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A SUGGESTION

There is one respect in which Nanaimo has always lagged behind her sister cities on the Coast. She has never pressed her claims of consideration of any kind with the same vigor and insistence as her contemporaries have done. It is not to be supposed that this was altogether due to modesty, but may be rather due to a lack of proper public spirit in its chief citizens. There has always been too much of the feeling that Nanaimo was just a mining camp, and was never intended, and never would be anything else. There has been too much of the p-d-t conservatism and the phrase is used in no disrespectful sense, in its public life. The result has been that towns have sprung up and raced away from staid old Nanaimo. They did not have the same natural advantages to begin with. Nanaimo has always had a staple industry and a substantial payroll to build from, but in spite of these great natural assets, and its strong geographical situation, it has not grown and developed as it should have done. Of course it has had its own particular setbacks due to the nature of the industry which is always the backbone of its prosperity, but when all allowances are made Nanaimo should have shown larger on the map of the province than it does. Even today, in spite of trade depression and the strain of the war, Nanaimo is holding its own better than many of the other cities. We are aware that this fact does not make conditions any better than they are, but it is at least an encouraging factor. It should always inspire us all jointly to seize every opportunity to maintain and improve present conditions. When the war first broke out and there was

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danger of a German naval raid the militia authorities very properly stationed a garrison here. This garrison in varying numbers has been retained here ever since, but there has been hints of its probable removal. We are quite willing to admit that the work of the militia must be carried out chiefly with a view to military emergencies and securing the best results. Still from our point of view we think it may be properly suggested that Nanaimo should be made a military training camp. It is said that the Vernon camp is to be broken up for the winter. This means that the men in training there will be brought down to the coast and there is no apparent reason why some of them should not be brought to Nanaimo. There is splendid accommodation here and the climate is the same as that of Victoria and Vancouver. At least the proposition should be placed before the proper authorities and its adoption urged with all the force at our disposal. It might very well be taken up by the City Council and the Board of Trade, and any other society of any influence and standing. Only by joint action of this kind is there any hope or chance of the proposition being accepted by the military authorities. We make the suggestion for what it is worth and trust it will be taken up with the necessary promptness and vigor to carry it to a successful issue.

RECORD OF THE NAVY.

"The Triumphant Trident" is the title of an article in the August issue of the Navy, the organ of the navy league, in which it is stated that if anyone for a moment should doubt what the navy has done and what the navy today stands for, he or she should carefully study the 12 items given underneath which stand to its credit. That person is not to be envied whose soul is not stirred in the reflection that our sea power has nobly fulfilled its purpose as the guardian of human liberty and the custodian of the interests of civilization.

These things has the navy done:
1. The sea power of the enemy, upon which the constructive thought of the German people and the resources of the German empire have been lavishly expended for a generation, has been throttled and demoralized.
2. The merchant shipping of the enemy has been swept, within a few months, after the declaration of war, from the waters of the world.
3. British troops, for the support of the allies have been transported from the remotest corners of the world to the various theatres of war with systematic regularity, without the loss of a single man.
4. The trade routes along which the commerce of the world travels to the ports of the allies have been kept open, and our gigantic shipping industry, with comparatively little loss, has been carried on with undeviating precision.
5. The shores of France, Great Britain's friend and ally, have been rendered immune from attack by the enemy's fleet.
6. Turkish power in the near east has been grappled with in the Dardanelles with all the vigor which the combined military and naval organization of the allies can employ. Operations systematically prosecuted.
7. The operations against the Turks in the Persian Gulf have been systematically prosecuted with continued success.
8. The war in South Africa has been concluded by a magnificent feat of arms directed by the great prime-minister-soldier of the union, who, in eloquent terms, has attributed his success to the silent influence of the British fleet.
9. In East and West Africa military operations have been carried on energetically with the steady crushing of the enemy's forces, assisted by continuous support from the sea.
10. The supply of munitions from every friendly community in the world overseas have been maintained.
11. German submarine aggression has had comparatively little result.
12. Above all, the shores of these islands have been kept free from violation by enemy hordes, and the people are able to pursue their ordinary avocations in freedom and safety within the encircling seas.

WATERING OR OILING

Watering the roads keeps down the dust so long as the moisture remains says the "Municipal World," but the constant application of water washes away the valuable binding material, thus destroying the road and making repairs necessary. Watering the road means, in any case, that all night long and all Sunday the disease-laden dust is blown about, causing eye throat and tuberculosis troubles, as well as destroying lawns, shrubbery fruit, furnishings, merchandise, etc. Oiling the road eliminates the dust hardens and makes the road practically waterproof, retaining the previous binding material on the road where it belongs, thus extending the life of the road and cutting out large and costly repairs.

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A SONG HALTS THE BATTLE

A song into which a Welsh soldier with a magnificent voice put his heart and soul brought about a truce during the fighting near Dixmude recently. The soldier that writes of the incident says:

"It was a miserable night. A heavy rain had filled the trenches knee-deep with half-frozen mud. There was no sound except the 'plop' of a German bullet against the earth of the parapet and the crack of a British rifle in return.

"We were unprepared for any break in the dull misery of our routine, when out of the darkness came a voice. It was a merry Welsh ballad, 'Hob y deri dardo,' sung in as fine a voice as one could hear on the stage. It was the cheeriest sound I ever heard. At the end of a round of applause came down the trenches.

But imagine our surprise to hear clapping and calls for more in good English from the German trenches. Thereupon the gallant Welshman gave us 'Mintra Gwen.'

"Meantime we realized that not a shot had been fired by either side during the song. So a bargain was struck with the Germans that if the Welshman would give us another song neither side would fire any more until daylight.

"The third song was, 'Hen Wlad fy Nhadau.' It was perhaps the first time the Welsh national anthem was ever heard on this dismal Flemish morass."

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HURLING SHELLS AGAINST GERMANS

Paris, Sept. 3.—The official statement issued today, though brief, indicates that the French artillery is continuing its bombardment of the German positions throughout the greater part of the front. At several points trenches and shelters have been demolished.

There has been no explanation so far as to why this extensive attack is being carried out, but it is believed a great move is imminent.

Paris, Sept. 3.—The following official communication was issued last night:

"In Belgium, replying to bombardments directed against the town of Nieuport and the sectors of Steenstraet and Boesinghe, our artillery brought into play a very effective fire against the bomb-throwers and batteries in action and against the assemblies and parks of the enemy.

"On the Artois front there has been an exchange of bombs and grenades in the sap heads. Between the Somme and the Oise our battery artillery in the environs of Agies have silenced the fire of the German batteries. The enemy has fired a number of incendiary shells on Soissons and the region round about.

"Bombardments have taken place on the Aisne front, between Ville-Aux-Bois and Coudat; in Champagne and on the west of the Argonne. 'Annunads' have occurred in Tournai and in the Vosges, in the sector of the 'Fecht.'

PEEPS AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

"The End of the Trail," The Panama-Pacific International Exposition is, unique in its art work, and especially in the statuary that adorns the highways, buildings and courts. One could well imagine that he were in some old Greek city built for the centuries, rather than for the fleeting months of one year.

The "Tower of Jewels" the central architectural figure of the grounds, has flanking it, standing about fifty feet from the ground, ten or twelve or fifteen-foot high figures that in their way are classics of this type of statuary, the Priest, the Philosopher the Miner, the Prophet, Imagination, etc.

In front of every one of the several courts stands a great figure. In front of the "Court of Flowers" is the "Pioneer." Walt Whitman might have been the model for this figure—Walt Whitman, with his long, gray hair, his open shirt showing the breast, astride of a spirited horse, carrying across his shoulder an axe and a gun.

But perhaps the most beautiful of all of these figures, and the most expressive, and one that no doubt will be later moulded into enduring bronze is "The End of the Trail" by James Earl Fraser, and it stands at the entrance of the Court of Palms.

AIM HIGH.

Aim high! although below the aim Thy arrow spent shall fall, Another speed in honor's name; Let thy heart venture all.

"Too low he aims, who aims below The sky," the wise man said. Put thou thine arrow to the bow, And let the shaft be sped.

Aim high! far on the mountain-top The intrepid climber view. Press on! let none thy efforts stop, Soon thou shalt stand there, too!

The prize is there, it waits for thee; 'Tis thine, if thou but try. Sure, sure, shall be the victory. Courage, O heart—aim high!

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson X. September 5
"Elijah and the Prophets of Baal."
1 Kings 18: 16-40. Memorize vs. 36 and 37.
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Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 3rd day of September, 1915 at the office of Mr. J. Baird, Government Agent, Cumberland; Mr. J. Kirkup, Government Agent, Nanaimo; Mr. J. Mahony, Government Agent, Vancouver; and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

By application to the undersigned, contractors may obtain a copy of the plans and specifications for the sum of ten dollars (\$10) or a marked cheque for same amount, which will be refunded on their return in good order.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works for a sum equal to 20 per cent of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

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Deputy Minister and Public Works J. E. GRIFFITH, Engineer, Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C., September 1, 1915.

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