CHINA IN WAR-POPE'S PEACE SUGGESTIONS

CHINA HAS DECLARED WAR ON GERMANY AND ON AUSTRIAN NATION

Reported by Reuter's Declaration by Or- MORE THAN A HALF OF iental Government Against Central Powers Dates From 10 a.m. To-day

London, Aug. 14.—Reuter's has been officially informed that China has declared war on Germany and Austria-Hungary, the declaration dating from 10 o'clock this forenoon.

Washington, Aug. 14.—Official notice of China's declaration of war on Germany and Austria-Hungary was received to-day at the Chinese Legation here in cable dispatches from Peking.

The population of China is so vast that it is impossible to give a definite figure as in the cases of the other nations. A detailed census such as those made at periods on this continent and Europe is an un known thing in China, but estimates of the population made by those who have made a study of the matter vary all the way from 300,000,-000 to 500,000,000.

The movement of China of late has been steadily in the direction of war against the Central Powers, although the matter was befugged for a time by the ill-advised venture trade of the Allies there.

MOVING OF NATIONAL GUARD TROOPS TO FRANCE FROM STATES IS ABOUT TO BEGIN: FROM TWENTY-SIX STATES

Washington, Aug. 14. - Plans for sion will be Brigadier-General W. A sending the first force of National Mann, of the regular army, now chief Guard troops of the United States to of the division of militia affairs of the France have been perfected by the War Department with the organization of a division which will include troops from twenty-six states and the Disreduced trench warfare divisional orfrom twenty-six states and the District of Columbia. The states from which the troops are to be assembled are: Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, New York, Ohio, Georgia, Alabama, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Maryland, South Carolina, California, Missouri, Virginia, North Carolina, Kañsas, Texas, Michigan, New Jersey, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Colorado and Oregon. The others will come from the District of Columbia.

The commanding officer of the divi-

reduced trench warfare divisional or-ganization recommended by Major-General Pershing, which will give it a

STATES TO CONSULT **ALLIED NATIONS**

Powers Against Germany Will Act in Concert Regarding Peace Proposais

Washington, Aug. 14.—The State Department acknowledges that it received unofficial knowledge of Pope Benedict's peace proposals before to-day's news-dispatches were received here. No official cognizance can be taken of it until the proposal is conveyed officially. Whatever consideration is given to it will be after consultation with the other Allies. Washington, Aug. 14.- The State De

British Destroyer Hit Mine and Sank; Forty-Six Rescued

Borden Government Orders Ballot Boxes Delivered October 1

London, Aug. 14.—A British destroyer as been sunk by a mine in the North lea. The captain, two officers and 43 Government for 10,000 ballot boxes for

SOLDIERS' DEFERRED **VOTE DECLARED BOGUS**

AUDITOR'S SUMMARY OF ALL VOTES FOLLED

Number of votes polled, after September 14, 1916, Recommended by the Commission for rejection 4,697

Legislative Press Gallery, August 14, 1917.

The adjourned session of the Provincial Legislature resumed its raliroad employees, has even affect The adjourned session of the Provincial Legislature resumed its sittings at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon with the customary formalities, Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay reading prayers. The Speaker announced to the House that vacancies had been created in Victoria City and Vancouver City by the acceptance of offices of emolument by Hon. John Hart and Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, and similarly in Similkameen, by the elevation to the Senate of Canada of L. W. Shatford. He announced his receipt from the Deputy.

ounced his receipt from the Deputy Provincial Secretary of the election of ters were introduced to the House by the Honorable the Premier and took their seats amid applause.

The chief business before the House was the reception of the report of the Royal Commission appointed to go to England for the purpose of collecting evidence in relation to alleged irregularities in the taking of the vote among British Columbia soldiers on the Prohibition Referendum. The completed document was presented by Chairman David Whiteside to the Provincial Secretary this morning. retary this morning.

It will be seen from the full text of the Commission's report, printed in full hereunder, that the auditor classifies the whole of the votes polled after Sep-tember 14, 1916, under fourteen heads, in each of which the number recom-mended for acceptance or rejection is, given. Out of 8,505 votes polled after September 14 the Royal Commission

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Wathington, Aug. 13—Captain Pretourish and the service of the

Spain Placed Under Martial Law; Strike

Madrid, Aug. 14-The whole of Spain has been placed under martial lav of the Cabinet which devoted its en tire time to consideration of the strike. Instructions were sent to the military authorities, who have been given full ontrol. Disturbances which occurre

the military forces.

The strike, which was started by the

Hon. John Hart and Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, when the newly-elected Minis-AND \$4,000,000,000 FROM STATES TO **ALLIES; METHODS OF RAISING FUNDS**

Washington, Aug. 14.-Congress will be asked to authorize another loan of between \$3,000,000,000 and \$4,000,000,000 to the Allies.

Secretary McAdoo and Representative Kitchin, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House, agreed on this to-day, | ized expressions of opinion for publicaand also agreed upon the desirability of raising a larger sum than tion, but it was apparent at once that \$2,000,000,000 for war purposes by taxation. Congress probably will the peace proposals fall on unrecepbe called upon at the December session to revise the war revenue bill tive ears so far as the diplomats here

Continues to Spread

STATUS QUO ANTE IS POPE'S

SUGGESTION TO NATIONS AT

WAR TO BRING ABOUT PEACE

following disorders resulting from the general strike, which is spreading. This decision was reached at a meeting

of States

PEACE PROPOSALS

Rome telling of the Pope's proposals for peace.

now before the Senate to increase the sum to be obtained through taxation.

Washington, Aug. 14.—A minority report of the Senate Finance Committee on the war tax bill was presented to the Senate to-day by Senator Lafollette with the converse of Senate Se

Washington, Aug. 14.—Nominations were grounded to the first propert of the Senate Finance Committee on the Washington, Aug. 14.—A minority the grounded purpose of the Logislative Associates of the Logislative Associates of the Logislative Associates of the Logislative Associates of the Honorable the Speaker and the Members of the Logislative Associates of the Logislative Associates of the Honorable the Speaker and the Columbia. The Honorable the Speaker and the Columbia Columbia Columbia. Columbia and were emphatic in declaring that no statement whatever could be represented as reported purpose of making the said Act, profile of the Senate Finance Committee on the war tax bill was presented to the Senate to-day by President Will.

— Possils could not be discussed until the communication of the Senate Finance Committee on the war tax bill. He are warned to the Senate to-day by President Will.

— President Will.

— Province of British Columbia C

while, so far as Italy is concerned, it is, stated after a visit to the various secsual here that the Government would be overturned by the people if it consented to abate its demand for "Italia Hredenta," involving the restoration of German offensive. Our artillery and Irredenta," involving the restoration of

Thousands Excected From States to Aid With Canada's Grain

Washington, Aug. 14.—American labor will be supplied for harvesting the Canadian grain crop under an arrangement reported to-day between W. Cory, the Canadian Deputy Minister of the Interior, and Department of Labor officials here. American harvest hands will be permitted for the first time to enter Canada and the immigration regulations will be waived by both countries.

KANSAS CITY STRIKE.

Kansas City. Mo. Aug. 14.—The street car strike here was at a dead-lock to-day, with no cars moving and little prospect of relief.

Urges Restoration of Belgium, Serbia and Roumania; Adjustment of Question of Alsace; Colonies Back to Germany

London, Aug. 14.—Pope Benedict has addressed another appeal for peace to the belligerent nations. It is unofficially reported from Rome that the Pope has made specific proposals to the heads of the warring nations, and that they include restoration of Belgium, Serbia and Roumania and peaceful adjustment of the questions of Alsace-Lorraine, Trent, Trieste and Poland.

The outline of the proposals received here demands the restoration of all German colonies to Germany.

- Summed up, the proposals are for a restoration of the status quo ante bellum with all questions as to readjustments of frontiers to be left to be defined at subsequent negotiations.

This is the second direct appeal by Pope Benedict to the belligerent 'nations. In July of 1915, the Pope sent a letter to them, inviting all friends of TRACED TO GERMANY to terminate the war. It is expected the text of the new proposals will be

can organ

Conviction Expressed by Entente Diplomats at Capital Rome, Aug. 14.—Peace proposals made by Pope Benedict have been de-livered to all the belligerent govern-

Washington, Aug. 14—Without adwices of any kind from their own Governments, the Entente Embassies here were intensely interested to-day in the Associated Press cablegrams from Rome telling of the Pope's proposals will be published to-day by the Vatican.

Washington, Aug. 14.—An unofficial outline of Pope Benedict's peace proposals as received here discloses that the Pontif includes some of the principles of world peace for which President Wilson has declared. Diplomatic practice prevents author Among the Pope's proposals are reduction of armaments, freedom of the seas and that there shall be no retaliatory struggle after the war for world commercial supremacy. These can

commercial supremacy. These are re-garded as the foundation stones of the Pope's proposals.

The Pope's proposal declares that the injuries to all beligerents have been so great there has been no thought of

published to-night in the official Vati-

Message Delivered.

reparation except the return of terri-

MORALE OF RUSSIANS DECIDEDLY IMPROVED

Better Conditions Referred to by Correspondent on Southwestern Front

estern Front, Aug. 13.-Via Petrograd and London, Aug. 14.-There is a decided improvement in the morale of the Russian infantry. This can be

British armored cars cleared the east bank of the Zborocz. Northward toward Zborocz our line is naturally strong. It will cost the enemy dearly to break through. Southward we have cleared the approaches to Kamlentk and driven the enemy back twenty

Our failure at present to stop the

The improvement in the Petrograd affords the armies ing time, which has been util Gen. Korniloff in systematic zation at the front and rear, to the acceptance by the new Gen. Korniloff's conditions the afformation of the second time.

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IS DECLARED LENINE STILL IN PETROGRAD

Petrograd, Aug. 14.—Notiwthstanding the reports that Nikolai Lenine had escaped from the country, the Maximalists in convention here are alleged to have made the open declaration that the Russian Socialist leader is still in hiding in Petrograd and in daily communication with his followers.

The Maximalists elected Lenine honorary chairman of their convention.

WAY OF GERMANS IN STATES IS HARD

Washington, Aug. 14.—Publication of war news and comment on internation-al or political questions affecting the war news and comment on international or political questions affecting the war in German or other foreign language newspapers unless accompanied by a parallel column with a true and torrect translation in English will be forbidden by a bill introduced by Senator King. Deportation or internment for citizens naturalized within the last twenty years found guilty of uttering or publishing statements disposal to the United States or tending to

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incite sedition or insurrection is pro-posed in. another bill introduced by Senator King.

The Attorney-General would be in-structed to bring suits, against such persons to cancel naturalization pa

STATES INQUIRES REGARDING GUNNERS

Washington, Aug. 14.—The United States has called on the Swiss committee looking after the welfare oprisoners of war to ascertain the fate of the American gun crew cap-tured by a German submarine from the American steamship Campana.

COMMERCE OF ALASKA.

PROGRESS WAS MADE BY FRENCH TROOPS

London Reports Air Fighting

Paris, Aug. 14.—The War Office re-

The artillery duel was very violent o-day between Cefny and Craonne. German troops again attempted to red to the south of Ailles. We reolsed all attacks and made progress

"The city of Rhelms to day received 50 shells, most of which were incendiary. Four civilians were killed and we wounded,

Violent artillery fighting took place

British Report. London, Aug. 14.—The following of-ficial report was is need last night: "The enemy artillery displayed in-creased activity during the morning southeast of the Arras-Cambrai road and in the Nieuport sector. "Our arrollance and balleons or

and in the Nieuport sector.

"Our aeroplanes and balloons carried out a great deal of successful work yesterday in conjunction with our artillery. Many photographs were taken, and four enemy aerodromes were bombed heavily. Enemy aircraft again were particularly aggressive. In the fighting in the air nine German aeroplanes were brought down, two of which fell within our lines, and eight which fell within our lines, and eight others were driven down out of con-trol. Seven of our machines are missing.".

A Strange Tale.

Berlin, Aug. 14.—During July the Entente forces on the west front lost 213 aeroplanes and 34 captive balloons according to a statement from the War Office. The Germans lost 66 aero planes and no captive balloons.

Frankfort Bombed. Amsterdam, Aug. 14.-An Entente aeroplane on Sunday passed over Frankfort-on-the-Main and dropped several bombs in the crowded streets, according to a dispatch received here from the German city. Four persons were killed and several wounded. On Saturday Frankfort was raided by a number of Entente airmen, who dropped several bombs. No one was

on Sunday said two aviators flew to Frankfort-on-the-Main on Saturday and dropped bombs on the city in re-prisal for a German air raid on Nancy.

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HARVEST FIELDS ARE **CALLING FOR MEN**

South of Ailles; Artillery Duels; Premier of Manitoba Urges All As Member of War Cabinet; Men Who Can to Go

Winnipeg, Aug. 14.—Hon. T. C. Norris, Premier of Manitoba, has Issued a call to men in all walks of life to go to the harvest fields in the province. The Premier states that with prospects of good crops it is the duty of every man who can possibly get away to assist in harvesting the exportable grain to insure every pound of the produce of the Western fields being placed at the disposal of the Empire and its "allies. The call asks especially for men to help with the harvest until the harvesters arrive from Eastern Canada. These will begin to arrive here about August 20.

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Saskatchewan Crops,

GERMAN AEROPLANES ROUTED BY BRITISH

London, Aug. 14.-The following offiial report was iss anday's air raid

Sunday's air raid:

"The reports of our pilots show conclusively that the enemy aircraft for mation which attacked the eastern and the stacked the eastern and the stacked the eastern of our aeroplanes which were sent uniform the prime Minister and his collegues in regard to the case.

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"The action of our anti-aircraft gums was of great assistance to our fighting squadrons."

German Statement.

Berlin, Aug. 14.—An efficial statement is squadrons which bombed Southend and Margate on the southeast coast of England on Sunday, one is missing.

"The statement reads:

"One of our aviation squadrons yesterday attacked England. Bombs were dropped with visibly good results on the military works at Southend and the ministers who are awaiting in securing a victory. He was not the military works at Southend and the ministers who are awaiting in the difference on Prime Minister, who made clear that my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with my refaining the secretaryship of the Labor party was incompatible with m

dropped with visibly good results on the military works at Southend and Margate, at the mouth of the Thames. One of our airships is missing."

The Germans lost two machines. This s announced officially in Londo terday.

A SINN FEINER OF PROMINENCE REARRESTED

profile, Aug. 18. 9. J. Walsh, a prominent member of the Sinn Fein party, whose death sentence or par-ticipation in the recent rebellion was commuted to ten years penal servitude and who was lately granted amnesty, was arrested here yesterday in con-nection with the formation of Sinn Feln clubs in the south of Ireland. Courts-martial recently have sen-tenced three Sinn Felners from County

Stare and four from County Galway to mprisonment varying from two years he anti-drilling order.

DIRECTOR OF COAL

Charters, once a member of the On-tario Legislature and now county registrar, was unanimously chosen

North Brantford, Conn., Aug. 14.— Seventeen persons were killed and up-wards of two score injured, some prob-ably fatally, when two trolley cars on the Shore Line electric line met head-on at high speed a short distance from the local station late yesterday. Both cars were well filled with pas-

RT. HON. G. N. BARNES SUCCEEDS HENDERSON

Latter Speaks in the Commons

Mayors of cities and towns of Manitoba are asked by the Fremier to organize to bring about the best results. The Winnipeg board of control is to allow as many of the civic employees as possible to go harvesting. Thousands of agrees of wheat are now ready for cutting in the West and the imperative and immediate need is for men to handle it.

Henderson's Speech.

Mr. Henderson in the House of Com-Regina, Aug. 14.—The official crop report made public to-day by the Department of Agriculture shows the rains during the last week have had a beneficial effect on the Saskatchewan crop. The general wheat yield is now estimated at between 15 and 20 bushels to the acre; cats from 20 to 30 bushels to the acre; cats from 20 to 30 bushels to the acre; and flax from 12 to 15 bushels. Harvesting will be general bushels. Harvesting will be general tire misunderstanding arose through in most sections by the end of the the Government having previously week. Most of the reports indicate that the wheat is filling out better than was thought possible two weeks ago. yesterday been formulated the entire crisis would have

Mr. Henderson spoke with great bit

list of ex-aministers who are awarding the opportunity to state the full facts of their cases without prejudice to the national interests."

Mr. Henderson insisted that his statement as to the Paris conference

was in strict harmony with his pos-

"After the decision had been taken with regard to my visit to Paris," he said, "I intimated that to the Prim Minister, and it was the subject of a special Cabinet meeting."

Bonar Law Explains. Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, Chan-ellor of the Exchequer, interrupted the

cellor of the Exchequer, interrupted the speaker, saying:
"I really must put the facts before the House. The Prime Minister was absent and his colleagues here had no knowledge whatever from Mr. Henderson of his intention to go to Parls with James Ramsay Macdonald. We discovered it first in a telegram which was circulated to us. We clearly expressed to Mr. Henderson our disap-

Chicago, Aug. 14.—A troublous setting was provided yesterday for Chief Justice O. N. Carier when he assumed his duty as director of coal for Illinois, under appointment from Governor Lowden.

Miners are now on strike at twenty different places in the state, causing a situation so acute that immediate adjustment of prices, such as was hoped to result from the efforts of Justice Carter, appears to be barred.

A NOMINATION BY

ONTARIO CONSERVATIVES

Brampton, Ont., Aug. 14.—Sam Charters, once a member of the On
Message From Kerensky.

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Mr. Asquith.

Mr. Henderson dealt exhaustively with the charge that he had broken

that he had been forced to discuss the

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Not Now.

"If the full story in regard to the Stockholm conference must be told, in anyone might think about the national interest it should not be told now, and I am content to join the list of ex-Ministers who are awaited. be part of air, rienderson's speech, they be would respond to his appeal for upity in securing a victory. He was not sure, he added, that it was necessary to say more than to repeat the statement that he (the Prime Minister) had made in the press. Each member of the Cabinet had informed him that Mr. Henderson had left the impression of Henderson had left the impression is mind that he intended to use whole influence to

> Mr. Henderson here interrupted th favor the Stockholm conference dele-gates should go, but no member of the

Government. said he would not consent to Mr. Hen derson or any delegates representing Great Britain attending the Stockholn

onference, A Mistake

Mr. Lloyd George said that while or from County Galway to varying from two years this for effences against no order.

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WILHELM'S MESSAGE IS MADE PUBLIC BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS

Charters, once a member of the Ontario Legislature and now county registrar, was unanimously chosen Conservative candidate for the Dominion constituency of Peel, left vacant by the elevation of Richard Blain to the Senata Charters was a Brampton newspaperman. He will resign the registrarship and make a vigorous campaign.

SEVENTEEN KILLED.

Mr. Henderson dealt exhaustively with the charge that he had broken faith in failing to give the telegram of M. Kerensky, the Russian Premier, to M. Kerensky, the Russian Premier, to the conference. He pointed out that he could not, when speaking as the secretary of the Labor Party, quote a member of the Government and Secretary of the Labor Party was an impossible one, said the Prime Ministrative and modified its old position.

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Maspiers on because the degram to President Wilson.

Kalser's In the paragraph numbered three, "grave maneeuvres" is "grave measures" in the original; in paragraph four, where "to repudiate taking any that he had been forced to discuss the question because of serious aspersions against his honor by the press, but that he had not told the full story of the local station late yesterday.

Both cars were well filled with passengers and most of the dead were women.

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- RUSSO-ROUMANIANS FIGHT STUBBORNLY

Success in Okna-Grozechti Region; Prisoners Elsewhere; Withdrew in Fokshani Area

mestern front—There have been fusilized and scouting operations.

"Poumanian front — Northwest of Simot the enemy began an attack on our positions, The battle is progressing with fluctuating results. 'In the Okna-Grozechti region a

stubborn battle was waged throughout the power of the province to make Sunday. Roumanian troops, supported such a regulation with regard to companies of heights. The offensive

from a series of heights. The offensive is continuing.

"An eighty acounter-attack in the availey of the Sloniku River, Western Moldaria, was repuised, We explured more than 600 prisoners and four machine guns.

"In the direction of Fokshani on Sunday the Austro-Germans continued their obstinate attacks. Our troops have valiantly held their positions, and at times have developed counter-attacks, in one of which 500 Austrians were captured. Toward evening our troops retired to the Siraski-Deockiel line.

SHELL AMBULANCES.

An Atlantic Port of the United States, Aug. 14. Since the United States, and Henry H. Houston II., of Philadelphia, who is just back from the fort to-day.

He served seven months driving an ambulance. Prior to the declaration of war by the United States the ambulances received no more than casual

arlous points of the enemy's rea

German Statement Berlin, Aug. 14.-The War stated last night: "In Roumania our troops gained

DOMINION COMPANIES BEYOND CONTROL OF ONTARIO PROVINCE

Petrograd, Aug. 14.—The following official report was issued last night:

"Western front—There have been provided and sometimes of the first lades and sometimes."

Toronto, Aug. 14.—At Osgoode Hall Mr. Justice Masten gave judgment yesterday holding that the Ontario extra-provincial corporations act of 1914 is ultra vires and invalid in all its

The purport of the act, he finds, is to exert control over all companies in-corporated outside the province. While this is permissible as regards foreign ompanies, it is held that it is beyond

the edge, but there was absolutely no ply separation or apparent damage to the belt whatever, other than the wear on the

The writer has no hesitation in saying that as far as his experience goes, there is no belt seems so well adapted for

cement mill service as 'Extra Power.'"

RESOLUTION PASSED AT REGINA MEETING

ers veterans of the war.

The following resolution was carried without dissent:

"Whereas we stand heart and soul for the winning of the war and the continuation by the Dominion of Candal of the glorious part her gallant ada of the glorious part, her gallant soldiers have played, and are deter-mined that the great sacrifice of our boys shall not be in vain nor the honor

of our country tarnished;
"And-whereas the system of volun-tary recruiting can bear no more re-cruits, and is in any case unfair and not always productive of the men who can best be spared for the fighting

ranks;

"And whereas Great Britain and the United States have enforced compulsory military service and the Canadian Parliament has given third reading to the Military Service bill:

"And whereas we believe the country is tired of party politics and patriotic ways the country is tired of party politics and patriotic."

men desire to unite for the commo cause of winning the war, which is an issue that transcends all others;
"Now we, as a non-political gathering, hereby resolve as follows:
"That the Military Service Bill be

should bury party politics for the dur-ation of the war, and "That in order to give the four West-

Regina, Aug. 14.—A fair-sized crowd attended a mass meeting held here last evening under the auspices of the returned soldiers. In the crowd were about 200 soldiers, about half of whom were from the camp here and the others, veterans of the war.

The following resolution was carried.

QUESTIONS REGARDING THE NATIONAL TRUST

Ottawa, Aug. 14.-A series of ques

GERMANS INTERNED.

ROME REASSURED BY LONDON CONFERENCE

Italians Do Not Wish Balkan Alliance Subject to Austria .

Rome, Aug. 14.—Public opinion her

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—A series of questions was asked in the Commons yesterday afternoon by Roche Lanctot, one of the Liberal members from Quebec Province, in regard to the National Trust Company. The first question was as to whether Sir Thomas. White is still secretary of the company and also a director. The answer was: "Sir Thomas White severed his connection with the company in 1911 and resigned from the board of directors."

Mr. Lanctot asked if there was an agreement entered into between the National Trust Company, the Governof Canada and the Canadian Northern Railway for marketing of the bonds guaranteed by the Canadian Government for M5,000,000 in 1914. The answer was that there was no such agreement.

GERMANS INTERNED.

Rome, Aug. 14.—Public opinion here is reassured by the action of the London of th comprising nationalities races, religious instincts and degrees civilization—an alliance which, no

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Woolen Scarves in Pink, Green, Rose, Purple, Saxe with White stripe
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PROPOSAL FOR VOTING BY TROOPS OVERSEAS

Borden Government's Measure Introduced in Commons by Mr. Doherty

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—"The Military scene stand. Services Voting Act, 1917," introduced by Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, as a preparation for the forthcoming Dominion general election, provides for the taking of the votes of all persons on active service at the forthoming general election. It provides for a complete recording of the votes

place in Canada.

A general returning officer is to be appointed on this side of the Atlantic, to whom the overseas results are to be sent. These he will add to the results from each constituency, following the home voting. This officer is to make the final return for each constituency, and not the local returning officer, as in the past. The bill provides the vote for everyone in the military service. for everyone in the military service, including mingrs, nurses, Indians and those connected with the aviation and naval forces of Great Britain.

A. K. Maclean, Liberal, Halifax, sug-

Mr. Doherty said the purpose of the bill was to make complete provision for the taking of the votes of the seldiers overseas and elsewhere. Additional legislation was necessary because of the changed conditions since the first legislation was passed in Mrs. Jarvis says Dr. Cassell's. Tablets

the first legislation was passed in 1915.

Mr. Doherty said the chief change in the new measure was that provision would be made for a complete election on the other side of the Atlantic. A special overseas clerk of the Crown in Chancery would be appointed who would attend to all the details of the election. Special returning officers would be appointed to take the vote in France. The ballots would be sent to the office of the High Commissioner in London from the central points at which the vote had been taken and counted, and the result added to the general result in Canada would determine the result of the election. The Minister said this plan was necessary because of the large number of votes to be taken and because of the danger that if the ballots were sent to Canada they might be lost on the way. A general returning officer would be appointed in Canada whose duty it would be to add the overseas votes and home votes in order to decide the general result.

The bill would give the vote to everyone on active service irrespective of age or sex. Mipors would vote as well as nairges. The Indians in khaki also would register their votes.

No Names.

The names of candidates would not be printed on the ballots. The soldiers

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might vote for the Government or for night vote for the Government or for he Opposition, or for an individual andidate, when they knew the names f the candidates in the constituency to which they belong. Every possible ster-yould be taken to let the soldiers-know ne names of the candidates.

Hugh Guthrie, Liberal, South Wellington, Ont.. suggested that the bal-lots should be printed in blank because the ballot as proposed would work out to the advantage of the straight party men. There would be candidates in the approaching election whose relations as to the two parties it would be difficult for voters removed from the scene of the main contest to under-

Mr. Doherty thought the provision in the Commons yesterday afternoon by Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, as a preparation for the forth-

Scrutineers.

Replying to a question by Hon.
Chas. Marcil, Mr. Doherty said the bill. for a complete recording of the votes overseas, including the counting of the ballots. Four weeks are to elapse between nomination day and polling day in all Dominion constituencies. This would give the soldiers 29 days in which to deposit their ballots, as they would have the four weeks plus the one day on which voting would take place in Canada.

A general returning officer is to be A general returning officer is to be

NO INFORMATION.

Washington, Aug. 14.—The Navy Department has no information on the finding of an American sailor's body near Queenstown, as has been reported, committee of the House, and Sir Robert Borden promised to consider the proposal.

Changed Conditions.

Sir and nothing to show that his death of dicates anything more serious than probably the loss of a man overboard in stormy weather.





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him victories and Hindenburg echoes him in extravagant eulogies of the glorious feats of the Hun armies which press hails every prospect of immediate peace with expressions of exulupon the performances of the U-boats. Captain Persius again warns the German people that the submarines are circumstances. Consequently the again the United Stages means the indeed can they. It is based upon the resignation of Mr. Henderson, late indeed can they. It is based upon the closing of many backdoors unless the resignation of Mr. Henderson, late Labor member of the British War Cables in the transfer of the British War Cables in the transfer of the British War Cables in the complainment of the British War Cables in the incident, merely an insignificant manifestation of a misun
significant manifestat significant manifestation of a misun-derstanding between members of the Government, is magnified in termany fance of international law and in con-fance of international law and in con-Government, is magnified in Germany into evidence of a pending disruption of the Lloyd George Cabinet that will culminate in general disagreement among the Fateur. Alloyd The States is acting in desperately with official sanction, to be a forgery. The document was dispatched from Berlin to Washington by Ambassador Gerard and head voted, that were on file in the Military Records Office. has been in the mind of Germany for illegal action unique in the history of two years—peace separately as between Germany and her various merely want to carry on their trade

Germans were assured that peace

Germans were assured that peace admit the invincibility of the German ment just because they will not obey armies. But Germany has two strings the orders of the Entente." to her bow. She is working for peace through Austria also, with His Holiness the Pope as the intermediary. Austria is the elder daughter of the Church. She is in desperate straits. Her councils are divided, ruin stares her in the face-ruin politically, financially and economically, and it is but moved to compassion and endeavor to avert the doom which threatens her, But Germany will find there can be no peace until, as Premier Lloyd George has said, she is prepared to pronounce that blessed word "restoration." Until she can utter that word clearly, distinctly and with every manifestation of sincerity, there can be no peace for her. Within certain limits her statesmen masters in the art of intrigue, but intrigue will not bring her the peac-

GERMANY'S WAR RECORD.

she desires.

The world was warned of what Germany was capable of doing and would do "with her back to the wall." Con sider what she is doing, and the conclusion is inevitable that Germany's back is "to the wall." Three years ago the last thought that would have entered the mind of man was that the warships of any nation would have been capable of sinking merchant ships without warning and making as sured provision for the safety of the passengers and crews. _ Germany is not only sinking all kinds of ships without warning but she is guilty of killing by shellfire non-combatants endeavoring to save their lives in the life boats of the ships that have been sunk Three years ago it was an understood axiom of war that unfortified cities and towns should not be attacked without giving their inhabitants at least twenty-four hours' notice in order that safety. Germany not only attacks unfortified cities and towns without notice, she shells cities and towns without notice, she shells cities and towns without any military purpose whatever, apparently merely to gratify the lust of slaughter, an inclination, we verily believe, which lurks in the heart of no human being whatever, and in the breast of few beasts, except the breast of the Hun. Three years ago certain rules governing the conduct of armies of invasion were generally recognized by civilized nations. Germany has inthey might make provision for their by civilized nations. Germany has in- contractors, whose financial standing naval ones,

ilated, murdered and carried the civ- out without serious inconvenience. lian population into captivity, and has een guilty of even more atrocious offences. These things are not merely allegations; they are facts established pon the records. And we are asked to

THE HUN AND HIS NEIGHBORS.

of nervous ture she has invented for the terror- matter works out. ization of the world. The charge against the United States is that she in peans of praise to God for giving Highest War Lord and that is very evident, to the cartoonist at least. Neutrals have been feeding Germany ever since the war began. For the last to do.

> P. G. E. AGAIN. We are told that the report of the

auditor appointed by Mr. P. Welch to

investigate the accounts of that gentlenatural that the Holy Father should be effect of removing many misapprehen-clared war against the Hun and his the Provincial Government. We doubt as well as the greater part of Europe, is now mixed up in the tremendous these effects. There is, in fact, no misapprehension, but there is an apprehension which has been confirmed by the the bonds of the P. G. E., and that deeply interesting report to the Legiscannot be a source of satisfaction lature. the books of the P. G. E., conducted many?" by a firm of accountants of establi reputation, and the report of these DRYDOCK SUBSIDIES anditors showed that over-paymentsillegal overpayments authorized by Mr. Bowser, then Attorney-General of the Province-to the amount of over five million seven hundred thousand dollars, and that Mr. D'Arcy Tate profited to the extent of half a million in another phase of the transaction, but in this latter case the recipient urged in extenuation that out of this amount he was expected to "look after" the Bowser compaign fund. Mr. Welch's private accountants may prove by the books that their principal was a loser under his part of the contract with the Government, but the facts cannot be explained away either to the satisfaction of the public or the members of

> However, we hope there is ground for the assumption that an agreement may and the parties concerned, at present

aded weak and helpless nations, mu- is a guarantee that it could be carried

There was an interesting observation in the New York Times a few days ago. It was, in the light of events, more than an observation: It was a upon the records. And we are asked to concede the victory to this nation and establish it as it was before the war, the habit of provoking wars for the gratification of their personal ambitions. When they had attained their objectives—a word often in the mouth of the Kaiser-or there seemed no prospect of gaining their objectives us "critter." Just now he is in a they summoned councils of war, gath prostration-not ered around tables, spread maps be bout his own condition, which, of fore them, and the most deft in the urse, is "impregnable"-but about handling of diplomatic cards walked condition of his neutral neighbors, out with the spoils of victory. Then He claims the United States is apply- peace became the portion of the world ing thumbscrews and other instru- until another war lord became restless ments of torture to the persons of his and let loose the dogs in the hope of mmediate neighbors. This charge, of making another grab. Our New York arse, is not intended to be taken contemporary said the United States terally, because if thumbscrews were would not be a party to any such prothe vogue just now, rest assured that codure in the present war, the first Germany would be using them in ad- European affair in which it has had a dition to all the other forms of tor-direct interest. We shall see how the

The United States Government havis playing an unneutral part, as she has from the beginning of the war, in the lefusing to supply Holland and the Scandinavian countries with the foodstuffs they require to keep the wolf stuffs they require to keep the wolf from their doors. The Hun can be very altruistic, in-fact a very philanthropist, when it suits his purpose. The purpose in this case is not so deep that munition works and the cold starage plants. This would mean conscription of all resources, practically, as well as the records and appear before to sure would be the logical thing to do. it cannot be discerned. It is as plain munition works and the cold starage as the nose on the face of the All-

glorious feats of the Hun armies which are hewing their way to ultimate dependence. Probably they have been posals of His Moliness the Pope, the triumph over the innumerable foes of the Fatherland, but still the German to the Entente powers, but in spirit in them. There can be no indemnities they have broken it every day. They because the destruction wrought has may not have shipped the entire been so tremendous and Germany shall tation which indicate that all is not amount of their imports of food from have all her colonies restored to her. well in the internal affairs of the land. the United States direct to Germany, Peace upon such terms would be latest gleam of hope rests not the they have shipped its equivalent in tantamount to acclaiming the Hun as the performances of the U-boats, home-grown products, as the Allies can the victor. He might have aspired to

will culminate in general disagreement vent such an outrage. The Cologne Gaamong the Entente Allies, thus paving zette sums up the case thus: "The
"scraps of paper" have an unhappy "scraps of paper" have an unhappy the way for that form of peace which Wilson export regulations represent an faculty of cropping up at inconvenient

enemies and peace based upon vic- and obtain their food supply are to be would be their portion on or about the tory, a peace which will recognize and starved and condemned to unemploy- first of September. There was some intrigue in view and probably in active operation when that assurance was given. It will be intensely interesting That is about all that can be safely said at the present time.

The All-Highest War Lord has an other chance to assure his loyal and devoted people that the more enemies Great Eastern Railway will have the the greater, the glory. China has de-

The prohibition commissioners who have just returned from Europe have fact that the taxpayers of the province had very interesting experiences, to have had to meet interest payments on which they doubtless have to add a

either to the taxpayers or the Ministers | Would it be going too far to say that upon whose shoulders has fallen the the Pope's peace proposals hardly task of finding the money to meet the could have been more acceptable to payments. There was another audit of Germany had they been "made in Ger-

DISCUSSED AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Aug. At.-A resolution moved by Hon. Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works, in the Commons yesterday afternoon, to provide for an amendment to the Drydocks Subsidies Act. The measure increases the subsidy to 4½ per cent, of the cost of the works. No payment is to be made un-til a sum of half a million dollars has

been expended.

Mr. Rogers pointed out the necessity of drydocks and said it was impossible to get private firms to build them without Government assistance

the principal of the bill, but suggested that the amount of work to be done before the advance is raid be increased to a million. Mr. Rogers had no objec-tion to this proposal.

Mr. Rogers, replying to A. K. Mac-

lean, who doubted the advisability of constructing two first-class drydocks on the Pacific Coast at Esquimalt and

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MORE THAN A HALF OF SOLDIERS' DEFERRED VOTE DECLARED BOGUS

"In order that your Commissioner as well as the counsel who appeare before them might have an opportunity of examining the records of the Can-adian soldiers, kept at the Military Records office, and of forming an opin-ion as to the reliability of findings based on these records, your Commi-Military Records Office in London of Saturday, the 24th day of June, 1917. Modus Operandi.

Military Records Office.

"When these card indexes were sorted out in alphabetical order, it became apparent that many soldiers had voted or were made to appear as having voted two, three or four times, and these duplicate, triplicate and quadruplicate votes were made the subject of special investigation by Mr. Helmore. Certain cards out of those prepared by Mr. Helmore were selected by your Commissioners for comparison with the original military records, and these cards were in every case found to bear out the conclusions arrived at by Mr. Helmore.

Fraudulent Voting.

"The evidence taken at the Military Records Office will be found in the stenographer's report of the fourth day's proceedings of the Commission. day's proceedings of the Commission. For convenience, however, we refer to one or two examples of what appeared to be fraudulent voting. The first card selected for examination was that of William Brillat, No. 155063. Brillat is supposed to have voted at Crowborough on the 22nd December, 1916, whereas the military records show that Brillat deserted on the 16th September, 1916, and had not since been reported. The second card selected was that of Arthur Bacon, No. 429173. The military record showed No. 429173 to belong to Albert Alfred Bacon. In the once case the residence of A. A. Bacon is given at Vancouver and that of Arthur Bacon at Victoria.

"Captain Sellon produced the mili-Captain. Sellon produced the mili-tary record of Albert Alfred Bacon, No. 429173, which showed that this man went to France on February 3, 1916. Another card selected for examination was that of Alfred John Knight. It appears that four votes had been cast in this man's name, and in each case the number is given at 707244. This records show Alfrew John Knight, No. 707245, 103rd Battalion, and Mr. Alelmore's cards, prepared from the poll books, show that he was a resident of Victoria on three of the occasions when he was supposed to have yoted and on the fourth occasion a resident of Vancouver. In each case the votes were cast at Epsom Convolescent Hospital, three times under the name of Lonergan, presiding officer, and once under the name of H. A. Douglas as presiding officer. The correct number of Alin this man's name, and in each case ing officer. The correct number of Al-fred John Knight was 767245, the only other A. A. Klight on the records was No. 80 and he belonged to the C. A. M. C.

Another Example.

Another example of a fraudulent vote was found in the case of Oscar Edward Hawes, No. 487388. He was returned as having voted at Crowborough on the 22nd December, 1916; the records show that Othe Ewart Hawes, No. 487388, was killed in action on the 8th October, 1916. Another case of illegal voting was that of a man who voted as Walter Lyness and William Lyness, respectively, and in the one case the number is given as 183060 and in the other case no number is given. In one instance the residence is given at Vancouver and the other at Alberni. He is supposed to have voted at Hastings on December 15, 1916, and at Crowborough on December 16, 1916, and at Crowborough on December 18, 1916. The records show only one man of the hame of Lyness and his number is 183060, but his name is Wilbert Lyness, belonging to the 7th Battelion, who Another example of a fraudulent

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vas reported missing on the 12th October, 1916.

"Several other cards were examine the presence of counsel and refer ace to them will be found in the re port of the fourth day's proceedings. According to the evidence of W. D. Bayley, the scrutineer on behalf of the Prohibition Party, clause 3 of the Order in Council of 24th August, 1916. was in many cases ignored by the pre-siding officers appointed by the Agent-General, to take the vote in certain General, to take the vote in certain parts of England and France. The said

ause 3 is as follows: 'All scrutineers and deputy scrutirs present at the time any post is losed and the receptacles prepared to be forwarded to the Deputy Provincial secretary or Agent-General, as the ase may be, shall be allowed to place eir own private seals upon the re-ptacles, in addition to the seal of the residing officer or deputy presiding

Out of the total number of 132 par-cels of votes, the following in England were taken without any notices to the scrutineers acting for the Prohibition party and were therefore not sealed by the Prohibition scrutineers: Factors No. 25, 26, 27, 81 to 41 inclusive, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 52 to 89 inclusive and 82. In France the parcels of votes taken without notice to the Prohibition scrutineers were as follows: 83 to 89 inclusive. 95, 98, 99, 100, 107, 115, 120, 121, 124, 125, 126, 128 and 131. According to Mr. Bayley's evidence, the voting in France was in charge of Regt. Sergt. Major H. A. Douglas and Sergeant Pyte. Douglas did not, while he was in France, have any proper receptacle to put the ballots in as they were polled by the voters, but he and were pointed by the voters, so had no his deputy returning officers appear to have carried them around with them from place to place and finally desited them with the Agent-General

posited them with the Agent-centar in London on January 12, 1917, in proper cardboard receptacles. "It would further appear that, al-though Bayley requested Douglas to allow him to put his seal on all parcels of votes which he had, that he Douglas) did not allow him to do so, and also that a large number of po were held in France of which the scrutineers of the Prohibition party had no notice or such short notice that it was impossible for the scrutineers to arrange to be present at the polls either personally or by deputy.

Notice of Poll. From our own personal experien-in visiting military camps in Franwe think there was no legitimate rea on why such notice of every poll held

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At Epsom

"On the 27th June, 1917, your Com-mission met at the Wodcote Conva-lescent Hospital, Epsom, in the pre-sence of counsel representing both

at 3 and 8 p. m. Laughable before the Commission and examined The first witness was Pte. Car Henry, No. 134254 C. A. M. C. He stated his residence to be Vancouver, B. C and that he had voted twice. He m bition the first time, but was definite as to voting on Prohibition a second . The next witness was Pie Leith Gor

Ranchers and Others

McLatchy, of Langara Boys' School, Mr. H. J. McLatchy, of Langara Boys' School, Vancouver, will be at the Empress appers, he had not taken any oath berwise, all kinds of farm produce the school and will be glad to meet parents in the school. Remember, oh, please remember, the War Widows' and Orphans' Tag Day on September 7th next. The winter is Columbia?"

When did you reside in British columbia? "A. I resided there six or seven years the present prices, on \$32 a march."

"A. I resided there six or seven years

coming; how is a widow to get fuel at the present prices, on \$32 a month for herself and family and pay rent, too?

Help is needed at once, so you needn't wait for tag day. Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. R. S. Day, Winch Building, City.

* Individual Cases.

Sergt. Major George Parker Cruik-shank, No. 54914 testified that he belonged to the 18th Battalion of London, Ont., and that he had enlisted in

"If you get it at PLIMLEY Sit's all right."





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Thomas Plimley CYCLES

Gait, Ont., his place of residence at time of enlistment; that he had never lived in British Columbia. Cruikshank stated that he had argued the point with his senior as to his voting and was informed "that it does not matter whether you have lived there or not so long as you have been or not, so long as you have been there." Cruikshank swore that he had

Sergt, John Beauchamp Daly No. 432,411 gave evidence that his place of residence was Edmonton, and that he had only been in B. C. on two ocwas asked the question

How did you know about the Poli? He answered, "I was coming in the gate of pass and was called into the said: 'That is all right then-you ar

entitled to vote. They gave me a form and I voted." Pte. Cecil Everard William Reginald Durden, No. 147,899, 78th Battalion, Winnipeg, Canada. Pte. Durden states he signed an envelope but did not mark a ballot. Sergt Lee Bernard Cogan, No. 6,316,

stated that his residence was Detroit, Michigan, and that he had never been in British Columbia and did not vote,

Pte Edgar Field, 8th Battallon, No. 46, gave his residence as Winnipeg, Man, and stated that he had not actu-

ern Ontario, No. 401,917, stated his place of residence was Detroit, Michi-gam, that he had voted, but did not envelope which had not been read ov

Sergt, Cécil A. Hamilton, No. 13,106, 5th Battalion, gave his residence as Saskatchewan. He said that he had voted at the pooling at Epsom Camp in the Fall of the year. He signed the

108,274, stated that his residence was No. 1146 Yull Street, Medicine Hat, Canada. He voted at the election but stated that someone marked his ballot

Pte Vivian Potter Rattleford Sas he sworn. He had not resided in B. C. with the exception of six months

t. William Henry Bradley, No. 5th Battalfon, stated his residence to be Saskatoon, Canada. He had been in B. C. from the winter

Corporal Raiph Percy Biggs, No. 12,968, 5th Battalion, stated his residence to be Swift Current, Saskatchen. Someone asked him if he would e for a wet Province. He signed envelope and marked his ballot. The Samuel Egginton Hodgkins, No. Pre. Samuel Egginton Hougkins, No. 464666, Manitoba Hotel, Yates Street,

Victoria, swore to having voted twice on the Prohibition Referendum, once in London and once at Epsom. He stated that Sergt. Major Lonergan, the presiding officer, told him that the first voting was off and he was to vote rst voting a second time. At Seaford. On the 3rd day of July, 1917, you

Commission proceeded to Seaford, and the following witnesses gave evidence: Major Pringle, senior chaplain at Shoreham Camp, said that he notified Sergeant Trim that he had been ap-pointed scrutineer for the Prohibition party, and to notify him when the vote was to be taken. Major Pringle asserts that he received no notice and Sergi. Trim admits that he gave none. Major Pringle was in a position to act at any poll held by Trim, had the latter given rim notice. Corporal William Harrison Welsh.

No. 703426, 192nd Battalion, said that his residence was Vancouver, B. C., and at Epsom during the first week in January, 1917. He stated that the man who took his vote at that time was Regiment Sergt. Major Lonergan. He told Lonergan that he had voted before at Bramshott at the end of July, or the first week in August, 1916. He tope at Bramshott at the end of July, or the first week in August, 1916. He was informed at Epsom by Lonergan that they were only holding the Prohibition by-election as the votes before were not good—they had been uled out or something

Asked how he fixed the date of his second vote, as the first week in January, 1917, he replied: "I left Irmstone Hospital at Eastbourne on the 30th day of December, and it was not till 8 or 9 o'clock that night that we got into Epsom Convalescent Camp, and it was about four or five days after that

I went out and voted.
On being asked the following question by the chairman: "Where there
many voted at the same time that you
did?" the witness replied: "There was
a big line-up, they voted there three or four days," January Polt.

This witness was asked by Mr. Pauldid not get there until the night of

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prayer on behalf of the Evan-gelical Campaign proposed to be held in Victoria at an early date.

His answer was: "I noticed that they who was the presiding officer had several cases of beer, and as soon France.
as everybody voted they could have a bottle of beer if they wished."

Englan-

Lance-Corporal James Owen, No. 75543, 29th Battalion, residence Mt. Lehman, B. C. He stated that he had voted on the Prohibition Referendum once near Albert in France in September, 1916, and a second time at Epsom in December, 1916.

in December, 1916.

He told the Sergeant-Major in charge of the voting at Essom that he had voted before. The Sergeant-Major replied: "That is all right—it does not returned to England from Sergt. Trim and pre-dated the appointment."

Sergeant Trim.

This pre-dated Trim.

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Corporal Harold J. Cowherd, No.

"When we came down again they said there was something the matter with the election, so they called a parade again and we all voted."

Scrst. Pyle stated, that he had no receptacles for placing envelopes in—that he simply tied the envelopes up and again and we all voted."

toria, voted once at Bramshott on the Prohibition Referendum and voted again at Seaford in December, 1916, Lieut. McRae kept a record of the

there just to the outside of the hut-ments there, bounded down here. (In-dicating outside the house in which ne Commission was sitting).

"H does not include any of the treets or anything of that descrip-

Chairman—"It would not take in Prowborough or Hastings?".

Major Daniels—"No, nothing at all

here. It is very local," At a sitting of the Commission held at B.C. House on July 4, 1917, Sergt. Frederick George Pyle stated that he was on November 11, 1916, appointed presiding officer for Kent, Surrey and Sussex and sent in his resignation for ducement held out to you to go to ed a deputy presiding officer for vote?"

France by Sergt.-Major H. A. Douglas

Sergt. Pyle stated, that, on leaving Sergt. Frie stated, that, on leaving England for France he was asked by Captain Tuck to appoint Staff Sergt. Trim to take up the district that he had resigned, but in the flurry he went off to France and forgot all about it.

plied: "That is all right—it does not matter."

This pre-dated appointment, if such it can be called, appears to have been the only authority that Sergt. Trim Pte. Henry Ashdown, No. 708108, 103rd the only authority that Sergt. Trim between the only authority that Sergt. Trim had for holding various polls outside of Shoreham Camp such as Hastings, Crowborough, Seaford and Buxton, Referring to a poll taken by him at 3rd Echelon Headquarters France, where that he had already voted at Bramshott. The Sergeant replied: "That does not matter, the voting is being taken over again."

Corporal Harold J. Cowberd, No. 2007.

Corporal Harold J. Cowherd, No. 5796889, 193rd Battalion, residence, Victoria. He also voted 'twice-once at Bramshott and once at Scaford in Decrember, 1916. This witness gave as a reason for voting the second time the following: tollowing:

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A. I can searcely recollect the dates.
It was some two months after the first one.

Q. Were there many voted at that time?

A. Yes, all the 15th Reserve, most of them are in France now. They were all paraded. I think it was one Saturday. It was in the Cinema at the time. It was the same kind of vote we had at Seaford.

Q. Had any of them voted, do you know, before?

A. Yes.

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Lieut. Alexander Duncan McRae of the 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the Commission that he 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence before the 27th Battallon, France, gave evidence bef

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on the same question.

He was asked the following question:
Q. Would you mind explaining to the Commission how you came to vote a second time?

A. We were given to understand that the first vote was no good.

Camp Limits.

Totes which he actually saw, and of the aggregate, twelve were dry and a slightly greater number were wet.

Lieut. McRae stated, that on returning from the poll Sergt.-Major Douglas and himself agreed that the result of the poll they took at Sheffeld and Buxton would break about even as hotween wet and dry votes.

did not get there until the night of on the same question.

December 30, and the next day I was not up in that vicinity at all. It was three or four days after that I went up." They said: "There were so many British Columbia men came in just then that they would have to vote. This witness was examined by Mr. Martin, and among other questions was asked the following:

"You got your ballot from one of the officers and put it in at another, did you not?

His answer was: "The morning I went down there, we went down and there was a big line up—they were going around just as fast as they could, and you would walk past the one desk and two tickets, and you would go up to the other desk and give it up."

Asked by Mr. Bayley: "Was any in—the bedeen the following:

I again at Seatord in December, 1916, on the same question.

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Major Daniels, the Adjutant at Seaford, was then called to give evidence as to the limit of Shoreham Camp. His evidence was as follows:

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W. D. Bayley, who attended the count of the votes before Sir R. Mc-Bride on behalf of the Prohibition party, swore that parcels No. 28 and 30, which contained the votes taken by Sergt. H. A. Douglas at the various hospitals in the northern that of England, including Sheffield and Buxton. contained 86 ballots marked in favor of prohibition.

Auditor's Reappearance.

again appeared before the Commission and stated that he had completed his examination of the 8,488 votes cast for or against prohibition, including 200 rejected at the count made by Sir R. McBride. These votes were all taken since the 14th September, 1916. The votes polled prior to September 14th in France and England were not inquired into by your Commission, both parties having expressed themselves as satisfied with the taking of the vote prior to and including September 14th.

We have already noted the method by which Mr. Helmore proceeded to inves-tigate the bona fides or otherwise of the votes cast after September 14th.

Classification No. 1; Includes votes of 3,208 men, in which nicknames and slight errors in particulars have been overlooked.

Classification No. 2; Includes votes of 130 men in Imperial regiments

Classification No. 3; Includes votes of 102 commissioned officers

Classification No. 4

officers

Classification No. 4: Includes votes of 58 men shown by military records to have been killed or missing at the date of poll

Classification No. 5: Includes votes of 698 men whose names appear twice on the poll books—"repeaters"

Classification No. 6: Includes names of 52 men who voted

227

records

Classification No. II: Includes names of 532 men who polled at Epsom Convalescent Hospital—identification numbers not given; names did not agree with records; numbers given not then allotted, and pell held for three or four days in January, 1917

Classification No. 12: Includes names of 548 men shown in

in various ways to comply with the provisions of the lassification No. 14: Includes

Mr. Helmore's Work. In the opinion of the Comm Mr. Helmore's work was very accurdone. It is true, as Mr. Helmore states, and as Mr. Martin comments upon in his cross-examination, all this work was not done by Mr. Helmore personally, but a portion of it by members of his staff, working in conjunc-tion with him and under his super vision and instruction ..

In view of the fact that the ballots have all been counted and taken out of the envelopes in which they were placed, it is practically impossible now onsideration. think that classifications No. 1, 2 and 3, and eight out of the nine votes in classification No. 7 and classifications No. 9 and 14, or a total of 3,796 votes, might fairly be accepted as legitimate. But it is clear that classifications No. 4 and 5, together with one vote out of classification No. 7, and classification No. 8 10, 11, 12 and 13, or a total of

Mr. Helmore was subjected to a very severe and searching cross-examina-tion by Mr. Martin, who did not offer any evidence to refute Mr. Helmore's

In the analysis careful consideration are excerpted from Leadbetter's evidence of Mr. Helmore as well as to the evidence authorizing the presiding officer to ask the voter for evidence of his identity.

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Lieut. McRae. mitted and that the regulations laid down for the taking of the vote were in many instances not observed.

While the estimate now made is necessarily not entirely accurate, it is believed that an examination of the soldiers' votes cast in Canada prior to the 14th September would still further reduce the total of votes herein ac-cepted as good.

Acknowledgments.

Acknowledgments are due to the High Commissioner, Sir George Perley; Lieut.-General A. W. Currie, K.C.B.; Major-General Sir R. E. Turner, K.C.B., and their respective staffs for assistance rendered and courtesies extended. All of which is respectfully submitted

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attending the City High School, which
had been filed with the Council, and
hy that body referred to the Board,
some time ago. The amount is for
\$3.675. However, the list will be
checked before the next meeting, the
amount being settled on the basis of
the Stewart-McGregor agreement of
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WOMAN ATTEMPTED AN ILLEGAL OPERATION

Evidence in Case Against Mrs. Clara Katterman, Sentenced to Imprisonment

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police.

"This offence, of which the Court finds you guilty," continued the Judge, "is a serious one. Women such as you are a menace to the community, and I sincerely hope that this sentence will be a lesson to you and to other women who have similar ideas. It has been mentioned that you are the mother of two children who are needing support. In order that their suffering may not be too severe you are being deal? With leniently, It is a great pity, however, that the suffering of innocent persons is not considered before committing an offence, instead of appealing to the Court for sympathy when the erime ourt for sympathy when the crime is been performed."

A Plot Claimed.

J. A. Alkman and H. E. A. Courtney appearing for the defendant, called no altnesses following the presentation of the case for the prosecution. Mr. Alkman claimed that his client should acquitted on the ground that evi-nce had shown that a plot had been ranged by the police to trap the de-ndant. "There can be no attempt to mmit the crime in question," he said, when the accused was made the vic-

rended to allow it to be performed."

Failing, however, to gain the support of the Court in this contention, counsel then submitted that there had been no actual attempt to perform the lilegal act, but only an intent. He then referred to several cases in support of his position, but His Honor decided on authority that the definition of an "attempt" gave such a term to mean a succession of acts leading to the performance of a deed and that JUVENILE FRIVOLITIES

Talented Young Entertainers Trained by Miss Mollison, of Clenco Red Cross.

Miss Jean Mollison, of Clenco Lodge, Vancouver, and Clenshiel Ing. Victoria, well-known throughout Westerny Canada as an Offsanier of patriotic price frealments of the highest class, will bring a company of children, known as "The Juvenile Frivolities," for a three-days' programme, in Victoria on August 23, 24 and 25. No troupe of juvenile entertainers have been accorded these little startion and sincere appreciation than have been accorded these little startion and sincere appreciation than have been accorded these little startion and sincere appreciation than have been accorded these little startion and sincere appreciation than have been accorded these little startion on August 25, 24 and 25. No troupe of juvenile entertainers have included every class of society, not excepting regalty itself. The Duke and Duchees of Company of the defendant to attempt to perform the starting by Miss Mollison, who devotes all her spare time to patriotic work for this kind.

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written and arranged to by Miss Mollison herself.

Among the cleverest of these remarkable young performers is Miss Marjorie Stevens, a violinist who plays with a skill and richness of tone that many an older player would envy. The playing of Miss Stevens won the special approval of the Duchess of Commaught, an accomplished musical critic, who gave her a letter of commendation through Captain Julia Henshaw when with Miss Mollison, she took these children through the mountains last year and raised a considerable sum of money by them for the Red Cross.

Equally clever in another direction is Equally clever in another direction is Lorentz and the preform the operation. I the manner of its Equally cover in another direction is little Patricia Salmon, a vocalist and actress of quite extraordinary attainments. Singing duets with Patricia Salmon and also appearing in solos, is Master Norman Stevens, a boy soprand with a voice of remarkable range and power. Master Stevens is as good an actor as he is a singer, and his sceaes with little Patricia Salmon in which both act and sing like two stars of the operatic stage, are alone worth going to see.

Then there are the tiny comedians, May and Phyliss Keith, Singers of the star of the control of the

Then there are the tiny comedians, May and Phyliss Keith, Singers of characted songs and duets, whose delightful work always brings round after round of unstinted applause. There are also the even tinier Lawrence and Patsy Salmon, boy vocalists who seem to have sprung from a page of "Guliver's Travels."

Scottish, Irish and other dances are given by a clevet troupe consisting of Miss Lizzie Isdale, the Misses Isabel, Margaret and Jessie Morrison, Marjorie and Connie Sibbald and Jessie Morrison must be made of the Misses Jessie MeDougal and Jessie Meprison, who carried off medias at the Caledonian sports this year for their dances.

These entertainments are being given in-aid of the Red Cross, and the opening performance will take place in the Empress Hotel ballroom Thursday evening, August 23, at 8.30.

On Friday evening and Saturday matinee next week the Scottish playlet "The Dream of Megsie Gordon" will hold the boards in the Princess Theatre and a vaudeville performance on Scurday evening.

on Mr. Carlow, "the defendant with me that she had done

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when the accused was made the vic-im of an organized play to trap her.

Its Reid, on whom it is alleged that he was to perform the operation of bortion, has stated that she never in-ended to allow it to be performed."

tective McDonald. "that she would giv me all the money she had and and would only be her friend and not ar rest her. She said that she would neve do anything like that again." tective McDonald, "that she would give do anything like that again."

Mrs. E. J. Ferris, matron of the City jail, testified to having examined the accused when she was brought to the accused when she was brought to the station by the officers and to having found another catheter on her person together with two sums of meney, one of which Inspector Perdue Identified as the bills he had given Mrs. Reid wher

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A DEPENDABLE MED'CINE

GIFTED ARTISTS FOR **CABARET PERFORMANCE**

Proceeds of To-morrow's Entertainment at Empress for Guild Fund

Additional to the artists already nentioned as being down to take par n-the Cabaret entertainment to-m row night at the Empress Hotel in aid Guild is Miss Phyllis DuBois, the well mown dancer, who is to provide one will be well remembered for the part she took in the harlequinade at the close of the pantomime, "Puss in Boots," last Christmas, at the Royal Victoria, Theatre. She is a skilled dancer and her numbers are sure to prove very popular additions to the programme.

The entertainment has been devise and arranged by Mrs. Harry Pooley and Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir, and this is sufficient criterion of the artistic quality of the undertaking. The big ballroom is undergoing a transformation, and when the doors are flung tion, and when the doors are flung open to-morrow evening Victoria will enter an Oriental hall resplendent in colors of the East and glowing with soft lights. "The Empress orchestrals to fill the "in-betweens" with music, and the hotel management is looking after the refreshment part of the event.

It is now announced that Mrs. Rochfort will give a "Vesta Tilly" turn in top hat and frock coat. The Pantages turn has still to be chosen from the week's bill at the well-known variety week's bill at the well-known variety house. The laddes who are taking part, beside those referred to, are Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Miss Haggerty, Miss Daphne Brougham, and Miss Mamie Fraser. Mrs. Gibson will act as ac-companier

Rev. Dr. Patterson, of Winnipeg, suc-cessor to Rev. Mr. Gordon (Ralph Con-nor), was among a recent party of prairie people who went north on the Alaska trip and returned home last

E. E. Phair, a well-known hotelman of British Columbia, now of Prince George, formerly of Nelson, came south over the C. N. R. last week

Rt. Rev. Alexander McDonald, Bisher of Victoria, is on a tour of the Island, and spent part of the week-end in Alberni. He is expected back in the city before the end of the week.

England for nearly two years engaged in patriotic work, is to leave the Old Country for Canada soon, probably next week, a correspondent cables.

Mme. Kate Webb, the able convener of the Fairfield Branch Red Cross, who hast week celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of her wedding day, was presented by the members of the branch with a beautiful Wedgwe

Sister Mary Good Shep Sister Mary Good Shepherd, one of the most popular sisters of the St. Ann Order, is to return to Vancouver as superioress of the St. Ann Convent and Academy. Her departure will be felt as a real loss by the convent here, where she has been for some years. Sister Mary Martha, the present superioress at Vancouver, who is in in-different health, will come to Victoria different at to take her place.

Captain Julia Henshaw, who several times since her return from the Old Country has lectured on the subject of Red Cross work near the front, will address a meeting to be held on Monday, August 20, under the auspices of the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Associ-ation. The Very Rev. Dean Quainton will preside as chairman, and half the proceeds will go to the fund for spe-cial comforts to be sent to soldiers be-

hind the firing line.

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Among the twenty-one members of the B. C. Mountaineering Club who enjoyed a part of the annual camp in the Garibaldi region this year was Chris. Spencer, who was one of five who climbed the Sentinel. Amongst who climbed the Sentinel. Amongst the party at this year's camp is John Davidson, of the University of British Columbia faculty, who is guiding the botanical section of the club in their acquirement of knowledge of the flora of the Coast Mountains.

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ago. In 1964 she was sent to Dawson, where she worked among the miners and subsequently she held appointments in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Holmes in Victoria.

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Mrs. John Wallace, Brach at Victoria for a fortnight.

Mrs. J. A. Fulton and Miss Fulton, of North Vancouver, are helidaying it for a few weeks at Hillers.

Miss Clay, daughter of Rev. W L. and Mrs. Clay, is visiting in Vancouver, the guest of Miss Helen White, who on Saturday afternoon entertained in her honor.

Frank S. Gibbs, manager of the Brackman-Ker Milling Company, left on yesterday's G. T. P. steamer on a visit to the company's branch at Prince Rupert.

Rev. Dr. Patterson, of Winnings and control of the process of the proce

newing acquaintance.

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The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs.

James A. Carthew on the shore of Comox Bay was last week the scene of a happy event when their daughter to the comox Association.

Tag Day for Returned Soldiers Fund.—November 2 was set last evening by the City Council for the tag day on behalf of the Returned Seldiers. It is being organized by the Great War Veterans' Association.

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Heating Plant at Police Building. that the contractors, not being respon A desultory debate occupied a long period in the City Council last evening on the question of the improvement of the heating pant at the new police building, which has never been satisfactory. Alderman Dinsdale stated that the contractors, R. J. Nott. & Co., had reported that the plant would not be satisfactory, when it was building, and a letter to that effect had been lodged with the Building Inspector at the time. It appeared that the contractors were overruled by an expert who supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided supervised the construction of the plant is the beauting surface at a lower consumption of fuel.

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contractors were overruled by an ex-pert who supervised the construction of the plant. It was eventually decided Beer, quarts, \$2.75 per dozen.

OAK BAY TAX SALE IS SET FOR OCTOBER 10 Satifies-

Dangerous Crossing to Receive Consideration of Entire Municipal Body

At the regular meeting of the Oak Bay Council held last evening a resolution was adopted calling for a tax sale in the Munfeipality on October 10. The situation is a novel one in that district, as this is the first occasion on district, as this is the first occasion on which a sale of this nature has been authorized by the Council. The Municipal body has come to the conclusion however, that drastic steps must be taken as the interest alone on unpaid taxes coming under the scope of the proposed sale amounts to something in the neighborhood of \$13,000. Property

the neighborhood of \$13,000. Property on which arrears appear previous to December 31, 1915 will be offered for sale. There are 1,306 parcels in the list and the total tax arrears reach the \$73,000 mark. The sale itself will take place in the Municipal Hall commencing at 10 o'clock on the morning of October 10.

The question of the dangerous cross-

mencing at 10 o'clock on the morning to decide 16.

The question of the dangerous cross-ling at the corners of Bowker Avenue and Cadbor Bay Road awa sagain-before the Council. The Reeve pointed out that he had visited the place and bad ascertained that to move the car sade to alter the structure, and provide for better heating surface at a lower consigniption of fuel.

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Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, quarts \$2.75 per dozen.

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question, to-day, to formulate a prac-tical plan for the solution of the ques-Southern California. The soft sa

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Mr. Austin was busy with the mega-phone and Col. Eardley-Wilmot and Messrs. Wallich and Twist were help-

incry Company having offered to ter-minate the contract for road oil for the Sectoria Council, the Council last evening decided to refer the matter to

Fortune Telling-Mrs. Austin and

Clock Golf-Mrs. Stevenson.

Bombing-Mr. Bell.

PACIFIC HIGHWAY Mayor Todd Compares Present

Attempt to Break Record With Own Experience

Conditions have greatly changed since Mayor Todd made his now famous path finding tour from Vancouver to Tia Juana, Mexico, which became the precursor of various attempts to lower the Border-to-Border record, including the present one of R. W. Emerson, Secretary of the Pacific Coast Defence League.

From an attempt to make the ru in 75 hours of actual running time in 1917, 17 days of actual running time back in 1910, looks a long time, but the intervening seven years have brought many changes. Roads have been paved, new bridges built and the route marked with signs in the interval.

"Yet in the Cadillac in which I traveled with Mrs. Todd," says the Mayor, "we only had one break down,





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Picnic, Refreshments the other end were Aunt Sally, clock golf, a large competition stall, and the Lucky Tub. Two fortune-tellers were in shady nooks, and raffles, cocoanu shies, shooting range, and lawn tennis offered diversion to all and sundry beside helping to swell the returns.

who would otherwise have been manned to come. The play ended with a crowded, and successful dance in the beautiful rooms at Strathcon Lodge.
The thanks of all are due to Mr. and
Mrs. Wylde, also to Miss Wylde, for

all the help which they so generously gave and for placing their beautiful grounds at the disposal of the committee. All the arrangements in the grounds were made by Colonel Eardley-Wilmot and Messrs. Austin, Twist, Janking and Bayashill. The stalls Hawking, and Ravenhill. The stalls were decorated by Mrs. Eardley-Wil-mot and Miss Edith Ravenhill.

VIMY RIDGE

Flwyne, and the Misses Dunn, Robinappears that altogether 67,000 gallons have been delivered of the 70,000 gallons ordered. Alderman Andros again proposed that the oil should be bought for the price of 5% cents per gallon, instead of the purchase price of six cents plus delivery, offered by the perface. The lower quotation came from the Victoria Machinery Depot, it was stated.

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MANY YOUTHS DISPORT

immers of Tender Age Seen Gorge and Along the Beaches.

who frequent the city bathing house at the Gorge on any of these fine days is truly astonishing. Little fellows, many of them hardly eight years old, disport themselves in waters far be-yond their depth with a skill and

facility born of entire confidence in their capabilities. Four or five years ago these mere children would still have been wading in the breakers of some nice shallow beach or peregrinating about on ven-turesome logs under the watchful eyes of parents. Their ambition would not have transcended to swimming in waters beyond their depth. Now however, not only can they swim with such ease as to shame the more bung-ling or inexpert of their elders, but also dive with a grace and advoitness that causes grown-up men in reluc ance to expose their awkwardness to glance furtively about and choose a moment when attention is diverted elsewhere before slipping into the water with as little ostentation as

The ranks of high divers, those, for instance, with the temerity to dive off the Gorge Bridge, a few years ago em-braced but an occasional lad in early teens. Now the order has been reversed and few men are willing to flaunt their lack of skill in the face of the youngsters' grace and dexterity.

youngsters' grace and dexterity.
The increased popularity of swim-ming among girls is also a gratifying truth established by a visit to the Gorge. Small girls are just as numer-ous in proportion to their maturer isters as small boys to the more ad vanced in years of their sex. Some very fine exponents of the natatorial art may daily be seen in the bright toria. caps and multicolored costumes that note the lady swimmer. Skill in diving too is not beyond the range of their attainment; though, of course, none among them can compare with. the lithesome youths whose talent dis heartens the old-timer, whose accom-plishmerts extend only to the breast stroke, now almost an absolete method of propulsion

CLIMBING MT. MALAHAT.

Numerous parties from Savira Lodge have been climbing Mt. Malahat and find the view from its summit well

worth the effort.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Davies and Mr. and Mrs. Hewlett, of Victoria, have returned after a week's sojourn at

minate the contract for road oil for the Savira Lodge.
Victoria Council, the Council last evening decided to refer the matter to the chairman of the Finance and at Savira Lodge.
Streets Committees, and the Assistant

After a fortnight at Savira Lodge Streets Committees, and the Assistant Engineer to decide what steps shall be taken with regard to the contract. It appears that altogether \$7,000 gallons

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IDEAL SETTING FOR SHAWNIGAN FETE Park

Big Crowd Attends Red Cross Event at Popular Lake. Resort

Ideal weather, a lovely setting, and big crowd which comprised visitors from Cowichan, Duncan, and Victoria as well as from the immediate neighborhood, contributed to make of the Red Cross fete at Strathcona Lodge on Saturday a memorable success, and it is hoped to hand over at least \$350 as the result of the affair.

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Many willing workers from Cobble

Hill helped the Shawnigan committee
to entertain the crowd. The notion,
vegetable, refreshment, ice cream, and
soft drinks were set out under the
trees at one end of the croquet lawn,
veryly, being a Simple Legy. nearby being a Spinning Jenny, al-ways surrounded by a crowd, and at the other end were Aunt Sally, clock

Many Helpers.

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OF EARLY MORNING FIRE

For the third time this year the City For the third time time year one con-Fire Department spent the nocturnal hours in fighting a fire on board a ves-sel in the harbor, the occasion this morning before daybreak being the blaze in the hull of the tug Mystery.

After discharging a cargo of oil at Vancouver the big oil tanker, El Lobo is due here to-day to be hauled out in the Esquimalt graving basin for general overhaul.

With the completion of the work that it is proposed to do on the El Lobo she will clear for the Perucian coast to load another cargo of oil for delivery on Burrard Infet.

The big tanker Maricopa touched off here last night on her way out to sea. She is bound from Vancouver to San Francisco.

Incompletion of the work this morning, when the call came in, according to the latest wireless advices to delivery on Burrard Infet.

Two streams were employed to continue to system being the biaze in the hufl of the tug Mystery.

Oily waste is stated to be the cause (Cargo for discharge at Victoria, a regular liner of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha will make port at daybreak to-morrow, according to the latest wireless advices received by the local agents.

The big tanker Maricopa touched off here last night on her way out to sea. She is bound from Vancouver to San Francisco.

Damage was done in the engine room, the bunkers adjoining, and the galley, to the extent of \$500 or so. No insur-

ance is carried. The tug was inspected at 10.30, and apparently all was well at that time.

GERMAN SUBMARINE RAMMED: DAMAGED

been towed into Zeebrugge by two tor-pedo boats, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam. reached here this afternoon by the The submarine is reported to have been rammed in the North Sea and damaged severely, resulting in the loss of three of the crew.

pared weeks of idleness. Arrangements have been made to operate the old West Coast steamer in the general freighting trade, and it is expected that she will get away from port to-morrow a night for points along the inside route.

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N. Y. K. Liner is Due To-morrow Morning, Followed by

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carried by the steamship amounts to 6,000 tons, including much raw silk and new crop tea. In addition to her cargo the liner is bringing in 212 passengers, 97 of whom will confe ashore here On an outbound steamer of the Nip-pon-Yusen Kaisha, leaving to-day for the Orient there will sail a large num-

her of Russian subjects. Despite the order of Premier Kerensky prohibiting the return of Russians who for many years have been resident on this contient, there continues to be a steady rine of the largest and latest type has been towed into Zeebrugge by two torpedo boats, according to an Exchange country. A party of 28 Russians Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam.

TEES TO RESUME.

Another Freighter Due.

A Japanese freighter is due to reach port to-morrow morning from the Far East with 210 tons of cargo consigned weeks of idleness. Arrangements have been made to operate the old West.

Coast steamer in the general freight. tinue up the gulf after discharging at this port.

O. S. K. Liner Coming Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, have been notified that the next in-bound liner of this fleet will reach bruised and severely cut about head by a fall which precipitated here on Friday from Oriental ports, head by a fall which precipitated him.
The steamer has 41 passengers and 319 into the hold.

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STEAMER PROVIDENCIA IN.

The steamer Providencia passed up he Gulf last night en route from San rancisco to Vancouver.

DERELICT DRIFTING IN TRACK OF SHIPS

ive Informal Investigations Total Assets Placed at \$581,- Waterlogged Schooner Sighted by A. M. Baxter About 800 Miles Offshore

weeks more, and her owners intend to change her registry and place her under the Swedish flag. To accomplish this the consent of both the Swedish and Chilean Governments has to be obtained, and the slowness of the mails between the two countries will result in considerable delay to the ship. Capt. Vivinay has turned over the command of the Puerto Month.

The delay will result in the loss of several thousand dollars to her owners, as the vessel is a large carrier and de-mands a good charter rate.

9.748 KILLED BY ENEMY ON BRITISH

London, Aug 14.—It is officially stated that the number of lives reported lost on British merchant vessels from enemy action from the beginning of the war until June 30 last was 9,748. namely, 3,828 passengers and 5,920 offi-

CAPT. ZEH NOW IN COMMAND OF SENATOR

master of the steamship President, of the Facific Steamship Company, ply-ing in the San Francisco-Victoria ser-vice, has been placed in charge of the steamer Senator which is now on pas-sure from Tacoma to Honolulu.

Of about the same value is the ship-brithing the same value is the ship-

norning elicited the information that Walter Cameron, who was injured yesterday while working on the recently launched schooner Malahat, is doing well. The unfortunate man was badly

heavy timbers, Low Fook, a Chinese employee of the Cameron Lumber Company, was almost instantly killed

EXPERT TRANSFERRED.

the present prices, on \$32 a month for herself and family and pay rent, too?
Help is needed at once, so you needn't signing of ships as well as their buildwait for tag day. Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. R. S. Day, Winch Building, City.

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SHIPBUILDING IN PROVINCE IS MORE THAN CENTURY OLD

Great War Responsible for Revival of Industry; Contracts Now Involve Millions

One of the first descriptions of the roduct of British Columbia shipbuilding was given by Captain George Van-couver, says the Vancouver Province. In the latter half of the eighteenth century he wrote:

three Indians, who came off in a ca most rude and sorry contriva embarkation I had ever beheld.

constructed of rushes and dried grass."
It was in 1788 that the first wooden schooner was built in this province, the construction taking place at Nootka Sound. It is 238 years ago since the first vessel was built in Canada, a schooner called the Le Grifon being started in the East on August 8, 1879

From the foundation to that "sorry contrivance" of rushes and dried grass

When the demand for ships increased. When the demand for ships increased. War is reaching an end."

The Arbeiter Zeitung says: feeting themselves and contracts were, soon being let. A further impetus came with the announcement by the Imperial Munitions Board of a programme involving an expenditure of about the soon one. \$9,000,000

MY ON BRITISH

SHIPS SINCE 1914

Aug. 14.—It is officially the number of lives re-

steamer Senator which is now on passage from Tacoma to Honolulu.

Since the formation of the Pacific Steamship Company on November 1 last, Capt. Zeh has never commanded any one ship more than 20 days at a time, serving as relief master for the various vessels of the California and Alaska fleets while the regular commanders took their vacations.

Capt. Zeh is a master of all routes, both figuratively and literally, and for that reason he was selected by the company to command the Senator for the construction of six auxiliary the voyage to 1 mollulu. In the event power schooners, valued at \$150,000

about \$650,000 aptece

That brings the entire value of the Walhice shipbuilding programme to about \$3,000,000.

CHINAMAN KILLED.

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Which is establishing shippards on Popular Island, near New Westminster. The total value of the vessels will be about 11,400,000.

The Coquitlam Shipbuilding Com-pany's yard at Coquitlam was taken over by the Pacific Construction Com-

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

S.S. "Prince Fupert" S.S. "Prince George"

SAILINGS FOR

ing a considerable amount of repair work and are also building four shallow draught steamers for river naviga

low draught steamers for river naviga-tion in India.

A new company known as the Van-couver Shipyards & Engine Works is locating its yard on the south shore of Burrard Iniet and, will build ships for sale instead of on contract.

Among other concerns having ship-building plans are the B C Marine

building plans are the B. C. Marina Limited, the Sound Construction Com-pany, the Victoria Machinery Depot and the Westminster Marine Ways Other projects and rumored and is seems not unlikely that even concrete shirbuilding may take its place in British Columbia

AUSTRIAN PAPERS ON HENDERSON'S ACTION

the shipbuilding industry in British Columbia raised itself up to the building of one wooden schooner a hundred and twenty-nine years ago. Now the value of the industry is about \$27,gates to the Stockholm conference and

war is reaching an end."

The Arbeiter Zeitung says: "The reagnation of henderson marks a defection of labor from Lloyd George's war, which was to be continued unti

STREET CAR STRIKE IN SAN FRANCISCO

8,800 tons dead weight will be built.

Three are being constructed at the same time and the first is to be completed about October or November next. Five of the ships are for British interests, while one is for Norwegian buyers, and the value of each ship is approximately \$1,250,000.

The new Lyall yard at North Vancouver, formerly No. 2 shipyard of the Wallace Shipyards, Limited, has a programme of six steamers for the Imperial Munitions Board. Construction work is being started and as the vessels will be worth about \$350,000 apiece, the value of the programme cil. San Francisco, Aug. 14.-Street car

HEROIC KERENSKY WILL WORK TO LAST

London, Aug. 14.—Russian circles Switzerland, a dispatch to The Daily Express from Geneva says, learn from Petrograd that Premier Kerensky, in talking with personal friends recently concerning his health, said:

"I have not long to live. Hereditary disease has numbered my days. I must hasten the work of liberating Russia and do the greatest good I can before I depart. Peace now would make u future vassals of the German Kaiser which would be worse than being vas-sals of the Russian Emperor."

GERMAN PLOTTER FROM WINNIPEG TO CHICAGO

Aug. 14.-George Boehm, an alleged German plotter, was brought, here to-day from Winni-peg. Boehm, Gustav H. Jacobson, Al-bert Wehnde and others are under in-

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Wizards for Tourney.

Fairbairn and Davies beat Ryall and Brown, 6-1, 6-8, 6-4.
Gordon and Freeman beat Cowan and McArthur, by default.
Cove and Trimen beat Hamilton and Daiby, 6-1, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles.

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Miss Lawson and Davies beat Miss and Mr. Williams, 6-0, 6-0.
Miss McLeod and Pain beat Miss Jenny and Wilson, by default. MATCHES FOR TO-DAY.

3 o'Clock. MacKenzle vs. Edwards.
Mrs. FafrSairn and Mrs. Elickaby vs.
Miss Jenns and Miss Tingley.

4 o'Clock,

Cove vs. Sprone.

Hyali vs. Harris.

Miss M. Leeming and Whittaker vs.

Miss Thompson and Mitton.

Mrs. and Miss Eigee vs. winnes of Mrs.

Fairbairn and Mrs. Rickaby vs. Miss

Jenns and Miss Tingley.

Jethock. 5 o'Clock

Mrs. and Miss Leeming vs. Miss Law-on and Mrs. Sharpe. Miss Idiens and Brown vs. Miss Ross

and Cleerl. 6 o'Clock.

Freeman vs. Jephson. Gordon vs. Bone. Gordon vs. Bone.

The draw for the Veterans' Singles matches will be made to-morrow evening and play will commence on Wednesday.

Le is for the championship of British Columbia for men 59 years of age and over. It was won last year by J. G. Brown, who will defend his title on Saturday. In championship contests the holder is not required to play through the tournament.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

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OTTAWA TOO SPEEDY FOR CORNWALL TEAM

their home-and-home series the Ottawa lacrosse team defeated Cornwall here Saturday afternoon 20 to 6. The Senators fairly dazzied the visitors with their speed and combination. Ottawa, Aug. 13.-In the final game of

injured knee and the Nation without his services.

MUST PAY SALARIES OR RELEASE PLAYERS

will be made to morrow evening will commence on Wednesday. For the champlonship of British a for men 50 years of age and twas won last year by J. G. who will defend his title on Satlin champlonship contests the not required to play through nament.

ERDAY'S BASEBALL

IN THE BIG LEAGUES

Cincianati, Aug. 14.—The National Base and finding in which it ratified a ruling of the National Board awarding to disbanded twas won last, year by J. G. who will defend his title on Satlin the commission refused to approve the extension of protection to such clubs in the reservation of their players for 1918 values their salaries, as stipulated in their contracts, are paid in full. The decision came up relative to a number of minor leagues that have disbanded for a to the season and the question of the status of the players with the clubs was in tan contracts.

DEFEND TITLE.

In the lawn bowling competition for the McKenzie Cup last night Greenhill and Ferguson were successful in de-fending their title against Wood and Dunn, winning the one match of the McKenzie Cup last night Greenhill evening by a score of 24 to 8. The winners were in excellent form and the match was closely watched by a number of interested speciators.

DEFEATS CH

BOXES IN ENGLAND.

Jack Morgan, of Ladysmith, in a letter home, states that since going to England he has participated in six flights, five of which ended in his favor and one he lost. Jack is a physical trainer and boxing instructor with the Canadian Engineers.

Southampton, N. Y., Aug. 12.—In a brilliantly played women's singles match the duration of the war. If he is, Bill the direction of the war. If he is, Bill the

POLO GAME AROUSES A LOT OF INTEREST

Gala at the Gorge

529 of first-class excellence.

FRANCE OPENS GAME SEASON ONCE MORE

France will allow the huntin game for the first time since 1913. A dispatch from Paris states that the closed reason of nearly four years has resulted in damage to crops by depre-

Montreal, Aug. 11.—The Shamrocks won the second ga— of the local home-and-nome facrosse series here Saturday when they defeated the Nationals by 8 to 6. It was one of the best exhibitions of lacrosse seen in Montreal for some seasons. Newsy Lalonde was suffering from an injured knee and the Nationals were without his services.

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cricket followers will more fully re-alize that they are going to see some very entertaining and close contests.

SPORT SPUTTERINGS

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—Miss Frances Cowells set three new records Saturday at the sanctioned swimming contests held at Neptune beach. What is said to be a new American record for the 80-yard tank swim was set at 15.21-5. Two new Coast records were set, 300 yards in a minutes 22 1-5 seconds. Miss Cowells finished second in the race, which was a handleap. Mrs. Teric Desch leading in position, but second in speed.

IN forman Ross, holder of the record of championship for the 250 yards, company that the second in speed.

IN the company to try his luck in their midst once more, this time against Johnny Dundee. Scotty Monard the saw three saves a keep eye for profits, and who manages Dundee, gulped hard when he saw the size of the crowd at six in the same than the sa ing for more. Promoters from the



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Further information regarding the personnel of the various entrants will be given before the end of the week, and when such appears in the press cricket followers will more fully re-

New York, Aug. 14.—Jointy Kilbane and Knockout Eggers will meet in a Er-rosnd chamiplonship bout at New Haven, according to reports here yesterday. Kil-bane is said to have signed articles and will receive \$5,500 for his end. The date has not been fixed, but probably will be Later Day. Labor Day.

Decision to Sam McVey

Panama, Aug. 14.—Sam McVey and Jim
Johnson, negro heavyweights, fought
twenty rounds here yesterday, McVey
winning the decision. The contest was
one-sided, Johnson being on the defensive throughout.

Deceased.

All persons having claims against this
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1917.

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CAMPI AND RIVERS.

Eddie Campi, Coast featherweight champion, may be matched with Joe Rivers, the well-known lightweight, for a bout in San Francisco. Campl is well thought of in the southern city and the Jack Barry, manager of the Red Sox, may be released to Uncle Sam for the duration of the war. If he is, Bill Carrigan will pilot the team through the rest of the season.

"Gracious" exclaimed a fat woman, rushing up to the shopwalker just after losing sight of her husband. "I am look-ing for a small man with one eye." "Well, madam," suggested the shop-walker, "If he is a very small man, per-haps you'd better use both eyes."

LEGAL AND OFFICIAL NOTICES



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Bublic Notice is hereby given that all persons claiming to be anticel to grants of land within the Esquimatt & Nanatmo Information if any person interested in the collector on or before September application in writing to the feedbaard application application in writing to the feedbaard application applic

Estate of Minnie Elizabeth Roskamp Deceased.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT NOTICE

TAX NOTICES have been sent out to all owners to the addresses as shown on the Assessment Roll.

Any person not receiving same should write to the office so that a duplicate notice can be sent.

To obtain the discount allowed taxes, must be paid on or before August 12. F. W. CLAYTON, C. M. C.

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erly and westerly 65 chains more of less to the boundary of the Indian Reserve and being composed of all that portion of the S. E. 4 of Sec. 12 covered by water and not heretofore Crown Granted. STUART STANLEY McDIARMID. Agent for Goodwin Gotherd Johnson May 7, 1917.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS

NOTICE.

Overdue Payments on Applications to Purchase Crown Lands in British

Purchase Crown Lands in Columbia.

Columbia.

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of the "Soidiers' Homestead Act Repeal Act." any person who did not apply under the "Soidiers' Homestead Act. 1916." to complete his application to purchase, either by payment in full or by the selection of a proportionate allotment, may, by proving his interest and paying up, in full the belance of the purchase price and taxes before the 31st December, 1917, obtain a Crown grant if proof satisfactory to the Minister of Lands is furnished that such person is suffering injury through absence of notice or otherwise.

wise.

And further that the interest in uncompleted applications to purchase held by any person outliers to the Lands Department of the fact that such person is considered and by the filling of partment of the fact that such person is considered to the interest of such person.

Further information will be furnished on request to the Deputy Minister of Lands. Victoria, B. C.

Publication of this notice without authority will not be paid for.

CRICKET MATCH TO-MORROW.

To-morrow afternoon at the Oak wards, Sutton, H. Booth, Eason, Til-Bay grounds the team from the Esquiman Military Hospital will play the and Paype.

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Department Favors Large Schools The Department of Education has dered to the Saanich School Board, fered to the Saanich School Board, it was reported at the meeting last evening, to pay half the cost of transportation of pupils from Prospect Lake to Royal Oak School, and from Cadboro Bay to Cedar Hill School, in order to make larger graded schools. No dacision was reached, but it is impropable any change will be made in the present year.

PVICTORIA "FLIER" BACK FROM FRANCE TELLS OF RAIDING ENEMY

Flight-Lieut, P. E. Beasley, R. N., Home Yesterday, Will Return to Fighting Line

Times' reporter who interviewed him this morning. He is due to report at the base in France on October 1. The cross-channel trip from Dunkirk was in a destroyer, the usual means of the time.

The scout machines in which the scouts fly are much faster than the other machines, and are single-seaters, carrying just the pilot. Both services are kept fairly well up to strength all the time.

"The latest type of British machines are equal if not superior to those of the

of the airman's work, both with the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service, and skilled men are required and will continue to be required "for the duration."

Attached to the French army for

eight months doing bombing work Lieut. Beasley took part in a number of exciting raids, the biggest being that on Obendorf on October 12 last

bombers, took part in the expedition. sell for motor car services. Flying Scout Machines.

For the past four months Lieut, easley has been flying scout machines oth on the Somme and on the Bel-ian Coast. He mentioned an incident of outstanding interest in this period a day when thirty of the scout ma-chines of the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service combined went across and "sat" over the Ger-man aerodrome near Cambrai waiting for the Huns, to come. They the for the Huns to come. They (the British), from a height of 12,000 feet e satisfaction of seeing the come up the result of the aerial which followed being seven

The young lieutenant speaks of the good work being done by all the pilots who went overseas from Vancouver Island. Particularly did he refer to Acting Flight-Commander Ray Collishaw and Flight-Lieut. H. Fall, of Cowichan Bay, who had gained the very highest honors, each having a considerable number of enemy ma-

chines to his credit.

Another of whom he spoke was Acting Flight-Commander Ken MacDonald, who, it will be remembered, had a serious accident, Lieut, Beasley was in the aerodrame on the Belgian frontier when MacDonald's smash-up oc

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be

Lodges

meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad Street 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fuller ton, secretary. ton. secretary.

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS.

Court Columbia, 534, meets 4th Monday 8 p.m., Orange Hall, Yates St. R. W. O. Savage, 101 Moss St. Tel. 1752L.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O meets Wednesdays, 8 p. m., in Fellows' Hall, Douglas Street. Dewar, R. S. 1240 Oxford Street. DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND B. S.-Lodge Princess Alexandra No. 18, megts third Thursday, 3 p. m. Orange Haft, Yates Street. Pres. Mrs. J. Palmer, 825 Admiral's Road; Sec. Mrs. H. Catterall, 821 Fort.

DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENG.
LAND B. S.-Lodge Primrose. No. 33
meets and and 4th Thursdays at \$\bar{t} p. m
in A. O. F. Hall. Broad Street. Pres
Mrs. Oddy, 722 Discovery. Sec. A. L.
Harrison, 512 Fairfield. Visiting mem
bers cordially invited.

OF P.-Far West Victoria Lodge, No. 1, 2nd and 4th Thursdays, K. of P. Hall North Park St. A. G. H. Harding, K. of R. S., 16 Promis Blk., 1006 Government Street.

ment Street.

ONDER OF THE EASTERN STARVictoria uniter, No. 17, meets on 2nd
and 4th Mondays at 8 p. m. in the K. of
P. Hall, North Park St. Visiting memhers cordially invited.

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SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Alexandra
116. meets lat and 3rd Thursdaya, A. O.
F. Hall, Broad Street. President, E. W.
Howlett, 1751 Second Street; secretary
J. Smith, 1279 Segulew Ave., Hillside. S. O. E. B. S.—Juvenile Young Englan-meets ist. and 3rd Thursdays, A. O. F. Hall, 7 o'clock. Secretary, E. W. How-lett, 151 Second Street, city.

lett. 151 Second Street, citv.
SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Pride of th.
Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and
4th Tuesdays in A.O. P. Hall, Bross
St. W. J. Cobbett, Maywood P. O.
president: secretary, A. E. Brindley
1617 Pembroke Street, city.

THE OLDER OF THE EASTERN STA meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at o'clock in K. of P. Hall, North Park Visiting members cordially invival

curred. Although he fell a distance of about 100 feet he is making excellent recovery from his accident and will be going stronger than ever in a few weeks time if Lieut. Beasley's pro-phery comes true. "Other pilots who are doing well are

"Other pilots who are doing well are Lieuts. Saunders. Woodward, Gorman and Hall," he added. Lieut. Hall is a son of Dr. G. A. B. Hall.

He spoke of the late Lieut. Whittier. Whittier before his fatal accident in July, 1916, was regarded by all Canadians as one of the best of the Dominion's filers. Had he lived he would certainly have made a great record.

Good Feeling. Good Feeling.

The returned airman said he could ouch for the good feeling which now The last thirteen months have held many interesting experiences for Flight-Lieut. P. E. Beasley, R. N., one of the first boys from Victoria to join the first feeling between the R. F. C. and the R. F. C. and both services work together the R. F. C. and both services work together the R. N. A. S., but this never existed and banking business of his city, has been killed, according to information received in the city. After completing an advanced officer had returned to France only a few days prior to the first attacks at Vimy Ridge where he was wounded. The scout machines in which the scouts fluctuation with the R. F. C., he added the working in the navy of the first attacks at Vimy Ridge where he was wounded. The scout machines in which the scouts for the first attacks at Vimy Ridge where he was wounded. The first exists between the two services.

in a destroyer, the usual means of transport of R. N. A. S. men when they are not travelling in their own air machines.

Briefly Lieut, Beasley defined aerial work on the western front before proceeding to tell something of the boys in the service who are known to Victoria. Photography, bombing, scouting and artillery observation are phases of the airman's work, both with the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal

RED CROSS WORK

The committee of the James Bay Red Cross Society wishes to thank all those kind friends in James Bay district who by their subscription through Mr. Chapman, and gifts of cakes and other when the Allies pulled off one of their works and six German machines were destroyed," summed up the speaker modestly when asked the extent of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German factories and biast furnaces, howener of the "results." Bombing German machines to give some 35 soldiers and nurses such a splendid afternoon's entertain accepted a commission in the 8th Battalion of the Loyal North Lancashires. Last winter he attended a course at Aldershot for battalion officers and was subsequently given the rank of major. When he returned to France he was second in command of the unit to and from their base, and they were medal which he received for distin-only about ten minutes over Obendorf, guished service upon the field of bat-Sixty machines, of which forty were tle; and to Messrs. Robertson and Bis-

Fairfield Branch. The Fairfield Branch Red Cross still holding its own despite the fac that many of the workers are out of town, thanks to the ever-faithful few who remain at their posts working steadily. The committee reports that the last collection sent in since May, all told, amounts to \$1,165, while a furall told, amounts to \$1,165, while a further cheque for \$460 is ready to send to headquarters. Mr. J. Patterson has taken out a life membership, and Mrs. Gay Wootton has helped the branch by giving a very fine pointer puppy to be raffied. Tickets may be had at the Red. Cross rooms, May and Linden. Further donations for the raffie table will be very gratefully received. The gift or loan of some good scissors for the pack room will be appreciated.

loan of some good scissors for the work-room will be appreciated. Last week the branch sent to head-quarters 71 pairs of socks.

WINS MILITARY CROSS

Flight-Lieutenant Clarence Rogers Receives Mark of Distinction for Exploits in the Air.

ognition of his daring exploits in the air the British Government ha conferred upon Flight-Lleutenan Clarence Rogers, of Victoria, the Mili

The young airman is a son of the late Canon Rogers and a nephew of the Honorable Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works in the Federal Government. He left here with the 30th Battallon as a private early in 1915 and on reaching France was transferred with a number of others to the 7th Rattallon, which had suffered son of the transferred with a number of others to the 7th Battalion, which had suffered heavy casualties at Ypres and Langemarck. Some fifteen months ago he received his commission as an officer in the Royal Flying Corps and for some time-now he has been engaged in work over the British and the Royal Flying Corps and for some time-now he has been engaged in work over the British and transferred with a number of others to Victoria in 1909 from Newfoundland nome in April, 1915, when he joined one of the Newfoundland units.

STREET TRANSPORTATION

al. to pay to the fallway company the value of the shares, namely, \$24, 60,000.

A series of claims are made asking the court to set aside agreements entered into between the P. G. E. Railway Co. and the P. G. E. Development (Co., on the ground that they are work over the British lines in in work over the British lines in France.

Lieut. Rogers is twenty-four years of

age, and a native of Brandon, Ontario. He was educated at the Upper Canada College and also at Trinity College, Port Hope, in Ontario. For two years he was assistant district engineer in this city for the Federal Department Works under Brig.-General

SUFFERS FROM EXPLOSION

Sergeant H. C. Macdonald Wounded When Comrades Met With Death in Trenches

western front. On no less than three occasions his steel helmet has been penetrated by bullets. An only brother, Ptc. Lorne A. Macdonald, who enlisted this city with the 88th Battalion.

Have You Seen the seven-jeweled wrist-watches with unbreakable fronts. sold for \$5.00 each, by F. L. Haynes.

KILLED IN FRANCE

Major Trevor M. Foote Who Was Wounded at Vimy Ridge, Reported Killed

was only recently that he was permit-ted to return to the continent and had been there only a few days when he was killed.

Major Foote was born at Barrogate, Yorkshire, on January 30, 1877. He was one of a family of six brethers and two sisters. His father, who is and two sisters. His father, who is vicar of St. Peter's, Barrogate, has mother and the other members of the family are all living in the Old Country. Major Foote was educated at Oxford and came to British Columbia in 1961, entering the employ of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. After several years he return to England.

In 1913, however, he came back to Victoria and immediately entered the

Victoria and immediately entered the eal estate business with offices located in the Belmont Building. On the outbreak of war he took out a com-fnission in the 50th Gordon Highlanders and later was attached to the Cen-sorship staff at Banfield cable station under Col. (now Brig.-General) Hob-

o which he was attached. The late major was a splendid sports man and was keen on aquatic events of all kinds. His motor boat Kelvin figheld in Victoria and adjacent waters.

PTE. HEARNE GASSED

Victorian Was Also Wounded on July 13 According to Report Received From Ottawa.

Pte. Arthur Hearne, a Victoria dier who prior to enlisting with the forces lived at 180 Olive Street, in this city, has been both wounded and gass city, has been both wounded and gass-ed. A telegram received by his wife stated that he was wounded on July 13, but no further particulars are con-tained in the communication issued from the War Office at Ottawa.

Pte. Hearne left Victoria with First Canadian Pioneers in April, 1916,

First Canadian Ploneers in April, 1919, and after completing his training in England crossed to France, where he had been for eleven months before receiving his recent injuries.

Pte. Hearne was a painter by occupation. His wife is at present living with Mrs. Davie, at 153 Olive Street.

L.W. Hearne, the Old Country pre-W. Hearne, the Old Country pro-ssional cricketer, is a nephew.

LOCAL DREDGERMAN KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. J. LeDreux, of this city, was killed in action on July 10 while serving with the Canadian forces in France

day: Profits of a Jitney Line.

George E. McCrossan, counsel for the the street transportation inquiry was resumed in Vancouver, said the im-pression prevailed in Vancouver that the B. C. Electric Railway covered up the B. C. Electric Railway covered up its loss on transportation by the light and power receipts. He said the Van-couver public wanted the issues sep-arated, 'light and power charges treat-ed differently from the transportation

W. G. Murrin occupied a consider able portion of the morning yesterday in dealing with fares on the Vancou-ver-New Westminster Interurban line As a result of a shell explosion in the trench in which he was stationed Scrgt. H. C. Macdonald, of the Sist Canadians, was wounded on the morning of July 10, according to a telegram received by his mother, Mrs. Robert Macdonald, of 2664 Cedar Hill Road, cars were owned by the line with no liability expect to shareholders. The Macdonald, of 2664 Cedar Hill Road.
Several of the men who were with Seyst. Macdonald were killed and others wounded. A shattered foot and some shrapnel fragments in various perits of his body were the extent of the injuries received by the Victorian.
Sergt. Macdonald has seen a great deal of the most severe fighting on the lighting plant, made his first appearance on the stand.

wemember, oh, please remember, the in opposition to the city's offer to settle the Oak Bay Avenue paving in opposition to the city's offer to settle the Oak Bay Avenue paving is now in circulation.

The winter is coming; how is a widow to get fuel at the present prices, on \$32 a month for herself and family and pay rent, too?

Help is needed at once, so you neede't to day there arrived Lieut. wait for tag day. Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. R. S. Day, Winch Building, City.

LIEUTENANT WOUNDED

A. C. Whitehouse is Now in Stonehave Hospital, England; Condition is Satisfactory.

Second Lieutenant A. C. White-house of the Royal Field Artifers, was wounded with gunshot in the right arm and leg according to a cable from the War Office, London, that was recently received by Mrs. Louise Little, of Nancose Bay, his mother. The condition of the young officer is reported to be satisfactory and no serious compileations are expected.

While serving in France with the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Major Trevor Maudsley Foote, for many years a prominent figure in the real estate and banking business of this city has been killed according. shrapnel in the shoulder and of discharge from hospital was transferred to the Imperial Army. A commission was granted him with the Royal Horse Artillery. He is now at Stonehaven Hospital, England. He is 21 years of age.

COMMENCES ACTION AGAINST RAILWAY

Statement of Claim Filed by Government in Pacific Great Eastern Suit

The longest statement of claim ever filed in the Vancouver courts was filed on Monday by S. S. Taylor, K. C., in the suit which the Province of British Columbia is bringing against Foley Columbia is bringing against roley, Welch & Stewart et al over the contract in regard to the building of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

The document is in book form and consists of twenty-four closely printed pages. It is remarkable for its arrangement which does not follow the

rangement when does not follow the stereotyped forms of documents, but poses to create a fund of \$10,000,000 to sets out in chronological order the story of the Pacific Great Eastern based on the total estimated mileage in each province.

To show how necessary the section to story the stand-Railway contract as told by the documents, and follows this up under separate sections by making separate claims for relief. Under this system each section makes an individual and complete claim, and outlines the legal principles on which the individual claim is based.

Section 1 based on the total estimated mileage in each pgovince.

To show how necessary the section in Eritish Columbia is from the stand-point of tourist travel, an Up-Island report elaim, and outlines the legal principles on which the individual claim is based.

terest made on the defaulted bonds of the railway company, and for a refund of \$163,000 and interest thereon for payments of subsidy on the difference between the 480 miles on which sub-sidy was paid and the 476.1 miles which is said to be the measured length of the road from Vancouver to Fort George.

A claim is also made for the repay-ment of a sum of \$5,704,318.50 alleged.

Were Not Directors?

Further claims made are that D'Arcy Tate, Donald McLeod, E. F. White, F. Wilson and Vernon W. Smith were never qualified to act as directors, and a declaration is asked that all agreements made by them. that all agreements made by them be declared null and void. Under one of the agreements it is alleged that Foey, Welch & Stewart made an exces ive and dishonest profit exceeding

560,000 worth of shares in the P. G. E. held by the defendants is asked, or in the alternative a judgment is sought compelling Foley, Welch & Stewart et

grossiy disnonest and exoroitant.

Discovery of the lands and properties held by the railway and development companies is asked for and judgment against the directors for their dealing

in regard to properties. For Campaign Funds.

Alleging that the defendants have given \$500,000 "for the campaign funds of the political party known as the Conservative party; and for unhawful and dishonest gifts and bribes to mem-bers of the Government of British Cobers of the Government of British Co-lumbia and members of the Legisla-ture," a claim is made for discovery of all moneys or shares or property," in any manner used or disbursed for gifts or bribes in connection with the pro-moting, passing and doing of any act or thing of the Government of British Columbia or any member thereof, or any member of the Legislature thereof, past or present, in any manner con-Legislature of nything done thereunder."

Oak Bay Avenue Paving.—A petition

Lodie. The majority report to the oficers of J Unit here

ENDORSES MOTION ON CANADIAN HIGHWAY

Western Liberal Convention Passes Resolution Submitted by Victoria Delegate

"That this convention go on record-as being in favor of the immediate commencement and completion with all reasonable dispatch of the necessary

Claim For Indemnity.

The first claim made is for a decree that Foley, Welch & Stewart complete the building and equipment of the line or in the alternative hand over \$14,000,000 for use in the completion of the railway and telegraph lines.

A further claim of \$1,053,826 is made against Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart as indemnity for payments of interest made on the defaulted bonds of the railway company, and for a refund of \$15,000 and is generally lost to Canada thereafter.

LOCAL NEWS

Gonzales Chapter — Extraodinary

Gonzales Chapter - Extraordinary neeting Saturday, 10.30, L O. D. E. eadquarters. Full attendance

which is said to be the measured length of the road from Vancouver to Fort George.

A claim is also made for the repayment of a sum of \$5,701,316.56 alleged to have been wrongfully and with the collusion of ministers of the Crown of British Columbia paid to Foley, Welch & Stewart out of the trust funds held for the payment of the progress work on the road.

Court of Appeal.—The Court of Appeal.

Court of Appeal.—The Court of Appeal will sit in this city on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock for the purpose of delivering judgment in the following appeals: Stahl vs. Miller, Bag-low in Edward Stahl vs. Mi

Balcom, McFeely vs. B. C. E. Ry. Bank of Hamilton vs. Black. Braden vs. Brown, Rogerson vs. Cosh.

Ladies Will Find the English Stockings sold at the Beehive splendid wearings. 25c up.

Remember, oh, please remember, the War Widows' and Orphans' Tag Day on September 7th next. The winter is coming; how is a widow to get fuel at the present prices, on \$32 a month for herself and family and pay rent, too? Help is needed at once, 80 you needn't wait for tag day. Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. R. S. Day, Winch Building, City.

Lumbermen Met Government. — A delegation of lumbermen yesterday waited on the Government, to urge the exemption of loggers from the fortingthly pay regulation. E. W. Hamber, E. J. Palmer, J. D. McCormack, H. of the cost of clearing land (such as we before consideration the facilities and utilities of the land itself and that of the neighborhood.

The Ministers for the structure to the province has placed on the spotent of the province has placed on the spotent of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the spotent of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the spotent of the system of taxation and suggest revision where thought adversal the whole system of taxation and subgest revision where thought adversal the mole and the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the appointment of the province has placed on the statute book an Act authorizing the

exemption of loggers from the fort-nightly pay regulation. E. W. Ham-ber, E. J. Palmer, J. D. McGermack, H. H. Alexander and J. W. Hackett were

urday, under the authority of an or-der-in-council by virtue of the Weekly Half-Holiday Act.

Trustees Appointed.—The following were appointed trustees of the Mair were appointed trustees of the Mair fund at a public meeting held yesteron: Mrs. F. Osborne, pres of the Regina Philo Auxiliary O. B. B.; Mrs. H. Burns, and Mrs. A. Warren, and Messrs. Thos. Walker, I Waystock and John Flynn.

Trophy Donated.—The trophy for Saanich schools presented by Mrs Butchart will be given to the school triet school board last evening.

Rotary Club Luncheon.—The lunch-Thursday next, will be featured by a weight and most comfortable for the Thursday next, will be featured by a topical talk on the subject of "Meats and Production of Food in General," by a topical talk on the subject of "Meats and Production of Food in General," by a topical talk on the subject of "Meats and Production of Food in General," by a topical talk on the subject of "Meats and Production of Food in General," by Gillis, of the New England Meat Market. T. P. McConneil will deliver a reading from 'A Talking Knowledge of Rotary."

France's Thanks.— The following cable has been received by the Canadian Red Cross Society: "Desired by Returned Soldiers.—On the afternon-boat to-day there arrived Lieut.

Quinsey and Privates Hodson, Menzies, Bucknel, Bradshaw, Beamish and Empire's tribute to France's wounded.

A THREE-DAY HIKE

Framp Up Scoke River and Home by

Last week two Victorians their knapsacks, rolled up their blan-kets and with sufficient food to last several days, set out on a hike up the Sooke River and back by way of the old pack trail from Leach River over the mountains past the Goldstream Lokes. They went to Sooke on the stage and then tramped the rest of the way, sleeping in the open at high and

way, sleeping in the open at hight and stopping by the way to boil the kettle and make tea.

The big sight of the trip was the Sooke River canyon. The banks several hundred feet high enclose a guich that is ruggedly beautiful. In the centre is the fall, and almost everywhere the bed of the river is covered with potholes, some large and some small but all wonderfully made.

two. It gives an opportunity to see something of the primeval forest and river scenery without going very far for it, and yet be away from the beaten paths.



AGRICULTURAL TAXATION.

To the Editor: The Hon. Premier and the Hon. Minister of Agriculture both acknowledge that the basis of assessment in vogue to-day on which farm land is taxed may be unfair and out of all proportion to farm land values.

Farmers generally concede the point that high assessment has greatly added to their burdens. The surtax has brought it home to them and led to the present uproar.

ments. Other reasons for the removal in the public interest there are many.

The question of the basis of assessment is of vital importance to the farming industry, and if farmers do not take the matter up at once and come to some agreement on the subject and widely proclaim their view they will only have themselves to thank if the present Goverhment do not grant them relief they are clearly entitled to when the Board reports to the House.

C. WALLICH.

VANCOUVER EDUCATION PROBE

ingham, who died in 1900. Mrs. Beck-ingham was noted for her church activities and has been a devout mem-



That this convention go on record as being in favor of the immediate commencement and completion with and make tea.

The big sight of the trip was the stooping by the way to, boil the kettle and make tea.

The saonable dispatch of the necessary links of a national highway across. Canada in accordance with the terms of the entry of British Columbia into Confederation, the money vote to be divided equitably between and expended under the direction and management of the governments of the provinces the bed of the river is covered with potholes, some large and some large and some bed with potholes, some large and some large and some bed on the centre is she fall, and almost every seems but little increases the provinces through which the highway will necessarily pass.

The above resolution was introduced by Joshua Kingham at the recent convention of Western Liberals at Winnipeg, and carged without any adverse discussion. In fact Mr. Kingham, was surprised at the cordial support give themselves and the deer convention of Western Liberals and will be down to drink.

A wagon road was part of the terms of Confederation when this province two disport themselves and the description of the proposal, which represents so much for British Columbia.

A wagon road was part of the terms of Confederation when this province, two distinct factions favoring—the—Hope-princeton and the northern route, and the confideration with the resolution was draited to avoid any sectional feeling, there being in this province, fwo distinct factions favoring—the—Hope-princeton and the northern route, which appealed to the province, fwo distinct factions favoring—the—Hope-princeton and the northern route, we were verywhere. Berries of nearly driven the deep of the form and the northern route, we were verywhere. Berries of nearly driven the sound portance which a trink route would portance which a trink route would print and Automobile Association to which and Automobile Association to which and Automobile Association to which and Automobile Associ

hearby universities and a student of the same time take a course leading university degree. Thus in Englattakes a High School boy or girl tically four years to become a fully offied teacher. And yet, when a may woman from England comes her offer his services, having received most thorough training, we will no seem him till he has passed an example.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late William Baines took place this morning from the family residence, 1531 Camelia Street, at 10.45. Fifteen minutes later Rev. E. G. Miller held services at St. Barnabas' Church, many being present at the obsequies. The single hymn sung was "Nearer My God to Thee." Many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket. The following were the pallbearers: Messrs W. W. W. Prines, F. J. H. Baines, A. Baines, M. Steele, W. Ahern and H. A. Lilly.

The remains of the late Mrs. Isabella.
Redman, who died at the age of 71 in.
New Westminster on December 27,
1914, and was buried in Fraser cemetery, were forwarded to this city last
Saturday. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the
Sands chapel. Rev. A. B. Osterhout
read the committal service at Ross Bay
cometry, where the remains after cemetery where the remains were in-terred in the family plot beside the late Rev. A. E. Redman, a son who passed away on July 30, 1916.

Following an illness of two days Adele H. Beckingham, formerly of Vic-toria, and mother of Chief of Polica Charles L. Beckingham, of Seattle, died Friday morning at her home, 607 Fif-teenth Avenue North, Seattle, Wash. Prior to her sickness Wednesday Mrs. Beckingham had not been ill a day in her seventy-seven years. She leaves sking sking berger. J. Palmer, J. D. McCermack, H. Series en H. Alexander and J. W. Hackett were the spokesmen.

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This fact alone should be good grounds for held last evening, the buttchers and fishmongers began to-day the sment of sarely closing, in lieu of Satborn in Paris, France, in 1840, and came to the United States in 1856, arriving and settling in San Francisco six years after her parents, M. and Mme. La Charme. The family moved to British Columbia in the early seventies and dwelt part of the time in Victoria and part in Scattle before, making their permanent home in the latter city in 1890. She was married in

British Columbia to George B. Beck-

her of St. Joseph's parish during her residence in Seattle.



SAYS EUROPE HEADED FOR DESTRUCTION NOW.

Pope's Peace Proposals Re- Reference to Alsace, Trent and ceived in Outline at Washington; Considered

Washington, Aug. 14.—The Pope's sadors and Ministers of the warring posals by the American Government nowers in Rome, are quite long, making in print something more than a dent Wilson's demand for "reparation column of large newspaper type. Al-

Unqualified approval of President Wilson's plan for the avoidance of futhe ways pan for the avoidance of fu-ture wars, by some-form of interna-tional organization which shall have behind it the necessary power to en-force its judgments is given by Pope benedict, who declares that along with such a spendid wester. such a splendid project must go an ef-fective arrangement for reducing ar-

are willing to gather in an amity founded upon a recognition of nationa

Any effort to prevent free economi action between the belligerents, the Pope points out, would be disastrous. Therefore, he says, there must be free-dom of the seas in all that the term

must submit to accept the losses they have sustained except in the matter of territory, and beside these questions of indemnity and reparation there or indemnity and reparation there must be me continuation of the var by economic struggle for supremacy thereafter, which would be purely evil. This refers directly to the Paris economic conference, which was followed by one in Vienna, where plans were made to bind the helligreents on either side after the war to have practically no commercial relations with their late enemies.

Occupied Areas.

On the important question of the disposition of occupied territory and the territorial ambitions of the beligerents, the Pope, by way of preface, admits that special cases might justify special consideration and still be adjusted in conformity with the principles of equity and justice. But as a general proposition he feels that a proper basis for discussion would be the restoration at once of all territory now in enemy occupation. That would involve liberation of Belgium, leaving not a trace of German control, political now in enemy occupation. That would involve liberation of Belgium, leaving not a trace of German control, political or military. The same principle of unencombered freedom in its full sense, he says, should prevail in regard to every power and nation. Not only must the French territory now occupied by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by Germany be restored to France, he says, butlon the other hand, all German submitted by German and Japan should be returned to | ship. Germany.

Italia Irredenta.

The more difficult question of Italia Irredenta, the Pope thinks, should be examined in a spirit of conciliation and fairness and that special consideration in the settlement should be given to national aspirations. Likewise does quebec, Aug. H.—After active service national aspirations. Likewise does vate to major and won the Victoria. The Pope hold that the complex instructions involving readjustment of the Balkan States should be considered in the same spirit of equity and justice. He has especially in mind A. where the property of the pro is the same spirit of equity and justice. He has especially in mind Armenia, the Balkans and Poland, and attached. The major declined to give the intimation conveyed is that the details of his promotions or decoragues on the safely dealt with by tions.

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—Sir George and the same spirit of equity and the same spirit of equity and same spir direct diplomatic exchanges between the belligerents once an agreement is reached upon the general principles of on of national aspirations and

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DIPLOMATS SUSPECT CONCEALED DESIGN

Poland in Pope's Proposals

Washington, Aug. . 14.-The Entent peace proposals, which already have diplomats here, naturally looking to been delivered to the resident Ambas the reception of the Pope's peace prorecall with much satisfaction Presi-

dent Wilson's demand for "reparation from the Central Powers" as a very though special efforts are being made to facilitate transmission to the United States, this may not be effected for at least a day or two.

Meanwhile, however, an accurate outline of the principal points of the Pope's communication is in the hands of the Government here and already has received thoughtful consideration.

The Pontiff describes the terrible conditions existing in Europe, which he, declares, is headed for destruction unless the belligerents are willing to listen to the appeals of disinterested friends to cross a suicidal war. Such conditions, the Pope feels, amply justify him in taking the present opportunity its suggest what may be, the hopes, at least a foundation upon which peace negotiations may be initiated.

According to the proposal are only suggested as a rough basis for such negotiations, and he realizes that the details in all their complexity must be worked out patiently and in a spirit of conciliation by the beligerents them-selves.

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MR. GRAHAM MOVES C. N. R. BE TAKEN

Ottawa, Aug. 14.-In the Co Ottawa; Aug. 14.—In the Commons tawa; Pte. R. S. Fraser, Pembroke, moved that the Government take over the Canadian Northern Railway in case of continuous default. He declared against the purchase of the common o of the deciment for reducing armaments to a point just sufficient for defensive purposes, or to carry out the mandates of the world court.

It is inconceivable, the Pope holds, that any permanent peace can be maintained unless the various peoples are willing to gather in an amity founded upon a recognition of retired.

GERMAN LINES WERE PENETRATED NEAR

KERENSKY'S REPLY

U BOAT DRIVEN OFF:

FROM PRIVATE TO MAJOR AT FRONT

TROUBLED EXISTENCE OF CITY OF KIEV

Odessa, Aug. 13.—Via Petrograd and London, Aug. 14.—Kiev is leading a troubled existence. During the recent battle at the railway station between detachments of the Ukraine regiments and Curraniers, it appears that firing also took place in the fown, probably

Blow by Haig's Men Drove Enemy Across the Steenbeke River

British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) -British forces to-day attacked the German positions on a small section of the Belgian front and pushed the Ger man posts back across the Steenbeke River, east of the Ypres-Thourout rail way. The British re-established their line on the eastern side of the river.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Killed in action—Pte. F. A. Owen, how the bownanville, Ont.
Died of wounds—Pte. H. Watson, is a like in the bounds. Pte. F. Connelly, Scattle, fire

Stewart, Winona, Ont.; Pte. A. Darse nault, Campbellton, N.B.; Pte. R. B. Wood, Bolton, Ont.; Pte. H. E. Wooley, Toronto; Pte. A. D. Pole, England; Pte. H. D. Cranford, Woodstock, Ont.; Lance-Cpl. A. W. Seaman, England; BY THE GOVERNMENT
Pte. H. Harman, Caledonia, Ont.; Pte.
M. Mauito, Fort William; Pte. P. Howarth, Edmonton; Pte. J. A. Gillis, Ot-

treal; Pte. W. Cotegaspe, Quebec; Pte. C. E. Gauthier, Summerside, P.E.I.; Pte E. S. Witser, Napanee, Ont.; Pte. H. Hall, Toronto; Pte. G. Evans, Toronto; Pte. W. Hood, Coburg, Ont.; Pte. E. K. Bain, England; Pte. H. Mitchell, Armstrong, B.C.; Pte. W. M. Redmond, Caldwell, Ont.; Pte. C. Hensall, England; Pte. J. Parkinson, Hamilton; Pte. J. Lawrence, Scotland; Pte. A. H. Therefore, he says, there must be freedom of the seas in all that the term applies.

No Reparation.

The Pontifi declares that so extensive has been the injury to all the belligerents that there can be no thought of either indemnity or reparation. In a spirit of conciliation and justice, he says, all the belligerents must submit to accept the losses they have sustained except in the matter of territory, and beside these questions of indemnity and reparation there.

RHEIMS BY FRENCH

London, Aug. 14.—Few changes on the ball, Moose Jaw; Cpl. R. A. M. Plate, Dilli, Moose Jaw; Cpl. R. A. M. Plate, Caigary: Pte. H. L. Scales, Vancouver; Pte. H. C. Davis, Brampton, Ont.; Pte. M. W. McCandlish, Nelson; Pte. G. F. Mo. W. M. Candish, Nelson; Pte. C. Davis, Brampton, Ont.; Pte. L. D. Bernard, Kelowna; Pte. W. Edmondom of indemnity and reparation there was the places by French reconnoitring parties of territory, and beside these questions of indemnity and reparation there. Y'S REPLY

Antigonish Harbor, N.S., Pte. G. F.
Johnston, Joggins Mines, N.S.; Pte. L.
Rosers, Philadelphia; Pte. H. Morphy,
Toronto, Pte. M. Fox, Dunnville, Ont.;

Petrograd, Aug. 14.—Premier Kerensky in reply to a message of good will King George sent him at the beginning of the fourth year of war, said:

"I am certain the Russian people will find the necessary strength to surmount the serious trials of the present time, and conduct the world war to an end which will be worthy of the terrible sacrifices already made by every nation which is struggling for carroll, Carol Crossing, N.B.; Lanceright against might."

Toronto; Pte. M. Fox, Dunnville, Ont.; Pte. W. Grieve, Middlesboro, B.C.; Pte. H. H. West, Sweden; Pte. R. O. Grien, Ch. Sauc; Pte. J. O'Keefe, Vancouver; Pte. R. H. Stoopes, Ireland; Acting-Sergt, G. O. Brown, Vancouver; Pte. H. A. H. Stoopes, Ireland; Acting-Sergt, G. O. Brown, Vancouver; Pte. H. A. Albinson, Vancouver; Pte. J. Albinson, Vancouver; Pte. W. Westover, North Troy, Vt.; Pte. R. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. C. Johnston, Kisbey, Sask.; Pte. C. J. Scott, Clifton, N.B.; Pte. L. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Quinn, address not stated; Pte. T. Quinn, a

Mounted Rifles. THEN SANK VESSELS Killed in action—Pte. A. J. Smith, Benton, Ont.: Pre. W. Low. Charlotte-town, P.E.L.

E. E. Macleod, French River, P.E.I.;
Gunner D. G. Miller, Alberton, P.E.I.;
Gunner H. B. McNeil, Sidney, N.S.;
Gunner G. H. Bethune, Sydney, N.S.;
Gunner F. S. Edgett, Hillsboro, N.B.;
Gunner H. Mariatt, Halifax; Gunner J.
McCormick, Sydney Mines, N.S.; Gunner J.
P.E.I. Gunner A. Russel Halifax,
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Ottawa, Aug. 14.-Sir George Foster replying to a question asked in the Commons yesterday afternoon, stated that the Government has not yet come that the Government has not yet come to any decision has to fixing the price of wheat and flour for the present year. The Board of Grain Supervisors for Canada, he said, had fixed the price of wheat of last year's crop in Canada, but action had been deferred concerning this year's crop until the United States authorities were given the necessary power. The United States and

800 YARDS FROM CENTRE OF LENS

Canadian Troops Pushed For- Nine Rules Set Up by Petroward and Established Posts Last Night

Canadian Army Headquarters in Petrograd, Aug. 14.—The Petrograd military union of women volunteers in a recent appeal to Russian women Overseas Correspondent).—Posts were pushed out last night on a front of about 600 yards into ruined houses from which enemy snipers had been annoying our men in the advanced line in the region to the north of the Lens-Lieven road. Little resistance was r., and only one prisoner captured. The posts put out by us last night are only 800 yards west of the centre of the city, but a belt of razed houses lies in front of our men. Over the open space thus secured the enemy is able to direct a heavy machine gun fire from the strongly fortified houses on the other side.

The artillery duel rages with unabated violence. In a counter battery action yesterday, Canadian gunners are the open space that avalosions in enemy gun counter battery and the restriction of the army and through education propagation yesterday, Canadian gunners and aight avalosions in enemy gun

George Perley and General Gwatkin, Chief of the General Staff, by Opposi-tion members and Sir Sam Hughes-Sir Robert Borden, R. B. Bennett and others spoke in defence of them.

A motion by Mr. Lemieux to strike out the clause of the bill providing sal-aries for the two Government Under-Secretaries (Col. Hugh Clark and F. B. McCurdy), was rejected on a division by 37 to 35

DYNAMITERS HAVE CLAIMED A VICTIM IN MONTREAL CITY

Montreal, Aug. 14.-The dynamite gaig has claimed its first victim. George Hervisux, the aged watchman of the Martineau quarries, is dead as a result of the shock he received when ten masked men held him up at the point of a revolver and stole hundreds of pounds of dynamite, part of which has since presumably been used in the attempt to destroy Baron Atholstan's summer residence. Ever since the sensational robbery the old man had been a nervous wreck. He went to work up to last Wednesday, when he could stand the strain no longer. He has been confined to his bed since. The gang that caused his death is still

SIR W. MEREDITH ON ARBITRATION BOARD TO DEAL WITH C. N. R.

Ottawa Aug. 14.-Sir Thomas White nounced in the Commons this after on that the representative of the Gov ement on the arbitration hourd to de erament on the arbitration hoard to de-termine the value of the common stock of the Canadian Northern Railway, which the Borden Government proposes to purchase, would be Sir William Mere-dith, Chief Justice of Ontario, who had

WINNIPEG UNIONS ASK FOR A VOTE ON CONSCRIPTION

Winnipeg, Aug. 14.—A pamphlet is being distributed by the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council which pur-ports to be the means of taking a re-ferendum yote of the labor unions on

F PRICE OF
WHEAT IN CANADA
A Pacific Port of the United States,
Aug. 14.—That Americans and Japaninterests which unite us, is most fit-ting," said Viscount Ishii, head of the Imperial Japanese Mission at a luncheon given in its honor here to-day.

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also took place in the town, probably by ill-disposed persons.

One hundred prisoners escaped from the town hall jall and, having provided themselves with revolvers and ammunition, they were parsued by troops but apparently defended themselves successfully. Meanwhile a strike of hall porters in the concierges broke out, the men disappearing with the keys of the houses. The house holders organized a picket defence of the dwellings and conflicts took place in the streets. The University of Klev addressed a protest to the Government against the attempt to "ukralnize" the soldiers were injured.

Canadian Governments would work together in regard to the matter.

BELLBOY KILLED.

Berlingame, Cal., Aug. 14.—Louis Ferrari, a San Francisco bellboy, was killed and a companion seriously injured here early to-day when the authomobile in which they were riding collided with an automobile filled with soldiers of the Oregon National Guard who were returning to Camp Fremont at Menlo Park, near here. None of the soldiers were injured.

WOMEN CALLED TO FIGHT FOR RUSSIA

grad Military Union of Women

Petrograd, Aug. 14.—The Petrograd

is able to direct a heavy manufacture on the other side.

The artillery duel reges with unabated violence. In a counter battery action yesterday, Canadian gunners caused eight explosions in enemy gun positions and destroyed their gun pits entirely.

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WARMLY AT OTTAWA

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Ottawa, Aug. 14.—The measure restained to the appointment of an Oversea seas Minister of Militia and Government Under-Secretaries was discussed ment understanding by the free citizen of any this duty toward the Fatheriand.

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"2-fron discipline.

"3-Firmness and steadfastness of spirit and purpose.

"4-Bravery and recklessness.

"5-Precision, accuracy, persistency and rapidity in the execution of orders.

"6-Absolute honesty and a sections "6.—Absolute honesty and a serious attitude toward the work.

"7.—Cheerfulness, politeness, kind-ness, sympathy, cleanliness and punc-

others, the fullest mutual confidence

"9. Quarrels and personal feuds are worth. "Those guilty of breaking the above rules shall be subject to the most

MAJOR BELL-IRVING HAD AN OPERATION: COMING TO COAST

rigorous punishment for disgracing th name of the Russian wome

New York, Aug. 14.—Major Malcolm Bell-Irving, of the British Royal Flying Corps, is at the Vanderbilt Hotel here following a successful and remarkable operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. While flying over the French front a year ago he was struck in the head by a shrappel bullet. The bullet penetrated his brain. Surgeons bullet penetrated his brain. Surgeons said an operation was the only-hope of saving his life. A victim of maddening pain, he entered Johns Hopkins Hospital two months ago. Trepanning was employed, and an incision had to be made deep into the brain to remove the bullet.

being distributed by the Winnipes Trades and Labor Council which purports to be the means of taking a referendum vote of the labor unions on conscription. The blue slip says:

"Referendum vote of the labor unions on conscription. The blue slip says:

"Referendum vote of all affiliated unions.

"Are you in favor of or opposed to conscription as proposed in the Federal Government's conscription measure?"

It is pointed out by many that the wording of the pamphlet makes it possible for those counting the yote to interpret the answers "Yes" and "No" in any manner they wish.

AMERICANS HONOR

JAPANESE MISSION

BY GIVING LUNCHEON

A Pacific Port of the United States, Aug. 14.—"That Americans and Japanese should stand here almost in the surf of the great ocean we both love, to pledge our faith in each other and consecrate ourselves anew to the common interests which unite us, is most fitting," said Viscount Ishii, head of the Imperial Japanese Mission at a lunchoos of taking a reference was a stiffening of precession for the interior elevators showed that there were nearly \$2,000,000 bushels in sight. It is possible in the most of this already has been sold. There was a slight improved de the mand for cash cats to-day whas been sold. There was a slight improved de the mand for cash cast to-day whas been dead of the most of this already has been tooked at the most of this already has been took were small. No. 1 C. W. flax was traded in at October delivery. Offerings to were small, No. 1 C. W. flax was traded in at October wheat and flax posterials a finish. Cash wheat closed at \$2.40 for No. 1 Northern and No. 2 Northern, and the opening quotations were in higher than yesterday. October closed at \$2.30, 6 cents lower. October of the control of the properties of the mached the maximum quotations. Bup-referendum to wonder if there is the market. Receipts are growing less daily. Last, reports on the interior elevator stocks showed that there are sever hearly sold. There was a slight improved de the maximum quotations wher

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Cash prices: Wheat—I Nor., 240; 2 Nor., 240; 3 Nor., 238; No. 4 Sal; No. 5, 483; No. 5, 472; No. 4, 572; feed, 172; No. 4 special, 231; No. 5 special, 213; No. 6 special, 188, Oats—No. 2 C. W., 61; No. 3 C. W., 62; No. 4 feed, 66; No. 1, 64; No. 2, 62; track, Barley—No. 2 C. W. 100; No. 2, 62; track, Canadian fives, 1921. No. 4 feed, 68; No. 1, 64; No. 2, 62; track, 682. Barley—No. 3 C. W., 125; No. 4 C. W., 119; rejected, 113; feed, 113. Flax—No. 1 C. W., 333; No. 2 C. W., 327, No. 3 C. W., 316; track, 231.

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, Aug. 14.—Raw sugar nominal; centrifugal; \$7.656\$1.77; molasses, \$7.766.89; refined steady; fine granulated, \$8.406\$9.15.

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MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Lid.) Montreal, Aug. 11.—There was very lit le of interest in to-day's local trading he narrowing tendency of the past fer days remaining in evidence. There was some profit taking in Scotia Steel and the stock receded two points, closing at the day's low. Price changes in the bal-ance of the list were insignificant, most stocks closing practically at yesterday's

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Brazilian Traction	405	- 401	-40
B. C. Fish			42
C. P. R. S			160
Can. Cement, com		14.60	- 62
Do., pref	913	915	91
Can. Car Fdy, com	31	21	-21
Do., pref			-69
Can. S. S., com	425	403	42
Do., pref	799	79	79
Can. Locomotive		**	62
Can. Gen. Elec	1035	1005	100
Civic Inv. & Ind	. 753	754	75
Cons. M. & S	291	. 29	. 29
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Laurentide Co.	- 14		173
Laurentide Power			50
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Maple Leaf Milling			103
Montreal Cotton		337	54
MacDonald Co	. 15	15	15
Maekay Co	335	4.0	787
N. S. Steel, com	1084	106%	1061
Do., pref			109
Ont. Steel Prods		**	25
Penmans, Ltd			71
Duebec Railway	228	99	231
Riordon Paper	122	122	122
Riordon Paper	120	120	120
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With Major Bell-Irving is his sister, Miss Bell-Irving, of Vancouver, and after a brief stay will return to the front.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Aug. 14.—There was an undiminisfied demand for cash wheat to day. Again the holders made few offerings, although there was a stiffening of prices of or grades below those that have reached the maximum quotations. Buy ers are beginning to wonder if there is much of the 1916 crop available for the market. Receipts are growing less daily, Last reports on the interior elevator. Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. But wonder in the reached the maximum quotations. Buy ers are beginning to wonder if there is much of the 1916 crop available for the market. Receipts are growing less daily, Last reports on the interior elevator. Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. But was in the last seas of the determination to take over the prices for products. Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day. Do., ist pref. ... Wheat was duil and featureless to-day.

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Gen. Electric. elevator e nearly possible as heen due to reports of low temperatures in proved detaile northwest which called attention to the trade that a great deal of corn is Offerings and might be affected by early frosts. All options closed at an advance of about 1 cent. Although buying in forterings oats was quite easerstic by commission as traded he other were but.

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NEW YORK BOND MARKET % % % METAL MARKET

New York, Aug. 14—Lead quiet; spot, 104611. Speiter dull; spot, East St. Louis 8 delivery, 84682. Copper dull; electrolytic, 8 spot and nearby nominal; September and fourth quarter, \$5.509427. Iron firm and unchanged. Tin steady; spot, \$62.50 bid. and Big Ledg

LIST AT NEW YORK SOFT AT THE CLOSE

Peace Rumors Helped Bear Party at Trading Ses--sion To-day

New York, Aug. 14, 1t is an almost invariable rule that when a stock loans at a considerable premium and a heavy covering movement ensues there is created a feeling of uneasiness and a reaction follows. To-day was no exception. Yesterday afternoon General Motors loaned at 2 per cent, and this morning was in request at 1 and this morning was in request at 1 per cent. The opening of the stock was excited and at a material advance cover first perfectly afternoon's price. This induced covering in other parts of the market, but the movement was short lived and duliness ensued, accompanied by a gradual decline, During the middle of the day the market was lethergic, and even traders were unwilling to increase their commitments, and outside business was confined to very small volume.

ments, and outside outsides was confined to very small volume.

Rumors of peace began to circulate during the last hour, causing an attack by the traders which was more or less successful in as much as it incovered a considerable amount of stop orders. The market was the other orders. orders. The market was thin and in many instances it was thin and in many instances it was difficult to sell stocks. No rally of significance occurred, and sentiment at the close was somewhat pessimistic. As a result of the day's trading it is protable that the short interest has been reduced. There are no evidences of any increased interest in the market in the restriction.

There are no evidences of any increased interest in the market on the part of the public, nor is this likely to happen unless the legislators at Washington will let the business interests of the tountry know on what basis they can Total sales, 507,300 shares COARSE-GRAINS SLIGHTL1

HIGHER AT CHICAGO

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett. Ltd.)

Chicago, Aug. 14.—A majority of grain men here believe Mr. Hoover will fix a price of \$\mathbb{x}\$ to be paid for wheat at the Chicago market. What he will do for the composition of t High Low Last . 294 294 294 . 954 94 94 .1234 121 1214

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MARKING OF PACKAGES IS SUBJECT OF BILL

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

We Deliver Immediately - Anywhere one your or 4253 THE HUDSON'S BAY CO.

FOR SALE

me manufacturers were making the lekkages, they used larger than their needs warranted.

contents warranted.

The amendment if put into force will require that packages of food and commodities are to be marked with the name of the packer, and that the weight, measure or other tabulation of the contents must be marked upon the

Board of Trade Receives Copy
From Minister of Trade and
Commerce at Ottawa

The penalties for non-compliance provide for summary conviction against the person who is found guilty of having packed commodities in his possession which have not be marked in the manner specified by the bill. A fine of a first of the Minister of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa enclosing a copy of Bill 120, which is an Act to amend the Inspections and Sales, Act. The bill is one dealing with the weights of the contents of packages.

About two months ago, the local more in forwarding the copy has requested the local Board to give the local in the more in forwarding the copy has requested the local Board to give the local in the local board to give the local board to give the local board to give the local in the local board to give the local board to

Staneland, or the secretary.

Fined \$10.—Charles Roskamp was fined \$10 by Magistrate Jay. In the City Police Court to-day on a charge of failing to have a refuse pit properly covered.

City Lighting. — A report on the lighting situation was presented to the City Council last evening from the City Electrician on the proposal to consolidate the lighting services to city institutions. He recommended that an effort should be made to secure a rate from the B. C. Electric Railway for current distributed to the various buildings belonging to the city, the said rate to be based upon the rate of 1.075 cents pec kilowatt the rate of 1.075 cents per kilowatt the rate of 1.075 cents per kilowatt hour under the Jordan River agreement, plus a reasonable charge for distribution. The city would furnish its own lamps, and provide for renewals, it was decided to apply to the com-It was decided to apply to the com-pany for a rate for current supplied at 110 voltage at the face of city build-ings. In the past 12 months, accord-ing to a return from the Comptroller, the city spent \$26,505 on light, and \$4,546 on power, as well as \$138 on power for heating purposes. As the agreement only covers lighting, the city will have to negotiate for nower ty will have to negotiate for power

KILLED IN ACTION

thusiasm.

A brother, E. A. Selfe, is a staff-sergeant with the 1st Canadian Division, while a second brother, H. R. Selfe, was chief signalling officer of Military District No. 11 before the war, also leaves ing with the 1st Canadian Contingent

Case Dismissed.—The case of Thos Miller, John Whaley and Harry Karl, accused of assaulting James Smethurst, was dismissed by Magistrate Jay in the City Police Court to-day.

A A A Chinaman Fined.—Sow, a Chinaman Fined.—Sow, a Chinaman of this city, was arraigned before Magistrate Jay in the Police Court to-day on a charge of not having kept a refuse pit covered in accordance with the by-law regulations. The accused the by-law regulations. The accuse was fined \$10 and \$2.50 costs.

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Remember, oh, please remember, the War Widows' and Orphans' Tag Day on September 7th next. The winter is coming; how is a widow to get fuel at coming; now is a window to get rue at the present prices, on \$32 a month for herself and family and pay rent, too? Help is needed at once, so you needn't wait for tag day. Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. R. S. Day, Winch the Emp.

Dance on Thursday.—A dance of un-usual interest is to be given on Thurs-day evening in the Hippodrome Danc-ing Hall, Blanshard and View Streets, by the ship's company of the visiting cruiser which has been in local waters for several weeks past. The ship's rchestra will furnish the music, and dancing, which is to begin at \$ o'clock, will continue until 2 a.m. The cance is to be in the nature of a farewell for the nen who have made so many friends in the city and have proved so successful in other capacity as entertainers. The event should, consequently, attract a very large gathering of local people, who will be glad of the oppor-tunity once more to meet the ship's ompany in a social way before their eparture for an unknown port.

arriage took place on Friday, August That range took pace of Frank, August 3, of Margaret Anne, daughter of Rev. J. M. and Mrs. Hughes, of Scattle, and Mrs. John Major an eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. 1, 2, 201 Burdette Avenue, Victoria. Rev. H. F. Burgess, assisted were pretty little flower girls. Mr. John Martin, of Astoria, B. C., was best man. The honeymoon is being spent in British Columbia, and later Mr. and Mrs. Lea will return to Section and Island Development Association, during her visit to Alattle to make their home there, where the bride is very well-known in musical circles. The bridegroom has also lived for some months in Seattle, although previously his home was here and he was for four years salesman with Walter S. Fraser & Sons.

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Urge Tax Reductions.—George Kidd, chairman of the Council of the Vancouver Board of Trade, and B. W. Greer, president of the Vancouver Board, yesterday afternoon met the Premier and Ministers of the Government, urging that the Taxation Act as amended at the last session be recast to provide for what the deputation considered a more equitable distribution of the burden. In reply the Premier stated that the Government would shortly appoint a heard, of experts to go into the entire question of taxation. The deputation made it clear that it was in full accord with the inference of the Government to appoint this commission. It also expressed the Banff and Lake Louise she did well.

SOLDIERS COMING WEST

Wire Received by Local Hospital Giv-ing List of Soldiers Dispatched to Victoria.

Board of Trade Receives Copy
From Minister of Trade and
Commerce at Ottawa

Commerce at Ottawa

The Victoria Board of Trade is to day in receipt of a communication from the Minister of Trade and Commerce to the first offence and 5100 for repeated will be the penalty. In addition to the Minister of Trade and Commerce to the first offence and 5100 for repeated to the f Home, Esquimalt, to-day, states that the following invalided soldiers are eaving the discharge depot at Quebec

RID OF PATRONAGE SAYS A. M. MANSON

Road Work Being Done at Less Expense Than Formerly

place in the administration of public place in the administration of public affairs under the Brewster Government, in comparison with the late Conservative administration, is referred to by A. M. Manson, M.P.P. for Omineca, who arrived yesterday for the session.

Mr. Manson said the effect of the divorcement of public works from parameters of the divorcement of public works. tronage had been appreciated more in the north than in any part of British Columbia. "We have eliminated the lobbying, and roads have now to be constructed for their public benefit, not for private pull. If it is to be a min-eral road, the mining engineer—and I can assure you we have a fine man in J. D. Galloway, formerly with the de-partment here—first views the pros-pect and then if he reports that the noney should be spent from a minera standpoint, the district engineer goes over the ground, and reports from a construction standpoint."

Mr. Manson refers to the new roads

which have been constructed in the present summer, at less expense, and on easier grades than formerly, and said the public throughout his wide riding were better satisfied than they had ever been before with the appro-priations. There had been some dissatisfaction with regard to the pro-posed change of offices, but the admin istration should be conducted from th istration should be conducted from the central point in the riding, and that he had endeavored to enforce upon his constituents. "I pointed out to them," he told The Times, "that the small towns should not be jealous of one another, that the development of the north represents the future of them all, and there is plenty of room for each of them to grow."

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Mr. Manson spoke of the great min-eral development in progress in the Rocher Deboule district, and through-out the Omineca Mining Division, of the opening of trails to new properties and the enthusiasm with which mining is progressing everywhere. There is also a great activity in lumbering, he states the towns along the line of the Grand Trunk Railway being the cen-tres for the erection of mills cutting for the prairie trade, which is a steadfly developing factor.

RETURNS FROM TOUR

Publicity Work Has Been Accomplished by Miss Taylor Covering Valuable Field.

Publicity of a practical character ha en accomplished by Miss Taylor, of

that it was in full accord with the intention of the Government to appoint this commission. It also expressed the opinion that the Sultax Act which makes effective this year the increased taxation as provided under the amendments to the Taxation Act was justified.

INFORM CAUCHS AT

WINNIPEG CALLED SIXTY KILLED IN WRECK IN RUSS



MINING DEVELOPMENT

H. Scholefield Tells of Success of New Oil-Floation Process.

Great things are expected from the So successful has the new process be ecme that practically all of the dumps are being repicked, and the low-grade ore, hitherto deemed of little value, is now being utilized with satisfactory re-

Approximately 2,000 tons of high and low grade ore are passing through the Rossland smeller daily, and an aver-age of 1,600 tons is treated at Trail. Rossland, where business for a number of years has been at a somewhat low ebb, is showing distinct signs of re-vival, and Mr. Schofield expects the im-

provement there to be permanent.

Trail is developing also, and at present a waterworks and sewerage system costing in the neighborhood of \$52,000 is under construction, and the take from which the supply of aqua pura is drawn, is sufficiently large to en-sure an adequate supply should the city double or treble its present pro-portions. Next year it is expected to add another unit to the system, which

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL AMERICAN LEAGUE

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The Soldiers' **Vote Scandal**

W. D. BAYLEY

The "DRY" Scrutineer

Tell the Story of the

In England and France whereby the real wishes of the overseas soldiers were distorted by the "Wets."

Mr. Bayley has just returned after a year among the soldiers. He has a story of engrossing interest.

First Presbyterian Church **Wednesday Evening**

EVERY VOTER SHOULD HEAR THE REPORT.

BRITISH LABOR PARTY

STANDS BY CONVENTION Stockholm stand behind Rt. Hon. Stockholm is concerned, the Labor



Tag Day for War Widows, Orphans and Widowed Mothers, Sept. 7 next

Don't Say "The Government Ought to Do It"

THERE IS DISTRESS AND SUFFERING AMONG THE WIDOWS

AND ORPHANS RIGHT NOW. HELP IS NEEDED Do not compel the boys and girls to leave school, before they should, order to become wage-earners.

The Patrictic Committee of the Imperial Daughters of the Empire Mrs. R. S. DAY, Winch Bidg., City.

Made from Gordon Head Berries-Guaranteed Pure.

PUT UP IN SANITARY TINS

Tins 40c 80c

Carter's" Tunny Fish, in olive oil. 35c Delicious in salads. Per 1/2 tin New Green Peppers Per pound

Dixi Ceylon Tea Van Camp's Pork and Beans 15c

1's, per can 'Phez'' Loganberry Juice

Welch's Grape Juice 50c Pint bottles, 25¢. Quart bottles Auburn Creamery Butter

ESQUIMALT COUNCIL

Returned Soldiers Thanked: Chief of Police Exonerated; Other Business.

Chief of Police Palmer, of the muni-cipality of Esquimait, submitted a let-ter to the Council at its meeting last evening calling attention to the invaluable service rendered by the returned soldiers, under Capt. Cromptor during the previous week, in checking and finally extinguishing the fire that commenced at the Convalescent Hospital. The Chief pointed out that the conflagration might have assumed a most . threatening aspect had it not been for the manner in which the "Tommies" stood to the task of fight-

The Council endorsed the sentiments

the vigilance exercised by the Esquimalt police. One of the Counciliors said
that he had been informed that drunken men were seen on Esquimalt Road
on the Sunday evening prior to the
meeting. The matter was referred to
the Police-Commissioners and at last
evening's meeting that body reported the Police Commissioners and at last evening's meeting that body reported to the Council. The statement informed the meeting that on July 29 the Chief was away from the district by permission of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners. Before leaving the Chief had instructed Constable Andrews to stay by the 'phone during his absence to answer any ealls that might be runs. The constable followed these instructions until 7.45 p.m., at which time he went on duty at the Gorge, leaving his wife to answer the 'phone. No calls, however, were received during the evening. phone. No calls, however, were re-cived during the evening.
This statement from the Commis-foners was accepted by the Council.

of several streets in the municipality in order that they might not conflict with streets in the City of Victoria bearing the same name. Cross Street will be altered; Astle being a substitute name that is under consideration Hospital Road, which runs from Mesher's Post Office to the Navy Yard will be changed to Esquimalt Road, a it is merely a continuation of tha

NORTH DAIRY STATION

Proposal to Dismantle Pumping Ma chinery Leads to Some Protest From Alderman Sargent.

The dismantling of the North Dairy pumping station, now that the Elk Lake waterworks will never be used again for domestic purposes, former the subject of discussion in the Cit Council last evening.

The Council endorsed the sentiments expressed in the communication and authorized the clerk to write Capt. Crompton and the men in appreciation of their excellent work. The Reeve pointed out that in spite of the fact that many of the inmates of the hospital were not physically recovered from their wounds, yet they handled the hose and other implements used against the flames for over two hours. At the previous meeting of the Council a complaint was voiced regarding the vigitance exercised by the Esquirmalt police. One of the Counciliors said

solved that the question should be re-ferred to a committee, and specifica-tions drawn up to give tenderers some knowledge of what they were bidding

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and cures eczema and every form

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Summer Footwear at lowest possible prices. This is your opportunity to buy standard shoes at a big saving.

CHILDREN'S SANDALS Tan Non-rip One-strap

Sandals. Misses' sizes, 11-2, at \$1.15 Childs' sizes, 8-10½, \$1.00 Infants' sizes, 5-7½, at 85¢ MEN'S \$6.00 OXFORDS HALF-PRICE

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Turn and welt soles, Burt and Fox makes, in patent, calf and tan calf. Broken lines but all sizes.

WOMEN'S WHITE PUMPS \$2.65

Fine White Canvas and Poplin lines, with Cuban heel: also White Poplin Oxfords. All sizes included.

WOMEN'S WHITE BOOTS \$2.25

White Canvas Lace Boot, with sewn rubber sole and low heel. White Canvas Button Boot, with medium high Cuban heel. All sizes in these lines.

TENNIS SHOE BARGAINS Women's Tango Pump, at only\$1.15 Boys' Running Shoe, sizes Youths' Running Shoe, sizes Childs' Running Shoe, sizes 7-10 65¢ Misses' Pixie Sandal, sizes

Childs' sizes 8-10.....70¢

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MUCH ENTHUSIASM SHOWN BY MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT

Win-the-War Delegates Address Meeting Which Passes Resolution

PROPOSAL TO HOLD BIG PROVINCIAL CONVENTION

If the attendant evils to party politics, more particularly in war time, could be abolished by patriotic fervor then the whole system would have been wiped out of existence by the enthusiastic demonstration, he'd in the Board Room of the Belmont Biost last night. The promoters of the gathering were the Victoria delegates to the great Win-the-War Convention held a month. tics, more particularly in war time night. The promoters of the gathering were the Victoria delegates to the great Win-the-War Convention held a month or so ago. At that significant assembly held in the city of Montreal national unity was the gospel preached. Its alm was to marshal the loose patriotism of the Dominion. Colonel Multoy saw a means of bringing those forces together—ineffectual without organization—and of so co-ordinating when the more serious it would produced to the more serious it would be it was a tomatical profiteer, and eventually create from the operation of the resolution as unnecessary, since the butchers had been exempted from the operation of the weekly Half-Holiday Act.

Lindley Crease, K. C., believed there are national unity; there was a cry for a Uniton or National Government. Neither party both claimed that the situation had all had something the people did not agreed to modify it. Some aldermen decision was reached a motion to adecision was reached a motion to adjourn was carried.

PENALIZING FOR

National Unity. He saw Canada on a full war basis. It was to be a mobilization of every-thing that was necessary to win the war. It was not only to be men, alwar. It was not only to be men, although obviously man power was a fundamental, but his plan included the utilization of everything that could be for national crisis should be made a brought to bear on the great end. National unity was the aim of last night's gathering. Every speaker, whether he present time was populated by thread

blustation of everything that could be brought to bear on the great end. May thing impossible, said-col. Prior.

To Frank Higgins Canada at the member of national crisis should be made at the part of them to the prior of them to the prior of them to a holday while some other leader stepped forth and gathered round him the brains of the Dominion, untrain melled by the shackles of partizanship for the one purpose of permitting Canada, to keep the pielge made by Sir Robert Borden in the imme of the peonic of the country would have to content themselves with the melancholy contemplation of two facilities and with the way the United States had gone to work and he appealed for the mingling of one conservative of a secondary consideration and Mrs. J. D. Gordon presented two points of view. The former was a delegate to Montread and appealed for the mingling of one conservative work of the secondary consensus to the to must consensus the total canada could benefit by the best brains of each side. If Hon. George Brown and Sir John A. Macdonald—with views as widely divergent as the poles—could subjugate personal affiliations for the common good half a century ago, it should not be too must to expect a similar programme now when the country faced a powerful foe. It was a sorry special for Canada was, then it was time for the common good half a century ago, it should not be too must to expect a similar programme now when the country faced a powerful foe. It was a sorry special for consecration to the great store of the programme now when the pelegge remember in the pelegge remember ing her honored dead and the men who were still fighting holy in France was a reproducted to the programme now when the country faced a powerful foe. It was a sorry special cord of the great store of the great store of the great store of the pelegge remember in the pelegge remember in the pelegge remember in the pel

the great British Empire. Canada was surely going to fulfil the pledge remembering her honored dead and the men who were still fighting nobly in France.

To the Point.

After listening to many speakers, whose views varied but little concerning the general desirable object of the greating. Mrs. J. D. Gordon looked round the room and voiced one sentiment that had apparently escaped the root of the speakers. She assumed that cure to the people a just distribution resurred.

the majority of the males there would not be going to the front. She regret organized labor had not bee heard from, since it was obvious to ber mind that the bulk of the material from which name from which new armies would have to be enlisted would be from the workers of the Dominton. She had heard no cry for the replacement of men in depleted battalions to be secured in some measure from the army of men who had been in khaki for three years and were still a very long way removed from the firing line.

Pay the Soldier.

Pay the Soldier

Mrs. Gordon urged upon the meeting the necessity of facing certain conditions. She was bound to admit that a state had arisen requiring more men, and compulsion, she supposed, was the only way of providing those men. But she took her hearers back to the conditions the Tommy had to face. Why not pay the soldier sufficient to enable him to secure adequate provision for his family or other dependents, she asked. It was useless to believe that 100 per cent. disability at \$8 a month was not a deterrent factor in recruitwas not a deterrent factor in recruit

the Atlantic to the Pacific a united but freedom and liberty of the world wa at stake; the Hberty for which men had fought and died. Was not that reason in itself why a united front should not be placed squarely before the enemy at the gate.

Three "Parties."

"That a standing committee, with power to add to their numbers, be ap-pointed to confer with committees of other parts of the Province as to holding a provincial convention to con-sider the resolutions passed at this meeting, and any others which may be thought expedient, with power to

A. C. Flumerfelt presided.

REVERSES DECISION ON SELLING MEAT

Council Will Not Allow Importations for Stalls in City Market .

Reversing its policy adopted some reeks ago, the City Council last evenetain the City Market as a producers

An amendment had been introduced to the Market By-law to enable vend-ors in the City Market to self Canadian meat, by altering the clause de-fining the class of produce to be dis-posed of. The council passed the motion several weeks ago, but no action had been taken to give effect to it. Alderman Johns supported the pro-posal with the arguments he has al-ready used, while Alderman Dilworth

trongly opposed, as a challenge to the rinciple of the idea of a producers' Alderman Walker said he had changed his mind on the subject since the question arose early this summer. With two meatless days a week, less

meat would be wanted and he would

butchers supported the proposal "There are always men in this council ready to knock the market."

"I beg your pardon," remarked Alderman Dilworth, "we helped to create the market before you were in the council. You have ideas of your own which I do not think are to the benefit of the citizens of Victoria." Alderman Sargent said the an ment of 1916 had made the market a traders' one, a detriment to the prin-

Alderman Cameron had also modt-

the by-law was rejected by six votes

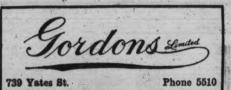
The Mayor then asked the council to

Alderman Johns opposed the adop

DELINQUENT TAXES

Society Asks for Additional Assistance to Carry on This Year.

"Where are we going to stop?" inquired Alderman Andros in the City
Council last evening when the Finance
Committee's report recommended the
payment of the deficit, \$1,000, \$100 for the case against P. Burns & Co., for the recommender
removing the institution, and an in- being in possession of fish unfit for Health Officer.



Just Received A Large Shipment of Knitting Wools

We have just received a large shipment of Wools in grades suitable for all kinds of knitting and crocheting.

Baldwin's English-Made 4-Ply Berlin Wool, in shades of pink, coral, light terra cotta, gold, fawn, golden brown, cardinal, mauve, black and white. A very coats, scarfs, hug-me-tights and slippers. Per skein, only 15¢

Baldwin's English-Made 8-Ply Berlin Wool in above shades. Ideal for heavy crocheted bedroom slippers. Per skein 15¢

Baldwin's English M a d e White Angora Wool that is so very popular for making babies' caps, trimming sweaters and making detachable collars and cuffs. Per ball 50¢

A New Range of Sock Wool has arrived in brown, silver grey, black and white. Made up in oneounce skeins for knitting socks, searfs and soldiers sweaters. Price, \$2.75 per lb., or, per skein, 18¢ We Still Have a Good Supply

khaki, blue and white. The same standard price at \$2.40 lb., or, skein, 15¢ A Small Assortment of Baldwin's Superior Quality Scotch Fingering Wool, in grey, black and white. The very best for socks and all grades of knitting requiring a soft finish. Price, \$3.50 per lb., or,

of Canadian Wool in grey,

per skein 221/2¢
3-Ply Scotch Fingering Wool
in pink and blue. Price, -Art Needlework Section, -Main Floor

Two Big Values in Yard Goods

Colored Velvet Corduroys. Special at, \$1.00

These are one of the best values we have offered for some time. They come in a nice heavy weight for suits, coats and separate skirts. A good range of fashionable colors, such as putty, royal, crimson, green, saxe, brown, mauve, navy, cream, pur-ple, prune and black; 27 inches wide. Excellent value at, yard \$1.00

Regular to \$1.00 Silks. Wed-59c

A choice of satins, pailettes, messalines and many odd-ments of other silks. Splendid for dresses, fancy work, linings, etc. A fine range of pretty colors: Pink, sky, navy, gold, grey, brown, mauve, royal, cerise, reseda, champagne and saxe. Widths 19 to 24 inches. Regular values up to \$1.00. Wednesday, per yard 59¢

Excellent Values in Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

Fine Ribbed or Plain White Cotton Vests for Women, low neck; sleeveless or short sleeves. Prices, 19¢ and 25¢ White Cotton Vests, low neck, plain or lace yoke, short sleeve narrow strap. Prices, 40¢

women's Fine Ribbed Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, tight or loose knee. Price 50¢ Fine White Cotton Union Suits, low neck, finished plain or crochet yoke, with or without sleeves; tight, loose or trunk knees. Prices, 65¢, 75¢

Porus-Knit Union Suits at 65¢

Fine Mercerized Union Suits, made in the different styles

Women's Directoire Knickers, made with elastic at waist and

Children's Knickers, made in the same style; white only. Prices -Underwear Section, Main Floor

"NEW HAY"

Fine sample of new Island Hay to hand. Call early,

SYLVESTER FEED CO. 709 Yates Street

Tennis Balls Special

DRAKE HARDWARE CO., LIMITED 14'8 Couplas Street

Alderman Dilworth believed some inducement should be offered to encourage the taxes to come in by the rebating date. He believed the system suggested was the wisest one, and therefore moved that the question should be sent on to the convention.

Alderman Dilworth be present policy of rebating as against a change.

The Council declined to endorse the suggestion of the solicitor but agreed to some other minor amendments

ents lacking organization He recommended that before a grant was voted, a report should be made by the Solicitor on the legal liability of the City to maintain cases. Meanwhile the recommendation should lie on the table.

This course was adopted, after brief discussion.

DENTISTRY

DR. C. S. DENT wishes to announce the opening of his Dental Parlors at 313-314 Central Building. Dr. Dent is a specialist on Pyorrhea.

DR. C. S. DENT Phone 3987 313-314 Central Bldg

fied with Magistrate Jay's decision in the matter. The course was taken on the recommendation of the Medical

HERE is a very good reason why so many women al-ways keep Dr. Chase's Ointment at hand. The reason is apparent if you will but notice the soft, clear skin of the person who Unlike poreclogging powders, Dr. Chase's Ointment promotes the healthful action of the pores

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Rough, red, harsh skin be-comes soft and velvety when this ointment is applied at night after a warm bath. Write to us for a free sample box, or buy a large box from your druggist and put this ointment to the test. You will be surprised and delighted at the results obtained.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

60c a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto, if a druggist tries to persuade you to take something else, it a account of more profit. Go to the druggist who will not