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BOCHES TO GET WHEAT IF THEY CAN PAY FOR IT

6,000,000 Bushels a Month

U. S. WILL SELL TO ALLIES ALSO

Hoover Announces Requirements by Cable

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Under the general food program outlined by the allies, Germany will be allowed about 6,000,000 bushels of breadstuffs a month, mostly from the United States if she finds the money to pay for it, according to a detailed statement of foreign grain requirements cabled by Herbert C. Hoover to Julius Barnes, *president of the United States Grain* corporation, and made public here tonight.

Between now and July, France and Italy will take 80,000,000 bushels of wheat and flour from the grain corporation, while the allied governments will take also about 75,000,000 bushels of oats. If restrictions are removed on cereal imports to European neutrals they will require about 60,000,000 bushels of wheat, rye or barley in grain or flour, to bring their bread consumption to normal, mostly from the United States.

BELIEVE SEATTLE LABOR WILL NOT STRIKE FEB. 5

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 30.—Organized labor in Seattle will not go out on general strike until after Feb. 5, it is believed here now, even if the referendum being taken t[...] pathy strike in aid of th[...] council is completed prior to that time. Some 25,000 of the metal trades workers in shipyards and contract shops are on strike for higher wages.

Reports to labor leaders tonight were said to show that nearly 50 unions have voted for the general strike and only two against. Other unions, including the butchers, it was said, cannot strike without the consent of their international officers, and as several of these unions operate on rigid contracts, it is believed the consent will be refused.

In a formal statement issued late today by the steel shipbuilding companies of Seattle and Tacoma it was stated that the companies had not even "considered resuming operations on the 'open shop' basis."

TEN MEMBERS OF CREW DIE IN SHIPWRECK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

YARMOUTH, England, Jan. 30.—*The exploration ship Endurance,* formerly the sealing steamer Nimrod, which Sir Ernest Shackleton used in his explorations in the Antarctic and which had been engaged in the coal trade between France and England, was dashed on the sand off Yarmouth today. Ten members of the crew of 12 were lost.

ROYAL COMMISSION OVER SHIPBUILDERS' TROUBLE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 30.—Word has been received from the minister of labor at Ottawa consenting to the appointment of a royal commission to consider the dispute between J. Coughlan & Sons, shipbuilders, and the Metal Trades council.

The members of the commission have not been named.

NOW IS TIME TO GO LIMIT, SAYS MAYO

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—In urging immediate naval expansion today before the house naval committee, which votes tomorrow on the administration's new building program, Admiral Mayo, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, said:

"The league of nations is rapidly *getting down to a sewing circle* with no means of enforcement and no international police force. Now is the time to go the limit in expanding our navy."

CALGARY TO SPEND $60,500 IN CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 30.—Calgary city council has decided on an extensive program of municipal undertakings costing $60,500 in order to provide work for returned soldiers, of whom there are 300 unemployed in the city.

BRUNSWICK LEGISLATURE PROROGUED UNTIL MARCH 6

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 30.—In the Royal Gazette today notive is given that the New Brunswick legislature has been prorogued until Thursday, March 6. There have been rumors for some time that the date mentioned was that on which the next session was expected to open.

INFANTS AND HOUSING BILLS MARK OPENING OF PROVINCIAL SESSION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30.—The British Columbia legislature opened its session today without any of the usual ceremony, owing to the death of Prince John. The two new soldier members, Major R. J. Burde, Albernia, and F. Giolma, Victoria, members elected in the recent byelections, were introduced to the speaker by Premier Oliver and Major J. W. McIntosh, Vancouver, and took their seats.

The proceedings were of the briefest. Following the reading of the speech from the throne two bills were introduced, one entitled "An Act to Amend the Equal Guardianship of Infants Act," and the other to provide for better housing. The former makes provision for the official guardian of the estate of any infant to give security for the performance of his duty.

HOUSING QUESTION

The better housing bill is to provide for the expenditure by the province of the money being loaned by the Dominion to secure more housing accommodation in British Columbia. It permits the province to enter into an agreement with the Dominion government regarding a scheme for better housing and to issue securities at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent for the repayment of monies borrowed from the Dominion government. In turn the province can loan to municipalities such sums as are *required for carrying* out a better housing scheme, and expend itself such sums as are thought desirable to purchase lands for the purposes of the act and it also authorizes *expenditures for the* construction of buildings and improvements.

FIVE PER CENT INTEREST

Loans under the act will bear interest at the rate of five per cent and be repayable on terms not later than 20 years. Under its terms the government may convey free of cost to returned soldiers lands suitable for a homesite. The act is to be administered by the department of lands.

The legislature adjourned until Monday.

CERTAIN FOOD LICENSE RESTRICTIONS WITHDRAWN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—All restrictions on three classes of food licenses—retail dealers, wholesale grocers and public eating places—have been withdrawn by order of the Canada food board, it was announced today. They may now return to pre-war conditions. Such dealers shall not be required to obtain licenses or renewals of same.

Order No. 63, which has been in force since September, fixing prices to be paid to fishermen for British Columbia salmon is likewise repealed. The announcement adds that all restrictions on bakers and confectioners have also been removed to take effect on Feb. 10.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Frederick at New York from Brest.

Mogonia at New York from St. Nazaire.

Pittsburg at New York from Liverpool.

[...]haha at New York from London.

Haureford at Philadelphia from Liverpool.

Megantic at Portland from Liverpool.

War Redcap at Halifax from Gibraltar.

Departures.

Lenndovan from Halifax for Liverpool.

Lady Laurier from Halifax for light house service.

ST. MARY'S GIVES C. C. S. THEIR FIRST DEFEAT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 30.—The St. Mary's gave the C. C.'s their first defeat of the season tonight by walloping "Red" Smith's Hibernians to the tune fo 5 to 1. Harry Carvell, of Fort William, who lost a finger recentinly in an accident, was in goal for the Saints and turned away some wonderful shots. Dussault and Grant of Edmonton also played good games for the Saints.

"BUTCH" DEFEATS BROCKEN AT SASKATOON SPIEL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SASKATOON, Sask., Jan. 30.—"Butch" Wilson of Dundurn defeated Prof. *Brocken of Saskatoon* by 12 to 4 in the grand challenge semi-finals at the bonspiel here today, and H. Fraham of Wynyard was defeated by A. F. Dickson for the same trophy.

ENEMY ALIENS SHOULD BE RUN OUT, OPINION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 30.—Criticism of the Dominion government for not having an absorption scheme ready, a demand upon the employers for work, not as charity but as a square deal, and a demand that enemy aliens should be cleared out of Canada were the dominant features of the speeches at a meeting under the auspices of the returned soldiers, association and the next-of-kin association here tonight. The statement that if the deportation of aliens meant the stopping of every wheel in Canada they should be stopped, was cheered to the echo by the audience of between two and three *thousand*.

BUDGET SPEECH IS DELIVERED IN QUEBEC

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Jan. 30.—The budget speech showing the financial situation and the operations of the province of Quebec for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, was delivered in the legislative assembly today by the provincial treasurer, Hon. Walter Mitchell, and accounts for a net surplus of $1,509,558.28.

FIRE LOSS IN BELLEVILLE AMOUNTS TO $175,000

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Jan. 30.—Fire *tonight* destroyed the largest warehouse at the plant of the British-Chemical company, Trenton, with all its contents, which includes a vast quantity of stores, fire hose, locks, hardware, etc. *The origin is unknown.* The loss is estimated between $175,000 and $200,000.

FORECASTED LEGISLATION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30.—Legislation forecasted in the speech from *the throne included the following:*

Standardization of educational textbooks, in line with united action of the western provinces.

"Necessary amendments" to the prohibition act.

Disfranchisement of deserters and draft evaders.

Authorization of the appointment of a public utilities commission.

The establishment of a public libraries commission.

Further relief for returned soldiers in tax sales.

Better regulation of public schools in alien communities.

Superannuation of civil servants, and amendments to the Civil Service act.

To provide for development of land in the South Okanagan district for returned soldiers.

Legislation to encourage stock breeding.

The voting of an "emergency appropriation" to provide employment during the year in carrying on development work of a productive nature.

CHASED REEVE OUT OF TOWN

Returned Soldiers in Owen Sound Make Joseph Webber Kiss Flag —Was Up for Sedition.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OWEN SOUND, Jan. 30.—A number of returned soldiers and a large crowd of civilians ran out of town tonight Joseph Weber, reeve of Neustadt, who came to attend county council here. He was arrested on Tuesday on five charges of sedition, and later allowed out on $2000 bail. On his exit from the theatre tonight, Webber was surrounded by a large crowd and taken to his hotel to collect his belongings. There he was made to kiss the flag.

The crowd was firm that he leave tonight and not wait for the morning train. Although he wore a big overcoat and carried a club bag, Webber was forced to leave on the run and was escorted out at the northwest end of the town by a special guard of returned soldiers.

Webber's son was recently tried in Toronto for violation of the Military Service act.

U. S. SENATE OPPOSES PLANS REGARDING COLONIES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Vigorous opposition to the plans reported from Paris for the international government of the former German colonies was considered today in the senate. The speaker said he was not in favor of the United States assuming any obligation to control, govern, or be responsible for any part of the German possessions.

Senator Borah said Australia, in demanding the German islands of the Pacific, had announced a Monroe doctrine for Australia, and added:

'If we, as a member of a league, interfere with the Monroe doctrine of Australia or the Monroe doctrine of Japan or some other nation, how long would it be before they would interfere with our Monroe doctrine?"

The Idaho senator criticized private conferences between Colonel House and General Smuts regarding disposition of German colonies, at which it was said an agreement had been reached to sustain the secret agreement between England an Japan for disposition of certain German possessions in the Pacific. Senator Borah said that this was another exhibition of secret diplomacy and said that a league of nations based on secret proceeding was an "infamous institution.

DR. FRANZ MEHRING DIES IN PRUSSIA OF PNEUMONIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 30.—Dr. Franz Hehring, Independent Socialist member of the Prussian diet, is dead. Advices received here say that death was due to pneumonia.

FINDLAY WILL STAND TRIAL ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Evidence Lacking Now Given

GARTSHORE IS OUT ON BAIL

Liquor Dealer Will Appeal Sentence Meted Out

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 30.—W. C. Findlay, former prohibition commissioner, will be committed for trial by Magistrate Shaw on the second hearing *of the charge brought against him* of stealing 74 cases of liquor from the government. The evidence which was lacking in the previous hearing, when the magistrate dismissed Findlay, was produced this morning. The formal committal will be made Tuesday next. Findlay reains at liberty under the continuing bail.

Gartshore Sentenced.

Alex L. Gartshore was this morning sentenced to six months in jail by Magistrate Shaw on the charge brought against him of selling one bottle of whisky and two bottles of gin to Captain Simon McKenzie. Immediately upon conviction, Magistrate Shaw granted Joseph Martin, K. C., a stated case, and sureties being renew, Mr. Gartshore was liberated on $5000 bail pending the appeal which is being entered against the conviction.

Others Roped In.

VANAOUVER, B .C., Jan. 30.—A series of information alleging violations of he prohibition laws was laid in the city police court this afternoon. Joseph G. Brooks is charged with unlawfully importing a carload of 700 cases of whisky from Toronto, Oct. 4, and also is charged with conspiring with W. C. Findlay to make the importation. Five informations were laid against the Western Canada Liquor company, alleging the illegal importation of liquor into the province, and five other informations against the same company allege illegal sales of liquor. The five informations charging illegal importation deal with the following alleged shipments:

Six hundred cases of liquor on Nov. 4, one carload from Montreal marked for Mexico on Nov. 9, carload from Toronto marked for Mexico on Nov. 12, carload from Montreal marked for Mexico on Nov. 26, carload from Montreal, Dec. 4.

CAPITAL SCORES ALL BOLSHEVISM

Alderman Will Denounce Agitators in Resolution Demanding Prevention of Seditious Gatherings

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30.—Condemnation of Bolshevism and the necessity of suppressing its propaganda in *this city is voiced in a resolution* which Ald. J. Patrick will bring up before the city council on Monday. The resolution asks the council to express an opinion that it is the duty of the authorities to prevent public meetings which encourage sedition and discontent. It also urges the government to deport all enemy aliens and to eliminate Bolshevism propaganda from Canada and henceforth to prohibit their entry. The meetings referred to in the resolution were those held under the auspices of the Federated Labor party.

SHIPYARD WORKERS ARE NEGOTIATING

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 30.—Declaring that it had been indicated that the Tacoma shipyard strikers would return to work if the lowest paid employees were raised, O. S. Larson, chairman of the community labor *board, tonight sent the following* telegram to United States Senator Miles Poindexter, and Wesley L. Jones, Charles Piez, director-general of the Emergency Fleet corporation, and the Macy adjustment board:

"Strike committee metal trades council of Tacoma, replying to offers of mediation from me have indicated that if the item of $4.16 in the Macy scale is raised to $5.50 we have a very good chance of immediately settling the trouble. I would earnestly recommend that this concession be granted."

CLEVELAND TO BE GOVERNMENT ENGINEER

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 30.—E. C. Cleveland of the engineering firm of Cleveland & Cameron, Vancouver, has been appointed by the Provincial government as consulting engineer in connection with trade development of the South Okanagan lands recently acquired for soldier and general land settlement.

IS CANADIAN MONEY IN U. S. WORTH FACE VALUE?

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 30.—The question as to whether Canadian money must be accepted in the United States at its face value rests with Superior Judge D. W. Hurn of Spokane, who took under advisement today the case in which Fred M. Williams, an attorney, sued A. G. Gray, a former banker, of Pullman, Wash., for $67, alleged to be discount on a $3000 fee paid Williams by Gray. The plaintiff said that when he received his fee from Gray it was in Canadian money and he was compelled by the bank to pay $67 discount. *Gray maintained* that he paid Williams in cash and that the fee was paid.

PLANE REPORT WAS INCORRECT

New York Got Mixed Up in Aircraft Purchase Statement—Dominion Still Has a Say.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—Reports from *New York saying that a United States* syndicate had purchased all the aircraft plants in Canada, together with their entire equipment from the imperial munitions board are characterized in government circles as misleading and incorrect.

On the demobilization of the Royal Flying corps late in 1918, the imperial munition board placed at the disposal of the Canadian authorities its various plants and equipment with a view to giving the first choice of those it desired to avail itself of.

The government thereupon intimated that the aerodrome and aeroplane plant at Camp Borden—one of the best and most adequately equipped in the world—together with the training grounds and other property at the camp, would be suitable for the future development of aviation in Canada and the entire equipment was turned over to the Canadian government.

At Camp Borden are 50 airplanes which also pass into the possessesion of the government and which will be used for training purposes in the future.

In addition to the Camp Borden property, plant and equipment, the splendid camp at Long Branch has been taken over by the government from the board. The elaborate buildings on the site are, for the present, being utilized as hospitals for the care of disabled returned soldiers. Later, as may be found advisable, this camp may be devoted to aircraft training.

Purchase by the Dominion of the other plants and camps belonging to the munitions board was considered inadvisable by the authorities here, who are quite alive to the possibilities and desirability of encouraging the development of aerial science in the Dominion. An air board is now in process of formation, pending the completion of which definite plans as regards both camps are in abeyance. It has already been pointed out by Sir Jos. Flavelle, chairman of the imperial munitions board, that the syndicate which has purchased the plants and equipment left after the Dominion government had taken what portion of them they desired, is composed of Canadian as well as United States interests and is not purely an American organization.

REBUKED FOR SCORING WILSON

Senator Pollock Says This Is No Time for Partisan Politics to Be Cause of Criticism.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Critics of President Wilson and his proposal for a league of nations were sharply rebuked in the Senate today by Senator Pollock of South Carolina, Democrat, who charged that partisan politics was the basis for much of the criticism voiced recently in the senate.

Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, Knox of Pennsylvania and Borah of Idaho, Republicans, and Reed of Missouri, Democrat, the South Carolina senator said, were among those whom he had found labored for the destruction instead of construction of the peace plans.

"I warn the gentlemen in this body that this is no ordinary political question," said Mr. Pollock. "The American people will hold them responsible *if they place obstacles in the way of* saving the world from a repetition of its anguish of the past four years."

SITUATION IN EASTERN PRUSSIA IS, SERIOUS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BASEL, Jan. 30.JThe German Anzieger Berlin correspondent says the situation in East Prussia is very serious. Several Bolsheviki divisions are facing the eighth army. The despatch adds that it is feared the German forces will be insufficient to effectively resist.

TURK CABINET QUITS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 30.—(Havas)—*As a result of the protests of the* allied powers against the spoilation of Greeks and Aremians, the Turkish cabinet has resigned.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Jan. 30.—The local juniors defeated Oshawa here this evening, 7 to 4.

LEAGUE WILL SUPERVISE HUN COLONIES; TURKISH QUESTION ALSO SETTLED

Means Sweeping Change in Colonial Management---Eliminates Profit Making by Owning Powers---Favorable Sentiment to Relaxtion of Blockade Affecting Southeastern Europe

PARIS, Jan. 30 (Associated Press).—The announcement was made in authoritative quarters today that the great colonial powers, notably Great Britain and France, had accepted the principle of the American proposal put forward by President Wilson for the league of nations exercising supervision over the German colonies and allotting *their administration to mandatory* powers.

The communication tonight makes the official announcement that satisfactory arrangements were reached *with regard to the German colonies* and the territories of Turkey in Asia.

The provisional arrangement to which the communication refers is the acceptance in principle of President Wilson's plan of mandatory administration of the colonies.

The reference to the occupied territory of Turkey in Asia indicates that Mesopotamia, Palestine, Armenia and Syria are brought within the scope of this new policy of dealing with the colonies. Thus has suddenly come within range of practcal accomplishment one of the most sweeping changes in colonial management that has ever occurred. The basic ideal of this policy is that the colonies will be administered by mandate for the benefit of their own people, and not exploited on profit-making enterprise by the powers claiming them.

Details to Come

While the acceptance of the principle is with the condition that the details may be worked out on a practical basis, yet exchanges among the powers lead to the belief that the details will be formulated for acceptance by all the colonies and powers, including Great Britain, France, Japan, Belgium and Portugal. The most formidable opposition has come from Premier Hughes of Australia, who has maintained that anything short of outright annexation of New Guinea to Australia might endanger friendly relations to the mother country. This, however, is in process of being reconciled by concessions of details, but in any event the opposition is considered to have lost it effectiveness since the British home government and South Africa are favorable to the new colonial policy.

President Wilson has taken a leading part in these *discussions* and acceptance of new principle is being credited largely to his determined attitude. There is no desire in American quarters, however, to herald a *victory, but on the contrary* an earnest desire is shown that the mandatory powers shall not be hampered in the least by the administration of the colonies. Acceptance of the new principles are construced as applying not only to the colonies, but also to the establishment of a precedent of the fair dealing which will prevail upon the large territorial questions coming up for discussion later.

Three Proposals

Owing to the important decision reached the following precise information concerning the mandatory plan was made available. Three broad proposals for the disposition of German colonies were advised. The first proposed annexation, much as the Pacific Northwest was annexed as American territory. The second proposed international administration similar to the first international control of the Congo, which proved a failure. The third proposal was the mandatory system which was included in the American plan of a league of nations. There are two conceptions of this mandatory system now under examination. One plan makes the league of nations trustees of the colonies working through particular states as its agent, but reserving detailed powers of oversight. The second is that the trustees shall be one of the member of the league of nations and working for just administration.

Equal Opportunity

Certain military principles obtain concerning the mandatory system. The states chosen as mandates should *be chosen as the choice of the people* to be governed. Another principle is the open door and equal opporunity. All nations are forbidden to have a greater military force than is required for police work, and all have the right to appeal to the league for any injustice.

Opinion inclines also to give the mandate in perpetuity in order to stimulate deevlopment, but with the reservation that the mandate is reversible for mismanagement or through the people reaching the stage of self-government. These are the main features of the mandatory system which the powers have now accepted in principle and which the great powers are engaged in formulating the practical details of.

Official Report.

PARIS, Jan. 30.—The official communication on the peace proceedings today reads:

"The president of the United States, the premiers and ministers of foreign affairs of the allied and associated powers, as well as the Japanese representatives today, held two meetings at the Quai d'Orsay, the first from 11 a. m. till 12 p. m. and the second from 3:30 p. m. to 6 p. m.

"The exchange of views continued on the German colonies in the Pacific and Africa, in the presence of representatives of the dominions, of H. Simon, French minister of the colonies, and of the Marquis Salvoriggi, Italy.

"In the afternoon satisfactory provisional arrangements were reached for dealing with the German colonies and the occupied territory in Turkey and Asia.

"At the afternoon meeting the Belgian delegates were present. Messrs. Hymans, Vandeheuvel and Vandervelde, were accompanied by M. Ortz, who explained the Belgian point of view concerning the Congo.

"It was further decided that the military representatives of the allied and associated powers at Versailles should be asked to meet at once and present *a report as to the most* equitable and economical distribution among these powers of the burden of supplying the military forces for the purposes of maintaining order in the Turkish empire *pending the decisions of the peace* conference regarding the government of Turkish territory.

"A meeting will be held tomorrow."

Wanted Lost Territory.

PARIS, Jan. 30.—(British Wireless Service)—An official French statement regarding the questions at issue between the Poles and the Czecho-Slovaks *to explain which delegates of the* respective countries appeared before the supreme council yesterday, says that the Polish delegate, M. Demowski, declared that Poland wished to recover territory she possessed before the partitions of 1772 and 1793, including the province and town of Posen and the town of Thorn and have free access to the sea by way of Danzig, protected by a strip of territory which would render the means of communication secure.

Dr. Benes, the Czecho-Slovak delegate, asked the Czecho-Slovak point of view, and more especially the incidents which tend to an armed encounter between the Czecho-Slovaks and Polish forces on the frontier of Silesia and Bohemia.

He said that an agreement was concluded in November, 1918, between the Poles and Czecho-Slovaks, for the provisional establishment of a frontier line between the two countries. On Jan. 24 last, Czecho-Slovaks entered *the Posen district and these were* followed by Polish contingents.

The conference notified the delegates that it would be necessary to put an end to such acts and for the period, the zone in dispute should be occupied by the allies. To this the delegates of both sides agreed.

The question of the definite possession of the industrial centre of Silesia, was, however, not settled, nor were any other of the territorial problems submitted by Poland.

The Poles maintain that the district of Posen should be Polish, as Poles constitute 55 per cent of the population. The Czecho-Slovaks reply that the region is indispensable for their industries, owing to its coal mines. The peace conference will decide between the two parties, which, says the statement, are qually animated by the desire to be conciliatory and have declared that they are willing to recognize the justice of its judgment.

'From now on," the statement concluded, *frontier incidents* between the Poles and Czecho-Slovaks are settled and that is the most essential thing."

Want Details Hurried

PARIS, Jan. 30.—An effort is in the making to hurry the consideration of the league of nations plan of organization by the special committee of the conference, but it is not expected that the committee will be ready to repore at the next session of the peacemaking body.

Concerning the league, Capt. Andre *Tardieu, of the French peace* delegation, said the gcenral aim of the peace conference was to establish a league. As the conference went on a number of questions would arise and these should be solved in the same spirit as that underlying the league of nations. Capt. Tardieu also said that the Peru-Chile contention over Tanca and Africa had not yet been officially brought to the attention of the conference. Concerning Poland,he aserted that instructions to the commission which is to visit that country are being studied with a view to permitting the commission to leave for Poland in a few days. The commission is to make a report to the peace conference which will have the final determination on the subject.

Lift Blockade?

PARIS, Jan. 30.—By the Associated Press)—The war council at a meeting today considered economic and financial questions and the subject of raw materials. The sentiment was favorable to the relaxation of the blockade so far as it concerned southeastern Eu-

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WILL SUPERVISE HUN COLONIES

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rope, including the Balkans and Austria-Hungary.

Day Report Exaggerated.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The official press bureau this evening issued the following statement:

"We are authorized to state that the account of the proceedings of the peace conference regarding the disposal of the colonies and the territories of the Turkish empire which appeared in certain papers today, is mischeivous and inaccurate and entirely misleading."

Universal Conference

PARIS, Jan. 30.—(Havas.)—A universal conference of all states desiring to participate in a league of nations will be the final act in the formation of the league, Leon Bourgeois, the French authority on a league of nations, declared today. This conference would be held after the peace conference had approved the scheme now being drafted by representatives of the great allied associations on a league of nations.

The universal conference will pass upon the admission of each state into the league and enemy states will be accepted on the same fotoing as others. The enemy states, however, M. Bourgeois said, must give proof that they no longer foster lust of conquest and that they will "reply full for the devastation and ruin they have caused."

Delegates Said Too Much

PARIS, Jan. 30.—The Japanese peace delegation today issued a formal denial to the publications in Paris newspapers, based on an interview with Marquis Okuma, former premier, and purporting to give the Japanese peace policy. The denial terms the publications as glaring impositions and says that the use of Marquis Okuma's name was unwarranted. It is declared that the assertion that the present Japanese cabinet bases its policy on Marquis Okuma's statement is absurd.

Marquis Okuma, in a statement published in the United States on last Dec. 18, outlined his idea of Japan's peace terms. He said that Japan should approve all decisions reached by Great Britain, France and the United States concerning the future of Germany and Russia, and territorial alterations in Europe and Africa. He said that the Samoan islands should not be returned to Germany, nor should the Bismarck islands nor German New Guinea. Japan, the marquis held, should retain the Marshall, Caroline and other islands occupied by the Japanese navy. Foreign interests in China should be based on the principle of the "open door" and equal opportunity. The statement published in the United States did not contain the assertion that the Japanese cabinet would base its policy on the ideas of Marquis Okuma.

London Interested

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The discussions of the Paris conference regarding the future of the former German colonies is being followed with intense interest here. In some sections of the press there is a strong feeling against the British delegation for what the Globe calls "giving away the empire." A majority of Englishmen, the paper says, strongly support Australia's claims to the islands of the Pacific and South Africa's for possession of German East Africa.

Indications that the claims of the dominions are not being supported by the British government delegation, have caused some alarm. The Morning Post, for example, says:

"If the British delegates weakly persist in this attitude they are not only surrendering the British interests entrusted to them, but they are sowing seeds of such bitter discontent as might disunite and disrupt the British Empire."

Still Much to Do

PARIS, Jan. 30 (Special cable from John W. Dafoe)—The disposition of the German colonies is still an unsolved problem, although the council of the great powers has given almost its undivided attention to it for the past week. The Dominion premiers have been in attendance at these meetings for four consecutive days, together with representatives of China, and the question has been discussed from all possible points of view.

Although the official communiques have been of the baldest character, there is a pretty general knowledge of the trend of the discussions and the nature of the difficulties that must be compounded before an agreement can be reached.

Theoreticaly there is an acceptance by all the powers of the mandatory principle as essential to the successful working of a league of nations. The practical application of the plan arises for the first time in connection with the allotment of the German colonies and the result of the test is a reluctance of the powers interested to accept the implication of this principle in their completest form. It is unfortunate that the disposal of the German colonies should be a question for territorial adjustment to come up for settlement. They are al lso backward and helpless it is doubtful whether the interests of the peoples effected would be well served if they became simply wards of the league of nations under the tutelage of a mandatory power. On the other hand, if the precedent of the outright annexation of enemy territories is set at the outset, with practically all the great powers as beneficiaries, it will be more difficult to respect the principle of mandate when the matter of disposition of Turkish European territory comes up at a later date.

This is the problem before the conference. If it can be settled satisfactorily other territorial adjustments will be facilitated. Meanwhile, the powers interested have been urging in practically every case that special considerations justify them in asking for the actual merging with their territories of whatever portion of the late German possessions fall within their sphere. Except in the case of Kiao Chau, there has been no conflict of interest between the powers themselves. China has asked for the return of the whole Chantung province on the ground that it is an integral part of China; Japan asks for its cession by Germany, but it is understood, is willing to negotiate directly with China for its return to her.

Apart from this, there have been requests for the allocation of the German colonies. Japan asks for the islands north of the equator; Australia for German New Guinea, and the a smaller island to the north; New Zealand for Samoa, South Africa for Southwest Africa, while France suggests that the administrative division of Togoland and the Kameroons following their conquest, be made definite. By this, France would get the larger part of Togoland and most of the Kameroons, the remainder going to Great Britain.

In each case the request is for annexation on the grounds of conquest, need for security and on the plea that the administrative power will not make the necessary outlay for development if its relationship is only that of mandatory.

Representatives of the British dominions have submitted evidence that there is a very strong feeling in their countries in support of the claims for territory, which they regard as necessary to their future security. The problem of what attitude the British delegations, as a whole should take toward this difficult and dangerous question has been the subject of anxious consideration. There have been meetings of the British delegation every day and yesterday several hours were given to the careful consideration of the problem.

Newspaper reports which have been sent out that a final decision was reached are not correct, but there are grounds for believing that an agreement between the representatives is in prospect by which a formal adhesion will be given to the mandatory principle, subject to detailed definition as how it is to be employed in relation to countries of varying degrees of development. This definition would provid that in case of territories occupied by savage peoples without the rudiments of national existence the measure of control would not fall far short of actual sovereignity, though it would always be subject to the governing fact that there was an ultimate responsibility to the league of nations.

Should this proposed solution be submitted to the conference council as having the approval of all the British delegation, it would, it is thought, be accepted, though there is some question as to whether Japan would not continue to urge her claims to the Marshall and Caroline islands.

While the chief plenipotentiaries are thus grappling with what is the real heart of the peace problem, very satisfactory progress has been made in respect to other important matters. The labor conferences, which have been going on all week between the representatives of British labor bodies, have had the happiest outcome. These meetings, called by Mr. Barnes, have been attended by recognized labor leaders of Great Britain like Mr. Thomas and Mr. Henderson and by special representatives of labor from the dominions, among them P. M. Draper of Canada, and as opportunity offered by premiers of the dominions. In all seven meetings were held, with the result that a common memoranda, having the support of all the British delegations, will be sumbitted to the committee on international conditions which has been created by the conference and which is now about to begin its labors. The main idea of the proposal is the creation of a central international labor organization under the league of nations upon which both employers and workers will be represented.

Commission Meees

PARIS Jan. 30.—The inter-allied commission charged with the investigation of the Polish situation met at the foreign office this morning and studied the instructions drafted by M. the allied governments. The instructhe allied governmetns. The instructions define the scope of the work of the commission during its visit to Poland. At the end of the conference the commission outined statements by the Polish delegates and Czecho-Slovak delegates to the peace conference.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

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For sale or service, two thoroughbred boars. White Yorkshires and Durock Jerseys.—Marsden, Taghum. (1346)

Fresh killed young beef, milk fed veal, potted meats from Cloverbrook.—Marsden's Stall, Saturday Market. (1345)

Mrs. Peeble's Circle of St. Pauls Aid will give a tea this afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Leith, 702 Mill street, from 3 to 6. Fancy work and home cooking for sale. (1364)

Nelson Rod and Gun Club, instituted for the greater increase and protection of fish and game, will meet Monday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m., in board of trade rooms. Your assistance, advice and attendance at meeting is requested.—A. M. Black, Secretary. (1351)

The funeral of the late Charles A. Schofield will be held from the Standard undertaking parlors, Friday, Jan. 31, at 2 p.m. (1360)

The deferred annual meeting of the Boy Scout association will be held in Judge Forin's office on Monday, Feb. 3, at 5 p.m. All persons interested will be welcome. (1359)

Born, Jan. 28, at the Kootenay Lake General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Delisle of Bridesville, B.C., a son. (1358)

From 3 to 6 today, in Methodist church parlors, Mrs. Annable's circle is giving a tea for the ladies of the congregation. Program and refreshments. (1357)

D. L. Kerr, of Kerr's Jitney Service, has purchased a new McLaughlin-Buick car and is now in a position to give the best of service to his many patrons. (1356)

Owing to ban on dancing, the Rebekahs will give a whist drive tonight instead of dance, as advertised. I.O.O.F. hall at 8:30. Admission 25c. (1361)

James Niven, late meat cutter with P. Burns & Co., will be at the market Saturday, in front of the Ark, with fresh killed stall fed beef, milk fed pork, veal, home-made head cheese and dripping. No connection with other shops. (1350)

The Great War Veterans auxiliary will hold another whist drive in the club rooms on Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, at 8 o'clock. (1365)

WIFE DEMANDS SUPPORT

LONDON.—Whether a wife who is serving a term of imprisonment is entitled to maintenance by her husband was the question raised by North London police court. A woman attended, in the custody of two wardresses from Holloway, where she is undergoing a term of imprisonment, and asked for a warant against her husband, who is an actor in a well known opera company, for maintenance arrears. It was said that the application was made with the sanction of the home office and that the warrant was asked for because the husband was touring the country. Applicant was undergoing 12 months' imprisonment. Mr. Waddy declined to grant a warrant, but agreed to issue a summons, on the hearing of which the legal point might be discussed.

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LIVE, SPEAK, DEAL PLAINLY, TO PREVENT WAR.—LAUDER

LONDON, Ont.—Harry Lauder is more than a professional fun maker. He has two sides to his character, and it was the deeply emotional side which members of the Rotary club saw at noon recently when the little Scottish comedian, who was the guest of honor, was called on for an address.

The war had been won, and won gloriously, he said, but we must not make the mistake of thinking that this was the end. It was only the beginning. It did not require any brains to bring about the destruction which had been brought in the world. Any beast without reasoning ability could have done it. But it would require the best brains of the best men in the world to rebuild what had been destroyed.

Two Gods

The war, said Harry Lauder, was a struggle between two gods—the God of heaven and the god of earth. The god of earth was a god of cruelty, rape and murder, but our God was the God of truth and justice, and He never failed. God had said that whosoever worshipped the god of mammon must surely perish, and we could consider that the kaiser was at least in the first stage of decay.

Punishment of the kaiser and all those who were associated with him in plunging the world into war was demanded by Harry Lauder. He said that if the British government did not give the assurance that these men would be brought to justice like any other criminals no ships would sail from or to the ports of Great Britain. The Seamen's union had promised this and it was powerful enough to keep such a primise.

Hanging for Murderers

The murderers of sailors and noncombatant travellers on the sea, he declared, should be taken out on a sailin vessel and hanged from a yardarm, as pirates were treated in days gone by. He spoke of one such murder of which he had personal knowledge. A ship was torpedoed and the captain, Capt. Brown, was hidden by members of the crew under the tarpaulin of the lifeboat in which he was being rowed away from the sinking ship. The submarine commander came up to the lifeboat and demanded to know where the captain was. Capt. Brown wriggled out from his covering and said "Here I am; I am a British sailor and not afraid of any submarine commander." The commander replied: "If you are a British sailor your are a dead one," and he shot him through the chest.

The speaker referred to a visit he paid to the front and to his son's grave. As he stood by the mound, he said, he did not wish the boy back, somehow, but he wished that he might put his hands down into the grave, put them around his boy's neck and kiss him, and thank him for what he had done for his mother and for the world.

Do All Plainly

In conclusion he said: "Let us live plainly, speak plainly and deal plainly, thus shall we come to know each other better and to love each other better, and so shall we avoid the danger of a recurrence of the terrible thing through which we have passed.

At the request of President Frank Jewell, Harry Lauder explained the Lauder fund. He said he organized it last September because he realized that there were so many malmed men as a result of the war that the government could not do all that was necessary and he wanted to do what he could. Up to the time he left home he had received donations totalling nearly $350,000.

SAY MOOSE IN WOODS DYING OF INFLUENZA

FORT WILLIAM, Ont.—That moose are dying in the woods from Spanish influenza is the assertion of men who have been engaged i bush work and travel lately. One man ran across the bodies of two moose, lying not far from one another, neither of which showed any sign of wound or external injuries, while another bushman came up to a bull moose which was hardly able to travel from exhaustion, gave every sign of being almost in a state of collapse from some disease and which was bleeding at the nose.

TRUTHFUL JAMES

A sportsman of great imaginative gift was telling how at one shot he had bagged two partridges and a rabbit His explanation was that he had hit only one partridge; the bird in falling had clutched at another partridge and brought that to earth entangled in its claws.

"But how about the rabbit?" he was asked.

"Oh," was the calm reply, "my gun kicked and knocked me backwards and I fell on the rabbit as it ran past."

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CONDEMN THEM AS CRIMINALS

PARIS.—An organization of French women under the presidency of Mme. Juliette Adam has transmitter to the peace congress resolutions asking that those responsible for atrocities during the war be punished as criminals so as to prevent the recurrence of barbarities. The resolutions say:

"In violation of the primitive law of humanity, thousands of women and girls, even children, of all social conditions, have been systematically torn from their families, submitted to inhuman tortures, and treated as slaves.

"With broken and bleeding hearts, we women of France and the allied countries come before the peace congress to ask justice in the name of our martyred sisters. To prevent a recurrence of similar atrocities, we ask that those who have directed them and ordered them may be condemned as criminals."

Another resolution was adopted setting forth the work women did during the war, and demanding that women "claim their place in all future institutions of the league of nations in legislative and executive branches of governments."

BURGLARS STEAL SAFE

TORONTO.—The latest theft reported to the police is a unique one, for last night a safe was stolen from Alexandra Park House, 676 Dundas street west, and out a front window at that.

Entering a front window the thief or thieves proceeded to carry away a safe weighing in the neighborhood of 50 pounds. Not another thing in the room was touched. The safe contained $28 in cash and several important papers, etc.

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Thursday, 10:00 a.m.	S.S. Moyie Crawford Bay Route: Crawford Bay service on Monday to and from Proctor only, connecting with S.S. Kuskanook at Proctor to and from Nelson.	Thursday, 3:00 p.m.
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Ex. Sunday 5:45 p.m.	Slocan City and Intermediate Points, with boat connection at Slocan City to Silverton, New Denver, Rosebery.	Ex. Sunday 8:20 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 5:45 p.m.	Kaslo, Sandon, Slocan Lake and intermediate points via Slocan City.	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:20 a.m.
Ex. Sunday 4:20 p.m.		Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 12:45 noon
Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:00 p.m.	South Slocan, Brilliant, Castlegar, Trail, Rossland and intermediate points.	Ex. Sunday 8:25 p.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:00 p.m.	Columbia River and Main Line, via Revelstoke, connects Train No. 2 going west.	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:25 p.m.

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SHAKING OF FISTS IN TORONTO CHURCH

TORONTO.—Kew Beach Presbyterian church was the setting of regrettable scenes when statements made by Minister Rev. J. A. Stewart were openly challenged by a woman member of the congregation, when the minister accused certain members of bearing false witness against him, when a speaker, who demanded the resignations of the entire management board was hissed, and Allen Thompson, chairman of the board of managers, was howled down.

The trouble appears to have started some months ago through the refusal of the board of managers to give Rev. J. A. Stewart a $500 increase in wages. The minister is said to have left the meeting, and since then to have been at loggerheads with the board of managers.

Rev. Stewart left the meeting last night after he had made a statement in which he said he had been vindicated by a commission appointed by the presbytery.

"There is a lack of love and fellow feeling here," he declared. "I have been told I was a profane person. I absolutely deny the report that I am a profane person," said the pastor dramatically, amid loud applause from his followers. "I deny I have neglected my work. False statements by an elder were put in against me."

A dramatic scene was enacted just before midnight, when Henry Ward said: "The conciliation committee was unable to get Rev. Mr. Stewart at any of its meetings." He read a letter from John Lowden, written from Vancouver, in which Mr. Lowden stated that Mr. Stewart had declared he would "wreck the congregation."

ELEVEN BURIED AT BONN

LONDON—There have been only eleven deaths among the Canadian troops which entered Germany. Their remains have been buried in the civilian cemetery at Bonn in a special plot. The bodies of Canadians who died prisoners in territory on both sides of the Rhine which has been occupied by Canadian or other British forces will be exhumed and again interred in this new burying ground. The spot will eventually be enclosed in maple trees.

YOUTH HAS MANIA FOR AUTOMOBILES

TORONTO—After William Birch, a 16-year-old lad, has spent 30 days at the jail farm for the theft of a motor car his mother, can carry out her desire to take her son to England, away from any bad company he might have become associated with in Toronto. It was the second time Birch had stolen an auto and his mother pleaded hard for another chance for her boy before Judge Winchester in the criminal court.

Prof. Day has resigned from the staff of the Ontario agricultural college.

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Mining and Markets

STEEL LEADS AGAIN ON MART

Pools and Other Professional Interests Resume Bullish Activities, While Rails Are Backward

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Pools and other professional interests resumed their bullish activities in stocks today, operating almost entirely in various speculative issues, while rails and other representative shares were backward or altogether neglected. Analysis of the United States Steel quarterly statement was productive of considerable short covering in that and affiliated shares, Steel making an extreme advance of 1⅛ and holding its gain, with marked improvement in others of the same group. The lack of interest in rails, of which Texas and Pacific was the striking exception, was again ascribed to adverse statements of earnings and another postponement of dividend action by the St. Paul directors.

Oils and shippings contributed measurably to the activity and firmness of the morning but gave way later. Mexican Petroleum reacted over 3 points and Marine preferred almost as much.

Motors and their subsidiaries featured the mid-session and final hour, gains in that division extending from 1½ for Studebaker to 2 for General Motors.

Hide and Leather preferred denoted further accumulation and tobaccos, copper and sugars were intermittently strong, Consolidated Gas rising four points on announcement of the regular dividends.

Sales amounted to 435,000 shares.

The domestic bond list was steady on light trading, Liberty issues shading nominally.

Total sales, par value, $11,225,000.

Closing Quotations

	High.	Low.	Close.
U.S. Steel common	90¼	89	90⅛
U.S. Steel pref.	115½	114⅞	115½
Chino Copper	34⅜	34	34⅜
Miami Copper	24⅛	24	24
Utah Copper	70½	68¾	70¼
C. P. R.	158¼	158¼	158¼

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—Receipts at the union stockyards today amounted to 27 cars, comprising 155 cattle, 125 calves, 1259 hogs and 105 sheep. The run was just about big enough to make a market and prices were little changed from Wednesday's quotations. Few heavy steers or other choice export cattle were in the yards, and there being no outstanding sales in these superior classes of cattle, the market looked even weaker than it probably was.

Canners held up fairly well at $5.50 per hundrdweight. There were practically no stockers sales.

A few extra choice lambs brought $15, a number of others went at $14.75 the bulk going at $14.50.

Hogs, steady at $16 fed and watered.

Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Hogs: Receipts 43,000; market generally steady but very dull on light and mixed grades. Day prices unchanged.

Cattle: Receipts 9000. Stockers and feeders steady. Calves closing 25c to 50c lower. Beef cattle, good, choice and prime, $16 to $20; common and medium, $9.75 to $16; butcher stock, cows and heifers, $6.50 to $14; canners and cutters, $15.50 to $16; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, $10.50 to $14.50; inferior, common and medium, $7.75 to $10.50; veal calves, good and choice, $14.25 to $14.75.

Sheep: Receipts 18,000; market unevenly steady to 25c lower. Day quotations unchanged.

Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 30.—Livestock receipts at the union stockyards today totalled 1150 cattle, 10 calves, 1547 hogs and 95 sheep. Quotations:

Butcher steers, $10.50 to $14.50; heifers, $6.75 to $9.50; cows, $5 to $9.25; bulls, $5 to $7.75; oxen, $5.50 to $8.50; stockers and feeders, $7 to $11.50; veal calves, $5 to $12; sheep and lambs, $10 to $15.

Hogs: Selects, $15.25; sows and heavies, $9.25 to $12.25; stags, $7.25 to $9.25; lights, $10 to $12.25.

PRICES ON BOURSE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

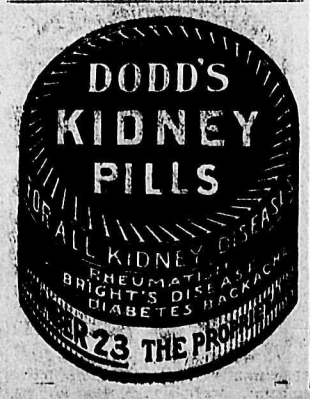
PARIS, Jan. 30.—Prices on the Bourse today were irregular. Three per cent rentes quoted at 63 francs 10 centimes.

Exchange on London, 25 francs 98 centimes.

EXEMPTED

The Fag—Oh, I'd go to the war quick enough, but mother wouldn't like me to; and I've never disappointed her since the day I was born.

The Snag—Well, if she was hoping for a daughter, I'm sure you've done your best ot console her.—Sidney Bulletin.



SILVER 101 1-8 AT NEW YORK

Spelter Quiet at New York—Metal Exchange Quotes Lead Prices Lower

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Silver $1.01⅛; at London, 48 7-16d.

Lead—St. Louis, $5.07½; New York, $5.45; Montreal, $6.59; London, £32 10s.

New York metal exchange quotes lead nominal; spot and January offered at $5.50. Spelter nominal; East St. Louis delivery, spot and January, $6.65.

Copper quiet; electrolytic, 18¾c to 19c; iron nominally unchanged.

BANK CLEARINGS FOR DOMINION CITIES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 30.—Following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion for the week ending today:

Montreal	$81,053,866
Toronto	68,056,616
Winnipeg	33,757,119
Vancouver	9,288,592
Ottawa	6,370,573
Hamilton	4,572,673
Edmonton	2,867,837
Halifax	4,026,110
London	2,167,531
Regina	2,707,819
St. John	2,474,657
Victoria	1,673,645
Moose Jaw	1,307,298
Brandon	446,901
Brantford	762,617
Fort William	558,435
Lethbridge	581,773
New Westminster	409,975

SHARP BREAK IN MAPLE LEAF MILLING STOCK

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—A sharp break in Maple Leaf Milling to the lowest level in more than four months was a rather unsettling incident in the Toronto market today and drew attention to the dubious outlook for the whole milling industry at present because of the virtual embargo on flour shipments.

Maple Leaf opened two points down at 123 and in the afternoon sold off to 122½, closing at the low, while Maple Leaf preferred at 98½ showed a decline of ¼.

Barcelona sold off ⅝ to 10 and the bid later dropped to 9½. Brazilian was also reactionary, but after opening at 50⅝, the price advanced to 51½, a point under yesterday's closing.

Half point recessions were also shown by Smelters at 25 and Nova Scotia Car preferred at 28½.

Two firm issues were Mackay and Twin City. The former moved up a point to 74 and broken lots of the latter sold at 44½ and 43½, as compared with previous sales at 40.

The announcement that Bank of Toronto shares had been raised from an 11 per cent to 12 per cent basis did not have any immediate effect, the bid remaining at 202.

The war loans were less active, with little change in prices.

BROADER MARKET ON MONTREAL EXCHANGE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—Stock trading broadened out slightly here today, but price movements for the most part were narrow and irregular and definite tendencies were lacking.

The steel stocks closed lower for the day, Dominion finishing 59¼ and Canada 59, net losses of ¼ in each case.

Ottawa Power achieved prominence by reason of a thousand-share transaction at 80¾, an advance of 5¾ points over the last market quotation.

Other slightly stronger stocks included Car preferred 1 higher at 83 and Wabasso Cotton 1 higher at 60.

Brazilian at 51, Cement at 64, Steamship preferred at 78¼, Smelters at 25 and Montreal Power at 85½ were in the list of stocks to show small fractional losses for the day. Laurentide weakened more sharply, selling two points lower at 192.

In the bank list Merchants was a strong feature, selling at 192 ex-dividend, a new high for the movement and an advance of 2 points for the day. Bonds were less active and irregular, with the most important changes, a decline of ⅜ in the 1937 five per cent war loan, which sold at 97½, and an advance of ¾ to 1 point in the 1937 five and a half per cent Victory bonds.

Sales. Shares, 3662; bonds, $204,000.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—Eggs easier and prices tending toward lower levels. Potatoes steady. Butter firm. Cheese firm. Quotations:

Cheese: Finest easterns, 24c to 25c.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 53c to 54c.

Eggs: Selected, 57c to 58c; No. 1 stock, 53c to 54c.

Potatoes, per bag, car lots, $1.65 to $1.70.

CORN PRICES UP

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Evidence that Argentina corn was difficult to purchase and rumors that the entente allies would abandon efforts for a cereal agreement with Argentina, did a good deal today to lift that corn market higher. Prices closed strong, 2 cents to 3¼ cents net higher with May $1.20¼ to $1.20½ and July $1.17 to $1.17¼.

Oats gained ½ cent to ⅞ cent. Provisions were unchanged to 50 cents lower.

A shoe does not contain the sole of honor.

FIRE IN PICTURE THEATRE

TORONTO.—During the progress of the performance at the Red Mill theatre, Yonge street, a roll of film became ignited and blazed up, doing small damage. Though there was a considerable number of people in the theatre at the time, they were apparently ignorant of the affair until the firemen arrived with the apparatus.

TOLD OF WIFE'S DEATH

TORONTO.—Corp. Frank Billingham of Huntsville, speeding home after four years' absence on service, received the distressing news in a telegram yesterday when approaching Toronto that his wife had died. Grief-stricken, he was with some difficulty pacified by comrades, who collected $38 as a testimonial to him. Billingham is 30 years of age, and went overseas with the 2nd battalion. While he was away his parents died. He himself has been wounded.

BABY CHOKES TO DEATH

GUELPH. — Yesterday a seven months old baby, whose parents are Russians, picked up a piece of candy on the floor and put it in its mouth. It got in the little one's throat and before medical aid could be secured the child choked to death.

THEFTS ON INCREASE IN CITY OF PARIS

PARIS.—Thefts, acts of violence and armed attacks are increasing daily in Paris, according to the Matin, which declares that the demobilization of allied troops is bound to have the effect of further increasing acts of lawlessness. The Matin continues:

"Many former prisoners now freed from the army are hurrying to make up for lost time. This band of lawbreakers is now increased by contingents from the armies of our allies. Such a statement need not offend the susceptibilities of our friends beyond the Channel and across the Atlantic. A national army means the recruiting of all classes, good as well as bad.

"During the last week 130 night assaults in the Paris district were reported as having been committed by deserters from the American army."

GREAT SURPRISE FOR NORRIS MAN

BUTTE.—John H. Stolker, a prominent mining man of Norris for the past 35 years, was in Butte on business, and while on West Park street a stalwart young man stepped up behind him and said "Hello, dad."

Quickly turning, he stood face to face with his son, Pte. Alfred J. Stolker, Company F, Seventy-fifth infantry, who had been stationed at Camp Lewis since last August, had been discharged from service, and was en route home.

Pte. Stolker arrived in Butte early yesterday morning and it was his intention to leave for his home town today and surprise his father and sister. The elder Stolker told a representative last night that meeting his boy on the streets of Butte was the greatest surprise of his life.

Young Stolker received his discharge eight days before the rest of the men who are at the camp, and he says they will all be home within the next two weeks. The father has been in Montana for 40 years, and has been engaged in placer mining all that time. He was located at Gold creek for a few years. He and his son leave for their home town this morning.

STOLE FROM COMPATRIOT.

TORONTO—Andrew Arsiic, a Russian, who stole $960 from a compatriot, $500 of which was found in his posession when arrested, was sentenced to two years less one day by Judge Winchester in the criminal court yesterday.

Any man who feeds upon his own greatness is not apt to be bothered with the gout.

MARKING TRAILS FOR MOTORISTS

NEW WESTMINSTER—The marking of a Canadian transcontinental trail by signs on telegraph poles, trees and other ways, was explained by R. H. Atkinson, of the Canadian Trai lassociation, with headquarters at Moose Jaw, at the recent automobile club meeting. The Red trail will run from Lethbridge to Nelson, where there will be better arrangements made for shipping across the lake. From Nelson to Trail the government gives the assurances that two miles of road will be constructed as a link. From Rossland to Cascade the route will pass through the United States. The marking will be continued through the Okanaagn and from Hope to Vancouver.

The black trail will run from Moose Jaw to the States, and the green trail to Saskatoon. The signs are simple and the marking will facilitate motorists following unknown routes.

Mr. Atkinson asked the support of the asosciation, which will be considered at another meeting.

J. A. Sweetman, representing the Hart-Bell carbon remover, distributed by the Kingston Supply company, who is a member of the Ontario Motor league, gave some interesting details of the great increase in automobile and motor truck traffic over the new Toronto to Hamilton highway. He stated that high power automobiles and trucks in Ontario paid a license fee up to $25, and the fees were devoted to permanent highway paving.

KICKED BLEEDING WOUNDS

TORONTO,—Judging from personal experiences and from what he had heard, Capt. Len Morrison told the association of 3rd battalion veterans that he believed the stories told by repatriated prisoners of their treatment in prison camps. One of the most cruel instances he cited of "courtesy" accorded him was when one German, on seeing the blood-stained bandages on his legs while he was waiting for entrainment at the railhead, deliberately walked over and kicked him on his wounds, calling him as he did so an "English swine."

Sergt. Fred Lorsch, another recent arrival from Hun camps, said that in comparison to the fate of the private soldiers the lot of n.c.o's was a happy one, and declared that in many cases the soldiers were made the victims of hardship and punishment of "a most damnable description."

Arrangements were made for according comrades of the 3rd battalion who had yet to return a welcome on their arrival in Toronto, as well as the battalion itself as soon as it gets back to its home town. At the next meeting of the association, on Feb. 18, nominations will be received for a new executive and officers.

Rev. A. J. Vining, for the past six years minister of the College street Baptist church, Toronto, is retiring on account of ill health.

Was Pulled Through

THE TRYING TIME IN A WOMAN'S LIFE

Mrs. Membury, 325 Seaton St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and found them to be of great benefit to me, in fact, I consider they saved my life and I have told many of my neighbors about them.

"Two years ago last November I was in poor health. The doctor said it was change of life, as I was over forty years old and that I would have to be very careful of myself. Shortly after that I received an awful shock that nearly killed me. The doctor my husband sent for said I would soon be all right and sent up some medicine but it only seemed to increase the trouble. I was then taken to the hospital. The doctors examined me, but could not understand my case.

Then they sent for a specialist, as they began to think it was my mind.

When the specialist came he was baffled, for I answered his questions all right. Every day I was getting weaker, and when my husband came he could see that I was going, as I could read his thoughts, but said nothing.

"Next day a friend came with a cab and took me to their home. They got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I started taking them and began to get better and at the end of two weeks, I could walk around the room. I am now well and able to do my own work.'

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But nearly everyone in Canada can and should invest $4.00 periodically in these Government securities earning over 4½ per cent. compound interest. W.S.S. are sold at Money-Order Post Offices, Banks, and wherever the sign is displayed.

This Month $4.00 each
Next Month $4.01 each

THRIFT STAMPS

Patriotic storekeepers will sell you Thrift Stamps, at 25 cents each. Affix sixteen of them to a Thrift Card and you can exchange for a W.S.S. this month.

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NOT VERY PROMISING.

The speech from the throne at Victoria yesterday will come as a disappointment to those who had hoped that the Oliver government would go before the legislature with a definite, clear-cut program of development adequate to the needs of the times. The program outlined yesterday suggests that the administration at Victoria is not seized with the necessity for vigorous constructive development to keep British Columbia from lagging behind the rest of the country, which is preparing for great development during the next few years.

Two new commissions are to be added to the large number already in existence. One is to deal with public utilities and another with public libraries. Educational textbooks are to be standardized, deserters and draft evaders are, very properly, to be disfranchised. The prohibition act is to be given necessary amendment. The tax sale act is, again very properly, to be further amended for the benefit of soldiers. Schools in centres where alien population predominates are to be better regulated, regulations governing the superannuation of civil servants are to be changed, land in the South Okanagan is to be developed for returned soldiers. The long established policy of encouraging stock breeding is to be continued. An "emergency" appropriation to provide employment in connection with development work of a productive nature is to be voted.

Some of these measures are important, but the program is sadly lacking in the definite constructive development features which had been hoped for. The land scheme for returned soldiers appears to be confined to the South Okanagan proposition, about which considerable is likely to be heard before the session is over.

Evidently a blanket appropriation is to be asked in connection with the "emergency" that seems to be expected to arise through unemployment. This is a dangerous and half-hearted policy. The situation should be met in an entirely different way. The province needs road development and vigorous development in a score of other ways and it would be more business-like and infinitely more promising of good results if the government had worked out a definite scheme of constructive work and gone ahead with it. If that were done no "emergency" would arise. To drift along without any well thought out plan is bound to prove unsatisfactory.

HATS OFF

The war veterans are right when they suggest that it would be a fitting tribute to men who have given everything for their country if when military funerals pass through the streets men who are standing by would raise their hats.

Omission to perform this courtesy does not necessarily imply any deliberate lack of respect for the veteran about to be laid in his last resting place. There is hardly a man who does not pay heartfelt tribute to the gallant soldiers who made victory in the war possible for the allied cause. But to raise the hat as a veteran's funeral porcession passes is an outward and visible expression of the tribute which is paid by the heart which everyone will gladly make, now that the matter has been brought to public attention.

WELCOME TO THE SOLDIER-MEMBERS

There are three new members of the legislature at Victoria this session. They are Major "Dick" Burde, M.C., (Alberni), Pte. Frank Giolma (Victoria) and Pte. Kenneth Campbell (Cowichan). All are returned soldiers.

The public of the province will welcome them to the house, not only as veterans of the great war, but as British Columbians anxious to see that justice is done to the people of the province as a whole.

It may be taken for granted that they will do useful work in the house, both as critics and as originators of constructive legislation.

Lenine and Trotsky now turn to those with appeals for aid whom the Bolsheviki wanted to exterminate by slaughter.

"Hog prices have been on the pork barrel," observed an exchange, meaning, of course, that pork prices have reached the top.

Prairie papers are enthusiastic about the fine weather. In British Columbia there is so much of this sort of thing that there is little enthusiasm over it.

Henry Ford says that a business that makes nothing but money is a poor kind of business, and he might have added in all truth that a business that does not make money is a much poorer kind of business.

The "Dail Eireann," which is the parade name of the Sinn Fein mock parliament, is announced as having met in "the shadow of Dublin castle." The Sinn Feiners are used to the shadows where the brickbats are thickest and where one can draw a bead on a policeman in the most approved safety-first manner.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

No Bottom

The "Cost of Living" branch of the department of labor, having made an investigation, reports that the chief excuse for the exorbitant prices of oranges has been removed, and prices should be "decidedly lower." Now watch them tumble in the usual way! At $1.20 a dozen there is lots of room for the drop.—Halifax Chronicle.

Stepping Right Along

Having secured re-election two years ago on the claim that he had kept the United States out of the war, President Wilson is now receiving an even mort remarkable expression o. approval from the people of Europe because he got the United States into the war.—Edmonton Bulletin.

COMMUNICATION

THERE WAS PLENTY OF FOOD AT MOLLY GIBSON MINE

To the Editor of The Daily News.

Sir,—In connection with the article appearing in The Daily News of Jan. 29 relative to conditions existing at the Molly Gibson mine as evidently stated by N. S. Houston, I feel that it is my duty to correct Mr. Houston insofar as the statements attributable to him in connection with wood and supplies at the mine are concerned.

There was ample wood in the tram shed for at least two weeks' use, and within easy reach of the bunkhouse.

The boarding house supplies were more than sufficient to last the men employed at the mine for one month and consisted of the following:

400 lbs government standard flour.
200 lbs. flour substitutes.
100 lbs. rice.
60 lbs. white beans.
300 lbs. sugar.
80 lbs. butter.
50 lbs. lard.
30 lbs. cheese.
2 large cases of corn flakes.
40 lbs. rolled oats.
1 case soda biscuits.
1 full loin beef.
1 front quarter of beef.
2-3 carcass of mutton.
40 lbs. frozen salmon.
40 lbs. frozen halibut.
700 lbs. potatoes.
2 cases of milk.
90 lbs. of ham.
50 lbs. of bacon.
2 boxes of apples.
5 cases gallon fruit (assorted).
30 lbs. marmalade.
Assortment of canned beans, peas and corn.
Canned oysters.
15 lbs. Blue Ribbon tea.
15 lbs. coffee.
And all necessarp spices.

It is therefore evident that no shortage of supplies existed at the time Mr. Houston visited the mine.

CHAS. F. JAMES,
Cook at Milly Gibson mine.

To the Editor of The Daily News:

Sir,—In accordance with a resolution passed at an executive meeting of the Great War Veterans association, it was decided to bring before the notice of the citizens of Nelson the following well founded complaints. First, the manner in which the bodies of our late comrades were brought down from the Balfour sanitarium.

These bodies were brou... down in a small car with an ordinary touring body, one placed in a ..asket across the car, resting on the doors, with the ends of the basket protruding over the sides, and his comrade placed on top of him, lengthways with the car, in a galvanized receptacle. The car crossed on the ferry and proceeded at a rapid rate to the undertaking parlors. It is true that the receptacles containing the dead were somewhat hidden from view by some white (?) cotton, but we hope in future that decency will be observed.

We absolutely exonerate the staff of the Balfour sanitarium from all blame in this matter.

Second, we were very much hurt to notice that a large number of the male population of Nelson neglected to pay proper respect to our dead comrades by omitting to raise their hats as these soldiers were borne to their last resting place.

For the Executive Committee,
A. C. DEE,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Nelson Branch, G. W. V. A., Nelson, B.C., Jan. 29, 1919.

Toronto is now receiving almost as much in fines on account of liquor prosecutions as it did in 1913 on revenue from liquor licenses.

WEAK, RUN-DOWN WOMEN

This Letter Will Show You How Other Women Keep Up Strength.

Cleveland, Ohio.—"I keep house for my husband and myself and got into a weak rundown condition, no strength, languid and no ambition. After doctoring for a while and getting no better I tried Vinol and to my surprise it built me up and strengthened my whole system.——Mrs. Wm. D. Dawson.

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HOW WOUNDS OF SHIPS ARE HEALED BY DOCTORS

The great cruiser was indeed in a pitiable state; she looked the epitome of desolation and misery as the fussy little tugs hauled her gently past the chequered forts at Spithead, and headed her tenderly towards that home of healing for such battered hulks as she—Portsmouth Royal dockyard.

Her foremast was snapped off short, and her fire control top had completely disappeared; the fore funnel looked like a battered tin-can or a squashed concertina, and her bridge was a mass of twisted steel and splintered woodwork. The great fore turret looked as though attacked with a gigantic tin-opener; the colossal right twelve-inch gun was snapped off short, the raw edges of the steel showing like the teeth of a beast of prey. The midship funnel had completely disappeared with its casing, but the after one, strangely enough, had not received so much as a scratch on its paintwork.

"Bearing Her Blushing Honors"

The armored hull bore evidence to the straight shooting indulged in by the enemy. Circular holes indicated where the monster shells had passed clean through, deep dents showed where the resisting plates had turned them off. One projectile had carried a high-pressure turbine completely off its bed in the port engine room. Others had ruined boilers, so that eight out of a score could only be trusted to raise steam. But, damaged as she was, the great cruiser was triumphant also—a sixteen-foot square collision mat spread over her bows covered a gaping hole made when she, in her last extremity, lifted her ram and jammed it clean through the side of her insolent foe. After that, what did it matter if the foremost compartments filled with water, if the deck did slant downwards till every ripple sent a film of water streaming over the wrecked and shell-torn forecastle?

Her captain, unhurt by the fight, had gone almost grey-haired over the getting of the ship to the place where the three magnificent tugs met and took her in charge. And now, with a pilot on the bridge, with a tug ahead to haul her along, and one on each side to steer her, he was sleeping the sleep of utter exhaustion in a wrecked fore cabin.

Right up harbor went the battered ship, saluting as she passed the Victory, and seeming to receive a welcoming "Well done!" from that battle worn craft. Trim cruisers, patrol boats, destroyers and submarines extended their sympathy and silent praise as she sheered by them, until at last she came to the great dry-dock designed for her reception. The foremost tug cast off and dropped behind, placing her nose gently against the cruiser's stern, and slewing her into position for entering the dock.

In the Dry Dock

Then came dirty men in fussy little steamboats, and cast lines, which, when hauled upon, brought wire hawsers to the cruiser. These were made fast to bollards, and the other ends taken to hydraulic capstans ashore. Then slowly, carefully, these were hove round, and the battered vessel slipped inch by inch into her sick bed. The caisson at the end of the dock slid into place astern of her, the great pumps clanked, and the water became lower gradually, but quite perceptibly.

Hordes of grimy dockyardmen swarmed into her as the gangways were flung to the jetty; fussy little cranes slammed into the dock huge, square baulks of timber, sized and marked to fit each in a certain position and no other. They took these baulks, the "mateys," and they adjusted them so that, when at last the cruiser's keel rested on the chocks in the bottom of the dock, the baulks supported her on both sides, and prevented her canting over to one side or the other. And as the water receded and exposed more of her under water hulls, the mateys put in other rows of shores, till at last she was dry and high, ready for the healing hands of the ship doctors.

New Ships for Old

This done, came a small army of other grimy men—fitters, turners, artificers of all kinds—with their small tool-boxes. Followed them a host of small and even dirtier boys.

Then arose the most awful din conceivable. Hammers racketted away inside the ship, driving out old rivets; drills chopped through armored bolts like knives through cheese; saws cut away battered plating as though it had been tissue paper. The work went on day and night as if under a magician's wand.

And when at the end of their three weeks 'leave—they had well earned the rest—the cruiser's complement returned to their ship, they found that not only had her wounds been repaired, not only was she fully equipped at all points and ready for immediate action if needs be, but the dockyardmen had hauled her out of dock and placed her head towards the Channel, had filled her bunkers with coal and her magazines with ammunition—in sooth, they had healed her and convalesced her and passed her "Fit for General Service."

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

(From The Daily Miner.)

C. W. Riley returned to Nelson yesterday from Rossland.

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W. M. Jameson has purchased two lots at Josephine and Hoover streets and will erect a cottage.

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E. H. Goodfellow of Vancouver arrived in Nelson Sunday night to occupy a position in the C. P. R. telegraph office in this city.

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Joseph Bradshaw, an employee of Kootenay Columbia road, broke his arm yesterday while coupling cars at Slocan Junction.

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Twenty cases have been set down for hearing before the supreme court which sits here on Monday.

GERMAN SOLDIERS WILLING TO FIGHT REDS

WARSAW—The majority of the German soldiers returning from Russia, although they quarrel among themselves, denounce Bolshevism.

Many of them declare that as soon as they spend a few weeks at home they will be willing to return and fight the Bolsheviki on the eastern frontiers of Germany.

They declare, however, that they are not willing to fight the invaders for the benefit of the Poles.

WON'T EXTEND POLICY

TORONTO.—The board of control decided not to change the soldiers' insurance policy so as to pay $1000 on the livees of men who enlisted since the Military Service act went into force. Two applications, one from Robert Gillies and another from J. aHrrop, asking the extension of the policy, were received. Objection was taken to discrimination being shown citizens.

No news has been received of Aldege Masse, 19-year-old son of Joseph Masse, Hull, who is presumed to have wandered winto the woods and lost his way at Kippewa on Nov. 21 last

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily News.)

R. Sharpe of this city is on a few days' visit to Coleman.

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J. H. Hallett, police magistrate, of Greenwood, reached the city last evening.

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Miss Letty Schofield of Trail came in last night and is a guest at the Strathcona.

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William Dower of Kaslo is a guest at the Hume.

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Joseph Patrick is leaving the city today for the coast.

HUNS DECEIVED

Capt. von Mantey of the German navy, is credited with discovering a new and dreadful crime of which the English have been guilty. They have deceived the Germans, the trusting Germans.

Here is the way it happened, according to the Herr Captain. When the Germans started on their U-boat campaign of frightfulness they made all sorts of estimates as to sinkings. The results were up to their average of expectations. The sinking of 600,000 tons a month up to August last was enough "to bring England to reason," but it didn't. England should have sued for peace and Germany expected a peace proposal, but "the British deceived us," says the Herr Captain.

Darn those British- What a shame it is that they should dupe the Germans in such a way. If they had any respect for what is right and proper they would have called the war off then and there and there would have been rejoicing in Germany instead of woe.

The British have been guilty of many wrongs, have much for which they should do penance, but of all their crimes none is so black as this in deceiving the Hun.

But, probably, John Bull is more to be pitied than blamed. It's almost a habit with him not to know when he is licked.—From the New York Commercial.

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(By Gunner A. W. Graham, Nelson.)

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We certainly haven't got upholstered benches
Or anything flavored with luxury's joys.
There's times when we're fighting and times when we ain't,
And times when we're putting up wire
At times there's a silence that makes your heart faint,
And times when your thoughts travel higher,
You sit and you list to the shells over head
As they travel with death-dealing sound,
There's a hiss and a bang. You know *someone's* dead,
For theres' flesh and blood scattered around.
There's the moan and the groan of the wounded that lie
On the ground where the shell has just struck.
There are some who will live and some who will die,
And some who are cursing their luck,
Oh, it isn't all honey and it isn't all cream
When sitting around in the gloom.
You sit and you stare, you think and your dream
And you wish for a nice cosy room.
You wallow in mud and your boots go "flop,"
You're feeling downhearted and glum,
When the order comes, "Boys, we're going over the top,"
There's a general buzzing and hum.
They look to their bayonets, they look to their guns,
And see that their strappings are tight,
They're determined to enter a trench of the Huns
During some hour of the night.
The men are all eager, their nerves are aflame,
They are anxious for something to do.
There are some who will win with glory and fame,
And some who will never pull through.
Our field guns, they crash and they rattle
While covering our advance,
For we know with din of battle
That soon it will be our chance
To do our bit for our country's sake
And the flag we love so dear.
We know that we have a name to make,
We know not the meaning of fear.
There's a roaring of thunder like hell turned loose,
There's the shriek of the shells as they fly,
And we're sitting around with minds abstruse
As to whether we'll live or die.
The order is given and over we go,
Through shrapnel that's flying around,
While high in the heavens the star shells glow,
And we flop ourselves flat on the ground.
We lie for a moment, then up and away,
Right across No Man's Land,
With hearts that are burning and steeled for the fray
And a feeling you can't understand.
Artillery fire has ceased for the night.
The enemy's trenches are gone,
We trudge bravely onward, our lips shut tight,
For we know there's work to be done.
We step and we stumble o'er shell holes and mud,
Wondering what is ahead.
Our object is reached and we wallow in blood
That is pouring from wounded and dead.
We tend to the wounded, our friends and our foes,
We round up our prisoners to.
There are some who are happy and others morose
And some who don't care what you do.
I'll be glad when it's over and home once again,
Back to the farm and the crop,
And I'll never forget the terrible strain
Of the night we went over the top.

IS FRIDAY UNLUCKY?

Many years ago, when sailing ships were the only means of communication between the different countries, superstition was more rife among sailors than at the present time. These absurd fancies were not confined to Jack alone, but they were shared in a greater or less evtent by shipmasters and owners. Friday was considered a day of evil, and the most malignant results were supposed to attend a voyage commenced on this day of the week. In those times he would indeed have been a reckless skipper who would have attempted to sail on this ill omened day, for the crew would have broken out in open rebellon rather than lift the anchor from the bottom or cast off shore moorings.

A true story is told of a skeptical Massachusetts captain who, way back in the early years of the repblic, determined to exhibit the fallacy of this particular superstition. He contracted on a certain Friday for the guilding of a ship, and it was arranged that the keel of this vessel was laid on Friday, she was launched on Friday, named Friday and commenced loading on a Friday, and hauled into the stream on the same day of the week. To add to the possibilities of disaster a negro cook named Friday was engaged; and thus fully freighted with the sinister name, the ship sailed for a port in the West Indies. From that day to this no tidings of the ill-condition craft have been received. But those of who like Friday for various reasons, but chiefly because it leads up to Saturday, upon which day schools are closed, will be pleased to hear that it is no so unlucky a day as Monday, the day school opens again. A statistician, feeling that Friday had been a much maligned day, determined to make a scientific investigation of the matter, and has found that it is not Friday but Monday that is the most unfortunate of the week days. According to his investigations 16.74 per cent of all accidents occur on Monday, 15.51 on Tuesday, 16.31 per cent on Wednesday, 15.47 per cent on Thursday, 16.38 per cent on Friday and 16.38 per cent on Saturdays and only 1.69 per cent on Sunday.

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(Modes of Today)

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In order to make room for Spring Goods we are clearing up several lines of Women's Shoes which are broken in sizes. All Felt Slippers, Felt Shoes, Jaeger's Goods we are selling at 20 per cent Discount. All Spats and Over Gaiters are also marked down 20 per cent.

$4.95 Women's Black Kid, Women's Patent Leather, Women's Tan Calf Shoes. Regular $6.00 and $7.00 goods.

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EVERYBODY'S BUSY IN CRESTON VALLEY

Compton Buys Tractor—Hilton Buys Land—Anderson Building Verandah—Veterans Organizing—Hens Lay

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, B. C., Jan. 30.—James Compton is the second of the valley ranchers to bring in a farm tractor in the past two months. His machine is 22 horsepower and is specially adapted for cultivation work in orchards, as well as having the necessary capacity for other lines of farm and road work. The fore part of December, Staples Bros. brought in a 22 horsepower tractor, which they are utilizing for hay hauling, and will have available for the government road work this year if required.

The 14-acre property, better known as the Dick Helm ranch, near town, has this week been purchased by W. H. Hilton, who has had the Attwood place on lease for the past five years. Mr. Hilton's new property comprises about 1400 fruit trees which are just coming into bearing. The deal was put through by R. Lamont, at a figure which shows that improved valley realty is more than holding its own as to value.

Creston Valley Great War Veterans are meeting in the board of trade rooms on Saturday night, when it is expected a valley branch of the G. W. V. A. will be organized. Almost 20 veterans are already back and others are coming every week.

Pte. John Andrews got back from overseas on Saturday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Andrew, after two years of service. He went across with a Winnipeg battalion late in 1916, and was wounded early in the summer, getting back to France again about six weeks before the armistice was proclaimed. Two other veterans are at the coast, having arrived on the Asia. They are Major —allandine and Lieut. S. A. Macdonald, M.M., a former principal of Creston superior school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bysouth left on Tuesday for Coalmont, B.C., where they are t ospend the next two months with the former's brother. J. G. Smith and G. Brewer left the same day for Penticton, where the latter is interested in some land.

The orchestra's annual masquerade ball on Friday night attracted a fair turnout of dancers, some 40 couples being in attendance. The prize winners were: Miss Jane Long, best ladies' costume; Fred Waylett, best gent's costume; Miss Ruth Klingensmith, ladies' comic; and Ron Lidgate, gent's comic.

R. G. A. Heckley left yesterday for Victoria, where he will spend the next couple of months. S. A. Speers is at Yahk for a couple of days this week.

J. M. Craigie left on Monday for Caithness, where he is supervising preliminary work on the reconstruction of the Jewell sawmill, which was burned to the ground about three months ago.

J. H. Fulmer has opened out the second blacksmith shop in town. W. J. Mast of Calgary replaces him in charge at the W. K. Brown shop.

Springlike weather is enabling A. Anderson to make good headway on the commodious verandah he is building on the Lupton residence which he purchased a few months ago.

Word has just come of the marriage in Glasgow, Scotland, of Pte. John A. Ryckman to Miss Bessie McIntosh, the ceremony being performed the latter part of December.

Miss N. E. Faulkner left on Monday for Seattle, where she has secured a position and will reside in future.

The fortnightly heated car service the Canadian Pacific railway is at present supplying on the Crows Nest line, is gradually cleaning up the surplus apple and vegetable stocks in the valley. Today a straight car of potatoes was loaded, as well as another car half and half to spuds and apples. At present it is estimated that growers have less than a car of apples now on hand.

The valley hens are beginning to get down to business and in consequence the price of fresh eggs has dropped from 75 cents to 60 cents a dozen in less than a week. Quite high prices for eggs, however, are looked for this season, as the flocks of poultry here are much smaller, due to high feed prices.

Guy Constable is a Nelson visitor today for a meeting of the delegates of the Central Kootenay Farmers institutes.

Messrs. Harding, Carruthers, Brown and Emery, managers of the Mutual Brokers wholesale fruit houses at Medicine Hat, Calgary, Edmonton and Winnipeg respectively, were here over the weekend, investigating the 1918 fruit shipping and getting a line on the 1919 prospects.

ROSSLAND NOTES

Rossland, B. C., Jan. 30.—Mrs. H. W. Atkinson entertained at a delightful bridge party Tuesday afternoon at her home on Columbia avenue in honor of her guest, Mrs. G. Dennison. After cards a number came in for tea. Mrs. C. H. Wallace carried off the honors of the afternoon.

J. Rude and J. Batchelder of Trail spent the evening in the city.

Mrs. C. B. Smith was hostess at a small bridge party Tuesday evening.

W. H. Reid of the West Kootenay office staff leaves in a few days for Spokane and Seattle.

Mrs. H. W. Atkinson and Mrs. G. Denison went to Trail this evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Hunnay and Mrs. Moffatt.

J. Crouch, who has been in training in the United States army, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wood of Paterson were visitors to the city Tuesday, returning to Paterson this morning.

Mr. W. H. Falding has returned to the city after spending a fortnight visiting at Victoria and New Westminster

J. S. C. Deschamps has returned from a business trip to Calgary and other points.

January Clearance Sale

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KASLO SENDS $731 TO COAST

Nearly $500 Was Result of Recent Red Cross Drive—Other Points Contribute.

KASLO, B. C., Jan. 30.—Kaslo Red Cross has forwarded $731.75 to Vancouver. Of this $494 was the result of the recent Red Cross drive and was collected in Kaslo, and the balance was contributed by points in the district.

Following is a list of points contributing:

Crawford Bay, $79; Queens Bay, $31.25; Howser, $24.15; Riondel, $30; Argenta, $24.50; Poplar, $10; Bear Lake, $5; Whitewater mine, $18; Silver Bell mine, $21; Gibson mine, $7; Gerrard, $6.

The canvassers of the Victory loan turned in the following commission to the society's funds:

Riondel, T. H. Beley, $55; Queens Bay, J. H. Hoyle, $1.75; Argenta, H. Denoreaz, $56.50; Kaslo, W. A. Burgess, $8; Rev. W. Campbell, $76.62; T. Calvert, $23.25; A. McQueen, $29.25; H. Giegerich, $49.50; A. T. Garland, $21.62; James Anderson, $216, making a total of $537.50.

MISS BARKLEY WILL RESIDE IN SILVERTON

(Special to The Daily News.)

BENTON SIDING, B. C., Jan. 30.—Miss Barkley, who since her graduation from the Kootenay Lake General hospital, Nelson, has been in charge of the hospital at Silverton, B. C., is spending a vacation with her parents here. After visiting her sister, Mrs. Graham of Cranbrook, Miss Barkley intends to return to Silverton, where she has been very successful and popular.

T. Dowd and W. McLaughlin, who have both been laid up with influenza for the last two weeks, are recovering. M. McLaughlin left the house for the first time today.

Mr. and Mrs. Pegelo have removed to Salmo, where Mr. Pegelo has received an excellent appointment at the Salmo Shingle company's works.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fick have left for Oldfields, Cal.

Mrs. McLaughlin has received reassuring news from her son in France, from whom she had not heard for several months. Pte. C. McLaughlin hopes to be home some time before summer.

E. E. Hill is expected home today. Pte. Hill lenlisted in 1916 with the 225th and was seriously wounded in action last September.

Mrs. C. C. Ladd returned from a visit to Spokane Monday.

JURY DISAGREES; SIMPSON OF CALGARY DISCHARGED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 30.—After an absence of five hours, the jury in the case of Harvy. M. Simpson, charged with arson on Dec. 5 last, disagreed, and were according discharged by Mr. Justice Hyndman. A new trial has been asked for and will probably be held next week. James Short, K. C., for the prosecution and J. McKinley Cameron, with whom was J. J. O'Connor for the defence.

If a man's mind is ever filled with burning thoughts it's when he pays the gas bill.

SASKATCHEWAN BILL ON VENEREAL DISEASES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINNA, Jan. 30.—This evening's sitting of the Saskatchewan legislature resulted in the final passage of the bill providing for the prevention and control of venereal diseases in addition to several other measures. A suggestion of the relaxation of some of the more stringent clauses for the benefit of residents of the outlying portions of the province where medical assistance is unobtainable did not meet with the approval of the assembly.

IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY WILL DISMISS ALIENS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Jan. 30.—The Imperial Oil company tonight informed the G. W. V. A. at their regular meeting they wanted returned men to displace aliens in the company's employ here and that they were prepared to dismiss aliens as fast as soldiers took their places.

TRAIL NOTES

TRAIL, B. C., Jan. 30.—Miss Mary L. Black is seriously ill at her home at Trail creek ranch.

Miss Jean McCallum is ill at her home on Tamarack avenue.

Jack Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Minton, celebrated his sixth birthday on Monday by entertaining a number of his little friends at a party at his home Green avenue. Games were played and a dainty supper enjoyed by the guests. Those present were Mildred and Hilda Barnes, Arthur Andrews and Jimmie Day.

John Walker is ill at his home on Helena street.

Mrs. R. Marshall, Misses Jean and Mary Marshall and Matthew Marshall returned Wednesday evening from a stay of several months at the coast.

Mrs. Fred Morrish is confined to her home by fliness.

The united prayer service was held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, the address being given by Ensign Cox of the Salvation Army.

N. Emma Read is substituting on the staff of the Central school this week.

Mrs. E. Neiderman has returned from a visit to Nelson.

Mrs. A. M. O'Donnell and Miss Mary O'Donnell returned Wednesday evening from an extended visit to relatives in Winnipeg and other eastern points.

BRITISH CABINET WILL NOT INTERVENE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The cabinet met today to discuss the labor troubles. It is understood that the ministers decided against intervening at present in the strikes, on the grounds that they have not been authorized by the trade unionists and that, therefore, intervention would be unwise. It is the view of the ministers that the men, in the absence of the usual strike pay, are not likely long to keep up the movement, and that the government, therefore, should confine its action to preserving order.

At the meeting the ministers discussed a telegram received from the provost of Glasgow, containing the request of the strikers for the government to intervene to secure for them a 40-hour week. Andrew Bonar Law, lord privy seal, on behalf of Premier Lloyd George, sent a reply to the provost declining to intervene.

PADEREWSKI PROTESTS INVASION OF SILESIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Wednesday, Jan. 29.—Premier Paderewski of Poland, according to advices from Cracow, has protested to the Czecho-Slovak government against the invasion of Silesia by the Czecho-Slovak forces.

The supreme council of the allied and associated powers at its session Wednesday heard representatives of Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, concerning the conflict between Polish and Czecho-Slovak forces in Silesia, which is situated between the two countries.

CHANGES IN UNITED GRAIN GROWERS' STAFF

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Jan. 30.—According to an announcement made tonight by C. Rice-Jones of the United Grain Growers, E. S. McRrory has been appointed as manager of the western division of the United Grain Gowers. Mr. Rice-Jones will go to Winnipeg as general manager, still retaining his position as vice-president.

WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY WOULD SELL FOR $6,500,000

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 30.—The Ottawa Electric Railway company has made an offer to sell to the city at a price of in round figures $6,500,000, and has given an option to May at this price. This price covers all the holdings of the company, including Britannia park and the Rockliffe right-of-way.

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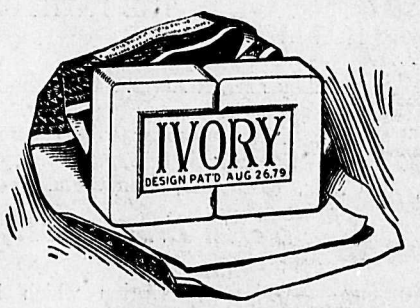

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Prohibition in Canada

An Open Letter to the People of Canada

THIS STATEMENT is being published in the Daily Papers in every Province of Canada in order to call attention to the following facts:

First fact: Every Province in Canada now has a Temperance Law in force with the exception of Quebec. On May first, 1919, the Quebec Temperance Law will come into force.

Second fact: The Dominion Government passed Legislation under the powers granted in "The War Measures Act," which prohibited for the period of the war and twelve months thereafter, Importation, Manufacture and Interprovincial Shipment of liquor for drinking purposes. This Legislation is necessary to make effective that of the Provinces.

Third fact: The people of Canada want this Legislation continued in effect until the Citizens of Canada, including all the soldiers, shall have had an opportunity to vote on the question of making it permanent.

Fourth fact: There is an insidious and far-reaching propaganda now being carried on which aims to discredit the Prohibitory Laws and restore liquor-drinking for the personal profit of the Liquor-Seller.

Fifth fact: The requisite number of State Legislatures in the United States having adopted the Prohibition Amendment, Canada must act in harmony with it or become the dumping ground for liquor and its unfortunate victims.

Who Want Prohibition?

Ask—

1. The Business men and Industrial leaders whom you know.
2. The working men and working women whom you know.
3. The Mothers, Wives and Children whom you know.
4. The Soldier Citizens of Canada whom you know.
5. The farmers whom you know.

We know that

1. Every Church and Religious Denomination in Canada has pronounced in favor of Prohibition through its Executive Boards and Church Leaders.
2. Practically all School-teachers, Doctors, Public Health Officers, City Relief Officers and Social Workers in Canada are in favor of Prohibition.
3. The Provincial Governments, the Courts and the Police have learned that Prohibition reduces crime and disorder and promotes Peace and Prosperity.

Some Significant Contrasts

The Liquor People are looking for immense profits.
WE HAVE NO SELFISH INTEREST TO SERVE.

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The liquor Interests hide behind indefinite names and work by underground methods.
WE SIGN OUR OWN STATEMENTS AND WORK IN THE OPEN.

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They hope to win by a Lobby.
WE WANT THE PEOPLE TO DECIDE.

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They are reactionaries.
WE ARE IN THE PATHS OF HUMAN PROGRESS.

* * *

They are circulating throughout the country a prescription for influenza, that is purported to come from the world celebrated Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota.

Here is what Dr. C. H. Mayo says:

"The prescription which is alleged to have been written by us is a fake. Alcohol or whiskey have no place in the treatment of influenza."

Temperance Platform

The Dominion Prohibition Committee are asking:

1. That the Prime Minister and Government of Canada be requested to take the steps necessary to continue in effect the provisions of the Order-in-Council of March 11th, 1918, (P.C. 389) by having the same embodied in Legislation to be enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

2. That the legislation so enacted be continued in effect until such time as a vote of the electors of the Dominion of Canada shall have been taken on the question of its continuance or dis-continuance.

3. That the vote on this question be taken at a date to be fixed by the Government of Canada at least six months prior to the day of voting and with due respect to the restoration to civil life in Canada of the Canadian soldiers now overseas.

What You Can Do to Help the Cause

The Dominion Parliament must consider the question of Temperance Legislation in some form at the next session. We are asking Parliament to embody in an Act, the Provisions of Orders-in-Council now in force with suitable provision for its submission to the people.

As a Citizen of Canada write to your Member of Parliament urging his active co-operation with the Government in carrying out this policy. Put your ideas in your own way and send your letter to your Member's home address as soon as you read this Statement.

Members of Parliament and National Policies are influenced by Public Opinion. Your action will be one of the ways of indicating what the people think.

We desire to warn our friends against any weakening of resolution at this critical moment. The liquor interests are at work in every Province trying to give the impression that there is a general dissatisfaction with existing laws and are using what is done in one Province to foment unrest in the others. Don't let the enemies of Prohibition do all the agitating.

If any information comes to your notice that the Central Committee should have, write at once to D. B. Harkness, General Secretary, 905 Kent Bldg., Toronto.

Platform of the Liquor People

The Distillers say:

We do not want the Bar back but we want the Interprovincial Traffic restored.

The Brewers say:

We want the percentage of alcohol in Beer increased from 2½% to 5% or 6% or even 10%.

The old time Hotel Keeper says:

We cannot run a Hotel without a Bar and if we cannot sell whiskey, we must at least have a "Beer and Wine" license.

Methods of the Liquor People:

1. They have already sent men and literature overseas in the vain hope of prejudicing many of the Canadian Soldiers.

2. They are behind a propaganda in the ranks of Labor that seeks to show that Prohibition is generally opposed by working people. This is a slander on Labor.

3. There are appearing letters signed "Wounded Soldier" or "Returned Soldier" or "Church Worker" or "Lover of Liberty" or "Soldier's Wife" or "Officer's Widow" or other camouflage names. In some cases such letters are made up and soldiers or others are asked to sign—sometimes for a consideration.

4. False stories of suffering for lack of liquor for the sick are circulated although the Law provides fully for Doctors' prescriptions.

5. Efforts are being made to discredit Administrators of the Liquor Laws and even Members of Governments who are known to be in favor of Prohibition.

6. The Liquor cause is being upheld by insidious advertisements, news despatches, articles and moving picture films.

7. Drafts of bills acceptable to the Liquor Interests are being urged on the Governments.

8. The Liquor Interests are working behind the scenes in the political parties, and by underground methods, to discredit and oust from office any public man who is an outspoken prohibitionist. Watch for the evidence of this and prevent the success of their schemes.

The Dominion Prohibition Committee

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FOR SALE—A good Saddle Horse; also broke to harness.—Apply 524 Gore street. (1339)

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ADVICE ON LOVE OR BUSINESS 50c, with birth date.—1405 Main street, Buffalo, New York, D. J. Rus sell. (1116

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FOR SALE—Furniture, carpet, lino- leum, McClary range; all practically new; also few Barred Rock cockerels and pullets.—212 Silica Street. (1337)

FOR SALE—During the next few days, Bed Clothing, Rugs, Kitchen Utensils, Preserved Fruit, Carpenter's Tools.—Cutler's Sale Room, Annable Block. (1319)

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WANTED—Girl for General House- work.—418 Carbonate street or Box 134. (1310)

32 FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR SALE—Or Will Exchange for good Ranch Horse, Milk Cow, seven years old; freshen in May.—T. J. Oliver, Gray Creek, B.C. (1313)

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A SNAP—For Sale, Hotel and Store; a splendid opening for married couple; good reasons for selling.— Apply Box 1307, Daily News. (1307)

36 FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ranch, 14 acres, partly improved; fenced and cross fenced for cow pasture; cosy four-roomed new house, furnished; cow barn for three or four cows; pig houses; good warm poultry houses; all ranch im- plements; forty fruit trees, apples and sweet cherries; sunny location and good frontage on Granite road, three miles from Nelson; cause for selling recent death of my husband.—For ful particulars, apply Mrs. E. R. Clark Granite Road, P.O. Box 377, Nelson B.C. (1315)

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HIGH SCHOOL GIRL Wants Room and Board in return for services; no children preferred.—Apply Box 63 Trail, B.C. (1353)

SPORT

OTTAWA WINS BY 3-2 SCORE

Another Overtime Game Results in a Victory for Capital—Laurier Avenue Rink is Packed

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan 30.—One of the most sensational hockey struggles that has ever taken place in the capital was played at the arena last night in the presence of a crowd that packed the Laurier avenue rink to the rafters. Ottawas and Canadiens, bitterest rivals in the race for the championship of the National hockey league, again were the contestants and the result was a victory for the Ottawas by a score of 3 to 2. For the second time within three nights the Ottawas were forced to play overtime. The big struggle did not end until 16½ minutes' overtime had been played, and the spectators were standing on their toes pleading with their favorites to score until the majority of the players were on the point of exhaustion. And the honor of netting the winning goal and of breaking up the big battle again fell to Harry Cameron, who had already made himself famous by scoring the deciding point in the Ottawa-Toronto grind at the Queen city arena just two nights before.

Ends Suddenly

The end of the big game came, as in the previous contest at Toronto, with startling suddenness. The time clock showed that 15 minutes had been played, and it looked as though the match would be called a tie, as this would have been necessary had the teams played out the second 10 minutes of the overtime. With 15 minutes of the overtime gone, Joe Hall made a rush and plunged in on Goalkeeper Benedict, striking the Ottawa net guardian across the head. It was a glaring foul, though it might have won the game, and Hall was immediately banished for a major foul, leaving Canadiens one man short. Ottawa immediately assumed the aggressive and juse as some of the spectators were leaving expecting the match to end in a tie, Nighbor, who had been recuperating in the dressing room, and who appeared fresher than the others, became the pivot of a three-man combination, with Cameron on his right and Cleghorn on his left. Nighbor worked it perfectly, dodging Lalonde and slipping the puck, when he reached Corbeau, across to Cameron after faking a pass to Cleghorn. Cameron took it perfectly, swerved slightly to his left and then let go a high shot which landed in the twine behind Vezina.

Pandemonium then broke loose in the big amphitheatre and scores rushed down to hug and congratulate the victorious Ottawa players.

Cameron kept right on skating after slamming in the goal which brought victory to Ottawa, and was in the dressing room tired and panting before the majority of spectators realized that it was all over.

The line-up:

Ottawa	Position	Canadiens
Benedict	Goal	Vezina
Cleghorn	Point	Corbeau
Camer n	Cover	Hall
Nighbor	Centre	Lalonde
Darragh	R. Wing	Pitre
Denenny	L. Wing	Clegho.n

Referee—Harry Pulford.

Judge of play—Charlie McKinley.

Summary: First period—Canadians 0, Cleghorn 19:00; second period—Ottawa, Darragh, 10:00; Ottawa, Darragh, 3:00; third period—Canadians 0, Cleghorn 3. Overtime—first period no score; second period—Ottawa, Cameron, 16:30.

NO DECISION ON CHASE CA E FOR TWO WEEKS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—No decision will be given for probably two weeks in the case of Hal Chase, Cincinnati first baseman, charged by the officials of that club with attempting to influence the results of games last season, it was announced tonight by President John Heydler, at the close of a five-hour trial at National league headquarters.

Declaring that voluminous notes of evidence would not be in proper form before that date, Mr. Heydler said:

"I have taken the case under advisement and intend to give it the most thorough and careful consideration. I cannot say how long it will take me to go over the evidence, but I will announce my findings as early as possible."

The charges made against Chase are brought under section 40 of the constitution of the National league, which reads as follows:

"Any person who shall be proven guilty of offering, agreeing, conspiring or attempting to cause any game of baseball to result otherwise than on its merits, under the playing rules, shall be forever disqualified by the president of the National league from acting as umpire, manager or player or in any other way being connected in any game of ball participated in by a league club."

Chase was present and two lawyers acted as counsel for him. No official of the Cincinnati club was on hand, but John Toole, another New York lawyer, looked after the league's interests and cross-examined some of the witnesses.

Manager Matthewson of the Cincinnati club, who is now in the United States army service in France, and Pitcher Perritt of the New York Giants, were absent, but submitted affidavits which were accepted as evidence.

Several witnesses were called, among those examined being Manager John McGraw of the New York club.

FABER SIGNS UP WITH CHICAGO AMERICANS

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Pitcher Urban Faber, having received his discharge from the navy, signed tonight with the Chicago Americans. Faber pitched the White Sox to three of their four victories in the world's series of 1917 against New York.

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AT THE THEATRES

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MORAN TO MANAGE CINCINNATI NATIONALS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 30.—Pat Moran, former manager of the Philadelphia National baseball club, signed a contract today to Manage the Cincinnati Nationals during the season of 1919. Moran was assured that he would be signed for the 1920 season if his work proves satisfactory.

Moran was signed to manage the local club only after President Herrmann had failed to receive an answer to a cablegram sent two weeks ago to Christy Matthewson, who is in France.

The fact that Matthewson failed to answer the cablegram convinced the Cincinnati owners that Matthewson was not desirous of continuing with the Cincinnati team.

KENTUCKY RACE TRACKS BOUGHT BY SYNDICATE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30.—Lexington advices quoting State Senator Coombs, indicate that all four Kentucky race tracks will pass into the possession of a syndicate of horsemen and business men shortly. According to Coombs, he has made a cash payment on the $850,000 purchase price for the Latonia and Douglas park tracks and has secured an option on 75 per cent of the stock of the new Louisville Jockey club and the Kentucky association, respective owners of Churchill Downs and the course at Lexington.

Spring meetings will be conducted by the present management.

NEW YORK NATIONALS TO PLAY EXHIBITION GAMES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The New National league baseball club will play 13 exhibition games with American league clubs in the south next spring and two in Washington, it was announced here tonight. An eight-game series with the Boston American league club will start at the Boston training camp at Tampa on March 29.

PITCHERS RELEASED FOR TOLEDO AMERICANS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The New American league club announsed tonight the release of Pitchers Roy Saunders and Paul Carpenter to the Toledo club of the American association.

CHALLENGE

The "Y" Intermediate class, effervescing with youth, are seeking victims in a Volley Ball game. Feeling confident they can take the stuffing out of the members of the "Y" Business Men's Class, they are hereby challenging them to a game, how, when and where the Business Men desire. The Intermediates hope you will bring your best team along in order that we shall not fall asleep during the game. (1352)

BEAVER PUT IT ALL OVER TIGER TEAM

At the first basketball game of the league, played off last night at the Y. M. C. A., the Beavers ran rings all around the Tigers, when they defeated them by a score of 32 to 13. The downfall of the Tigers was attributed to their lack of shooting and combination play, while the Beavers, on the other hand, outplayed their opponents at every stage of the game by their clever work in this brand of basketball.

Dill starred for the Beavers, with 14 points, and Hinton the leading scorers for the Tigers, marking up eight points for his side.

Following is the line-up: Beavers: Walley, Scanlan, Dill, Shuttleworth and Young. Tigers: Hinton, Maurer, Blanchard, Cryderman and Houston.

SPORT

DEMPSEY THINKS HE CAN WHIP WILLARD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SALT LAKE, Utah, Jan. 30.—"Jess Willard is a big man and he is a good fighter, but I think I can whip him," said Jack Dempsey, potential opponent of Willard, who arrived in Salt Lake tonight for a visit to his mother.

"I can get ready to fight almost any time. It is up to my manager. When he signs articles for me to fight I can begin to get ready."

Dempsey came to Salt Lake to rest from hard work which he says he has encountered recently with a road show in which he had been meeting all comers. Dempsey hurt his hand slightly, he said tonight, when he knocked out "Kid" Henry at Easton, Pa., recently. He expects to leave here for Pittsburg early next week.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Jan. 30.—Thunder Bay Hockey league—Columbus club, Port Arthur, 2; Olympias, Fort William, 0.

TORONTO, Jan. 30.—Parkdale juniors overwhelmed Brantford in an O. H. A. fixture here tonight. The visitors were outclassed and the locals ran up a score of 23 to 2.

Stomach So Bad

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But for indigestion and dyspepsia, many a life might be a pleasant one.

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LLAR POSITION WISHED UPON WINNIPEG MONARCHS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

INNIPEG, Jan. 30.—Cellar posi- in the Manitoba senior amateur key league was wished upon the archs tonight by the Brandon outwhich took the game by 6 to 3 be- a full house plus crowded standroom. Barring the unpleasant ure of Wilf Laughlin's being out ondition and in the game for less 15 minutess, during which he was worse than useless, the game was worthy of attendance.

18-YEAR-OLD TROTTER DESTROYED BY POLICE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Hal Excell, 18-year-old trotter, which won purses and fame in his racing days, was destroyed by the police today at the request of his owner, "Old Black Joe" Murphy, who said the horse had become so weak that he considered its destruction merciful.

Murphy, a negro, started as a jockey more than 45 years ago, and when he grew too heavy to ride, turned to the trotting turf as an owner and trainer.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 30.—Jack Hendricks, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, will manage Indianapolis American association club this season, James McGill, owner of the club announced.

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PEACE MEDAL FOR SCHOOL PUPILS

GIFFORD, B. C.—A Glenmore school pupil was awarded the five dollar prize offered by the Matsqui school board for the best designs for the proposed peace commemoration medal. This medal will be struck and each pupil of all the Fraser valley public schools will be presented with this souvenir of the victorious end of the great world war.

Delegates from six different school boards in the Fraser valley attended the meeting held here on Tuesday. It is believed that the few boards who are dissenting at present will join in later.

The medal is to be made of silver, the size of a dime, with a loop attached. The secretary of the meeting was instructed to get estimates and prices for the next meeting, which was fixed for Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Cloverdale, the Surrey delegates suggesting this as the most central and accessible place of meeting.

J. Johnstoon of the Surrey school board brought forward a proposal for a Victory flag to be placed in every school room in a conspicuous position and on the anniversary of the declaration of peace to be flown with the Union Jack and saluted yith some simple ceremony by the children, the design to be that of the Victory loan flag as issued by the Dominion government. A resolution laying this sugegstion before the department of education was passed by the convention.

C. F. Pratt, chairman of the gathering, introduced a proposal for the consideration of the next meeting, which met with hearty approval. This was that a Fraser valley branch of the British Columbia school trustees association be formed by the rural boards of the valley, which could meet more easily than the provincial association and discuss with greater benefit the problems peculiar to the locality.

Mrs. Bleck—I was so sorry to hear that Mr. White was ill. A cold, I suppose?

Mrs. White—No; something he ate. He went to New York on business; and since he had to take lunch with all the men who did business with him, he was forced to eat six lunches every day during his stay."

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FRENCH COMPANY ASKS FULL SUM

Government Deducts Interest—Would Pay Only $18,000 of $25,000 Guaranteed Issue

Deduction by the Provincial government of more than $6000 from the $25,000 bond issue guaranteed last year, together with delays in making the money available, which resulted in compelling the French Complex Ore Reduction company to pay higher prices for machinery, have seriously interfered with the concern's program to demonstrate the French process of treating complex zinc ores, explained Thos. French, manager of the company, yesterday.

In 1916 the late government guaranteed a $40,000 bond issue to enable the company to equip the Fairview plant for the purpose of demonstrating its progress. This was $10,000 less than Mr. French at the time estimated he would require, but although the price of machinery rose considerably before the money became available he was able to keep within his estimate. The terms of the act, however, prevented Mr. French from borrowing money from a bank to finance operations and the purchase of ore. Delays, while overhead expenses continued—the act compels the company to operate without ceasing—used up additional funds.

Last season the French company secured an additional bond guarantee of $25,000. This sum, he estimated, if the company were granted an amendment to the act which would enable him to finance the purchase of ore through a bank, would have enabled him to demonstrate the commercial possibilities of the process. It was his plan, he stated, to follow the usual smelting practise of borrowing money against metals on hand and awaiting sale in the market. In this way ore could be purchased and the plant operated directly it had got under way. The $25-000 issue was guaranteed, but the amendment to enable borrowing against metal stock on hand was not made, and Mr. French learned recently that the government had deducted an amount of $6131.30 from the $25,000 and employed it to pay interest on the $25,000 from June last and on the $40-000 for three years to Dec 1 last. There was much delay in making the second issue available, which further increased expenses. None of the $25 000 was received by the French company until Nov. 6. The original act states that the province guaranteed the interest and agreed to pay it out of the consolidated revenue fund. The intention was that the company should get the full amount of the bond issue. It did so in the case of the $40,000, but has been credidted with only between $18,000 and $19,000 of the issue guaranteed last year.

Mr. French is now asking that the government rescind its action of deducting the $6131.30 from the $25,000 issue. If that is done the amount still available for the use of the company, and which Mr. French believes will be sufficient to enable it to demonstrate its process, will be nealy $11,000. Hence the company has actually spent only about $14,000 of the $25,000 bond issue guaranteed by the province last year.

MOLLY GIBSON HAPPENINGS END

Jack McLeod, in Hospital, Improves—Cram Leaves for Rossland—Believes Death Series Over.

With the reported improvement of Jack McLeod in the hospital and the departure today of J. K. Cram for Rossland, comes the apparent close of a series of unfortunate happenings in connection with the Molly Gibson influenza epidemic. McLeod, the youngest member of the crew at the mine, was stated last night to be considerably improved at the Kootenay Lake General Hospital. Mr. Cram was one of those who went to the aid of the crew several days ago and he has been in the city since then attending to various details in connection with the deaths of the men and the business of the company.

It was stated in the city last night that it was customary for the mine to close some time during the winter and that work on the property for the present would be discontinued, although it is understood that there are still two or three men at the mine. In this regard Mr. Cram had no statement to make last night.

The deaths of five men, all of whom were suffering from influenza, and one of whom was killed by a slide while leaving the mine for Nelson, is remindful of a tragedy which occurred at the same place above Kittos Landing some 10 years ago, when more than eight members of the crew were lost as the result of a snowslide.

History repeats itself—with the exception of your own private history, which is repeated by your neighbors.

Sleep aids a woman's beauty,
Smoothing out each line and wrinkle,
But some would still be homely
Though they did a Rip Van Winkle.

BIG DECREASE IN POLICE FINES

Total for Year Only $1569.05, a Decrease of $4000—Only One Destitute Jailed

Total fines and costs collected by the city police department during 1918 amounted to $1569.05, according to the annual report of Chief of Police Long. This is a decrease of over $4000 compared with the previous year's total. The $6000 and costs collected last year was principally made up of gambling fines.

During last year 124 cases were disposed of before the police magistrate. Following is a summary:

Theft 6, possession of stolen property 3, breaking and entering shop 14, breaking and entering dwelling 3, false pretenses 8, damage to property 5, aggravated assault 1, common assault 5, using insulting language 1, vagrancy 1, drunkennes 4, infraction of the Prohibition act 4, infraction of the Dominion Prohibition act 1, causing disturbance 1, escaping from lawful custody 1, infraction of Offensive Weapons act 2, forgery 3, keeper of bawdy house 1, inmate of bawdy house 1, smoking opium 1, inmate of opium joint 1, infraction of Railway act 6, infraction of second-hand bylaw 1, infraction of traders' bylaw 1, infraction of pound bylaw 1, selling tobacco to minors 6, destitute children committed to home 1, alien enemies failing to report 7, military service act 25, insanity 3.

Enemy Aliens

Reports to the number of 369 were received from enemy aliens during the year and the department issued 174 permits to leave the city during the same period.

Three insane persons were committed to the hospital for the insane at New Westminster, at no expense to the city.

One person committed suicide in the city during the year. The woman was a non-resident of the city and only came here the day before she committed the act.

Particular atention is given to keeping the city free from undesirable characters, said the chief in his report, and these, when found, were either prosecuted or ordered to leave the city.

A large number of minor cases were reported to the police during the year. Each case was investigated by the department and settled without having to resort to police court proceedings.

One Destitute

One destitute transient was temporarily lodged and fed in the city jail during 1918. This, the chief reported, was in marked contrast to former years.

The rule of the road was strictly enforced, particularly on the business streets of the city. Only one accident occurred, a boy being knocked down by a motor on Railway street, but the injuries were not of a serious nature.

Josephine street was again set apart and lighted for the use of coasters. One accident occurred when a young girl ran into a team and sleigh and was almost instantly killed. Silica street is now set apart for coasting.

ST. SAVIOURS MEN ORGANIZE CLUB

Will Endeavor to Utilize Manpower of Congregation in Church and Public Work

At a large meeting of the men of St. Saviour's church held in the parish hall with the rector in the chair on Tuesday evening, it was unanimously decided to form a churchmen's club, the idea being to utilize the manpower of the congregation in the best and most efficient manner for church work and for the common good. The constitution was framed and unanimously adopted and the following officers were elected:

Hon. president, Right Rev. A. J. Doull, lord bishop of Kootenay; hon. vice-president, Rev. F. H. Graham; president, T. L. Bloomer; vice-president, D. O. Thomas; secretary-treasurer, P. G. Morey; executive commitee—Messrs. F. W. Sterling, R. G. Joy, A. M. Black, R. V. Ramsden, C. D. Risk, A. Jeffs, W. R. Campion, A. S. Horswill, C. W. Appleyard, J. P. Forde, F. Irvine, W. Ebbs.

GUARD WILLIAM BENNETT CAME FROM SPOKANE

Guard William Bennett, who was buried on Wednesday in Nelson, came from Spokane to Victoria to enlist in the 143rd battalion, known as the "Bantams." He went overseas with that unit and on going to France transfered to the 47th British Columbia battalion, with which he served several months. He was in the battle of Vimy Ridge and was returned a casualty from active service through gas poisoning.

Mr. Bennett was buried at the same time as Terry Demodivitch and Usaku Shibuta, who also died at the Balfour sanitarium.

"Where's your wife these days, Flubdub?"

"On the lecture platform."

"That lets you out, doesn't it?"

CANADA LEADS THE WORLD

Did you read Fire Chief Guthrie's Annual Report to the City Council which report is borne out by the report of the Dominion authorities, namely, that Canada's fire loss per capita is greater than any other country in the world—a record due to carelessness and waste that we can well be ashamed of. We managed to burn up over 32,000,000 dollars' worth last year, to say nothing of unreported fires and valuable timber areas. Fortunately, Nelson contributed but little to this large amount.

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Social and Personal

A. Inlah of Ymir was a guest at the Hume last evening.

H. Beavers of Toronto stayed at the Strathcona last night.

C. Ogilvie of Trail was a guest at the Hume last night.

Mrs. G. S. Hart of Castlegar stayed at the Hume last night.

H. C. Legg of Spokane was a guest at the Strathcona last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark of Trail registered at the Hume last night.

W. H. Gimshaw of Vancouver was a guest at the Strathcona last night.

A. E. Miller of Revelstoke was a guest at the Strathcona last night.

Ludger Choquette, who is in the emergency hospital with influenza, is progressing favorably.

Mrs. C. F. R. Pincott and Miss Eileen Pincott left last night for Rossland, where they will join Mr. Pincott. Keith Pincott will remain in Nelson for the present, where he is a student at the high school.

Sixteen tables of cards were played at a whist drive given by the Ladies' Altar society of the Catholic church in the parish hall on Wednesday night. Over $20 was realized. After the game coffee and doughnuts were served.

Mrs. R. A. Kimpton and her son, Vaughn Kimpton, left yesterday morning for their home in Windermere after spending Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pitts. They were in the city on their way through the district on a business trip.

W. R. Maclean yesterday received a card from William Elford of a Kootenay battalion, mailed from Louvain, Belgium. The card depicts the arrival of the Canadian forces of liberation and the joy of the Belgians at being freed from the German yoke.

MASONS BURY RONALD STONIER

Victim of Influenza at Molly Gibson is Laid to Rest in Nelson Cemetery

The funeral of the late Robert Stonier, superintendent of the Molly Gibson mine, was held at St. Saviour's church yesterday afternoon. Rev. Fred H. Graham conducted the church services at the church and at the graveside, as worshipful master he conducted the Masonic service at the cemetery, assisted by Worshipful Brother W. A. Jowett, acting as chaplain. Mr. Stonier was a master Mason and a member of Alta Lodge No. 29, Sandon, at whose request the Nelson lodge conducted the ceremony and attended in procession.

Pallbearers were Marcus Martin, G. A. Erickson, Herbert Lowe, William Holmes, W. J. Barker and Fred Emory. Floral offerings were received from the mine office staff, S. G. Blaylock of Trail, employees of the mine, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clark of Trail Mr. and Mrs. George Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. William Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. T. Otterburn, James Lamont, "Bella" and others.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30.—Nelson and vicinity, generaly fair and colder.

	Min.	Max.
Nelson	19	33
Victoria	33	44
Vancouver	32	42
Kamloops	16	30
Barkerville	12	24
Prince Rupert	34	36
Winnipeg	10	22
Calgary	14	30
Port Arthur	16	24
Penticton	22	34
Grand Forks	19	30
Cranbrook	13	32

MEMBER OF MOLLY GIBSON CREW BURIED IN CITY

Vigilio Moniago, the Italian who died at the Molly Gibson mine of influenza, was buried yesterday afternoon in the Nelson cemetery. The funeral was under the auspices of the Nelson Miners' union, who conducted the service at the Standard undertaking parlors and at the graveside. A number of the members of the Miners' Union attended. The pallbearers were: L. Pagnago, G. Forte, Trail; Victor Cora, T. Campo and G. Depretto, Nelson.

CANNOT ADMIT NEW PUPILS ON FEB. 1

At the school board meeting last night the question of the admittance of new pupils Feb. 1 was again taken up and it was agreed that there was no possibility of the board being able to do so.

A large part of the evening was taken up in the preparation of estimates for the year, but are not yet completed.

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D. O. K. K.

The regular meeting of Shem El Nessim Temple, No. 172, will be held tonight in the K. of P. hall at 8 p.m. Business: Election of officers and general. All members are requested to attend to lay out the work of this year, which promises to be a most successful one. Visiting votaries made very welcome.

R. J. STEEL, Secretary.

35 MINUS NONE EQUALS JUST 22

Can't Dispute Figures, 'Cause They're Always Right—Mrs. Balding's Chickens Are Shrinking

If somebody has 35 chickens and none are given away and none are sold and none are killed by the owner, how many chickens are left?

Twenty-two is the answer. Mrs. J. Balding of Fairview says so.

"We had 35 chickens. We didn't eat any, and didn't sell any, and didn't give any away, but yesterday when we counted them there were only 22," said Mrs. Balding. "The stable where the hens were kept was not locked, but we do not suspect that weazels have been on the premises," she asserted.

"And were the hens laying?" was the question put to her.

"No; that's one consolation," Mrs. Balding replied.

LOCAL ELKS' LODGE ELECTS YEAR OFFICERS

Election of officers of Nelson lodge, No. 5, B. P. O. E., took place last evening. The following are those who were elected: Exalted ruler, N. Mallette; esteemed leading knight, A. Williamson; esteemed loyal knight, J. R. Riestier; esteemed lecturing knight, R. Hilliard; secretary, F. A. Starkey; treasurer, William Gosnell; chaplain, C. E. E. Watts; esquire, T. Dunbar; inner guard, J. H. Dunham; tyler, J. Nelson; trustees—J. Johnson, H. Dunk and F. A. Lyonnais; chairman house committee, Charles E. Wilson.

An Elk charm, which was raffled, was won by Richard Swift.

FRUIT GROWERS' ANNUAL MEETING

KEATING.—The annual meeting of the Saanich Fruit Growers' association was held at Keating recently. Mr. H. E. Tanner occupied the chair and reports for 1918 were very satisfactory, a substantial balance being shown in the financial report.

The strawberries handled by the association for the Keating district realized over $35,000, a large increase over the previous year.

The directors reported the purchase of a site for the new warehouse which the association is going to erect. The construction will commence at once, plans having been approved for one of the most up-to-date fruit warehouses on the Pacific coast.

A large number of new growers joined the association and the acreage under berries is increasing so rapidly that Keating is now known as the premier strawberry district of British Columbia. Mr. H. C. Oldfield of Duncan Lake will represent the district at the coming convention of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' association to be held at Penticton.

The following fruit growers were elected to the Board of Directors for the year 1919: President, Mr. H. Tanner; vice-president, Mr. H. C. Oldfield; secretary and manager, J. Sutton, and Messrs. D. Lehman, Stewart, A. P. Holloway and C. B. McCarthy.

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