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American Training Camp in France, Sept. 22.—(By the Associated Press.)—By day and by night the men of the American regiment of engineers which has taken over an important line of French strategic railways, are hauling tons upon tons of ammunition and other supplies to French army units operating against the Germans. The American regiment has been turned over as a unit to the French and is getting all its supplies except clothing from the French Government. The officers and men entered upon the work with the greatest enthusiasm and they already have been under German bombs and machine gun fire from aeroplanes.

Within the past few nights a heavy train of supplies hurrying toward the front was attacked by several enemy planes. None of the bombs came dangerously close, but every time the fire box of the engine was opened for stoking the planes swooped down upon the train and spattered it with steel-jacketed bullets. The fire got so hot that eventually the train was stopped, the crew taking refuge beneath the engine.

ALIENS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT WILSON

Butte, Sept. 22.—Aliens residing in this city, several hundred of whom have been included in the draft by the city exemption board, which refuses to allow exemptions on the ground of foreign citizenship, have petitioned President Wilson to intercede on their behalf. The petition declares that the local district exemption boards have violated the President's proclamation and alleges that unless action is taken at Washington before Sunday, aliens will be forced to leave for the national army camp and their rights under existing treaties, international law and the selective draft act be abrogated. The President is asked to wire instructions vacating the order of the local boards before Sunday.

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BRITISH ADDED TO GAINS IN BELGIUM

Number of Prisoners Above 3,000; French Italian and Russian Reports

London, Sept. 22.—The following official report was issued here last night:

"During to-day fighting of a minor character has taken place at different points of the front. We have advanced our line at a number of points and have beaten off further German counter-attacks.

"This morning, English county troops attacked and captured a collection of German trenches and concrete strongholds south of the Tower Hamlets.

"Later in the day enemy troops launched a powerful counter-attack against the Tower Hamlets ridge. This attack was repulsed after heavy fighting.

"East of St. Julien regiments from Liverpool and Lancashire gained possession of a fortified farm, where a party of the enemy had succeeded in holding out during a previous attack. These regiments also cleared up a number of dangerous strong points lying in front of their new positions. This evening another German counter-attack east of Langemarck was broken up by our artillery.

"The number of prisoners taken by us in yesterday's fighting so far reported exceeds 3,000."

French Report.

Paris, Sept. 22.—The War Office here issued the following report last night:

"An enemy surprise attack against one of our small posts to the north of Joux failed. The cannonade was rather spirited on both banks of the Meuse. Calm prevailed everywhere else.

"On Wednesday four German aeroplanes were brought down."

Belgian communication: "Yesterday our artillery shelled enemy communications. Our aviators carried out various expeditions."

Rome Report.

Rome, Sept. 22.—The War Office reported last evening:

"At the head of the Geneva Valley (northwest of Trent) the enemy at dawn yesterday made an attack in force on one of our small advanced posts. A brisk struggle resulted, the enemy being driven back, leaving numerous dead.

"On the Col Bricon, northwest of Trent, on Wednesday, by an explosion of a counter mine, we destroyed enemy tunnel works.

"In the Upper Cordevole Valley, Dolomite Alps, yesterday, one of our parties in a splendid attack carried and passed beyond the enemy defences at Cina Sef. Subsequently, owing to the absolute impossibility of creating shelters under a most violent enemy bombardment on the rocky exposed ground, our men withdrew to their position of departure."

Russian Report.

Petrograd, Sept. 22.—The following report was issued by the War Office last evening:

"There is nothing to report from the various fronts.

"On Wednesday on the Southwestern and Roumanian fronts there were several aeroplane engagements. Our airmen downed four enemy machines inside the German lines. In the region of Novoselcy an enemy machine was driven down and its occupants captured. Southwest of Kovel our airmen dropped bombs on enemy camps."

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The following British Columbia casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. Richard L. Pool, Cranbrook; Pte. John Uden, Cranbrook; Pte. W. E. Hare, Vancouver.

Prisoners of war; now repatriated—Pte. Thos. Lyons, Taghum; Pte. James Gibson, British Columbia.

Wounded—Lance-Cpl. R. E. James, Vancouver; Pte. Jos. Coutlee, Douglas Lake.

Gassed—Pte. Wm. Allen, Vancouver. Wounded and gassed—Pte. H. W. Hughes, Victoria.

Wounded—Pte. Jos. Lyons, Vancouver; Acting-Cpl. N. W. Hanning, Chilliwack.

A GERMAN DENIAL.

Amsterdam, Sept. 22.—A Berlin dispatch from the Wolff Bureau, the semi-official German news agency, received here to-day denies as a ridiculous invention the report from Paris that the German Kaiser had promised a reward of 300 marks and three weeks leave to the first German who captured an American soldier. The Wolff Bureau message adds that, after capturing 3,000,000 prisoners Germany has no occasion to offer head money for any more.

GAZETTE NOTICES.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The appointment is gazetted of Hugh St. Quentin Cayley, of Vancouver, barrister-at-law, to be a judge of the County Court of Vancouver in the place of Wm. V. B. McInnes, resigned. Junior Judge Ruggles, of the County Court of Vancouver, has been named a local judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Thomas J. Blain, Regina, barrister-at-law, is gazetted a judge of the district court of the Regina judicial district.

HOW STATES WILL SUPPLY CANADIAN CENTRES WITH COAL

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—In the absence of C. A. McGrath, Canadian Fuel Controller, who is in British Columbia investigating the situation in that province, the following statement was given out by his office:

"An arrangement has been made with Dr. Garfield, Fuel Controller of the United States, whereby no general licensing system will be instituted as far as Canadian imports are concerned, but the authorities at Washington will call for periodical statements from United States exporters showing the daily movement of coal to Canada.

"Dr. Garfield proposes to exercise reasonable control of this movement, having in view the requirements of the United States consumers. There is anticipated no serious inconvenience as the result of these arrangements."

OFFICERS ELECTED BY LABOR CONGRESS

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—At the election of officers for 1918 of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada the following were chosen:

President—James C. Watters.

Secretary-Treasurer—P. M. Draper.

Vice-President—James Simpson, Toronto; R. A. Rizer, M.P.P., Winnipeg; Arthur Martel, Montreal.

Chairman Ontario Executive Council—S. J. Halford, Hamilton. Members Executive Council, Ontario—Miss C. E. Grant, Ottawa; Joseph Bann, London; James Ralph, Toronto.

Chairman Executive Council, Quebec—Narcisse Arcand, Montreal. Members Quebec Executive Council—H. Molette, St. Hyacinthe; J. Gauthier, Montreal; M. Walsh, Montreal.

Chairman Executive Council, Manitoba—W. H. Hoop, Winnipeg. Members Executive Council, Manitoba—Percy McCann, Winnipeg; W. H. C. Logan, Winnipeg; C. W. Foster, Transcona.

Fraternel Delegate to the American Federation of Labor—Wm. Lodge, Ottawa. Fraternal Delegate to peace conference to be arranged by British Trades Union Congress, P. M. Draper, James C. Watters, James Simpson.

Convention city 1918, Quebec, Winnipeg obtained 114 votes to Quebec's 125.

URGES STATES TO DISPATCH 2,000,000

New York, Sept. 22.—Dr. Benjamin Rand, of Harvard University, who has just returned from the west front, where he watched operations of the British army, said to-day that in his opinion the United States should send an army of 2,000,000 abroad to help wage the fight.

A small expeditionary force, said Dr. Rand, would mean undue sacrifice of man-power, which experience Britain had gone through early in the war because she could not help herself, being compelled to use the available troops at her disposal.

"In as much as the lines of the Germans to-day are unevenly held, it is the opportunity if only our forces are in sufficient numbers to throw such strength against the weakened sections of the great western front as to carry the war to a successful conclusion," Dr. Rand said.

Dr. Rand also visited the British Grand Fleet.

MARRIAGE OF YOUNG SOVEREIGN OF GREECE

Athens, Sept. 19.—Delayer.—The prospects of a matrimonial alliance for King Alexander are being widely discussed and have become an affair of state.

Since he ascended the throne and Greece joined the Entente, the view has been held that the marriage of the young King with a Princess of one of the Entente countries would be more in the interests of Greece than a private alliance. King Alexander has made it known, however, that he did not approve this view, his desire being to marry a young Greek woman of high character, the daughter of a court official.

The issue thus remains open as to whether the decision will conform with what are considered the state's interests or with the private inclinations of the monarch.

NEW CHIEF OF STAFF OF AMERICAN ARMY

Washington, Sept. 22.—Major-General Tasker H. Bliss yesterday was named chief of staff of the army to succeed Major-General Hugh L. Scott, who retires from office to-day.

THEIR NAME CLEAR.

New York, Sept. 22.—John D. Moore, secretary of the Friends of Irish Freedom, made the following statement last evening in connection with the letter of Count von Bernstorff made public by Secretary of State Lansing: "The Friends of Irish Freedom is not the organization referred to by Count von Bernstorff. We have not now and never did have any German tinge. Our membership is restricted to those of Irish blood and we are entirely supported by our members."

READING'S MISSION.

Washington, Sept. 22.—In explanation of the visit of Viscount Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, now in Washington on a special mission, the British Embassy has informed the State Department that the Viscount, because of his close confidential relationship with the present War Cabinet, has been sent as an envoy from the Cabinet to convey such information, particularly regarding financial matters, as may be thought useful by the United States.

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New Westminster, Sept. 22.—Four years in the penitentiary was the sentence imposed by Judge Howay on J. Wallace Sinclair, former accountant of Galt & Sons, sash and door manufacturer of this city, who pleaded guilty in the County Court to six charges of falsifying the firm's records and to one charge of theft. His counsel, H. N. Lidster, made a plea for leniency on the grounds of the accused's previous good character and because restitution was being made.

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SASKATCHEWAN SERVICE AND CONSCRIPTION

Regina, Sept. 22.—A census is being taken of the entire Saskatchewan provincial civil service to ascertain as far as possible how conscription will affect the Government employees. Few at the buildings are eligible for military service.

RUSSIA'S ASSURANCES TO THE UNITED STATES

Washington, Sept. 22.—Renewed assurances of the strength of the Russian Government and of the new democracy's determination to fight unwaveringly with the Allies until the war is victoriously concluded, have been given Secretary Lansing by Boris Bakmetieff, the Russian ambassador here.

TEUTONS ANSWER THE POPE'S NOTE

Government of Austria Declares Readiness to Enter Into Negotiations

WILHELM SAYS HE HOPES POPE'S EFFORT SUCCEEDS

Amsterdam, Sept. 22.—The German Government in its reply to the peace note from Pope Benedict, a copy of which has been received here, "cherishes a lively desire" that the appeal may be met with success. Kaiser Wilhelm, the German note says, has been following the efforts of the Pope toward peace for a considerable time with high respect.

The text of the reply follows: Herr Cardinal, Your Eminence has been good enough, together with your letter of August 2, to transmit to the Kaiser and King, my most gracious master, the note of His Holiness the Pope, in which His Holiness, filled with grief at the devastation of the world war, makes an emphatic appeal to the heads of the belligerent peoples. The Kaiser-King has deigned to acquaint me with Your Eminence's letter and to entrust the reply to me.

"His Majesty has been following for a considerable time with high respect and sincere gratitude His Holiness's efforts in a spirit of true impartiality to alleviate as far as possible the sufferings of the war and to hasten the end of hostilities. The Kaiser sees in the latest step of His Holiness fresh proof of his noble and humane feelings, and cherishes a lively desire that for the benefit of the entire world the Papal appeal may meet with success.

Says He Loves Peace
"The effort of Pope Benedict is to pave the way to an understanding amongst all peoples and might surely reckon on a sympathetic reception and the wholehearted support, from His Majesty, seeing that the Kaiser, since taking over the Government, has regarded it as his principal and most sacred task to preserve the blessings of peace for the German people and the world. In his first speech from the throne at the opening of the German Reichstag on June 25, 1888, the Kaiser promised that his love of the German army and his position toward it should never lead him into temptation to cut short the benefits of peace unless war were a necessity, forced on us by an attack on the Empire or its allies. The German army should safeguard peace for us, and should peace nevertheless, be broken, it would be in a position to win it with honor.

"The Kaiser by his acts fulfilled the promise he then made in twenty-six years of happy rule, despite provocations and temptation.

A Falsehood
"In the crisis which led to the present world conflagration His Majesty's efforts were up to the last moment directed towards settling the conflict by peaceful methods. After the war had broken out, against his wish and desire, the Kaiser, in conjunction with his high allies, was the first solemnly to declare his readiness to enter into peace negotiations. The German people supported His Majesty in his keen desire for peace.

"Germany sought within her national frontiers the free development of her spiritual and material possessions, and outside the Imperial territory unhindered competition with nations enjoying equal rights and equal esteem. The free play of forces in the world in peaceable wrestling with one another would lead to the highest perfecting of the noblest human possessions. The disastrous concatenation of events in the year 1914 absolutely broke off all hopeful course of development and has cast Europe into a bloody battle arena.

"Appreciating the importance of His Holiness's declaration, the Imperial Government has not failed to submit the suggestions contained therein for earnest and scrupulous examination. Special measures which the Government has taken in closest contact with the German people for discussing and answering the questions raised, prove how earnestly it desires, in accordance with His Holiness's desires and the peace resolution of the Reichstag on July 19, to find a practical basis for a just and lasting peace.

Power of Right
"The Imperial Government greets with special sympathy the leading idea of the peace appeal wherein His Holiness clearly expresses the conviction that in the future the material power of arms must be superseded by the moral power of right. We also are convinced that the sick body of human society can be healed only by fortifying its moral strength of right. From this would follow, according to His Holiness's view, the simultaneous diminution of the armed forces of all states and the institution of obligatory arbitration for disputes.

"We share His Holiness's view that definite rules and a certain safeguard for simultaneous and reciprocal limitation of armaments on land, on sea and in the air, as well as for the true freedom of the community and on the high seas, are things in treating which the new spirit that in the future shall prevail in international relations should first find hopeful expression. The task would then of itself arise to decide international differences of opinion not by the use of armed forces but by peaceful methods, especially by arbitration, whose high peace-producing effect we together with His Holiness fully recognize.

"The Imperial Government will in this respect support every proposal compatible with the vital interests of the German Empire and people.

Her Trade
"Germany, owing to her geographical situation and economic requirements, has to rely on peaceful intercourse with her neighbors and with distant countries. No people, therefore, has more reason than the German people to wish that instead of universal hatred and battle, a conciliatory, fraternal spirit should prevail between nations.

"If the nations are guided by this spirit it will be recognized to their advantage that the important thing is to lay more stress upon what unites them in their relations. They will also succeed in settling individual points of conflicts which are still undecided in such a way that conditions of existence will be created which will be satisfactory to every nation and thereby a repetition of this great world catastrophe would appear impossible.

"Only on this condition can a lasting peace be founded which would promote an intellectual rapprochement and a return to the economic prosperity of human society. This serious and sincere conviction encourages our confidence that our enemies also may see a suitable basis in the ideas submitted by His Holiness for approaching nearer the preparation of future peace under conditions corresponding to a spirit of reasonableness and to the situation in Europe."

The document is signed by Imperial Chancellor Michaelis and is addressed to Cardinal Gasparri, Papal Secretary of State.

Austria's Reply
Amsterdam, Sept. 22.—The reply of Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary to the Pope's peace note, says a dispatch from Vienna, was handed to Monsignor T. Valdre de Bonzo, the Papal Nuncio at Vienna, on Thursday. The text of the reply follows: "Holy Father: With due veneration and deep emotion we take cognizance of the new representations which Your Holiness in fulfillment of the holy office entrusted you by God makes to us and the heads of the other belligerent nations with the noble intention of leading the heavily tried nations to a unity that will restore peace to them. With a thankful heart we received

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Long For Peace
"Since ascending the throne of our ancestors and fully conscious of the responsibility which we bear before God and man for the fate of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy, we have never lost sight of the high aim of restoring to our peoples as speedily as possible the blessings of peace. Soon after our accession to the throne it was vouchsafed us in common with our allies, to undertake a step which had been considered and prepared by our exalted predecessor, Francis Joseph, to pave the way for a lasting and honorable peace.

"We gave expression to this desire in a speech from the throne delivered at the opening of the Austrian Reichstag, thereby showing that we are striving after a peace that shall free the future life of the nations from rancor and a thirst for revenge, and that shall secure them for generations to come from the employment of armed forces. Our joint Government has in the meantime not failed in repeated and emphatic declarations, which could be heard by all the world, to give expression to our own will and that of the Austro-Hungarian peoples to prepare an end to bloodshed by a peace such as Your Holiness has in mind.

"Happy in the thought that our desires from the first were directed towards the same object which Your Holiness to-day characterizes as one we strive for, we have taken into close consideration the concrete and practical suggestions of Your Holiness, and have come to the following conclusions:

"With deep-rooted conviction we agree to the leading idea of Your Holiness that the future arrangement of the world must be based on the elimination of armed forces, on the moral force of right and on the rule of international justice and legality.

"We, too, are imbued with a hope that the strengthening of the sense of right will morally regenerate humanity. We support, therefore, Your Holiness's view that the negotiations between the belligerents should and could lead to an understanding by which, with the creation of appropriate guarantees, armaments on land and sea and in the air might be reduced simultaneously, reciprocally and gradually to a fixed limit, and whereby the high seas, which rightly belong to all the nations of the earth, may be freed from domination or paramountcy and be opened equally for the use of all.

Negotiations
"Fully conscious of the importance of the promotion of peace on the method proposed by Your Holiness, namely, to submit international disputes to compulsory arbitration, we also are prepared to enter into negotiations regarding this proposal.

"If, as we most heartily desire, agreements should be arrived at between the belligerents which would realize this sublime idea, and thereby give security to the Austro-Hungarian monarchy for its unhampered future development, it can then not be difficult to find a satisfactory solution for other questions which still remain to be settled between the belligerents in a spirit of justice and of reasonable consideration for the conditions of existence of both parties.

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LAND ACT
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STUART STANLEY McDIARMID, Agent for Goodwin Gotthard Johnson, May 1, 1917.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.
(Section 21.)
In the Matter of Part of Lot 1, of Sub Lot 1, Fernwood Estate, Victoria City, Map 238:

Proof having been filed of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 1961A, issued to Thomas S. Gore on the 8th day of May, 1917, hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said Thomas S. Gore a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu thereof.
Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of September, 1917.
J. C. GWYNN, Registrar-General of Titles.

NOTICE
In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Puckle, late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly certified, to the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, 1917.
Dated this 21st day of September, 1917.
Solicitors for the Executors,
415-7 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE
Estate of Charles Ball, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the late Charles Ball, who died at the City of Victoria, on or about the 28th day of July, 1917, are required, on or before the 1st day of November, 1917, to send to the undersigned, solicitors for Hannah Ball and Percival Robert Brown, executrix and executor of the last Will and Testament of the said Charles Ball, full particulars of their claims against the Estate of the said Charles Ball, deceased.
Take notice that after such last mentioned date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have had notice.
Dated the 14th day of September, A. D. 1917.
BODWELL & LAWSON,
815 Government Street, Victoria,
Solicitors for the Executrix and Executor.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 24.)
In the Matter of Part (100 feet by 110 Feet in the Southwesterly corner) of Lot 32 of Section 75, Fernwood Estate, Victoria City, Map 109:

Proof having been filed of the loss of Certificate of Indefeasible Title No. 891, issued to Harry Fuller on the 10th day of June, 1908, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Harry Fuller a fresh Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu thereof.
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We require no other justification for making further reference to the Home Products Fair which will be opened on Monday than will be found in our news columns to-day. The number of prominent establishments which will be represented at the display and the character of their exhibits should be sufficient to guarantee the success of the show. If the public will do its part and respond as cordially as the exhibitors have responded the outcome will be highly satisfactory.

THE TWO REPLIES.

Bolled down, the responses of the German and Austrian emperors to the Pope's proposal means that they are anxious to bargain for peace, and this the world has known for two years. Karl's note, it is true, goes more into detail than the Potsdam reply, and refers to disarmament, international arbitration and "freedom of the seas," as subjects for negotiations, but both are silent regarding the territory under the occupation of their armies. From the standpoint of Germany in particular, this omission is highly politic on account of the sharp cleavage of sentiment at home on the subject. The Reichstag resolution called for peace without annexations and indemnities; in other words a peace which would leave Prussia with no loot and no material justification for her militarist madness. On the other hand, the Junkers demand the annexation of practically all the territory held by the German armies. Hence both Austrian and German notes do not mention the matter at all. Wilhelm dares not rush in where Bethmann-Hollweg and Michaelis fear to tread.

It is easy to read between the lines of Emperor Karl's note an intense yearning for peace at almost any price which would leave his Empire intact. But he is handicapped in his efforts by bad company. As long as he continues to run with the Hohenzollern perverts he will not better his prospects, and the position of his country will rapidly grow worse. His connection with Potsdam simply means that he is willing that his Empire shall be the bridge between Germany and the Near East, and an instrument in the consummation of the project which was the immediate object of the war. It means that the Prussian grip on Serbia and Roumania will remain unrelaxed. The Allies are determined to liberate Serbia and Roumania and drive Germany from the Bosphorus, and will not discuss peace with Austria as long as she continues to be an obstacle to their aims.

The German Emperor's reply, of course, is purely for home consumption. Whether his hypocritical protestations of his devotion to peace, and his reference to his utterance when he ascended the Throne will deceive any considerable element there in the light of a growing disillusionment, it is hard to say. How anybody who remembers his clustering speeches, his provocative trip to Tangier, his constant designation of himself as the "All-Highest War-Lord," his ranting about the "malted fist," the "shining armor," etc., etc., can accept his present pretensions passes our comprehension. The ruler who honored the submarine commander that sank the Lusitania and authorized the violation of Belgium and the nameless atrocities of Northern France, can desire peace only because the war he tried first threatens him with ruin.

ARGENTINA NEXT.

Argentina appears to be on the verge of a break with Germany. The German Government has not only refused to repudiate the treachery of its Ambassador but the Kaiser is reported to have bestowed upon him a mark of distinction. If Wilhelm has actually done this it may be that his purpose is deliberately to provoke Argentina to join the circle of Germany's enemies so that a direct appeal for peace might be excused on the ground that the Central Empires cannot be expected to defeat the world. But in any case the intervention of Argentina in the war would be a severe blow to Germany, not only because it would extinguish forever the important trade connections she has established there as well as the extensive interests she has developed in the country, but because of its influence upon the other South American countries. With Argentina and Brazil against Germany, South America may be regarded almost as a closed book to the Empire which looked upon that continent as one of its sweet morsels for the future.

Argentina as a belligerent would be of considerable assistance to the Allies. She has a small but serviceable navy which includes two dreadnoughts, and an army of 200,000 men, comprising the regular peace establishment and the reserve. But, more important still, she is a large source of grain and meat supply, and naturally would adopt measures to conserve food-stuffs for her Allies similar to those employed by the United States. By seizing the German shipping interned in her ports she would be able to contribute materially to the defeat of the German submarine campaign.

The failure of the German Government to repudiate its Ambassador's activities in Buenos Ayres is not surprising. How could it do this when the Ambassador was merely acting upon instructions, and in any event was doing only what German Ambassadors are trained to do?

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN!

Had it not been for the pro-German attitude of Constantine the Dardanelles would have been forced and Constantinople captured by the Allies two and a half years ago. This is what Premier Venizelos recently stated in the Greek Chamber, and no man can speak with more accurate knowledge of the subject. On this point the great Cretan Patriot said:

"Learning that an attack upon the Dardanelles was in preparation, I judged that the moment had come for asserting our claim to the great concessions promised in Asia Minor, without incurring the dangers which would result if bodies of our troops were to be sent toward the Danube for the relief of Serbia. The Dardanelles enterprise would require expeditionary troops of a greater number than the Entente could then command.

"I proposed at once to the Crown that we should place at the disposal of the Allies an expeditionary force, thus taking part in the war against Turkey. I asked for the mobilization of an army corps.

"This project, however, and this policy were opposed by the Headquarters Staff, which was working for a purely German policy. The Headquarters Staff was out to baffle every effort of the Government that might have the effect of setting Greece against Germany."

"The Allies undertook the Dardanelles expedition later, without asking for our co-operation, having no longer any confidence in us. If, instead of this, the policy of the Liberal party had been frankly applied the Dardanelles expedition would have been secretly executed. One fine morning the Greek army would have landed at Gallipoli, which was defended by only 6,000 Turkish soldiers, scattered in different fortresses."

Turkey, he added, would have been destroyed; Russia would have had her food supplies by sea, would have been able to export her grain, and would have escaped the enemy's offensive of the spring of 1916; Bulgaria, seeing the Greek and Franco-British armies on her rear, would probably not have dared to intervene; while the prestige of Greece would have been augmented, for, thanks to her efforts, Germany would have lost the East and the war would have been ended one year earlier.

Dealing with events following Bulgaria's entry into the war, M. Venizelos, speaking with emotion, said:

"In facilitating the intervention of Bulgaria into the war so that she could attack Serbia, we betrayed not merely our ally Serbia, but the vital interests of Greece. We were working for purely German interests.

"Was this policy of the Crown a benevolent policy towards Serbia, or was it a policy of treason I ask again what advantages were to be secured by this infamy? Where are the 30 pieces of silver? Neither advantages nor pieces of silver were the motive—the sole motive was 'Deutschland Ueber Alles'; that was the sole motive of the Crown."

M. Venizelos then proceeded to describe how the mobilization was carried into effect, revealing the aims of

King Constantine and the line of policy which he pursued. "I do not wish to go to the help of Serbia," he reports the King as saying, "because Germany will be victorious and I do not wish to be defeated."

ALWAYS A "SCRAP OF PAPER."

The Treaty of Berlin guaranteed the independence of Bosnia and Herzegovina. In 1908 Austria, at Germany's instigation, tore that treaty to pieces and forcibly annexed the two provinces, which were peopled mainly by Serbs. When Russia as the protector of the Balkan Slavs protested Germany mobilized her forces on the Russian border, while the Kaiser delivered one of his menacing speeches in Vienna in which he declared that Germany would stand by Austria in "shining armor" and with all the power of her "malted fist." Russia was unprepared to resort to force; she had not recovered from the war with Japan. Neither Britain nor France, who also were signatories of the treaty the Central Empires had dishonored, was in a position to do more than protest.

The incident of Bosnia and Herzegovina is worth recalling at this time. It shows that the violation of treaties was a cardinal feature of the foreign policy of the Central Empires, particularly of Prussia which dominated them. The same conscienceless scoundrels who broke their pledge in 1908 were the authors of the violation of Belgium's neutrality in 1914. More than that, the treaty guaranteeing the integrity of Switzerland was regarded in the same convenient light in the German war programme, for the violation of Switzerland was the alternative to Plan 2 which called for the violation of Belgium.

Now, the man who dishonored two solemn treaties—one signed in his own capital—who has broken every provision of the Hague convention which bore his country's signature, who rejected the proposal of Sir Edward Grey—accepted by Russia, Italy and France—that the Serbian dispute be submitted to the Hague, who ignored the Czar's urgent message in favor of arbitrating the whole situation and suppressed it in the German White Book, proclaims himself to be a supporter of international arbitration!

"We cannot take the word of the rulers of Germany," ran President Wilson's merciless indictment. Their signature to any document, pledge, convention or bond is worthless. Nothing signed by a German Government without the endorsement of the German people will be even considered. The very suggestion of arbitration from Potsdam is an affront to civilization. The words "honor," "morality," "right" and "justice" in the poisonous breath of those who tried to justify the violation of Belgium on the ground of "German necessity," and issue orders for the murder of women and children on the high seas and the assassination of the sick and wounded in hospitals, are an insult to decency.

THOSE "GLORIOUS" DAYS.

On July 30, 1914, ex-Ambassador Gerard says, he met the Belgian Minister to Germany, the French Ambassador and the British Ambassador in Berlin and found them greatly depressed. They feared it would be impossible to avert war. Thereupon Gerard acting on his own responsibility sent the following message to the German Chancellor:

Your Excellency—Is there nothing that my country can do? Nothing that I can do toward stopping this dreadful war? I am sure that the President would approve any act of mine looking toward peace.—Yours ever

(Signed) JAMES W. GERARD.

To this offer the American Ambassador received no reply. The reason, of course, was that Germany was bent upon war. The "fun" was about to commence. It had been postponed too long. A start had been made in 1913 but Italy's attitude balked further progress. This time there was to be no withdrawal.

"Of course," Mr. Gerard writes, "during the days preceding the declaration of war the population of Berlin was greatly excited. Every night great crowds of people paraded the streets singing 'Deutschland Ueber Alles' and demanding war. Extras, distributed free, were issued at frequent intervals by the newspapers, and there was a general feeling among the Germans that their years of preparation would now bear fruit, that Germany would conquer the world and impose its 'kultur' upon all nations."

"Oh, God, these are glorious days!" shrieked a prominent German newspaper and this frenzied sentiment was echoed by almost everybody in Germany, beginning with the Kaiser, the peace-loving Kaiser to whose gentle, amiable mind the bare suggestion of war, so he tells us, was ever abhorrent. The super-race was coming into its own. France was going to be "crushed never to cross our path again" to quote the sagacious Bernhardi. In fact, everything and everybody outside of Germany was to be "crushed." Arbitration, treaties, humanity, justice, morality—out upon

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Now is the time to provide your little ones with warm Woolen Garments for the cold days of Winter. Early buying is strongly recommended, especially if you would avoid disappointment later. The following list of goods will be of interest to you:
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Wash Cape Gloves in white, putty and tan, 1-dome, a pair **\$2.00**
Real Chamois in natural and white, a pair, \$1.50 and **\$1.75**
Glace Kid Gloves in tan, brown, black and white, white and black points, a pair, **\$1.50**
Chamois Gloves with Mousquetaire wrist, in natural only, a pair **\$2.00**
Chamois Gloves, white with black points and strap wrist, a pair **\$2.50**
Heavy Mocha Gloves, in tans and greys, a pair **\$2.00**
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Neolin-Soled Boots for Men

Neolin-Soled Boots are very popular. They will be increasingly so as the Fall season advances, for the soles are perfectly waterproof—an indispensable feature for all Winter Footwear for men. We have a large and most interesting stock of Men's Boots with this popular sole. Just to mention a few:—
Black Gun-metal Lace Boot, with white Neolin sole; Leckie's make. A pair **\$7.50**
Black Gun-metal Calf Blucher or Plain Lace Style Boots, with black Neolin sole; Leckie's make. Pair **\$8.00**
Brown Calf Lace Boot, with brown Neolin sole. Spencer's "Quite Right." A pair **\$7.00**
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—Men's Boots, Main Floor



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Interesting Exhibit.—One of the interesting exhibits at the fair is that of the Pacific Mill Company. The housewife who is interested in the cost of living will be gratified to discover the many uses to which the milk can be put. A special demonstration will be made of the milk during the fair.

To Open Season.—The Arion Club will open its twenty-sixth season on Monday evening next by giving a club smoker in the club rooms and the rehearsals will follow on every Monday evening during the season. There are a few vacancies for some good voices in the choir and intending applicants should write as soon as possible to the honorary secretary, E. J. Hearn, Belmont Block.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary Society, P. R. J. H., will take place on Tuesday next at the Y. W. C. A. at 2:30 p. m. for the resumption of work, members are begged to attend.

To Protect Street End.—The Civic Streets Committee yesterday afternoon decided to comply with a suggestion of Dr. Ernest Hall to place a more substantial barrier across the end of St. Charles Street at Hollywood crescent, where there is a precipitous drop to the cliff below.

Armada Subdivision.—Captain Macdonald waited on the Civic Streets Committee yesterday and explained some proposals with regard to the local improvement tax adjustment on certain streets in the Armada subdivision belonging to the Macdonald estate.

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To-morrow evening there will be a seance at the Victoria Theatre, when noted mediums will demonstrate spirit power in full daylight.

About 100 invited guests of Mrs. Conway, of the Four-Mile House, had an excellent time in dancing, banqueting, and other social pleasures. The occasion was a dual one. The fourth anniversary of Mrs. Conway's eldest daughter's marriage, and the opening of the elegant new Four-Mile dance hall.

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Yates Street 7.30 p.m. Sunday
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Observatory Pictures.—The C. P. E. R. has applied to the Victoria and Island Development Association for pictures of the Sanitch Observatory, to be used in connection with publicity matter. These pictures were furnished to-day.

City Buildings.—The new implement shed at Garbally Road Yard will be completed in about two weeks, finishing the plans for 1917 to add structures at the city yards in order to house material. It is expected the repairs of the Made-in-Victoria building at the Willows Park will be completed by the end of next week.

Tag Day Results.—The proceeds of the Jewish Relief Fund tag day held yesterday amounted to \$1,541.71. It is reported by the treasurer, I. M. Nodack. The headquarters officers were at 625 Government Street in the offices very kindly lent for the occasion by the B. C. Land Co. Mrs. H. E. Levy and Mrs. Nodack were in charge of the rooms, and a very efficient staff of young ladies undertook the work of tagging at the various collecting stands at the city. The returns are considered highly gratifying, and the sum will be forwarded for relief of distressed Jews in Palestine and elsewhere through the London, Eng., headquarters of the Jewish Relief Fund of which Lord Swaythling is the chairman.

A Bad Hole.—The Civic Streets Committee yesterday authorized the filling up of a bad hole on Bridge Street, part of reclaimed foreshore, provided that an assurance is given by the riparian owners that they will not claim possession when the land alongside has been raised to the street level. The Mayor described the condition of things at this point as "the dirtiest hole in the city."

Evening School Syllabus.—A special meeting of the City School Board has been called for Wednesday afternoon, to approve the syllabus of the evening schools, and appoint the staff. Registrations have hitherto somewhat dragged, and it is hoped that next week the board will be in possession of sufficient information to know what classes are likely to secure adequate support.

Echo of Westholme Appeal.—Apparently the city will have to pay the cost of the return of the exhibits in the recent appeal to the Privy Council in the Sooker waterworks suit, as the solicitors for the other side decline to put up the cost. Some of them are of value and particularly in view of the subsequent lawsuit which is expected with regard to the excess cost of construction over contract prices.

Lake Hill Institute.—The regular monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Women's Institute was held in the Lake Hill School on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Bailey in the chair. During the meeting arrangements were discussed for a superfluous raffle in aid of the Red Cross funds. The sum of \$50 was voted by the meeting to be sent to the British Empire Agricultural Relief of the Allies' fund.

Non-Partisan League.—The inaugural meeting of the Victoria Non-Partisan League will be held in the Victoria Club (Campbell building) on Monday, Sept. 24, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Livingston will discuss the advantages of independent political action in regard to women. Rev. N. U. Thompson will speak on "Is Party Politics Doomed," and Mr. Wingate White, of Cowichan, will discuss the problem of united independent action. Dr. Ernest Hall will take the chair. The public is cordially invited.

VICTORIA SURVEYOR

WINS MILITARY CROSS

Lieut. E. H. Harrison's Gallant

Action in Keeping Communication Open

One of the latest officers from Victoria to win the Military Cross is Lieut. E. H. Harrison, who, prior to the war, was a surveyor here and a member of the local branch of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers. He is attached to the Royal Engineers.

The official announcement states that on July 19 Lieut. Harrison was in charge of the maintenance of bridges across a canal. These bridges were frequently cut by hostile shell fire and great determination was needed to effect repairs. By untiring devotion to duty and disregard of personal safety, Lieut. Harrison succeeded in maintaining communication, although every bridge on the night of July 19 and 21 over the canal was destroyed and approaches levelled by shell fire.

The committee, which was headed by F. A. Pauline, M. P. P., and composed with him of C. T. Cross, R. W. Perry, and C. B. Deaville, did not make any attempt to ask repeal of the measure, but merely an extension of time to enable the mills to comply with its regulations. They particularly asked for clemency to be shown to the Cameron Lumber Company, also operating the Puget Sound mill as well as its own, since Mr. Cameron had brought the subject to the attention of the Board of Trade.

The argument was based on the importance of the lumber industry to Victoria, and particularly at this juncture the shipbuilding industry on the reserve would be crippled by any handicap in the delivery of supplies.

After a long discussion, in which the civic committee that had just previously returned home from Everett, Wash., made a report on their visit, the members of the Council determined to deal with the matter by way of an amendment of the by-law, extending the period of non-enforcement till November 1. For that purpose the necessary legislation will be passed in the coming week.

The Cameron Lumber Company alone, Mr. Pauline pointed out, has a payroll of \$12,000 a month at its own plant and \$20,000 a month at the Canadian Puget Sound plant, 40 per cent of which goes to white labor. He explained that 39,000 to 40,000 feet of lumber a day from these plants goes to the shipyards at the reserve. He added that Mr. Cameron had spent large sums of money in endeavoring to obtain a remedy for the situation.

As a resident of the district affected, Mr. Deaville declared he did not wish the by-law repealed, but the Board of Trade, as a commercial organization, naturally looked to the trade interest of the community, and wanted to prevent anything which might check the wheels of industry.

C. T. Cross and R. W. Perry spoke from the experience of the inspection made the previous day at the mills, and pointed out it was quite obvious that the lumber companies would themselves desire to check the nuisance, owing to the prejudice it caused to lumber by dropping upon the piles of material.

Several of the Aldermen and the Mayor spoke emphatically for enforcement, though expressing a willingness to give 30 days longer if the mills were really showing some genuine attempt to cope with the situation. Alderman Johns made the report on behalf of himself and Alderman Cameron, who with the Fire Chief had visited Seattle and Everett during the week.

The new manager, Carlo E. Calza, is due to reach the city this afternoon to take over control of the Empress Hotel. The acting manager, Mr. Neale, has received directions to report at Lake Louise at the latter part of next week.

Mr. Calza has been one of the managers of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York, and has from a boy been connected with the hotel business. He has been associated with hotels of international reputation in London, Paris, Madrid, Monte Carlo and elsewhere before coming to America. Mr. Calza is of Italian birth and was educated in Switzerland. He is an accomplished linguist.

The general manager of the C. P. R. hotel system, F. L. Hutchinson, is expected in the city at an early date.

Choir Practice.—The Thomas Steele Choir will hold practice on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock sharp, at the B. C. Academy of Music.



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DIED IN LONDON

Frederick Charlesworth, Brother of Principal Charlesworth, Was in Admiralty Offices.

News has just reached Mr. H. Charlesworth, Principal of George Jay School, of the death about three weeks ago of a brother, Frederick Charlesworth, of the Admiralty offices, London, England. The information came by letter, and was a distinct shock to Mr. Charlesworth, who had no idea that his brother was even seriously ill, although he had been forced to take a prolonged rest from the beginning of the present summer owing to ill-health.

The late Mr. Charlesworth when war broke out was examiner in His Majesty's Patent Office. He offered his services to the army, but was not allowed to join this at the time. Subsequently, however, he was transferred to the Admiralty, being attached to the Naval Air Service Department and being stationed at the Admiralty offices, London. Inventive genius has never been more active in England than during the last three years, and the work in such an office has been unusually strenuous. In the early part of the present summer Mr. Charlesworth was given leave owing to ill-health. He had benefited from this considerably, and thought himself sufficiently recuperated to return to the office, when a relapse occurred, death taking place quite suddenly about three weeks ago, when he had been about his usual duties for only five or six days.

Educated at Victoria University, Manchester, and at Liverpool University, at each of which he studied for three years, the late Mr. Charlesworth graduated with double honors in engineering. His promotion in the Patent Office was very rapid, and he reached the position of examiner within a remarkably short time and while still a young man. He was forty years of age at the time of his death.

Pictures Gone.—The large pictures of Victoria that have attracted so much attention in the offices of the Victoria and Island Development Association have been removed. The three largest have been sent to the G. T. F. station at Saskatoon; the Hotel Palliser at Calgary, and the Royal Alexander Hotel, of Winnipeg. Smaller scenes have been forwarded to the Automobile Club of Seattle and the Hotel Davenport, at Spokane.

LOCAL WILLS

David McIntosh, Who Died in May, Left Estate of Over \$44,000.

The following probates of the wills of deceased persons have been granted in the Supreme Court Registry during the present week:

David McIntosh, of Victoria, who died on May 27, left \$44,611 gross, and \$37,180 net estate.

James Alanvay Pepper-Arden, of South Vancouver, private in the 2nd C. M. R., who was killed in action March 22, 1917, left gross estate of \$7,000 and net \$5,760.

Harry Lacey, of Victoria, who died at Nanaimo, February 2, left gross and net estate amounting to \$1,890.

John Francis Finerty, of the Spring Park Dairy Farm, near Cadboro Bay, and who died at Kamloops, July 1, left gross estate \$2,100 and net \$1,758.

Peter de Ridder, of Victoria, who died September 21, left gross and net estate of \$1,500.

Probate has been re-sealed in the case of Capt. Arthur Newstead Falkner, of Highfield Stock, Ingatestone, Essex, England, who died of wounds at Rouen, France, July 29, 1916. The B. C. gross and net estate is \$12,972.

Interpleaded Issue.—Special leave has been granted for the hearing of the interpleaded issue, Francis vs. Wilkerson, on Thursday, September 27, at 11 a. m., before Mr. Justice Macdonald. W. C. Moresby is counsel for plaintiff, Frank Higgins, K. C., for Mrs. Wilkerson, and H. A. Maclean for the Sheriff.

Want Bachelors Taxed.—A communication of protest from the Kootenay Fruitgrowers' Union just recently received by the Government suggests that the Government would have shown better wisdom by imposing a tax on bachelors and levying a higher poll-tax rather than by levying the tax on agriculturists. The tax should be lifted from the farmers' shoulders, it was claimed.

Application to Court.—Authority will be given by the City Council on Monday to the City Solicitor to authorize him to make an application to the Supreme Court under the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act for the purpose of clearing up the Corporation's title to lands for the extension of Alberta Street, conveyed by R. F. Fitzpatrick and J. D. O'Connell on the sixth of December, 1916.

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AT THE HOTELS

T. W. Marat, of Nelson, is staying at the Dominion Hotel.

J. H. Glass is stopping at the Strathcona Hotel from Resthaven.

J. F. Little, of Ottawa, is a new arrival at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. J. W. Coffin, of Rosland, is staying at the Empress Hotel.

H. March, of Boston, Mass., is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Davis, of Seattle, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

P. A. Smith, of Courtenay, B. C., is a new arrival at the Strathcona Hotel.

Miss M. McNicoll, of Montreal, registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Vancouver guests at the Strathcona Hotel are Mrs. E. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Keasley.

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FIFTY ENTRIES FOR GARDEN EXHIBITION

Cultivators Have Rallied Well to Competition; Subjects for Tuesday's Luncheon

There will be produce from about 50 gardens at the increased production exhibit to be held next week in conjunction with the Home Products Fair. Entries closed last evening. The exhibits have been accepted from amateurs, irrespective of whether they are vacant lot cultivators or not, so long as they are residents of the city. There, however, is one exception to the latter stipulation, the donor of the prizes making the award conditional upon the class being open to Victoria and district.

The class which has filled more readily, and such was to be expected on account of the emphasis laid on potato cultivation last spring, is that for the special offered for the best set of potatoes of a named variety. It has been ascertained that there are several varieties of vegetables which have been cultivated for which the judges did not make provision, and except in the collections of vegetables these types of produce will be missing from the exhibit.

The secretary of the committee will attend at the Hudson's Bay Block to receive exhibits on Monday morning, and they must be delivered there between 7 and 10 o'clock to give an opportunity for arrangement. Exhibitors are asked not to exceed the number of vegetables specified in the prize list in order that the space provided may not be exceeded. In delivering produce the exhibitors will of course have free admission, but after the show opens on Monday afternoon they must appear on exhibitors' passes being issued by arrangement with the Fair management. The judges will probably be the same who have officiated for the Vacant Lot Cultivation scheme, although definite details on this subject will not be set until Monday. Park Superintendent Purdy will assist Mr. Tighe in receiving the exhibits.

Announcement of Awards.
Alderman Sargent, chairman of the sub-committee, having charge of the prize list, states that the announcement of the awards for gardens and lots, as judged during the season, will be announced at the luncheon on Tuesday. This luncheon will be in charge of the same committee, and Hon. John Oliver will preside. The speakers are to be the Mayor, who will explain what the committee has done in Victoria to encourage cultivation; Prof. Stevenson, who will speak on "City Lot Cultivation," and W. E. Hicks, of Agassiz Experimental Farm, whose subject will be "Summer Care of Garden Vegetables."

Social & Personal

W. C. Findlay, Prohibition Commissioner, will spend the week-end in Vancouver.

Hon. J. W. de B. Ferris left the city for Vancouver on last night's boat and will return on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Davidson and family, of Qualicum, are visiting the city and are staying at Cherry Bank.

Mrs. Douglas Edwards and daughter, of Edmonton, and her sister, Mrs. White, have taken up their residence at Cherry Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Downing and daughter, of Brandon, are among the prairie visitors in the city at the present time. They are staying at Cherry Bank.

Mrs. R. Sinclair Cochran and daughter, of Winnipeg, who have been visiting in the south for some time, are in the city on their way home to the prairies.

The North Ward Branch, Red Cross, by unanimous choice elected Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw as its new convener at the meeting held recently for this purpose. Arrangements were completed for a military five-hundred to be held in the rooms, Scott Building, on Thursday, September 27, at 8:15 p.m.

Mr. J. H. Crocker, General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. for China, has returned to Canada for war work in Canada overseas. Mr. Crocker spent Monday and Tuesday in Victoria and was the guest of the evening at a banquet given by the Y.M.C.A. in their building on Tuesday. Mr. Crocker is a specialist in the promotion of physical education and in this connection has already given six years' service in China, the Philippines and portions of Japan. He expects to return to his work in the Orient after the war.

The Hollywood Red Cross "one-cent-a-year" tea will be held next Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. A. Benkough, 1539 Hollywood Crescent. The idea is that visitors who patronize the event will place in small bags which will be supplied them on application to Mrs. Benkough in advance of the affair or which may be procured at the door money which will correspond in amount to a cent a year for the years which they place to their credit in aid. This will constitute the admission charge, and afternoon teas will be provided. There will be a musical programme and a candy-stall.

The first of the Victoria West Red Cross series of teas was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Grant, Point Ellice bridge, the affair being splendidly patronized and resulting in the very nice sum of \$22.85 being placed to the credit of the branch funds. The rooms were charmingly decorated with sweet peas and aster. Mrs. Gingers was at the piano and

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Miss Edith Edwards provided vocal solos. Mesdames Shenk, Boggs, Langford and Grimison and Miss Patterson poured tea. The next tea in the series will take place in about two weeks' time. The regular general meeting of the branch will take place on Monday next at the new rooms, 418 Craigflower Road.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church held a most enjoyable and successful "At Home" in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon, the event being the first of the season in connection with the society. A splendid musical programme was provided, each item being heartily enjoyed. The following were the artists: Mrs. Paterson and Mrs. Hudson, vocal solos; Miss Duckett, violin selections; Mrs. G. Ogard and Miss Howell, elocution; Miss W. Scowcroft, accompanist. Rev. Charles Croucher, the pastor of the church, then spoke briefly, expressing his pleasure at feeling such a large number present. Following this, afternoon tea was served by the ladies, thus concluding a delightful afternoon.

A very charming wedding took place on Wednesday evening, when Marguerite, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCarrison, of 607 McPherson Avenue, was united in marriage to Frederick Robert, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Bland, of Dalgon Street. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Maclean in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in the presence of a large gathering of the friends and relatives of the principals. The bride was attended by Mrs. Cotford. The white-robed bride entered the church accompanied by her father. She wore a beautiful dress of white crepe de chine, with overdress of tulle. Her veil of misty tulle was held in place with a wreath of lily-of-the-valley, and the bouquet which she carried was of white roses, lilies and carnations. Attending her as bridesmaid was her sister, Nellie, who wore a pretty frock of pink silk crepe de chine with overdress of Georgette crepe. Her bouquet was of pink roses, carnations and fern. Attending the bridegroom as best man was Abraham Mahoney, of Vancouver. The church was very prettily decorated for the occasion by friends of the bride. The arch under which the couple stood during the ceremony was encrusted with marigolds. After the formal part of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Tables were laid for forty guests, and the decorations were very pretty, being pink and white. Mr. and Mrs. Bland left by the midnight boat for the Mainland, the bride wearing as her going-away costume a smart suit of navy blue cloth with white hat and a handsome set of white fox furs presented to her by the bridegroom. The bridegroom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bracelet and to the best man a gold tie pin. On their return to the city Mr. and Mrs. Bland will take up their new residence at Esquimalt Road.

DIES AT ALDERSHOT, ENG.

Wife of Capt. T. H. Tennent, R. E., Was Former Resident of City.

The death is announced from Gibraltar Barracks, Aldershot, Surrey, of Mrs. Tennent, wife of Capt. T. H. Tennent, R. E., in her 53rd year. Captain Tennent was, for some time, stationed at Esquimalt, and lived in Victoria, where he and his wife were members of the First Presbyterian Church. Capt. Tennent took great interest in the development of the Boy Scouts movement, and the Scouts snuffed from the Sunday School of the First Presbyterian Church were declared by Lieut. Governor McInnes to be the smartest and best drilled in British Columbia.

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There used to be an old rhyme: "Mary, Mary, so contrary, How does your garden grow? Full of weeds and thistle seeds, And lolly-pops all in a row!"

The "Mary" of to-day is becoming a self-reliant young person of quite a different character. A visit to the George Jay School, where 38 neatly-kept gardens mapped out in plots 8 ft. x 8 ft., and containing among them most of the vegetables demanded by the fickle palate of a C. P. R. tourist, demonstrates the point. Thirty plots means 30 girls and boys, members of the division in charge of Miss Harris, and each one of the little gardens is deservedly proud of the fruits of five months' labor, which it is just now beginning to be possible to estimate.

Cabbage and cauliflower and carrots, parsnips, peas and potatoes, lettuce, Brussels sprouts, beets and beans, turnips and tomatoes, the delectable stock onion—these are all to be found in abundance, growing in amicable profusion within an area so limited that to the ordinary eye it would have offered little suggestion for anything more than a few rows of parsley, a dog kennel and a wheelbarrow. The children are their own gardeners, watch dogs and truck men. And with minute care each plant has been sown and cared for from seed time to maturity, with a patience which is now being rewarded with material harvest as well as the wisdom-bought of experience.

How It Began.

The garden is being cropped to-day in order that the choicest of the products can be singled out to place with the school garden exhibit at the Home Products Fair which opens on Monday. And there will be many an interested little horticulturist waiting to hear the judges' verdict on the display in the days that follow. The pronouncement, whatever it is, will all be part of the rural science training which is the purpose of the course.

School gardens were started about six years ago at the George Jay School, which was the first institution in the province to go in for the experiment. The school, being the pioneer in the movement, became a sort of foster parent to the idea in other schools in the city, and to the present day is the only place of the kind in the city which possesses a plant house of its own for the starting of seedlings. Mr. Bennett, who is in charge of this and who during the summer holidays saw that the pupils devoted half a day a week to the weeding and watering and cultivating of their plots, supplied 12 other school gardens of the city this spring with plants, 7,461 in all, comprising 2,300 geraniums alone.

Seeded in April.

The first crops this year went in early in April. Mr. Charlesworth, principal of the school, has had the work carried out with given better results than usual. Before school closed most of the plots had given their yield of produce, peas, lettuce, beans and other crops having reached the edible stage in time to be cleared away and supplanted by newer seeds. Rotation of crops, as the Chinese truck gardener and others who are expert in intensive gardening know, is the secret of profitable work. The children have already begun to realize this, and many are preparing a schedule of crop rotation which they intend putting into force next year.

There is Henry Lee, for instance. Henry is a Chinese boy who has produced on his 8 x 8 plot a wonderfully fine crop of tomatoes, which are just beginning to ripen. Henry had a very good crop of lettuce on his plot early in the summer, then he had radishes. After clearing up the ground he put in tomatoes, and when the vines were well covered with fruit he planted carrots. Whether the carrots reach maturity has to be seen, but three definitely successful crops have been cleared off the plot. Henry is determined that he will have the four crops next year.

Potatoes Rare.

Only one of the plot cultivators grows potatoes. This seems a little strange in view of the special pressure which was put on the potato growing idea in the home garden this year. It is recorded that only one pupil planted corn, and the same applies to cucumbers. Flowers were not encouraged in view of the demand for utilitarian products in these war times. But while none were grown in the individual plots, the ornamental was not entirely barred from the grounds, as a gay hedge of autumn flowers banking the wall show. Cut-worms and other pests have had to be fought, but the attention of the children, who have washed off green-aphids, visiting the afflicted cabbages individually, and picked off and killed larger pests, has done much to check the ravages of such insects.

Two girls' plots are among the most notable. Lilian June has giant red cabbage in alternate rows with carrots in between, a magnificent healthy crop with nothing but perfect and mature plants. Her first short season crop was lettuce and radishes. Elsie Lalit's plot has beautiful peas, her first crop being lettuce and radishes. Evelyn Hudson's plot, at the furthest northeast corner, was given the prize last July when the rural science class of the teachers' summer school were given the privilege of examining the gardens. Evelyn is only nine years of age.

Home Gardens.

Although the children all along have had the option of taking their produce home, there was a more definite con-

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nection between the school garden and the pupils' family than this. The home garden, first instituted three years ago in connection with George Jay School (the pioneer in the province in this connection) was the logical conclusion to the school garden. One girl got the reluctant consent of her father to seed out a little corner of the back yard. She cultivated and worked industriously. The crop was so gratifying and so much supplement to the family table supplies that the father last spring announced his intention of turning the whole of his back yard into a kitchen garden, he and his daughter to share half each and compete for results. He retired defeated before the middle of the summer, it is understood, his school girl daughter proving the star gardener from the outset. The home garden comes within the purview of the teachers' Charlesworth personally visited about 50 of his pupils' homes to see what work was being done. The work is judged by its results, and counts to the pupils' credit. Prizes for the best gardens will be awarded at the Home Products Fair next week.

Next year George Jay School hopes to annex for school garden uses two vacant lots across the road in order that the work can be increased and more pupils given training. It is the more wonderful that such splendid results have been secured in the present gardens in view of the fact that all the soil had to be imported, nothing but hard pan lying under the site of the present plots. So the children have learned about soils, fertilization, transplanting, and some of the other little problems which have to be faced by the practical gardener. The lessons have seldom gone unheeded, and girls and boys alike give enthusiastic assent when asked if they like this phase of their school work.

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H. R. Haddock is Engaged in Campaign Work Throughout Vancouver Island.

H. R. Haddock, area supervisor in Alberta and British Columbia for the National Council of the Y. M. C. A., has been in the city for a few days in connection with his department work. At present he is visiting the larger centres on the Island, making preliminary arrangements for a financial campaign in the interests of military Y. M. C. A. work now being inaugurated throughout Western Canada. Capt. H. A. Pearson will again be in the field visiting several of the centres not touched last year.

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The entire page must be kept intact, and every advertisement colored—not merely one, or a few—in order to qualify for the prizes mentioned.

The rules of the competition are as follows:

All school children of Victoria and Vancouver Island are eligible.

All work must be in The Times office not later than Saturday of each week; except in the case of out-of-town competitors, whose work will be accepted on the Monday following.

Children must write name, address, age, and name of school on margin of page.

A child, having once secured one of the prizes, will not be eligible for further prizes.

For the guidance of the children, the following remarks should be noted:

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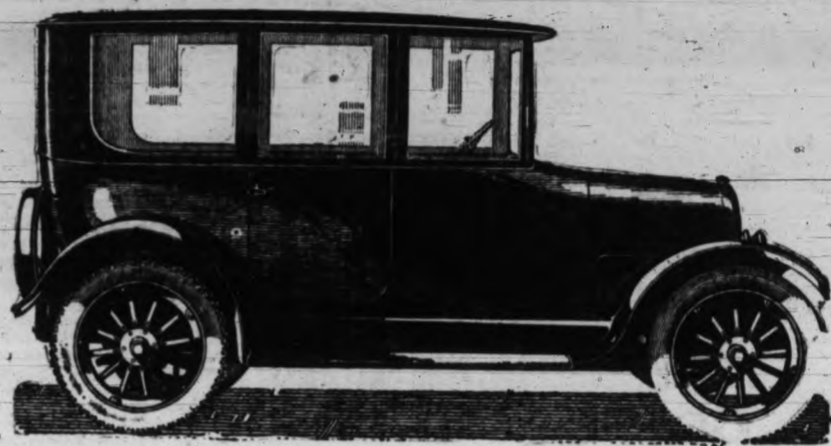
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Y.M.C.A. CARRIES ON AN EXCELLENT WORK

Fred. S. Shepard Tells of Some of the Undertakings of the Association

Fred. S. Shepard, secretary of the Military Service Department of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. of Canada, is at present in the city in connection with the furthering of the military work of the Association. Mr. Shepard, who has had a great many years' experience in the affairs of the Young Men's Christian Association, brings a message of optimism to the city. The extensive war undertakings of the Y. M. C. A. have been growing ever since the outbreak of the Great War and as the conflict has progressed the extent to which this Association has grappled with the work among soldiers and veterans has also increased.

Speaking to a representative of The Times, Mr. Shepard remarked that the Y. M. C. A. was endeavoring to administer to the physical, social and spiritual needs of the soldier from the time he enlisted until he was returned to Canada and discharged. This of course necessitated a programme of enormous extent. Its scope was practically unlimited. So important had become the work that the British Government had officially recog-

nized the organization, had granted its workers posts as honorary officers and had specified the number who should be allotted to the various military districts. The result was that to-day there were 400 Y. M. C. A. workers of the Canadian Association in England and France.

Better organization of the service had at length enabled them to give certain hot drinks and refreshments to the Tommies free of charge. Spalding Brothers had last year filled an order with the Y. M. C. A. for \$25,000 worth of sporting equipment that was distributed free along the Canadian front. In many places, he said, the Association huts were in the second line of trenches, where the men could be served on short periods of leave.

In London at the present time there was being constructed, he stated, a huge Canadian Y. M. C. A. centre to welcome boys from the Dominion when they arrived in the great capital on leave.

Mr. Shepard pointed out that the red triangle had been adopted as the emblem of the Association centres engaged in military work and from this had grown the idea, now a reality, of the Red Triangle Clubs. A large building in Toronto, formerly a hotel, had been rented and fitted up to provide accommodation for veterans and a large number of soldiers. Every need of the man was there attended to, and a huge bar where formerly eighteen bar-tenders had served liquor was now being utilized as a large canteen. This club had proved to be so popular that the Y. M. C. A. was considering the advisability of opening others throughout Canada.

Internment Camps. Mr. Shepard then referred to the advances that were being made in the internment camps of Canada. He said that the work of the Y. M. C. A. had first been affiliated with this movement when, through a conference of the International Council in New York shortly following

the outbreak of war, Germany had consented to allow three neutral Y. M. C. A. secretaries to enter her territory to engage in Association work among the men in the internment camps, provided that a like number were sent to Britain to engage in like pursuits. This had resulted in the movement that has now spread to every nation engaged in the war maintaining Y. M. C. A. officials in practically all centres of this nature.

Vocational Training. Mr. Shepard pointed out that it had been found that according to the degree of care that was exercised with interned men in Canada, were the chances for considerate treatment of Canadian prisoners in Germany lessened or augmented. It was thus determined by the Canadian National Council that vocational training should be introduced into some of the camps. This had been tried and the results had been so successful that its continuance had been recommended by a leading camp commandant who stated that now that the men under his charge were continually engaged both mentally and physically they could be managed without difficulty. Prior to this the prisoners were hard to deal with, they were morose and mental derangement had in many cases threatened.

Reciprocal Treatment. Mr. Shepard then stated that as a result of reports of the excellent manner in which the Canadian internment camps are being handled the representative of the Y. M. C. A. in the camps of Germany had been given many more opportunities of rendering service to the Canadian boys who have been taken prisoners.

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SPORTING NEWS

Speaker Cuts Cobb's Fine Batting Lead

Rousch Is Carrying First Place in the National; Rating of Pitchers Who Have Played in 32 Games of Season

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Tris Speaker is cutting down Ty Cobb's batting lead in the American League. Unofficial averages released today show only 14 points separating them as compared with 21 a week ago. Cobb is batting .373 and Speaker, the 1916 champion, .359. The averages include games of Wednesday.

Bush, Detroit, shortstop, continues to draw away from Cobb in scoring. He has 103 runs to his credit, a lead of five over the Georgian. Bobby Roth, of Cleveland, added three more stolen bases to his total, bringing it up to 48. Chapman, his teammate, is pressing him with 42 and is far in the lead with sacrifices with 65. Pipp, of New York, took the lead in home run hitting with 9. Detroit remains out in front in team batting with 258.

Leading batters who have played in half of their clubs' games follow: Cobb, Detroit, .373; Speaker, Cleveland, .359; Sisler, St. Louis, .347; Felsch, Chicago, .319; Veech, Detroit, .295; Rice, Washington, .296; Harris, Cleveland, .295; McInnis, Philadelphia, .291; Jackson, Chicago, .289; Chapman, Cleveland, .288.

Leading pitchers participating in 32 or more games, rated according to earned runs per game:

G.	W.	L.	E.R.
Cleoth, Chicago	47	26	12.1
Faber, Chicago	37	15	11.7
Covaleskie, Cleveland	43	18	11.3
Leonard, Boston	34	16	11.2
Ruth, Boston	37	21	11.2
Ayers, Washington	35	9	7.2
Mays, Boston	32	20	8.2
Faghy, Cleveland	46	21	13.2
Russell, Chicago	34	15	4.2
Johnson, Washington	41	21	2.1

In the National League Rousch, of Cincinnati, with an average of .312 has an 18-point lead over Roger Hornsby, of St. Louis, who is second. Three members of the New York club—Kauff, Burns and Wilbourn—are among the 10 leading batters. Kauff is third with .308; Burns, of New York, the leading scorer, brought his total to 99 and Carey, of Pittsburgh, increased his mark in base-stealing to 45. The record of 12 home runs hung up by Cravath, of Philadelphia remains out of danger. Deal, of Chicago, continues to show the way to the sacrifice batters with 28. Cincinnati, leading in team batting, has an average of .265.

The averages include games of Wednesday.

Leading batters who have participated in half their clubs' games follow: Rousch, Cincinnati, .312; Hornsby, St. Louis, .304; Kauff, New York, .308; Groh, Cincinnati, .305; Burns, New York, .302; Carey, Pittsburgh, .297; Cruise, St. Louis, .296; Wilbourn, New York, .295; Jack Smith, St. Louis, .295; Wheat, Brooklyn, .295.

Leading pitchers participating in 31 or more games, rated according to earned runs per game, follow:

G.	W.	L.	E.R.
Anderson, New York	37	8	1.67
Alexander, Philadelphia	41	27	12.7
Schupp, New York	32	20	7.1
Perritt, New York	32	15	7.1
Cheney, Brooklyn	31	8	10.2
Sallee, New York	21	18	6.2
Vaughn, Chicago	40	23	12.2
Schneider, Cincinnati	42	18	17.2
Toney, Cincinnati	40	24	15.2
Packard, St. Louis	34	9	5.2

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BOSTON RED SOX NOT DUE TO WIN BASEBALL HONORS

Grantland Rice Tells Why the Boston Americans Fell Down in Pennant Chase

The irascible fates have never yet permitted any ball club to win three world's series in a row, and they apparently have no intention of rearranging the ancient schedule this season. The classic Cubs of 1906-10 were unequal to the rugged assignment, and the equally classic Mackmen of 1919-40 also crumbled before the three-years-in-succession job.

The Cubs and Mackmen each held their great machines together for five years. Each won four pennants in this five-year period, yet with all their amazing skill and speed and power they were not able to occupy the world series throne room for three straight years.

And then the Red Sox came. They crushed the Phillies four games to one in 1915. In 1916, minus Speaker and with Barry injured, they won a second pennant, and thwarted the depressed Dodgers by the same 4-1 margin. Nineteen hundred and seven was then to be the test. The Red Sox had but two old rivals to beat off—White Sox and Tigers. They had dispersed both handily for two years whenever the need came to call out the reserves. Three weeks ago, when the White Sox suddenly collapsed and blew a five-game lead within a week, the old story seemed to be under way again.

But the fates have never yet permitted any ball club to win three world series championships in a row. In place of sagging and skidding, as they had done before in other campaigns, the White Sox rallied and fought their way back to the old margin by September 1. With a star infielder wounded and out of harness, the Cook county grenadiers had pilfered some of Boston's stuff, leaving the Red Sox a thorny way to peak, which they defended so well through the September campaigns of 1915 and 1916. September schedule is all their way, but White Sox upset April calculations.

It might be just as well if the Red Sox and Giants didn't meet. The left-hander at proper intervals is all very well, but the left-hander in copious quantities is another affair. With the Red Sox and Giants tossed together into one arena the atmosphere would be entirely too replete with south-paws for any use. What with Schupp, Benton and Sallee all tangled up, not Babe Ruth and Dutch Leonard, and even a war tax measure could shift the burden.

No wonder western fans are rooting merrily for the White Sox to come safely through. These sightseers of sweat have had to travel east for their world series frolic since 1910. Seven years of long and dusty travel has brought on a keen desire to see the west horn in again after the big drought. It has been eight years since a western American League club won a flag, and a variety is still said to be the spice of life.

Such is the genial dope with Jackson and Collins batting around 350 or 340 the White Sox staged all in the pit. Then, as Joe and Eddie fade well below .300, their ball club begins to make noises like a pennant flapping in an autumn wind.

The Reds are now pointing to the future. Last season they put the league's leading batsman in display. This season they hope to have both the leading batsman and the leading pitcher in Ed Rousch and Fred Toney. By next season there'll be no prize left except the mere detail of winning their first pennant in forty-one years.

The Phillies have discovered a prominent young pitcher in the person of a Mr. Charles Albert Bender, said to be a Chippewa chief. While Mr. Bender is a Carlisle graduate, this is his second season with the Phillies. There is a rumor out that he was given a brief trial by Connie Mack before enlisting under National League colors.

McGraw has only had to keep his club on edge for the world series since April 11, or rather, since September 4 last.

BASEBALL MATCH.

Fans of the American National game and any others who wish to contribute to the soldiers' tobacco fund would do well to be on hand at the Royal Athletic Park to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock when the Metropolitan Hotel and Pantages baseball teams meet to engage in what will, in all probability, be the last game of the season so far as Victoria is concerned.

A collection for the above-mentioned fund will be taken up by a number of young ladies who are playing on the current week's bill at the vaudeville theatre.

BASEBALL RECORDS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	92	50	.648
Philadelphia	78	60	.563
St. Louis	73	71	.507
Chicago	73	67	.520
Brooklyn	63	73	.463
Boston	63	72	.465
Pittsburg	47	97	.328

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	97	49	.664
Boston	81	57	.588
Cleveland	82	62	.569
Washington	74	73	.503
New York	67	76	.469
St. Louis	59	90	.396
Philadelphia	59	91	.392

COAST LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	97	78	.554
Salt Lake City	88	76	.536
Los Angeles	91	80	.528
Portland	82	81	.503
Seattle	81	92	.468
Vernon	71	103	.405

SEPTEMBER EVENTS IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS

1911—Cal McCarthy defeated Tommy Warren, the first Queensberry featherweight champion, after an hour and twenty minutes of fighting, at New Orleans. This was one of Warren's last battles. A year or so later the ex-champion killed an innocent bystander in a saloon brawl in Waco, Tex., and was sent to prison for eight years. He died in Louisville not long after his release.

1925—Shadow Maher knocked out Geo. Labianche in two rounds at Minneapolis.

1926—Sam Langford and Jack Blackburn fought a ten-round draw at Allentown, Pa.

1931—Leo Houck outpointed Frank Maholtz in ten rounds at New York.

1931—K. O. Brown knocked out Young Jack in four rounds at White Plains, N. Y.

WITH THE BOXERS

Veteran Boxer Dead.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 22.—Jack Dougherty, former welterweight boxer, died here of appendicitis. He was well-known in the boxing world, having fought Honey Melody, Eddie Santry, Harry Lewis, Jimmy Gardner and others.

Smith Coming to Coast.

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Gumbo Smith is en route from New York to San Francisco, where he will box Jack Dempsey, or any other opponent selected here on Sept. 23.

Coffroth Passes Up Job.

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Jimmy Coffroth has declined to act as referee of the Joe Rivers-Johnny McCarthy fight to be staged at Reno Oct. 6.

Camp to Box Malone.

Oakland, Sept. 22.—Eddie Camp and Frank Malone will box a return four-round bout next week. It was announced yesterday. Most fans believed Camp got a raw deal when Malone was awarded the decision in their bout this week.

PREDICTS SOX DEFEAT.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—"The New York Giants will win the world's series from the White Sox."

This prediction by Henry Spies, of Milwaukee, was followed quickly today by his removal to the psychiatric hospital. Police found Spies stopping pedestrians to insist upon a highly excited discussion of baseball and the war.

LOWER FEED.

Regina, Sept. 22.—Wholesale prices of oat chop, bran and shorts dropped \$2 a ton here yesterday. Dealers say prices are likely to remain at the new level for some time.

WHO'S WHO IN THE BASEBALL SERIES

Former Pirate Backstop Steps in When McCarty and Rariden Are Injured

Batteries for tuesday's game are Whoozs an' Whoozs fer th' visters—Schupp an' Gibson fer Noo Yarkw! Here is an empirical announcement which will ring out on the October air when the Giants and their American League rivals fight it out for the world's championship.

Gibson on the Job.

Ole George Gibson, who has been catching big league pitchers since 1905, will be delegated by Gen. John McGraw to handle the slants and shots of Ferdie Schupp, the left-handed chicken, who is sure to get his chance in the big series this fall.

Gibson has been catching Schupp with regularity all season. He gets more work out of the young fork-hander than any other catcher on the team, and with due respect to Bill Rariden and Lew McCarty, whose injuries may keep him out of the big series altogether, the old Pirate star is the man for the job.

Gibson will be Schupp's target in every game the youngster pitches, and in this way the veteran will get into his second world's series and may enjoy the distinction of being a member of a world's champion club for the second time.

King of the Pirates.

Back in 1903, when the Pirates won the National League gongalon and met and defeated Detroit in the world's series, Gibson was the king of the Pirate catching staff. He handled the chucking of Babe Adams, the star of the series.

When Barney Dreyfus handed Gibson his blue strip in 1916 the veteran came to McGraw and had no trouble landing a job. McGraw had lost the services of the veteran Wilbert Robinson, and he needed just such a man as Gibson to assist him in coaching the young pitchers and catchers.

Brings Schupp Into Spotlight.

To Gibson goes much of the credit for bringing Ferdie Schupp into the spotlight as a star. When McGraw brought Schupp up with a jerk by threatening to send him so far into the minors that it would take several dollars to mail a letter home, but once disciplined Schupp got down to hard work under the careful tutoring of Gibson, and the averages tell the rest.

Gibson was 37 years old on July 22, He was born at London, Ont., in 1880, and he played his first professional ball with Kingston in the Hudson River League. That was in 1903, and the same year he was picked up by Buffalo, then in the old Eastern League. He finished the season of 1903 in Buffalo and was sold to Montreal, where he played in 1904 and part of the season of 1905.

Pittsburg purchased Gibby from the Montreal club about midseason in 1905 and he was a member of the Pirates for nearly twelve years.

••\$50,000 IS YEARLY INCOME OF PLAYER••



St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 21.—Ty Cobb will soon be pulling down \$50,000 a year, but not from baseball. With the Detroit team's departure for the east it was announced Cobb had accepted a contract from a St. Louis brewing company to act as salesman in Georgia at a salary of \$1,800 a month. With his reported baseball salary for six months—\$12,500, his income would be \$27,500. He has an automobile business in Royston, Ga., his home. This, added to royalties on moving pictures in which he has appeared, will soon make his yearly income \$50,000.

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THE WEATHER

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Victoria, Sept. 22—5 a. m.—The barometer is rising along the Coast and fair weather is general, except rain is reported in Northern B. C. The weather is also fair and warm in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 8 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 49; wind, 2 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.62; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 48; wind, 8 miles S.; rain, .20; weather, cloudy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 54; wind, 12 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .14; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.64; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Temperature.

Location	Max.	Min.
Nanaimo (Entrance Is.)	64	54
Barkerville	64	54
Grand Forks	64	54
New Hazelton	61	51
Pentlitz	77	67
Cranbrook	76	66
Nelson	74	64
Prince George	73	63
Calgary	80	70
Edmonton	82	72
Qu'Appelle	80	70
Winnipeg	62	52
Toronto	62	52
Ottawa	64	54
Montreal	62	52
St. John	62	52
Halifax	68	58

A correspondent wonders whether the great spot in the sun, a thousand times bigger than Europe, can possibly be said to "explode"? A sun-spot is not a stain, it is a hole. Through it we see the comparatively dark, but very hot, surface of the sun, or perhaps its "break in two". In the eighteenth century, this was a partial mending of a rent in the fiery envelope that is our lord of light and life.—London Chronicle

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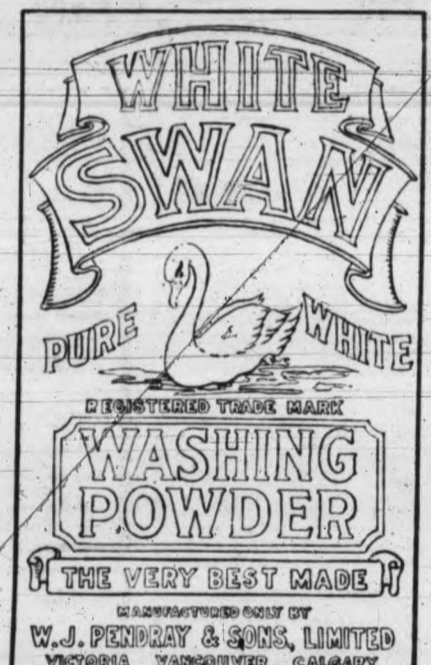
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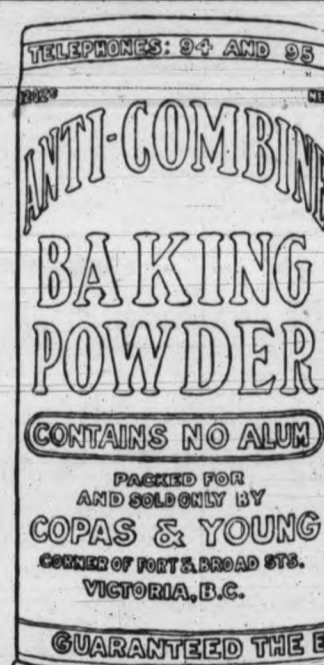


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ASSEMBLY PLANT AT OGDEN POINT WILL BE RUSHED Contractors Expect to Have Dock Building Completed in Two Months Complete plans for the structure to be utilized in connection with the marine assembling plant at Ogdon Point, which scheme was outlined in The Times a month ago, are now in the hands of the Contractors, Grant Smith & Co. and McDonnell, Ltd. The building to be erected on Pier 2, as previously stated, will be 700 feet in length by 200 feet in width, the walls being 22 feet high under the eaves and 29 feet at the ridge, giving a 16-ft. clearance inside. The new dock structure, which will be of wooden construction, will have the largest floor space of any similar building on the entire Pacific coast, the shed being specially designed to facilitate the work of equipping with engines and auxiliary machinery the fleet of wooden steamers now building in British Columbia for the Imperial Munitions Board. H. W. Bassett, manager here for the contractors, who has full charge of the pier construction, stated this morning that it is proposed to make a start on the new contract immediately and he anticipates that the huge shed will be completed by the end of November. The contractors are now engaged in leveling off the area within the concrete walls of Pier No. 2, and by the beginning of October the actual construction of the building will be under way. The building will be modern in every respect. The plans provide for sliding doors forming every eighteen-foot section, and elaborate arrangements for fire protection and illumination. There will be a depressed track running through the centre of the shed from Ogdon Point and surface tracks will be laid along the wharf on either side of the structure. The building will have an elaborate system of skylights and proper ventilation has been arranged for. In designing the structure the architects had constantly in mind the fact that it will ultimately be used as a dock warehouse, and in this respect it will be the finest of its kind anywhere. Every detail has been worked out with the greatest degree of efficiency and with the completion of the structure it will be a credit to the builders and the port. It is anticipated that the first of the twenty-seven wooden hulls now building in the province will be launched early in December, and it is proposed to have the assembly plant ready by that time so that the fitting out of the vessels can be proceeded with without unnecessary delay.

COMMANDER SHENTON and OFFICERS of H.M.C.S. RAINBOW Reading from left to right—Back row: Mr. Richardson, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Redford, Mr. Smith, Mr. Lee, Mr. Nixon, Mr. Bass, Mr. Warren, Mr. Gyle, Mr. Adlam, Mr. Stones, Mr. Harper, Front row: Mr. Campbell, Mr. Brocklesby, Lieut. Wingate, Com. Shenton, Mr. Haines, Mr. Eaton, Mr. Frith, Mr. Robinson.

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FISH SUPPLY FOR PRAIRIE PROVINCES What Fish Commission Under Food Controller's Direction is Planning Ottawa, Sept. 22.—As a result of the food shortage arising out of the war conditions the three prairie provinces are likely to secure control of a portion of their natural resources. It is altogether probable that owing to the action of the Food Controller, the control of certain lakes in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba will be transferred at his request from the Dominion Government to the provinces. The fish commission is now discussing with the provincial authorities a plan by which the provinces will conduct the fisheries as a public enterprise, including the annual catch, by organizing and equipping fishing fleets for the lakes, distributing the catch by rapid transit and providing for the replenishing of the waters. This suggestion has been made that the three provinces should work together in handling the fish. Such co-operation is all the more desirable because of the fact that some of the provinces have lakes which are available for winter fishing only, owing to the lack of railway connection, while other prairie lakes connected by rail with the cities and towns could supply fish in summer. If the proposed inter-provincial fishing order is carried through as expected the western provinces will be assured of a permanent and continuous supply of fresh fish at reasonable prices. The province of Ontario already has taken over the fishing on Lake Nipigon and is preparing to market the fish. In connection with this plan consideration of the interests of the United States will be given to the extent that the Food Controller hopes to see the value of production in the prairie provinces sufficient to enable the Americans to obtain their usual supply and avoid a reduction of our export trade.

Freighter Cuzco IS AGAIN AFLOAT Norwegian Carrier Ashore Seven Months on Peruvian Coast, Successfully Salvaged Seven months after driving ashore near Salaverry, Peru, the Norwegian steamship Cuzco has been floated and has been taken in tow for Callao to undergo repairs. The freighter, which is valued at approximately \$1,500,000, went ashore on the Peruvian coast on February 22 of this year while on passage to Chile to load a cargo of nitrates for delivery at this port. Following the stranding the owners had very little hope of saving the vessel. About a month after the steamer filled up a great storm swept the South American coastline and the wrecked vessel was severely pounded and battered by the giant seas. After the storm she filled with water and settled, the water reaching her decks. Under more favorable weather conditions recently the salvors were able to get to work to patch up the hull and she came off with serious difficulty. When she came to grief the Cuzco was under charter to the shipping firm of W. R. Grace & Co., and was being regularly operated in the South American, Puget Sound and British Columbia trade. She is a vessel of 4,399 tons gross and was built in 1899 by Napier & Miller, Ltd. of Glasgow. W. Wilhelmson, of Tonsberg, Norway, is the owner of the Cuzco.

LAUNCH WILL ATTRACT CROWD TO RESERVE NIPPON FREIGHTER Steamer Made Port Last Night With Silk Worth Over Three Million Dollars Terminating a passage of eighteen days from Yokohama, a Japanese freight steamer flying the flag of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, reached port last night with a full cargo of Oriental merchandise, including 4,000 bales of raw silk, valued at over \$3,000,000. After discharging 700 tons of cargo here the freighter left this morning for Seattle, where the remainder of the shipment will be put ashore. The advent of this steamer to the trans-Pacific run of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha was brought about as the result of the withdrawal of the Kamakura and Awa, which liners were required for other routes. Another freighter is also being operated on this route to partially make up for the temporary withdrawal of the passenger ships. The steamer reaching here last night was formerly employed in the trade between Yokohama and Calcutta, but her last voyage took her on a voyage completely around the world. On that trip she covered some thirty thousand miles. She loaded at Yokohama for New York and proceeded to the Hudson by way of the Panama Canal. A full cargo of case oil was then loaded at Gulf ports for Casco, Port Elizabeth and Port Natal, South Africa. After discharging this cargo the vessel shifted to East London to take on a shipment of wool for the return trip to Japan. The steamer was formerly a British vessel known as the Willowdene. She was built 16 years ago by R. Crages & Sons, of Middlesboro. She is a steel screw steamer of 4,709 tons gross and 2,920 tons net, being registered at Tokio. Capt. Nomura is in command.

JUDGE UPHOLDS FINDING OF COURT Capt. Coughlan Wins in Action Against G. T. P. Re Collision Captain Coughlan of the Cleve has finally emerged victorious in his action against the G.T.P. steamer Prince Rupert, for Mr. Justice Martin in the Admiralty Court has held that the Prince Rupert was to blame for the collision, which occurred on December 28 last. The first Marine Court of inquiry, presided over by Captain Macpherson, found that Cleve was to blame, but because there was a minority report another investigation was ordered and this was held on April 27, with Captain Charles Eddie, F.R.A.S., F.R.G.S., presiding, and this court found the Prince Rupert to blame. The G.T.P. appealed to the Admiralty Court and the judge has upheld the finding of Captain Eddie's court.

FIXING OF PRICES IN UNITED STATES Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 22.—Government price-fixing of all essential products, not only in sales to the Government but to the public as well, was recommended in resolutions adopted yesterday afternoon at the closing session of the war convention of American business men. The convention advocated legislative creation of a general government purchasing department, which in addition to fixing prices would have power to distribute the output of industries in a manner most necessary to the conduct of the war. "It is the spirit of American business," said the resolutions, "that howsoever fundamental may be the change in the relation of the Government to business, the Government should have the power during the period of war to control prices and the distribution of production for public and private needs to whatever extent may be necessary for our great national purposes."

COMPLETE CESSATION OF WORK THREATENED AT SEATTLE SHIPYARDS Seattle, Sept. 22.—Complete cessation of work in Seattle shipyards is threatened on account of lack of success of negotiations in Washington between representatives of the United States Shipping Board, employees and employers. Further complicating the situation came an open break-to-day between the Master Builders' Association of Seattle and the Seattle District Council of Carpenters over the trade union boycott of 10-hour lumber.

NOTICE TO MARINERS British Columbia. (190) Vancouver Island—Southeast Coast.—Victoria Harbor—Change in Position of Shoal Point Beacon Light—Caution. New position.—500 feet 6 deg. N. 19 deg. 20 min. W. mag. from the northwest end of the inner of the two highest wharves, and about 200 feet westward of the shore at Shoal Point. Lat. N. 48 deg. 25 min. 24 sec. Long. W. 123 deg. 23 min. 20 sec. Description.—The beacon consists of a cluster of four piles, the middle pile supporting a red slatwork ball, surmounted by a lens lantern. Character of light—Fixed red. Illuminant.—Incandescent electric lamp. Elevation.—16 feet. Caution.—Mariners are warned not to go too close to a line between the beacon and Brackman & Ker's wharf, as short water extends a short distance outside that line. (191) Queen Charlotte Islands—Graham Island—Master Sound—Cook Point—Beacon Replaces Buoy. Position of beacon.—On edge of shoal making out from Cook Point. Lat. N. 53 deg. 48 min. 15 sec. Long. W. 122 deg. 12 min. 4 sec. Description.—Concrete base, surmounted by a staff carrying a wooden slatwork cone. Color.—White. Elevation.—Top of beacon is 16 feet above high water mark. Buoy discontinued.—The red conical buoy, heretofore moored on edge of shoal making out from Cook Point, has been withdrawn.

APPOINTED TO ACT FOR SHIPPING BOARD Washington, Sept. 22.—Gavin McNab, San Francisco lawyer, is appointed special representative of the Federal Shipping Board in negotiations looking to settlement of the strike of ironworkers in San Francisco shipyards. Chairman Hurley of the Board conferred with Seattle shipbuilders and representatives of striking workmen there, but it was understood the discussion did not produce any good basis for negotiations. The men, it was said, insisted on a fifty per cent. wage increase, and most of the builders protested that to pay such a rate would eventually prevent a line between the beacon and Brackman & Ker's wharf, as short water extends a short distance outside that line.

CLOSER REGULATION OF OCEAN SHIPPING RATES WILL RESULT Washington, Sept. 22.—A step toward closer government regulation of all ocean shipping and rates was taken yesterday when the Shipping Board appointed Welding Ring, New York exporter, chairman of the new Chartering Board, to act as an agency of the Shipping Board. Two other members have been tentatively selected and may be announced to-morrow on the return of Commissioners Stevens and Donald from New York, where they conferred with shipping men.

CHIEF OF STAFF IS NAMED IN RUSSIA Petrograd, Sept. 22.—The resignation of General Alexieff as Chief of the General Staff of the Russian army has been followed by the appointment in his place of M. Tcherebinoff, whose predilections are highly democratic. The appointment of M. Tcherebinoff is the signal for drastic reforms, but the immediate motive for a change is not publicly known. One report is that General Alexieff resigned in order to free the hands of Premier Kerensky, with whom he consented to take the post on the condition that the new Cabinet would be a coalition one, which condition Premier Kerensky has failed to bring about. Another explanation is that General Alexieff was not in agreement with the Premier regarding the latter's plans for clearing out the higher staff and effecting a general reorganization, Premier Kerensky having insisted on the dismissal of all higher officers guilty even of passive support of General Korniloff or suspected of counter-revolution intentions. Premier Kerensky's policy will be executed by War Minister Verkovsky and the new Chief of Staff, M. Tcherebinoff.

PROHIBITIVE PRICES PAID FOR SOCKEYES Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 22.—Lively bidding for salmon at Steveston, where many of the late fish packing plants on the Fraser River are located, yesterday forced the price of salmon to a point where both Canadian and American canners were compelled to pay excessively. Back of this movement, it is asserted that Japanese fishermen hold the canners virtually in the hollow of their hand and it is said that if the price is increased much further every cannery on the river will be forced to close within the week. American buyers have invaded the Fraser limits to such an extent that two canneries have already shut down, being unable to meet the competitive bidding. Seventy cents was offered for sockeyes and 75c bid by Americans.

PRESIDENT SAILED WITH CAPACITY LIST The withdrawal of the turbine steamships Great Northern and Northern Pacific from the Pacific coast service, seems to have created an extraordinary demand for passenger accommodations to California by the regular boats of the Pacific Steamship Company. When the steamer President left port last evening on her southbound trip to San Francisco she carried 540 passengers, every available berth being taken, while many persons were refused passage by the steamer owing to lack of space. Seventy-eight of the 540 passengers sailing by the steamer embarked at this port. Advance bookings south are very heavy, reservations having already been made with the local agents for the sailings between now and the middle of October.

NANAIMO ASKS FOR JOINT CONFERENCE ON PILOTAGE MATTERS Nanaimo, Sept. 22.—At a joint meeting of the Board of Trade and Pilotage Board held here last night it was resolved to communicate with the Pilotage boards of Vancouver and Victoria asking them to hold a joint conference with the local board for fuller discussion of its proposal to place all B. C. pilotage matters under the direct control of the Deputy Minister of Marine.

SWEDISH MAIL BAGS HELD AT HALIFAX Washington, Sept. 22.—As a probable explanation of the detention of Swedish diplomatic mail pouches at Halifax, it was stated at the British Embassy to-day that the Swedish economic mission before leaving Stockholm asked permission to open in the course of its voyage a bag containing confidential documents and to re-seal it before passing the inspection officers. Such a procedure, officials of the Embassy said, clearly would invalidate the principles hitherto observed in accordance with international law, and the British Government accordingly replied it would give no undertaking that such a bag would be exempted for examination by the British authorities. This bag is assumed to be one of the four held up for examination at Halifax and concerning which the Swedish legation here is understood to have made informal representations to the State Department.

TO GENOA BAY FIRST Steam Schooner Wahkena Will Take on Lumber Here Next Week. The steam schooner Wahkena passed up to Genoa Bay this morning from the Golden Mollendo, Peru. She was expected to come to this port to load first, but arrangements were altered at the last minute, and she was ordered to proceed up the Gulf. Enquiry at the local offices of the Canadian Puget Sound Mills elicited the information that the Wahkena is expected here to complete her cargo early next week.

TWO OVERDUE VESSELS HAVE BEEN LOCATED Two vessels long reported overdue have at last reached port. The American schooner Oceania Vane, from Puget Sound for Adelaide, is reported having put in at Sydney September 24, with her deckload shifted. The Peruvian barque Helvetia, from Puget Sound for Callao, is reported to have touched at Puyta, Peru, for provisions, and proceeded.

RATES PROTESTED. Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The Railway Board will hold a meeting at Ottawa on Tuesday next to hear the complaint of the Swift Canadian Company, Winnipeg, against the increased rates on fresh meats and packing house products from points in Western Canada to the Atlantic seaboard for export recently put into force by the C.P.R. and G.N.R.

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STATEMENTS MADE BY A GERMAN LIBERAL Copenhagen, Sept. 22.—The Politiken prints an interview with Herr Leube, a Liberal member of the German Reichstag, in which he says he is convinced that the German reply to the Pope's peace note which was unanimously adopted, will be couched in terms in accordance with the peace resolution passed by the Reichstag majority on July 19. Herr Leube declares that he and most of the German Liberals and Socialists consider that annexation of Belgium or the exercise of control over it would be stupid. He believes peace will come by Christmas this year. Discussing the attitude of Chancellor Michaelis, the Reichstag member is quoted as saying: "If Chancellor Michaelis does not bring out proposals for the democratization of the Prussian electoral system as soon as the Diet meets at the beginning of October, he will find his position one of the greatest difficulties."

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ITALIAN AEROPLANES FLEW 200 MILES TO AMERICAN CAPITAL Washington, Sept. 22.—Three Italian aeroplanes piloted by Italian military aviators flew about 200 miles without a stop to-day, from Langley Field, at Hampton, Va., to the capital, and landed without mishap in Potomac Park, near the White House grounds. The big Caproni aeroplane piloted by Lieut. Silvio Rozzani, Italian military aviator, was the principal machine in the flight and carried beside its pilot nine passengers. Secretary Lane, who was to have been a passenger, did not make the flight, at the request of friends. His son, Franklin K. Lane, Jr., an American army aviator, was a passenger in the big triplane which flew ahead of the big triplane, being smaller and much faster. The third machine was a Pimolite, flown by Lieut. Baldoli. Eagerly watched by great crowds, the birds, making the flight in two hours, circled over the city, the White House, and the Washington Monument, and then glided down to earth.

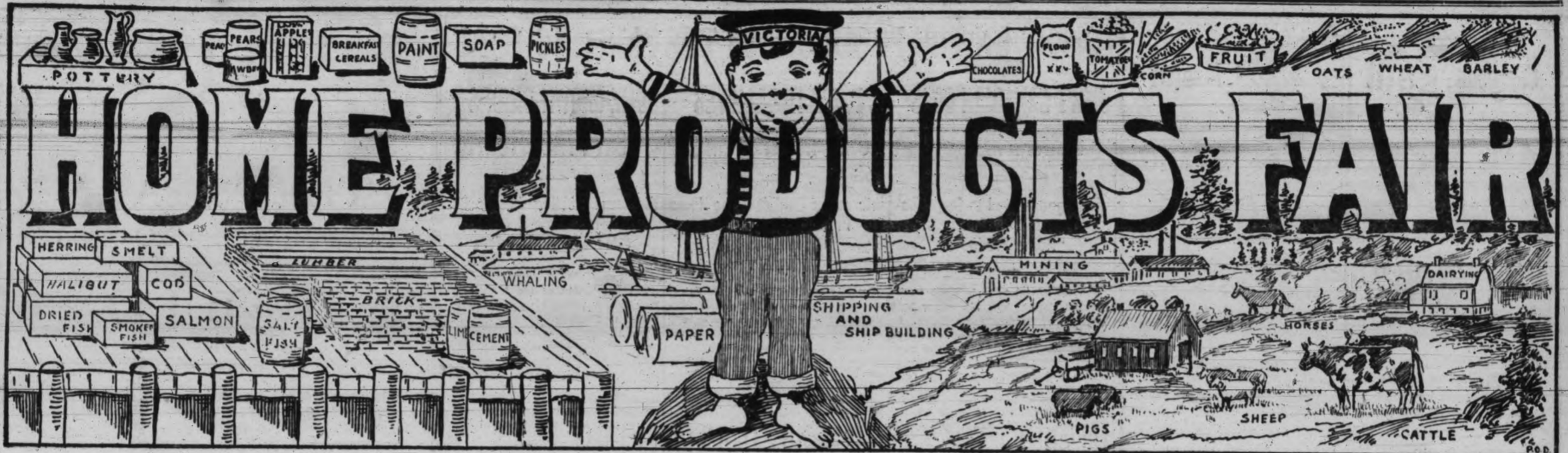
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PROVIDING CREDIT FOR GREAT BRITAIN Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The Ottawa Citizen says: "Provision by the Canadian banks of a credit amounting to over \$150,000,000 was considered yesterday at a conference between Sir Thomas White and the executive of the Bankers' Association. "Of the credit, which it is intended to create, \$75,000,000 will be applied to the purchase of foodstuffs for the Allies, and \$75,000,000 to buy 40,000,000 bushels of wheat, this being the amount required to secure the exportable surplus of the present year's wheat crop. "This credit, which is apart from the coming internal war loan, will enable the British Government to make purchases in Canada which otherwise might go to the United States. "The Finance Minister was in conference yesterday with the Bondholders' Association regarding arrangements for floating the new loan."

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THE KEYNOTE OF ISLAND'S PROGRESS STRUCK BY GREAT ADVANCEMENT OF PRODUCTION

At No Time in the History of Vancouver Island Has Development Shown Such Healthy Signs; All Industries Forging Ahead; Greater Payroll, and Increased Expansion From Natural Resources Promise an Era of Untold Prosperity.

Since the beginning of the war there is one thing on which Victoria has good reason to congratulate herself. Her pay-roll has increased. That may be looked upon as almost a startling fact for a Canadian centre which has had to thank the powers that be for but little in the way of assistance through orders for munitions. It is a fact that is most gratifying. It shows that Victoria has not felt the effects of the war. What is the reason?

The explanation is simple. It is due to the considerable industrial development that has taken place on the Island. That industrial development is capable of much greater expansion, and still further expansion can easily be secured if the public will always keep one consideration well before them and carry it into practice. It is: "Buy goods made in Victoria!" If you cannot always purchase goods made in the city then patronize the produce of the Island.

Everyone who visits the Home Products Fair next week, and those few others who do not but only hear of its wonders from those who have witnessed them, will be entirely satisfied that the City and the Island "has the goods." This article is not concerned with the Fair. The Fair is only a by-product of the City and the Island, a sample, an evidence of what has been and can be done. What this article will endeavor to do is to briefly summarize some of the results of work and production, and give some information and figures as to industries which have this City and Island as their birthplace.

Some Items of Wages.
Take first the subject of wages. Wages always has an agreeable sound, whether it is called pay-roll, salary, or stipend. It is not the intention here to give musty, old, obsolete figures, but only those up-to-date, or as far up-to-date as statistical arrangements (which are capable of much improvement) afford.

Coal.
Take, first, coal. The total wages paid, in 1916, amounted to over \$2,900,000. The total value of the coal, less wages, came to nearly \$2,500,000, the gross output being 1,510,000 tons, 489,000 tons more than in 1915.

Timber.
Take timber. The total paid in wages, in 1916, was just over \$2,000,000, and the total value of the timber \$1,000,000. The total value of farm produce, in the same year, amounted to close on \$4,725,000. There's a total of over \$13,000,000, as the value of the articles produced on the Island. This is only for coal, timber, and farm products. There are also minerals, fisheries, and shipbuilding to be considered, as well as general commerce.

Farm Produce.
Before going on to those other items of minerals, fisheries, and shipbuilding a brief review of the farm industrial figures is interesting.

The largest item, in 1916, is livestock, which produced about \$2,200,000. Next is poultry and eggs, bringing in over \$875,000, after which dairy products contribute most with nearly \$550,000. Fodders account for about \$440,000; vegetables, \$350,000; grains, about \$165,000; marketed meats, about \$150,000; small fruits, close on \$100,000; and tree fruits, about \$90,000. That's how the total of about \$4,725,000 is made up. It exceeds the total of 1915 by over \$350,000.

Increases.
Dissecting the above figures livestock shows an increase of about \$200,000 for the year; poultry produced about \$215,000, an increase of about \$120,000; eggs, some \$460,000, increase nearly \$100,000, and the dairy products item of nearly \$550,000 shows a gain over 1915 of about \$10,000. Butter brought in over \$170,000, close on \$20,000 gain over the previous year; milk, about \$370,000, which was a slight decline; marketed meats, too, showed a reduction in value of about twenty-five per cent.

Great Lumber Chances.
Now, as regards the lumber figures.

The amount of timber cut in 1916 was about 250,000,000 feet, which is about one-quarter of the production of the whole province for 1915, viz., 1,000,000,000 feet. Vancouver Island, alone, is quite capable of producing that latter amount annually, for it is estimated that there is over 134,000,000,000 feet of Douglas fir, hemlock, cedar, balsam and spruce on Vancouver Island. The present estimated value of the annual timber industry of the Island—viz., \$5,000,000—could be increased four hundred per cent, without depreciation on the forest capacity.

Mining.
"The stimulus given to mining on the Mainland," to quote from the 1917 Report of the Victoria Board of Trade, "occasioned by the high price of metals, has spread, as a natural consequence, to Vancouver Island, and during the past twelve months many properties which were idle for years have been taken over and are now being developed with a view to putting them on a shipping basis."

"These properties are not confined to any one part of the Island, but are distributed from Quatsino Sound in the North to Sooke Harbor in the South, while in the interior of the Island shipments are being made from the 'Blue Grouse,' at Cowichan Lake, and active drilling operations are under way at the 'Big Interior,' beyond Great Central Lake. Shipments from the 'Monitor' property on Alberni Canal, where a force of men are at work, have proved satisfactory, and other properties on the Canal are being developed."

"At Quatsino, work is being carried on by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, on the 'Old Sport' property, and the 'Yreka' property is being worked. In addition to the development work being carried on at Sidney Inlet, an oil concentrating plant is being erected."

"All along the West Coast of the Island, as well as at points in the interior, prospectors are directing renewed attention to properties which were staked years ago and since abandoned. New properties, too, have been located during the past year, some of which may prove to have economical value."

"The re-opening of the Ladysmith Smelter, with an enlarged capacity, would indicate the faith of the promoters in the expectation that much of the custom will be forthcoming from Vancouver Island."

Altogether British Columbia's shipbuilding programme provides for the construction of some 117,000 gross tons of commercial shipping, having a total carrying capacity of about 185,000 tons. The value of these ships, some fifty in all, is in the neighborhood of \$27,000,000. While this estimate of construction tonnage is only approximate it includes practically every ship of importance in freight carrying. There are, however, a number of small ships being built such as fishing boats, which have not been included. With these the total gross tonnage would be about 120,000.

During the year ended March 31, 1917, 3,676 vessels, whose total tonnage was 2,110,969, arrived at the port of Victoria, and 3,710 vessels, with a tonnage of 1,838,214. The number of vessels arriving the previous year were 3,137, and the departures totalled 3,159, showing respective increases of 539 and 521.

During 1916 57,000 tons of cargo were unloaded at the Outer Wharf.

Industrial Openings.
"That there are most of the precious metals in commercial quantities on Vancouver Island, is very evident from the work that has already been done, and perhaps the most serious attempt to develop these resources resulted in the production of several millions of dollars worth of copper, silver and gold from the properties operated by the Tye Mining & Smelting Company some years ago."

"The great demand for iron and steel on the Pacific Coast will, no doubt, result in directing serious attention to the well-known magnetic iron deposits on Vancouver and adjacent Islands."

As regards fisheries, although the B. C. salmon pack showed a decline last year with only 995,965 cases, as against 1,132,281 in 1915, the herring fisheries were most successful, showing greater returns than for many years, and giving every reason to expect further extension.

Great Shipbuilding Expansion.
Shipbuilding here is going to be a big and permanent industry. Four auxiliary powered wooden vessels for carrying lumber have been launched at this city, and the Foundation Company, Ltd., of British Columbia, now has three bottoms on the stocks at the Point Hope yard. The Cameron-Genoa Mills Shipbuilders, Ltd., has two hulls in frame here, and the keel of a third steamer is to be laid down next week.

Possibilities.
Victoria and Vancouver Island offers:

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SWIFT CANADIAN CO.'S A. P. BLYTH BELIEVES HOME-GROWN ONIONS PLANT A REVELATION ONLY IN EXPERT WORK SAVE THE SITUATION

Victorians Invited to See a Remarkable Exhibition of "Home Products" Interesting Exhibit at the Home Products Fair; Lense Making

Western Pickling Works Believe in Home Products; Successful Enterprises

The old adage, "One half the world does not know how the other half lives," is by no means overdrawn. It would also be safe to assume that one-half of Victoria does not realize that the capital city of British Columbia possesses a plant so thoroughly comprehensive in its particular industry as that operated by the Swift Canadian Company. To the spectator at the Home Products Fair the exhibit of the company depicting one or two of their staple lines of local manufacture will convey no impression of what lies behind.

The average Victorian as he attacks his "rasher and two" each morning rarely stops to think of freezer room temperatures at 5 below zero, of ammonia compressors, of smoke-rooms, and of the hundred and one operations which go to make up the modern packing plant. Yet as a branch packing establishment the Store Street edifice of the Swift Canadian Company houses what is regarded by the firm as the finest in all America.

The visitor is at once smitten with the scrupulous cleanliness and orderliness of everything. The blue sign meets the eye and warns the employee of the almost criminality of allowing meats to come in contact with the floor—spotlessly clean as it appears to the eye. The prospect of dismissal is the reward of the careless.

From the moment the car on the railway track stops at the receiving door the process of unloading huge sides of beef is simplicity in itself. The nature of the device is a splendid feature of the establishment. It is the overhead rail system which reduces handling to the irreducible minimum and ensures freedom of contact with any possible foreign matter.

Perfection of equipment is everywhere while the products of the company have told their own tale not only to the people of Victoria but also to the people of Canada.

Even down to the point of having in readiness at all times a complete diver's outfit, so that a breakage to an ammonia pipe may be immediately repaired with no more inconvenience to the workman than if he were out of doors. Nothing is forgotten. Cleanliness of every nook and corner of the huge plant and absolute freedom from the slightest suspicion of even an odor is ensured by the continuous washing of all things moveable and immovable in scalding water and caustic soda. Added to that is a wonderful ventilating system.

The plant was built in 1914 and gives employment to about thirty men, with business increasing all the time. So that the people of the city may know something about their own "Home Products" the company warmly welcomes visitors and will gladly furnish a guide for the interesting excursion.

GIBSON'S SPECIALITY CHILD PHOTOGRAPHY

General Display at Fair Proof of Marked Excellence in the Art

When Wilfred Gibson found it necessary, by reason of increased business, to move to more commodious premises in the pursuit of his calling as a photographer he took the precaution to see that selection in that regard was a wise one. In other words when the Central Building was in process of construction he availed himself of a valuable opportunity.

He took the top floor and instead of merely adaptation for studio purposes, which would have been the case in an ordinary "move," he proceeded to arrange for the veritable building of the studio according to photographic needs.

The result of that foresight is the largest accommodation in the city and the last word both in quarters and in photographic art.

For the past two years Mr. Gibson has devoted himself more especially to children's portraiture—his comprehensive business being, of course, well known—and for that purpose one corner of his large studio is a veritable children's nursery. There are the hundred and one kinds of playthings, while the background wall is decorated in keeping with the young idea, lending a pleasant setting for children's photography.

The equipment in the Gibson studio is of the very largest. The dry mounting process has superseded the old pasting method, the special machinery installed for the purpose giving to Gibson photos that nestness of finish so desirable in the photograph. The exhibit at the Home Products Fair will serve to show the excellence of general portrait work and the artistic display will be attractive to the eye.

Scarcely anything is more vital than the care of the eyes. The correct testing and the proper lense are equally vital. These things are realized to the full by A. P. Blyth, whose careful and accurate work is known by all Victorians. His exhibit at the Home Products Fair shows another Victoria industry and depicts the manufacture of the celebrated Kryptok and Crookes lenses, both of which are made solely by Mr. Blyth.

The invisible bifocal lense he describes as two pairs of glasses in one. That is the story in a nutshell. The beauty of this lense, apart from its being a home product, is the fact that it appears to be one solid piece of glass, showing in no way that it is designed for the especial purpose of double vision. Perfection is attained by Mr. Blyth in that he believes in the expert and only experts in their calling make Kryptok lenses.

The Crookes lense is also a Victoria manufactured article, the glass being imported specially. The lense takes its name from Sir William Crookes, the eminent inventor and scientist, and its chief feature is its ability to permit the light to filter through effectively, counteracting the irritating properties of light.

After six years of exhaustive experiment, during which the great English scientist made 300 different chemical mixtures, Sir William Crookes successfully produced a tinted glass that might well be termed the pioneer and most practical of its kind.

Mr. Blyth has had 39 years' experience, and that he places at the disposal of Victorians. He is assisted by his son, a graduate of the Northern Illinois College of Ophthalmology, Chicago. He claims his equipment to equal any New York house, since he has religiously kept himself abreast of the times.

STEVENSON'S CANDY KID WILL GREET YOU

Popular Belle at Home Products Fair Will Excite Much Curiosity

The "Homade" booth at the Home Products Fair will not lack in variety. Stevenson's confectionery boasts of a trade name symbolizing the very essence of the fair's meaning. The fine brand of toothsome candies in their finished state will form one of the exhibits while the process of manufacture will be demonstrated at the other. All and sundry will be able to gather some idea of the reason why Stevenson's chocolates are par excellence.

Apart from the educational feature of the exhibit there will be an opportunity afforded to win a five-dollar box of "Homades." A huge block of chocolate will excite the curiosity of visitors who will be invited to guess its weight with the prospect of winning the bumper box as a prize. Coupons will be distributed at the manufacturing booth upon which the particulars of the guess may be recorded. Different days will see different varieties of "Homade" in their various stages and all the chocolates manufactured at the fair will be sold by the King's Daughters, their good works profiting by the consequent revenue.

"Stevenson's Candy Kid" will greet visitors to the stall by dispensing dainty samples of the local product. This charming young lady will be masked, her identity remaining a secret until the distribution of the box of chocolates to the prize-winner in the guessing competition. She is well-known, a popular Victoria belle, and will defy discovery so long as the mask remains in place.

While so many Victorians know and appreciate Stevenson's chocolates it is not generally believed that orders repeatedly arrive from distant parts of the Dominion and from the erstwhile traveller who has chanced to tarry awhile in the city. Another remarkable point in connection with this local industry is that sales from the constant operating factory are retail only. Three chocolate dippers are working from morn till eve with supply just about even to demand.

The Stevenson business was founded four years ago and for the first three months its operations were confined to premises on Cook Street, after which the Douglas Street branch was opened. With the outbreak of war, additions were made to the manufacturing plant and the whole of the Cook Street paraphernalia removed to the more commodious premises on Yates Street, where the business, as well as at the Douglas Street branch, flourishes to-day.

Victorians are reminded that orders for chocolates to be sent to Tommy in France may be left with the members of the King's Daughters, who will be conducting the sales at the manufacturing booth. Since candies for abroad require a little different treatment to insure them reaching their destination in perfect condition those desiring "Homades" are advised to order now.

The appellation of the forthcoming Fair has a particular appeal to the Western Pickling Works, Limited. Home products have a special significance to this enterprising firm. Visitors to the Hudson's Bay Building next week will admire the magnificent array of local pickles. The tasty samples will stir the palate to an appreciation undreamed of. There will be pickles sour and pickles sweet; tomato chutney and a variety of ketchups, pickled red cabbage and mixed pickles, each boasting their trade mark of "Camosun." Victoria pickles stand supreme.

One will gaze in wonderment and puzzle where in Victoria or on the Island all the little cucumbers come from and whence hail the silver white pickling onions. That is the rub. They are not grown locally; they cross the international boundary line and British Columbia money pays for them.

No, there is no reason why this should be so. The Western Pickling Works, Limited, are continually urging upon agriculturists to grow these things. The market is there. At present demand is something more than 80 per cent. of supply in the matter of these two products of local growth. The Island is eminently adaptable for this culture.

To illustrate the point and to show the value of "Home Products" gospel a few instances will suffice. Cucumbers come from the United States in hundreds of barrels every year. The local pickling works say these could be grown-at-home. California cauliflowerers are pickled in Victoria; Victoria cauliflowerers could fill the bill.

One man was successfully interested in silver white onion production this year. He purchased a dollar's worth of seed and was told his products would all be taken. He has just delivered half of his crop and he received \$23. He has the other half still and the same figure will be paid. Forty-six dollars for one was the value of "home products" gospel to this kitchen gardener.

Another enthusiast netted by the Western Pickling Works, Limited, planted half his vacant lot to the same seed. So far he has received \$111. The cost of his seed could not be drawn from him. It was too ridiculous he said. He has yet more to deliver.

These are facts which lead the firm to voice the belief that the Home Products Fair is necessary. The difficulty experienced in this particular line of business is not the sale of wares locally, but the securing of local produce for manufacturing purposes. The narrative of the onions may be made applicable to other commodities. As time goes on increased interest in the growing of the humble little onion will result in a cessation of importations. In other words the two patches in vacant city lots have already limited importation to that extent.

CRYSTAL SPRING IS A GUARANTEE OF QUALITY

A Real Home Product is It Which Comes From the Spring

The very name "Crystal Spring" carries. It tells even more than "Home Products Fair." Soda waters and all the non-intoxicating beverages that come from the manufactory of the Crystal Spring Water Company, are known to Victorians and appreciated by even the most fastidious of palates.

Yes, but it might be said that Crystal Spring is merely a trade name. Not so. There is a real crystal spring and the works are built around it. Its waters are harnessed so as to give the club man and private family soda water with a snap to it. The twenty odd varieties of aerated waters are all made of crystal spring water. No other water is used. That is the reason why waters of the Crystal Spring brand are tasted once and then all the time.

The reason for it will be seen from the quality of the exhibit at the Home Products Fair. That is not all. There is no question of "making ends meet," the source of water supply is unlimited. Only a small portion of the spring's volume is used; the unused flow runs away. That may go on for all time as Crystal Spring Aerated Waters will doubtless continue to do.

The company prides itself upon its service to the public. It knows the public taste and caters to it. That it has succeeded in no uncertain measure is reflected by the fact that orders increase daily and with the advent of prohibition there is expected to be a redoubled demand. Some people will not substitute intoxicants with tea. Consequently the mineral water manufacturer will more than come into his own.

The Crystal Spring people stand to get a large slice of this change in taste. The plant is ready to handle just as much as the demand will reach. Victorians are reminded, then, that all the water used in the home products of the Crystal Spring Water Company comes from the celebrated Crystal Spring, to which their worth is debted.

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HOME PRODUCTS FAIR

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HOMADE CHOCOLATES
AND CANDIES

Head Store:-
125 Yates Street. BRANCHES:
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Williams Drug Store, cor.
Government and Fort Sts.

VICTORIA'S GREAT FAIR CALLS TO ALL LOYAL VICTORIANS

YARROWS' EXHIBIT OF GREAT INDUSTRY

Forty-Five Thousand Dollar Pay Roll Represents Valuable Home Products

It is a far cry from Victoria-made soap and candles to Victoria-made ships, but such is the variety of enterprise of which the capital city of British Columbia may rightly boast. The name of Yarrows could not be spared from its association with ships, and all that pertains to marine engineering, with a shell from the largest gun turned out since the war began.

As Yarrows is to Glasgow, so is Yarrows to Victoria. The name is known in all corners of the globe, and it is synonymous with the highest grade of workmanship. The Yarrows Home Product Industry here forms a substantial financial pillar for Victoria. Four hundred and fifty men with an average pay roll of \$45,000 monthly makes a Victoria industry of which the Home Products Fair may well be proud.

The exhibit is to take the form of a ship with wooden stanchions and hand rail. Displayed to advantage thereon will be the many component parts incidental to the equipment of the modern sea-going craft. Of interest to manufacturer, the general public, and particularly to the marine, will be the Manganese Bronze Propeller, similar to those used on the C. P. R. boats, the model of the Princess Maquinna, the excellent examples of ship's joinery, the copper pipes for the stern-wheelers now being built at Esquimalt for India—four all told.

At the Yarrows yards, are to be found an up-to-date oxy-acetylene welding and cutting plant, as well as a galvanizing plant. An inch plate cut by gas at the former will be one of the exhibits at the fair and specimens of galvanized castings will likewise be of interest.

Little needs to be said of the class of work handled by Yarrows, the establishment is equipped to handle every branch of marine engineering. Since business commenced here in the early part of 1914 there have been important refits to Admiralty vessels and to ocean-going liners carried out at Yarrows.

Notable among recent achievements was the extensive work on the Prince Rupert after her grounding some three months ago. No less than 25 plates were replaced and the time occupied on the whole of the work did not exceed seven weeks. Four new manganese bronze propeller blades were installed on the Norwegian steamship Niels Nielson. The work was carried out by the construction of a large wooden coffer-dam around the stern of the vessel, avoiding dry docking with the attendant expense of cargo discharge.

NEEDS ANTICIPATED AT THE MACEY STORE

Home Products Fair Exhibit is a Revelation in Embossed Stationery

The faculty of knowing what to do and how to do it assuredly belongs to the Macey Company, Limited. One of the firm's chief aims in establishing a branch here was to provide Victoria with a store where the business man could go knowing he would find the object of his quest. It was realized that a man's business is often lost and his patience tried during the days which must elapse before a certain article may be procured for his approval from some distant part of the Dominion or mayhap from across the line.

This is understood at the well-known View Street "office-ware emporium." In other words Victorians always find at the Macey store, ready to their hands, a range of goods all the way from the minutest detail in office supplies to the more substantial library requisite. Upon that general principle was the business established, and by its practice has it continued to grow.

When the store was opened in 1912 there was more second-hand office furniture changing hands than could be regarded with equanimity by the individual planning a new venture. Belief that the ebb-tide period was to be only of a temporary nature and the possession of a broader vision of Victoria's future resulted in the opening of the doors of the new store. That optimism was justified and the Macey shop is now firmly rooted in its commodious View Street home.

Pardonable pride in the store's ability to fill the wants of the commercial world is again reflected in its claim to the means of providing for social requirements as well. The latter branch indeed, has engaged the attention of the firm in view of the Home Products Fair. Largely due to the substantial promise of brisk Fall and Christmas trade the exhibit at the Fair will be devoted almost exclusively to the display of embossed stationery.

Visitors may thus judge of the importance attached to this branch of the business by the store ostensibly regarded as an establishment purveying only the more severe utensils connected with industrial pursuits. This is, however, but one line which has been singled out for special mention. Limited space does not permit of reference

WHOLE MEAT IS GOING UP IN PUBLIC FAVOR

Victoria Whaling Company Optimistic; Their Exhibit at the Fair

Despite the fact that whale meat as a table delicacy has scarcely "caught on" in Victoria, the officials of the Victoria Whaling Company are decidedly optimistic about the future. So much so in fact that they firmly believe before any very great time has elapsed that instead of harpooning the sea monster for the purpose of its by-products, they will be regarded as a side issue compared with the value of the meat from the animal itself.

This is the more marked from the fact that meat from the whaling stations operated by the company is being continually shipped to San Francisco in twenty-five ton car load lots. The present capacity of the plants is seventy-five tons per month. Facilities for the handling of much larger quantities are now being installed at the four British Columbia stations, on the completion of which the company looks forward to a rapid increase in business.

The company's exhibit at the Home Products Fair will include samples of all grades of oils, both filtered and crude; the gill bone from the Slopber Fin, Sei and Humpback whales; harpoon gear and harpoons; samples of leather tanned from whale skin as well as sinews from the sperm whale, and specimens of spermaceti wax manufactured by the company.

At the present time the company is operating ten boats each with a crew of eleven men in charge of the gunner and master. The activities at the four stations are mainly devoted to the manufacture of oils and the general treatment of the by-products of the whale.

Apart from the increasing desire on the part of the public to acquire the taste for whale meat the company points to the fact that there is to be a great future for leather possibilities by the utilization of the intestinal skin and jawbone and rib skin. It tans excellently and, in view of the cost of leather, prospects are bright in this connection.

Everyone has a soft spot for the good old-fashioned oil painting, tragically "out of it" though some of them are, particularly upon a close inspection. Photographs in oils, however, are quite a different matter, and the unique examples of this particular phase of modern portrait work to be found in the Foxall exhibit at the Home Products Fair, will go to show how far the old order of perpetuating family likenesses has been left behind.

Mr. Foxall has made a special study of this branch of his profession and the attendant success has been the subject of highly complimentary comment from many satisfied clients.

Aside from general portraiture—the excellence of his work being too well-known to need especial emphasis—Mr. Foxall has developed to a state of remarkable perfection the art of making large pictures from small ones as he chooses to call the process.

There was always the general tendency on the part of the public to believe that a small and apparently insignificant snap shot was incapable of "expansion" unless it was a particularly sharp subject. That misgiving need exist no more. Mr. Foxall's specimens at the Fair will show how in the process of enlargement from very inferior prints instead of the subject suffering it has invariably been greatly improved, the copy transcending the original.

The copying of old pictures has similarly been brought to a science by Mr. Foxall much to the delight of many possessors of prints impossible to duplicate by any other means.

On the 6th floor of the Seaward Building Mr. Foxall conducts his business, with fifteen years experience in Victoria behind him, and his belief in the city as a home of home products in the future continually grows brighter.

THE SPROTT-SHAW WAY IS THE SUCCESS PATH

Victoria's Boys and Girls Prepared to Advertise the "Home Product"

For the Sprott-Shaw Business Institute to attempt to exhibit their products at the Home Products Fair there would need to be a staging of a series of tableaux vivants. That was regarded as somewhat impracticable. So the next best thing was arranged for—a display of the illustrations depicting the scenes in which the products are manufactured. Even the photographs of the Institute's premises in the Pemberton Building are convincing. They veritably exude the smart business atmosphere which permeates the real quarters of the "industry."

At a certain stage in the life of the body and girl there is presented to the parent the perplexing problem of education. That is to say the particularized education; that training planned to equip the boy or the girl for the commercial world upon the nature of the entrance into which so much depends. This is just where the Sprott-Shaw Institute can play an important role in the moulding of the boy or girl in the commercial sense.

The system employed lends itself to the continual examination process. No matter what subject is chosen for the pupil the same watch is kept on him. He knows at the end of the day if he has progressed or has slipped back. The barometer of progress is the daily record card. The average is governed by an expert plan and before the pupil leaves in the evening his card is marked so much below or above average. This has been found to work with remarkable success and with great advantage to the pupil.

The great recommending feature of the Sprott-Shaw system is the fact that it has proved a success. Twenty-nine years in operation and now recognized as the largest and strongest chain of business schools in Canada, has some bearing on that success. From the three "R's" to wireless telegraphy and the dozens of subjects one associates with modern commercial educational needs, gives some idea of the comprehensive nature of the Institute's undertakings.

The instructors are the best obtainable and the quarters provide the correct atmosphere. The newest acquisition is the Marconi wireless installation, the pupils of the Superior Schools having been taken over with it. In the capable hands of W. B. Nevin is the tuition of that fascinating branch of study, while the Morse system is taught by H. E. Stokes. San Francisco in the south and Prince Rupert in the north may be "spoken" by the Sprott-Shaw apparatus.

James H. Beatty is the Victoria manager, and under his able guidance some hundred and twenty pupils pursue their day studies at the Institute, with 75 additional taking the night courses only. One of the features of the terms is the facility of purchasing any course on a monthly basis.

STANELAND'S PAINTS ARE HOME PRODUCTS

Fair Exhibit Will Show What Victoria Can Do in This Line

"You may dent the wood but the varnish won't crack," says the advertising matter extolling the virtues of "61" Floor Varnish, one of the products handled by the Staneland Company, Limited, whose exhibit of a fine line of paints and stains and allied products at the Home Products Fair will not fail to attract and educate.

It will be remembered that the present company took over the old Dominion Paint Company in 1906 when the concern became incorporated under its present style. That it has progressed in a convincingly practical manner during the interim will be the mute but eloquent suggestion manifested in the Fair exhibit.

From the period of incorporation until 1913 the manufacturing premises at Fort Street were able to do duty for the then needs of the trade, but it became necessary to branch out and the present factory at Hay Street was erected. Under that one roof is sixteen thousand feet of floor space and housed therein is the most modern plant for the carrying on of the paint, varnish and stain business.

In addition to the manufacture of these commodities Mr. Staneland's own patent, the "No Dust Sweeping Compound," is turned out in large quantities. Many are the business premises in Victoria wherein is used this compound to the exclusion of all other inferior imitations.

The Staneland Company is closely associated with the internationally celebrated firm of Burrell & Company, of London, England, whose wares in Western Canada are handled exclusively by the local house. Wall papers, burlaps and paperhangings sundries form no inconsiderable part of the stock carried at the sales and stock rooms at 325 to 340 Fort Street, where Managing Director W. E. Staneland presides over the enterprising activities of the company.

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Visitors to the Fair should not miss seeing

Our Factory Exhibit

Illustrating the process of lens manufacture. See how "KRYPTOK" Lenses are made in Victoria.

PACIFIC MILK LIKE FRESH CREAM

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GENUINE BUTTER-NUT BREAD

"Rich as Butter—Sweet as a Nut." See if they don't say it's the finest Bread they ever ate. ASK YOUR GROCER, OR PHONE 764

AT THE SIGN OF THE PENDRAY WHITE SWANS

Part of Beacon Hill Park Transplanted to Home Products Fair

All Victorians have by this time assimilated the idea of the Swan. One instinctively associates that graceful creature with the product of C. J. Pendray & Sons. More than ever will the theme be borne in upon the public by the display at the Home Products Fair. With a specially equipped tank surrounded by pines there is to be a veritable corner of Beacon Hill Park transplanted into the northwest corner of the Fair Building. Here will two of the park swans disport themselves for the benefit of the visitors for the period of the event.

Special photographs of scenes in Beacon Hill Park, in which of course the swans are included, have been prepared for the exhibit in the form of post-cards for free souvenir distribution. The advertising feature will by no means intrude itself upon the beauty of the subject and use of these excellent pictures for transmitting through the mails will merely display the fact that it is a "White Swan Post Card," without extolling the virtues of washing powder or soap.

White Swan Washing Powder and White Swan Naphtha Soap are the two principal commodities shown at the Fair. And it should be noted that the Naphtha Soap is about the only five-cent variety on the market. Of its excellence Victorians and housewives in many parts of the province have long become convinced. But there is a reason why this particular line has remained at five cents.

The firm realized that one of two things had to be done just as soon as the ingredients began to rise in price. The one was to limit the size or lower the quality of the product to maintain the same price. Neither plan was followed however. Size and quality remained and will continue to do so. The outside trimmings in the shape of the carton were dispensed with so that White Swan Naphtha Soap is the same to-day as it always has been—better if that is possible.

With a record of nearly forty years behind them, the firm of C. J. Pendray & Sons enjoy a splendid reputation in British Columbia, and of later years Alberta has shown the desire to have B. C. soaps. Not only soaps but water glass is being taken by the neighboring province in continually increasing quantities, and this too comes from the Victoria establishment.

Instead of assembling a large line of their well-known "Bapco" paints in that section of the exhibit allotted to this branch of the firm's activities attention has been given to a few specialties. More prominent perhaps would

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Bring questions that are troubling you to the officials of the Department at the Parliament Buildings.

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be the Prudential Wall Finish. While it is exactly what its name implies, it should be noted that it is a washable product pleasing to the eye—and it is made in Victoria.

Various grades of varnish, for which the house of Pendray has become famous, are to be shown and their possibilities demonstrated. "Bapco Star Varnish" tells its value in the transformation scene worked on a piece of fir slab wood, while "Bapco" prides itself on its work in brightening furniture. Floor Paint, too, works wonders with linoleum and ordinary floors.

The whole exhibit goes to show the value of Victoria-made soaps and paints.

MEUGEN'S STUDIO IS MINDFUL OF "SERVICE"

Visitors to Fair Get Special Coupon Concession for Small Sum

Twenty per cent. discount, no matter in what form it comes to the purchaser, is always a drawing card. It is more enticing when the prize at the end is really worth while. Despite the reputation already abroad for the excellence of the photographic work of A. L. Meugen, Victorians mindful of that fact will doubtless avail themselves of the special privilege offered at his Home Products Fair stall.

By purchasing a fifty-cent coupon the holder may present it at the studio in the Arcade building any time before Christmas and secure a discount of twenty per cent. on many of the lines with which Mr. Meugen has established his reputation in Victoria.

The exhibit itself will give a comprehensive idea of the extent of photographic art which Mr. Meugen so successfully undertakes at the Arcade Building. Apart from examples in general portraiture, numerous enlargements will be seen to effect, while an advance display of the latest portrait mounts will be on view to aid selection at the later date when presenting the discount coupon.

Before Mr. Meugen styled his business with his own name—now some six months ago—he was for nearly three years with the M. & M. Studio, which business he absorbed, simultaneously branching out for himself with no inconsiderable success. If there is one thing on which he prides himself it is on his dealing with his numerous clients. Service in its best form is the motto.

Possessing the faculty of appreciating the interest of his customer, who naturally wishes to see the result of a "sitting" at the earliest possible moment, Mr. Meugen specializes in rapid attention. Long waits between the sitting and the proof then are unknown at the studio of A. L. Meugen.

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, \$1.20 per dozen.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

Sale of Land for Unpaid Taxes in the District Municipality of Oak Bay

I hereby give notice that on Wednesday, the 10th day of October, 1917, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, B. C., I will offer for sale at public auction the following lands as hereinafter set forth for the amount of delinquent taxes, subsequent taxes in arrears, and interest, together with the costs and expenses of sale as set forth opposite the descriptions of the said lands respectively, if the total amount due in respect of each parcel be not sooner paid.

Dated at Oak Bay, B. C., this fifth day of September, 1917.

E. W. CLAYTON,

Collector of Taxes for the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay.

The Clerk, Assessor and Collector of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay are ready to receive notices from any source of the interests of those entitled to the benefit of the War Relief Act; any person having information that any person interested in the following lands is a soldier, dependent on a soldier, or other person entitled to the benefit of the said Act, is requested to communicate in writing with the Clerk, Assessor or Collector of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, whose address is Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, B. C.

SOUTH OF OAK BAY AVENUE

Table listing property details for the South of Oak Bay Avenue area, including Section, Map, Subdiv., Block, Lot, Assessed Owner, Taxes & Costs, and Interest Expenses Total.

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JUDGES DECLARE COWICHAN FAIR UNUSUAL SUCCESS

Big Crowds Attend Yesterday and To-day; Many Will Go Up This Evening

That the Cowichan Fair now in progress at Duncan, and which closes to-night with a boxing-match, has a definite pronouncement from two experienced judges to place it in the very front place among the "War-Time" Fairs.

This is very encouraging to the farmers of the Cowichan District. Coupled with the excellent and harmonious organization in all departments, thanks to the splendid co-operation of the president and secretary, Mr. Anketell Jones and Mr. MacAdam.

Great interest was taken in the cattle judging. Among the Holsteins a new-come, a seven-months-old bull bred by Dr. Tolmie and recently purchased by C. J. Spratt, reached the place of grand champion, beating the ex-grand champion of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster.

Competition in the Guernsey cattle class was not keen, but the herd shown by W. Babbitt, of Maple Bay, was exceedingly fine. Mr. Babbitt is generally conceded to have the best herd of Guernseys in the district, and his creamery has the best standing also.

cow was the only one in its class, and was a very fine specimen of the breed. Horses. In the matter of Clydesdale horses nothing in the district touched those from the Watson estate.

One hundred and twenty-five dogs were shown, this being eighteen more than were shown last year. Mr. T. MacConnell acted as judge in general, with some well-known dog fanciers assisting.

The attendance yesterday was five times that of the corresponding day last year, and numbers of school children who visited the fair from the surrounding district for the educational value of the exhibit are returning to-day for the fete-day features which always mark the last day.

Tea cloth, embroidered—1, Miss M. Douglas; 2, Mrs. C. M. Lamb. Pillow slips, embroidered—1, Mrs. Mainguy; 2, Mrs. W. Troit. Night dress, embroidered—1, Mrs. Mainguy; 2, Miss B. M. Hall.

Embroidered night dress—1, Miss W. Calvert. Darned socks—1, Miss E. H. Sherman; 2, Miss Q. Springett. Six buttonholes—1, Miss P. Troughton; 2, Miss J. Y. Paterson.

Map of Vancouver Island—1, Amy C. Haycroft; 2, Florence Dawley; 3, Mary O'Rourke. Resign of Inoleum—1, Winona Compton; 2, Mary O'Rourke; 3, Muriel Dunn.

Group of fruit in color—1, Nancy Peers. Drawing jug and glass—1, Nancy Peers. Essay, "What Children May Do For Their Country in War Time"—1, Hector Munro; 2, Florence Dawley.

Jerseys: Bull, two years and over—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, C. Doering. Bull yearling—1, A. R. Wilson.

Oil color, landscape—1, F. L. Springett. Oil color, marine—1, Mrs. C. Wallich. Oil color, still life—1, L. F. Springett.

Water color, landscape—1, Miss M. Hadwin; 2, Mrs. I. C. Burgess. Water color, marine—1, Mrs. C. Wallich; 2, Miss W. Freeman.

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Portrait, out of doors—2, Mrs. Hugh Savage. Snapshot of child—1, Mrs. W. A. McAdam; 2, Miss C. Paterson. Snapshot of farm scene—1, Miss C.

Grade dairy cattle—Dairy cow, 1, Frank Adams; 2, A. R. Wilson; heifer, under two years, 1, A. R. Wilson; 2, A. B. Dundas; heifer, under one year, 1, Rev. A. F. Munro; 2, A. R. Wilson.

Art Section. Oil color, landscape—1, F. L. Springett. Oil color, marine—1, Mrs. C. Wallich. Oil color, still life—1, L. F. Springett.

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Paterson; 2, Miss Maitland-Dougall. Commercial Fruit. Display of five boxes, Wealthy—1, W. J. Jennings.

Display of five boxes, Kings—1, W. J. Jennings; 2, P. W. A. Jones. Display of five boxes, A.G.V.—1, W. J. Jennings; 2, Rev. A. F. Munro.

Box of apples, packed by exhibitor—1, P. W. A. Jones; 2, A. J. Rudkin; 3, W. J. Jennings. Crate of plums—1, P. W. A. Jones; 2, A. J. Rudkin.

Crate of prunes—1, P. W. A. Jones; 2, Mrs. W. H. Hayward. Miscellaneous Fruit. Blackberries—1, Mrs. Allington; 2, Mrs. H. Vaux; 3, Miss Maitland-Dougall.

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Paid His Road Tax.—E. Delmistro was required to pay the \$2 road tax \$2.50 costs in the Police Court this morning as a result of having refused on several occasions to pay the collector when the latter called upon him.

Assize Judges.—It is considered probable that Mr. Justice Gregory will take the Victoria Assizes, which are set down to commence on October 2. Mr. Justice Murphy will set at Vancouver, Mr. Justice Clement at New Westminster and Prince Rupert, and Mr. Justice Macdonald at the Clinton, Kamloops and Vernon sittings.

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Real Estate

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Real Estate

FOR SALE OR TRADE—50 ft. lot, 25x125, Block B, Patrick Street, Oak Bay, can give deed; make offer. Address 810 Dominion Bldg., Vancouver. 822-45

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OAK BAY—Near sea, 8 lots, modern dwelling, barn for 200 cows, stable for 6 horses, also outhouses; \$6,000, only \$2,500 cash, balance to be arranged. P. R. Brown, 1112 Broad Street. 822-45

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Real Estate

NO. 169 MONTELEONE AVENUE, 8 rooms, all modern, excellent location; \$4,200, assume \$600; only \$1,200 cash required. P. R. Brown, 1112 Broad Street. 822-45

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HOME SNAP—Modern house, 8 rooms, good lot, high location, small tax, house cost \$2,500 to build; can sell house and lot for \$2,500, with \$200 cash, balance on mortgage. And rents are going up. Dunford's, 211 Union Bank. 822-45

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TO LEASE—Four miles from city, 20 acres, 5 roomed, modern cottage, barn, outhouses, 300 fruit trees; \$50 per month. P. R. Brown, 1112 Broad Street. 822-45

Real Estate

ACREAGE TO LET—200 acres, 10 miles from city, large farm, over 100 acres in crop, new house and outbuildings, lake frontage. Can sell for a few days at less than assessed value. Come in and get particulars. Dunford's, 211 Union Bank. 822-45

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ST. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, Victoria West. Rev. R. Connell, rector. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and hymn, 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 2.30; evening prayer, 7 p. m. 622

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Quadra Street. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M. A., rector. At 8 a. m., holy communion; 11 a. m., morning prayer; 7.30 p. m., evening prayer. 622

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CENTENNIAL, Gorge Road, near Government. Rev. A. S. Colwell, B. A., will preach: 11 a. m., subject, "The Meaning and Value of God in Our Attitude," 7.30 p. m., Rev. J. W. Myers, educational secretary for the Presbyterian Church of Canada. The 20th anniversary of the church's services will be held on Oct. 7 and 8. Special invitation extended to all former members. 622

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UNITARIAN CHURCH, Fernwood and Broad. Rev. H. E. Edwards, B. D., Sunday School at 10. Services at 11 and 7.30. Social hour at 6. Evening subject, "The Shakers' Study in Primitive Religious Experiences." 622

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church of Christ, Scientist, 835 Pandora Avenue. Services are held on Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Subject for Sunday, Sept. 22, "Matter." Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. 622

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE, corner Pandora and Blanshard Streets, Dr. Butler will speak at 11 a. m. on "The Human-ity of God," 8 p. m. subject, "The Subconscious Mind, Its Power and Possibilities." 622

R. KNEESHAW lectures at 1043 Sutley Avenue at 7.30 p. m.; subject, "Dawn of the World." Messages given. All are welcome. 622

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A MECHANICAL STOKER Victoria Civic Committee Inspects Installations in Seattle Buildings.

While the civic party from Victoria was away this week on the Sound inspecting burners, in Seattle they gave special attention to a smokeless burner installed in several buildings. While the by-law does not deal expressly with smoke, and is aimed at sawmill refuse, it was thought wiser to look into the question of mechanical burners which would not only save the discharge of material into the atmosphere but save the fuel bill to those institutions which could be effectively served.

Fire Chief Davis says that seven installations were examined, and in every case the aldermen and he were greatly impressed with the success obtained. The burner examined, which is of course a proprietary concern, is specially adapted for hotels, apartment houses, schools and larger private residences. The stoker is made in five sizes, ranging up in the largest size to 1,000 lbs. of coal per hour. The furnace fired by this stoker is claimed to be absolutely smokeless, because of the extremely high temperature developed. It is automatic, except for the removal of the ashes.

The committee was very much struck with its practical application, and believe that it could be introduced in Victoria with very real advantage to the community, particularly to that class of buildings to which allusion is made above.

OBITUARY RECORD The funeral of the late John Frederick Hubbard took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Chapel, where the service was conducted by the International Bible Students' Association. The casket was covered with beautiful flowers. The following friends acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Edwards, Chandler, Mantion, Ford, Sense, Rendal.

Patriotic Aid—The following are among some of the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society: James Island Patriotic Committee, \$2.75; Victoria Whaling Co., \$515.60; employees B. Wilson Co., Ltd., \$12.50; Victoria Police, \$35; employees C. P. R. Freight Department, \$3; staff Bank of Toronto, \$7; officers and crew C. G. S. Newington, \$22.05; employees C. P. R. Telegraph Office, \$9.35; employees B. C. Pottery, \$10.45; employees C. P. R. Ticket Office, \$7; employees F. M. Linklater, \$3; Post Office Staff, \$106; Times employees, \$23.25; employees Victoria Phoenix Brewery, \$61.20; Messrs. Drake Hardware Co. and employees, \$10; employees Messrs. David Spencer, Ltd., \$63.70; Riggers, Naval Dockyard, \$5; officers and crew of C. G. S. Estevan, \$60.20.

St. Andrew's Church (Presbyterian) Cor. Douglas and Broughton Sts. REV. W. LESLIE CLAY, D. D., Minister. 11 A. M. "The Song of Moses and the Lamb" 7.30 P. M. "The Worth of a Man" 9.45 A. M., Sabbath School. Adult Bible Class after morning service. Soloist, Mrs. Wm. Grant.

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MRS. NETH ARRIVES Is Already at Work Organizing Girls' and Women's Meetings.

Mrs. Neth, who for the last two months has accompanied Dr. French E. Oliver on his extension work tour, has arrived in the city, and has already completed many points in the way of organizing girls' and women's meetings along the lines adopted by her in Vancouver. A very pleasing personality and a gift for expressing herself forcefully have won her a ready hearing elsewhere, and it is not doubted that she will win audiences just as readily here as she has on the Mainland.

Better influences, the steadying of character which come with more serious and more altruistic thoughts—these things she believes will achieve much among the women and girls. For eight years Mrs. Neth has been connected with the Bible Institute of Los Angeles.

FUEL PRICES FIXED AT CURRENT RATES Victoria Citizens Will Not Face Prospect of Another Advance; Oil Supplies

The prices of coal, as fixed by Fuel Controller C. A. Magrath, who is leaving Vancouver to-day for the East, will be advantageous to Vancouver consumers, who gain a reduction of 50 cents per ton, but the same rates will prevail in Victoria as have hitherto ruled since the last advance. The Mainland dealers were charging \$9 per ton, as against \$8.50 here; now the uniform rate for Coast cities will be: Sorenford, delivered in sacks, per ton, \$8.50; screened, at wharf, in sacks, per ton, \$7.50.

Nicol Thompson is making a second visit to this city to-day, to take up with local dealers the prices to be set. Before leaving, Mr. Magrath said the successful result of his visit to the Coast had been largely rendered possible by the preliminary work done by Mr. Thompson.

Lump coal is to be delivered in the regular delivery limits for the above prices, till conditions adjust themselves.

Some users of fuel oil have become alarmed at the fact that the oil companies are declining new contracts, and approached Mr. Magrath with a request that he take steps to safeguard their position. The Dominion Controller, with Mr. Thompson, looked into the question on Thursday evening and yesterday.

Mr. Magrath pointed out that the dealers were unable to speak definitely as to the supply. Everything depended upon the availability of the supply of bottoms. If the United States Government commandeered vessels on this coast as they had done on the Atlantic, no one could say what would happen, and that was why the dealers here were cautious about entering into new contracts.

UNITARIAN MEETING Local Church Elected Officers for the Coming Year; Financial Condition Good.

The annual congregational meeting of the First Unitarian Church of Victoria was held last evening. In the absence of President J. Burt Morgan, Chas. E. Green presided. The meeting was well attended.

The regular reports from the various departments were received, the statement of the treasurer being particularly favorable. The church, so far as financial circumstances are concerned, is weathering war conditions as well as might be expected. The final statement shows a balance to the credit of the organization. The officers of the Women's Alliance and the Sunday School also reported that the work of these departments was progressing satisfactorily.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. Burt Morgan; vice-president, C. E. Green; secretary, F. N. E. Shakespeare; treasurer, W. L. Llewellyn; trustees, Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Boyden, Geo. Grant, W. Rowland and Mr. Rapd.

Mr. Rapd. and Mrs. Graves will represent the local church at the North Pacific Unitarian Convention in Seattle on October 9 and 10.

METAL SUPERVISOR FOR THE DOMINION NEW APPOINTMENT Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The appointment of a supervisor of metal and ure is indicated in an order-in-council, which also authorizes the Minister of Customs to fix the price of scrap iron and scrap steel, rags, waste and other materials of metal or of animal, vegetable or mineral fibre.

Argentina Has Sent Ultimatum to Berlin

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 22.—The Argentine Government has sent an ultimatum to Germany.

THE SPIRIT OF THE MEN AT THE FRONT

Major Fallis Urges Canadians to Emulate the Heroics of Tommy

UNITY OF RELIGION IS WAR ACCOMPLISHMENT

The chief object Major G. O. Fallis sought to achieve in his lecture at the Metropolitan Methodist Church last night was to transmit to his large audience what he termed "the spirit of the front." His reason for so doing was to show that the military aspect of Britain's fight was safe in the hands of the men "over there." Thoroughly convinced that he urged the people of Canada to continue to emulate in their many branches of war work at home the heroic spirit of the Canadian soldier on the battle front. Were that assured until the end there would be no need to display the least concern about the final outcome.

It would still be a long weary grind, he believed; a task ahead that would demand unswerving strength and unity of purpose on the part of not only the people of Canada but of all loyal subjects of the great British Empire. Despite the awful sacrifices that have been made during more than three years of war he looked forward to a victory warranting a settlement that would ensure the peace of the world for all time. It was to enlist every grain of assistance to that end that he urged the people of Victoria to even greater things to help in making "the spirit of the front" the spirit of the whole British Empire.

Victoria's Noble Officers. As mentioned in these columns yesterday, Major Fallis is the senior chaplain of the 5th Canadian Division, having been attached for many months to the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles in France, and he chose to speak last night on the subject of two years with the Canadian troops in France and in England. He took his auditors through a mental tour of the Canadian front in Belgium, describing the humorous and the sad from the dark days of 1915, when it was a case of the Britisher hanging on like grim death to a situation "aggravated by the knowledge of heavy odds against them, down to more recent days with the tables turned.

In the gallant commander-in-chief of the Canadian Army in France, Lieut.-General Sir Arthur W. Currie, Major Fallis paid eloquent tribute. Sir Arthur was beloved of his men and the idol of the British front. His knowledge, from service under him, of Major-General Garnet Hughes evoked the warmest regard for his outstanding ability. A special word too had the Major for Major W. W. Foster, ex-M.P.P. for the Islands constituency in the Provincial Parliament. As second in command of the 2nd C.M.R.'s—and although not a general yet, or even a colonel—Major Fallis declared that it was due almost entirely to his super-human display of foresight and sagacity that the Canadian troops were able to capture Mouquet Farm, after so many hotly but vainly contested engagements in which South African, Australian and Imperial troops took part.

Major Fallis's narrative was an extremely interesting one and his ability as a platform speaker proved of great value to him in his description of the humor and pathos of life on the battle front. One reminder he wished to leave with his auditors, however, was the intense German hatred of everything British. He believed in the more or less wholesale desire of Germany to crush France and Russia, but a victorious Hohenzollern would, he believed, mean for a certainty a repetition of redoubled ferocity against Great Britain. That hatred was real. It was easily detected and his many opportunities of discussing the war with German officers strengthened his opinion that the military class had fostered such hate of Britain and British institutions which, did the chance occur, would be reflected in nameless horrors. For that reason he urged with all the eloquence at his command the cultivation of "the spirit of the front" as the best counter-blast to the frown of hate.

The Soldier Spirit. For many months Major Fallis was stationed in the Ypres salient. He believed that spot would go down in history as the greatest sacrificial ground of the Canadian people. He had the experience of laboring many hours in the dressing station at Hill 60 at a stage in the war when it was possible for German shells to come as they did come so very often—from German guns posted to the northwest and the southeast. It was at the dressing station, he said, that the chaplain had the great opportunity of admiring the sterling qualities of the British soldier.

In this connection he gloried in the fact that of the six thousand odd Canadian and Imperial soldiers who had passed before his eyes at the several dressing stations during many months only one single man had screamed at his pain. It was a case of a badly-shattered leg; the man's age was fifty-five and he had all his four sons on the battline. The major believed the warrior's case one to warrant almost more than a scream.

While on the subject of the medical work of the army the speaker said if there was a man whose boots he would consider it an honor to polish it would be those of the stretcher-bearer. His work was not spectacular but it was of the noblest and most dangerous character and called for great will power and supreme

NEW NURSES' HOME SUBJECT OF DEBATE

Board of Jubilee Hospital Sends Letter to Architect Asking Explanation

A lengthy discussion was the result of the report of the Building Committee of the Board of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital that was submitted at last evening's meeting of the latter body. The statement in question was with the reference to the addition to the nurses' home, which is now in the course of construction.

The chairman of the committee had not proceeded far with the report when it became evident that general dissatisfaction existed with regard to much of the work of the new structure. It was pointed out that the radiators instead of being placed in the hall ways, had been so located in the rooms as to make it impossible to place the beds in the positions that had been contemplated and which were made necessary by the fact that there was no room to spare in the apartments. The fact that this would cause a rearrangement of the bedroom furniture gave rise to another complication—the position of the sockets for the electric lights.

Poor Quality.
It was further stated that the flooring was of exceptionally poor quality, and that it was not well laid. In the hall many of the boards had several joints for a matter of a few feet of length. It was recalled, however, that the specifications had called for only second-class flooring, and that it was impossible to lay this with any possibility of having a smooth finished surface free from cracks.

Mrs. Rhodes declared that the delay that had been caused already in the work was proving fatal to the hospital work. Miss McKenzie, the lady superintendent, had been forced to postpone the opening of the nurses' class from September to October, and if new accommodation could not be available by the first of next month it would be necessary for her to use revenue producing rooms for the work.

Will Write to Architect.
At length, when the discussion had proceeded for some time and no definite decision appeared to be in view, a motion was introduced that a letter be sent to Architect J. C. M. Keith pointing out that the Building Committee had given the Board a report, that unsatisfactory progress was being made on the new structure, and that many of the details were not in accord with their wishes. The communication will embody a statement as to the placing of the radiators, the location of the beds, the class of flooring being used, the manner in which it is being laid and the placing of the electric lights. The architect will also be asked to state whether changes have been made in the details of construction without consulting the Board. The Board will meet next Friday for the purpose of receiving the reply to this letter.

On a motion of Mr. Sivertz, the Building Committee will secure and study a copy of the specifications in order that it may be in a position to speak intelligently to the Board on this question at the next meeting.

Appointment Confirmed.
A letter was received from the Clerk of the City Council pointing out that Richard Hall had been elected to fill the position left vacant by the retiring Leonard Tait. As there had been some question as to the city's power to appoint their representative the Board was asked to settle the matter by confirming the decision of the Council. This was accordingly done.

The formal inscription that will appear on the tablet in the Sir Richard McBride Ward was formally adopted. It reads as follows:

"The Sir Richard McBride Ward."
"A testimonial presented to Sir Richard McBride, K. C., M. C., by the Civil Servants of the Province, on the eve of his departure for England in 1916, diverted at his request to this hospital, has been used to refurbish this ward."

WOUNDED BUT CHEERY

Feels "Fine and Dandy" Writes Victoria Man Now in English Hospital.

Sgt. Andrew D. Strachan, of this city, has been wounded for the second time, on this occasion in the advance on Lens, and is now in the Cambridge Hospital, Aldershot, England. The wound is not serious, and in a letter received by his relatives here he states that he is feeling "fine and dandy," the injury being a flesh wound in the leg. When a corporal Sgt. Strachan was wounded last year in the left hand, returning to the front this spring. His two brothers, Alex. and William, and three sisters, Mrs. Angus Galbraith, Mrs. Godfrey Smith (Smith & Champion), and Miss E. Strachan, reside in Victoria.

Lance-Corp. T. C. Campbell, of the 7th (Vancouver) Battalion, who left the city with the 48th, has been wounded in the right foot and right shoulder, and is now in hospital in Bath. The wounds were sustained on August 15. When here Campbell was employed by the Newport Grocery, Oak Bay.

Pte. Milliken, of 1251 Pembroke Street, has received a letter from her husband, Pte. Tom Milliken, who left with the 67th (Western Scots) Battalion and was later transferred to the 47th, stating that he has been wounded by shrapnel in the back and stomach and is now in a hospital in France, part of his left side being paralyzed. When he went to the war he left six children with his wife here.

Pte. Benjamin Kendrew came from

Calgary, enlisted here, and left with the 48th Battalion, was transferred to the Pioneers, and afterwards to the 7th (Vancouver) Battalion. News has been received that he was recently killed in France.

OFFICIAL DENIAL OF INCORRECT RUMORS

Major G. B. Rickards, M. C., Gives Out Statement as to R. F. C. Enlistments

Major G. B. Rickards, M. C., of the Royal Flying Corps, who has been for some time in Canada from England, has arrived in the city from Toronto on a tour of inspection over the various recruiting agencies, in the course of which he is interviewing committees which are helping the work of the R. F. C. He is staying at the Empress.

"The authorities at headquarters," said Major Rickards, "especially wish to have the adverse and incorrect rumors which appear to be in circulation contradicted, and the true facts of the necessary conditions for entering the R. F. C. made as public as possible." This remark was made in connection with reports which have somehow got about that it was necessary for all entrants to pay a sum of \$50 before they could obtain their "papers."

"No fees or deposits of any sort," continued Major Rickards, "are required. Cadets are paid from the date of joining a sum sufficient to pay their messing and other expenses. They are also given a preliminary grant of \$50 towards their cadet uniform and for their corps cap."

"The pay is on a rising scale until the cadet has qualified for his 'wings,' when he receives the pay and allowances of a flying officer, approximately \$6 a day. Cadets commissioned in this country generally have about thirty hours' flying and are then sent overseas after completing their aerial gunnery course, which takes a further three weeks. Then they proceed to England for a short course on scouts, modern tractors and battle machines.

12,000 Training at Toronto.
"As regards the number of fatal accidents at Toronto," declared the Major, "this matter has also been much exaggerated. The total fatal accidents since the school opened has been eleven since I left that city on September 5, out of the total number of cadets, trained or in training of over 12,000, which is a very small percentage compared with most aviation schools."

"In none of these cases was anything wrong with the machine itself. Every crashed machine is carefully examined by an inspector from the Aeronautical Inspection Department with the view of seeing if the accident was caused by any fault in the rigging, etc., of the machine itself. In none of these cases was the machine at fault, the cause of the fatality being the lack of experience of the pilot."

Major Rickards, who won the Military Cross in 1915, also wears the Queen's (South African) Medal. On his way through to Victoria he has visited Winnipeg, Calgary and Moose Jaw, and on his journey back to Toronto he will call at Vancouver, Edmonton, Saskatoon and afterwards go to the United States.

Always Had Headaches

Liver Was Torpid and Bilious Spells Brought Sick Headaches—Lost Much Time, But is Now Completely Cured

Newtown, N. B., Sept. 22.—Here is convincing evidence that however much you may suffer from liver trouble and consequent biliousness there is cure in the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Overheating is the most common cause of sluggish liver action. You lose your appetite, have distressing bilious spells, usually accompanied by headache and vomiting, the bowels become irregular, constipation and looseness alternating, digestion is upset and you get irritable and downhearted.

No treatment so quickly awakens the action of the liver and bowels as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. For this reason this medicine is wonderfully popular and has enormous sales.

Mr. Charles R. Tait, Newtown, N. B., writes: "I was nearly always troubled with headaches, and would often have to stop work for a day or two. I lost many a night's sleep every month with bilious sick headache, and although I tried doctors' medicines and also many other patent medicines, it was without success. When I had these headaches I would vomit, and could keep nothing on my stomach."

"I purchased a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills from G. M. Fairweather, Druggist, of Sussex, N. B., and after taking one box I was so much relieved that I continued to take them until I am now completely cured. My advice to anyone suffering from sick headaches is to try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and be completely cured."

Mr. A. S. Mace, J. P., endorses the above statement, and says: "This is the best medicine I would recommend to anyone who is personally acquainted with Charles R. Tait, and believe his statement in every way to be true and correct."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Substitutes will only disappoint. Insist on getting what you ask for.

POPULAR VICTORIAN JOINS FLYING CORPS

Percy W. Pain Goes to Toronto To-night: is an Accomplished Sportsman

One of the popular Victorians to join the Royal Flying Corps this week is Percy W. Pain, who for the past three years has been paying teller of the Imperial Bank of Canada at the corner of Yates and Government. Mr. Pain is well-known in the city and for the 1916 season was secretary of the Hillside Tennis Club, and this year has been a prominent member of the Victoria Club. He leaves for Toronto to-night.

Born in Winnipeg in 1891 he went to England when he was three years of age and received his education in the Old Country. Prior to his return to Canada in 1910 he was for four years in the Accounting Department of the universally known Furnishing House of Maple & Company, Limited, in London. Entering the service of the Imperial Bank of Canada at the Kamloops branch in 1910, he remained there as teller until his removal to Banff in the early part of 1914. The short stay at the Mountain branch



PERCY W. PAIN

was followed by elevation to the position here, which he has relinquished to-day to "do his bit."

While in Kamloops Mr. Pain was treasurer of the Sons of England Benefit Society, the Cricket Club, and also secretary-treasurer of the Racquet Club. He was always an enthusiastic sportsman and found himself equally at home on the baseball diamond, the cricket pitch, the tennis court, or the football field. He numbered golf and sculling also among his outdoor accomplishments. Mr. Pain expects to be temporarily attached to the Pay Office at Toronto, since specialists in various clerical branches have been called for.

Mr. Pain's stepfather, Lieut. C. F. Randall, has been in France for nearly a year and was recently awarded the Military Cross for conspicuous bravery displayed while serving with a Vancouver kiltie regiment. Frank Pain, a brother of the new recruit, resigned his position as accountant of the Bank of Montreal at Yorkton, Sask., and went overseas with the 172nd Battalion. He has been in France for nearly a year with a kiltie battalion from B. C.

KILLED IN ACTION



SERG. CHARLES HUNTER

Who was killed in action on August 22, having only been in the trenches for two days. The late Sgt. Hunter had lived in Victoria four years and prior to enlisting had been employed with the Vancouver and Portland Cement Company as electrician. He joined the R. C. R. in October, 1915, and trained both here and at Seaford, England. His parents are residing in London, England.

Rotary Donation.—The Patriotic Service Committee, I. O. D. E., acknowledges with many thanks the sum of \$22.25 gate receipts of the baseball match of August 30, handed in by the secretary of the Rotary Club for the Widows, Orphans and Dependents fund.

Will Preach Here.—Rev. P. Clifton Parker, of Vancouver, has taken charge of the services at the First Baptist Church and will preach to-morrow morning and evening.

MAJOR FALLIS GIVES THE LIE TO RUMORS

Morals of Canadian Soldiers Abroad in Keeping With Brave Deeds

"Everywhere throughout the Dominion of Canada I have been asked as to the truth of certain rumors that have been prevalent regarding the moral life of our soldiers overseas. My answer to this question has been that I consider such reports to be a libel on the men whose ideals are so high that they are willing to maintain them by making the supreme sacrifice if needs be." The foregoing was the reply made by Major G. O. Fallis, senior chaplain of the 5th Canadian Division, to a Times representative yesterday when asked for an expression of opinion on the widely published rumors. Major Fallis has had twenty-six months' service in France and England and has had unique facilities of gauging the moral standard of Canadian troops on active service.

Splendid Manhood.
"There are moral problems in England as elsewhere," observed the major, "but the rumor that Canadian soldiers in general are not what they ought to be is the most damaging kind of falsehood. These statements are generally made by those who do not know the facts and have no opportunity of studying the statistics. Generally speaking, these people have heard a few tales and have seen a few drunken men and have immediately jumped at conclusions, committing the fallacy of arguing from the particular to the general. I cannot speak in detail of all Canadian forces," continued Major Fallis, "but I can say definitely of those troops with whom I have associated for the past twenty-six months that their standard of manhood is of the highest character."

Three Drunks Per Day.
"In our camp I was the senior chaplain to an average population of over twenty thousand, and the files showed that for a period of six months the average drunkenness was three cases per day. Any sociological student will tell you that a community of twenty thousand male adults would be a city of 100,000, and I am sure that there is no city in the world of 100,000, with the open bar and wet canteen, where drunkenness would not be as high, if not a great deal higher. I am quite sure that our boys of the overseas forces are men of whom to be justly proud. When one remembers that Canada has sent upwards of 300,000 men overseas it is hardly fair or just to judge the Canadian Forces by what may happen to a small fraction of the whole."

RED CROSS WORK

A meeting of the Oak Bay Committee of the Red Cross Society was held on Friday evening, P. F. Curtis in the chair.

Mrs. Brulock-Webster, convener, reported that the following donations had been received: Mrs. McLean, \$5; Mrs. Bruce, \$1; Mrs. Thomson, \$1; Mrs. Doe, \$3; Mrs. Macdonald, \$7; Mrs. Duncan, quilt raffled, \$6; Rosemary Nasmith, \$6; boots sold, \$2; bag raffled, \$7—Socks from Mrs. Mair, Mrs. A. Miller, Miss A. Taylor, Pyjama cords and face cloths from Miss Taylor, Mrs. Winterbottom, Mrs. Russell, spirit lamp to be raffled, from Mrs. Munn; ornaments to be raffled, from Mrs. Goepel; and lamp to be raffled, from Mrs. Bartlett.

The treasurer reported cash receipts of \$23.61, including life membership for Mrs. E. C. S. George and \$25 from Gonzalez Chapter of I. O. D. E., and was instructed to forward a cheque for \$25 to the Victoria office.

James Bay Branch.
Donations are acknowledged as follows: Little Jack Pontifex, 1/5c from sale of vegetables; Mrs. Bartlett, \$1; Mrs. Hardy, old linen; Mrs. R. McDonald, cut flowers; Mrs. Townsend, face cloths; Mrs. W. J. Pendray, two pairs of socks. For the raffle table, Mrs. Brodick, two guest towels; R. McDonald, 1 sack of potatoes.

Thirty-four pairs of socks were knitted and turned in by the Little Workers meeting at the home of Mrs. Chadwick, Government Street, under the name of "The James Bay Endeavor Club." These socks were knitted by the members of the class during their holidays. The class also received letters of thanks from Lance-Corporal Wager, 124th Battalion, Canadian Pioneers, and Pte. A. S. Taylor, 43rd Battalion, who had each found notes from members of the club in the socks they received. They expressed their appreciation of the comfort of such good and warm socks.

The convener wishes to express her

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Mark H. Jackson, No. 867D Gurney Bldg., Syracuse, N. Y.
Mr. Jackson is responsible. Above statement true—Pub.

thanks to Mr. Karl and to Mr. Hibbard for their kind services rendered at the rooms.

The Ladies' Committee are busy canvassing the residents of the Bay for monthly subscriptions toward the \$40,000 which the Victoria Society has to raise between now and February next, the convener wishes it to be known that no sums are too small, and hopes that the committee will receive a very loyal support from the Bay friends.

More workers are required at the rooms. Volunteers are urgently requested to call and give their help. Young people, too, would be very heartily welcomed at the evening classes held at the rooms on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, from 7.30 to 10. Friends who are unable to spend any time at the rooms are asked to call for work which they may be able to complete at their homes. Fancy work and other suitable gifts will be very acceptable for the raffle table.

IN THE ESTATE OF SIMON LEISER, LATE OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the late Simon Leiser, who died on the 12th day of May, 1917, are requested to send to Herbert Leiser, one of the Executors of the Estate of the said Simon Leiser, at 324 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C., on or before the 1st day of November, 1917, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them, duly verified, and that after that date the Executors shall proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the said Herbert Leiser.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of September, 1917.

ELLIOTT, MACLEAN & SHANDLEY,
Solicitors for the Executors.

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Specifications may be obtained from the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside of envelope "Tender for No." All tenders must be made for the goods specified under each number separately, and each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer.

All material sold must be removed in not less than sixty (60) days from the date of acceptance of the tender.

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W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., September 12, 1917.

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Pharisee and Publican

This is a faint reproduction of one of the 16 lovely Tissot pictures which will illumine Mr. Inkster's sermon on The Life of Jesus in First Presbyterian Church to-night.
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LEAVING TO-NIGHT FOR AVIATION CENTRE

Further Batch of Well-Known Recruits Start for Training at Toronto

A further draft of three cadets and twenty mechanics for the aviation branch will leave the city to-night for Toronto for training. The cadets for flying honors are J. D. Clements, McClure Street; Z. N. Frinn, Prescott, Ariz.; and W. H. Williams, whose home was in North Wales.

The mechanics are: W. H. Maple, Seattle; J. E. Daniels, San Francisco; R. L. Adamson, Customs House; Charles Medley, Michigan Street; J. H. Stephens, Fort Street; J. W. F. Tolmie, Cloverdale Avenue; W. A. Fraser, Rockland Avenue; H. Bunt, Albany Road; H. F. Davis, Walton Street; T. Stratford, Empire Hotel; Frank Bradley, Empire Hotel; R. H. Hawthorne, Michigan Street; H. MacIntyre, Michigan Street; E. H. Litchfield, Princess Avenue; P. Warren, Richmond Avenue; O. McGuirk, Fresno, Cal.; C. R. Scott, Oakland, Cal.; J. Emberton, Victorville, Cal.

J. W. F. Tolmie is a nephew of Dr. F. S. Tolmie, and was educated at University School, Mount Tolmie, where he was a member of the first Rugby fifteen. W. A. Fraser, son of Dr. R. L. Fraser, Rockland Avenue, was educated at the High and University Schools. Lee Anderson is a son-in-law of J. S. Newbury, a Customs Department, and, owing to the death of his parents, living with Mr. Newbury at the Gorge. He was in the employ of the Swift Company here, and leaves a wife and child in the city.

Vernon M. Kidd, who was born in the United States, but has lived most of the time in Victoria, has been electrician at the Royal Victoria and Dominion theatres, and is a well-known swimmer and canoeist, conducting swimming classes at the Y. M. C. A. Two of his brothers are in the United States army.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Katherine Louise Jarvis, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the late Katherine Louise Jarvis, who died at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on or about the 25th day of August, 1917, are required on or before the 29th day of October, 1917, to send to the undersigned solicitors full particulars of their claims against the estate of the said Katherine Louise Jarvis, deceased. And further take notice that, after such last mentioned date, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have had notice.
Dated this 22nd day of September, 1917.
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BIG FAIR ALL NEXT WEEK

EVERYBODY KNOWS OF FAIRALL VARIETIES

Home Products Fair Exhibit is Proof of Company's Popularity

The manufacture of practically every known variety of non-alcoholic beverage is the claim of Fairalls. The exhibit at the Home Products Fair is about all the proof the public needs to agree with the modest claim of the firm. For variety in particular, Fairalls stand pre-eminently head and shoulders above any other house in British Columbia. That is one of the reasons of the popularity of their product is the contention of the firm. All water used in the business is the Goldstream liquid and its merits are too well known to need more than a reference.

Fairalls are the sole bottlers for Vancouver Island of the widely advertised and universally enjoyed Coca-Cola. The firm also deals in carbonic acid gas. One of the contemplated deals now pending completion is the purchase of the Gordon Head apple crop for the making of apple cider. Fancy ciders is a strong line with Fairalls. Apple, cherry and orange cider are much sought after, the demand in season and out of season being constantly maintained.

Not forgetting the good old-fashioned stone ginger beer, a drink which never "dates." There is always a sale for the real article and Fairalls possess the knack. There is just that Old Country smack in it which compels the Oliver Twist attitude. One usually asks for more. All kinds of fruit syrups, too, come from the manufacturer, prepared by experts with the most pleasing results.

Ginger ale is believed to be the best substitute for the stronger beverages during the coming "dry" days. Here Fairalls excel. Victorians agree that Fairalls ginger ale has no peer. It compares, the firm believes, with the well-known Irish product. That is saying a lot, but then Fairalls know how to do things and they do them well. The public is the judge and increasing business has been and is the verdict.

HAMSTERLEY FARM HAS MAGNIFICENT EXHIBIT

"What They Can't Do in New York" is the Novel Slogan

Hamsterley Farm as a name alone has gone far and wide and its significance is understood. The products of Hamsterley Farm are known throughout Vancouver Island and sojourners in the city have gone away remembering Hamsterley Farm chocolates. It has become a household word in Victoria and is synonymous with excellence. It is associated in the minds of hundreds of buyers with a degree of perfection only too rarely obtained.

One has only to think of Hamsterley Farm bottled and canned fruits to feel that one has tasted the real thing. Their well-known slogan: "What they can't do in New York," might well shock the natives of Gotham, yet there is no idle boast in its application. Re it remembered that the farm is situated within five minutes' drive of the famous Gordon Head fruit-growing district, whose strawberries are the gems of berryland.

These are the berries, freshly picked, that are made into jam at the model jam plant at Hamsterley Farm. Excelling in flavor anything obtainable in less favored districts, small wonder is it that the jams of Hamsterley Farm are eagerly sought on market days in Victoria.

Original advertisements and outstanding excellence of goods are in keeping with the beauty of the exhibit at the Home Products Fair. The "something different" is ever present with Hamsterley Farm goods and the exhibition stall will be found in a most beautiful natural setting, with a miniature mountain torrent effectively lighted by colored lamps.

It should be noted that the packages containing the goods produced at Hamsterley Farm are all of a specially distinctive appearance and of well-considered design. It is the policy, in fact, not only to turn out a perfect article, but to provide for its reaching the consumer in a condition ensuring the maximum of satisfaction. This is especially the case in their line of overseas goods.

Cases of candies and marmalade are sealed up by a special method without the use of solder, which makes them perfectly airtight and affords protection to the contents from any possible deterioration. The famous chocolates are packed with particular care in special wooden boxes for mailing overseas and reports confirm their claim that they always arrive at the other end in the pink of condition.

REFUSED BY WILSON.
Spokane, Sept. 22.—President Wilson has denied the appeal of Roy R. McKellips, of Mohler, Wash., the first person, it is said, to appeal to him for release from the army draft, according to a telegram received by the district exemption board here.
McKellips sought exemption on industrial grounds as a farmer.

All Next Week's Programme OPENING DAY

Monday, September 24, 1917.
At 3 p.m. the Second Victoria, B.C., Home Products Exhibition will formally be opened by His Worship Mayor A. E. Todd. Mayor Todd, both before and since his election to the chief magistracy of Victoria, has shown a very keen and active interest in development work of every variety calculated to advance the prosperity of this city. He has been one of the foremost supporters of the organization which originated and instituted this Exhibition. Mayor Todd will be accompanied by President J. L. Beckwith, of the Victoria & Island Development Association; President James Forman, of the Board of Trade; President James Fletcher, of the Retail Merchants' Association; President F. C. Abell, of the Board of Education; and John Cochrane, of the Canadian Club; members of the aldermanic council and other officials of civic bodies.

3.45 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band, under Bandmaster W. J. Smith.

8.00 p.m.—Grand Military Band Concert by the Fifth Regiment Artillery Band, under Bandmaster W. J. Smith.

AGRICULTURAL DAY

Tuesday, September 25, 1917.
At 1 p.m. a luncheon will be held in the restaurant in the Fair Building, at which the Hon. John Oliver, Minister of Agriculture, will preside. All who are interested in the increased production of agricultural products are welcome to attend. Tickets, 50c each, should be obtained in advance. Several interesting, witty, short addresses will be delivered by Dr. S. F. Tolmie, of Victoria; Professor Lionel Stevenson, of the Dominion Government Experiment Station, Saanichton, and W. H. Hicks, of the Dominion Government Experimental Farm, Agassiz.

3.00 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band, under Bandmaster W. J. Smith.

8.00 p.m.—Vocal and Instrumental Concert by Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Contralto Soloist; Mr. F. J. Mitchell, Bass Soloist; and Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band, under Bandmaster W. J. Smith. Accompanist, Mrs. C. C. A. Warr.

BUSINESS MEN'S DAY

Wednesday, September 26, 1917.
At 1 p.m. a luncheon will be held in the restaurant in the building, at which J. L. Beckwith, president of the V. & I. Development Association, will preside. The object of this luncheon will be to promote closer co-operation and understanding among the business men of Greater Victoria. This luncheon has been arranged by a joint committee of the Board of Trade and the Victoria Retail Merchants' Association. All business men are welcome to attend. Tickets (50c each) should be obtained in advance. The speakers will include President James Forman, of the Board of Trade; J. D. O'Connell and W. H. Bone, of the Retail Merchants' Association; H. H. Thomson, of Turner Beeton Co.; Prof. W. T. McDonald, Prov. Livestock Commissioner.

3.00 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra.

8.00 p.m.—Grand Military Band Concert.

ROTARY DAY

Thursday, September 27, 1917.
The luncheon this day at 12.30 p.m. will be the regular weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club of Victoria, an organization that has come to be a very great factor in Victoria's civic life during the past few years. The motto of Rotary is "Service; Not Self" and the permanent stability of the splendid business region throughout the English-speaking world is a convincing tribute to Rotary's practical adoption of that altruistic motto. The principal speaker will be a representative of a leading firm of manufacturers of the Victoria Consumer. Brief talks from representative manufacturers will follow.

One hundred seats will be reserved for members of the Rotary Club and other guests. Tickets for these seats, 60c, payable at the door. At the remaining seats luncheon will be served at a la carte price.

3.00 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra.

8.00 p.m.—Vocal and Instrumental Concert by Mrs. D. B. McCannan, Soprano; J. H. Crook, Bass; and Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band, under Bandmaster W. J. Smith. Accompanist, Mrs. C. C. A. Warr.

ISLAND DAY

Friday, September 28, 1917.
This day will be a day of formal welcome to the Victoria & Island Development Association, which fathers this Fair, and a day of interesting and informative speeches will be delivered. All who are interested are invited to attend. Tickets (50c each) should be obtained in advance.

3.00 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band.

8.00 p.m.—Vocal and Instrumental Concert, by Miss Dorothy Dorrell, Soprano; James Hunter, and Orchestra of Fifth Regiment Artillery Band under Bandmaster W. J. Smith.

ADVERTISING AND AMERICAN DAY

Saturday, September 29, 1917.
The linking together of Advertising and America is a happier idea than one might believe at first glance. Advertising, struggling up from an obscure, discredited beginning, has come to take its place proudly in the very forefront of modern commercial activity, owing much to American men of business. On this day luncheon will be held, as usual, at 1 o'clock in the restaurant in the Fair Building, and Mr. Griffith Hughes, Proprietor of Victoria Daily Times, will preside. It is expected that a delegation of the leading members of the Seattle Advertising Club will be guests of honor.

3.00 p.m.—Musical Programme by Orchestra.

8.00 p.m.—Grand Military Band Concert by the Fifth Regiment Artillery Band.

New Neckwear
Gordons Limited
New Hosiery
739 Yates St. Phone 5510

A Timely Display of Handsome New Furs for Autumn



Handsome new Scarfs and Muffs of such regal loveliness as instantly proclaim them the crowning glory of the Autumn costume. They are shown in smart caperine and snake effects, reflecting the favor to long-hair furs which are so much in demand. The prices are exceedingly low for the quality of the Furs. Conspicuous in the displays:

Black Wolf Muffs in pillow and melon shapes, with shirred silk linings, trimmed with heads and tails. Price, each, \$25.00 **\$37.50**

Black Wolf Stoles in snake styles, finished with head, claws and tail. Price, each, \$25.00 **\$37.50**

Red Fox and Natural Wolf Muffs and Stoles, shown in all the new shapes and beautifully lined. Price, each, \$21.50 **\$39.50**

We Are Carrying a Full Line of Wolf, Opossum, Civet, Cat and Hudson Seals. Price, \$8.50 to **\$17.50**

—Furs, First Floor

Special Display of Fall Coatings

This coming week we will display an unusually fine stock of Fall Coatings. These will be displayed on our counters and tables which will give our patrons an excellent chance of seeing at a glance the many styles and new colorings that are in demand. The following are a few of the many fabrics represented:

Blanket Cloths with invisible plaids in dark rich shades and color combinations of brown, green, grey, fawn and black; 56 inches wide. Per yard, \$3.00, \$3.25 and **\$3.50**

Astrachans, for dressy Fall coats, comes in nice silk finish, in shades of brown, grey, red, taupe, fawn, navy and cream and white and navy; 58 inches wide. Per yard **\$3.25**

Plaid Coatings in fawn with pale blue and strawberry introduced. Also various soft colors. These make a really smart coat. They come in medium weight of beautiful soft wool; 56 inches wide. Yard, **\$4.00**

Plain Blanket Coatings—These come in good heavy weight in shades of brown, green and navy; 58 inches wide. Per yard **\$2.50**

—Coatings, Main Floor

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND GAS HOME PRODUCTS

B. C. Electric Exhibit Indicates Possibilities in Fuel Saving

Departing from last year's plan insofar as the nature of the exhibit is concerned the B. C. Electric Railway's display at the Home Products Fair this year is devoted almost entirely to a display of electric and gas ranges. The reason for the departure from the "purely electrical" is the company's belief that at this time more than ever its patrons are vitally concerned in the question of fuel and its relation to household efficiency.

The exhibit seeks to show that the company can play a great part in the fuel question. With gas and electricity as the fuel supply the kitchen gets a clean dependable fuel. It is a fuel possible of easy regulation. The thumb and forefinger does the needful and there are no attendant features of dirt, dust, and ashes which are the accompaniments of the older methods incident to the culinary art.

The company directs attention to the lighting of the exhibition building as an example of the possibilities of modern electrical illumination, despite the fact that the lighting wires and fixtures are only of a very temporary nature due for removal immediately the exhibition closes.

In this connection it is pointed out to merchants and others interested in the lighting of large areas that the following units are employed on the main floor for illumination purposes: Twenty 500-Watt Nitrogen-Filled lamps; twenty 350-Watt Nitrogen-Filled lamps; fifteen 250-Watt Nitro-

GURNEY OXFORD CHANCELLOR RANGE

The best cooking Range in the world. Its features: Economizer, Polished Top, Divided Flue, Fuel Saver, Labor Saver, Improves Baking, Improves Happiness. Buy a GURNEY. Four sizes. Get "kitchen happiness." Buy a GURNEY.
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Sylvester's Best Bread Flour, per sack **\$2.95**
Telephone 413 SYLVESTER FEED CO. 709 Yates Street

gen-Filled lamps, and eleven 150-Watt Tungsten lamps on part of the Mezzanine floor.

While the company considers that the lighting of Victoria's work places, offices, stores and factories has been greatly improved of late years by the adoption of correct illumination systems resulting in increased output and betterment of the employees' welfare it suggests that there is still room for improvement. In that connection their services are freely available for advice on all matters of that character. Questions fired at the stall attendant will likewise be gladly answered.

"BUTTER-NUT" BREAD

A WINNING PRODUCT

Fair Exhibit Will Remind Victorians of Very Live Industry

It does not require the medium of a Home Products Fair to extol the virtues of "Butter-nut" bread. It has been on the topmost pinnacle of fame for many moons. The attractive exhibit at the Fair will, however, remind the people of Victoria of one of the most enterprising bread manufacturers on Vancouver Island.

Rennie & Taylor are experts at their art. They have realized ever since the business was established that the public taste is as fickle as the weather. Knowing and appreciating that more or less uncontrollable phase of human nature they cast about them for a means to satisfy. While bread is scarcely a commodity that excites the enthusiasm, Rennie & Taylor have successfully struck, by dint of hard and systematic work, the exact taste in wholesome bread.

The business was established during the last century, true it was in its last year, and from that time onwards the

reputation of the firm has gone ahead by leaps and bounds. The machinery employed in turning out "Butter-nut" and allied commodities is of the very latest design, not only the last word in mechanical efficiency but also the embodiment of sanitary perfection.

There are several specialties in the machinery equipment that are worthy of special mention—the moulder, the only one of the kind in the province, surpassing by far the old hand methods; the flour sifter, eliminating every particle of impurity; the mixer, which does in two minutes what would take two men half an hour by the old-fashioned way; the dough-divider, with a capacity of a thousand loaves, automatically weighing forty loaves to a minute, and ensuring that each one is of the exact weight and the "rounder-up," a machine that puts the finishing touches to the dough in much the same way as the housewife's deft operations, only very much more quickly and surely.

That Victorians are of one accord in judging the Rennie & Taylor method is proven beyond the shadow of a doubt by the continually increasing turnover. As a Home Product it is a winner by long odds.

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is our Telephone number, and we don't care who knows it.

"AT YOUR SERVICE"

Victoria Steam Laundry Co.
Limited