albright.

#### ROMAN CATHOLIC.

St. Andrew's Cathedral, corner of Blanshard and View streets. The Right Rev. Alexander MacDonald, D.D., Rt. Rev. Joseph Letere, R. O., D. D., Rt. Rev. Donald and Rev. John P. Silver, Masses at 8 and 9.30 a. m.; high mass with sermon at 11 o'clock; vestry, sermon and benediction at the blessed sacrament, 7.30 p. m. Holydays of Obligation—Low Mass at 6.30, 8 and 9 high mass at 11 a. m.; rosary and benediction at 7.30 p. m. Baptisms are performed Sunday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

#### BAPTIST.

Emmanuel, corner Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Fernwood campus. Rev. William Stevenson, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible classes, 2.30 p. m. Branch

# IN THE LODGE ROOM

Meetings Next Week.  
Monday—Victoria Lodge No. 1.  
Tuesday—Vancouver Encampment No. 1.  
Wednesday—Columbia Lodge No. 2.  
Thursday—Dominion Lodge No. 4.  
Victoria Lodge No. 1.

The members of this lodge will hold entertainment and whist drive in their hall on Monday evening next, September 28, when a very sociable time is assured. The members of the other city lodges and visiting brothers are cordially invited to be present and participate. The lodge intends to hold entertainments of this character during the coming winter months with the object of stimulating increased interest amongst the members in the work of the order. The first degree was conferred upon two candidates last Monday evening. There are nine members of this lodge on the sick list at the present time.

The flannel dance held by this lodge last Tuesday evening proved most enjoyable in all respects. A large attendance, splendid music, and an abundance of dainty refreshments were the result of the work of the committee, the members of which have every reason to be pleased with the success of the evening.

The royal purple degree will be conferred upon a number of candidates next Tuesday evening, and at the conclusion of the ceremonies refreshments will be served. The team captain hopes there will be a good attendance, as a very pleasant evening is assured. The new floor work will be interesting to those members who have not witnessed it, and besides, there is nothing like a good attendance to encourage the officers.

The members of the first degree team of the lodge were presented with souvenirs last Wednesday evening to commemorate their participation in the recent jubilee anniversary competition. The members of the committee who gave their services in helping to arrange the celebration were also presented with tokens of appreciation. Bro. D. Dewar, P. G., the worthy team captain, presented Bro. A. Henderson, P. G. M., with his souvenir with a few appropriate remarks, and Bro. Henderson was requested to present the tokens to the remainder of the degree team, as he had occupied the premier position in the degree week. Bro. R. Hall, P. G., on behalf of the lodge, presented the tokens to the members of the anniversary committee in a very pleasing manner. At the conclusion of this ceremony the lodge closed and all present assembled in the banquet hall, where the entertainment committee had provided an abundance of good things with which to refresh the innerman. Bro. R. Hall, P. G., presided at the banquet in a very able manner. All members of the degree team were called upon, as also were the members of the anniversary committee, and with very few exceptions each responded to his name. All expressed themselves as delighted with the souvenirs, and assured those present of the pleasure it had been for them to take part in the degree work during the competitions. Bro. A. Henderson, P. G. M., who had acted in the capacity of chairman of the whole jubilee committee, gave a short resume of the work which had been accomplished and the pleasing results attained. Although there had been much hard work, he, as well as all members of the committee, had been

# A HEALTH MESSAGE TO THE WORLD

## The Discovery of "Fruit-a-tives" Has Brought Health and Happiness to Thousands of People All Over the Dominion

# FRUIT JUICE CURES MANY SERIOUS DISEASES

## "Fruit-a-tives" is the Only Medicine Made From Fruit Juices. It is Pleasant to Take and Acts Gently on the Whole System

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Remember, that "Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine in the world that is made of fruit. There is nothing else as good, because there is no other preparation anything like "Fruit-a-tives." If you cannot get "Fruit-a-tives" right in your neighborhood, we will send you a supply postpaid, on receipt of price—50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

much pleased at the very satisfactory results. The assemblage dispersed at an early hour, and being the final windup of matters in connection with the jubilee celebration, brought to a close one of the most important events in the annals of the order in the city.

Information Wanted.  
Friends of Bro. Jas. Robertson are anxious to receive information regarding him. Communication being read in the lodges indicates that Bro. Robertson affiliated with one of the city lodges during the year 1886. Members who may remember this brother, or have any information regarding him, are asked to communicate with the secretary of any of the local lodges.

On Official Visit.  
Sister J. Grant, president of the Rebekah Assembly, leaves to-morrow on an official visit to the various Rebekah lodges throughout the province. The worthy president will arrive at Merritt on Monday, and will visit the Rebekah lodge at that place in the evening. Sister Grant expects to arrive home about the end of October.

## COWANS SOLID CHOCOLATE MAPLE BUDS

For bites between meals there is nothing equal to Maple Buds—all the goodness of the Indies seems to be caught and prisoned in these pure, velvet-smooth bits of solid chocolate—and they're so wholesome and nourishing too.

### CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

REWARD  
A Reward of Two Hundred Dollars will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who, on or about the 4th of September, blew out the Rowland dam on the Colquitz River.

By order,  
HECTOR S. COWPER,  
C. M. C.

### CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

#### GARBAGE COLLECTION

Notice is hereby given that David Drysdale, of Marjold P. O., Phone No. 71, Colquitz, has been appointed garbage collector for this Municipality. Any messages sent to him will be promptly attended to. A fee of 20c per standard measure of 32 cu. feet will be charged.

### REPAIRS TO ROCK BAY BRIDGE.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 28th inst., at 4 p. m., for the work of piling and placing of heavy timbers in connection with repairs to Rock Bay bridge.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Engineer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,  
C. M. C.  
City Clerk's Office,  
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15, 1914.

### Police Clothing Wanted

Sealed tenders will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, October 5, for 45 pairs of winter uniform pants, 18 suits of clothes, plain, and 15 winter overcoats for the Police Dept. Samples can be seen at the office of the undersigned, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on the outside of envelope, "Tenders for Police Clothing." A marked cheque for 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,  
City Purchasing Agent,  
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23, 1914.

### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the estate of Low Chop, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the Administration Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Gregory, dated the 14th day of September, 1914, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 14th day of October, 1914, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of September, A. D. 1914.

WILLIAM MONTFITH,  
Official Administrator.

### TO CURE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can be successfully treated at home by an extraordinary medicine that in many instances has effected a complete cure after all else has failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear.

Therefore, if you know someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrh, or catarrhal deafness, put out this formula and hand it to them and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription is prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmitin (Double Strength), about 75c. worth. Take this medicine at 10 a. m. with 1 pt. of hot water and 4 oz. of moist or granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

The first dose promptly ends the most distressing head noises, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., while the hearing rapidly returns as the system is invigorated by the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell and mucous droppings in the back of the throat are other symptoms that signify the presence of catarrhal poison, and which are quickly overcome by this efficacious treatment. Nearly ninety per cent. of all ear troubles are directly caused by catarrh; therefore, there are but few people whose hearing cannot be restored by this simple home treatment.

Every person who is troubled with head noises, catarrhal deafness, or catarrh in any form should give this prescription a try. There is nothing better.

IMPORTANT—In ordering Parmitin always specify that you want Double Strength; your druggist has it or he can get it for you; if not, send for it to the International Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine street, Montreal, P. Q., who make a specialty of it.

## My way with the children is to put the BIRD'S Custard on FIRST.

"But I serve it last! It persuades the children to eat the other dishes—No meat, etc., no custard—you see! And if it happens that any of the children are not eating much, I give them a larger helping of BIRD'S Custard and fruit, or pudding. Then I know they have had something nourishing; and how eagerly they enjoy it!"

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Is so pure that it never disagrees.—It is the wise mother's unfailing resource.—A few spoonfuls served on the plate with plain Rice, Sago or Tapioca makes the pudding so delicious that no child can resist it. BIRD'S Custard also gives extra nourishment and extra niceness to stewed fruit or boiled puddings, and is always a delicious "ready-in-a-moment" dish with tinned or bottled fruits.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## NEW TROPHY FOR SOCCER LEAGUE IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE MADE

### Alex. Peden Donates Challenge Cup for Knockout Competition; New Officers for B. C. F. A.

It was announced this morning by officials of the Victoria Football association that a beautiful cup had been donated by Alex. Peden, the well-known local insurance agent, to the association. This trophy, which will be known as the Alex. Peden challenge cup, will be competed for this season by all the clubs of the V. F. A. under the knock-out system. The games will be played around the Christmas holidays, and it is expected that the tournament will prove highly interesting as it will be the first of this kind that has ever been held by the Victoria Football association. The trophy has been decided over to the local body, which will shortly announce the conditions of this competition.

clubs have been allotted the two grounds at Beacon Hill and two at Heywood avenue, so that with four available grounds every week-end they will have to make other arrangements for the senior fixtures where gates are looked for.

In connection with this it might be stated that President Bain has worked exceptionally hard to secure the soccer accommodations that he has booked this year, and he has brought about a change in the relationships of the soccer teams and the Rugby union. Improvements are to be made in the Heywood avenue and Beacon Hill grounds, while there will also be new goal posts erected at all four playing fields.

Vancouver, Sept. 25.—Bob Cavers has been appointed secretary of the British Columbia Football association, succeeding William Cairns who has resigned.

President Dave Leith of the B. C. F. A. points out that in future only one game will be played for the McBride Shield between the Mainland and Island Cup winners. The first game is scheduled for Victoria next spring.

The B. C. F. A. is issuing 1,000 handbooks giving the constitution of the association and rules governing all competitions in addition to the names of all club secretaries. These will be distributed free to the players.

## VICTORIA STUDENT BOOSTS FEDERALS

### Earl Newman Says New League is Getting Lot of Patronage

Earl Newman, the well-known Victoria sporting writer, who is now attending the Northwestern Dental College at Chicago, in a letter to the Times states that the Federalists are more than making good in the east. In fact he says: "Chicago is a wonderful baseball town, and let me corroborate all statements to the effect that Tinker's team is drawing more than its share of the business. With the three teams in town, with Hans Wagner and Ty Cobb attractions in organized baseball, the Federal league park was to be the leader in attendance by a large number. Of course the fact that, by winning a double header at Buffalo yesterday, they went into first place in the league, may have brought the crowds out.

"On the other hand when I visited the National park yesterday where the Cubs were being boosted as pennant hopefuls, there was hardly a crowd which equalled a Saturday attendance at home in Victoria. So it can be seen that the once famous 'cup machine' is a thing of the past, and its only real hero is Heinie Zimmerman. Of course they have a good team, well balanced, but without the old favorites, one of whom has Boston at the head of a league and the other with Chicago's outlaw team in first place.

"The Weeghman baseball park is a

very handsome affair, and it looks like ready money the instant you step into it. There is no denying the Federalists are here to stay.

"I saw Hal Chase play to-day at first for Buffalo, and the old Victorian looks better than ever. He has come back into his old stride, and nothing goes past him at first base. He is a .300 hitter now and showed it by lining out two two-baggers in fine style, although his team was in the losing end.

"Like Tinker on his team, Chase shows his outstanding ability as a fielder. The men working alongside of them are not in their class. I believe that it is these men alone—that is the individual stars—that make the Federal league what it is, for there are many who do not look one iota better than Northwestern league players.

"Here is one bane-head play pulled off to-day, which doesn't say much for Federal league ball and is inexcusable, even in a class D league. The bat hit a slow liner to the shortstop of the Buffalo team with the bases full. The shortstop was four feet from second base and failed to attempt an easy double on the runner coming from first and allowed a score to come over. Capt. Chase did not like it, of course, and the Chicago fans got a great deal of fun out of it.

"There is one thing positive—the sliding game is mastered for fall in the big leagues. They know how it's done, and it is the prettiest part of their games to watch outside of the pitching. Ad Brennan pitched good ball for Chicago to-day, holding Buffalo to six hits.

"Here is the latest: 'On' fan says to another: 'I see McGraw has decided to send his team to the National biscuit factory.' Why, what for?' says the other. 'Why, to see if he cannot make 'Bakers' out of them.'

A meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union will be held on Monday night at the Balmoral hotel.

## REMARKED ON THE SIDE

### Soccer Association Wants More Room.

Because of the fact that the city hall authorities have not given the Victoria Football Association the number of playing fields that it had last year, this association has not yet adopted its schedule. The reason given is that it has not enough playing parks. It is hard to see how it can hope to secure increased accommodation because the Victoria Rugby Union has secured its allotment of grounds from Ald. Dilworth. This is the first year that the Rugby Union has been favored with public parks, it having had to hire private grounds previous to this year. There are more soccer teams operating in the Capital than rugby fifteen, but there are none who would say that rugby does not deserve a fair show in the allotment of parks.

### New York Has Managerial Jinx.

Griffith—Elberfeld—Stallings—Chase—Wolverton—and now Frank Chance. There must be some answer to all this trouble in Yankee ranks. Griff won a flag or two with the White Sox, before going to New York, and made a big success with Washington after leaving. But he couldn't win for Frank Farrell. Stallings took the Yanks from last to second place in two years—only to be canned. He has again proved that he was one of the greatest of all leaders, and still is. Chance earned the title of Peerless Leader through four pennant-winning years with the Cubs. But he couldn't get the Yanks as high as fifth place. No man can deny that in Griffith, Stallings and Chance the Yankees have had three of the greatest leaders known to baseball. They have proved it on the field, and in the records. But they couldn't deliver in Yankeeedom. Why? The trouble couldn't be with Griffith, Stallings and Chance. There is either some serious fault through outside interference, or rather inside interference, or the Yanks are one of those unlucky clubs like Cleveland and Cincinnati that seem to be destined to eternal failure. Neither Cincinnati nor Cleveland has won a pennant in thirty years, although both have had liberal owners in charge.

### Bad Season for Lacrosse.

This has been a disastrous season for professional lacrosse at both ends of Canada. The British Columbia league didn't last long enough for the players to get into proper condition, while in the east every club has been a heavy loser. Just how poorly the National Union clubs fared has not been officially announced, but in the Dominion association every team lost money. The champion Nationals are \$4,000 losers, Toronto dropped in the neighborhood of \$4,000, while Tecumseh will be lucky to get off with a deficit of \$2,000. It is not known what the losses of Irish-Canadians were, but they are believed to be heavy, too.

### Evidently McCredie Still Owns Ballard Club.

Walter McCredie's announcement that he has transferred every player on the Ballard club to the Portland Coast League clubs means that the Rose City magnate controls the Ballard team. McCredie allowed the club to be transferred to Ballard because he thought that it might cut down his loss, but the move did not improve things very much. Of course he did not have to pay the expenses of the team while at Ballard; these were something like \$100 a day while the team was playing home games. The Coast League management will evidently throw the Ballard franchise back upon the league now that they have taken away the players, and what men McCredie can not use next spring with his Coast Leagues, he will endeavor to sell to a minor league club. Victoria could use one or two of the Colts very nicely, especially Pat Callahan, Bobby Coltrin or Dan Murray.

## SOCCER LEAGUE TO CONTROL ALL CLUBS

### A. A. U. Selects Officers for Victoria Branch; Wests Will Hold Club Concert

That the Victoria Football association is to be given a free hand by the A. A. U. as regards the controlling of soccer is evident by last night's action of the Amateur Athletic union in referring an application from the Parkville club for affiliation to the V. F. A. This means that the A. A. U. is leaving the entire control of soccer in the capital and district to the V. F. A., and this is evidently one of the results of the coast soccer clubs' refusal to join the Dominion Football association. The re-instatement of Clarkson, formerly outside left with the Wests, was passed upon, but Sammy Duffy's application was turned down. That of H. Shepherd of Nanaimo, was laid over until the next meeting.

Efforts will be made next season to buy track and field sports in the capital, and the local branch will conduct a series of handicap events throughout the year.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, George Nicholson; vice-president, A. Leitz; secretary, Harry Skuce; registration committee, J. Youson (chairman), M. C. V. Mohr, W. H. Davies, H. Hooper and R. Bray. The chairman and secretary were appointed as delegates to the annual meeting of the provincial executive, which will be held here on October 9.

On Monday evening the Victoria West A. A. will offer a concert and banquet to the club members at its club house in Victoria West. Songs and instrumental music will be given, while plenty of refreshments and amusements will be provided.

E. C. M. Borden is out with a challenge to meet any wrestler in British Columbia at either catch-as-catch-can or Jiu-Jitsu for a purse or a side bet.

Arthur Duffy, the former world's champion and holder of a number of sprinting records, hands out a splendid compliment to the late J. E. Sullivan, who, he says, was the greatest amateur sportsman and director who ever occupied the A. A. U. presidency.

## PLAYERS ARE BUCKING AGAINST SALARY CUT

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—It is understood that the recent talk of a new hockey league had its chief birth in the hint about some time ago by certain N. H. A. hockey magnates that salaries would be considerably cut and that the players in the old league generally are behind the scheme and ready to back the founders of any outlaw organization.

This was more than hinted by one of the foremost Ottawa hockey stars who also volunteered the information that there might be something doing even in Ottawa. Already the Toronto Arena company has announced that it is ready to give any new league a home in its rink. In connection with this it might be said that Cameron, of the Torontos, and several other players of the Toronto and Ontario teams had an informal meeting in Toronto a week or so ago. On his way through Cameron also interviewed some of the Ottawa players.

It is generally understood from certain members of the Wanderer team that they will not play for the salaries offered them and it is hinted by them that they have other plans in view. There is every evidence of a general players' strike throughout the N. H. A., possibly through the fear of salary cuts. In Ottawa this can hardly be the reason, for the local club intimates that it will not cut salaries unless some very good reason forces it.

## EASTERN RUGBY

Alport, who played quarterback for University of Toronto intermediates several years ago, is turning out with Regina.

Saskatoon has dropped out of the Saskatchewan football union, thus leaving Regina and Moose Jaw. These teams will play a double schedule, commencing to-day.

It is now announced that Hugh Gall will not desert the Parkdale football team. He had promised Varsity he would coach its team providing Parkdale dropped out of the O. R. F. C.

The Hamilton Tiger and Toronto Varsity teams will likely play an exhibition game at Hamilton on Saturday, October 29.

## BANTAMS TO MEET IN TITLE CONTEST

### Kid Herman to Meet Champion Williams; Kilbane Favored Over Abe Attell

The most important ring battle now on the bill is the coming bantamweight title bout between Southern Kid Herman, the New Orleans one hundred and fifteen-pounder and Kid Williams, the championship-holder. The latter recently won the crown from Johnny Coulton, dropping the Chicago midweight in three rounds at Vernon, Cal. Herman showed rare form last week when he outboxed and outslugged clever Eddie Campi in twenty rounds at New Orleans. Williams and the Southerner met recently in the latter's home town and Williams had a shade the better of the argument, although the scrap was only a ten-round affair. Campi and Herman are really the only boys in Williams' class now that Charles Ledoux, the clever Frenchman, is on the firing line against the Germans.

Johnny Kilbane should easily dispose of the former title-holder, Abe Attell, when they battle twenty rounds in California on November 1. Kilbane outpointed the clever Attell when he relieved him of the crown with ease, and should be able to score a knockout in his coming contest. There is a very little talk of a lightweight championship fight. Freddie Welsh, the British title-holder, announces that he will make a theatrical tour before defending his throne. He states that Charlie White, of Chicago, will be the first who will be given an opportunity to wrest the crown.

Jimmy Clabby and Mike Gibbons will engage at El Paso next month. The clever eastern middle-weight, who is considered the classiest boxer in the game to-day, should draw a packed house, all their previous bouts having been whirlwind affairs. Clabby holds a shade decision over Gibbons in a ten-round bout, but the St. Paul wizard later held Clabby to a fifteen-round draw at Winnipeg. The winner of the bout will be matched to meet the victor of the Murray-Chip battle, to take place next month, in California. Chip scored a K. O. over the Californian when they battled early in the year, but it was a lucky punch that won the eastern middle as Murray had the better of it until he ran into this haymaker.

There is little chance of a championship bout in the heavyweight class for many months. Georges Carpentier, who worked himself into a position to challenge Jack Johnson, was suddenly called by the front when France and Germany went to war. Johnson, the title-holder, cannot return to America to defend his laurels because of a serious charge which is laid against him. In the meantime some of the "has-beens" and "never-wases" are swapping wallops. Jack Dillon has been matched with Jim Flynn. "One Round" Davis lowered the colors of Battling Levinsky in a ten-round bout this week. Carl Morris is still planning for a bout with Gunboat Smith, but the hard hitting marine is avoiding bouts with the American hopes until he secures a return engagement with Carpentier. A number of critics predicted a bright season for boxing in America owing to the European war, but the game is practically dead on this side of the ocean as in the old country.

## WORLD'S SERIES TO START ON OCT. 9

Chicago, Sept. 25.—Play in the series for the world's baseball championship will begin October 9. It was officially announced today by President Ban Johnson of the American league and member of the national baseball commission.

As the Boston Nationals and the Philadelphia Americans appear to be winners in their respective leagues, the commission has decided on a two-game series in each city. Two games will be played in the city where the series opens, and two will follow in the other city, alternating after each second battle until the title is won.

## LIVELY GUN CLUB HAS FINE RECORD



Members of the Esquimalt Gun Club, which held its annual shoot over the club ranges on Labor Day. This organization is one of the youngest in the Capital, yet it boasts of a splendid list of members, some of whom are ranked with the best trap-shots on the Coast.

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## BASEBALL

### YESTERDAY'S MAJOR RESULTS.

National League.	
At Philadelphia—Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 3 (10 innings).	
At Boston—First game: Cincinnati, 9; Boston, 2. Second game: Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 4.	
At New York—St. Louis, 1; New York, 3.	
At Brooklyn—Pittsburgh, 2; Brooklyn, 3.	
Standing. Won. Lost. Pct.	
Boston	31 56 .359
New York	27 64 .297
St. Louis	25 67 .271
Chicago	25 69 .263
Philadelphia	20 74 .269
Brooklyn	19 74 .257
Pittsburgh	12 79 .151
Cincinnati	5 87 .054

American League.	
At Chicago—Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 1.	
At St. Louis—Boston, 1; St. Louis, 10.	
At Cleveland—Washington, 4; Cleveland, 2.	
At Detroit—New York, 3; Detroit, 4.	
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Federal League.	
At Brooklyn—Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 1.	
At Pittsburg—Indianapolis, 9; Pittsburg, 2.	
Standing. Won. Lost. Pct.	
Chicago	39 62 .383
Indianapolis	22 62 .261
Baltimore	22 64 .258
Buffalo	20 66 .232
Brooklyn	21 68 .235
Kansas City	14 76 .158
St. Louis	14 79 .151
Pittsburg	5 77 .063

Coast League.	
At San Francisco—Venice, 4; Oakland, 3.	
At Portland—Mission, 2; Portland, 10.	
Standing. Won. Lost. Pct.	
Portland	35 69 .337
San Francisco	28 81 .258
Los Angeles	26 84 .238
Venice	24 83 .223
Mission	18 102 .152
Oakland	6 108 .056



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League Division 1.						Southern League.											
League	Division	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	League	Division	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Manchester City	1	3	1	0	8	3	7	7	Watford	1	5	3	2	0	8	3	8
Sheff. Wed.	1	5	3	1	10	5	7	17	Souhampton	1	5	4	1	0	10	6	8
Middlesboro	1	4	3	0	1	9	5	6	Brighton & Hove	1	6	3	2	1	7	5	8
Liverpool	1	4	2	2	0	9	7	6	Portsmouth	1	5	2	2	1	8	7	6
Oldham Athletic	1	3	0	1	11	9	6	3	Southend United	1	4	2	2	1	5	1	5
Sunderland	1	4	2	1	1	9	7	6	Millwall Athletic	1	4	2	1	1	5	3	6
Newcastle United	1	5	2	1	2	5	3	5	Northington	1	3	1	2	0	3	2	4
Burnley	1	3	2	0	1	4	2	4	Exeter City	1	3	2	0	1	6	4	4
Bradford	1	3	2	0	1	5	4	4	Bristol Rovers	1	4	1	2	1	5	7	4
Blackburn Rovers	1	4	2	0	2	8	7	4	Swindon Town	1	4	1	2	1	5	7	4
Aston Villa	1	5	2	0	3	10	4	4	Plymouth Argyle	1	5	1	2	2	9	9	4
Everton	1	5	2	0	3	14	4	4	Reading	1	5	1	2	2	5	7	4
Bolton Wanderers	1	5	2	0	3	14	4	4	West Ham United	1	5	0	2	2	7	10	4
Sheff. United	1	4	1	2	4	5	3	3	Norwich City	1	3	1	1	1	4	3	3
West Bromwich A.	1	4	1	2	4	6	3	3	Cardiff City	1	3	1	1	1	3	4	3
Manchester United	1	4	1	2	3	6	3	3	Croydon Comm.	1	3	1	2	1	3	4	3
Derby County	1	4	0	2	5	9	2	2	Gillingham	1	3	1	2	1	3	7	4
Tottenham Hotspur	1	4	0	2	5	9	2	2	Luton Town	1	5	1	1	8	5	10	3
Chelsea	1	4	0	2	5	9	2	2	Crystal Palace	1	3	0	2	1	2	4	2
Notts County	1	4	0	1	3	4	3	1	Queens Park	1	4	0	1	3	1	7	1
League Division 2.						Scottish League.											
League	Division	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	League	Division	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Fulham	2	5	4	0	1	8	3	8	Hearts	1	6	5	1	0	14	2	11
Bristol City	2	4	3	1	0	8	2	7	Rangers	1	6	4	1	1	9	6	8
Wolverhampton W.	2	4	3	1	0	6	6	6	Clyde	1	6	4	1	1	9	6	8
Huddersfield Town	2	3	2	1	0	7	2	5	Airdrieonians	1	6	3	2	1	6	4	8
Woolwich Arsenal	2	4	2	1	1	7	2	5	Ayr United	1	6	3	1	2	8	4	7
Derby County	2	4	2	1	1	5	4	5	Celtic	1	6	3	1	2	8	7	8



Lane of Warships Guards the Carriers of Food to the British Coast

How Britain was to be fed during a long and bitterly contested war has always been a problem that has given the British much worry. When it is remembered that Great Britain is dependent on the world for its food supplies...

The vessels carrying the foodstuffs reach Great Britain from all parts of the world, and the larger part of the food is obtained in British possessions far distant from home. This is shown in one requisite, wheat, and according to the British trade reports...

This wheat is only one item. Meat also is imported from Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and the United States, and barley, corn, oats, rice, butter, cheese and other items from all parts of the world...

Years ago the method of conveying was very different from the work of the present day. In former years fleets of cargo vessels have been loaded in different ports and when they have been ready to start for home a squadron of warships has been ready to sail with the fleet...

There are nine British warships patrolling this north Atlantic lane and they are working in a method very similar to that of sentries at an army post. These nine warships are the battleship Glory and the cruisers God Hope, Drake, Blake, Essex, Suffolk, Lancaster, Bristol and Berwick.

The distance from New York to Halifax is 570 nautical miles, or about 650 statute miles. From New York to Queenstown it is 2,834 nautical miles, and as the track to Halifax is a very little out of the regular route, it is about 2,800 miles from Halifax to the Irish coast.

The steamships, particularly the passenger vessels, are supposed to follow regular lanes in time of peace. These lanes are arranged so that the chances of collision are minimized, but just now, if one could take a look at the logs of the big ocean steamers, it would be found that the lanes over which they travel are very different from those generally used.

With nine warships to guard about 3,000 miles, one vessel has about 300 miles to cover. These warships can carry coal for a limited length of time and then must be re-coaled and restocked with provisions. Those that are near to either side of the Atlantic can run into a port, Halifax on this side, and some home port on the other and take on fresh supplies, but those further out have to be coaled and provisioned from a vessel sent out for the purpose, or relieved and sent home for supplies.

A few weeks ago Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht Erin started on her voyage home. She had successfully conveyed the racing yacht Shamrock IV to America and had dodged the German cruisers on her way over and had been in touch with the British cruisers several times. She put in to Bermuda and there the government officials ordered her guns to be dismantled and the stock of rifles emptied. All these items were to be stored below decks, because, had she met a German warship she might have been declared an armed cruiser and sent to the bottom.



It is an unanny way to travel. said one skipper who had made the trip across the ocean recently. "We go on day and night and are constantly in touch with one or another warship and yet we seldom see one of them. They keep out of sight, but they are telling us just on what line to steam, where we will meet some other vessel and what we are to do."

"In case we should run near some cruiser of the enemy, which, however, is not very likely now, we could keep out of the way until help came and then slip on while the British vessel was paying its attention to the foreigner."

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times Office not later than the day before the day of publication. They should be held over until the following day.

TO THE EDITOR:—I see there is some agitation on foot to construct some mountain road to the proposed site for still another observatory. I cannot understand any person advocating such an expense in face of what is and will transpire within the next year or so when the borrowing powers of any country will be so sorely taxed to even meet current expenses. By all means spend any moneys that are available to relieve distress, but on absolutely necessary improvements only.

What Vancouver island is most in need of are roads, good roads and plenty of them for more reasons than one. The first in my mind is for transport for supplies. The next, and not least for the convenience of visitors to view our lovely surroundings and induce them to come here and so establish a residential resort. To construct this talked of mountain road is only a minor part of the outlay that would be required to complete the entire job, observatory and all. It is all very well building these observatories, founding all these experimental farms and the like, but look at the maintenance. The observatory would probably cost \$10,000 a year to maintain, and the whole sum would find its way into the pockets at the most, of five people. Surely one place of that description Gonzales hill is quite sufficient to discover any strong alinet that will interest us Victorians. Now to give employment to a large bunch of people during these hard times I think the money would be far better spent absolutely on roads for instance, or a fine marine drive commencing at the end of the asphalt pavement on Dallas road and continuing same right through to Cordova bay and finishing at Elk lake by taking off the dangerous portion of that hill. This would make a grand circular drive of about 20 miles. I would suggest that the whole road be laid with wood blocks on a concrete base so as to encourage the lumber industry. But with the following regulations: All tenders submitted on roads for instance, that from the tree itself to the block should be entirely British labor. The same with the cement, etc. By the bye, who handled the salmon and its final consigning for the nation's gift to the old land?

WALTER J. DANDRIDGE.

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The aldermen were called together in special meeting at noon to-day to consider an offer for local improvement bonds totalling about \$650,000. After half an hour's consultation an adjournment was taken without any conclusion being reached.

WITNESSED SCENES OF GREAT LOYALTY The Rev. G. H. Andrews Returns From British Isles; Wished to Go to France. NATIONAL LEAGUE TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

LOCAL NEWS Park Concerts Ennead—Owing to the lateness of the season and the unsettled state of the weather, it has been deemed advisable to bring the park concerts to a close.

Teachers' Fund Now Over \$600 Monthly Generous Contributions Made; Committee Discusses Matter of Disbursement

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL Dock and On Hin Sent to Higher Court on Charge of Robbing Bram Singh

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR SALE—Small lot of good household furniture, one Gurney bed, table, sideboard, easy chairs, beds complete, tables, etc.

NEW PASTOR WELCOMED Rev. H. E. B. Speight and Mrs. Speight Arrive at Unitarian Church. Last evening the new minister of the Unitarian church, Rev. H. E. B. Speight, with Mrs. Speight, welcomed by his congregation to the Victoria church.

DAUBERT AND COBB ARE BATTING STARS Chicago, Sept. 26.—Jake Daubert is the real batting leader of the National league, according to figures published here today and including the records of all games up to Thursday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR RENT—Four-roomed modern house, inside city limits and just off Oak Bay car line. Rent reasonable. Phone 336012.

MEETS ON TUESDAY. Land Development Committee of Development Association Will Consider Awards; the Market. The close association between the city market project and the vacant lands development scheme has been indicated by one or two cases before the market committee, the incidents having come to light at the market last Friday.

OBITUARY RECORD The death took place last evening at St. Joseph's hospital of Victor Bousler, who was 43 years of age. The deceased, who was a native of France, lived until lately in Seattle, and at one time was a resident of Dawson City, Y. T.



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PORTLAND ISSUES

STILL HEAD LIST

Coronation Advances Cent From Friday and Sells at Four

BEAR TREND IN WHEAT

NOT YET WITHSTOOD

Support on Secondary Dip Helped Market; Liverpool Prices Down

Coronation Gold straightened up a little this morning and just one minor sale was made at one cent higher per share. The price finishing at 4 1/2.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Final prices for wheat are lower December, and 12c for May. Most of the break came at the opening. After moderate rally on some selling orders and a little buying by wire holders, the market was quiet.

Table of market prices for various commodities including Blackbird Seedlings, B. C. Refining Co., C. N. P. Fisheries, etc.

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CONSIDERABLE DECLINE IN WINNIPEG WHEAT

Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—Receipts were heavier and the market dull with heavy hedging sales and a big drop in prices at Liverpool, causing a considerable decline in wheat values here from the outset.

DISCOUNT IS ONE PER CENT

Seattle, Sept. 26.—The Seattle clearing house association, at a regular meeting held yesterday, decided to place a discount of one per cent on Canadian currency effective Monday, September 28.

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KING REVIEWS MEN OF HIS LATEST ARMY

Section of It, 150,000 in All, Passes Before Him at Aldershot

Aldershot, Eng., Sept. 26, via London, 6.40 p. m.—King George, accompanied by Queen Mary and their daughter, Princess Mary, spent the day here inspecting a huge section of Field Marshal Kitchener's new army.

Most of the men were in khaki, but here and there were seen splashes of black, where regiments of men who had not yet received their uniforms were drawn up.

Altogether 150,000 men passed before their majesties, many of them wearing ribbons and medals of the South African and other campaigns.

The royal party also made a tour of the German prisoner's camp. The king and queen will devote Sunday to visiting the British wounded.

London, Sept. 26.—10.17 a. m.—The latest official announcement given out in Berlin, according to advisers reaching London, sets forth that there are no actual successes to record in the western arena of the war, where there have been only a few minor engagements.

Weather conditions having improved along the west wing of the allies, according to an official communication given out in Paris, a battle of extraordinary violence is raging in that locality.

Reports continue to come into London of trouble between Bavarian and Prussian troops in Brussels, and it is said that the German authorities in the Belgian capital have ordered all Bavarian troops to Belgium to the scene of operations in France.

Despatches from Petrograd declare that the Austrian civil government of Cracow has been taken over by Germany. The inhabitants of Cracow are said to be in flight. The city soon will cease its normal functions and be transformed into a great fortified base.

According to the same sources of information, the Germans have three army corps into the Cracow district. In preparation for the Russian attack, which is expected, will not be delayed much longer. The Russian capital has been advised also that all traffic has been stopped between Berlin and the Baltic ports of Danzig, Elbing and Stettin.

Another demand has been made by Austria for the surrender of long-suffering Belgrade. This was answered by the shelling of the Austrian monitors in the river. In the meantime the Balkan allies continue their attack on Belgrade, the capital of Bosnia.

Prince Oscar, Emperor William's fifth son, has been obliged, because of heart weakness, to enter a hospital, according to a telegram from Berlin forwarded to London by the Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company.

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Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 26.—Winnipeg's patriotic fund is rapidly approaching the \$500,000 mark, \$44,000 being added yesterday, bringing the total to over \$424,000.

JAPANESE REFUTE SLURS ON SOLDIERS

Strict Discipline is Being Maintained Among Troops on Chinese Soil

Washington, Sept. 26.—The Japanese embassy issued today the following statement, based on official reports from Tokio: "Recent cablegrams from China can only be credited with a grain of salt. There are sinister efforts now being made in China to stir up to give color to domestic newspaper reports and telegrams going abroad. Groundless reports designed to cast a slur on the reputation of the Japanese soldiers are thus more or less disseminated.

"The alleged ruthless conduct of Japanese troops in Shantung, said to be contained in a letter coming from Lai Chau, is nothing more or less than a malicious canard.

"A dispatch addressed to the Shanghai Mercury by a foreigner living in Ping Tsu, says in part: 'The rigid discipline of the Japanese army and the decorum of the rank and file are simply laudable. After the landing of Japanese troops the citizens are at ease and the markets are calm. As to the Chinese women, the Japanese are taking scrupulous care not to annoy them in any way. The Japanese soldiers are received everywhere with hearty welcome.

"In fact, the Japanese soldiers are living up to their reputation as evidenced at the time of the Russo-Japanese war and the Boxer troubles. The strictest maintenance of military discipline, and the utter abstention from unnecessary molestations are their code of behavior."

Tokio, Sept. 26.—Announcement is made that imperial messengers have left Tokio for the scene of the operation near Tsing Tau, conveying the emperor's greetings to the Japanese and British sailors and soldiers co-operating in the fighting against the Germans in Kiau Chau.

Daughters of City.—The Daughters of City will meet on Monday afternoon at 3.30 in the Y. W. C. A. rest room.

Unemployment Parable.—Rev. William Stevenson will take as his subject to-morrow evening at Emmanuel Baptist Church the Parable of Unemployment.

Ladies' Committee Y. M. C. A.—The monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Committee of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Monday afternoon at 3 in the ladies parlor of the Y. M. C. A.

Sunday Lecture.—Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at the Progressive Thought Temple, on Pandora avenue, on Sunday at 8 p. m. on "The Subconscious Mind; its use and power." Admission is free.

Hospital W. A.—The Women's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday afternoon September 29 at 2.30 in the Rest Room of the Y.W.C.A.

To Give Address.—Dr. Ernest Hall will deliver an address on "The Duty of the Government to the Unemployed," at the Metropolitan Methodist church to-morrow at 2.30 p. m. Admission will be free.

Emmanuel Baptist Rally.—Emmanuel Baptist Sunday School rally will be held in the church on Sunday at 2.30 when there will be an interesting musical programme and a short talk by the pastor.

St. Andrew's Ladies' Auxiliary.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's society will hold a social dance in the A. O. F. hall on October 12. Mrs. Ridgeway will supply the music and a good time is assured.

Preparing Entertainment.—The Oak Bay branch of the W. C. T. U. will hold an entertainment in the Hampshire Road Methodist church Wednesday evening, Sept. 30, commencing at 8. A good programme is being prepared. A collection will be taken.

To Hold Banquet.—The Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church on Monday evening is inviting all the young people of the church to a banquet and social evening. Proceedings will commence at 7, and as elaborate preparations have been made, a very enjoyable time is anticipated.

Centennial Epworth League.—The meeting of the Centennial Epworth League next Monday will be in charge of the citizenship committee and will be addressed by Rev. Thomas Green on "Social Service Work." An interesting meeting is anticipated and all young people are cordially invited to be present.

Fairfield Rally Day.—The Fairfield Methodist Sunday School will hold its annual rally to-morrow afternoon. Special rally day music and recitations will be given by the children. It is hoped that the members of the Home Department and Cradle Roll, and friends of the church will join in and make this the biggest rally in the history of the school.

Parables in Sermon.—Rev. John Gibson Inkster, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, to-morrow will preach the third of his series of popular practical sermons on "Parables of Our Lord," the subjects of his address to-morrow night to be "The Parable of the Pearl and the Treasure," from the theme: "Summum Bonum."

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day, October 6, and continuing on Wednesday. It will be held in the Scott building, corner of Hillside avenue and Douglas street. All kinds of second hand clothing, house furnishings, etc., will be on sale. Any one wishing to contribute articles may have information by telephoning 754.

Organ Recital.—A very interesting programme has been prepared for the organ recital to be given at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, September 29, starting at 8.15, under the direction of Jesse A. Longfield. Opening with an organ duet by Miss Hastie and Mr. Longfield, the programme will include choruses by choir, vocal solo by W. Quirk and Mrs. Fahey, and organ solos by Mr. Longfield and J. I. Smith.

American Society.—The regular meeting of the American Society of Victoria, will be held in the parlors of the Dominion hotel on Monday evening, September 28. The charter membership roll is being held open till after this meeting. It is hoped there will be a large addition to the roll when the members gather. The society is organized principally for social purposes and would like to have every American resident in Victoria among its members.

Opening Dance.—The Gorge Club will open the winter season with a dance at the Connaught Hall on Monday evening, October 5. Miss Chain's orchestra will supply the music, and the same committee which was responsible for the success of these dances last year will again be in charge this season. Dancing will be from 9 to 2, and dress will be informal. The committee is: T. Pellow, president; G. Minty, vice-president; E. Ware, secretary-treasurer; H. Breen, S. Ware, W. Lawrie and B. Griffiths.

Rally Day at St. Paul's.—St. Paul's Presbyterian church rally day services to be held to-morrow will consist of two joint services. At 11 a.m. the congregation will join forces with the Sunday school, the children leading the singing, accompanied by the orchestra. In the evening at 7 o'clock the older children will sing, and the young people will constitute a considerable part of the congregation. The choir will have charge of the service of praise, and the thought pervading all the services of the day is to be "Service for Others." The church is at the corner of Henry and Mary streets, Victoria West, and the pastor is Rev. H. N. Maclean, D.D.

When Charles Darwin was visiting the country house of a friend, the two boys of the family thought they would play a joke on the scientist. So they caught a butterfly, a grasshopper, a beetle, and a centipede, and out of these creatures they made a strange composite insect. They took the centipede's body, the butterfly's wings, the grasshopper's legs and the beetle's head, and they glued them together carefully. Then, with their new insect in a box, they knocked at Darwin's door. "We caught this insect in a field," they said. "Can you tell us what kind of an insect it is, Mr. Darwin?" Darwin looked at the insect and then he looked at the boys. He smiled slightly. "Did you notice whether it hummed when you caught it, boys?" he asked. "Yes," they answered, nudging one another. "Then," said Darwin, "it's a humbug."

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Hold Rummage Sale.—The Anti-Tuberculosis society will hold a rummage sale, starting at noon on Tuesday, October 6, and continuing on Wednesday.

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**BUILDING CHANGES ASKED**  
Three Requests for Variations of  
Building By-law Before  
Streets Committee.

Three applications for suspension of  
clauses of the building by-law were  
before the aldermen yesterday after-  
noon at the meeting of the streets  
committee of the city council.

The council declined to issue a per-  
mit for a wooden shooting gallery on  
the Spencer site at the burnt area, on  
the ground that the proposed structure  
would be of too flimsy a character for  
the spot and would not give adequate  
protection to the public from stray  
bullets.

Another application was made by  
the Hudson's Bay company for per-  
mission to erect a marquee in front  
of the big new building on Douglas  
street. The plans submitted by the  
manager were changed from what  
they were when submitted to the  
council some weeks ago. Mr. Pratt  
said that the amended plan provided  
for a projection of only ten feet from  
the front of the building. The applica-  
tion will be reported upon by the  
building inspector, the fire chief and  
the city engineer at the meeting on  
Monday.

The mayor stated that Loring P.  
Rixford, architect, had applied, on be-  
half of the directors of the Royal  
Jubilee hospital, for a variation of the  
rule governing the construction of  
fuel oil tanks. As such tanks are re-  
quired to be of steel, the application  
was made in order that the hospital  
authorities might construct two con-  
crete tanks, each having a capacity of  
a carload of oil. The fire chief and  
the building inspector will report.

**HOMeward BOUND  
FROM THE ANTIPODES**  
Members of British Associ-  
ation Pass Through on Way  
From Meeting

Several members of the British Associ-  
ation for the Advancement of Science  
who have been attending the annual  
sessions in Australia arrived on the  
R. M. S. Makura last evening and pro-  
ceeded to Vancouver.

While the most famous members of  
the convention this year, Sir Oliver  
Lodge, the great physicist, retiring  
president; Professor William Brewster,  
the eminent authority on Mendelian  
heredity, who is the new president; and  
Sir Edward A. Schafer, president of  
1912, had returned to the Old Country  
by other routes, several of the dele-  
gates from the British Isles and three  
professors from the United States, de-  
cided to come by Canada.

Among those who arrived here yester-  
day were Sir Harry Rudolf Reichel,  
principal of the University College of  
North Wales; Professor Hall of Ox-  
ford University; Professor Arthur Wil-  
liam Scott, professor of mathematics  
and science at St. David's College,  
Lampeter; and Professors Clowes,  
Brewis, Rensen, Bailey and Haines, the  
last three being the American profes-  
sors referred to above.

In a chat with a Times man, Profes-  
sor Scott stated that the meeting in  
Australia, which had been divided be-  
tween the cities of Adelaide, Melbourne  
and Sydney, had been greatly interfered  
with by the outbreak of war. The at-  
tendance had been about 300 and the  
character of the papers had maintained  
the high standard which the society  
had set during the 84 years of its exist-  
ence. The New Zealand meeting had  
been abandoned on account of the war  
and the party had broken up in Sydney,  
some to visit Queensland and return by  
way of Java to Europe, and others to  
continue to New Zealand as an inform-  
ant party.

The social engagements in connection  
with the gathering had suffered by the  
distraction of public attention to other  
matters, but the resources of the public  
authorities had been placed at the dis-  
posal of the delegates for the Austral-  
ian meeting in the most generous way.

Professor Hall was met by James  
Forman, who took him for a short au-  
tomobile trip during the brief stay of  
the steamship in port.

In Professor Bateson's great address  
at Melbourne on Heredity, to which the  
visiting professors referred while here,  
the new president said of Darwinism:  
"I suppose that everyone is familiar  
in outline with the theory of the Origin  
of Species which Darwin promulgated.  
Through the last fifty years this theme  
of the Natural Selection of favored  
races has been developed and expound-  
ed in writings innumerable. Favored  
races certainly can replace others. The  
argument is sound, but we are doubt-  
ful of its value. For us that debate  
stands adjourned. We go to Darwin  
for his incomparable collection of facts.  
We would fain emulate his scholarship,  
his width and his power of exposition,  
but to us he speaks no more with philo-  
sophic authority."

The practical and experimental  
study of Variation and Heredity has  
not merely opened a new field; it has  
given a new point of view and new  
standards of criticism. The student of  
genetics knows that the time for the  
development of theory is not yet. He  
would rather stick to the seedpan and  
the incubator.

"In face of what we now know of the  
distribution of variability in nature, the  
scope claimed for natural selection in  
determining the fixity of species must  
be greatly reduced. The doctrine of the  
survival of the fittest is the organ-  
ism as a whole, but to attempt by  
this principle to find value in all defini-  
tiveness of parts and functions, and  
in the name of science to see fitness  
everywhere is mere eighteenth century  
optimism. Yet it was in application to  
the parts, to the details of specific di-  
fference, to the spots on the peacock's  
tail, to the coloring of an orchid flower,  
and hosts of such examples, that the  
potency of natural selection was urged  
with the strongest emphasis. Shorn of  
these pretensions, the doctrine of the  
survival of favored races is a truism,  
helping scarcely at all to account for  
the diversity of species."

"If, then, we have to dispense, as  
seems likely, with any addition from  
without we must begin seriously to  
consider whether the course of evolu-  
tion can at all reasonably be repre-  
sented as an unpacking of an original

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complex which contained within itself  
the whole range of diversity which  
living things present. But as we  
have got to recognize that there has  
been an evolution, that somehow or  
other the forms of life have arisen  
from fewer forms, we may as well see  
whether we are limited to the old  
view that evolutionary progress is  
from the simple to the complex, and  
whether after all it is conceivable that  
the process was the other way about.  
When the facts of genetic discovery  
become familiarly known to biologists,  
and cease to be the preoccupation of  
a few, many and long discussions must  
inevitably arise on the question. At  
first it may seem rank absurdity to  
suppose that the primordial forms or  
forms of protoplasm could have com-  
plicated complexity enough to produce  
the diverse types of life. But it is  
easier to imagine that these powers  
could have been conveyed by extrinsic  
additions."

In conclusion Professor Bateson  
said:  
"I have devoted most of this address  
to the evolutionary aspects of genetic  
research. We cannot keep these  
things out of our heads, though some-  
times we wish we could. The out-  
come as you will have seen, is nega-  
tive, destroying much that till lately  
passed for gospel. Destruction may be  
useful, but it is a low kind of work.  
We are just about where Boyle was  
in the seventeenth century. We can  
dispose of alchemy, but we cannot  
make more than a quasi-chemistry.  
We are awaiting our Priestley and our  
Mendeleff."

**WILL SEE THE CREEK  
BEFORE THEY DECIDE**

Aldermen Will Visit Selkirk  
Water in Considering Water-  
front Applications

Several waterfront applications, all  
of which had been mentioned at prior  
meetings, were before the streets com-  
mittee of the city council yesterday  
afternoon. They were the Ordano re-  
quest for privileges at Rock Bay and  
two applications, one by James Leigh  
& Sons and one by the Cameron Lum-  
ber Co., Ltd., affecting the creek, Sel-  
kirk Water. James Leigh & Sons, on  
the south side of the creek, applied for  
a booming ground for logs within an  
area shown on a plan, and on the north  
side the Cameron Lumber Company,  
Ltd., also wanted confirmation of its  
use of the area to tie up logs for cut-  
ting at the mills. In the case of the  
Cameron company the Inner Harbor  
association had already recommended  
that the application should be granted.  
P. A. McDiarmid, for Leigh & Sons,  
said that Messrs. Leigh's neighbors de-  
sired them to limit the booming ground  
to an area bounded by piles. This  
would leave an adequate navigable  
channel almost untouched, ample for  
all purposes of riparian owners. Ac-  
cordingly the application did not ask  
for any additional water privileges for  
the mill company. The city required  
the navigable course to be protected so  
that the waterfront of the Garbally  
road yards would be accessible.

Alderman Dilworth suggested that a  
committee be appointed to look into the  
question, and Alderman Todd said he  
believed the whole council should in-  
vestigate the matter on account of its  
importance.

After agreeing to this proposal, Mr.  
McDiarmid dealt with the facts regard-  
ing the ends of Turner street and  
Pleasant street, which had been ex-  
tended further north by the operation  
of Leigh & Sons. An action had been  
started on behalf of the city some few  
years ago to compel the grant of 66  
feet through the Leigh's property so  
that Turner street might be extended.  
He asked the city to suspend proceed-  
ings so that the city could obtain a  
conveyance of the land from the Do-  
minion government and then lease it  
to James Leigh & Sons for occupation  
for mill purposes. So far as Pleasant  
street was concerned, the mill com-  
pany wanted a lease of some land.  
The committee decided to visit the  
site on October 5, when the Cameron  
Lumber company's application will also  
be considered.

**WOULD REGULATE TRADE**  
Representatives of Bartenders' Union  
Makes Requests but Civic Com-  
mittee Finds It Lacks Power.

The representatives of the barten-  
ders' union who waited on the health  
and morals committee of the city  
council yesterday afternoon to dis-  
cuss the liquor license by-law made  
requests for provisions in the by-law  
which the city solicitor stated were  
outside of the power of the city un-  
der the municipal act to grant.

The section, (sub-clause 123 of the  
general powers clause), simply says  
that municipalities may provide "for  
licensing bartenders and for prohib-  
iting the employment of unlicensed  
bartenders in any licensed hotel."

The city solicitor advised the com-  
mittee that it could only license. It  
could not regulate the occupation. The  
bartenders must approach the at-  
torney-general on the question of regula-  
tion.

The following were the suggestions  
made: That all applicants should ap-  
pear in person with recommendations  
from their last employers and also  
from some reputable business men,  
other than liquor dealers; that all ap-  
licants must be of good moral char-  
acter, British subjects, or residents of  
the city for at least six months; that  
a competent bartender be a member of  
the committee dealing with all appli-  
cations for licenses; that not more  
than 125 licenses be granted until the  
population of the city increases to  
such an extent that more hotel li-  
censes are issued; that no licensee be  
permitted to work more than eight  
hours per day and not more than six  
days per week.

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