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TRIAL IN PETROGRAD OF GENERAL SUKHOMLINOFF.
A sentry with fixed bayonet guarding Gen. and Mrs. Sukhomlinoff during the trial of the two. They were charged with high treason, fraud, and breach of trust. The former Minister of War was sentenced to hard labor for life.

TANKS BREAK ENEMY LINES

London, Nov. 21.—In one of his longest communiques, Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, Commander of the British troops in France, thrilled the British nation today with news of perhaps the most striking victory yet achieved on the western front, and certainly, owing to the novel phases of the British attack, a victory reviving hope at a very gloomy period.

"The Hindenburg line smashed," was the giant caption in the evening papers and aptly focuses the point engaging public interest nnd attention, and although there was no bell-ringing or other marked sign of public jubilation, wherever men gathered together there was acclamation of the brilliant accomplishment of Field Marshal Haig and Gen. Byng and discussion of the surprising features of the attack—first, its secrecy and surprise to the enemy; second, astonishment at the number and novel employment of tanks; third, the absence of artillery preparation and the customary barrage fire to assist the infantry advance; and fourth there were many guesses why the tremendous German defensive organizations in the attacked area, in the words of one commentator, "melted away" before the British onslaught.

Everywhere the victory was heralded as the forerunner of still bigger things, and the question "what next?" is on everybody's lips. General Byng is the hero of the hour—the honor of planning and carrying out the unique stroke belongs to him—and his picture and a sketch of his career appears in all the papers.

The Hindenberg or Siegfried line was believed by the Germans to be strong enough to hold back the world armies. Its triple cordon of three separate trench systems had a central line with openings at frequent intervals, making it unnecessary for the troops to move above ground, thus keeping the garrison safe under the heaviest gunfire. It is believed that much of this tunnel now is in the possession of the British.

The Win-the-War Union Committee Rooms are situated on Third St., opposite the Royal Bank of Canada, and are open every evening. Everyone interested in the Win-the-War Union Government is welcome to attend the Rooms, whether Liberal or Conservative. Party lines are discontinued until the end of the war.

The ladies of St. George's Presbyterian Church will hold an Apron Sale and Afternoon Tea on Wednesday afternoon, November 28, from 3 to 6. Tickets for the Afternoon Tea 15 cents.

GIRL FARMERS.
Demonstrating at the Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, Mass., that girls as well as men can handle modern farm machinery, Miss Miller worked all last summer at the Vassar College Farm of 700 acres, near Poughkeepsie.

TOWN TOPICS

Mrs. Simms, teacher of pianoforte, prepares pupils for examinations, elementary and advanced. Phone 37. P. O. Box 353, Cumberland.

FOR SALE—Five room house with hot and cold water. Apply to William Potter.

O. B. Shoebotham, of Vancouver, and Richard Wallace, of Nanoose Bay, were visitors here by auto on Monday.

C. D. Hobbs, of Victoria, purchasing agent of the Canadian Collieries was here on an official visit on Wednesday.

C. H. MacIntosh of the pay roll department of the Canadian Collieries, left for Nanaimo on Friday.

Frank Sawford, electrical engineer of the Canadian Collieries at Union Bay, was here on an official visit on Wednesday.

Cumberland Victory Loan Campaign is nearing the $25,000 mark.

Cumberland Military Tribunal to date has dealt with 91 cases. Of this total 67 were allowed, 10 referred to the Medical Board and 14 disallowed.

Mrs. James Hood returned home from a visit to Peachland on Thursday evening, accompanied by her son and father and mother, who expect to make Cumberland their home.

Dance as usual in Ilo Ilo Hall tonight. Do 12.

Don't forget the Cumberland Follies will give one of their famous concerts in the Ilo Ilo Theatre on Friday, November 27th, at 8 p.m., with new songs, new costumes, new music, and new scenery and all the latest Broadway hits. Those who are able to judge say that this concert will be better than ever. Prices: main floor, 30 cents; gallery, 40 cents; box seats, 50 cents. After the concert a dance will be held in tne Ilo Ilo Dance Hall with prices as usual. It is expected that a four piece orchestra will supply the music for this dance.

W. N. Carty, of Vancouver, returning officer for the electoral district of Comox-Alberni, arrived on Monday and remained at the Court House, Cumberland, from noon to 2 p.m., of the same day, and received the following nominations for the coming federal elections: Herbert Sylvester Clements, Win-the-War, Union Candidate, and William Wallace Burns McInnes, Liberal Candidate. There were only a few present to hear the result of the nominations. The election will take place on Monday, December 17th, between the hours of 9 a. m., and 5 p.m., at the Provincial Court House, Cumberland, being the polling station for Cumberland, Bevan, Minto and Royston to Trent River.

There are rumors in the air that one of our prominent citizens may be persuaded to run for the office of Mayor in the coming Municipal Elections.

H. S. CLEMENTS.
Win-the-War Unionist Candidate for the Electoral District of Comox-Alberni, and who will address a Public Meeting in the Ilo Ilo Theatre on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28th. George H. Cowan, of Vancouver, will also address the electors at the same meeting.

The Imperial Oil Company's Warehouse at Royston is nearing completion. The tanks are expected to be in position by the end of the year when gasoline and oil will be ready for distribution.

Miss C. E. Florence Loring, of Minto, and Mr. Joseph Shaw of the same place, and formerly of Cumberland, were united in marriage at Nanaimo on Wednesday evening.

The ladies of St. George's Presbyterian Church will hold an Apron Sale and afternoon tea in the church on Wednesday. Tea will be served between the hours of 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Price 15 cents.

Service and Holy Communion will be held in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Rev. Archdeacon Collison, preacher.

Today's program at Ilo Ilo Theatre, "The Field of Honor," with Louise Lovely, an Eddie Lyons comedy, and a screen magazine.

Miss Ruth Clinton, daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Clinton, of this City, has been asked to accept the position of night superintendent at the Jubilee Hospital of Victoria, and has temporarily accepted. Miss Clinton left on Monday to assume her new duties. There is great credit due this popular young lady in meriting such a promotion. It will be remembered that Miss Clinton went to the Jubilee Hospital to receive her training.

London, Nov. 22.—The six-mile wedge driven into the German defences in the British offensive on the Arras-St. Quentin front is penetrating still deeper and spreading out, Reuter's correspondent at British Headquarters in France telegraphs to-day.

The MINISTER OF FINANCE offers for Public Subscription

Canada's Victory Loan

Issue of

$150,000,000 5½% Gold Bonds

Bearing interest from December 1st, 1917, and offered in three maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber, as follows:

5 year Bonds due December 1st, 1922
10 year Bonds due December 1st, 1927
20 year Bonds due December 1st, 1937

This Loan is authorised under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest are a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.
The amount of this issue is $150,000,000, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid by the surrender of bonds of previous issues. The Minister of Finance **however, reserves the right to allot the whole or any part of the amount subscribed in excess of $150,000,000.**

The Proceeds of this Loan will be used for War purposes only, and will be spent wholly in Canada.

Principal and Interest payable in Gold
Denominations: $50, $100, $500 and $1,000

Subscriptions must be in sums of $50 or multiples thereof.

Principal payable without charge at the Office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the Office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Victoria.

Interest payable, without charge, half-yearly, June 1st and December 1st, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Bearer or Registered Bonds

Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable, or payable to bearer, in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued after allotment in exchange for provisional receipts. When these scrip certificates have been paid in full, and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer, or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of interim certificates and of definitive bonds will be made through the Chartered Banks.

Bearer bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of $50., $100., $500., and $1,000. and may be registered as to principal only. Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of $1,000., $5,000. or any authorized multiple of $5,000.

Subject to the payment of 25 cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons, will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of $1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons, at any time, on application to the Minister of Finance.

Surrender of Bonds

Holders of Dominion of Canada Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, and bonds of the three preceding Dominion of Canada War Loan Issues, have the privilege of surrendering their bonds in part payment for subscriptions to bonds of this issue, under the following conditions:—

Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, at Par and Accrued Interest.
War Loan Bonds, due December 1st, 1925, at 97½ and Accrued Interest.
(The above will be accepted in part payment for bonds of any of the three maturities of this Issue)

War Loan Bonds, due October 1st, 1931, at 97½ and Accrued Interest.
War Loan Bonds, due March 1st, 1937, at 96 and Accrued Interest.
(These will be accepted in part payment for bonds of the 1937 maturity ONLY of this Issue.)

Bonds of the various maturities of this issue will, in the event of future issues of like maturity, or longer, made by the Government, other than issues made abroad, be accepted at par and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash for the purpose of subscription to such issues.

Issue Price Par

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

Payment to be made as follows:

10% on December 1st, 1917	20% on March 1st, 1918
10% on January 2nd, 1918	20% on April 1st, 1918
20% on February 1st, 1918	20% on May 1st, 1918

A full half year's interest will be paid on 1st June, 1918.

The Bonds therefore give a net interest yield to the investor of about:

5.61% on the 20 year Bonds
5.68% on the 10 year Bonds
5.81% on the 5 year Bonds

All payments are to be made to a Chartered Bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a Chartered Bank. Any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will forward subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied toward payment of the amount due on the January instalment.

Subscriptions may be paid in full on January 2nd, 1918, or on any instalment due date thereafter under discount at the rate of 5½% per annum. Under this provision payments of the balance of subscriptions may be made as follows:

If paid on January 2nd, 1918, at the rate of 89.10795 per $100.
If paid on February 1st, 1918, at the rate of 79.46959 per $100.
If paid on March 1st, 1918, at the rate of 59.72274 per $100.
If paid on April 1st, 1918, at the rate of 39.90959 per $100.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof. The books of the Loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.
Applications will be made in due course for the listing of this issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Subscription Lists will close on or before December 1st, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
OTTAWA, November 12th, 1917.

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No Gas. No Danger. No sickly after-effects.

Examinations Free. Strictly High-class Dentistry with specialization of Plate, Crown and Bridge work.

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DR. R. A. McALISTER

DENTAL SURGEON

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1917

SAVING FOR THE VICTORY LOAN.

Every citizen is probably ready to accept the abstract principle that the practice of thrift and economy, with the object of accumulating the wherewithal for purchasing war bonds, is good for his compatriots; but not all of us have applied that principle to our personal affairs to the extent that is desirable. It may not then be out of place to briefly outline practicable methods of saving by which each one may get together some additional dollars or hundreds of dollars for the admirable purpose of lending to the Government. When the way is thus plainly charted, refusal to take it is more likely to involve us in trouble with our respective consciences.

The expenditures of individual income producers are mainly under the following heads: rents, board or interest on mortgages; semi-capital outlay on such things as house furniture, pianos, victrolas, motor cars, etc., wages paid to domestic or personal servants, provisions, amusements, and the outlay on tobacco, beer and spirits; holidays or vacation. Probably if any of us sit down and severely analyze the personal expenditures as above classified, we should find a field for war loan savings under several of the heads. In view of the urgency of the Allies' need of funds it is essential that everyone overhaul the expense account with the object of saving every possible dollar for supporting our great cause. It has become bad form during the past three years to give ostentatious or expensive entertainments and social functions; and similarly, our amusements, recreations, holidayings, have taken on a soberer aspect. A certain amount of expenditure in this line is necessary in order to sustain health and maintain productive capacity. It is for each one of us to say to his conscience that his outlay for such purposes cannot be further reduced without injury to health or impairment to energy. If we cannot say this, there is only one thing to do—and that is to apply the knife and divert the salvaged funds into the war loans. As regards the outlay on provisions and the expenditures on tobacco, beer, whiskey, wine, etc., we should have the courage to apply the same rule. In the cases of the poor and of the people of moderate means, the high prices have already forced them to practice the severest economy in connection with their expenditures for provisions—but the well-to-do and the rich can, in some instances, do good service to their country and mankind through further regulation of the kind referred to.

To get good results and to make healthy or satisfactory recoveries from the expense account, which will be available for war loan subscriptions, it is necessary to have the hearty co-operation of the female members of the family. In many households it is the case that the women are more enthusiastic savers than the men, and far more ready to cut out the expenditure on non-essentials; and in the households where they still spend money freely for things they could do without, it is probably because they do not realize the grave issues that are at stake, and the great importance of having every family conserve its monetary resources.

Self-denial in the matter of buying new furniture, pianos, autos, etc., if generally or universally practised, would give the Finance Minister many additional millions of dollars for carrying on the war. With respect to automobiles used for pleasure it is not only the capital expenditure that is lost to the national expenditure, but also the cost of operating or running the cars. For instance, if a well-to-do citizen enters into an agreement with his conscience that owing to the war he will postpone for two years the purchase of a $2,000 car, perhaps the loyal observance by him of this agreement would set free $3500 in the two years for war for war loan purchases. To a certain extent this applies to purchases of furniture, etc. In view of the sacrifices made every day by the members of our expeditionary forces, it should not seem hard for "stay-at-homes" to defer for a year or two the purchase of new furniture or other items not absolutely necessary. A careful analysis in each individual case of the several subdivisions of personal expenditures, if undertaken in the right spirit by a million Canadian families, might lead to the provision of an extra $100,000,000 in the course of a year for war purposes.

UNIONIST MEETING

Will be Held in the

Ilo Ilo Theatre

ON WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28

Cgmmencing at 8 o'clock p.m.

H. S. CLEMENTS, Union Win-the-War Candidate, and GEORGE COWAN, K.C., will address the Electors.

Campbell's

BLANKETS, COMFORTERS and PILLOWS

All Wool White Blankets, large size, at $8.50 per pair.

Grey Wool Blankets, large size, at $6.50 pair.

Eiderdown Comforters, full sized, fancy sateen covered, at $11.00 each.

Fancy sateen covered Comforters, cotton batting filled, at $4.00 and $5.00 each.

Feather Pillows, at $1.25 each.

Special Value in Marcell's White Bedspreads, from $3.00 to $8.50.

LADIES' FALL COATS

Newest styles in Ladies Fall Coats in Tweeds Chinchillas, Beaver and English Whitney Cloths.

FURS AND FUR SETS

Ladies' Stoles and Sets in American Fur Sable at popular prices. Also Fur Sets of Mink, Marmot and White Russian Fox. Children's Fur Sets in White Hare and White Thibet.

Sole agents for Invictus Shoes---"The Best Good Shoe for Men and Women."
Also C/C a La Grace Corsets, a model to suit any figure always in stock.
A shipment of Men's Sweater Coats, and Cloth and Tweed Overcoats to hand.

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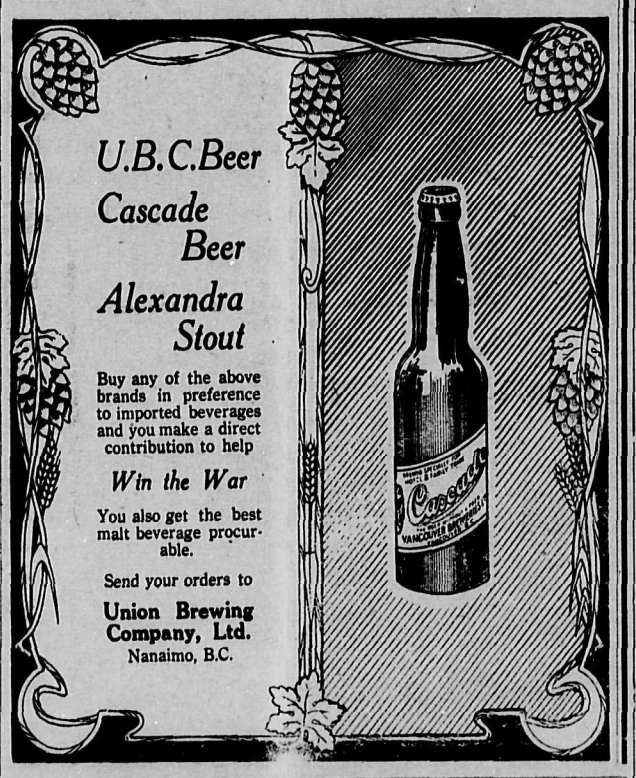

ILO ILO THEATRE

SATURDAY, NOV. 24TH.

"The Field of Honor"

Coming Monday.

Bluebird Photoplay with Dorothy Phillips in the Lead

"The Rescue"

Feature Films That Have Been Booked to Come Soon—"THE MANXMAN," "FLAME OF THE YUKON," and "FREEDOM OF THE WORLD."

Canada's Victory Bonds

It is a National duty to subscribe for Canada's Victory Bonds.

This Bank will accept Victory Bonds to the amount of $1,000 from any one person for safe-keeping for one year without charge.

Loans will be made to wage earners on favourable terms for the purchase of Victory Bonds.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

CUMBERLAND BRANCH. A. J. BURNSIDE, Manager.

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Materials used daily in the telephone business have increased in price between August 1st, 1914, and September 14th, 1917, as follows:

Glass insulators, 51%; Galvanized ground rods, 76%; Lead-covered cable, 94%; Rubber-covered telephone wire, 41%; Dry batteries, 76%; Telephone instruments, Pole line hardware, 123%; Tools, 55%.

These are merely a few items selected from a list of more than 600 articles of materials used in the telephone business. Nowhere on the entire list of materials used by the telephone company is there an article that has not increased in price since the war began. Some otxer materials and commodities you use were going skyward in price on account of the war.

Telephone Rates Have Still Remained the Same!

Have you ever considered the fact that, compared with the prices you are paying for everything else,

Telphone Service is Comparatively Cheaper Today Than Anything Else You Use.

British Columbia Telephone Co., Ltd.

Do you realize the Comfort, the Convenience, the Cleanliness, and the Real Economy of Electricallv heated household appliances?

And do you know that you can have them as willing servants to do your bidding, ironing, cooking, and heating.

Look over the following list of Electrically heated appliances.

Here are a few of the comfort makers:—

ELECTRIC BOILER, for handy or quick hot drinks in the evening.

ELECTRIC PERCOLATOR, you never tasted such good coffee.

ELECTRIC TOASTER, which saves running back and forth to the kitchen for breakfast toast.

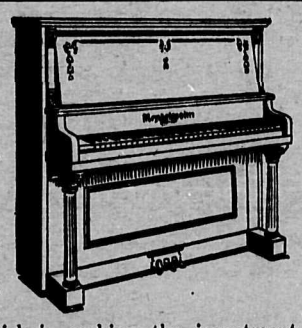
ELECTRIC CHAFING DISH, which makes it so easy to entertain evening parties.

But anyhow have the "MISSUS" enjoy one of our famous UNIVERSAL ELECTRIC IRONS which save so much DRUDGERY.

We will be pleased to give you easy payments on any of the above appliances. See us about it now.

Cumberland Electric Lighting Co., Ltd.
Phone 75 P. O. 314

PIANO DEPEND-ABILITY



When you buy a Piano there is a wealth of satisfaction in knowing that the instrument you select is absolutely dependable; that you run no risk in making the investment. You will feel this way if you decide on the

Gerhard-Heintzman

The Gerhard-Heintzman Piano is known from end to end of Canada for its wonderful rich, lasting tone, the durability of its workmanship, the artistic beauty of its case architecture.

Be sure you see this Piano before you decide to buy.
Very Easy Terms can be Arranged.

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VICTORIA, B.C.
Headquarters for Choice Nursery Stock—all home grown. Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Small Fruits, Roses, etc., and in fact all hardy trees and plants for the Garden. Largest and best assorted stock in the country. Price list on application.
[ESTABLISHED 24 YEARS.]

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The NEW HOME BAKERY
Will be open again in the Old Stand with a full supply of Fresh Bread, Cakes, Pies, etc.
Wedding Cakes a Specialty
NEW HOME BAKERY
J. HALLIDAY
Dunsmuir Ave., Cumberland.

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Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes
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CHARLIE SING CHONG, West Cumberland. B.C.
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Copenhagen Chewing Tobacco
IS THE WORLD'S BEST CHEW

It is manufactured tobacco in its purest form.

It has a pleasing flavor.

It is tobacco scientifically prepared for man's use.

HERE AGAIN BETTER THAN EVER

THE CUMBERLAND
FOLLIES

New Songs, New Costumes, New Scenery, New Music.

In the Ilo Ilo Theatre, Tuesday, Nov. 27

PRICES: Main Floor, 30c.; Gallery, 40c.; Box Seats, 50c.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years renewable for a further term of 21 years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. Cory,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

A NEW PRIVILEGE.

The following announcement has been made from Ottawa:—The Finance Minister of Canada has issued a new instruction in connection with the Victory Bonds, which will be of much benefit and importance to many small investors. He has decided to grant the privilege of the registration of all bonds, that is to say, that bonds of all denominations, including the $50 bond, may be registered as to principal and as to principal and interest.

In previous loans the privilege of registration was necessarily confined to bonds of the larger denomination, such as $1,000 bonds or more. Bonds of lower denomination were issued as bearer bonds, with coupons attached, and while carrying equal benefits as to principal and interest were liable to being lost by the owners. Under the privilege now given by the Finance Minister, the buyer of any bond, (whatever denomination) may have it registered, in which case the interest will be paid by cheque and the bond, if lost, may be replaced after proper evidence has been shown.

It is believed that this privilege will be greatly appreciated by many thousands of small investors, who will thus be assured of the absolute safety of their investment even against fire or carelessness or any other accidental cause of loss. This improvement in the issue will involve extra work upon the Department of Finance, but Sir Thomas White considers that its benefits will more than offset the labor involved.

What Will Canada's Answer Be?

OVER in the sodden trenches amid the bursting shells and the roar of artillery where Canada's boys are fighting and dying.

—they are waiting for Canada's answer when the sale of Victory Bonds begins.

CANADA'S soldiers expect that we at home will put up the millions they need to keep on fighting,

—the millions they must have to win Victory for freedom, home and Canada.

What answer will Canada make?

What answer will you make?

Shall it be said that Canada spares not her sons from the sacrifice of battle, yet withholds her dollars to give them victory?

Rather will it be said that Canada once more, for the fourth time in three years, cheerfully puts up her millions upon millions for the cause of freedom, righteousness and justice.

Canada's answer must be,

—that the Canadian hand to the plow of Victory holds steadfast and firm.

—that Canada is in deadly earnest when she says the "last man and the last dollar."

That is the answer Canada will give to our boys in the trenches, our kinsmen in Britian, and our Allies everywhere.

That is the answer we will give to the Huns who thought and said that Canada would desert the Empire before she would fight or pay.

Every bond you buy is an answer. Let the millions of answers from Canada's loyal men and women make a chorus of Victory to ring around the world.

Canada's Victory Loan Campaign opens on Monday, November 12

"Canada's Victory Loan All About It"

is the title of a pamphlet that should be in the hands of every man and woman in the country.

Mail this coupon at once and get your copy

Chairman, Provincial Committee,
Canada's Victory Loan,
Vancouver.

Kindly send me a copy of pamphlet entitled:—
"Canada's Victory Loan, All About It."

Name.....
Street or R.R.....
P.O.....
Prov.....

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee in co-operation with the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada. 73

AN OPEN LETTER.

To all who voted for or supported Prohibition in the Campaign of 1916, and to all who have benefitted from the coming into force of the Prohibition Act.

Through our combined efforts we won a signal victory. In the securing of the Prohibition Act we aided materially in the winning of the war, by thus conserving foodstuffs, men and money.

Let it be understood our activities have never ceased, rather they have just begun. Patriotically we stand behind every effort to "Win the War." Many of our number are overseas and many more have given their nearest and dearest to do battle for the liberties of the world.

Another opportunity presents itself, whereby we may further do our bit for the Dominion, and for the Empire of which we form a part, namely, by purchasing, and assisting in the sale of "Victory Bonds." We therefore urge upon you the necessity of doing your utmost at this present juncture, by purchasing bonds to the limit of your powers, and that you use your personal influence to have others do the same. Many have benefitted by the coming into force of the Prohibition Act, and should be urged to invest their savings in Victory Bonds.

Prohibitionists have the welfare of the Nation at heart. Let us do our best that there be no lack of funds to carry on the war to a successful issue.

In behalf of the Peoples' Prohibition Association,

JOHNATHAN ROGERS, Pres.
W. G. W. FORTUNE, Gen. Sec.
Vancouver, Nov. 16th., 1917.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 28th December, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week, over the

CUMBERLAND RURAL ROUTE No. 1

from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Cumberland and Courtenay and at the office of the undersigned.

E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 16th Nov., 1917.

GERMAN PILL BOXES

Photo shows demolished Pill Boxes, the latest method of defence used by the Germans in place of trench defences in their attempt to save men, which has proved futile.

Toy Land

TOY LAND is now open and we are fully prepared for a record Christmas Season. You should pay us an early visit and see our wonderful display of Christmas Toys. We want you to look around, and, if you wish to secure any particular article, we will hold the same until a day or two before Christmas, on payment of a small deposit. Perhaps last year you were disappointed because a few days before Christmas you couldn't get just what you wanted.

Bring the children along, and should they see something that they want very much and which you don't wish to purchase right away, make sure and let us hold it for you.

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COURT OF REVISION

A Court of Revision to revise the voters list for the yeor 1918 will be held in the Council Chambers on Monday, December 10th 1917, at 8.30 p.m.

The Court by a majority vote may order the names of any person or persons to be placed upon or removed from the list when such names have been improperly placed upon or omitted from the list.

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