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MANY APPLICANTS EXAMINED

Local Medical Board Reports a High Percentage of "A" Class Men

The local medical board working under the military service act has been examining recruits daily during the past week in Dr. Kingston's office. Up to last night, forty-six applicants had been examined. Of these thirty four passed for the "A" class, the remaining coming under the "B," "C" and "D" classes. This is a higher percentage of "A" class men than has yet been reported from any other section of the province, but it is not expected that this high standard can be maintained here much longer. The board will continue its work here until all the men drafted have been examined, and those who wish to take the examination before conscription actually comes into force will find the members at Dr. Kingston's office on Bridge street.

The local board of composed of Capt. N. E. MacDougall, C.A.M.C. of Vancouver, president, and Drs. Kingston and Truax. Dr. Roberts, of Phoenix, is at present acting for Dr. Truax.

BREWSTER INVITED TO ENTER CABINET

A Victoria dispatch of the 3rd inst. says that Premier Brewster has been invited by Sir Robert Borden to join a coalition government. He left Victoria on Wednesday night for Vancouver en route for Ottawa, where he will confer with the prime minister. Mr. Brewster will go direct to the federal capital with as little delay as possible, and there he will discuss the question of his entering a national cabinet with Sir Robert Borden and western Liberal leaders already in Ottawa.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

R. R. Gilpin, customs officer at this port, makes the following detailed report of the customs receipts at the head office in this city and at the various sub-customs offices, for the month of September, 1917:

Grand Forks	$1,522.59
Phoenix	1,165.73
Carson	180.62
Cascade	55.48
Total	$2,924.42

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

The following pupils of the Grand Forks public school have been neither late nor absent during September:

PRINCIPAL'S CLASS.

Teddy Cooper, Howard DeCew, Vera Donaldson, Julia Downey, Ray Forrester, Margaret Fowler, Corena Harkness, George Hodgson, Brenda Humphreys, Gwendolyn Humphreys Cecelia Lyden, Kenneth McArdle, Margaret Miebener, Jennie Miller, Aleeta Nichols, Denis O'Connor, William Sharp, Vernon Siddall, Muriel Spraggett.

DIVISION II.

Charles Bishop, Ray Brown, Mary Beran, Cecelia Crosby, Ellen Harkness, Gladys McLauchlan, Frances Latham, Ed Potentier, Reid McKie, Amy Peckham, Francis Padgett, Jeannette Reburn, Jennie Stanfield, Muriel Tapley, Frances U'Ren, Oswald Walker.

DIVISION III.

Lilian Brown, Clara Brunner, Fred Cooper, Anna Crosby, Mae Crosby, Clarence Donaldson, Ruth Eureby, Grace Graham, Grace Green, Thelma Hutton, Gunnar Halle, Llewellyn Humphreys, Mary Miller, Leo Miller, James Needham, Boyd Nichols, Harold Quinlivan, Jeff Ryan, Willie Screbneff, Dorothy Schliebe, Ige Waldron.

DIVIISON IV.

Nellie Allan, Gladys Armson, Clifford Brown, James Clark, Francis Crosby, Mark Dompier, Irene Frankovitch, Alphonse Galipeau, Horace Green, Arne Halle, Joseph Japp, Lam John, John Lane, Ruth Larama, Dorothy Latham, Charlotte Luscombe, Clarence Mason, Ethel Miller, Jack Miller, Helen O'Connell, John Peterson, Alice Ryan, Hilda Smith, Clare U'Ren, Leona U'Ren, Ethel Wiseman.

DIVISION V.

Vera Bickerton, Edith Clay, Gertrude Cook, Fred Galipeau, Lizzie Gordon, Ernest Hadden, Bessie Harkness, Arthur Hesse, Ruth Hesse, Bessie Hollingsworth, Isabelle Innes, Elsie Liddicoat, George Manson, Lloyd Quinlivan, Walter Rashleigh, Stuart Ross, Bertie Scott, Lucy Teabo, Hazel Waldron, Nellie Young.

DIVISION VI.

Harry Acres, Edith Eureby, Frank Gordon, James Innes, Gladys Jewell, Blanche Mason, Gordon McCallum, Pauline Mohlar, Ivan Morrison, Louis O'Keefe, Earl Petersen, Henry Reid, Margaret Ross, Peter Santano, Winnifred Savage, Elton Woodland.

DIVISION VII.

Jessie Allen, Tommy Allen, Grace Brau, Newton Chapman, Albert Colarch, Lydia Colarch, Marjorie Cook, Antone DeWilde, John Dompier, John Graham, Dorothy Grey, Dorothy Hunter, George Johnson, Francis Lcrama, Marion McKie, William Mola, Harry Nucich, Peter Padgett, Carl Petersen, John Santano Fay Walker, Kathleen Wilkinson.

DIVISION VIII.

Theodore Asimeis, Emmet Baker, Arthur Bickerton, Parma Cooper, Aubrey Dinsmore, Clifford Fee, Dorothy Fracass, Grace Glaspell, George Hadden, Gordon Harkness, Florence Herr, Velma Hunter, Edna Japp, Marion Kerby, Ena Liddicoat, Florence Smith.

DIVISION IX.

Linden Benson, Edmund Crosby, Edmund Eureby, Herbert Dompier, Lloyd Humphreys, John Kingston, Joyce Kirk, Margaret Luscombe, Walter Manson, Gordon Massie, Mike Morella, Edith Matthews, Donald McFarlane, Gene Rossi, Ruth Savage, Ruby Savage, Arthur Teabo, Clarence Truax, Walter Vant, Benjamin Wright, Ellen Wright.

DIVISION X.

Mary Acres, Nellie Berry, Wilma Chittenden, Jean Clark, Alice Green, Thelma Hansen, Margaret Hunter, Dorothy Jones, Delbert Kirkpatrick, Harry Koops, May Lathe, Euphemia McCallum, Laird McCallum, Elizabeth Mooyboer, Murdock Morrison, Francis O'Keefe, Charles Robinson, Jack Sale, Roy Walker, Olive Wiles.

PROCLAMATION ON OCTOBER 13

Date Has Been Set for Summoning of First Class Recruits

OTTAWA, Oct. 3.—The first class recruits under the military service act will be called up on October 13. A proclamation will be issued on that date notifying men in Class 1 that within a specified time they are either to report for military service or to file a claim for exemption. Class 1 comprises those who have attained the age of 20 years and were born not earlier than the year 1883 and are unmarried or are widowers but have no children. With the proclamation calling up the men will also be published regulations by which tribunals appointed to hear applications for exemptions will be governed.

There will be between three and four weeks' delay after the issue of the proclamation in which applications for exemption may be filed. This will bring the triunals into full operation, it is expected, early in November, and probably by the middle of the same month the first batch of men—there are many who will not claim exemption—will be with the colors. An appeal from the decision of a local tribunal will have to be filed within two or three days after the applicant is notified that his claim for exemption has been disallowed.

From the medical point of view men who have submitted themselves for examination are divided into various categories. Only "A" men—those fit for general service overseas—will actually be called to the colors All within Class 1 should, however, send in either a report for service or a claim for exemption. The certificate of the medical board is to be attached. Men in Class 1 placed in any medical category other than category "A" will then be granted exemption till men within their category are called to the colors.

When "B" and "C" are called, any special class, occupation or trade will be granted exemption as such, but exemption may be claimed on eight separate grounds:

1. Importance of continuing employment in habitual occupation.

2. Importance of continuing employment for which applicant for exemption is specially qualified.

3 Importance of continuing education or training.

4. Serious hardship owing to exceptional business obligations.

5. Serious hardship owing to exceptional financial obligations.

6. Serious hardship owing to exceptional domestic position.

7. Ill health or infirmity.

8. Adherence to religious denomination of which the articles of faith forbid combatant service.

It was at first hoped to have the proclamation issued by the end of September, but unforeseen delay prevented such a course.

The board of selection was unable to make its appointments to locate tribunals and will not complete them till next week. The enormous mass of printing required has also been somewhat of a difficulty. Fifty different classes of forms are required in connection with the administration of the act, and millions of forms and circulars have been printed.

The board meets again on October 9.

PARTIAL DEATH OF JOHN BARLEYCORN

Last Saturday night John Barleycorn, who has been a resident of British Columbia since Captain Vancouver discovered the province, suffered a severe paralytic stroke, and at present he is in a precarious condition, his ultimate recovery being doubtful. His misfortune was gloated over with undisguished glee by his enemies, while his friends mourned with a sincerity that was more than human. Perhaps no other being in all this land, had so bitter enemies and so warm friends. This is the natural condition of the followers of a strong personage. In Grand Forks, John B's affliction was observed much in the same manner as in other parts of the province. His foes smiled satisfactorily; his admirers took him to their bosoms and tried to nurse him back to health and vigor.

John was a strong ruler. He was not a milk sop. Those who became subverient to his sway, he often consigned to a premature grave. This put a powerful weapon in the hands of his enemies. To those who used him right, he was often a beneficent friend in the sick room, and many dreary nights have been made more endurable by his jovial countenance He was the author of some of the world's greatest masterpieces.

"The evil that men do lives after them; the good is oft interred with their bones."

THOUSANDS OF MEN IN THE NAVY

Since the war began, Canada's men of fighting age have paid considerable attention to the navy. Naval service has become an important feature of the nation's war activity.

From the start of the war, 5300 officers and men have joined the Canadian naval service cruising in home waters Canadians to the number of 400 are officers in the motor boat patrol service of the royal navy, which includes in its duties the exciting task of looking for U-boats off the British coasts and elsewhere. Thirty six cadets have gone from the Royal Naval college at Halifax to be officers in the royal navy, and forty are taking the course of training there now before joining the navy.

Canadians are particularly well fitted for such duties as those of the motor boat patrol service, owing to the abundance of waterways and the great vogue of water sports in summer throughout the country. Canada is doing much essential work for the allied cause through the medium of naval service.

The Grand Forks Lumber company is at present erecting a planing mill at Lynch creek. A logging camp has been established, and about thirty men are employed. Sawing on a commercial scale will be started in about thirty days.

SCHOOL GARDEN PRIZE WINNERS

Corena Harkness Wins Silver Cup---High Scores Made by Pupils

As a result of the scorings of the pupils' plots by different judges at intervals from May to September, inclusive, the following pupils have been awarded prizes. The total marks obtainable are 470. The silver cup was donated by F. M. Holland, to be held for a year by the pupil making the highest score in the school. The cash prizes are offered by the school board for competition among the pupils of each division, and are as follows: First, $1.50; second, $1.00; third, 75c; fourth, 50c.

Winner of Silver Cup—Corena Harkness, 360 marks.

Division I—First, Helen Campbell, 349; second, Rosa Petersen and Lily Ardiel, equal, 324; third, Gwenoie McIlwaine, 323; fourth, Laurena Nichols, 320.

Division II—First, Aleeta Nichols, 357; second, Brenda Humphreys, 342; third, Gladys Bryenton, 336; fourth, Isabel Bowen, 330.

Division III—First, Gladys McLauchlan, 341; second, Walton Young, 318; third Frances Padgett, 313; fourth, Ray Brown, 310.

Division IV—First, Clara Brunner, 330; second, Evelyn Stafford, 327; third, Grace Graham, 322; fourth, Connie Burdon, 316.

Division V—First, Dorothy Latham, 311; second, John Peterson and Clifford Brown, equal, 305; third, Kenneth Murray and Margaret Bruno, equal, 303; fourth, Charlotte Luscombe, 296.

LOAFING IS NOT A BASIC INDUSTRY

OTTAWA, Oct. 3.—When men are called to the colors under the military service act no special occupation will be exempt. In Great Britain occupations were certified and a man so occupied received conditional exemption. But, while conditional exemption, viz., exemption granted so long as the man remains at specific occupation, may be granted by a local tribunal in Canada, there will be no trade or occupation granted exemption as a whole. This declaration, it is understood, has been definitely reached, and local tribunals will be guided by it. It is pointed out here that the military service act does not provide for the listing of occupations especially calling for exemption. The plan was not found to work satisfactorily in England. Further, the extreme variation of conditions prevailing in different parts of Canada render such a plan even less suitable here. In considering a claim for exemption a tribunal will regard national interest as the primary factor. A man's occupation will be a factor of first importance, but each individual claim will be dealt with on its merits. A loafer will not be able to get exemption by claiming that he is employed in one of the basic industries.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1917

The Conservative papers appear to have formed a pool to oust Sir Wilfrid Laurier from the leadership of the Liberal party. Until Sir Wilfrid makes the announcement himself, we will not place much credence in the rumors about his retirement.

Sir Robert Borden is striving very industriously to form a coalition cabinet. He has a hard task ahead of him. If he succeeds in pleasing both of the great political parties he will accomplish a wonderful feat. But we lack confidence in his ability to do so.

There are a great many "win-the-war" orators in all sections of the country at present. Some of them are candidates for office, and these are more interested in winning the election than in winning the war. Others are physically fit to do their bit in the trenches. These should be willing to set a good example.

The war has brought a remarkable revival of prosperity to the ancient jet industry of Whitby, on the Yorkshire coast of England. Long before the Norman conquest the monks of Whitby Abbey were famous makers of jet beads and other jet ornaments. The industry thrived in the village until a generation ago, when changing fashions and glass imitations of jet, made in Germany, caused its decline. Now the demand for jet ornaments for mourning wear and the shutting off of the supply of glass imitations have revived the industry.

A good motto for every farmer: "Save the seeds for next year's needs."

In every war sayings and phrases are coined that long outlast the struggle that prompted them. "A scrap of paper," "a little group of willful men" and "to make the world safe for democracy" are perhaps the most conspicuous among those that have sprung from the present conflict; but "sunk without leaving a trace" seems likely to be added to them.

When you lose your temper, don't advertise for it, and won't trouble you any more.

NEWS OF THE CITY

H. A. Sheads, of Morrissey internment camp, has been spending a few days in the city this week. He has been trying to recruit a few guards for the camp to replace men who are physically fit and willing togo to the front.

The Butte botel in Phoenix was robbed of $1800 in cash on Sunday night. The safe was carried out into a side street and opened with a crowbar. Two suspects have been arrested.

So far this year the Emma mine at Denoro has shipped over 26,000 tons to Trail.

The apple packing and shipping season is now in full swing in this valley.

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PROHIBITION ACT

The Critic has freqnently beeu asked to give the exact scope of the British Columbia prohibition act. Its principal features are as follows:

1st—There shall be no liquor sold for consnmption in British Columbia, except through government vendors who cau only sell to certain limited classes of persons under rigid restrictious. They can only sell alchol for medicinal and scientific purposes, alcoholic liquors in limited quantities to druggists, dentists, physicians, veterinaries, hospitals for medical purposes and to ministers of the gospel for sacramental purposes.

A druggist is limited to five gallons at a time, a physician two quarts, one pint only for a dentist, one gallon for a veterinary surgeon. Provision is made that a person may procure liquor for medicinal purposes, but it must be on a physician's prescription, and only one purchase can be made on one prescription. Ministers of the gospel can purchase in unlimited quantities for sacramental purposes.

Nothing in the act forbids or interferes with the right of any person to import from without the province liquor for his own bona fide use in his private dwelling house, nor does the act interfere with the right of any licensed person to keep liquor for export sale.

The anomaly which allows people in British Columbia to purchase liquor from the prairie provinces and allows people in the prairie provinces to buy from British Columbia liquor dealers, arises from the fact that trade and transportation are placed by the British North America act under the control of the federal government. Thus while each of the western provinces ean and has enacted a prohibition law for each of their own people, they have been powerless to prevent their people from importing or exporting liquor.

In anticipation of the passage of the British Columbia prohibition act a number of mail order liquor firms have been started in the prairie provinces to supply household ers who wish to keep a private supply of liquor in their homes for bona fide use.

In order to prevent abuse of this right the new act gives the police right of entry and search into premises where it is suspected liquor is kept for sale, or to seize liquor in transit from the possession of railway, steamboat or express companies where it is suspected the liquor is being imported for illicit sale. In such case the burden of proving his innocence is cast upon the owner of the liquor.

Penalties are provided for all manner of breaches of the act and wide powers of search given to the police. Provision is made whereby the unsold stocks of liquor when the the act comes into force may be taken over by the goverument to form the initial stocks for the use of the government vendors whose names will shortly be gazetted.

2nd—So much for the so called prohibition measure. Any person can have all the liquor they are able to pay for as long as they do not attempt to sell it. Any number of persons may form themselves into a syndidate, or pool their funds, and import liquea for their individual consumption. The only effect of the act is to drive the liquor trade into the hands of outside parties, and take it away from dealers in British Columbia.

It plays into the hands of the express companies, whose revenue will be greatly augmented by the increased traffic caused by the shipping of British Columbia liquors into prairie provinces and bringing back their liquor to British Columbia.

It will decrease the revenue of cities and municipalities while increasing the cost of the provincial and city police forces.

It will give birth to a now class of stool pigeons, and will give political heelers an excellent opportunity to lay information against any party that may be opposed to the party in power, the burden of proof being placed upon the accused. being the reverse of the English law that a person is innocent until proved guilty. Under this act any many or woman may be summoned upon the most trivial evidence, and is then guilty until they have established their innocence. What an opening for unscrupulous persons to get even. What a field this opens up for those degraded persons who will act as spies and stool pigeons. There is absolutely no protection for those they may wish to place in a false position. The act will foster blind pigs, will not reduce drunkenness, but will increase the consumption of liquor and drugs.

The only persons seriously affected by the act are the men of limited means—the workman whose limit is one or two glasses of beer a day. If he is wise he will pool his money with his fellow laborer, buy his beer in quantities and divide the shipment when received. The act can not prevent this. The most ardent prohibitionist can not find one good point in the act. While men can not gather at the bar as formerly, there is nothing to prevent them having liquor in their offices, where tney may invite their friends. Active worker in the prohibition movement have liquor stored in their homes.

The results of this act may bs summed up as follows:

Increased taxation because of loss of license fees and increase of forces to enforce the act.

The establishment of government stores, with political hangers-on employed to manage them.

Increeses cost of liquor to consumers.

Increased consumption of liquor in private homes.

Hypocrites made of men and women.

Chidren at home have never come in contact with liquor

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S. G. Kirk has gone to Vancouver, where he has entered the employ of the Henry Birks Jewelry company.

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"If Germany should gain the war or possibly gain a draw, the policy of our president, Monroe, I am afraid, would totter from its security. Germany has longed for a place in the sun, and an overseas empire in South America is the goal of her ambition. In October, 1915, the kaiser stood in front of me, his nose not three inches from mine, and told me, 'After the war I shall stand no nonsense from America.' I wonder if the kaiser has thought about the statement since. But Prussian development of South America has been the dream of the pan Germans and the war party for years."

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

(SECTION 24.)

IN THE MATTER of an application for duplicate certificate of title No. 12866a issued to Samuel Horner covering Lot 1261, Group 1, Osoyos Division, Yale District, (except part four acres and all Lots and Blocks on Map 53).

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate certificate of title covering the above lands to Samuel Horner, unless in the meantime I shall receive valid objection thereto in writing.

Dated at the Land Regisfry Office, Kamloops, B. C., the 28th day of June, A.D. 1917.

C. H. DUNBAR,
District Registrar.

APPEAL OF THE JOINT WAR COMMITTEE

It becomes necessary for the Order of St. John and the British Red Cross society to appeal once more to the generosity of their friends and supporters at home and overseas for funds to carry on their work of mercy for the sick and wounded of his majesty's forces.

The joint committee has decided again to make such an appeal on Oct. 18th, and we earnestly beg your assistance in making it known to the people of the Dominion.

Our Red Cross work is now costing eight thousand pounds a day and increases rather than diminishes.

Our help is given in every theatre of the war and to troops from every part of the empire, and will have to be continued for some time, even when victory has been achieved.

We are deeply grateful for the munificent help received from sympathizers in all parts of the world, and we trust that with your assistance the appeal made on "Our Day" will meet with a response which will enable us to continue to do all that is humanly possible to lessen the sufferings of those on whose behalf we plead.

Their majesties the king and queen and her majesty Queen Alexandra have graciously given us their patronage and support.

(Signed) ARTHUR,
Grand Prior of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

(Signed) LANSDOWNE,
Chairman of the Council of the British Red Cross Society.

PROHIBITION ACT

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will become accustomed to seeing it used.

Increased dividends for express companies. It puts out of employment thousands of men without offering them a place in the government stores.

An active worker in the prohibition movement has been given the office of superintendent of the liquor traffic in British Columbia, while men just as honorable and with more experience who will lose their positions, have been ignored. To an outsider it looks as these most active in the movement were devoting their time, not from any genuine desire to promote temperance, but for the purpose of falling into fat jobs once they had jobbed the people. This war has certainly produced a crop of grafters and fakers in the Dominion. Under the guise of patriotism they practice their nefarious schemes for personal aggrandisement.

Prohibition to be of benefit to the people must be a national movement and bone dry.—Vancouver Critic.

CANADA

Military Service Act, 1917

Explanatory Announcement by the Minister of Justice

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT has received the assent of the Governor-General and is now part of the law of the land. It will be enforced accordingly, and the patriotism and good sense of the people can be relied upon to support it. Resistance to its enforcement, however, by word or act must and will be repressed, as resistance to any other law in force must be.

Reinforcements under the Military Service Act immediately required

It is the intention of the Government immediately to exercise the power which the Act confers and to call out men for military service in order to provide reinforcements for the Canadian forces. This is necessary since the military authorities report that the reserves available or in sight for reinforcement will shortly be exhausted unless this step be taken.

First call limited to men between 20 and 34 who were unmarried or widowers without children on July 6, 1917

The present call will be limited to men not in the schedule of exceptions who were unmarried or widowers without children on 6th July, 1917, are at least twenty years of age, and were born on or since January 1st, 1883. Of this Class all those will be entitled to conditional exemption whose services in their present occupations, agricultural, industrial or other, are essential in the national interest, and whose business or domestic reponsibilities are such that serious hardship would ensue if their services be required. Conscientious scruples based upon a prohibition of combatant service by the articles of faith of the religious denomination to which men belong will also be respected. The men first required to serve will consequently be those who can be called upon with the least disturbance of the economic and social life of the country.

Civil Tribunals to deal with exemptions

Questions of exemption will be determined, not by the military authorities or by the Government, but by civil tribunals composed of representative men who are familiar with local conditions in the communities in which they serve, who will generally have personal knowledge of the economic and family reasons which those whose cases come before them have had for not volunteering their services and who will be able sympathetically to estimate the weight and importance of such reasons. Provincial Appellate Tribunals constituted from the existing judiciary of the respective provinces will be provided to correct mistakes made by Local Tribunals, and a Central Appeal Tribunal for the whole of Canada, selected from among the present Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, will be constituted in order that identical principles may be applied throughout the country. In this way every man may rest assured of the fair and full consideration of his circumstances and the national requirements both civil and military.

Proclamation will announce the day

A proclamation will issue calling out the bachelors and widowers referred to and fixing a day on or before which every man must report for service to the military authorities unless he has before that day made an application for exemption.

How to apply for exemption

Applications for exemption may be made by written notice on forms which will be available at every post office, and will be transmitted free of postage. They will not, however, be required to be made in this way, but may be presented by the applicants in person to the exemption tribunals. The cases of those who have given written notice in advance will take precedence, and appearance in person will therefore be likely to involve considerably more inconvenience and delay to the men concerned, so that it is recommended that advantage be generally taken of the facilities for written application.

Ottawa, September 11, 1917.

Exemption Tribunals in all parts of Canada

The local exemption tribunals will be constituted with the least delay possible, consistent with the selection of representative individuals to compose them, and the instruction of the members in their duties. There will be more than one thousand of such tribunals throughout Canada, each consisting of two members, one of whom will be nominated by a Joint Committee of Parliament, and the other by one of the Judges of the existing Courts. Every effort will be made by the wide distribution of tribunals, and by provision where necessary for their sitting in more than one place, to minimise the inconvenience to which men will be put in obtaining the disposition of their cases.

A Registrar will be appointed in each Province, who will be named in the proclamation and to whom enquiries may be addressed. Each Provincial Registrar will transmit to the appropriate tribunal the applications for exemption which have been submitted in advance of the sittings, and men who have sent these in will not be required to attend the tribunals until notified to do so. Other applicants should attend personally on the tribunal without notice.

How to report for service

Men who do not desire to claim exemption will report to the military authorities for service either by mail or in person at any time after the issue of the proclamation. Forms of report by mail will be found in all post offices, and, like applications for exemption, will be transmitted free of postage.

Early report advantageous

No man who reports for service will, although he may be medically examined and passed as fit, be required to go into camp or join a battalion until after a day fixed by the proclamation sufficiently late to permit of the disposition by the local tribunals of most, if not all, of the applications for exemption which may come before them. Thus no advantage will be gained by delaying or disadvantage incurred by prompt report for service on the part of those who do not intend to apply for exemption.

Facilities for immediate medical examination

Immediately upon the issue of the proclamation, medical boards will sit at every mobilization centre for the examination of men who report for service or who, subject to their right within the time limited to apply for exemption, desire to have their physical fitness determined in order to allay any doubt as to their physical condition, or to know definitely and in advance whether there is a possibility of their services being required. Certificates of physical unfitness issued by these Medical Boards will be accepted without any further investigation by exemption tribunals when they sit. Men found physically fit who have not reported for service may nevertheless apply for exemption on any of the prescribed grounds, including even their physical condition if dissatisfied with the Medical Board's conclusion.

Notice to join the colors

As reinforcements are required, notice to report to the nearest mobilization centre will be given from time to time to the men found liable and passed as fit for service. Disobedience of such notice will render the offender liable to punishment, but punishment for failure to report for military service, or to report subsequently for duty when called upon, will be imposed ordinarily by the civil magistrates; offenders, however, will remain liable for the performance of their military duties notwithstanding any civil punishment which may be imposed and will be liable to military punishment in cases in which civil proceedings are not taken.

Watch for the Proclamation

Notice of the day appointed for the making of a claim for exemption or for report for military service will be published as widely as possible, but, as no personal notice can be given until the individuals called out have so reported themselves or claimed exemption, men possibly concerned are warned to inform themselves with regard to the day fixed, since neglect may involve the loss by them of important privileges and rights.

CHAS. J. DOHERTY,
Minister of Justice.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

James Walker and Miss Sarah Wasson, both of this city, were married at the bride's home in Columbia at 9:30 on Tuesday morning, Rev. M. D. McKee performing the ceremony. The happy couple left on the morning Great Northern train for a short wedding tour to Spokane and other cities Both the bride and the groom have been residents of Grand Forks for a number of years, and their many friends here wish them happiness and prosperity.

Mrs. D. A. Harkness, aged 47 years, died at her home in Columbia on Friday last, after an illness of about ten days. The funeral was held on Wednesday, interment being made in Evergreen cemetery. She is survived by her husband and six children. Her husband is now in the army service in eastern Canada, and her oldest son is at the front. The family moved to this city from Nelson about seven years ago.

The death of Edmund H. Ballard, a well known carpenter and contractor of this city, occurred at the Grand Forks hospital at 11 o'clock on Saturday night, September 29. The funeral was held at 10:30 yesterday morning. Deceased was the son of the late Maj. James R. Ballard and a brother of Charles Ballard, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Niagara Falls, Ont. He was born in Montreal about fifty years ago. For a number of years he held the position of mate on a vessel in the merchant marine, and visited nearly every country on the face of the globe. He was an old timer of this city.

On Thanksgiving day, Monday, October 8, the post office will be open for one hour only, from 2 p.m. till 3 p.m. Mail for boxholders will be sorted as usual upon arrival of trains.

G. A. Spink, manager of the local branch of the Royal bank, returned today from his vacation. Mr. Irons, who has been relieving him during his absence, left this evening for Cranbrook.

Six furnaces were blown in at the Granby smelter on Tuesday. All the available space at the works has been filled up with coke and ore, and the plant will probably continue in operation until there is another strike somewhere.

Neil McCallum returned on Monday from a visit to Penticton.

The Yale hotel bar register was robbed of about $22 in cash last Friday night. It is supposed that persons did the job. No clue as to who committed the burglary.

Oscar Lachmund, manager of the Canada Copper company, Greenwood, was in the city Wednesday evening.

S. B. Beyts, of Nelson, claims agent for the C.P.R., was at the Hotel Winnipeg on Wednesday.

E. Walker visited Nelson on Wednesday.

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JOHN A. HUTTON,
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METEOROLOGICAL

The following is the minimum and maximum temperature for each day during the past week, as recorded by the government thermometer on E. F. Laws' ranch:

		Max.	*Min.*
Sept.	28—Friday	70	41
	29—Saturday	71	31
	30—Sunday	70	35
Oct.	1—Monday	68	41
	2—Tuesday	69	55
	3—Wednesday	83	48
	4—Thursday	80	47
			Inches
Rainfall			0.00

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Mrs. John Hoadley and daughter will leave next week for Trail, where they will reside in future.

At the special meeting of the city council last Friday evening M. J. Quinlivan was reinstated as city teamster.

Mrs. Frank Ruckle came up from the coast this week, and is visiting friends in the city.

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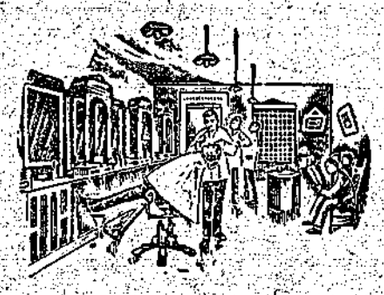

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