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Victoria Day

The 102nd Batt. will hold a field day at the Goose Spit on Wednesday, May 24. The Battalion band will be in attendance. Besides the usual field sports of running, jumping, etc., there will be a baseball match between the 102nd and the Courtenay teams. Free transportation has been arranged from the Comox wharf. Everybody welcome Everybody come.

A Liberal smoker was held at Powel River last night.

Born, at the Cumberland hospital on Sunday May 6, to Mr. and Mrs. John Baird a daughter.

Arrangements have been completed for having the noted lecturer Bengough to give an entertainment in the Agricultural hall on Friday evening June 2.

At the court of Revision held at Cumberland on Monday and Tuesday the Liberal workers applied to have a large number of names struck off but were not very succesful.

The Courtenay Preparatory school commenced the summer term on May 1st. Puplis admitted at any time. Apply Mrs. Halliday. Piano taught.

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45c per lb. this week

Dr. Morrisson arrived home from Alberni on Tuesnay evening.

Born, at the Comox hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ellison a son.

Andrew McQuillan returned from a two weeks' vacation on Thursday last. Mr. Gibbs, who was releiving him at the bank, left for Vancouver on Friday evening.

Miss Lowes Bubar celebrated her 6th birthday yesterday afternoon. A large number of her schoolmates and and little friends gathered together to have tea and cake with her.

The man who gets mad about what the newspaper says about him should return thanks three times a day and then some for what the newspaper knew about him and suppressed. If he knew that the editor knew what he knew about him, he would quickly cool off.

All ladies in Courtenay who wish to help with the refreshments on May 24th in connection with the celebrations on the Spit are invited to send a cake or other eatables on Tuesday the 23rd. either to Mrs. Laycock, Sandwick, or Mrs. Brock Courtenay, who have been asked to receive and forward all such gifts.

Anglican Service

St. Andrews, Sandwick, 11.0 a. m., Matins. St. John's, Courtenay 7.30 p. m., Evensong.

St. Mary's Grantham, Holy Communion 9 30 a. m., Evensong 7.30 p. m.

Presbyterian Church

St. Andrews' Sandwick Service 2 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class 3 p. m.

Courtenay

Sunday School and Bible Class 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. All welcome

Church Club

On Tuesday evening was held the monthly social evening in the church club. Mrs. Campbell who has charge of this department provided an excellent menu of entertainment and refreshment. Two readings of legends of our province by Mrs. Hutchison were greatly enjoyed. One feature of the evening in which everyone engaged with zeal was the drawing contest. No prize was awarded owing to all having attained about the same degree of excellence, Mr. Burnett's design is deserving of special mention.

Next Tuesday evening is in charge of the literary committee and an evening with Shakespear is planned. As this is the tercentinery of the poet's death much attention this year has been drawn to his works and their influence on Britain's Imperial expansion from the time of Queen Elizabeth to the present. The general public is invited to be present, to find what can be learned from a review of the life and achievements of this, the world's greatest dramatist.

The Misses Alice Beaton and Nellie Covert were visitors in Courtenay on Sunday. They came over in Mr. Scanlon's launch.

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"Boy, have you got a handkerchief?" she demanded.

The small boy looked at her for a few seconds, and then, in a dignified tone, came the answer:

"Yes, I have, but I don't lend it to strangers."

WISE HOSTESS

Won Her Guests to Postum

"Three great coffee drinkers were my old school friend and her two daughters.

"They were always complaining and taking medicine." (Both tea and coffee are injurious to many persons, because they contain the subtle, poisonous drug, caffeine). "I determined to give them Postum instead of coffee when they visited me, so without saying anything to them about it, I made a big pot of Postum the first morning.

"Before the meal was half over, each one passed up her cup to be refilled, remarking how fine the 'coffee' was. The mother asked for a third cup and inquired as to the brand of coffee I used. I didn't answer her question just then, for I heard her say a while before that she didn't like Postum unless it was more than half coffee.

"After breakfast I told her that the 'coffee' she liked so well at breakfast was pure Postum, and the reason she liked it was because it was properly made.

"I have been brought up from a nervous, wretched invalid, to a fine condition of physical health by leaving off coffee and using Postum.

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Manitoba Woman Sends Message

TELLS SUFFERING WOMEN TO USE DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Mrs. F. J. Garlis, Who Suffered With Backache, Says That the Results She Got From Dodd's Kidney Pills Were Wonderful.

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The French woman who has received word of her husband's safety in a German prison camp, after writing 200 unproductive letters is a strong believer in perseverance and one of those who have profited by it.

REPLENISH YOUR BLOOD IN THE SPRING

Just now you are feeling "out of sorts"—not your usual self. Quite exhausted at times and cannot devote real energy to your work. Sleep does not rest you and you wake up feeling "all tired out." Perhaps rheumatism is flying through your muscles and joints, or may be your skin is disfigured by rashes, boils or pimples. Headaches, twinges of neuralgia, fits of nervousness, irritability of temper and a disordered stomach often increase your discomfort in the spring.

The cause—winter has left its mark on you. These troubles are signs that your blood is poor and watery, that your nerves are exhausted. You must renew and enrich your blood at once and restore tone to your tired nerves, or there may be a complete breakdown. The most powerful remedy for these spring ailments in men, women and children is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, because these Pills cleanse bad blood and strengthen weak nerves.

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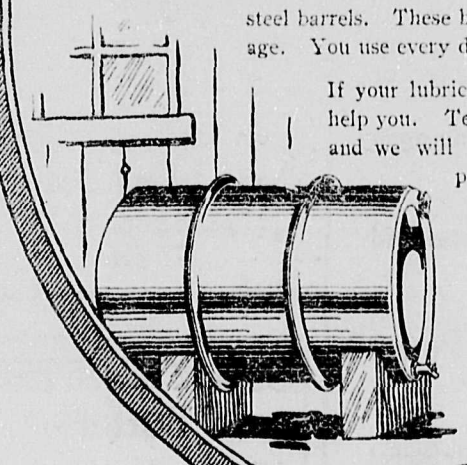

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Last Year the Province Raised More Cereals Than the Total Production of All Canada in 1900, According to the Latest Government Figures

In 1905 the province of Saskatchewan produced 46,612,136 bushels of grain—wheat, oats, barley, and flax—from an area under crop of 1,638,281 acres. Ten years later the same province produced, according to the latest Dominion government figures, the same crops to an extent of 334,336,000 bushels from an area of 10,962,000 acres. In 1915 Saskatchewan raised 104,000,000 bushels of these cereals more than the total production of all Canada in 1900.

During one decade the crop production of Saskatchewan, of these four staples alone, increased over 600 per cent., while the area under crop to these cereals increased something over 500 per cent. And this covers only one branch of Saskatchewan's farming operations.

When reference is made to the great fertility of Western Canada it is sometimes met by the argument that as the country becomes older the fertility will greatly decrease, as has been the case in so many other countries. It should be remembered that the soil of Western Canada is not the soil of the east. Prof. Shaw, one of the best known agronomists of the United States, after making an exhaustive study of soil qualities of Western Canada, said:

"One acre of average soil in the Canadian West is worth more than 20 acres of average soil along the Atlantic seaboard. The man who tills the former can grow 20 successive crops without much diminution in the yields; whereas, the person who tills the latter, in order to grow a single remunerative crop, must pay the vendor of fertilizers half as much for materials to fertilize an acre as would buy an acre in the Canadian West."

But let us not try to prove the point by theories. Here are facts:

In 1905 the wheat crop of Saskatchewan averaged 23.09 bushels per acre. In 1915 it averaged 28.54 bushels per acre.

The oat crop of Saskatchewan in 1905 averaged 42.70 bushels per acre; in 1915, 53.67 bushels per acre.

Barley, 1905, 27.11 bushels per acre; 1915, 36.83 bushels per acre.

Flax, 1905, 15.71 bushels per acre; 1915, 13.00 bushels per acre.

It will be noted that, except for flax, 1915 shows a substantial increase per acre over 1905, and this notwithstanding the fact that the 1905 crop was one of the heaviest ever reaped in Saskatchewan.

It is not contended that the permanent prosperity of Saskatchewan is to be built upon grain raising. The most fertile soil in the world can be exhausted if the process is continued long enough. But, as has already been said, grain raising covers only one branch of Saskatchewan's farming operations. Look at the live stock statistics:

In 1906 tehre were 240,566 horses in Saskatchewan. Now there are 667,443. In the same period the milch cows in the province have increased from 122,618 to 348,540, and other cattle from 360,236 to 573,021. Sheep have increased from 112,290 to 192,014, and swine from 113,916 to 329,246.

In 1907 there were seven cheese factories and creameries in Saskatchewan. They produced 15,000 pounds of cheese worth $1,950 and 132,803 pounds of butter worth $36,599. Returns for 1915 have not yet all been recorded, but the 23 creameries which have reported produced 3,831,300 pounds of butter valued at $1,059,443. They produced ice cream and buttermilk to a value of $379,153—more than 10 times the total value of their butter production only eight years ago. Moreover, they have established a reputation for Saskatchewan butter on the market, which has resulted in a demand that is practically inexhaustible. In 1915 52 carloads of butter were shipped out of the province, and the industry is just in its infancy.

These figures are sufficient to prove that Saskatchewan's prosperity is a very real fact, and that it is part and parcel of the agricultural development of the province. It is true that Saskatchewan has other industries which have contributed to the general prosperity, but it will be found that they are closely related to agriculture, and the success of the farmer has made their success possible, while at the same time they have contributed to the farmer's prosperity by enlarging his home market or providing his necessities. For instance, the province has an annual lumber cut of approximately 250,000,000 feet. This output affords a valuable local source of supply to the farmer, while at the same time the men and teams engaged in the industry consume his flour, oats, butter, eggs, milk, vegetables, meat and hay. The province's fisheries represent an income of $150,000 a year, and of course it is impossible to record fish taken by farmers from countless lakes and streams for their own use.

Saskatchewan has a yearly production of about $800,000 worth of minerals, mainly coal, which is largely consumed by settlers in the district in which it is mined. Even manufacturing has made a start in the province, and now distributes wages amounting to over $2,000,000 yearly and produces finished products valued at over six millions.

Railway development has been closely associated with agricultural development. Steam railway lines in Saskatchewan have increased from 2,081 miles in 1908 to over 5,000 miles at the present time. With railway development have come cities, towns, and villages, supporting a large population every one of whom is directly or indirectly associated with the agricultural interest of the country, and shares in the general prosperity due to the agricultural development.

Remarkable as has been the progress of Saskatchewan during the last decade, there is every reason to believe that the province is now only on the threshold of its prosperity. The disadvantages of pioneer days, with their lack of transportation, telephone service, good roads, schools, churches and markets, have been largely swept away. Years of experimentation, both by individuals, corporations, and governments, have added enormously to the agricultural knowledge of the country, and now any settler with an earnest desire to learn can quickly acquire the information necessary to success. Agriculture in Saskatchewan is no longer an experiment. Both in quality and quantity the products of the province are now big factors on the markets, not only of Canada, but of the world. And all this has been accomplished with 11,000,000 acres under crop out of a total of 93,000,000 acres in the province, suitable for agricultural purposes.

Horse Sense

Ability to Manage a Primary Requirement of the Successful Farmer

In Farmers' Bulletin 704 is an interesting section entitled, "Horse Sense," from which we quote as follows:

"Without horse sense there's a poor show for making a real money success of any kind. Without that faculty, otherwise called 'business ability,' industry, capital, credit, and even a thorough knowledge of the most approved scientic methods of agriculture, all will be of little avail. To qualify as a business farmer a man must be able to shape his work and change his plans according to changing weather, shifting markets, and up-and-down business conditions. He must be able to decide whether he can best dispose of his crop by feeding, or by selling on the market. In selling live stock or grain, the farmer must know enough of the actual value of his product to know when the local buyers are offering him a fair price.

'It is not enough to grow a good crop, or even to grow a good crop at a low cost. To make the big crop a business success, it must be disposed of as efficiently as it is grown—must be so graded and packed as to meet market standards, and so marketed as to bring the farmer the highest current prices."

In other words, managerial ability is a primary requirement of the successful farmer. As a rule, the farmer of today has a very practical and efficient idea of how to produce the crops. Through his experience, reading and observation he has acquired a very considerable store of knowledge regarding the best methods of cropping and feeding. Marketing rather than production is his perplexing problem and until that prime requisite, horse sense or business ability, is joined with the results of observation and experience, it will not be solved.

British Soldiers Love the Water

At a meeting of the members of the Institute of Sanitary Engineers in England, Lieutenant R. R. Hebblethwaite, in an address on "Sanitary Work at the Front with the Expeditionary Force," said in no previous war had the sanitary organization been on such a colossal scale, or with a sanitary section attached to each unit.

In France the canals were great places for bathing, and it was no uncommon sight to see hundreds of soldiers in the water at one time. It was also common to see notices stating that a particular stretch of water belonged to a certain unit, and elaborate diving boards attached to the sides or rafts tied to the banks, and even goalposts and nets for water polo.

One scarcely ever saw a civilian in the water, but there were usually a considerable number on the banks, looking on with amazement and an expression which almost said, "The mad English."

The Farm Help Question

Pay Liberal Wages and Provide Home Comforts

Mr. Wm. D. Flatt, in a very interesting letter to the Breeders' Gazette, takes up the help question for the farmer and tells how he thinks it can be solved. He says:

"Before laying my pen down I must make one remark that applies to this North American continent. We require more farmers, more farm help, more girls suitable for farmers' wives, and more domestic help. If the farmers of this continent will do as Great Britain has done, provide married men with homes on farms, assist them to live cheaply by giving them milk, potatoes, beef, pork, and eggs at reasonable prices, they will produce families from which will come boys who know how to farm and girls who can help the boys make a success. We shall then develop efficient, contented help. We cannot run a farm to its full capacity without improved live stock. We cannot run a farm without sufficient and efficient help any more than we can run a factory successfully that requires skilled help by attempting to place children at the machines. There is nothing for the young man of today that offers a greater inducement than agriculture, coupled with improved live stock."

Let us suggest in this connection that it will pay well for the farmer to give good men liberal wages and good, comfortable home conditions. Then, besides, men should get rid of the notion of drifting around from place to place. When they strike a good man they should stay by him as long as possible.

The Brown Mouse

Dealing With Improved Methods of Teaching in Rural Schools

The above caption is the title of a novel, written by Herbert Quick which attempts to awaken the rural communities to the antiquated courses of study in the rural schools and to point the way to the kind of schools that should be provided for the boys and girls in the country. The book also sets forth the difficulties met when a teacher or anyone else attempts to change the courses of study in our country schools. The presentation of the country school problem in the form of a story gives to this subject a different interpretation and we trust it will arouse sufficient interest in those guarding the destinies of the country schools to lead them to provide more suitable courses of study.

We have long realized that the country schools are not, on the whole, serving their districts with the greatest efficiency. The courses offered by many of these institutions are obsolete and should be revised to meet the requirements of the ideals and standards of the present century. There is no good reason why so many of the country schools should be as mum as an oyster upon the subject of agriculture. So far as they are concerned, you might think there is no such occupation as farming. We would not belittle the fundamentals in our educational system, but these would not be impaired in the least by incorporating in the courses of the country schools a few subjects pertaining to agriculture. If done in the right way, the agricultural subjects would aid materially in teaching the fundamentals, as every boy and girl in the country has a knowledge of the things of the farm which can be readily used for illustrations and examples.

Mr. Quick points out the injustice done the boys and girls of the rural schools by not having their courses of study better adapted to their needs. We share in this opinion and hope the time is not far distant when those who are in direct charge of the country schools will see their duty and then have the courage to do it.

We Need Science

Scientific Industrial Organization is Needed by Britain

Lack of adequate scientific equipment, coupled with lack of enterprise and adaptability, have been almost the sole causes in the past of the failure—where it has failed—of British commerce and British industry in the struggle with foreign rivals. No instructed person will say that the fault has lain entirely with the British merchant and the British manufacturer. It has not. The government can and ought to do much more than has been done in the past to maintain and push British industries. The banks can do much. The universities can do much. And all of them working in conjunction on a considered and carefully thought out plan can do infinitely more than any of them alone. One of the main lessons of the war will have been missed if it is not realized that the commercial triumph of Germany has been due first and foremost, not to her traffic, not to her cheap labor, but to her scientific industrial organization. It can only be defeated in the long run by an organization equally complete and scientific.—London Daily News.

Wife—You know, Henry, I speak as I think.

Hub—Yes, my love; only oftener.—Topeka Journal.

Every man must put on the boxing gloves with fate, whether he likes a scrap or not.

BRITAIN MUST SECURE CONTROL OF AIR AS WELL AS THE SEAS

POTENTIALITY OF AIRCRAFT HAS TAUGHT LESSON

The History of the War Shows That Great Britain Must Create A Second Navy to Rule the Winds as the First One Does the Waves

Great Britain's absolute supremacy of the seas is beyond question; and the superiority of the allies in men, money and munitions is not to be challenged. Lord Northcliffe declares that in his six visits to the front he has always been struck by the splendid health, excellent equipment and absolute confidence of the French soldier. He was also impressed by the immense number of men in reserve, covering miles and miles of ground and by the quantities of munitions deposited everywhere. In only one department has the German any pretention to superiority. The Prince of the Power of the Air, which is another name for His Satanic Majesty, is getting too much of his own way in what the Kaiser would probably now call "his element." While the wounds inflicted by the German aircraft so far have been by comparison with the damage done generally in the war, mere pin-pricks, they suggest an infinite capacity for mischief when weather conditions are favorable, and unless more vigorous action is taken to challenge their aerial supremacy. That the British government and people are not blind to the situation we know and much is being done to beat the Hun upon his own ground, if we may so call the circumambient air. But we have to "get a move on" and possibly the pin pricks which are intensely irritating to the British body and soul, may tend to accelerate our movement. The Teutons are not having it all their own way in the clouds by any means. Italian aeroplanes killed eight hundred Austrian soldiers in barracks at Laibach on February 19th and that makes up for the killing of many English civilians, men, women and children, by German Zeppelins.

The whole history of the war shows the potentiality of aircraft in warfare and the lesson is that for Great Britain the control of the air is as important as the control of the sea. It means nothing less than the creation of a second British navy to rule the winds as the first one does the waves. Great Britain cannot afford to be, and dare not be, inferior to any other country in aerial power. Our thanks really are due to the Kaiser for giving us a valuable lesson and rubbing it well in. We must not regard the cost of aerial squadrons as simply one of the burdens of the present war. It is rather a permanent investment and one that will involve permanent expenditure for construction and maintenance. In the present stage of aerial navigation aircraft of all kinds will tend to become obsolete in even less time than do the battleships. The Zeppelin and aeroplane may be as good the day it is put into the scrap heap as the day it was built, just as many a fine warship has had to be put on the retired list simply because something better has been devised. It is just the same with all kinds of industrial plants. Machines are thrown out, not because they have lost anything of their original efficiency, but they cannot compete with machines of later invention and improved type. For Great Britain the best and most up-to-date of aerial war-craft will always be just good enough and none too good. The discarded machines may find new spheres of usefulness in the paths of peace. It will be passing strange if the immense possibilities in the way of aerial navigation demonstrated by the war do not result in a great utilization of dirigibles and aeroplanes for commercial purposes. They are not likely to compete seriously with the railways and steamships for the heavy freight traffic, but special fields of usefulness can certainly be found for them.—Henry Dalby, in Montreal Star.

State of Life in Berlin

Palace Windows Are Broken During Furious Rioting

A lady who has resided in Berlin all her life has just reached Manchester. Interviewed by a representative of the Daily News, she stated that the people in this country cannot have the slightest conception of the life of the people in the German capital.

"Only a fortnight ago," she said, "I saw the Kaiser. He is quite a different man from what he was. He looks just an old broken-down man. His cheeks are fallen, he is deathly pale, and his hair is quite grey. Although the fiction that he is suffering only from severe cold is carefully kept up, it is generally known that the Kaiser is suffering from cancer in the throat. He now lives at Potsdam when not at one or the other fronts—or, rather, reported to be there. The reason for his avoidance of Berlin will be quite obvious when I explain that the mobs have broken almost every window in the Palace there."

There were sinister rumors as to what happened to the crowd guilty of this enormity—of people being shot down indiscriminately—but she had been unable to test their accuracy, as now even regular German residents were not allowed free course in the streets.

"Rioting is now," she continued, "of daily occurrence, the people especially resenting the fact that they are not allowed now to purchase more than a quarter of a pound of butter or fat at once.

"The Kaiser is now never cheered. When he passes through Berlin it is in a closed motor, preceded and followed by other motors filled with soldiers and officials armed to the teeth.

"So far as business is concerned, Berlin is a dead city. Almost all the wholesale houses are permanently closed. The others are only open two days per week, and must get a permit before they sell any goods, and the officials see that nothing is allowed to go out likely to be of service to them. The price of everything has gone up terribly," she continued.

One of the most significant changes she had noticed was in relation to the munition works, which formerly ran day and night, but now only worked irregularly. Employees questioned as to the cause of this were unanimous that there was a shortage of material.

'This," she remarked, "is beginning to tell on the people, who are becoming more and more depressed as time passes. In Berlin the people openly clamor for peace. I have heard the cry frequently in the city, 'For God's sake give us peace at any cost.' People allowed to enter Berlin from other districts say the same thing is observable elsewhere.

Reports of rioting in England are circulated from time to time. Such were the reports circulated, that when she reached this country she was amazed. She expected to find the towns in ruins and the people either starved or enslaved.

"The great mass of the people now," added the lady, "despair of beating England, and the soldiers who are sent back wounded tell the most harrowing stories of shortage of munitions and food."

The Economy of Good Roads

New Life and Energy Put Into Community Through Good Roads

In a certain community the people were certain that they could not afford good roads. Through mistaken ideas of economy they dragged through teh mud more than half the year. The effect of the bad road was disastrous. Young people of spirit and enterprise left the community, going to cities or to other states to make their homes. Social life was well-nigh impossible because farm homes were linked together only by hideous depths of clinging miry clay. The roads so affected those who lived by them and travelled them that the whole community took on a tinge of sadness and depression. Then there came a man who had lived in a region of good roads, a man of faith and enthusiasm. He began with the road drag to smooth up and let the water off a stretch of road. As it got better he dragged it again. He kept at it enthusiastically until in his light buggy he could go swiftly and easily to the village for the mail. Men were incredulous; they said, "Wait until we really have bad roads." They waited; the man dragged again; his road kept hard and dry, like a racetrack. Then others believed. Dragging began in earnest in that township. A little calculation revealed that a dollar's worth of horse energy spent in dragging teams that must draw loaded waggons over those roads. The whole region imbibed new hope. This year a stone road will bisect the township in one direction and elsewhere dragging is being religiously done. Thus has new life and energy been put into a whole community.

No Halfway House

This war must be either a great triumph or a complete disaster for the German military caste, in which is included the Kaiser and all that counts in the civil government of Germany. There is no halfway house for the German warmakers. A peace without plunder, a peace which compelled them to return to the status quo and left them to pay even their own share of the bill, and to impose the £200,000,000 of new taxation, which would be necessary for this purpose, would discredit them hopelessly, and lead inevitably to their downfall. Whatever words they may use about it, the German people know in their hearts that this was an aggressive war undertaken for the object of enlarging the territory and increasing the power of their state; and if it turned out in the end that they had been thrown back into their own territory and had succeeded merely in defending themselves at immense cost and sacrifice, their anger with their present leaders would be unbounded.—Westminster Gazette.

"Halfway I was picked up by a fine lad. The dressing station was full up, so they telephoned to the headquarters for a stretcher and bearers."

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What is wrong with the ladies? Here are important proposals before the people, women's sufferage, prohibition and other grave matters, and the women are conspicuous by their silence. Also, food prices are being artificially inflated, and the ladies have their meetings and pow-wows, and nothing happens. Such indifference will, we fear, militate against women's sufferage when the day of the referendum arrives, on the grounds that the vote will be of no use to the large majority of women. Perhaps the ladies will enlighten us on this matter.

The strong efforts being made to secure compensation for the license holders would seem to indicate that the liquor interests are under no delusions as to the result of the plebiscite to be shortly taken on prohibition. We think that it is most unlikely that any compensation will be awarded, and therefore it is for the hotels to look for other sources of revenue. In the past, the hotels having a profitable business in selling liquor, have neglected catering to visitors and tourists, and in more than one case the rooms in an hotel have been found to be unfurnished and unfitted for the reception of guests. The hotels have got the opportunity to take steps to attract a paying class of business, and one, moreover which will benefit the whole community.

Council Meeting

The City Council held their regular fortnightly meeting in the new city hall on Monday evening.

Present, the Mayor, Ald. Anderton, Aston, McKenzie nnd Kerton.

After the reading and adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting a letter from G. J. Hardy was read offering to insure the city hall for $1.55 per $100 for one year or $3.10 for three years. It was decided to place $500 on building and contents in Royal Insurance Co.

The bonding co wrote re renewal of city treasurer's bond.

ACCOUNTS

H. D. Forde, classifying lots	$35.00
P. L. Anderton, expenses to Victoria	28.30
R. U. Hurford, expenses to Victoria	29.55
J. Thomson, rep. bridge	2.00
" building city hall	373.00
" extras	26.95
Lumber for culverts, etc	36.16
Light Co	36.16
W. G. Robertson	2.85
Clarke & Stewart	13.90
Telephones	7.50
C. H. Tarbell	20.35

Ald. McKenzie objected to Ald. Anderton and Hurford charging for their time while on their jaunt to Victoria, and these accounts were laid over uutil there was a full attendance. The balance of the accounts were passed on to the finance committee to pay if found correct.

Monday, May 29, was decided upon as the date for holding the Court of Revision The following aldermen besides the Mayor, Ald. Aston, Kerton, Hurford and McKenzie constitute the court.

An informal discussion then arose relative to steps to be taken to have the soldiers come to Courtenay, as Colonel Warden had reported that the water supply had been condemned and they would have to move in a hurry, and either Courtenay or Qualicum would be chosen.

A committee was appointed to wait on Col. Warden on his return from Qualicum.

The Mayor and Aldermen decided to contribute personally to the Comox sports; there being some conscientious objection to taking funds from the city's coffers for this purpose.

At the request of Ex-Ald. Johnston and "a large number of other citizens" we publish the following article. We do not see anything objectionable or otherwise in it and publish it without prejudice.---Ed.

NEW CONTRACT FOR LIGHTING

City Enters Into New Agreement for Arc and Ornamental Standards for 33 months

Intimation was forthcoming on Thursday afternoon at a special meeting of the civic fire and police committee that more favorable terms might be given by the B. C. E. R. for electric lighting, for domestic and commercial purposes, Alderman Mahon, chairman, stating that the company's efforts had this question under consideration.

The meeting was held specifically for the purpose of considering a new agreement between the city and the company in the matter of arc and ornamental street lighting, the present contract effected 10 years ago, expiring on the 4th June.

Alderman Mahon said the city electrician and he had several interviews with Messrs. Kidd and Porter, and he felt quite frankly that they had obtained a very good agreement. He suggested that the contract should expire at the same time as the company's street railway franchise, that was, on the 9th of February 1919.

A petition largely signed by property owners, called attention to the high charges for domestic consumption as compared with other cities and suggested that the charges should be from 3 to 3 1-2 cents for business and 6 to 6 1-2 cents for residential premises per kilowat hour but the chairman said the city council had no control over domestic and commercial rates, although it would render all possible assistance in an endeavor to obtain a reduction. If the citizens had the same rates for domestic and commercial purposes as the city had for the street lighting in the new contract, there would be better feeling all over the city.

Under the new agreement nitro-tungsten lamps must be used, and and none must be allowed to remain in operation after its candle power has declined below 80 per cent. of the initial power, this standard to be measured at a point 50 horizontal feet from the lamp.

If a lamp is extinguished for a period of 12, consecutive minutes there will be no pay allowed for that lamp for that night, except when extinguished by causes beyond the control of the company.

If the company fails to furnish or maintain the light for fifteen consecutive nights the city council may by resolution make other arrangements and the expense of the emergency lighting must be borne by the company. Abnormal causes will be a saving clause in this connection as on the former case.

The company must maintain an efficient system of patrol for inspection purposes and lamps burning below standard must be promptly put in order or replaced at once with good lamps.

There must be no cutting off or interference with shade trees until notice has been given to the city engineer or corporation in writing and then the work must be done by experts at the expense of the company under the direction of city engineer. The corporation reserves to itself the right to have all wires placed underground and to have lamps suspended from neat iron poles which meet the approval of the board of works.

It was argued that it would be impossible to have all wires placed underground in a year and there was a clause in the new contract that the company should place wires underground within ten years of receiving notice in writing from the corporation.

Another clause provided that there should be nothing in the contract to prevent the city from establishing and using its own electric light plant and system, and this contract could be annulled at one year's notice.

In future the charges will be $38 a year for a 600 c. p. lamp, $35 for a 400 c. p. lamp and $33 for a 250 c. p. lamp, the former charge being $38 for a 480 c. p. lamp.

On the ornamental standard lighting the charge would be 2c a kilowat hour.

Anxious to keep all ornamental lights burning, General Manager Kidd offered to give a discount of 25 per cent. for a period of one year.

Changes in lamps had, it was pointed out, resulted in a great saving in consumption and therefore in cost.

The city will have power, in cases where lamps are less than 95 feet, to take out standards and equalize the distance between the others.

Mr. G. Porter, chief electrical engineer, stated emphatically, in answer to the chairman, that the company could not grant a 1 1-2c rate. The city solicitor was instructed to draft the agreement.

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WM. IDIENS

Courtenay, May 17, 1916.

See Charlie Chaplin at the Opera House SATURDAY NIGHT

Results of International Egg-Laying Contest

Following are the results during the first six months of the fifth international egg laying contest, held under the supervision of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, at the Exhibition Grounds, Victoria, from October 22, 1915, to September 21, 1916. There is a lot of information here for the local poultryman

Class I. Lightweight Varieties, 6 birds to a pen

Pen No.	Name and Address	Breed	Month's Eggs	Total Eggs
10	G. O. Pooley, Duncan	W. Leghorns	117	494
18	L. M. Ross, Cowichan	"	105	480
11	Miss Eva Hart, Sidney	"	118	465
7	V. H. Wilson, Koksilah	"	122	449
20	J. Butterfield, Saanichton	"	129	447
2	J. Hanson, Corvalis, Ore	"	114	442
13	H. A. Hincks, Langford Station	"	107	441
19	A. H. Lowe, Lakehill	"	130	434
14	W. H. macConnell, Somenos	"	123	428
3	A. V. Lang, Victoria	"	111	338
8	J. Craves, Saturna Island	"	132	363
4	Norie Bros., Cowichan	"	115	362
15	L. F. Solly, Westholme	"	120	341
16	A. Unsworth, Sardis	"	106	335
9	Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers, Thrums	"	103	321
17	F. Bradley, Ottawa, Ont	"	120	320
1	J. O. M. Thackery, Chilliwack	"	105	297
6	J. A. McCallum, Grand Forks	"	113	275
5	T. Livesley, Atchehtz	"	101	246
12	O. P. Stamer, Cowichan	Anconas	93	222

Class II. Heavyweights

34	E. D. Read, Duncan	W. Wottes	126	564
37	Dean Bros., Keatings	"	120	547
31	Hall and Clark, Victoria	W. Orps	121	535
28	C. G. Hamilton, Port Washington	W. Dottes	130	527
33	P. S. Lampman, Victoria	S. C. Reds	135	501
40	D. Gibbard, Mission	Barred Rocks	135	484
27	G. D. Adams, Victoria	W. Dottes	116	482
23	A. R. Gillies, Clover Bar, Alta	Barred Rocks	125	481
35	S. S. Blackman, Sidney	S. C. Reds	101	429
24	R. B. Venner, Colwood	W. Dottes	114	409
38	J. H. Cruttenden, New Westminster	Buff Dottes	135	403
36	W. Robbins, Chilliwack	" Orps	126	378
26	A. E. Smith, Victoria	S. C. Reds	129	375
25	Reid & Greenwood, Victoria	"	115	368
21	F. Frederick, Pheonix	R. I. Whites	100	366
22	Rosecroft Poultry Farm, Wenatchee	W. Dottes	79	341
29	Jas. Wood, Victoria	Buff Orps	117	308
30	S. Stewart, Victoria	W. Dottes	108	304
39	D. Nicol, Victoria	S. C. Reds	121	228
32	Mrs. Higgs, Sooke Bay	W. Cornish	89	211

Price of eggs 25c per dozen; temperature, high 78, low 32; mean 50.4; rain fell on six days, rest of month with one or two exceptions was fine and sunny.

Broodies. Class I—Pens 1 and 6 one each. Class 2—Pen 32 five, 24 four, 25 and 31 three, 21 and 34 two, 22, 23, 26, 28, 30 and 35 one each. In class I all pens but one laid over 100 eggs, and in class 2 two pens only missed that total. The total production for month 4,626 eggs is below last years 4,879 and two years ago 5,268.

Red Cross Work

On Tuesday last the workers at the Sandwick hall packed two cases of finished goods and have sent them to Victoria. They contained the following work: 9 day shirts, 32 surgical shirts, 10 face cloths, 35 A B D binders, 10 chest bandages, 15 prs pyjamas, 6 hot water bottle covers, 43 pairs socks, 1 bundle of linen, including sheets, 158 triangular bandages, 6 handkerchiefs, 56 doz. small pads.

The following ladies contributed: Mesdames W. T. Wain, A. Wain, Kilpatrick Misses F. White, Lambie and Darnell, and all ladies attending the different circles at Mesdames Callin, Kirkwood, Hickman, Bubar, Idiens and Turnbull, also Mesdames Bridges, Willemar, Laycock, J. W. McQuillan, M. Piercy, E. Duncan, M. Halliday, Prendergast, Ployart, Dingwall, McPhee, Callin, Marshall Sutherland, Campbell, Cowie. J. H. Parkin, Conway, Hood and Lacon, also the Misses Grimason. Freeman Robertson, Collins, Collison and Green.

No work need be washed before sending in except socks.

Bandages are not needed so much as day shirts, pyjamas, surgical sheets and socks.

Property bags are needed again. How to make the regulation day sock will be found below.

Measurements of finished sock: Length from top of sock to bottom of heel 13 1-2 inches, length of foot 11 inches, length of ribbing 4 1-2 inches, length of leg to commencement of heel 11 inches,

No. 10 needles, cast on 56 stitches rib 4 1-2 inches, 2 plain, 2 purl; knit plain 6 1-2 inches (11 inches in all)

Heel—Knit plain 28 stitches on to one needle, turn, purl back these 28 stitches, turn, knit plain repeat these two rows, always slipping the first stitch, sixteen times, 17 in all.

With the inside of the heel towards you, purl 16 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 6 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over, knit 1, turn, purl 7 stitches, purl 2 together purl 1.

Turn, knit 8 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over, knit 1, turn, purl 9 stitches, purl 2 together purl 1.

Turn, knit 10 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over knit 1, turn, purl 11 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 12 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over, turn, purl 13 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 14 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over, turn, purl 15 stitches purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, purl 15 stitches, slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over.

Pick up and knit 14 stitches down the sides of heel piece.

Knit the 28 stitches of the front needles, on to one needle, pick up and knit the 14 stitches at the other side of the heel piece. Divide the heel stitches on to the two side needles, and knit right round again to the centre heel.

First needle, knit to within three stitches of the front end of side needle, knit 2 together; knit 1.

Front needle, plain.

Third needle, knit 1 slip 1, knit 1, pull slipped stitch over, knit plain to end of needle.

This reducing to continue every other row until there are 57 stitches on the needle.

Knit plain until the foot, from the back of the heel measures 9 inches.

Toe—Divide the 57 stitches between the three needles, nineteen on each.

1st row, knit together 1st and second stitches on each needle.

2nd row, knit together second and third stitches on each needle.

3rd, row knit together 3rd and 4th stitches on each needle.

And so on, beginning again with 1st and 2nd stitches after reaching the last stitches on each needle. Decrease to 9 stitches, draw wool through stitches and darn in carefully.

Try a Review Want Ad.

In Memoriam

On Tuesday afternoon at the Parish church of Sandwick and Courtenay a large congregation gathered together at the funeral of the late Mrs. John Blackburn of Grantham, B. C., whose death took place at St. Joseph's hospital after an illness of only nine days, on Saturday the 13th inst.

The congregation included most of the old timers of the district and many others who desired to show their respect for the deceased and their sympathy with her husband and son Austin in their sorrow.

The beautiful and inspiring burial service of the Anglican church was read by the vicar of the parish, the Rev. E. P. Laycock. The pall bearers were Messrs. Fred Swan, L. Cliffe, C. H. Williams, A. Salmond, sr., S. F. Janes and C. F. Jackson.

The late Mrs. Blackburn came to the present family home in Grantham with her husband over 21 years ago. Her home previously was at Sooke at the south of the Island where she was born in 1871, her maiden name being Ada Maria Throup.

Mrs. Blackburn was essentially a home loving woman who devoted her life to the happiness and welfare of her husband and son. She was also an active member of the Woman's Auxiliary connected with St Mary's church, Grantham. Only three weeks before her death she assisted materially in the decoration of the church for the Easter service. Her presence will be greatly missed by her fellow-workers in the Auxiliary, but it is in the home principally that such a loss as hers will leave a desolate blank and the sympathy of the whole community goes out at this time to her husband and son.

Besides her immediate family Mrs. Blackburn leaves three sisters and two brothers to mourn her loss.

A memorial service for the deceased will be held at St. Mary's church, Grantham, on Sunday next at 7:30 p.m.

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There was more decision than tenderness in his voice now, and Lady Ursula, after a moment's pause, during which she cast a swift look, now at her brother and now at her husband, turned quickly and went into the adjoining room without another word.

Lord Eastling beckoned Payne to the corridor.

"Why not here?" said the other, assuming now a definite air of bored astonishment at these strange proceedings. "Surely you don't want us to hold a conversation in the passages!"

"I want to speak to you where my sister can't hear what I say," said Lord Eastling, coming nearer to the other, and holding him steadily with his eye.

He had laid a slight emphasis on the words, "my sister," and this gave Payne his cue.

"As your sister is now my wife," he answered with equal emphasis, but still very coolly, "surely it is for me to say whether she is to hear what you have to say or not?"

"I don't think you will say so when you know why I have come," said Lord Eastling. "At any rate, I won't speak to you where we can be overheard. So come along."

Paul affected to be intensely disgusted and irritated with this obstinacy, but he threw down his hat and travelling coat with more petulance than apprehension. He played the game to the end.

Lord Eastling led the way out of the room, and then turned to see that Paul was following him.

"Where are we going to?" asked Paul, in a bored voice.

"Down till we come to some room where we can talk," replied the other abruptly.

They descended to the ground floor, where Lord Eastling opened the door of a dark sitting room, turned up the electric light, and then faced the other once more.

Paul was still as cool as a cucumber.

"I wonder if we may smoke here," he said as he took out a cigar-case.

"Better wait till you've heard what I have to say."

"Well?"

"I've come to take my sister back to England."

Paul appeared quite unmoved. He just raised his eyebrows.

"Will she go?" he asked softly.

"Yes. When she knows what I know."

"Indeed. And what is that?"

"I've found out that you kept us a good deal in the dark as to your antecedents—Mr.—Tomkinson."

They faced each other, and Paul did not flinch. He just raised his eyebrows. His attitude indeed would have seemed superb in its indifference if Lord Eastling had not known of his attempts to avoid this meeting. As it was, he knew that all this was just "bounce," and that the man had had plenty of time to prepare his reception.

But his acting—if acting it was—approached perfection. He stared at the younger man as if doubtful of his sanity and then asked with perfect gentleness and courtesy:

"Why do you call me Tomkinson? My name is Payne. You know it is."

The younger man held his ground, although in spite of himself, he could not help feeling shaken by this complete self-command.

"I know that you call yourself Paul Payne now, but you were Tomkinson, Sydney Tomkinson in—in other days," he ended, rather nervously.

Payne came over to him, and put his face, with its flashing, handsome dark eyes, close to that of the younger man.

"What other days?" he asked with great abruptness.

Lord Eastling collected his wits. Then he spoke out boldly:

"In the days when you were known as a forger," said he.

It was strange that he should have felt doubtful about the man's guilt until that moment, and that it was by no conscious look in Paul Payne's face that he now felt sure the indictment was true, but only by a slight hardness of the man's voice.

"Can you tell me where I was convicted?" he asked drily.

"You've not been convicted—yet," retorted Lord Eastling boldly.

"And have you no fear of the law of libel, when you come to me with such a tale?"

"None. You know better than to bring an action. In the meantime, you must let my sister come back with me."

Lord Eastling took a step towards the door.

"Don't you think," cried out Paul Payne, in a languid voice, "that, if such a story as yours were true, your best plan would be, not to make a fuss about this rumor you have got hold of, but to hush it up, for the credit of the family, your family as well as mine? It's the same thing now, you know."

The young man turned upon him furiously.

"It is not," he said. "You have wormed yourself into our house by deceit and fraud, and now you must understand that the connection is at at end."

"And how do you propose to separate me from my wife?"

"I have only to let her know who you are, what you are, to show you to her in your true colors, and there will be no further question as to your position with her. My sister is a saint among women."

"Perhaps you don't know much about saints," said Payne quietly. "But anyhow, it's never too late to learn. Come upstairs with me, and tell her all this, and ask her what she's going to do."

He was so confident, so cool, that Lord Eastling doubted for a moment whether his own influence would be strong enough to overpower that of this handsome rascal, who seemed so convinced of his own powers.

And he dreaded the task of telling his sister, of bringing such a hideous story to her in the midst of her radiant happiness in her love.

But it had to be done; and heavily, uneasily, he followed Payne back to the sitting room, where they now found Lady Ursula, her hat and coat off, sitting by the fire which had been hastily lighted.

It seemed to her brother as he followed Paul into the room that she looked more like a saint than ever, with her fair face a little drawn, a little sharpened, after the fatigues of the journey.

She looked up, innocent of any evil news, but puzzled still.

"Well, have you finished the famous talk?" she asked, putting out her hand on the sofa beside her, and leaning forward, with a smile hovering round her lips.

"Yes, my dear," said Paul gently. "We've quite finished. And now we've come to tell you all about it. Your brother, Ursula, wants to take you away from me."

She sat up, staring dumbly at him.

"To take me away," she echoed, wonderingly.

"Yes, dear. He says he has found out that I am a forger, that my name is something, I forget what, but not Payne anyhow. And he says he is going to take me back to England, and to prevent your seeing me any more."

She had risen to her feet, and for a moment she stood uncertain, staring first into her husband's face and then into that of her brother.

And some glimmering of the situation came into her mind, for she knew by the expression of anguish upon her brother's face that he at least believed the charge he had made.

For a moment she seemed to hesitate.

"Are you going with him?" asked Paul.

For answer she put her hands on her husband's shoulders, and looked up, brave and confident, into his face.

"No," she said. "I am your wife, Paul, I'll stay with you."

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The Dutch people occupy a country which contains 12,630 square miles—little more than one-tenth of the size of Great Britain and Ireland, the population being just over 6,000,000. Holland is not only flat, it is hollow. Hence its name—"Hollowland." Along the canals the meadows are 10 feet or 12 feet, sometimes more, beneath the waterline. By the sea, at high tide, there may be a difference in the level of th soil and of the ocean of quite twenty-five feet or more.

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"Would you do something for a poor old sailor?" inquired a tramp at the gate.

"Poor old sailor?" said the workingman's wife.

"Yes, m'm, I followed the water for sixteen years."

"Well," said the woman, "you certainly don't look as if you ever caught up with it!"

The Hold-over Flies

Swat the First Flies and You Will Have Less to Kill Later on

There are "hold-over flies" or "winter flies" which have been hibernating during the cold weather, and which wake up at the first warm sign of spring.

"Don't trust the cold to kill them," warns the North Carolina Bulletin. "Don't assume that they are dead when you find them lying on floors or window sills in unusued rooms. They are playing possum, and will recover when the temperature rises. Clean up the house and give special attention to every out-of-the-way place where flies may lurk. Make sure that there is nothing left which may harbor their eggs."

If you don't adopt this strategy, and start now, here is what you may be up against, according to the computation of experts:

A female fly surviving the winter may be expected to begin laying eggs in April. Her progeny will begin laying in May. Their progeny will be laying by June 1. We may reckon on five crops by the first of October. The first crop alone is big enough, but succeeding generations quickly run far beyond the grasp of the human imagination. If all the eggs hatched and developed into mature flies, the offspring of that one fly would amount, by Oct. 1, to the appalling number of 131,220,000,000,000,000,000.

That number of flies, it is said, if caught and pressed compactly together, would occupy a space of 250,000 cubic feet. That is to say, they would probably fill solidly, from cellar to attic, about ten ordinary houses.

Of course, the eggs don't all hatch, and the little larvae and pupae don't all grow up, and the adult flies don't all carry out this theoretical laying program. If they did, all other forms of life in the world would soon be buried under an overwhelming avalanche of flies, and all the foodstuff in the world would be devoured by them. But the facts are impressive enough within this mathematical nightmare.

The moral is plain. Swat the first flies, and you'll have only tens to kill instead of tens of thousands.

Canadian Hardwood

Extensive Use of Canadian Wood by C.P.R. Pleases Lumber Interests

Not very long ago Lord Shaughnessy announced that so far as possible Canadian woods only would be used in connection with the construction and interior finish of all Canadian Pacific buildings, railway cars, etc., an announcement which was hailed with great satisfaction by the lumber interests of the Dominion. That such a programme was possible was known to the forestry experts who have supplied to the various Canadian government exhibits in Europe and the United States magnificent samples of hardwoods with beautiful grains and attractive finish. It would seem that these woods are not being exploited sufficiently, but, no doubt, now that it is known there will be a good demand for it, manufacturers will give the matter greater consideration.

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"Advertising."

"How?"

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Ready for a sudden call.
Be Prepared—Zing-a-zing, Bom-bom.

Be Prepared to play your part
When your daily work you start;
Be Prepared and eager, too,
Good and helpful turns to do;
Be Prepared to conquer sin
By the grace of God within.
Be Prepared—Zing-a-zing, Bom-bom.

Be Prepared with heavenly grace
For the perils you must face;
When your morning prayers you say,
Draw your rations for the day.
Endless trouble you'll be spared
If "Prepared" be spelt P-R-E-P-R-A-Y-E-R-E-D.
Be Prepared—Zing-a-zing, Bom-bom.

Austria Wants Peace

People Hate the Germans Almost as Much as Their Enemies

A neutral who lived many years in Austria relates the following impressions gained during a series of war-time journeys in Austria:

"The terrible effects of the war are at once visible on arrival in Vienna. The large restaurants, brilliantly lighted at night and resounding with the music of orchestras were almost empty. Occasionally a few boulevardiers strolled in to take places at the tables, but rarely to dine there. At Vienna on a day when the fall of krone was particularly accentuated I was able to hear the lamentations of the public at the pay desks of various banks and the phrase constantly recurred: 'Germany has deceived us, Germany has lied to us.'

"The constant news of victories spread by the Wolff Agency have no longer the desired effect upon the Austrain people. I heard the following remarks made by a high court official: 'If our armies were not so inextricably tied to the German armies we should have made separate peace long ago.'

"Austria has in store for the Kaiser more than one surprise. For the moment, however, the Germans dominate the country and nothing more astonishes the 'Germanizers' in Austria than to find that their allies detest them almost as much as their enemies."

Animal World states that the total number of horses treated by vets. in the hospitals in France, up to the end of July, 1915, had been 81,134; of these 47,192 had been returned as cured, 4,266 had died, 4,843 had been destroyed, and 1,842 had been sold, while 22,991 still remained under treatment.

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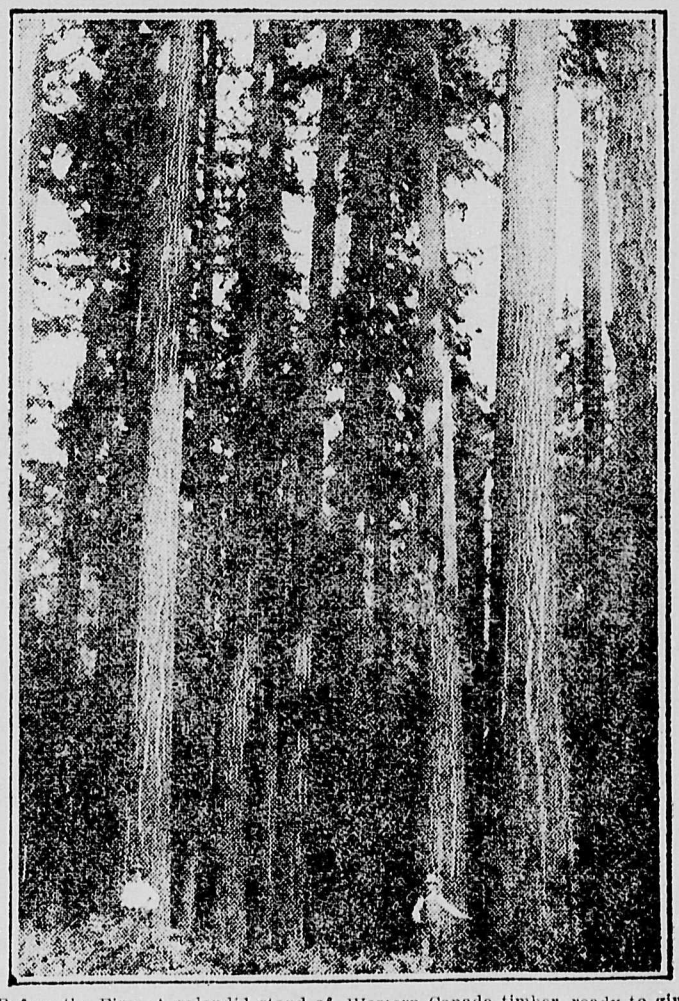

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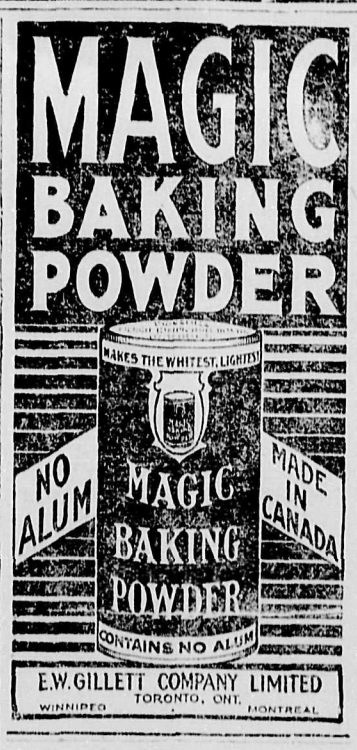

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War News

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and consider the duty you owe your country, your friends and yourself in this great war of right against might. Are you doing your part?

LOOK

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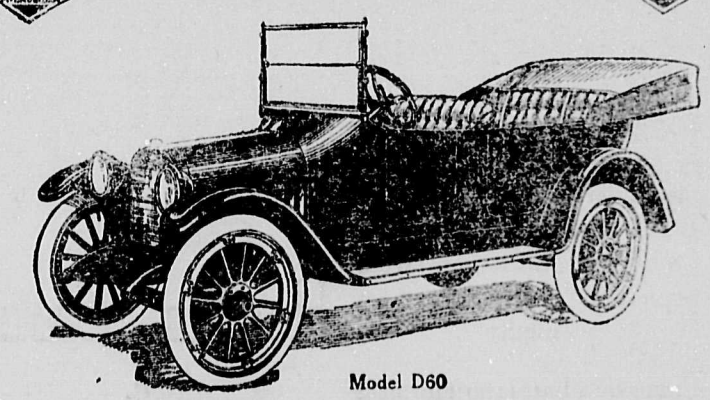

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The thanks of Lieut. Col. J. W. Warder, the officers and men of the 102nd Batt., C.E.F., are due to the ladies and children of Comox and district for their kindness in so generously contributing, entirely unsolicited, to the fitting out of the Battalion hospital. The sum of $111 was collected by the ladies, as shown on the following balance sheet:

By Cash

Collected by	
Mrs. Atkinson	$ 8 75
Mrs. Bailey	10 00
Miss Game	47 25
Mrs. Martin	30 00
Mrs. Vigors	9 00
Mrs. Wilkerson	6 00
	$111 00

To Cash

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Material, etc.	8 00
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Signed Mrs. J. G. Bailey
Hon Sec.-Treasurer

Included in the gifts are seven hospital cots, presented as follows:

Cot to be named "Yeeda" presented by Miss Game.

Cot to be named "The Elk" presented by Mrs. Martin

Cot to be named "St Joseph" by St Joseph hospital

Cot named "Ward" presented by Mrs. and Miss Ward,

Cot named "Point Holmes Wireless Station & Kye Bay," presented by Kye Bay.

Cot to be named "Vigors," presented by Mrs. Vigors,

For each cot there was donated a white enamel toilet set, consisting of jug, basin and pail, and a pair of flannelette sheets.

An operating table and surgical cabinet, both white enamelled, of local make, were included in the donations, as also were pillows, pillowslips, hot water bottles, towels, feeders, and many other articles in general use in hospitals.

The ladies of Atlin made a donation through Mrs. Laycock of a cheque to the value of $30, this amount to be expended by the Battalion Medical officer, Dr. MacNeill, when and how it may be required.

The Children's Willing Workers Society of Comox made many articles themselves and collected for such articles as could not be made by them, as they wished too to make their contribution to the battalion hospital. Their gifts included pillow, pillowslips, rubber-sheeting, socks, bed socks, bandages, mouth wipes, tooth-brushes, nail-brushes, gauze, safety pins, pyjamas, flannel cloths, dish cloths, scrubbers, glass speciment holders and a large supply of empty bottles.

Repeatedly it has been said that the hospital of the 102nd Battalion is one of the finest, if not actually the finest, battalion hospitals that has been equipped in British Columbia, and this is due to a very great extent to the ladies and children of Comox and district, to whom too much credit cannot be given for the generosity and energy displayed in this connection.

Simon Lizer of Victoria has secured the contract for supplying provisions to the 102nd Batt.

The following appointments have been gazetted: to be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary) Frederick Gosby, James Stanley McAdam To be lieutenant (supernumerary) Archibald McEcheran Phillips.

At the Goose Spit on Wednesday next the Sergeant's mess will be fitted up to sell refreshments for the children The officers will allow the ladies of the district the use of their rooms in which to hold tea rooms, etc., where tea, cake and coffee can be procured for ten cents. There will also be a gypsy tent for the telling of fortunes, etc, a vocal concert, at which Sergt. Petch will assist, ice cream parlors and various other attractions. The proceeds from these attractions will be for the benefit of St. Joseph's hospital, and the ladies of Comox who are in charge of the affair cordially invite everyone in the district to come to the Spit next Wednesday and enjoy the sports and sample the good things they have provided.

Do not forget to make your news known through the medium of the local paper, run by local men for local people A community is often sized up by the appearance of the local paper, and as some nice things have been said about "The Review" in this connection, it is up to the local people to help make the paper interesting. Be public spirited and send in your news.

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Make Your Labour Efficient
In war-time do not waste time and energy on unimportant and unprofitable work. Economize labour. Put off unproductive work till after the war, and, if possible, help in producing something needed now. Let us not waste labour. Canada needs it all. If possible help to feed the Allies. Make your backyard a productive garden. Cultivate it with a will. Make your labour count for as much as possible.

Do Not Waste Materials
There should be no waste in war-time. Canada could pay the annual interest on her war expenditure out of what we waste on our farms, in our factories, in our homes. Every pound of food saved from waste is as good as a pound of increased production. The way for a nation to save is for every individual to save. France is strong to-day because of thrift in time of peace. The men and women of Great Britain are not only "doing" but are learning to "do without."

Spend Your Money Wisely
Practise economy in the home by eliminating luxuries. Wasting our dollars here weakens our strength at the Front. Your savings will help Canada to finance the war. Save your money for the next Dominion War issue. There can be no better investment.

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