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## RETURNED SOLDIERS OBJECT TO APPOINTMENT OF GALE UTILITIES COMMISSIONER

**MASS MEETING IN VANCOUVER DEMANDS CANCELLATION  
OF APPOINTMENT AND RESIGNATION OF  
THE GOVERNMENT—POSSIBLE  
REVIEW OF SITUATION**

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Vancouver, April 19.—Providing a special steamer can be chartered, the Vancouver branch of the G. W. V. A. will proceed to Victoria in a body next Tuesday morning to wait upon the Provincial Cabinet to protest against the appointment of Mayor Gale as utilities commissioner and other appointments made by the Government in which the claims of returned soldiers have been ignored.

At a mass meeting at the Old Court House Square, resolutions calling for the cancellation of the appointment of Mayor Gale and the resignation of the Provincial Government in view of the feeling against recent appointments to public offices were presented and carried unanimously amidst enthusiasm.

Captain Whittaker charged the Victoria authorities with a gross breach of faith in the appointment of Mayor Gale.

Victoria, April 19.—There is a report in circulation in returned soldier circles that a cabinet minister had intimated that the whole question of the appointment of Mayor Gale of Vancouver as Utilities Commissioner would be reconsidered next week by the cabinet. It was stated that one soldier's name put up to the Government for consideration was Lieut.-Col. J. A. Clark who left in command of the 72nd and is now Brigadier General Clark, D. S. O., commander of the Seventh Brigade.

## SEVEN GERMAN SUBS WERE LOST IN STORM

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Cherbourg, France, April 19.—Seven German submarines which were on their way from England to now have been lost in a storm.

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## GALIANO LIFEBELT FOUND IN HARBOR

**Picked Up On Beach Yesterday by  
Four Local Boys.**

Yesterday four boys, wandering along the shore of the harbor not far from the Salt Lakes, found a lifebelt with the word "Galiano" printed on it. They left it on the beach but are going over to fetch it today.

The boys who found it were Elmer Smith, Harry Ward, Willie Lambie and Theodore Harvarson. It was near Picnic Bay.

This lifebelt must have been carried by the current or wind from the region where the Galiano was wrecked last fall to the south of the Queen Charlotte Islands.

## POLITICAL UNREST IN SOUTHERN SLAVONIA

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Trieste, Italy, April 19.—A new proof of the political unrest prevailing in Southern Slav territory and the difficulties being encountered in organizing the new state is furnished in the perplexities of the constitution of the kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes. The official journal of Belgrade publishes the full text of the constitution of the new state promulgated by the council of ministers in the name of the king, Peter Karageorgevitch.

The impression given among the Croats and Slovenes was exceedingly unfavorable, because a few days later, after the text of the constitution had been copied, even in some newspapers in Zagabria and Laibach it was sequestered and withdrawn from publication. This provoked a tempest of criticism and the question today is as far from settlement as ever.

## NOTICE

Special meeting of the Fish Packers will be held tonight in the Carpenters' Hall at 8 o'clock. Business very important. All members please attend.

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## SHIPBUILDING PREPARATIONS AT VICTORIA

**One Slip Completed and Other  
Being Prepared—Not Far  
Ahead of Rupert's  
Yard.**

Victoria, April 18.—One of the slips at the new shipbuilding yard of the Harbor Marine Company is nearly completed and the other one is started. The steel is expected here any day. This yard is the one that is to build the two 8,400-ton steel ships similar to those which are to be built at Prince Rupert.

The contracts were originally let to C. H. V. Spratt of the Victoria Machinery Depot, but that concern found the job too big for it and tried to turn it over to the Foundation Company. Again the deal fell through and finally a new company was formed known as the Harbor Marine Company with Spratt at its head. This is the company that is proceeding with the work. The yard is located on the old Songhees Indian Reserve.

Already many thousands of dollars have been spent and at present about 125 men are employed, the wages paid being the same as at Coughlan's yard at Vancouver, and plenty offering. A large fabricating shop 300 by 100 feet is being erected and the machinery for it is arriving.

## RESIST EVICTION BY FORCE IF NECESSARY

Regina, April 19.—Four officers who are tenants of houses which have been sold to a German, have been given eviction notices.

The Great War Veterans have decided that they will demand that the officers be given necessary time in excess of the legal notice to find accommodation and will resist eviction by force if necessary.

## TWENTY-THREE CATCHES SOLD

**A Special Train Will Be Made Up  
Tonight to Carry  
Fish East.**

Twenty-three fishing boats sold their catches this morning at the Fish Exchange at the following prices:

- Halibut.**  
Corona with 24,000 lbs. Hilda, 4,000 at 11.1c. and 7c. to Pacific Fisheries.
- Vienna, 9,000; Vesta, 13,000, and Lincoln, 7,000 at 10.8c. and 7c. to Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
- Adeline, 7,000 at 10.6c. and 7c.; Norland, 22,000 at 10.8c. and 7c.; Markwell, 2,000 at 10.3c. and 7c. to Royal Fish Co.
- Republic, 75,000 at 10.8c. and 7c. to Booth Fisheries, Ltd.
- Tom and Al, 50,000 at 10.4c. and 7c.; Eagle, 35,000; Rennell, 9,000 at 10.2c. and 7c. to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.
- Bingo, 2,000; Clara N., 800 at 10c. and 7c. to Atlin Fisheries.
- Bay View, 3,000 at 10.2c. and 7c. to Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.

**Salmon.**  
Eight salmon catches were sold at the same time: The Vito with 300 lbs.; Karl, 500; Noau, 275; Margaret, 150; Berry, 200; Wolf, 1,000; Post, 200, and Karen with 800 lbs. of salmon.

The average price received was 13c. per pound for the reds and 7c. per pound for the whites. Owing to the large amount of fish in port today a special train will leave here tonight for eastern points with nine cars of fish.

## OFFICIAL REPORT OF OUTBREAK IN INDIA

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, April 19.—The India Office official reports of the outbreak in India says that at Amritsar the mob defied a proclamation forbidding public meetings. In the firing which ensued there were 200 casualties.

Swimming Club Dance May 2.

## C.P.R. TO HAVE AIR SERVICES

**Big Railway Corporation Takes  
Steps to Keep in Line With  
Modern Transportation.**

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, April 19.—Notice is given in the current number of the Canada Gazette that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply for an act of Parliament authorizing it to establish, maintain and operate services by aircraft between points within or without Canada.

Air travel is now being recognized as the most modern method of transportation and the C. P. R. seems to have been the first of the big transportation firms to look upon it as a practical method which might be made auxiliary to the railway and steamship systems.

## NECKTIE SOCIAL IS GIVEN BY VALHALLA

**Auction Sale Conducted by George  
Frizzell Causes Much  
Merriment.**

Neckties sold at a good price, running up to five dollars each at the Valhalla entertainment at the K. of P. hall Thursday night, the guests having a most enjoyable time and getting home not long before daylight. George Frizzell made a most competent and energetic auctioneer and his expert salesmanship added much to the merriment of the evening.

After the purchasers of the neckties had eaten their suppers with the ladies who wore aprons to match, the floor was cleared and dancing was kept up well into the morning.

Those responsible for the event were a committee consisting of Mrs. Olaf Hanson, Mrs. Essen and Mrs. O. A. Johnson, Akerberg and Harry Hanson. John Dybhavn is president of the society.

## COAST LEAGUE BASEBALL

Salt Lake, 5; Portland, 3.  
Los Angeles, 3; Vernon, 1.  
Frisco, 4; Oakland, 1.  
Sacramento, 3; Seattle, 2.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

M. Shady of the G. T. P., left for Edmonton this morning on business.

Mrs. Zabriski of the G. T. P., left this morning for Prince George on a short visit.

The Misses Ina and Petre Lindland, of Vanarsdol, B. C., left for their home this morning to spend the Easter holidays with their parents.

G. A. McNicholl of the G. T. P., accompanied by his son Frank, left this morning for Winnipeg, where Mr. McNicholl has business engagements.

Mr. Ludgate, logging manager of the Kitsumkalum Timber Company's sawmill at Zimacord, B. C., left this morning for the plant, after spending a few days in the city.

An Easter Rally of the scholars of the Sunday School will be held in the Baptist Church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. A fine program has been arranged by the scholars and everyone will be welcomed.

## "DEMERS"

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## NOT GUILTY OF RIOTING AT KINMEL

**Gunner R. W. Burton Released  
From Double Charge—De-  
fended by Capt. Geo.  
Black.**

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, April 19.—At Kinmel Camp Court there was a case against Gunner R. W. Burton charged with joining in a mutiny by combining with other soldiers to resist lawful authority and to destroy the property of No. 2 camp, Kinmel Park. There was a second charge of having used violence to a superior officer.

Gunner Burton was found not guilty on all charges and re-released.

Pte. Charles Sherstotoff, a Russian, pleaded not guilty to charges of joining in a mutiny and striking a superior officer. By arrangement with the Agent General for British Columbia, Capt. Geo. Black, former Commissioner to the Yukon, defended the accused.

## CONSIDER RECEPTION TO CAPTAIN M'GREGOR

**Special Meeting of City Council  
This Afternoon is Discussing  
the Matter.**

The City Council is holding a special meeting this afternoon for the purpose of considering the form of public reception which shall be given for Capt. McGregor V.C., who returned a few days ago.

The matter was considered informally at a meeting of the committee of the whole council last night and the general opinion seemed to be that the civic reception to Lieut.-Col. Peck and Capt. McGregor should be a joint one. However, it is expected that a decision will be arrived at this afternoon.

Among the passengers leaving for the east this morning was Bishop Du Vernet, who is bound for Haysport.

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