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## FRENCH CAPTURED SEVERAL TRENCHES

Report Issued at Paris Tells of Successes on Front in Argonne

## ARTILLERY DUELS IN CHAMPAGNE AND VOSGES

Germans Sustained Heavy Losses in Fighting on Abtain-Angres Road

Paris, Aug. 21.—The French captured several German trenches at Courtes Chaussees and St. Hubert, in the Argonne district, by the use of mines, according to the official statement issued to-day.

Fighting in the Champagne district and in the Vosges was confined to cannonading.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The following official communication was issued last night: "Artillery duels have occurred at a great many points on the front, notably at Bally, on the bank of the Oise; on the plateau of Quenneviers, in the Champagne; on the front of Furtien-Beaufort, in the Argonne; between the Argonne and the Meuse, in the region of Berthincourt-Haucourt, and in the Vosges, in the region of Hilgenfirst.

"In Artois, after a violent artillery fight and three new counter-attacks during the night of August 19-20, the enemy succeeded in regaining a footing in the trenches which we had taken from him on the 18th on the road from Abtain to Angres. The Germans sustained heavy losses.

"Mine fighting still is continuing in the Argonne and also fighting from trench to trench by means of bombs and torpedoes."

## GERMAN COMMENT ON CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH

Germany's Achievements Do Not Warrant Utterances, Says Leipzig Paper

Berlin, Aug. 21.—The newspapers of Germany, with a few exceptions, comment exhaustively on the speech in the Reichstag of the imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, attaching particular importance to his remarks concerning Poland. The general opinion set forth in the press is that the government contemplates annexation of Russian Poland, which meets with almost universal approval.

Editorial comment, although dealing frankly with this subject, is restricted to some extent by the prohibition of discussion of annexation—a prohibition promulgated by the chancellor himself. The Tagliches Rundschau says that "Poland will be freed finally from the Russian yoke and guaranteed a more fortunate future." The Poles will be independent or nearly so it intimates.

The paper questions whether an independent Poland under German sovereignty would not be a menace to Germany, and whether the chancellor, in bringing up the discussion of annexation, has not retarded the conclusion of peace by bringing home to Russia realization that its richest industrial province may be lost.

The Dresden Nachrichten draws the conclusion from the chancellor's speech that the government does not intend to permit Poland again to be under Russian control.

The Leipzig Tageblatt says: "The world now knows how we became involved in this war, and the chancellor for the first time has lifted the veil concealing the purpose of the war, and has indicated distinctly and manfully what is to be the reward of the efforts of ourselves and our allies—freedom of the seas to the west and the weakening of Russia to the east."

The Leipzig Nachrichten expresses the belief that the military achievement of Germany thus far are not sufficient to warrant the chancellor's utterances.

## GERMANS MADE ATTACK IN NEUTRAL WATERS

London, Aug. 21.—In an official statement the British admiralty charged to-day that a German destroyer had torpedoed the British submarine E-13 while she was aground and helpless on Saltholm Island, six miles off Copenhagen, in neutral waters.

The destroyer hoisted a commercial flag, launched a torpedo and then began shelling the submarine, setting it afire fore and aft.

The bombardment was discontinued only after a Danish warship had appeared on the scene and intervened.

## 150,000 BULGARIANS ON TURKISH FRONTIER

Naples, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Mattino from Salonica says that Bulgaria has concentrated 150,000 troops on the Turkish frontier.

Salonica, Aug. 21.—Forty thousand Turkish soldiers, officered by Germans, are throwing up entrenchments on the Bulgarian frontier near Kirk Killiseh.

## TURKISH GOVERNMENT MUST GIVE ANSWER

Italy Asks Its Intentions Regarding Italians in Turkish Territory

## SONNINO REPORTED AT CABINET MEETING TO-DAY

Paris, Aug. 21.—The Italian ambassador at Constantinople, says a Rome dispatch to the Matin, "has been instructed to hand to the Turkish government a note asking for a formal categorical statement as to the departure of Italians from the Turkish possessions.

"The note is couched in terms admitting of no evasion. Without being an ultimatum, it calls upon the Turkish government to declare yes or no as to whether Italians will be permitted to leave, and when."

London, Aug. 21.—The correspondent at Rome of the Exchange Telegraph company says that the Italian note is in the nature of an ultimatum and that the reply of the Porte is expected to-day.

Rome, Aug. 21.—At the meeting of the Italian cabinet to-day Foreign Minister Sonnino presented a long, exhaustive report upon the Turkish situation, showing the extreme moderation of the Italian government's attitude notwithstanding Turkish provocations, which he said now have become intolerable.

The cabinet's decision was kept strictly secret but it is believed the ministers agreed to use all means, even force, to obtain reparation for the injuries suffered by Italian in Turkish territory.

## REPORTS GIVEN OUT BY GERMANS TO-DAY

Claim They Captured Bielsk; Allege Warships Were Sunk in Battle

Berlin, Aug. 21.—It was alleged in the official statement issued to-day that the Germans have captured the Russian town of Bielsk, twenty-five miles south of Bialystok, and have driven the Russians over the Biala river.

Berlin, Aug. 21.—An official report was issued to-day which stated that three Russian warships and one German warship, all small vessels, had been sunk in the battle of the Gulf of Riga.

Two other German warships were put out of commission during the engagement. One ran ashore and the other was damaged.

## COPENHAGEN, AUG. 21.—A GERMAN FLEET ENTERED THE GULF OF RIGA AND THE CITY IS UNDERGOING BOMBARDMENT, ACCORDING TO STOCKHOLM DISPATCHES RECEIVED HERE TO-DAY. NO DETAILS OF THE REPORTED NAVAL BATTLE ARE GIVEN.

## CUBAN ARMY WOULD AID UNITED STATES

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—"Should the United States become involved in war, a Cuban army 300,000 strong will be found fighting for the Stars and Stripes with the same devotion with which it would defend its own flag," declared General Enrique Loynax del Castillo, commissioner-general of Cuba, speaking yesterday at the Pan-American ceremonies of the International Students' Federation here. "Cuba," said the general, "has deemed it her duty to make herself strong enough to be able to defend herself against any power in the world. Not only can she raise an army of 300,000 men, but she can equip it with arms and maintain it in the field. If any day the United States, to which we owe so great a debt of gratitude, goes to war, this army will be at her disposal."

## COTTON CONTRABAND.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The foreign office announces that the Journalle Official tomorrow will contain announcement by the French and British governments declaring cotton absolute contraband of war.

## Should They Attempt It, Germans Will Find Road to Petrograd Long and Rough



## FOR THOSE DISABLED IN EMPIRE'S SERVICE

Government Organizing Fund; Acting Minister of Militia Issues Statement

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Senator Lougheed, acting minister of militia, to-day gave out the following statement regarding the new fund to be raised to aid disabled Canadian soldiers:

"Donations for machine guns already received have exceeded the expectations of the government. The government has placed an order for all the machine guns at present available, and further donations would not result in furnishing any additional equipment of guns to our troops.

"In the event of the public desiring to consider wherein it might exercise its generosity otherwise, may I recommend the following to your consideration:

"The government has appointed a commission called the military hospitals commission, of which a member of the government is the president, to administer out of the public funds the maintenance of military hospitals and convalescent homes for our sick and wounded soldiers. On discharge from these hospitals and homes the disabled will receive pensions at fixed rates.

"These pensions, while being larger per man than those allowed the British soldiers, will be insufficient in numerous instances to meet the needs of the recipient, and to the end of assisting them further in the making of their livelihood, we are organizing, in response to many suggestions, a fund to be known as the disablement fund.

"The plan of administering this fund by the above-mentioned commission will depend upon its amount. If a sum should be obtained which will produce from investments a sufficiently large revenue, this income will be expended but if not large enough to enable this to be done, both capital and income can be distributed on well defined lines.

"Each case will be treated on its merits and assistance will be given in many ways. For instance, a totally disabled man will have his pension augmented by a sum to enable him to obtain additional physical comforts, while a partially disabled man, if unable to follow his former employment, will be assisted to take up some new occupation within the scope of his crippled ability.

"These men, having offered their services to their country, placed their lives in jeopardy, and in so doing suffered partial or total disablement. This should appeal to the public as deserving most favorable recognition. Communications as to this fund should be directed to A. E. H. Seammell, secretary hospitals commission, 21 Victoria street, Ottawa."

## PRISONERS OF WAR.

London, Aug. 21.—Corporal Jones, (4437), 8th battalion, is a prisoner of war at Meschede, and Pte. Gibbard, (6487), 1st battalion, is a prisoner of war at Phalempein, Belgium.

## STEAMSHIP LAPLAND REACHES LIVERPOOL

Nicosian Also is at That Port; Dutch Trawler Sunk by Germans

Liverpool, Aug. 21.—The White Star liner Lapland arrived to-day after an uneventful voyage. Reports were current yesterday that the vessel had been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the Irish sea.

Liverpool, Aug. 21.—The British steamship Nicosian was in port here to-day, having arrived yesterday in a crippled condition. The Nicosian was hit by a torpedo from a German submarine but was not sunk and managed to escape.

Amsterdam, Aug. 21.—The Dutch trawler Ymuiden was sunk in the North sea by a German submarine, according to advices received here to-day. The crew landed safely.

## TWO CANADIAN OFFICERS HONORED FOR BRAVERY

London, Aug. 21.—Lieut.-Col. W. R. Marshall, in command of the Fifteenth Canadian battalion during Col. Currie's absence, yesterday was received by the king at Aldershot and was invested with the insignia of the Distinguished Service Order.

Merritt, B. C., Aug. 21.—The Nicola Valley News announces that Captain Jack Nash has been awarded the D. S. O. for distinguished bravery in action on Whit-monday. Sixteen officers and 35 men of Capt. Nash's battalion had been killed. The remnant was saved through Nash's gallantry.

Major Matthews already holds the D. S. O. This is unique in Canada—two D. S. O.'s in the one village.

## ZEPPELIN BROUGHT DOWN BY RUSSIAN GUNNERS

London, Aug. 21.—Russian gunners have brought down a Zeppelin which was approaching Vienna, according to a dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Petrograd to-day. The dispatch says:

"The airship was hit four times. It contained the pilot and engineer, together with eight soldiers, a machine gun, bombs, incendiary darts and photographic apparatus."

## AUSTRIAN AIRSHIPS WERE BROUGHT DOWN

Rome, Aug. 21.—Italian aeroplanes have inflicted a severe defeat on an Austrian aerial squadron on the Adriatic coast, according to reports received here to-day.

Three Austrian airships were brought down by the Italians and the crews either killed or captured. No loss was suffered by the Italians.

## FOUR LINERS; OVER 2,000 PASSENGERS

Activities of Submarines Had No Effect on Sailings From New York To-day

New York, Aug. 21.—The recent activities of German submarines had no apparent effect on sailings of transatlantic ships from this port to-day.

Four liners, one British, one French, one Italian and one American, with more than two thousand passengers on board, in addition to full cargoes of exports, sailed before night.

The Cunard liner Orduna, with 275 passengers, of whom seven are Americans, left port at 1.20 a. m. for Liverpool. The American liner New York sailed at noon with 470 passengers. The French liner La Touraine, with 220 passengers, left at 3 p. m. for Bordeaux, and the Italian liner Stampalia, with 1,987 passengers, left her lines at 4 p. m. The passengers on the Stampalia include more than 1,000 in the third cabin, the majority of whom are men going to Italy to enlist for the war.

## CHANCELLOR HAUNTED BY MEMORY OF CRIME

Paris, Aug. 21.—The speech delivered by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg at the opening of the German Reichstag is printed verbatim in the French newspapers and commented upon by editorial writers with a wealth of irony.

The Petit Parisien recalls Lady Macbeth's cry: "Will all great Neptune's ocean wash this blood clean from my hand?"

"He is haunted by the memory of a crime," says the paper. "We had hoped to learn something about Poland. He confined himself to vague allusions. We had expected a definite statement about annexation. He avoided that subject altogether."

"With Bismarck, his great predecessor, the chancellor evidently thinks that 'liberty consists in being the master.' This is the only sincere phrase in the scrap-of-paper-man's long harrangue," says the Matin.

"Like German manufacturers, his speech is for the home market. It is a tissue of deceptions and fatuous affirmations."

## PROFESSES TO BELIEVE HUNS WOULD KEEP WORD!

Detroit, Aug. 21.—"I believe that there is not one German citizen of the United States who would take the side of Germany against the United States if a war should take place."

Dr. Emil Rosinger, managing editor of the Abendpost, Detroit's leading German daily, said when speaking of the sinking of the Arabic. "If warning was not given the Arabic it was a mistake, for I do not believe that Germany would break a promise made to the United States."

## ARE FIGHTING WITH GREAT STUBBORNNESS

Russian Armies Opposing the Enemy's Advance With Traditional Tenacity

## NO DETAILS OF BATTLE IN THE GULF OF RIGA

Little News To-day From Capitals of the Balkan States

London, Aug. 21.—The Russian field armies are fighting stubbornly to check the onrush of the German and Austrians. Novo Georgievsk, the last Polish fortress to hold out, has fallen. Osowets, to the north of Poland, has resisted the invaders, the defenders being aided by marshy nature of the surrounding country, which prevents the Germans from employing their heavy guns effectively.

South of Brest Litovsk, Field-Marshal von Mackensen's forces have penetrated far beyond the Bug. Other German armies east of that river render a serious Russian defence along the Bialystok-Brest Litovsk line virtually impossible, observers believe.

The mysterious naval battle in the Gulf of Riga still is in progress at the time of the latest report from Petrograd, which however, gave no details as to the magnitude of the action.

Along the other fronts no important changes are reported with the exception of the statement made by the French that they had failed to hold the Bethune-Arras and Abtain-Angres crossroads captured recently.

The diplomatic problem in the near east has been brought appreciably nearer a solution by the formation of a Greek ministry under the leadership of M. Venizelos, and the fact that the uncompromising attitude of the military faction in Serbia against Bulgaria's claims is being broken down.

After 48 hours of unusual activity, resulting in a heavy toll of merchantmen, German submarines apparently have been withdrawn to their bases.

London, Aug. 21.—Questions which occupied attention in London yesterday as to what the United States would do in regard to the sinking of the Arabic by a German submarine with the loss of American lives, and the still bigger question as to the situation in the Balkans, both remained unanswered to-day. The apparent determination of the American government to move slowly impressed London but it was not doubted that Washington would take definite and positive action when the time came and all reports from the government's representatives were in. Certainty was felt in Downing street circles that Germany would not be able to excuse the submarine attack on the Arabic to the satisfaction of the American government. A statement from the admiralty that the Arabic was not under convoy apparently cleared up the situation.

British newspapers to-day were unanimous in their view of the incident, but the tone of their comments was subdued and it was evident that there was no disposition on the part of the British public to press the United States in the matter, full confidence being expressed that President Wilson would omit "no word or act" to secure for his people the right to travel in safety on the high seas.

"No word of certainty was made public to-day as to whether the steamship Lapland was attacked by a German submarine or not, and the desire to know the truth was keen. There was great relief that the Bovic and the Nicosian, reported sunk, had escaped the German submarines, and hopes were entertained that the Lapland had escaped.

There was little news to-day from the Balkans and apparently difficulty still was being experienced by the ambassadors of the entente powers in arranging the conflicting claims of Bulgaria, Roumania, Greece and Serbia as to the hinterland of Kavala and Salonica, in Macedonia.

Dispatches from Bucharest intimated that another Balkan war was possible, but this view was discounted here, the opinion among military observers being that Serbia, when Bulgaria's irreducible minimum of demand was reached, would agree to such concessions as would ensure action in common by all the Balkan states.

The greatest interest was manifested in the clubs in reports that Italy had sent a note to Turkey demanding a direct answer making plain the Turkish government's intentions regarding Italians in Turkish territory, and in dispatches that M. Venizelos, the new prime minister of Greece probably would announce the names of the members of his "war cabinet." On the whole, though the situation in the near east still was cloudy, the expectation was general that not more than a few days would pass before a definite alignment would be made known.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 21.—Charges were filed with U. S. Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the senate committee on military affairs, to-day, charging two officers of the 93rd company, Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort Stevens, Oregon, with having drunk publicly to the success of Germany in the European war.

Captain Waldron and Lieut. Gardiner, according to members of the delegation of Portland men who accompanied the rivers and harbors committee of congress to Astoria yesterday, appeared in an Astoria restaurant last evening, wearing field uniforms, and during a dinner with several German-Americans stood and drank to the toast "Deutschland Uber Alles," following it with a toast to the Kaiser.

Among those signing the charges against the two officers are Attorney George S. Sheppard, City Attorney W. P. Laroche, of Portland, and Harbor-master J. Speir.

## TUG SANK STEAMER; HON. R. ROGERS ON TUG

Quebec, Aug. 21.—Colliding at three o'clock this morning with the government steamer De Levis, coming down the river with over one hundred people on board, the Sir Hugh Allan, a Montreal tug, rammed the former vessel, sinking her within ten minutes. Luckily no lives were lost. The De Levis was coming back to Three Rivers with 125 laborers who were going home from government dredges for the week-end. There also were six women on board. Hon. Robert Rogers was on board the Sir Hugh Allan.

## LINER ARABIC WAS NOT BEING CONVOYED

Were No Warships With Her When She Was Torpedoed

## POLICY OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Germans Will Be Given Opportunity to Make an Excuse

London, Aug. 21.—The British government to-day authorized the statement that the steamship Arabic was not being convoyed when she was torpedoed by a German submarine.

Washington, Aug. 21.—It was announced at the state department to-day that Ambassador Gerard probably would be directed to call the German government's attention to the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic and to invite an explanation.

This was the first indication from any official source that Germany will have an opportunity to give the reasons for the attack made apparently in disregard of President Wilson's solemn warning that such an act would be regarded as "deliberately unfriendly."

The state department's attitude is that if the German government has any facts which in its opinion go to mitigate the circumstances of the attack, the Berlin foreign office should have an opportunity to present them.

To-day's announcement moreover indicates that before President Wilson takes any action there may be some exchange of diplomatic communications.

It is understood that the state department's policy is to show the utmost consideration to Germany in this delicate question, and to omit no opportunity of avoiding a severance of relations with Germany so long as there is a reasonable expectation that a sufficient excuse can be given for the sinking of the Arabic.

Although it has been reported that the German embassy had evidence that Captain Finch, master of the Arabic, had been warned and attempted to escape before the torpedo was discharged, it was said at the state department that no information of that kind had been received from the German embassy or from any other official quarter.

Vice-consul Thompson's dispatches from Queenstown this morning confirmed the White Star line's statement that it had been determined definitely that only two Americans were lost. It was the first official agreement on the American losses.

## OFFICERS DRANK TO SUCCESS OF GERMANY

Charge Made Against Captain and Lieutenant in United States Army

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## TWO WAR MINISTERS VISITED MANY POINTS

Kitchener and Millerand Spent Four Days at the Front

British Headquarters in France, Aug. 21.—Field-Marshal Earl Kitchener and M. Alexandre Millerand, the French minister of war, who were the guests of Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces on the continent, have completed a four-days' tour of inspection along the British and French fronts, the second they have made.

Lord Kitchener visited points which his time did not permit him to reach on his other tour. Wherever the two war ministers went their fast motor cars arrived and departed punctually on the minute, and the crowded programme of these responsible heads of the two armies read for example, something like the following:

At 6 a. m. inspect a battalion of engineers; 4.15 p. m. inspect a regiment of Canadians; 4.45 p. m. inspect hospitals for convalescents; 5 p. m. meet division commanders of certain army corps.

The war ministers examined various types of French mortars and saw them fired. At parade one of the divisions was inspected, and Lord Kitchener publicly conferred the British Distinguished Service Order, granted by King George, upon Captain Droumayne, a French army officer and aide to M. Millerand, as a mark of regard for the part the officer has played in his military role of keeping with the allies and co-operating the work of the allied armies.

The tall figure of Lord Kitchener, clad in khaki and with a blaze of colors on his breast, and the sturdy form of the French war minister in his civilian clothes, made a striking contrast as the two men stood side by side and reviewed the crack regiments of the British army as the troops marched past.

Yesterday Lord Kitchener spent two hours with the commander of the British army.

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## NAVAL ACTION IN THE GULF OF RIGA

Russian Squadron Engaged With German Ships, Says Petrograd Report

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—A German fleet has penetrated the Gulf of Riga and is engaged with Russian warships defending the coast, according to the official statement issued last night by the war office.

The communication follows:

"Strong forces of the German fleet have penetrated the Gulf of Riga, and fighting with our ships continues. 'On land on the whole front from the west of Riga to the lower Bilya, there has been no essential change. After the occupation of the Kovno fortifications by the Germans, the remainder of the garrison returned to the forces occupying positions west of the railway from Janow to Kosgedary. South of Kovno our troops still are on the left bank of the Niemen.

"From Ossowetz southward and still further along the whole front of the upper Narw and the Bug in the course of the 18th and 19th the Germans made strong attacks. On the right bank of the Narw, in the region of Strenkova and Goura, in the Strabla-Bielsk sector and near Lipnizka, thirteen miles northwest of Brest-Litovsk, in the sectors attacked our troops continue to withstand the enemy. Our cavalry assisted in repulsing a German attack near Lipnizka, attacking the German infantry in strong force.

"On the Bug, east of Valoda, the enemy, having been on the right bank of the river since the morning of the 19th, directed his efforts along the road leading to Pushoka.

"Near Novo Georgiewsk, after occupying the left bank of the Wara, the Germans concentrated all their efforts northwest of Wkra as far as the Vistula, and by a bombardment of hurricane force, they almost completely destroyed our fortifications. In this sector on the evening of the 18th the Germans surrounded one fort in the region of Wysniow and afterward, despite enormous losses, directed their columns on the rear of the Zakroczyzn sector. This compelled our troops, on the night of the 19th, to retire on the line of the former forts forming the central defence. In the course of the following day, having destroyed by their fire two of these forts, the Germans by a series of sanguinary assaults, occupied their ruins, from which they directed their fire against the central defences. We blew up the bridge over the Narw and the forts we abandoned in the northern section."

A strong German fleet has been attempting since August 8 to give assistance to the German army which occupies the Western coast of the gulf. The Russian official statement indicates that it probably has penetrated through the Driben channel, which is the only practicable way for large ships to enter the gulf.

The Russians announced that their warships and seaplanes were successful on the 8th in repulsing nine German battleships and two cruisers, with a large number of torpedo boat destroyers. The Germans asserted that this attack merely was a reconnoitering plan to locate the mines.

A German admiralty statement issued on August 11 alleged that German cruisers had driven off Russian torpedo boats which had appeared near the entrance of the gulf the preceding day, in spite of repeated attacks by Russian submarines.

A Petrograd official statement, issued on Thursday evening, admitted that Russian warships protecting the entrance to the Gulf of Riga had drawn closer in owing to the superiority of the enemy's fleet.

## CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—The following casualties have been announced:

First Battalion—Died, of Wounds: Lieut. G. C. Gough, England; Pte. Gordon Wood, England

Second Battalion—Died of wounds: Pte. Fred Page, Toronto.

Wounded and prisoner: Pte. J. E. Vestonshire, Toronto.

Wounded: Pte. J. W. McNeil, Dalhousie, N. B.

Third Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Stanley Turner, Montreal; Pte. John Powers, Manville, Alta.

Previously reported killed: now buried at Duck's Hill, France: Pte. Wm. Smith, Wetaskiwin, Alta.; Cpl. A. Agent, Toronto.

Seventh Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Chas. Hamilton, Lonstale, R. I.

Wounded May 22: Pte. James Douglas Redford (formerly 2nd Battalion), Alhambra, B. C.

seriously wounded: Pte. W. Smith, Graham, Scotland.

Fifteenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. C. Boyer, Steelton, Ont.

Twenty-third Battalion—Dead: Pte. Wm. Meehan, Marysville, N. B.

Auto. Machine Gun Brigade—Suffering from burns: Sgt. C. H. Rawlings, Montreal.

Canadian Reserve Park—Suffering from concussion: Driver James, Clay, England.

## MISS ROSS SAVED.

New York, Aug. 21.—A late report to the White Star line last night gave the name of Miss Ross, of Vancouver, B. C., as one of the survivors of the Arabic. Miss Ross has a brother in Ottawa.

## SECURING AFFIDAVITS.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Secretary Lansing announced yesterday he had instructed the embassy at London and the American consuls in the vicinity to gather affidavits from Americans who were on board the Arabic.

## FIELD KITCHENS COOK FOOD ON THE MARCH

Each Eastern Battalion is Taking Five; Burn Straw or Wood

Toronto, Aug. 21.—The portable kitchens which have been supplied the recently-formed battalions have proved their usefulness, and it is anticipated that the value of these will increase with the coming of the cold weather. The field kitchens have become popular as gifts to the overseas men, and while the 15th and 20th battalions, with the second contingent, took only two cookers apiece with them, the present battalions are all securing five, one for each double company, and a fifth for the headquarters' staff.

It is found that not only on manoeuvres are the kitchens useful, since the food can be cooked on the march, but even in camp their use in conjunction with the regular camp equipment expedites the preparation of meals. The kitchens are being made in Toronto, they are fitted with standard military wheels and axles, which can be detached and used on a disabled gun carriage. The cookers burn straw or wood, and take only 25 minutes to bring the water to the boil. They cost \$500 each.

## SEMI-WEEKLY REPORT ON THE FRUIT CROP

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—The second semi-weekly report on the Canadian fruit crop, issued yesterday afternoon, contains information relating to the condition of the crop in three of the largest fruit districts of Canada, viz., Prince Edward Island county, Annapolis Valley, N. S., and the Niagara Peninsula. The report is as follows: "Prince Edward county, Ontario.—Quality of apples below average and some orchards quite scabby. Fruit nearly all put up. Quite a large proportion bought by lumps. Sales of winter apples packed f. o. b. are from \$2 to \$3, mostly \$2.50. Sales by the barrel on trees from \$1 to \$1.25. Some lots of Duchess have sold \$2 f. o. b.

Annapolis Valley, N. S.—Apples dropping, but some growing rapidly. Color poor. Spot spreading. Early varieties are two weeks late. Late varieties about normal. Packed crop will be less than one million barrels and only 10 to 20 per cent. of total crop will be No. 1, depending on susceptibility to spot. Shippers ask \$2.50 for clean Gravensteins, but there have been no sales yet.

Niagara Peninsula—Plums and tomatoes moving slowly. Abundance and Burbanks plentiful. Cold weather improving conditions. Prices steady. Several cars going west. There is much complaint of price-cutting by dealers and others in the western market. Crawford peaches not likely to be ripe before September 7 and will not move in quantity till a week later. Dry weather and sunshine may bring them a few days earlier.

## PROGRESS MADE BY KING VICTOR'S FORCES

Rome, Aug. 21.—The following official statement was issued last night: "In the Val Sugana our troops advanced as far as the line of the Mase Brook, their left flank on Monte Cina Ciarotta, their right on Monte Cina Panarotta tried to dislodge us from our newly-conquered positions, but failed.

"In the upper Cardevole Valley, a fire caused by the shelling of the enemy's artillery almost completely destroyed the township of Piave di Lissinallongo, without doing any damage to those of our troops who previously had occupied the ground.

"In the Upper Etsene and Bodenbach group our forces reached the slopes of Innichriedel and Knuttin."

"In the Tolmein sector, operations continue to develop."

Vienna, Aug. 21.—The following official statement was issued last night: "The heavy artillery fighting on the Tyrolean frontier district continues, and the attack against our advanced positions on the plateau of Polgarra, mentioned yesterday, the Italians lost 200 men.

"On the northern sector of the front in the coastal district yesterday morning, attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy.

"Two Italian attempts yesterday evening and early this morning, to break through our lines at the bridgehead of Tolmein failed."

"District of Gorizia.—In some parts of this sector, vigorous Italian attacks have been made, to which our artillery successfully replied, destroying a pontoon bridge near Sagrado and bombarding hostile troops near Piercis."

## GERMAN SUBMARINE FORCED TO DEPART

Christiania, Aug. 21.—The Irma, a Norwegian mail steamer, was on her way from Newcastle, Eng., to Stavanger, Norway, on Wednesday. When a little to the north of Jaeteren's reef, a German submarine halted her with shots across her bow. The Irma's skipper swung out his boats, but a Norwegian torpedo boat, attracted by the shots, steamed quickly to the spot, warned the submarine that she was in Norwegian waters and ordered to leave. The submarine thereupon retreated.

## REACHED LIVERPOOL.

London, Aug. 21.—The report that the British steamship Bovic had been sunk was untrue, according to the Press association, which says the vessel arrived at Liverpool yesterday.

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## NORWEGIAN VESSEL WAS SENT TO BOTTOM

London, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to Reuter's from Maugeund, Norway, says the Norwegian steamship Dras, of 1,251 tons, was sunk by a German submarine. The crew was saved.

New York, Aug. 21.—James B. Arkoll & Co., agents for the Bristol line, announced last night that they had received a cable from England confirming the report of the torpedoing of the steamship New York City, a freighter of that line. The dispatch stated that the New York City was sunk on Thursday afternoon. The ship left Bristol for New York on August 15.

## CORRESPONDENT SAYS SERBIA HAS AGREED

Paris, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Berné says: "According to information from semi-official sources received here, Serbia has accepted the conditions of the allies and will consent to the occupation of Macedonia by the allies in exchange for a section of the Dalmatian coast and adjacent islands and the partition of Albania between Greece and Serbia, except Avlona, which will remain Italian.

## THIRTY-EIGHT BODIES FOUND.

Texas City, Tex., Aug. 21.—The bodies of nine persons drowned during the great storm were picked up on a dyke near this city yesterday and the crew of the tender Rowan, which recovered them, said that twenty-nine more bodies lay on this dyke.

## IN ENGLAND.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—The Gazette's correspondent in London cables: "Among the wounded who have arrived in England is Lieut. W. W. Walker, of Victoria, who came over with Elliott's horses, but joined the Royal Canadian Dragoons. He is injured in the left arm.

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# STILL ATTEMPTING TO ARRANGE PEACE

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—Rumors that new overtures for a separate peace with Russia have been made by Germany, were circulated widely here yesterday.

# "ALWAYS MORE" IS MILLERAND'S MOTTO BERNSTORFF'S LATEST TACTLESS STATEMENT

French War Minister Replied Yesterday to Criticisms; Chamber Adjourned

Paris, Aug. 21.—Various political groups held caucuses yesterday before the regular meeting of the Chamber of Deputies. The Republicans of the left, the Union or Radicals and the Radical-Socialists, which group, numerically, is the most important, and the Democratic left, decided to support the government. The fully united Socialistic groups, however, after interviewing Premier Viviani during the morning, delegated Alexandre Varanne to reply to the speech of M. Millerand, minister of war.

The debate on appropriations for the new under-secretaries of war opened calmly, but there was a long attack on the military service. Jean Hennessy supported the appropriations. He suggested the necessity of creating three additional under-secretaries of war for aviation, engineering and armaments, and transportation. After a number of speeches, M. Millerand rose and, apologizing for not waiting for the end of the debate, plunged boldly into the political situation, which long has been simmering, saying: "For a week certain deputies have conducted here a trial of the war minister. According to them my administration has been characterized by negligence, inertia and carelessness. I am a prisoner in my own bureau. I have abdicated to the military authorities and am an enemy to parliamentary control. I reply without passion or embarrassment, for I keep always before me the thought of those who fight, suffer and die for us."

Taking up the question of munitions, M. Millerand told the chamber that very promising supplies of munitions had been made and that "always more" was his motto. The present situation, he said, justified every confidence in the future. The minister paid no attention to attempts to interrupt him, and calmly dominated the situation even when the opposition prevented his voice from reaching the benches.

M. Millerand declared that General Joffre had the fullest confidence of the country, and said that those persons who had attempted to inject politics into the control of the army could not realize the dangerous game they were playing. "Our allies count upon our wisdom, our enemies upon our division," M. Millerand said, in conclusion. "I call upon the wisdom of all to act in harmony until the final victory."

On motion of M. Viviani, prime minister, the chamber adjourned until August 26.

# MARS AIDS CUPID; A ROMANCE OF WAR

Young Man Enlists; Young Woman Applies for Place as Nurse

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—Mars as an assistant to Cupid is the role the war god is playing in a pretty romance which has come to light in the enlistment of the 7th Battalion being raised in this city for the front, of Arthur Belanger, a youthful Hull citizen. It has been claimed that love disappointed has driven many a man to serve his flag, but this is a case where love and duty promise to synchronize. They have led Arthur Belanger to enlist, and they also have resulted in the simultaneous application to the militia department for a position as a nurse of Miss Eugenie Ladouceur, also of Hull. Given these twin facts almost any reader could construct a romance without further assistance. Truth in this case, however, is every whit as strange as fiction could be since Mr. Belanger and Miss Ladouceur are going to the front to get married. They cannot get married here because, despite a long wooing on the part of Mr. Belanger, to which it is understood Miss Ladouceur has listened for some time with favor, the parents of both have opposed the match. "It was at this stage of the romance that Cupid, seeing that outside assistance was necessary, whispered in the ear of Mars, and the result is the enlistment of Mr. Belanger and the application of Miss Ladouceur. The latter is already a skilled nurse. Once in England, the young couple expect to meet and become man and wife in London, that old city which has witnessed many such romantic weddings as that of this khaki-clad soldier and Red Cross nurse.

# CAPTAIN FINCH WAS IN WATER FOR AN HOUR

London, Aug. 21.—Charles F. Knorr, who was a passenger on the Arabic en route to California, to visit his parents when the liner was sunk by a German submarine, arrived here to-day and gave the following account of the disaster: "The suction caused by the sinking of the liner resulted in the capsizing of my boat. I swam for ten minutes and then I was picked up by another boat. "The chief attack was carried out from the northeast. After a bombardment of 90 minutes, word was received that the important fort No. 3 still was intact and therefore the time had not come for the advance. The bombardment was continued until 11 o'clock.

"More at Ease Now," Says German Ambassador at Washington

New York, Aug. 21.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, is more at ease now than at any time since it became known that the White Star liner Arabic had been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine with the loss of American lives. He said so at the Ritz-Carlton hotel last night. "Since the sinking of the ship became known, the Sayville wireless station has been kept busy transmitting messages from the German embassy to the Berlin foreign office. The reply to these messages evidently was satisfactory because von Bernstorff said that he did not expect any serious complications to arise out of the torpedoing.

An attaché of the German embassy went even further. Without disclosing his source of information, he alleged that the Arabic had been warned by the German submarine commander before the attack, and that the shot was fired only after the captain of the White Star liner had made a desperate effort to escape from the German submarine craft. "From persons close to von Bernstorff it was learned that the ambassador firmly believes that his suggestion relative to a modification of Germany's submarine warfare where Americans may be involved, made some time ago to the German admiralty, has not been rejected. He thinks that if American lives have been lost through the torpedoing of the Arabic it was not the fault of the submarine commander.

One of those who called on the ambassador was Captain Boyd, the naval attaché of the German embassy. While Captain Boyd refused to be quoted, he made no secret of his optimism regarding the German-American situation. He does not regard it as serious. As a practical naval man, thoroughly familiar with the methods employed in the German navy, he said he was convinced that the German submarine commander responsible for the sinking of the Arabic did not exceed his authority under the instructions issued by the German admiralty when the deadly shot was fired against the hull of the British passenger ship.

# DESTROYERS GUARDED STEAMSHIP CYMRIG

Liner Was Escorted for Thirty-Six Hours After Leaving Liverpool

New York, Aug. 21.—Passengers and members of the crew of the White Star liner Cymric asserted upon their arrival here to-day that the Cymric had been convoyed for 36 hours after leaving Liverpool, August 11, by re-lays of British warships, five in number, and that she had not been permitted to sail unaccompanied until the war zone had been left astern. The Cymric took virtually the same course as the Arabic, which was sunk Thursday by a German submarine. She carried 139 passengers, 57 of whom were in the steerage.

When the steamship left her dock the high flagpole recently erected at the mouth of the Mersey, where all outgoing vessels cannot fail to see it, displayed the warning that German submarines were lurking in nearby waters. The warning, the passengers said, was in the form of a big black ball hoisted to the top of the pole. It had been agreed among shipowners at Liverpool, it was said, that the black ball was to be the sign of danger when the admiralty's warning of nearby submarines came to port too late to warn the ship by messenger or telephone.

Before the Cymric was out of the Mersey, sailors provisioned the lifeboats and giving them outward. The passengers were assembled and assigned their respective places in the boats so that there might be no confusion in an emergency. When clear of Liverpool harbor, the Cymric sighted a small cruiser, formerly a converted yacht, which steamed silently alongside, sometimes approaching as close as 200 yards, till nearly sunset, when the second relay, a fast vessel of the destroyer type, was sighted ahead, apparently awaiting the Cymric's arrival in her zone. The cruiser dropped astern and the destroyer took her place. That night all lights, except candles, were extinguished and every porthole was blanketed. The passengers slept with sables at hand.

# REALIZES ALLIES WILL FIGHT TO THE END

German Socialist Leader is Aware They Are Determined to Crush Prussian Militarism

Berlin, Aug. 21.—In the course of the debate to-day in the Reichstag, Dr. Eduard David, the Socialist leader, said: "There lives in the hearts of the German people, as in all other peoples, a longing for the day of the restoration of peace. It would be ill for humanity if it were otherwise. The European peoples are bleeding from thousands and thousands of wounds. Every day of the war means further frightful destruction of values. "But for conquest must not prolong the war unnecessarily. Emperor Wil-

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# WHAT ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE STATES CONTENTS

Washington, Aug. 21.—The department of justice is in full accord with the action of the United States district attorney in San Francisco in seeking indictments of British and German consular officials charged with violating neutrality laws. The attorney-general's position is that there is no immunity attaching to consular officers of a foreign government; that they are commercial, not diplomatic representatives, and are as liable as any one else to punishment for violations of the country's laws, though the prosecution rests in the direction of the government as a matter of policy.

# WERE NOT ON ARABIC.

London, Aug. 21.—The following statement was given out to-day at the offices of the White Star line: "We are in a position to state that the following passengers reported missing did not embark on the Arabic: Maurice Davis, Mrs. Fisher, Mr. Sosa."

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# GERMANS SAID TO HAVE NEW DEVICE

London, Aug. 21.—The Morning Post's correspondent at Petrograd sends the following dispatch: "I hear the Germans now have some mysterious scientific device for clearing a way through wire entanglements from a considerable distance. The instrument has all the appearance of what is known as a projector—that is, a searchlight. "No specimen has been captured as yet and nothing is known about it, except that it disposes of wire entanglements from a distance of a mile by some means at present incomprehensible to the lay mind. "Your visitor's figure is quite attenuated, Mrs. Comeup. "Do you think so? I'd call her thin."

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WHAT DOES IT THINK NOW? A week ago the Boston Transcript printed the following under the heading, "Let Us Forget the Lusitania..."

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There is the black barricade, German all fixed with their rifles, shells, and the grim cannonade, "Tut!" says O'Leary, "they're trifles!"

Forward, O'Leary! they're there, Don't you forget the old shelling! Mountains of Cork may be bare, Nothing but furze and good feeling.

Michael O'Leary! they cry, Here's to the health of our brother, Raise his fame up to the sky, And the fame of his father and mother.

Forward, O'Leary! Brave Mick, Fine you've disposed of the Prussians, Taken the barricade slick, Now leave the rest to the Russians.

Here's to the hero from Cork, Here's to his father and mother, Shout it from this to New York—Michael O'Leary, our brother!

Kelly, and Burke, and Shea, Flannigan, Doolin, and Geary, Very good men in their day—But, God give us Michael O'Leary!

A famous Irish-American poem entitled "The Fighting Race," written by a New York editor.

ARE FIGHTING WITH GREAT STUBBORNNESS. Reports that the German armies investing Brest Litovsk practically have enveloped 200,000 Russian troops in the neighborhood of that fortress was disbelieved here...

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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, August 21, 1890

A fine block is being erected by Mr. J. H. Turner at the corner of View and Douglas streets. The building is being faced with pressed brick and granite, and will be of a substantial character.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the rooms of the Victoria Athletic Club last evening.

Mr. R. E. Gosnell, of Vancouver, arrived from that city, via Nanaimo, at noon to-day. Mr. Gosnell has been appointed by the provincial exhibit association to take charge of the exhibits of B. C. at the Toronto and St. John exhibitions.

### MAKING BUSINESS BETTER

Despite the handicap of war business is on the up grade. If each one of us contributes a little extra push it will soon be better.

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Naval and Military Methodist Church, Esquimalt, Rev. Robert Hughes, chaplain. All who attend no other church are cordially invited. At this time of international unrest every intelligent man and woman should seek and supplicate the Almighty.

Flower Guild.—There will be a meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Red Cross and Blue Cross flower guild. The meeting will be at 297 Government street.

New Thought Lectures.—Dr. T. W. Butler will lecture at the Progressive Thought temple, corner of Pandora and Blanshard streets to-morrow at 11 a. m. on "Is a New Religion Needed?" At 8 p. m. he will talk on "At the Top and How to Get There." Mrs. Falconer will sing.

Fingers Lacerated.—While playing about the Model Bakery, 1163 Yates street, yesterday afternoon, William Groot, living at 1165 Yates street, got his right hand caught in the dough-making machine and three fingers were badly lacerated. He was taken to the Royal Jubilee hospital for treatment.

Seeks New Location.—Desiring to be in a location that will enable him to fulfil the requirements of a larger number of customers, Mr. A. E. Matheson, proprietor of The Bootery, 708 Yates street, next door to Klirkham's Cash Grocery, about the middle of next month. In the new store he will carry all new stock.

Chilean's Whereabouts Wanted.—A correspondent at Iquique, South America, has asked the provincial police for information concerning a relative named Cupertius Cortez Perez, a Chilean, described as tall and of brown complexion. It is said to be about five years since Perez was last heard from, when he sent a post card to Iquique showing the inner harbor, at Victoria.

Constable Thrown From Auto Cycle.—While riding his motorcycle along Lillian road on his way home yesterday, Constable Barnes sustained a fractured collar-bone, through his machine skidding and throwing him heavily to the roadway. A horse and wagon was crossing the street directly in front of the constable, and forced him to come to a sudden stop. The momentum caused the cycle to skid and the officer was thrown. His injuries, though painful, did not totally incapacitate him, and he walked to his home, where medical assistance was summoned. Barnes will be confined to his home for several weeks.

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### HIGH TEMPERATURES RECORD FOR AUGUST

At 1 o'clock To-day 84.2 Reached; Warm Last Night

Temperatures recorded at the observatory, Gonzales Heights, are even higher than yesterday, 84.2 being reached at one o'clock. Yesterday's maximum temperature, 82.9, was reached shortly before noon, this being almost unique as high maximum temperatures on such calm days are reached about three o'clock in the afternoon. In the city the thermometers ranged from 81 to 83 degrees when the maximum temperatures were being recorded at Gonzales Heights, but a light breeze sprang up at noon which prevented what would no doubt have proved a maximum August temperature for Victoria.

The absolute calm was particularly noticeable owing to the heavy pall of smoke which hung over the district during yesterday as well as to-day. Such breeze as there was came from the north and west, and smoke from smouldering forest fires in those regions is still drifting over the city, half obscuring the sun and probably affording some relief from its blazing rays.

Victoria has rarely been unable to boast of her cool nights. But the exception has come at last. Last night the thermometer at Gonzales Heights (which is one of the coolest places in the city) registered over 70 degrees at midnight. At 5 o'clock this morning it recorded 67 degrees. The minimum temperature of the twenty-four hours was reached within the next two hours, this being 62 degrees. Ever since then it has been rising, and down-town offices may make undisturbed claim to something over 90 degrees at mid-day to-day.

The fine weather is general all over the Pacific Coast, and especially the conditions are uncomfortably warm. In Southern Oregon yesterday the temperatures ranged from 80 to 100 degrees. In the Sacramento Valley 104 degrees were registered yesterday, and 106 the previous day. In the Canadian prairies the weather is ideal for the farmers, who are commencing to cut their crops. Rain has fallen, however, in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan and there has been slight rainfall in the Kootenays.

The barometer is falling, it is only natural to anticipate an end to such unusually warm weather, and indications are that rain may come within the next day or two. In view of the number of small fires which are requiring the attention of the forest rangers and the district police show-ers would be welcomed, as the continued high temperatures have made slash and timber particularly susceptible to the slightest flame.

It is interesting to compare the present thermometrical conditions with those for previous years in Victoria. The high temperatures are somewhat unusual so late in the month of August. The highest recorded temperature in Victoria during the last 30 years was on July 28, 1899, when 90.1 degrees was reached; on August 10, 1899, 88 degrees were recorded, and on August 1, 1913, 85.8. The highest temperature here this year was on July 29, when 87.4 was registered.

Minneapolis Preacher.—Rev. T. J. McCrossen, M. A., B. D., of Minneapolis, Minnesota, will occupy the pulpit at the Metropolitan Methodist church to-morrow evening.

Assault Charge Dismissed.—The case against Prin Singh and Babur Singh of assaulting Jawala Singh on Saturday last, was dismissed by Magistrate Jay. In the police court this morning, and the informant was ordered to pay the cost of the interpreter.

Loyal Orange Association.—Premier L. O. L. 1619, will meet in the Orange hall, Yates street, on Monday, at 8 p. m. A royal arch degree meeting will be held in the same hall on Monday, Aug. 23. Candidates are asked to advise the secretary. Visiting brothers will be welcome.

Shelbourne Street Hall.—A flower service will be held at 2.30 to-morrow in the Shelbourne Street hall, when addresses will be given by Mr. Masters and Mrs. Boyden. There will be a young people's meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 when the speaker will be Rev. W. Stevenson.

Need Place for Special Cases.—At the inquest held over the body of the late Andrew Kennedy yesterday afternoon, Dr. Ernest Hall, who attended the deceased, drew attention to the inadequate accommodation for delirium patients. After becoming too violent at the St. Joseph's hospital, Kennedy had been removed to the police cells, where he expired. Dr. Hall declared that some proper place should be provided, and he criticized the authorities for not having remedied the need prior to this. He deplored the use of the police cells, which he stated, were totally unfit. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of "died from acute delirium."

### FOREST FIRES ON NORTH OF ISLAND

Timber-Burning at Cowichan; Mill Destroyed; Heavy Smoke Comes Across Gulf

The haze which covered the city yesterday and is again prevalent to-day is due to forest fires on the Gulf Islands and on the mainland, principally in Whatcom county, in the state of Washington. About four o'clock yesterday afternoon ashes carried on the breeze from the direction of across the gulf, dropped here, and the smoke made the atmosphere heavy and the heat more intense. There were various reports during the night of fires within a few miles of Victoria, but most of these proved to be unfounded.

Fire broke out at Cadboro Bay yesterday afternoon, and for a while there appeared to be danger, to the powder works, but precautions taken in time prevented the spread of the fire in that direction. The location of the fire was on the east side of the bay opposite the yacht club. Yesterday there were two hundred soldiers sent for fire fighting duty and they got the flames under control in a short time.

Reports of fire on the Malahat were contradicted by the Island district fire protection officer. There was only a small blaze on the roadside that resulted from carelessness by campers. There were reports last night that automobilists had been forced to turn back, but there are some who left yesterday afternoon for the Island highway trip who got through without being disturbed, and the air there was clearer than in Victoria.

This morning it is reported from Shawnigan that there are extensive timber fires in the vicinity of Duncan and Cowichan lakes. Help has been asked for, and a large number of men have gone to-day into each section to prevent the fire spreading. There is also a fire of some dimensions at Hillbank.

Close to Cowichan Bay fire yesterday destroyed 1,600 cords of wood and burnt out a small portable saw-mill plant. On the peninsula the Saanich police report a small fire at Keatings, but this is the only known fire now burning in this section. Reports of fire at Rocky Point and in the Sooke district are denied.

The department of lands gave the following information this morning in regard to fires on the island: "Many outbreaks of fire in the northern division of the Island district in the vicinity of Union Bay, Courtenay and Parksville are reported. Logging and government crews are out fighting the flames. There are fires reported in the southern division on the south fork of the Nanaimo river, at Cobble Hill, and in the Cowichan district. They all are under control. There are several smouldering fires on the Gulf Islands which are responsible largely for the smoke prevalent in the southern part of Vancouver Island. There are no fires in the western division.

The smoky condition of the atmosphere here indicates that the fires on the Gulf Islands and in Whatcom county, Wash., are of considerable dimensions. Bellingham to-day is filled with ashes and the little settlement of Alki, six miles north of Bellingham, was practically burnt out yesterday. There were no lives lost. Disaster from fires is reported in many of the smaller localities in Whatcom county.

Princess Theatre.—Despite the hot weather "Graft" has done exceptionally well at the Princess this week, and the last performance will be given to-night. Next week a Charles Klein play, "The Gamblers" will be put on. It will be the farewell week of the Allen Players' popular leading man, Bron Eagan, who has joined the Western Scots.

Shook Hands.—Yesterday morning Joseph Reed was charged in the police court with assaulting John R. Adams. The defendant asked for a remand so that he could secure legal advice. Adams had told him that he would not prosecute. This morning the case was again called, and the plaintiff asked that the charge be withdrawn because "Mr. Reed was a nice gentleman and had apologized to him." Magistrate Jay told the men to go outside and shake hands. This procedure was accomplished with both men smiling.

Accidental Drowning.—A coroner's jury yesterday afternoon inquired into the circumstances surrounding the death of Ralph Dinsley, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dinsley, of John street, who lost his life while bathing near Leigh's mills on Thursday afternoon. A verdict of "drowning by accident" was returned. Companions of the deceased who were swimming with him gave evidence, and said that after they found that he was missing they dove for the body, and upon being unsuccessful in locating it, notified the police.

Patriotic Aid.—Among the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid society are: Employees Pacific club, \$9; employees quarantining station, William Head, \$50; staff department of railways, parliament buildings, \$22; staff island revenue department, \$26.50; customs house staff, \$124; employees W. & J. Wilson, \$23.50; crew of tug Swell, \$10; crew of tug Sadie, \$10; employees B. C. Electric railway, \$98.15; employees Victoria Gas Co., \$5.47; employees V. L. Power Co., \$16.61; employees Sayward Block, \$27.85; employees B. A. Paint Co., \$29.50; staff and employees of Sir John Jackson (Canada) Ltd., \$30.50; resident architect's office, Dominion department of public works, \$29.50; crew of steamer Saiver, \$26.50; staff of Bank of Toronto, \$9.76.

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F. P. Hassell, of Duncan, is a new arrival at the Strathecona.
W. P. Randall, of Vancouver, is staying at the Hotel Strathecona.
Miss E. Jarvis, of Port Townsend, is at the Hotel Strathecona.
Mr. and Mrs. K. Smith are staying at the Strathecona hotel from Vancouver.
John Clark, of Vancouver, is staying at the Hotel Strathecona.
H. Clausen, of Sooke, is a guest of the Dominion.
Mr. A. Stevens, of Port Alberni, is at the Dominion.
Mrs. W. T. Harris, of Duncan, is at the Dominion.
A. W. Drake, of Ganges, is at the Dominion.
H. M. Waddell, of Lake Hutton, B. C., is at the Dominion hotel.
N. E. Cruickshank, of Chilliwack, is at the Dominion.
Frank R. Field, of Denver, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.
W. Benson and M. Martin, of Seattle, are at the King Edward hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Rauffman, of Lake Charles, La., are registered at the Empress hotel.
F. W. Studley and R. G. Crocker, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress hotel.
Mrs. F. and Miss A. Wyatt, of 2338 Fowl Bay road, left this morning for Coquitlam to visit friends.
Mrs. S. H. Hedger and Mrs. F. S. Roddie, of Seattle, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.
H. W. and Mrs. McEwen, of Amsterdam, N. Y., are guests at the Empress hotel.
Edward P. Page and Miss Phyllis Page, of Oakland, were in the city yesterday.
C. E. Underhill is over from Port Angeles, and is a guest at the Dominion.
Mrs. Geo. B. Kerfoot, Mrs. F. Moschell, and Miss E. Moschell, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion.
Mrs. Geo. E. Mastic, of Grand Forks, and Mrs. M. Dugand, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion.
A. B. Lloyd and Mrs. Lloyd, of Ruby Creek, B. C., are guests of the Dominion hotel.
F. E. Hopkins and Mrs. Hopkins are down from Tofino, and are staying at the Dominion.
C. H. Smith and Mrs. Smith, of Pt. Coquitlam, are staying at the Dominion hotel.
Miss Gertrude Heinz, Miss Ethel Forrester and Miss Veronette Hoehn, all of Detroit, are guests at the King Edward.
Robert Stewart, C. W. Armstrong, and E. W. Dean are among the latest Vancouver arrivals at the Hotel King Edward.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, O. Bowman, D. Menzies, J. C. McGugan and W. W. Moore are among the arrivals from Vancouver at the Empress hotel.
C. T. Carl and Mrs. Carl, of Edmonton, Alta., were among yesterday's arrivals by the Grand Trunk route in Victoria. They are staying at the Dominion hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Penhallwick and children, and Mrs. G. Montgomery, of Calgary, have been visiting the city during the past week, and left on this morning's boat for Vancouver.
Rev. J. B. Haslam, who for many years held positions in this diocese, as rector of Salt Spring Island and St. Barnabas church, Victoria, is on a visit to the city, and is staying with Mrs. H. O. Litchfield, Wilson Place. Hilda Street, Mr. Haslam purposes attending the consecration of his old friend Arch-

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There are five stamps in the set, their respective values being three, five, ten, twenty and thirty-five heller, the heller of Austria being equal to the German pfennig, about one-quarter of a cent. The stamps are oblong in shape, very neatly engraved, with the war scene in an oval surrounded by the words, "Kaiserliche Konigliche Osterreichische Post"—"The Imperial and Royal Austrian Post."
The three-heller stamp is purplish in color, with a view showing fighting in the trenches. The five-heller stamp is green with a cavalry scene. The ten-heller stamp is red, showing one of the big howitzer guns being prepared for firing. The twenty-heller stamp is a dull blue green with a war vessel of the dreadnought type, and the thirty-five heller stamp is ultramarine in color with a beautifully engraved view of an aeroplane in flight.
The values are in figures in the corners at the bottom of these stamps, with the additional charity tax value in the center. The three-heller stamp represents an additional value of one heller, the five and ten heller stamps have an extra value of two hellers, and the two highest values have an additional value of three hellers over the regular postal rate.—New York Times.

James, my lad," said the grocer to his new assistant, "who bought that roundly cheese to-day?" "Mrs. Brown, sir," was the youth's reply. "And the stale loaf we could not sell last night?" "Mrs. Brown, sir," "Where's that lump of rancid butter?" "The baker refused?" "Mrs. Brown bought it cheap, sir," was the answer. "And the six eggs we could not sell a week since?" "Mrs. Brown," "Are you ill, sir?" asked James as the grocer turned green and groaned. "No, no; only I'm going to tea at Brown's to-night," replied the unhappy man as he wiped the perspiration from his face and sank into a chair.
A young couple went to a minister's house to get married. After the ceremony the bridegroom drew the clergyman aside and said in a whisper, "I'm sorry I have no money to pay your fee, but if you'll take me down into the cellar I'll show you how to fix your gas meter so that it will not register."

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The last performance of this week's big bill will be given at Pantages to-night at the usual time. This afternoon Karl Emmy and his wonderful six-terriers held a reception to the women and young folks. It was hugely enjoyed. Next week Miss Maude Lyons, with her own company, will headline the bill in Willard Mack's latest success, "Inside Stuff." It is a dramatic playlet of exceptional power and interest and generally agreed to be one of the best things that playwright has ever done.
Another attraction will be Chester Spencer and Lola Williams. They are one of the biggest teams in vaudeville in point of drawing power and undoubtedly will run a close second to the headliner during the coming Pantages engagement.
The Parisian Trio are men vocalists and instrumentalists who have a pleasing repertoire of popular and classical songs. "The Birthday Party" is a capital offering by a company of juvenile mimics.
Two good blackface comedians are Howard and Fleids, while Hanson Dean and Hanlon are acrobats who never fail to command their share of attention and commendation.
ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.
The excellent series of pictures shown for the last two days at the Royal Victoria theatre, will be exhibited for the last time to-night. There are two features on the programme, "The Criminal" and "The Inventor's Peril." Both of these photoplays are of more than ordinary interest, the acting of Miss Talmadge in "The Criminal" being one of the finest pieces of photoplay work seen for some time. There are also shown two very laughable comedies, "Wipe Your Feet" and "You Can't Beat them," the programme being finished off with a scenic special, "A Tour Through Touraine." The Royal Orchestra helps to make an evening of pleasure and entertainment.
COLUMBIA THEATRE.
An unusual photoplay attraction is offered at the Columbia theatre where a Famous Players-Paramount five-part feature presents the celebrated character actor, William H. Crane, in a film version of his famous stage success, "David Harum," one of the most conspicuous triumphs of modern American fiction and drama, by the late Edward Noyes Westcott. Mr. Crane, of course, portrays the title role, and the screen impersonation of this delightful character is as excellent as, an even more amusing than that of the original production. The film version is much more comprehensive than the original, and David's "tricks of the trade," in his loved "horse-swapping" and his good-natured practical jokes are faithfully visualized. "David Harum" closes at the Columbia to-night, and those who have not witnessed this truly remarkable feature should not miss this last opportunity of doing so.
WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, Aug. 21-5 p.m.—The barometer though high over Northern B. C., is steadily falling to the southward and showers may occur during the next 36 hours.—Hot weather prevails throughout the Pacific slope. Showers have occurred in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan.
Forecast.
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday.
Victoria and Vicinity.—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day, local showers and cooler to-morrow.
Lower Mainland.—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day, local showers and cooler to-morrow.
Reports.
Victoria.—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, maximum yesterday, 81; minimum, 67; wind, 8 miles N.; weather, fair, smoky.
Vancouver.—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 81; minimum, 62; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Entrance.—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, minimum yesterday, 68; wind, 20 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops.—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 88; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Harkerville.—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 73; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert.—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Tatoosh.—Barometer, 29.83; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 58; wind, 12 miles S. E.; weather, clear.
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 70; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.
Seattle.—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 66; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, smoky.
San Francisco.—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 58; wind, 6 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.
Nelson.—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 79; rain, .30.
Temperature.
Max. Min.
Cranbrook ..... 78 ..
Fort George ..... 67 ..
New Hazelton ..... 65 ..
Calgary ..... 68 ..
Edmonton ..... 76 64
Qu'Appelle ..... 78 50
Winnipeg ..... 86 60
Toronto ..... 79 ..
Ottawa ..... 78 ..
St. John ..... 68 ..
Halifax ..... 82 ..
Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Friday:
Temperature.
Highest ..... 83
Lowest ..... 63
Average ..... 73
Minimum on grass ..... 58
Maximum in sun ..... 103
Bright sunshine, 7 hours, 39 minutes.
General state of weather, clear.
As the shabby figure passed whippers of envy arose. "He is going to bring out a volume of poems at his own expense," said one. "Good gracious!" cried another, "where did he get the money?" "Saved it on haircuts."

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Services in the City Churches

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

ANGLICAN.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdett avenue. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; holy communion (choral) and sermon, 9:30 a. m.; preacher, the Rev. J. H. Haslam; music and sermon, 11 a. m.; preacher, the Rev. A. J. Doull, D. D., bishop of Kootenay; children's service, 3 p. m.; evensong and sermon, 7 p. m.; preacher, the Rev. Dr. Seagar, principal of St. Mark's Hall, Vancouver. Tuesday, St. Bartholomew's day, holy communion, 7 and 8 a. m.; music, 5:30 a. m.; consecration service of Ven. Archbishop Scriven as bishop of Columbia at 10:30 a. m.; enthronement service of Bishop Scriven, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, special intercession service, 8 p. m.; Thursday, holy communion, 8 a. m.

St. Barnabas, corner of Cook Street and Calcedonia avenue. Holy eucharist at 8 a. m.; choral matins, 11 a. m.; 2:30; choral evensong at 7 p. m.; Rev. W. T. Keeling, M. A., priest in charge, will be preacher for the day.

St. Mark's, Boleskine road. Rev. J. W. Ylton, vicar. Holy eucharist, 8 a. m.; corporate communion for members of Mothers' union; matins and sermon at 11; Sunday school at 3 p. m.; evensong and sermon at 7 p. m.; Rev. G. H. Andrews, M. A., rector.

St. Mary's, Burns street, Oak Bay. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; military parade, 9:30; matins and sermon at 11; evensong and sermon, 7 p. m.; Rev. G. H. Andrews, M. A., rector.

St. Saviour's, Victoria West. Rector, Rev. Robert Connell. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayers and litany, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evening prayer and intercession at 7 p. m.; preacher for evening service, bishop-elect of Columbia.

St. John's, corner of Quadra and Mason. Rector, Rev. P. A. Chadwick, M. A. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school and Bible classes, 10 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Rev. C. A. Seagar, D. D., of the Anglican Theological College of B. C., will preach morning service. Rt. Rev. A. J. Doull, bishop of Kootenay, will preach in the evening.

St. Jude's, Obed avenue. Holy communion, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 3; evensong with sermon, 7 p. m.; Rev. M. F. Hilton.

St. Paul's, Royal Naval Station and Garrison church. Esquimalt. Rector, Rev. W. Baugh Allen. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; matins and sermon, 10:30; evensong and sermon, 7 p. m.

St. James', corner Quebec and St. John streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion, 8; matins and sermon at 11; Sunday school, 2:30; evensong and sermon, 7.

Oaklands Church of England Mission. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 p. m.; Rev. H. A. Collier.

Pemberton Memorial Chapel. Service will consist of morning prayer, hymns and sermon at 10 a. m.; Nurses, patients, members of hospital staff and residents of the neighborhood cordially invited to attend.

St. Matthias' Mission, corner of Lillian and Richmond roads, Fowl Bay. Sunday school at 2; evensong with sermon at 7 p. m.; The Rev. W. H. Dawe, priest in charge.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanshard streets. Rev. A. B. Owen, rector. Morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7; Sunday school, 2:30.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

St. Andrew's Cathedral, corner of Blanshard and View streets. The Right Rev. Alexander MacDonald, D. D., the Right Rev. Mgr. Joseph Letourneau, P. D., V. G., Rev. Donat Macdonald, Rev. Anselm Wood and Rev. Francis Benson. Masses—Sunday, low mass with five-minute sermon at 8 and 9:30 a. m.; high

mass with sermon at 11 o'clock; sermon, prayers for peace and benediction of the blessed sacrament at 7:30 p. m. Holy days of obligation—Low mass at 8:15, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, and 8:15 p. m. Confessions are heard on the eve of all feast days, every Saturday and every Thursday before the first day of the month in the afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock, and in the evening from 7 until 9. Baptisms are performed Sunday and Wednesday at 10 o'clock, at other times by appointment.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, corner of Quadra and Fingard streets. Minister, Rev. J. G. Inkster, B. A. Special prayer for the day, Rev. Professor Kent, of Halifax. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Services at 11 and 7:30.

St. Columba, Mitchell and Granite streets, Oak Bay. Rev. R. A. Macconnell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Gorge, corner Tilloum road and Walter avenue. Sunday school, 3. Herbert Williston, superintendent.

Knox, 2025 Stanley avenue. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible class at 9:45 a. m.; Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m.; Rev. J. McCooy, pastor.

St. Paul's, corner Henry and Mary streets, Victoria. Rev. N. Macleod, M. A., Ph. D., minister. Rev. D. Macleod, D. D., pastor emeritus. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. C. E. at 8:15 p. m.

St. Andrew's, corner of Douglas and Breighton streets. Dr. W. Leslie Clay, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Special music by the choir.

Esquimalt Mission, Sunday school at 2:30 in old school building, Esquimalt village. W. H. Macdonald, superintendent.

Freddie, Harriet road, north of Boleskine road. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; Holywood Presbyterian Sunday School, Woodwood avenue. Regular service, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

St. Aidan's, Mt. Tolmie, Rev. W. J. Kidd, B. D., minister. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school and Bible class, 10 a. m.

Lake Hill, D. J. Gordon, student-in-charge. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 p. m.

BAPTIST.

Emmanuel, corner Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue, Fernwood car terminus. Rev. William Stevenson, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Bible school and Bible classes, 2:30 p. m.; Branch Sunday school, Sheburna street and King road, 2:30 p. m.

First, Dominion Theatre building, Yates street. Rev. J. B. Warnecker will conduct the services at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 2:30 p. m.

Douglas street, at end of terminus. Services will be held Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Tabernacle, Fairfield road and Chester street. Rev. Robert Cameron, D. D., pastor. The pastor will preach morning and evening services, and a returned missionary will address the Sunday school. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible classes, 2:30.

LUTHERAN.

Corner Princess avenue and Chambers street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Pastor, O. G. M. Gerlach.

NAZARENE CHURCH.

Nazarene, corner Fingard and Chambers. Preaching, 11 a. m., by the pastor; Sunday school, 12; class and praise meeting, 8 p. m., followed by preaching by the pastor.

UNITARIAN.

First, corner Fernwood road and Fingard street. Service at 11; preacher, Rev. Horace Westwood, D. D., of Winnipeg; secretary of Canadian Unitarian Association.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 333 Pandora avenue. Services are held on

Sundays at 11 a. m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora and Quadra streets. Pastor, Rev. C. T. Scott. B. A., D. D. Class meeting, 10 a. m.; public worship at 11 and 7:30; Sunday school, 2:30; Motherhood, 5:45.

Centennial, Gorge road, one block from Government street. Rev. A. S. Colwell will preach morning and evening. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Burnside, corner of Burnside and Millgrove roads. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; temporary premises, corner of Fairfield road and Moss street. Rev. A. B. Osterhout will preach at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30.

Hampshire road. Services: Junior league, 10 a. m.; preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 p. m.; Pastor, Rev. L. S. Albright.

Wesley, McPherson avenue, Victoria West. The pastor, Rev. S. J. Thompson. Services at 11 and 7:30. Pastor will preach at James Bay, corner Menzies and Mitchell streets. Rev. F. N. Stapleton, M. A., B. D., pastor, at 11 a. m.; Sunday school and adult Bible classes, 2:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30.

Oaklands, Gosworth road. Sunday school and adult Bible class, 11 a. m.; evening services, 7:30.

Belmont avenue. Rev. John Robson, B. A., pastor. Services at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school, 2:30.

Esquimalt, corner Admiral's road and Lyall street. Pastor, Rev. R. Hughes. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Sabbath school and adult Bible class, 2:30 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational church, corner Quadra and Mason streets. Sabbath school and adult Bible class, 9:45. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. C. E. L. Lunnie will preach at both services.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

Society of Friends, meeting house, Fern street, off Port street. Meeting for worship, 11. Sunday school, 10:30. Gospel preaching at 7 p. m. Bible reading, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

BIBLE STUDENTS.

Associated Bible Students meet in J. B. R. Esquimalt, 349 Douglas street. Bible study, 11; baptismal service, 3 p. m.; special lecture at 7:30.

OTHER MEETINGS.

Connaught Seaman's Institute, J. Wright Hall, secretary and port missionary. The Psychic Research Society will hold their Sunday services in the new hall, 719 Courtney street, at 3 p. m. Conference and message work at 8. Speaker, Mrs. P. B. Nevers of Tacoma. Psychic messages at the close.

Victoria Christadelphian Ecclesia, small hall, corner Cedar Hill road and Hillside avenue. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning meeting, 10 o'clock; Bible address, 7 p. m. Christians gathered to the name of the Lord Jesus Christ meet in Victoria hall, 1415 Blanshard street, near Pandora street, Sunday, 11 a. m., breaking of bread; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., gospel meeting.

Christians meet in Oakland Gospel hall, corner Hillside avenue and Cedar Hill road. Lord's day, 11 a. m., breaking of bread; 3 p. m., school and adult Bible class; 7:30 p. m., night Gospel service; 8:45 p. m., open air service corner Broad and Yates. Tuesday, 8 p. m., Bible study; Thursday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting.

The Theosophical Society meets 8 to 9 p. m. Friday, and from 8 to 4 p. m. Wednesday, at 252 Campbell building.

Seventh Day Adventist, corner Hillside avenue and Graham street. Services Sabbath (Saturday), 10:30; prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Wesley services, Knights of Columbus hall, Port street, 7:30 p. m.

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Progressive Thought Temple, corner Pandora and Blanshard streets. Dr. T. W. Butler will lecture at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., Christ's Second Advent.

The Divine Psychic Society will hold service at 1618 Douglas street on Sunday evening at 7:30. Soul messages after the lecture. Mr. L. Reese will lecture. Malvern Theatre, on Sunday evening an evangelistic service will be held at 7:30. Morning service for worship at 11.

Universal Spiritual Church. Every Sunday, 8 p. m., in Odd Fellows' hall, 1223 Douglas, corner Johnson. Pastor, Miss G. Garthley. All welcome.

Cloverdale Hall. Sunday school and adult Bible class, 3 p. m.; Gospel service at 7:30 p. m. G. O. Benner, evangelist, will speak.

SYNAGOGUE. Congregation Emanu-El, Blanshard and Pandora. Services, 8 every Friday evening. Helman J. Elkin, rabbi.

OUR LETTER BOX

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter its chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name of the writer. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

GAME REGULATIONS.

To the Editor.—In glancing through the latest game regulations which appear in your issue of August 16, which refers to changes in dates and orders-in-council, which seem to occur annually and greatly confuse and irritate sportsmen generally throughout this province, I will remark only that I fail to comprehend how the average hunter can be expected to distinguish the exact positions of the divisional lines in the several localities in which the law is to be enforced.

If any one of your numerous readers who is interested in the matter would suggest a method of determining one's exact electoral position before discharging a gun, it would be a decided relief to the nerves of the law-abiding Nimrod.

ED. S. SHRAPNEL.

ESQUIMALT DOCK.

To the Editor.—The statement is made in the last issue of a local weekly that unexpected difficulties have arisen in connection with the building of the Esquimalt drydock, and that these difficulties are not the result of present financial conditions. This sounds rather mysterious. Have "the boys" got another site to sell? Or has the staff of experts to be carried over the hand? Why not appoint another royal commission and give the fossils that \$250,000 that was twice voted to start the work? Any old excuse will do to waste the money.

MEN FOR THE HARVEST.

To the Editor.—We have in the city a representative taking names of men who wish to avail themselves of an opportunity to get a few weeks' work getting in the harvest. I have been amongst the crowd of applicants this morning, men with wives and children, eager to get some little to help or to help. They are unable to do so. It is useless offering a man work at the prairie if he has no money to go. I have already approached several citizens of the city and explained the case, and have promises of help. Much has already been done by the patriotic people of the city; this is another opportunity. With \$1,000 I can send 100 fathers who will be able to help to give food to their children some part of this winter. They are residents of this city their homes here, and will return. In many cases men who have got homes and mothers to look after are unable to take advantage of this offer. May I ask on behalf of these men for an effort to be made to supply

this \$1,000. It will be applied only to the actual necessitous cases. The fare is \$10. Any one who would be prepared to loan any sums I will make arrangements that it shall be returned to them out of the wages received. This is an opportunity to send away our citizens, relieving the present situation somewhat, ensuring that they will return with some little to help their people and also the city. Any sums for this purpose can be sent to me direct. The amounts received will be published in each day's issue of this paper. It will be necessary to close this on Tuesday night, August 24.

JOHN DAY, Sec.-Treas. Trades and Labor Council, 830 Madison St.,

TIMES IN DEMAND.

To the Editor.—I should like to state what inconvenience is caused at the public library by so few of your papers. More than one evening this week I have waited three-quarters of an hour while other gentlemen have been reading it through. Most of us want to look through the advertisements. To-night a certain gentleman was in possession of the paper for nearly an hour, while five others hung round the same table waiting their turn. Surely a half-dozen more papers could be taken in.

F. W. H. Aug. 20.

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IN THE LODGE ROOM I. O. O. F. Meetings Next Week. Monday—Colfax Sewing Circle, Victoria Lodge, No. 1. Tuesday—Colfax, Rebekah Lodge, No. 1. Wednesday—Columbia Lodge, No. 2. Thursday—Dominion Lodge, No. 4. Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1. Sister R. Hay, P. G., staff captain, wishes the members of the staff to attend a practice on Tuesday evening next at 7 o'clock. After the routine business of Colfax lodge next Tuesday evening the members will participate in the entertainment arranged by the social committee.

Try them— You'll want more! The regular meeting of the circle will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Columbia Lodge, No. 2. The first degree will be conferred next Wednesday evening in this lodge, and the team captain will be pleased to have all members of the team on hand. Returned From the East. Bro. P. W. Desjardis, grand master of the jurisdiction of British Columbia, who has been in Eastern Ontario for the past three weeks, returned to the city last Wednesday. Our Volunteers.—"My husband belongs to the Authors' Brigade. They're getting on splendidly—in fact, I believe they're going into a third edition."—Punch. Lady (engaging nurse).—"Have you had any experience with children?" Applicant—"Yes, mum. Shame. O! used to be a child myself!"

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Table with columns: Name of Owner, Description of Property, Taxes and Interest, Expenses, Total. Lists various land parcels and owners such as Wilby, H. E., Mitchell, John F., Fisher, I. J., etc.

Dated at Esquimalt, B. C., this 20th day of July, 1915. G. H. PULLEN, Collector for the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt.

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TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes sections for DEEP SEA ARRIVALS, DEEP SEA DEPARTURES, COAST SERVICES, and FERRY SERVICES.

FREIGHTER ARRIVES TO LOAD LUMBER

Grahamland, Captured by British, Will Take Cargo to England

To load 1,250,000 feet of lumber at the Cameron Lumber company for the United Kingdom the British freighter Grahamland is in port from the Falkland Islands. She was formerly the German freighter Josephine, being captured by a British cruiser when the war broke out, and towed into Port Stanley. There a crew under Capt. Weatherill was transported from Liverpool to man the vessel. She was lying in the Falkland Islands port when Admiral Sturdee's squadron conquered the German fleet. She moved to Yarrows yesterday afternoon, to be thoroughly overhauled and cleaned before proceeding to load lumber.

Owing to the heavy freight shipping on the Pacific, the British government granted the vessel for lumber trade. The crew is to be discharged in the month of July, and she was more than a month making the passage north to Victoria from the Falklands. She will proceed to Liverpool with her lumber cargo early in September.

JAPANESE SHIPYARDS BUILDING MANY VESSELS

It is stated that the output of Japanese yards during normal times is about 100,000 tons gross per annum, but so far this year contracts have been placed for no less than fifty-one steamers of 210,000 tons gross, the Osaka Iron Works having taken orders for delivery as far ahead as 1918. The orders reported to have been received this year by the various Japanese yards are:

Table with columns: Tons, No. gross. Lists yards like Mitsubishi Dockyard, Nagasaki, etc.

MANY HARVESTERS LEAVE

When the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Duncan McKenzie sailed, 100 harvesters left at 4:30 o'clock for a record passenger list for the season. A large party of men going to the harvest fields left for Prince Rupert, and will travel into the interior over the G. T. P. railroad.

TO LOAD ON SOUND

The Japanese steamer Komokita Maru, 1,322 tons, is under charter to J. J. Moore Company to load lumber at the Puget sound for San Francisco. The charter was made yesterday.

LOADING LUMBER

To-morrow afternoon the British steamer Llandudno, Capt. Owen, will have completed loading at Vancouver, and will proceed to Chemainus to load lumber for the United Kingdom.

DISCOVERER SAILS

Completing the discharging of her freight shipments at this port, the Harrison direct liner, Discoverer, left the outer docks last night for Vancouver.

TO LOAD COAL

In tow of the tug Tatoosh, the barge Acapulca left San Francisco yesterday to load bunker coal at Nanaimo.

SIMLA FOR VANCOUVER

Bound for Vancouver the oil barge, Simla, left San Francisco yesterday in tow of the tug Defiance with a cargo for the Union Oil Company.

LARGE TEA SHIPMENT ABOARD HAWAII MARU

Sado Maru Will Dock Here Next Week From Orient

Aboard the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Hawaii Maru, Capt. Sarto, en route to Victoria from the Orient, is a shipment of 2,500 tons of tea, consigned for British Columbia and Puget Sound port, according to the information brought on the Panama Maru, of the same fleet, which docked here this morning. Officers of the vessel which arrived to-day state that a very heavy Hawaii Maru, this being her maiden voyage.

Last Thursday the vessel sailed from Yokohama en route to Victoria, and she should reach here on September 1. Will arrive Wednesday.

One of the Oriental arrivals here next week will be on the Sado Maru with a capacity freight shipment. She left Yokohama on August 11, and should make Victoria next Wednesday. Some 200 tons of freight will be discharged here, and several tons at Vancouver and the Puget Sound. Twenty-five passengers will disembark here.

Awa Maru En Route The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner, Awa Maru, left Kobe to-day en route to Victoria. She will call at Yokohama previous to sailing for North Pacific ports.

Bound for the United Kingdom, the Blue Funnel liner Idomenous arrived at San Francisco yesterday afternoon. At that port she will add additional freight shipments.

Silver for Orient Included in the cargo of the Yokohama Maru, which sailed for the Orient yesterday, was a quantity of silver loaded at this port. She carried also a heavy list of passengers.

'FRISCO RESIDENT WAS MAROONED ON ISLAND

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 21.—After having been marooned for more than a month on Ocean Island, a speck of land in the South Pacific—Warren Island, former commodore of the South Coast Yacht Club of Los Angeles, and a prominent resident of that city, arrived here yesterday aboard the steamer Ventura, with his mother, Mrs. Fred W. Wood.

Peniless and unable to communicate with his family, Wood boarded the Ventura as a potato peeler. In that capacity he was enabled to continue the trip to this city as a passenger. For adventure, he boarded the British ship Kestrel. On the voyage he became involved in a quarrel with Capt. Tyndal, formerly of Vancouver, over an attack made against Wood by a cabin boy with a knife. When the vessel was near Ocean Island, Wood sneaked into the dory under cover of night, cut away the hawser, and rowed to the island, which is inhabited only by a few natives. He remained there until picked up by the Norwegian ship Thomas and was taken to Sydney.

'FRISCO MARINE NOTES

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—The Japanese training ship Taisei Maru arrived here yesterday morning on her second visit. The Taisei will be in port here two weeks before starting the homeward trip, by way of Honolulu. Three oil carriers for service on this coast and to compete with the companies already in the business, have been ordered by the Shell Oil Company to be ready for service next January. The vessels are being built at Dalrymple by Farlan & Hollingsworth, are of 8,000 tons, and are to have a carrying capacity of 60,000 barrels of oil.

The Panama-Pacific liner Finland did not arrive here from New York yesterday afternoon. On board the Finland were 250 members of Harvard clubs in the east, coming to be present at the reunion of graduates now being held here.

With a full cargo of California grain the British freighter Ventura steamed yesterday afternoon for Falmonth. On her first trip in the coal-carrying trade between Nanaimo, B. C., and this port the Pacific Mail freighter Arcton, under charter to W. R. Grace & Co., brought a coal cargo here yesterday.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time of High Water, Time of Low Water, etc. for August.

PANAMA MARU DOCKS ON TIME DESPITE FOG

Liner May Be Withdrawn When Manila Maru Enters Service

Steaming across the Pacific through a dense fog, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama Maru docked at the outer wharf shortly before nine o'clock this morning, completing a smart voyage from Yokohama under unfavorable weather conditions.

After leaving the Japanese coast, the vessel was hardly put off the mist for more than a few hours at a time. Off Cape Flattery the thickest fogs were encountered. Despite the denseness of the atmosphere Capt. Yamamoto piloted his vessel slowly up to William Head.

This is the first visit of the Panama Maru in command of Capt. Yamamoto, who replaced Capt. Kanno. The latter was granted a month's vacation. A master of one of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha fleet after being in the company's service for a period of three years, is given one month's vacation. The present master of the vessel is by no means a stranger in these waters, having made several visits here in other vessels of the company's fleet. Previous to substituting for Capt. Yamamoto was in command of one of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liners plying in Oriental waters.

May Be Final Visit. It is very probable that this will be the last visit of the Panama Maru to this port. She will be withdrawn when the Manila Maru is placed in the trans-Pacific service, and will ply between the Orient and the United Kingdom. Her route to the Old Country will be via the Suez canal, returning via the Panama canal.

Tea Shipments Heavy. A large cargo of tea forms the chief part of the cargo on the Panama Maru. She has some 1,500 tons of this commodity aboard. Another important item is a consignment of 1,718 bales of raw silk, and 22 cases of silk goods for Puget Sound. At Victoria 27 tons of freight were discharged, the remaining 1,300 tons being consigned for the mainland.

Shortly after noon the vessel left for Seattle.

LARGE TOURIST PARTY WILL EMBARK HERE

When the S. S. City of Puebla, of the Pacific Coast fleet sails on her "salt case" round-the-sound excursion she will take on one of the largest lists of tourists of the year. Up to an early hour this morning twelve persons had booked passage, and a large number have phoned the agents to reserve their passage.

The following list had registered up to this morning: Mrs. M. S. Wheatley, J. S. M. Wheatley, Mrs. Jones, Miss G. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Gaunt, B. Hunt, Miss M. Hunt, J. Warnicker, E. Goff, and Miss Anna Leonard.

At 9 a.m. to-morrow the vessel will arrive at the outer docks from 'Frisco, and after discharging her light freight shipments will embark her passengers and proceed to the Sound at 11 a.m.

MANY ATLANTIC LINERS DUE AT NEW YORK

J. G. Thompson, of the Universal Ticket Office, announced to-day the following movements of the Atlantic liners: Arrived, steamer Labrador, Liverpool, from New York; White Star line, Liverpool from New York to-day; Philadelphia, American line, due New York to-morrow from Liverpool; Olympic, White Star line, arrived New York this morning from Liverpool; Panama-Pacific line en route from Liverpool; Cunard liner, Tuscania, due New York to-day from Liverpool; Scandinavian-American line, Heligoland, due New York to-morrow from Copenhagen and Christiania; French liner La France, due New York to-morrow from Bordeaux; Holland-American liner, Amsterdam, due New York to-morrow from Rotterdam.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Aberdeen, Aug. 20.—(Special)—Sailed: Str. Coronado, for San Francisco. Mukilteo, Aug. 20.—(Special)—The str. Nome City arrived this morning from Seattle. She is loading 250,000 feet of lumber and will leave for Port Angeles where she will finish loading 500 a.m. Raymond, Aug. 20.—(Special)—Sailed: Str. Avalon, for San Francisco. San Pedro, Aug. 20.—(Special)—The str. Hazel Dollar completed discharging 500 tons of tea, 850 tons of other merchandise and 200,000 feet of hardwood logs to-day and sailed for San Francisco with the balance of her cargo, which was loaded at Oriental ports. Schr. Alpha has completed discharging her cargo of hardwood from the Philippines and will be towed to Long Beach to-morrow to go in the dry dock. She has been chartered to load lumber at Raymond for Australia. Str. Raymond arrived from Willapa harbor to-day with lumber. Str. Temple E. Dorr sailed for Grays harbor to-day.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## JACKSON SOLD TO THE WHITE SOX COMISKEY NOW AFTER FRANK BAKER

Chicago Club to Make Bid for Pennant; Cincinnati Likes Northwestern League Players.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Joe Jackson, slugging outfielder for the Cleveland American league club, was sold yesterday to the Chicago White Sox, according to announcement by C. M. Somers, owner of the club. The deal includes a cash consideration and some White Sox players.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—President Comiskey of the Chicago White Sox last night confirmed the report that he had purchased Joe Jackson, but said he would not know anything about the terms of the deal.

There is a rumor that the Chicago White Sox will have Franklin Baker for third base next season. As they acquired outfielder Jackson from Cleveland, there may be something in the Baker story.

That there is a lot of class to the Northwestern league may be judged from the fact that Cincinnati bought Ken Williams from Spokane and struck him in centerfield as a regular as soon as he reached that burg. Williams has been getting one and two hits a day since he joined the club and looks a fixture. McKenry was also sent out within a week after reporting, and the Cincinnati scribes went into raptures over his work. This league can also boast of a few high-class hurlers now taking their regular turn in Pete Schneider, Weiser Dell and Erv Kant-

leider, all of whom are hooked up with National league clubs.

Here is an expressive proof of Garry Herrmann's estimate of the Northwestern league as a training ground for young ball players. The table shows the purchases and drafts Cincinnati has made from this circuit. It follows:

Bun Johnson has issued an order that a pitcher must deliver the ball to the plate within 20 seconds of receiving it. This is calculated to hurry the game along. The umpires must have to carry a split second watch as well as their indicators.

Johnson has also issued an order forbidding ball players from writing newspaper articles. It is said that Ty Cobb has promised to give up the practice, and that any others who pursue the same course would be forced to do so.

Marshalltown, Ia., Aug. 21.—"Phil" Slattery, pitcher for the Marshalltown club of the Central Association, has been sold to the Pittsburg Nationals. The purchase price is \$1,500. Slattery was obtained early this season from the Des Moines club of the Western league.

## SPOKANE DEFEATED BEAVERS WHILE SEATTLE ALSO WON

Spokane, Aug. 21.—Noyes pitched great ball for the locals yesterday, and Spokane defeated Vancouver by a score of 1 to 1. Murphy's error in the ninth gave Vancouver a run and saved a shut-out.

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## RUGBY CLUBS TO SUSPEND SEASON

Nearly All of Victoria's Representative Players Have Enlisted; Many Athletes Fall

The secretary of the Victoria Rugby Football union, Lieut. George W. Nicholson, of the 6th Western Scouts, has compiled a very interesting report of the Rugby players of Victoria who have joined the colors, showing that the Rugby game has provided a greater percentage of its players than any other game.

Of 182 men playing senior Rugby in the 1914-15 season, 159 have since enlisted, and of that number 112 are actually at the front, having enlisted in the first contingent, the remainder having since joined the various regiments now in training.

The following are the actual numbers from each club:

Wanderers—Forty-two members, 38 enlisted including A. B. Hudson and H. Rogers (killed); D. M. Grant and Patterson (wounded); G. C. Grant (prisoner); Carstairs, Acland, Baum and other well-known players.

Law Students—Twenty-six members, 24 enlisted, including Frank Gailher and E. Hill (killed); A. and J. Milligan, Carew Martin, B. Meredith (all wounded); R. Gillespie (a prisoner); also S. Gillespie, Norris, Shires, and other well-known players.

Welsh—Forty-five members, 40 enlisted, including Sid Thomas (wounded); A. Griffiths, A. Adams, Fred Hill, Stan James, Waage-Mott.

J. B. A.—Forty-two members, 39 enlisted, including B. Scott, Matt Scott, K. McDonald, Boss Johnston, J. Houston and others.

Fifth Regiment—Twenty-seven players, 27 enlisted, including Adam Knox, A. Hebekey, Sanson, Norris, Diespecker and others.

An interesting fact is that of the fifteen members of the Victoria Representative team for the season of 1913-14, every man has enlisted with the exception of the present treasurer of the union, Arthur Hill, and he states if some medical officers would only pass him, horses and carts will not keep him back. He unfortunately suffers slightly from a strain received while playing Rugby. Cliff Kilpatrick, the well-known captain of the University fifteen that put in such a remarkable record last winter, is also an officer in the garrison, and many other University and McGill and High school boys are away fighting. The above figures are only senior players, and to include the junior grades would possibly treble the number of Rugbyists now serving. Another interesting fact is that of the 159 who have enlisted, 28 have received commissions.

The two secretaries are also doing their share like the other players. George W. Nicholson, who has held the position for the last two seasons, is now a lieutenant with the 6th Western Scouts, while his predecessor, A. D. B. Scott, has joined the Royal Irish Rifles.

From these figures it is seen that there is little likelihood of their being any senior Rugby this season, there being practically no a senior player left in the city. While nothing has been definitely decided yet, it is more than probable that there will be only the senior schools and the public schools playing Rugby while the war lasts.

## CLOSE FINISH IS LOOKED FOR IN CRICKET LEAGUE

The real fight for the Championship of the league and first possession of the Virtue challenge cup, is likely to be between the Garrison and the Albion. At the end of the present week the Albion will be level with the Garrison on points, as they have three points coming to them for the game which they should have played with Victoria A2 had that team not withdrawn from the league. The finish is likely to be a very close one.

Albion's remaining games are: Congos at Albion ground, Fifth Regiment at Work Point, Garrison at Albion ground.

The Garrison have to play the following: Victoria A1 at Work Point, Civic Athletic association at Heywood avenue.

Five C's at Work Point, Albion at Albion ground.

The Garrison, on paper, appear to have the stiffer schedule of the two, but both they and the Albion should have no difficulty in winning all their games, with the exception of that scheduled for September 11. It will probably be this game which will decide the championship, and so followers of cricket are almost assured of a sporting wind-up to the season on September 11. No matter which of these two teams wins the coveted trophy, nobody will grudge them their success, as they are without doubt the two finest teams in the city.

## PETER SCOTT WINS STAKES.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—The King George stakes of \$5,000, 2,000 trot, was won yesterday by Peter Scott Victor Star second and Duchess third. Time of third and winning heat was 2:06 1/2.

## BAYS' REGATTA MAY BE HELD IN SEPT.

Joe Wright Receives Offer From American College; Canuck Henley Officers

There is still a chance that the annual club regatta of the James Bay club will be held this month. A meeting of the regatta committee was to have been held last week, but it did not materialize, and another effort will be made to get the crews rounded up to compete for the perpetual challenge cups.

Last week at St. Catharines, Ont., at the annual meeting of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen it was announced that 154 out of an active membership of 1,391 were now serving membership at the front. The following officers were elected:

Honorary president, A. C. Macdonnell, M. P.; president, Major Heron, Toronto; first vice-president, Cameron, Ottawa; second vice-president, Controller J. E. Thompson, Toronto; hon. treasurer, Fred Carter, Toronto; hon. secretary, Walter Harris, Toronto; executive committee, W. D. Birchall (Montreal), George M. Bosworth (Montreal), Controller Reilly (Winnipeg), E. F. Selkas (St. Catharines), Joe Wright (Toronto), R. P. Sparks (Toronto), P. J. Mulqueen (Toronto), J. W. McAllister (Hamilton), T. A. Murphy (Toronto).

Although another association regatta will not likely take place until the war has ended, the paramount need of athletic training was emphasized.

It has leaked out that Joe Wright, who coached the Argonaut crews of Toronto this year with such great success, has received a big offer from the University of Pennsylvania to coach the crews there next year. Vivian Nicholas, who has been looking after their interests for the last few years, is leaving shortly for the front, and the college is anxious to sign up a new coach as soon as possible. If there is to be no Canadian Henley next year it is likely that Wright will accept the offer.

## MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Yesterday's Results.

At Philadelphia-Pittsburg, 3; Philadelphia, 4.

At New York-Cincinnati, 6; New York, 7.

At Brooklyn-Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 6.

At Boston-St. Louis, 9; Boston, 1.

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New York ..... 51 54 486

St. Louis ..... 42 60 464

Cincinnati ..... 41 59 464

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Yesterday's Results.

At St. Louis-New York-St. Louis double-header postponed, rain.

At Cleveland-Washington, 3; Cleveland, 6.

At Chicago-Boston, 4; Chicago, 1.

At Detroit-Philadelphia, 1; Detroit, 11.

Standing.

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## EXHIBITION MATCH FOR TENNIS FINAL

Splendid Progress Made Yesterday in Red Cross Tourney

Most of the matches in yesterday's play, at the Victoria Club courts, were won in straight sets, though in several notable instances, the extra set was necessary, in some cases the scores going above the ordinary before the winning count was registered. A special meeting of the Victoria club will be held shortly, when efforts will be made to arrange an exhibition match next Saturday afternoon, as a special feature of the finals in the Red Cross tournament. It is hoped to have Herbie Schwengers and A. R. MacSwain meet in a singles match that would prove a great attraction.

The complete scores of yesterday's matches follow:

Men's singles—Archibald beat Simpson, 6-0, 6-2; Walton beat McKenzie, 6-2, 6-2; Ridley beat Twigg, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; Pemberton beat Heyland, 6-3, 6-4.

Mixed doubles—Lindsay and Miss Rickaby beat Phelan and Miss Hickman, 6-2, 6-4; Wilson and Miss Hickman beat Inglis and Miss Anthony, 6-3, 6-4; Fowler and Mrs. Gow beat Thwaites and Miss Cuppage, 6-2, 6-4; Gordon and Mrs. Leeming beat Master and Miss Jones, 6-2, 3-6, 7-5.

Ladies' doubles—Miss Rose and Miss Bradford beat Mrs. Irwin and Mrs. Littleboy, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Wootton and Miss Garesche beat the Misses R. and G. Jones, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3; Miss G. Pitts and Miss D. Jones beat Miss Tuck and Miss McLeod, 6-2, 6-2.

Draw for To-day.

At 2:30 on court 1, B. Schwengers and Brown play Cove and Keefe; on court 2, Miss Appleby plays Miss Ross;

on court 3, Miss Young and Mrs. Christie play Miss R. Neame and Miss Mosher; on court 4, Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Bailey play Miss Cuppage and Miss Williams; on court 5, Dillabough and Hall play McQuade and Simpson;

on court 6, Ridley and Price play Bigwood and Renwick.

At 3:30, on court 1, Miss Ridgway-Wilson and Miss McBride play Mrs. Curtis and Miss Ashworth; on court 2, Jephson and Mrs. Turner play Mr. and Mrs. Clute; on court 3, Gordon and H. L. Smith play Inglis and Muncy;

on court 4, Cusack and Miss Tuck play Ings and Mrs. Curtis; on court 5, H. H. Brown and Mrs. Nunn play Mr. and Mrs. Garrett; on court 6, Neame and Lewin play Turner and Porritt;

on court 7, Miss Peatt and Miss Camusa play Miss Hanson and Mrs. Rowe; on court 8, W. P. and T. B. Pemberton play Terry and Forbes.

At 4:30, on court 1, C. Schwengers and Bone play Drury and Drury; on court 2, J. C. Hamilton plays Lewin;

on court 3, W. P. Pemberton plays Price; on court 4, Humphries plays L. L. Smith; on court 5, McQuade plays H. H. Jones; on court 6, J. B. MacSwain plays H. Kirkham; on court 7, Dr. Jefferson and Todd play Phillips and Todd.

At 5:30, on court 1, Brown and Miss Idiens play Capt. and Mrs. Henaman; on court 2, Mrs. Rickaby and Miss Thompson play Miss Scott and Miss Milligan; on court 3, Miss Bruce plays Miss Ridgway-Wilson; on court 4, H. L. Smith plays Inglis; on court 5, Jephson plays McKinnon; on court 6, Mrs. Cove plays Miss Tuck.

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## FIVE SENIOR TEAMS FOR TERMINAL LEAGUE

Vancouver, Aug. 21.—The annual organization meeting of the Vancouver and District league was held last evening at the Vancouver Athletic club, and the league decided to go ahead with the schedule for the coming season, the club delegates present being of the opinion that there was no better preparation for military service than occur for the young men of the city.

It looks though there will be five teams in the first division. Coquitlam, Westminster United, Longshoremen, the V. C. Electric and St. Andrew's. The two last named will be combination teams, the V. A. C. going in with the railroaders, and Cedar Cottage with the church team.

In the second division there are also five teams assured. They are Cedar Cottage, Rangers, Kitlano, Grandview, a combined team of the two North Vancouver teams, who were figured upon as a first division club, and the First Presbyterians of the Church league, whose application was accepted last night. The formal application of the postmen and firemen were not on hand, but President Leith thinks there will be eight clubs in line.

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Jubilee Hospital and Recruiting Cases; Difficulty of Securing Interests. The board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital at the meeting last evening decided to make an application to the militia department, through the D. O. C. for payment in the cases of men who entered the hospital to have minor operations performed so that they might be included in an entering the recruitment.



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## THIRTY-SEVEN WERE KILLED BY PIRATES

Sixteen Passengers on Arabic and Twenty-One Sailors Lost Lives

London, Aug. 21.—An amended list of passengers lost when the Arabic was sunk by a German submarine gives a total of 37, which, with the 21 members of the crew who were lost, places the number of dead at 58.

Dr. Edmund F. Woods and Mrs. Josephine Brugiere are the only Americans in the list of passengers.

The other passengers whose names do not appear in the list of survivors and who are believed to have perished, were all British subjects. The cabin passengers were: Miss Mary English, Mrs. Mary Eaton, Mrs. Negus, W. G. Randall, Mrs. W. G. Randall, Miss (Mrs.) Patterson, Mrs. Frank Tattersall, Mrs. John H. Neave.

The names of six steerage passengers, four women and two men also appear in the list.

The management of the White Star line telegraphed today to Captain Finch an expression of its "profound admiration of the excellent discipline and exemplary conduct of all concerned which resulted in minimizing what under other circumstances might have proved to be an infinitely greater calamity."

Queenstown, Aug. 21.—An amended list of the missing members of the Arabic's crew places the number at 21 instead of 40, as previously given.

According to the revised figures of missing passengers and members of the crew, the total death list is 37.

In accordance with instructions from the state department at Washington, the American consular office is procuring affidavits from American survivors, bearing particularly upon the assertion that no warnings were given by the German submarine which torpedoed the Arabic. Statements of that nature already have been taken from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collins, Zillah Covington and Miss E. Shrimpton.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 21.—Miss Mary English, whose name appears in the list of missing passengers of the Arabic, was a young Irish girl on her way to Salt Lake to marry T. J. Cavanaugh, of this city. Patrick Fitzgerald, also in the list of missing, was a young Irishman accompanying her to Salt Lake, where he planned to establish a home preliminary to marrying her sister, who remained in Ireland.

New York, Aug. 21.—The body of Mrs. Josephine Brugiere, one of the two Americans lost with the Arabic, has been found. The White Star line announced today. This announcement was based on a conversation it was had with Mrs. Marion Brugiere, the dead woman's daughter-in-law, who was quoted as saying she had received a telegram to that effect.

New York, Aug. 21.—A cablegram received today by the White Star line offices here stated that the bodies of two persons who were on the Arabic had washed ashore near Queenstown. One body was that of a woman, presumably a cabin passenger, and the other of a steward. The bodies had not been identified.

London, Aug. 22.—Captain Finch and the survivors of the Arabic all agree that the submarine was not sighted before the torpedo was fired. The Arabic, instead of trying to escape, had been slowed down for the purpose of ascertaining whether assistance could be given to the steamship Dunley, previously torpedoed.

British officials scout the idea that the Arabic was attempting to run the blockade. They say that by doing so Captain Finch would have been almost certain to strike the Dunley and wreck his own ship. Statements thus far received maintain without exception that no warning was given by the submarine.

## CARRIED TWO MESSAGES TO PRESIDENT WILSON

Washington, Aug. 21.—President Wilson and Secretary Lansing late today conferred over the sinking of the liner Arabic. Mr. Lansing went to the White House with two messages from Ambassador Page, which established the fact that at least 150 American passengers were missing.

It was said at the White House and the state department that further information regarding the sinking of the Arabic would be secured before the president decided the attitude of the American government.

Some of the facts already received by the state department are considered by officials as conflicting, and Secretary Lansing wants these apparent inconsistencies cleared up before proceeding.

## WALDRON'S STATEMENT

Fort Stevens, Ore., Aug. 21.—Captain Leonard T. Waldron denied that he knowingly drank an unneutral toast last evening while dining in an Astoria restaurant.

"I do not understand the German language," he said, "and I have no recollection of anything being said about Germany and the war."

## 200 ARRESTED

London, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Amsterdam today says:

"Persons arriving from Brussels report that there were 200 arrests there yesterday of Belgians who were demonstrating their grief over the anniversary of the German occupation. Places of amusement that had been closed as a sign of sorrow were forcibly reopened. Those arrested were mainly women and children."

## CLAIM SIVUTCH AND KOREETS WERE SUNK

Germans Allege They Lost Only a Torpedo Boat in Gulf of Riga

Berlin, Aug. 21.—In the official statement given out here this afternoon by the German admiralty, in which it is claimed that one German and three Russian warships were sunk and two German warships put out of commission during the naval battle in the Gulf of Riga, it is alleged that the Russian vessels which were sunk were the gunboats Sivutch and Koreets and a torpedo boat. The German ship sunk and the ones put out of commission were torpedo boats. The damaged German boat was escorted to port, it is claimed.

The Sivutch and Koreets were sister ships of 875 tons displacement. They were 215 feet long and had a beam of 36 feet. They were armed with two 4.7-inch guns and four 3-inch guns. The normal complement of each was 140 men.

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—The newspaper Russky Invalid states that the chief units of the Russian Baltic fleet are not in the Gulf of Riga, where a German fleet has entered and engaged the Russian naval defenders. The Gulf of Riga, the paper declares, is defended by mines and small warships.

## FALL OF FORTRESSES OF SMALL IMPORTANCE

Opinions Expressed by Russian Military Observers; Situation at Riga

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—Russian military observers, in their comment on the recent operations in the east, minimize the importance of the fall of the fortresses of Kovno and Novo Godevsk, which for days had been anticipated, and point with satisfaction to the heroic defence of these fortresses by the Russian garrisons. The military writers declare that Brest Litovsk is the goal of all German efforts in the central theatre of war, where, in the near future the Russians will be forced to contend against three approaching armies. The possession of this most important base is the key to the evacuation of Kovno.

To-day's official statement of the Russian war office indicates that the Austro-Germans are pressing toward Brest Litovsk from the northwest and from the south, with the evident intention of executing if possible, a flank movement to the southeast, where they already have crossed the important north-south railroad and pushed their forces well toward Plova, twelve miles east of Vlodava. The Russian defence in this direction is aided by swamps which extend far to the east of the river Bug.

Russian military men, see in the determined German efforts to push across the railway north of Brest Litovsk a plan to cut off the Russian armies based on that fortress from those operating at Plova from the south.

According to today's communication the Bialystok-Brest Litovsk railway still is in Russian hands, although furious battles are in progress in various sections.

The German lines now run approximately as follows: Beginning at the Gulf of Riga, immediately to the east of Riga they extend along the river Aa to Pomerany, then to a point east of Vilkomer, and southwest of Janow, through Osowetz, bending westward to Strokova Gura, near the intersection of the Bobr and Narew, eastward and southward along the line of the upper Narew to Strablia, at the crossing of the Bialystok-Brest Litovsk railroad, directly south of Liphitz, twelve miles north of Brest Litovsk, swinging westward around that fortress, touching the river Bug near Vlodava and extending toward Plova.

The presence of a German fleet in the Gulf of Riga, where it is co-operating with the land forces, brings the evacuation of Riga close at hand.

## ABE RUEF WILL LEAVE PRISON NEXT MONDAY

San Rafael, Cal., Aug. 21.—Abraham Ruef, once a power in San Francisco politics, was paroled today from San Quentin penitentiary by the state board of prison directors.

Ruef's parole provides that he shall go to Mendocino county, where he has a ranch, and remain there ninety days. Ruef requested that this condition be made so that he might not be charged with renewing activity in San Francisco politics, where a municipal election campaign is under way. Ruef probably will not leave San Quentin until Monday, because of delay in making out the necessary papers.

Ruef has spent four years, five months and fifty days behind prison walls. He was sentenced on March 5, 1911, to fourteen years' imprisonment, for having offered a bribe to Supervisor J. J. Pury, of San Francisco.

## RUMOR IN ROME

Rome, Aug. 21.—Italy sent an ultimatum to Turkey Thursday, according to a widely-circulated rumor here today. It is believed the reply will be satisfactory and that Italy then will declare war.

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## TWO STEAMSHIPS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

Paris, Aug. 21.—The British steamship Carterwell, registering 4,999 tons, was torpedoed by a German submarine, according to advices received here this evening. The crew was picked up by a fishing boat.

The Carterwell sailed from an American port for Havre on July 25 with a cargo of grain.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The Belgian steamer ship Daghestan has been torpedoed by a German submarine, according to advices received here. The Daghestan sailed from Philadelphia for Rouen on August 6.

## LIQUIDATOR'S LIST TOTALS \$1,300,000

Vancouver, Aug. 21.—Andrew Stewart, liquidator of the Dominion Trust company, has filed in the supreme court a list of contributors—in other words the people from whom he claims amounts of money which should, he believes, be returned to the liquidator for the benefit of creditors of the defunct company. The claims total \$1,300,000.

There are three classes. First, there are 194 shareholders from whom Mr. Stewart would like to collect \$181,900 for stock subscriptions as yet unpaid. Second, there are 195 persons who are alleged to have been paid a total of \$668,000 irregularly by the Dominion Trust in its palmy days. Finally there are 1,171 shareholders in the company from whom the liquidator would like a return of all dividends amounting to half a million dollars. The liquidator says the dividends were not earned, but were paid out of trust funds illegally.

Out of all these amounts, about 150 individual claims are for more than \$1,000 each. About half of all are in Vancouver and the remainder from places all the way across Canada and a number in the old country.

## INLAND REVENUE IN JULY WAS \$1,861,765

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—The collections of the inland revenue department for the month of July totalled \$1,861,765, as compared with \$1,748,239 for the same month last year, an increase of \$113,526. The amount collected under the new war taxes was \$22,494.

## HUNDREDS OF MEN ARE FIGHTING FIRES

Bellingham, Aug. 21.—Fanned by a northeast wind, forest fires in all parts of Whatcom county, which yesterday laid waste the sawmill town of Alki and destroyed homes near Maple Falls, Algor and elsewhere, is threatening other homes and mill property today. Mail, telephone and telegraph services have been interrupted and hundreds of men are fighting to prevent further destruction.

The damage already done is estimated at several thousands of dollars. Heroic work on the part of scores of men last night saved Whatcom and Nooks stations. It was reported this morning that the fires had broken out afresh and that the settlements were threatened. At Whatcom yesterday afternoon the fire ran four miles in twenty minutes, leveling crops and destroying small timber.

On account of the fire situation no trains are running out of Bellingham today on the Bellingham and Northern railway.

## HEARING BEGUN

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—Hearing was begun today in the United States district court on a motion to quash indictments charging Ralph K. Blair and others with recruiting men for foreign military service. Technical objections were offered to the indictments, including a contention that they did not make it appear that Great Britain and her allies were at war.

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# Financial News

## SITUATION COMPLEX IN FINANCE REALMS

Stocks Here Broke in Symmetry With Nervous Action Generally

Issues on the Victoria stock exchange went sharply lower this morning, particularly that group of more than local rate. This reflected the nervous activity and sacrificial selling of securities in the American markets for the day, where the latest war developments were construed as disrupting so far as the United States is concerned.

Grainy broke to 81 and Canadian Copper was quoted lower by five cents a share as more. As to the lower-priced mining stocks, Lucky Jim Zine went to 6.975, and Rambler, Snowstorm and Standard Lead made quick response to the unsettled feeling. Local brokerage wire connections with eastern points were almost entirely out of touch, but advices as intermittently received, were disconcerting from a stock market viewpoint.

Stock	Bid	Asked
Blackbird Syndicate	\$14.00	\$20.00
Can. Copper Co.	32	32.00
Crow's Nest Coal	28	28.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	102.00	102.00
Cornwall Gold	107	107
Granby	107	107
Int. Coal & Coke	30.00	31.00
Lucky Jim Zine	6.975	7.00
McMillan Coal	15	15
Portland Canal	31	31
Rambler	25	25
Red Cliff	25	25
Standard Lead	137	137
Snowstorm	14	14
Stewart M. & D.	75	75
Slocan Star	24	24
S. S. Island Creamery	7.75	7.75
Stewart Land	7.50	7.50
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	115.00	115.00

Stock	Bid	Asked
American Marconi	4.00	4.50
Canadian Marconi	1.50	1.50
Glacier Creek	30	30
Island Investment	22.00	22.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	20.00	20.00
P. C. Tannery	50.00	50.00
Victoria Opera House	3.00	3.00
Hywa Sound M. Co.	3.00	3.00

## MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by McDougall & Cowans.)

Montreal Aug. 20.—The market was inactive and reactionary at the opening and in sympathy with the slump on the New York exchange. This market developed a decided weakness. Canada Car opened at 99 and sagged off to 96. Steel Dominion Iron & Steel opened at 27, closing at 27. Canadian Pacific opened at 81 and closed at 80. Scotia opened at 81 and closed at 80. The market generally was weak throughout the session and the closing was at the lowest prices of the day.

Stock	Bid	Asked
B. C. Packers	142	142
Bell Telephone	145	145
Brazil	14	14
Dominion Bridge	153	153
Canada Cement	28	28
Do. pref.	301	301
Canadian Pacific	81	81
Can. Cotton, com.	28	28
Do. pref.	75	75
Crown Reserve	10	10

## METAL MARKETS

New York, Aug. 21.—Copper nominal; electrolytic, \$18.75@17.50. Iron unchanged.

## NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, Aug. 21.—Sugar futures declined on commission house selling. The closing was quiet, unchanged to 19 points lower. Sales 700 tons. September, 39 1/2; December, 39; March, 38; May, 37.

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## MEXICANS FIRED ON AMERICAN CAVALRY

Washington, Aug. 21.—A detachment of American cavalry was fired upon yesterday between Ranch Eighty and Lochiel, Ariz., by Mexicans over the border line. General Funston, in reporting the incident to the war department, said 2000 Mexicans under General Calles were at Santa Cruz near Lochiel.

## SEVERAL WAGONLOADS WERE CARRIED AWAY

Vancouver, Aug. 21.—Charged with having received a portion of the goods stolen from the Cottrell's storage warehouse at 414 Railway street, six business men were placed under arrest yesterday afternoon by detectives. They are William A. Brunnett and Eliza Good, proprietors of the Dominion hotel; Tony Cianci, proprietor of the Tourist hotel; J. D. Pearson, proprietor of the Yale hotel, and James Dillies and James Calanginis, of the Empire hotel cafe, while Demetrius Marriot, a Greek teamster, is charged with having been an accessory after the fact in connection with the \$3,000 burglary.

E. Webber and A. Miller, hold on vagrancy charges, probably will be charged with the actual theft of the goods.

The burglary, which is considered one of the most daring done in the city in recent years, took place last Monday evening or early Tuesday morning, the thieves carrying off several wagonloads of sugar, tinned milk and cream, whisky and champagne, amounting in value, it is estimated roughly, at approximately \$3,000. Goods to the value of \$1,000 have been recovered by the police, and License Inspector James Peal.

## ELEVEN LOST LIVES AT ST. LOUIS YESTERDAY

St. Louis, Aug. 21.—Eleven persons are known to have perished in the flood that swept part of St. Louis and some of the suburbs yesterday, and two persons are missing. Eleven bodies were found today. One was that of a white woman and ten those of negroes. The missing are supposed to be dead.

The storm did damage estimated at several million dollars.

## FOUND BENEATH TRESTLE

Bellingham, Aug. 21.—The body of Bernad Hillmes, a local tugboat captain, was found on the waterfront this morning under a railroad trestle. The police are working on the theory that Captain Hillmes was murdered and that his body was thrown from the bridge.

Mr. Jones was operated on for appendicitis. He was placed in a small ward to recover from the anaesthetic, his bed being between that of two patients previously operated on. As he awoke from the anaesthetic he said, "Thank heaven, that's over!" "Oh, no," said the patient on his right, "when I was operated on the doctor left a sponge and had to go back and get it out." "Yes, indeed," said the patient on the left, "and when I was operated on the doctor left the sponges and had to go back and get them." "Just then the surgeon put his head in the door and asked, 'Has anyone here seen my hat?' And Jones faints."

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## ROYAL YEAST CAKES



## SUGGESTS CLOSING NUMBER OF BY-LAWS

Small Sums Are to Be Paid Out of Revenue, and Assessments Levied; Carberry Gardens

The city engineer reported yesterday to the civic streets committee on a number of street by-laws upon which money has been expended. Recommendations that \$37 expended on A street and \$7 for teaming on Amphion street, should be paid out of revenue were adopted.

A suggestion with regard to the by-law on Fort street from Richmond road to Belcher avenue was laid over until a further report is submitted covering the encroachments. Some \$267 of the charges incurred is for surveys, etc. The recommendations with regard to the closing up of the by-law on Grant street and Bowlsby, Suffolk and Dalton streets, were laid over till next year. In the latter matter the engineer reported:

"No surface drains have been laid on Bowlsby and Suffolk streets, but surface drain on Dalton requires an extension of 85 feet to complete it. I recommend that this work be done, and the by-law closed. There is a credit of \$5,000 to be made to this by-law from rock used in 1912, and which amount has been struck off the estimates the last two years; it would, therefore, be necessary to place this amount in next year's estimates under general revenue before the by-laws can be closed. The balance recommended to be paid out of general revenue for the above by-laws is \$1,601.53, which could be paid this year or allowed in next year's estimate, as the committee sees fit."

The recommendations with regard to Ontario, Quebec and Yates streets were all approved. In the case of Ontario street the engineer recommended the payment of \$100 out of revenue, the by-law closed, and assessment made for the balance.

In the case of Quebec street, he suggested that the parties on the side where there is an encroachment should be asked to move fences back, and if satisfactory arrangements could not be made, that the by-law should be closed and assessment made against the property abutting on the improvements. He also suggested the closing of the by-law on Yates street.

There is a credit of \$4,000 to be made to Shelbourne street by-law out of general revenue before the by-law can be closed, the amount being struck off the year's estimates. The aldermen failed to reach a decision with regard to this matter, and laid it over for a week.

The committee referred back to the engineer and solicitor for further report a suggestion concerning Fisgard street, where cluster lights and a sidewalk may be needed on the south side with the early opening of the new jail.

The engineer reported with regard to the bridge in Beacon Hill park that the abutments are in good condition, but that the brick work on the crown of the arch requires re-pointing with cement mortar, and the infillings requires re-pointing. The estimated cost of removing the road material and carrying out repair work, resurfacing roadway and giving a coat of tar for waterproofing is \$260.

The work suggested will be done later in the season.

Considerable time was occupied with a deputation in regard to Carberry Gardens, the pros and cons for taking the street over being advanced by various parties. Colonel Holmes and T. A. Brady strongly favored the municipal ownership of the street, and the laying of a tar macadam paving under a local improvement scheme. The aldermen, however, deferred action on the matter till next Friday.

## TO REDUCE YOUR WEIGHT EASILY AND QUICKLY

If you are over-stout the cause of your overweightness is lack of oxygen-carrying power in the blood and faulty assimilation of food. Too little is being made into the harder tissue of muscle and too much into little globules of fat. Therefore you should correct the mal-assimilation and increase the oxygen-carrying power of the blood. To do this, go to any good drugist and get oil of orisole, only sold in original packages and in capsule form. Take one capsule after each meal and one at bedtime till your weight is reduced to what it should be on all parts of the body. The effect of oil of orisole in capsule form is remarkable as a weight reducer and it is perfectly safe.—E. J. T. Any drugist can supply you or a large size box will be sent on receipt of \$1.00. Address D. J. Little Drug Co., Box 120, Montreal, Can.

Pat saw a barbed wire fence for the first time, and eyed it with interest. "Begorra, in the old country I sat with Molly on a fence a whole hour before I dived for the question," he exclaimed; "but if I'd been stittin' on a fence like this I'd popped it in a minute!"

## NOT READY TO GO AHEAD WITH BY-LAW

Jitney Measure Will Not Be Pressed on Monday; Mr. McCallum's Position

There will be very little business before the meeting of the city council on Monday evening. The principal matter would have been that of the Hired Vehicles Consolidation by-law, amendment by-law, but Alderman McNeill is not yet ready to proceed. There is to be a conference with the jitney association next week, to discuss the terms acceptable to them, and for that purpose he will ask for additional time. Already since the tie vote of August 9 the alderman has signified his willingness to withdraw the surety bond clause, which occasioned so much objection.

An application has been made to the civic finance committee by the Victoria and Island Development association, to extend Mr. McCallum's term for two months (September and October) at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. Under the present arrangements it would expire on August 31, and the association executive thinks he can continue to do good publicity work for the city. The appropriation for this special work has not yet been expended. Last week it was tentatively proposed to continue Mr. McCallum at San Francisco during September, but whether the full term will be allowed is uncertain till the committee meets.

## APPOINTS G. GLOVER TO SUPERINTENDENCY

Civic Labor Bureau Names New Head at Meeting Yesterday

The civic labor bureau committee received the applications for the position of superintendent yesterday, and appointed from over forty applicants George Glover, who was an alderman in 1896, and school trustee in the two previous years. Mr. Glover is a well-known citizen and fitted for the position.

In the report of the retiring superintendent, W. C. Winkel, it is shown that for the six months ended July 31 there was a total registration of 2,639 men, 346 women and 49 youths of unspecified age. The monthly registrations of unemployed were as follows: January, 560; February, 547; March, 696; April, 659; May, 150; June, 262; July, 126; a total of 2,800, but 161 names were struck off the list, leaving the total number registered at the end of July, 2,639. Of this number the bureau is working at present 592.

In the six months a total of 2,364 positions, casual and otherwise, were found for unemployed persons, and it was a notable fact that but three complaints were received in that time concerning the class of labor supplied. The bureau thus saved successful applicants for work \$2,364, as no fee for securing work was charged, as is done by private employment agencies.

"I am glad to report," he says, "the acute conditions existing through the months of spring and early summer are somewhat relieved, due to the fact that so many men have left the city, some for England, some to enlist, and at present about 400 more will be leaving for the harvest fields of the Northwest. This taken together with the fact that there has been a slight improvement in the local industrial areas has relieved the pressure considerably."

"In connection with the women's department we are at present working 127 day workers and 219 have been placed in permanent positions at an average pay of \$20 per month. The average pay for female labor is 20 to 25 cents per hour."

## PUPILS SHOULD REGISTER

Class in Senior Matriculation Will Be Formed at High School After Labor Day

The principal of the high school wishes all pupils qualified to enter the advanced course, junior grade, second year commercial, and junior matriculation classes, to register on Monday morning at 10 o'clock, and all other pupils, including those who have recently passed the entrance examinations, to register in the afternoon at 1.30.

A class in senior matriculation will be formed after Labor day. Senior matriculation is equivalent to the first year arts' course of an university, and is accepted by the education department in place of the senior grade course. A student who completes senior matriculation can enter the second year of an university, and with normal training can secure a first class teachers' certificate. In order to enter the senior matriculation class, students must have completed junior matriculation, or must complete it in the September examinations.

"The palm for absent-mindedness," says a Princeton man, "is probably due to a learned German professor on the faculty of my university. One day this professor noticed his wife placing a large bouquet on his desk. 'What does that mean?' he asked. 'Why,' she exclaimed, 'don't you know this is the anniversary of our marriage?' 'Ah, indeed, is it?' said the professor, politely. 'Kindly let me know when yours comes round, and I will endeavor to reconsecrate the favor.'"

## FROM THE ORIENT TO YOUR TEA-TABLE

THE FRAGRANT AROMA SECURE IN THE SAFETY OF THE SEALED

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## WELL-KNOWN WRITER TO SPEAK IN CITY

Mrs. Nellie McClung Will Address Public Meeting Here on Monday Night

Mrs. Nellie McClung, one of the most widely-known of Canadian women writers of fiction, and a speaker of international reputation, will address a public meeting to be held at 8 o'clock on Monday night at the Skating Arena, the Willows.

Intensely earnest and sincere in all that she does, there is purpose even in the humor which runs like a silver current in her writings and sayings alike. A native of Chatsworth, Ont., she came west when six years of age. She went through school, then took up teaching for five years. Then she was married. A contemporary, writing in a recent issue of Maclean's Magazine says:

"Between rearing and educating five young McClungs, she wrote, and latterly she has gone in for politics. Working on a temperance platform she recently stumped the whole of Manitoba against the Roblin government, holding several enormous meetings, the novel part of which was that people paid fifty cents to hear her speak. . . . A writer says of her: 'Few of the daughters of Eve have been so endowed by nature with every gift of mind and body as this idol of the west. Famous as an author, renowned as a public speaker, esteemed as a wife and mother, and admired as a beautiful and

Graceful and gracious woman, all this and much more is Mrs. Nellie McClung—the woman in Canadian politics."

Mrs. McClung's best known book is perhaps "Sowing Seeds in Danny," but besides this she has written "The Second Chance" and "The Land of the Gopher." She believes in the total suppression of the liquor traffic, and the political enfranchisement of women.

## "THE SLEEPING BEAUTY"

Charming Entertainment Given at Cordova Bay for Blue Cross Fund.

At the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. French, Cordova Bay, an "entertainment" was given on Thursday evening in aid of the Blue Cross fund, the sales and collection taken on this behalf totalling \$26.15. The entertainment was given by a number of children, the principal feature being the sketch, "The Sleeping Beauty," for which they had been trained by Miss Clowse. The characters were as follows:

King, Marjory Cuthbert; Queen, Bessie Johns; Prince, Elizabeth Cuthbert; Infant Princess, Baby Clowse; Princess, Phyllis Knapman; nurse, Alice Howard; Nettletooth (wicked fairy), Leta French; rose, Lily and crocus (fairies) Clara French, Edith Howard and Alex. Bradshaw; other fairies, Maxine McMartin, Pidgeon Cuthbert, Norah Scott, Hilda Scott, Gail Howard.

The programme was completed with recitations and songs.

"Madam," said the tattered and torn supplicant to the benevolent lady who answered his timid rap at the door, "have you any old clothes you can spare for an unfortunate victim of the great war?" "I think I have, my poor man, but how does this happen? You cannot have been in this war surely?" "No, madam," humbly replied the sufferer; "but my wife has sent all my clothes to the Belgians."



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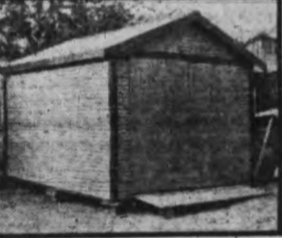
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A school-girl was required to write an essay of 250 words about a motor car. She submitted the following: "My uncle bought a motor-car. He was riding in the country when he busted up a hill. I think this is about fifty words. The other 200 are what my uncle said when he was walking back to town, but they are not fit for publication."

## GIFT OF RAZORS TO GO TO SOLDIERS

Hardware Firms Ready to Receive Second-Hand Razors to Send Next Week

When the collection of razors for the next week for shipment to the master cutter at Sheffield, it is hoped that there will be something in the neighborhood of a thousand from the men of Victoria as a gift to the soldiers at the front. All the hardware firms in the city have been taking old razors from any of their patrons who have taken the trouble and interest to look over their private collection. And although the total number deposited will not be known until all the gifts have been collected into one consignment, it is estimated that the hardware stores and other collectors combined will have sufficient to make up a creditable shipment from the city.  
 Hardware dealers have collected to date as follows:  
 R. A. Brown & Co., 39; Drake Hardware Co., 19; Fernwood Hardware Co., 25; Griffin & Son, 8; Halliday's, 40; Hickman Tye Co., 15; Oak Bay Hardware Co., 12; George Powell & Son, 52; E. G. Prior & Co., 48; Shore Hardware, 55; Victoria Hardware, 25; West End Hardware, 4.  
 Arrangements are being made by the Drake Hardware Company to collect all razors early next week to ship to headquarters.

"What did Noah live on when the flood had subsided and his provisions in the ark were exhausted?" asked a Washington Sunday school teacher of her class. "I know," squeaked a little girl, after the others had given up. "Well, what?" inquired the teacher. "Dry land."

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## CONCERT IN AID OF PATRIOTIC FUND

Attractive Programme at the Lampson Street School Last Evening; Money Needed

A very attractive programme was given at the assembly room of the Lampson Street school last evening in aid of the Victoria District Patriotic fund. As chairman of the B. C. branch of the Canadian Patriotic fund, his honor the lieutenant-governor presided, and spoke briefly as to the aims, objects, and attainments of the fund. The programme was organized and arranged by Mrs. R. H. Pooley and Lieut. Craddock, and was of high order, practically all the numbers being heartily enjoyed.

The patriotic fund was organized at the outbreak of the war by H. R. H. the governor-general, said his honor. The object was to have an organization supported by public contributions which could take care of the dependents of married men enlisting. The militia department allowed a separation allowance to the wife of each soldier, irrespective of the number of children in the family. This had been a stimulus to recruiting, as it was a comfort to the soldiers to feel that their dependents were being looked after. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment would be handed to the officers of the fund.

Proceeding Mr. Barnard gave some figures of the fund. At the present time in all Canada the disbursements had reached about \$250,000 monthly, or \$7,500 a day. In British Columbia alone the fund was contributing to the support of nearly 1,700 families, and during June paid out about \$1,000. At the rate of increase in recruiting there would be a demand for perhaps \$50,000 a month. The total amount paid out in this province to date was approximately \$200,000. Should the war last another year the estimated requirement for the province would be about \$500,000. Of this amount \$150,000 might be depended on from money on hand and from monthly contributions. It would be necessary to raise about \$350,000 of \$400,000 yet in the event of the war lasting another twelve months.

In concluding his honor urged that it would be well to make provision for the needs of the future. The programme opened with an orchestral selection by the Rodd Hill and Belmont batteries which was much appreciated. The Arton club was present, and conducted by Frank Sehl, gave splendid renderings of such favorites as "O Canada," "Archer's Marching Song," "Chorus from Faust," "The Herd," "The Elf Man," "The Elf Man," and "Dudley Buckle." The solo number to the last group was the "Soldiers' Farewell" from Faust. The choir was in excellent voice, and filled the hall with harmony. The comic sketch, "Our New Band," kept the audience in a state of constant laughter, the actors being Lieut. A. E. Craddock, Cpls. Regan and McInnes, and Gnsrs. P. G. Cox, A. G. Cox, and F. B. A. Punnett. The staging was very simple, and the entertaining quality of the act was entirely dependent on the ability of the actors. The vocalists were Mrs. R. H. Pooley, who gave a very stirring rendering of the well-known recruiting song, "Your King and Country Need You," which followed the popular Irish ballad, "Where the River Shannon Flows." The audience joined heartily in the chorus of the first number. Miss Eva Hart delighted her hearers with her happy interpretation of "What's in the Air" which succeeded the more touching "Voices of Home," exquisitely sung. "Gin a Body" was sung as an encore. Mrs. Harry Briggs was heard to unusual advantage in the fine song, "There is a Land" and the beautiful encore number, "At Dawning." The numbers by Mrs. Roy Troup suited her buoyant soprano well, and were given a splendid reception. Lieut. Craddock, with his chorus of male voices, furnished some trepidation with his entertaining version of "Who's Your Lady Friend." R. B. McKenzie



BABY TILNEY.

## "fell away to a skeleton"

Mrs. E. A. TILNEY, of 5, Rhyme Road, Lewisham, S.E., says:—"My little boy was suffering from wasting, and fell away to a skeleton. His bones were coming through the skin, so that he was obliged to be wrapped in cotton wool and sweet oil. He was so thin it seemed impossible he could breathe. His stomach even refused the white of egg and water ordered by the doctor. He could take nothing. The doctor ordered Virol to be given alone on a dummy. He started to recover and was reared on Virol only—without even milk, which he could not take. He is now a splendid boy, as you will see by the photo above. The doctor says he has never seen such a marvelous change."

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song "My Moon" followed by the delightful "Three Things," which was very pleasing. Gunner Fowler was in good voice, and "The Cossack" suited admirably. In the big audience present were representatives of practically every military unit in the city.

## TO REACH TWENTY THOUSAND PEOPLE

Development Association Beginning Campaign to Introduce Victoria to Tourists

The Victoria and Island Development association intends in the next month to reach twenty thousand residents of Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba and to inform all those people of the advantages of living in Victoria during the fall. It is the intention of the association to inform the wealthy farmers and those able and wishing to escape the rigors of winter that they can have a winter holiday in Victoria that will be better than anything elsewhere for comfort, accommodation, winter enjoyment and climate. The commissioner has developed an economical and direct method of reaching the twenty thousand persons in the three provinces, and before the snow flies they will have in their hands literature of bright winter skies, and other attractions of Victoria. There were several inquiries at the office of the Victoria and Island Development association this morning in regard to the Dominion government bulletin on the growing of medicinal herbs in Canada, and the commissioner has hurried off another inquiry to Ottawa for bulletins to supply the information for those interested. There is one firm in Victoria making a beginning in this culture. That the apparently waste land on Vancouver Island, land that has not as yet been found suitable for cultivation of crops, may be useful for growing something that will be revenue-producing, was testified to today by Thaddeus Lane, of Spokane, who is spending the summer here. He illustrated very clearly the possibilities of certain land he saw at the northern part of Vancouver Island when he made a trip by automobile to Campbell river. Mr. Lane was reminded by the sandy nature of the soil of a tract of land which he owns in the United States, and which was apparently good for nothing. It would not grow grain. On the belief that it was not waste land, and must be made to produce something, he wrote to one of the principal university chemistry departments, sending a sample of the "land," and asked for an analysis and a report from the agricultural branch of what would be the best thing to plant on it in quantity. The report advised that the land was suitable for gherkins, and from a waste land community Mr. Mr. Lane says the whole of the country in four years was a gherkin producing country. There was three years of pioneer work done on the land. The first year the gherkins were allowed to stay just too long before they were picked, and the second year the growers were unprepared for an attack by a horde of worms which ate the gherkins before

they were ready for picking. The third season, he said, they were ready for everything and got a net return, after investment charges, superintendence, and labor, of \$135 per acre. From that demonstration the whole countryside turned to growing gherkins, and in many places farmers made a comfortable income from a few acres. Mr. Lane says first mistakes may be avoided and much profit obtained by beginning in the right way. He recommends the first cost as the least, and advises the employment of a qualified agriculturist the first year, after having discovered what the ground is suitable for. There is much land that can be used for something, but the first thing, he says, is to find out what it is and then get expert advice for the first year.

## ORDER OF CEREMONIAL FOR CONSECRATION

Ceremony of Consecration of Bishop on Tuesday Morning; Enthronement in Evening

The order of ceremonial for the consecration of the venerable Augustine Soriven, M. A., as Bishop of British Columbia, has been announced. The ceremony will take place on St. Bartholomew's Day, Tuesday, August 24, at 10.30 a.m., in Christ Church cathedral, following early celebrations of the holy communion at 7 and 8 a.m., and morning prayer at 9 a.m. The following is the order of ceremonial:  
 Processional hymn 34.  
 Holy communion—Celebrant, the Lord Bishop of Caledonia, Metropolitan of British Columbia.  
 Epistle—The Bishop of Honan.  
 Gospel—The Bishop of Yukon.  
 Sermon by the Rev. F. L. Stephenson, rector of St. Peter's, Quamichan, B.C.  
 Presentation of the bishop-elect by the Bishop of New Westminster and the Bishop of Kootenay.  
 Then shall be read by the Chancellor of the Diocese of British Columbia:  
 (a) Record of election by Synod of Diocese of British Columbia.  
 (b) Certificate of metropolitan of the province of the due carrying out of the provisions of the constitution of the provincial synod of British Columbia.  
 (c) Certificate of the primate of the approval of the election in accordance with Canon II. of the diocese of British Columbia.  
 Litany—Rev. J. W. Flinton.  
 Questions to the bishop-elect.  
 Anthem, "O Taste and See" (Goss).  
 The bishop-elect retires to put on the rest of the episcopal habit.  
 Veni Creator Spiritus 435, clergy and people singing alternate lines.  
 Consecration.  
 Offertory hymn 485.  
 The offerings will be devoted to the diocese of British Columbia.  
 Prayer for the church militant—The metropolitan.  
 Hymn after the blessing, 288.  
 Recessional hymn 357.

The order of service for the enthronement, installation and induction of the newly-consecrated Bishop of Columbia will take place at 8 o'clock on the evening of the same day, in Christ Church cathedral. The procession will be formed in the vestry, and will proceed down the side aisle to the west door of the cathedral. On the bishop's arrival he will knock for admittance. The metropolitan, the visiting bishops, the Very Reverend the Dean of Columbia and the chapter of the cathedral, being assembled together with the other members and the churchwardens of the cathedral, the question will be put by the dean:  
 "Who is there?" On receiving the answer, "The Lord Bishop of British Columbia, who prays the dean of his cathedral to enthrone him," the door will be opened by the dean, the bishop will enter and will proceed up the centre aisle with the procession.  
 Hymn 533 from the Book of Common Prayer will be sung as the processional hymn. After arriving at the chancel all will take their allotted places, the Bishop of British Columbia standing before the steps of the chancel.  
 Before administering the oath of allegiance and of supremacy the chancellor will read the act of consecration and the mandate for the enthronement. The chancellor shall then receive the solemn promise to defend the rights and privileges of the cathedral.  
 This being given the dean will conduct the bishop to his throne, and the service will conclude with the doxology and order of evening prayer, with a short address and the benediction.

**SUNSET'S GENIAL SONS.**  
 "We all have our favorite hours, just as we have our favorite days of the week and our favorite times of the year," says the London Spectator. "Certain hours and seasons and days are not much liked by anyone."  
 "No one enjoys the middle of the night. Our only wish is to be unconscious of it, our only association with it one of weariness and anxiety. Friday is nobody's favorite day. 'Friday-faced' in Elizabeth's time was still an expression for sour-looking. The Puritans in endeavoring to abolish Friday may be said to have cheered the week only unfortunately they inoculated Sunday with a little of Friday's melancholy. We think the least agreeable hours are those from luncheon to bedtime, except for those who have sufficient leisure and lack of principle to sleep through them. Resistance to the temptation to take forty winks grows harder with the years. But outside these generally unpopular times and seasons there are as many opinions as individuals. Where sleep is concerned one hour before midnight is supposed to be worth two after it, and there are certain lovers of morning who feel that the hours before noon as worth double those which succeed the meridian.  
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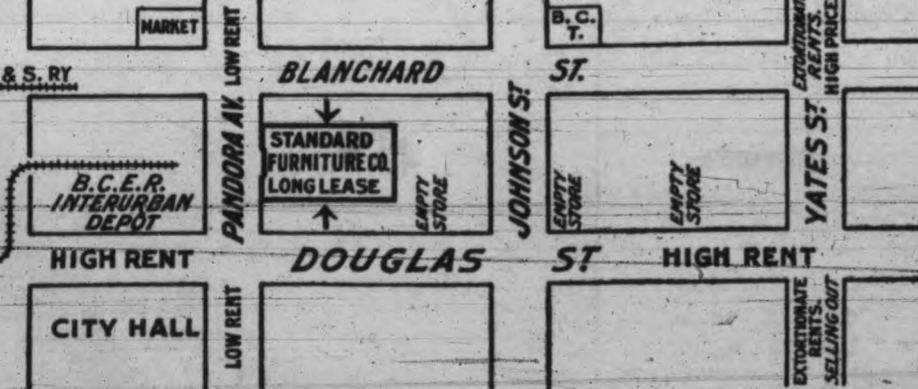
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