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LOCAL LINES

The Bay is full of Brant geese.

Mr. James Martin has started a saw filing business in town. Orders may be left at the furniture store.

Mr. Sam Calhoun has purchased a new six cylinder Peerless car. Next to our own we would rather have Sam's car than any one in the district.

In Mr. Forde's advertisement last week the pay roll of the Collieries Co. was made to read $1000,000 monthly, it should have read $100,-000. This was but a typographical error, and was not intended to deceive anyone.

Owing to the very rainy weather the proposed "Bee" to clear the site for the new church of England did not materialize. However the pleasure is only postponed, and if conditions are favorable, it will be held on Saturday of this we.k.

The new Presbyterian Church is rapidly nearing completion, and arrangements are being made for the opening, which is expected to take place the last Sunday in this month. Rev. Dr. Pidgeon of Vancouver is expected to preach the dedication sermons.

Mr. W. L. Coulson, general manager of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited has handed in his resignation. Mr. J. R. Lockard who has been general superintendent under Mr. Coulson has been appointed general superintendent of all the company's mines and properties in the Cumberland and Extension districts.

To Rent—4 roomed Bungalo, close in, P. A. Smith, Courtenay.

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Lost or left somewhere by Mr. Rawlins, a box containing samples of Christmas cards, order books etc. will the finder kindly communicate with the Review office.

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Mr. Joseph McPhee has taken over the management of the McPhee & Morrison Co's business here.

Mr. S. S. Teed has purchased a team of horses and has started a draying and express business in town. Mr. Teed is an obliging fellow and will likely succeed in his undertaking

The Courtenay Literary and Debating Society met on Monday evening with a full attendance and discussed Evolution vs Creation. Two of the best papers of the season ever read by the leaders and the debate that followed was wide general and instructive. The evolutionists had the majority of supporters. Next Monday will be devoted to a paper by Dr. Morrison on the Bird and Animal life in B. C.

Mr. O. H. Fechner is slowly recovering and expects to be able to sit up for a while each day very shortly.

W. H. Kirkwood shot a fine canvass back duck yesterday. This is one of the first secured here for some time.

All Scotchmen who would like to celebrate Bobbie Burns Anniversary will kindly meet at the Courtenay Hotel on Friday evening at 8 p. m. A banquet is proposed for the 25th of January.

The annual Sunday school Christmas tree entertainment will be held on Tuesday the 23rd inst. in the Agricultural hall. There will be readings, recitations, dialogues etc. by the children and choir. Don't forget to go. Santa Claus may have somethfng for you.

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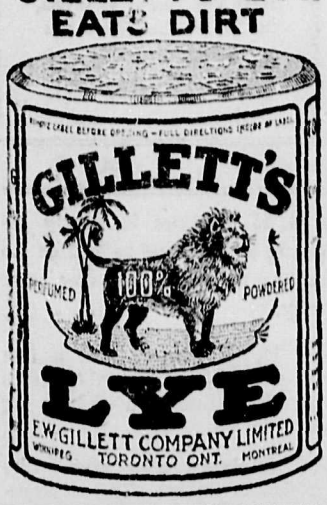

THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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(Continued)

You'd better wash those cups yourself, Jane, she said. I don't see any sense anyhow in getting out the best china unless there's real company. Besides, I'm going to talk business.

When the door had closed behind her, Miss Letitia listened for a moment, got up suddenly and, crossing the room with amazing swiftness for her years, pounced on the knob and threw it open again. But the passage was empty; Miss Jane's slim little figure was disappearing into the kitchen.

I didn't want to see you about the will, Mr. Knox, the older sister began. The will can wait. I ain't going to die just yet—not if I know anything. But although I think you'd look a heap better and more responsible if you wore some hair on your face, still in most things I think you're a man of sense. And you're not too young. That's why I didn't send for Harry Wardrop. He's too young.

I winced at that. Miss Letitia leaned forward and put her bony hand on my knee.

I've been robbed, she announced in a half whisper.

Indeed! I said, properly thunderstruck. I had always believed that only the use of the fourth dimension in space would enable any one not desired to gain access to the Maitland house.

Not the pearls? I asked.

She answered my question with another.

When you had those pearls appraised for me at the jeweler's last year, how many were there?

Not quite a hundred I think—yes ninety-eight.

Exactly, she corroborated, in triumph. They belonged to my mother. Margery's mother got some of them. That's a good many years ago, young man. They are worth more than they were then—a great deal more.

Twenty-two thousand dollars, I repeated. You remember, Miss Letitia, that I protested vigorously at the time against your keeping them in the house.

Miss Letitia ignored this, but before she went on she repeated again her catlike pouncing at the door, only to find the hall empty as before.

Yesterday morning, she said gravely, I got down the box—they have always been kept in the small safe in the top of my closet. When Jane found a picture of my niece, Margery Fleming, in Harry's room I thought it likely there was some truth in the gossip Jane heard about the two; and if there was going to be a wedding, why, the pearls were to go to Margery anyhow. But I found the door of the safe unlocked and a little bit open, and ten of the pearls were gone.

Gone! I echoed. If ten, why not the whole ninety-eight?

How do I know? she replied with asperity. That's what I keep a lawyer for.

But you need a detective, I cried.

I will not have the police, she persisted inflexibly. They will come around asking impertinent questions and telling the newspapers that a foolish old woman had got what she deserved.

Then you are going to send them to a bank?

You have less sense than I thought, she snapped. I am going to leave them where they are and watch. Whoever took the ten will be back for more, mark my words.

I don't advise it, I said decidedly.

Stuff and nonsense! the old lady said, with spirit.

Then—what do you want me to do? I asked. Have Bella arrested and her trunk searched.

Her trunk! she said scornfully. I turned it inside out this morning. I want you to stay here for three or four days. When I catch the thief I want my lawyers right by.

It ended by my consenting, of course. Miss Letitia was seldom refused. Little Miss Jane lighted me to the door of the guest room. Her thin gray curls bobbed as she examined the water pitcher, saw to the towels and felt the bed linen for dampness. At the door she turned around timidly.

Has—anything happened to disturb my sister? she asked. She has been almost irritable all day.

She is worried about her colored orphans, I evaded. She does not approve of fireworks for them on the Fourth of July.

I put out the light and sat down near the window, with my cigar and my thoughts. I had finished my second cigar. There was a sound of fumbling at one of the shutters below. With Miss Letitia's story of the pearls fresh in my mind I felt at once that the thief, finding his ten a prize, had come back for more.

I found on the mantel a heavy brass candlestick, and with it in my hand I stepped into the gloom of the hallway and felt my way down the stairs. I had kicked off my shoes, a fact I regretted later. I went into the library, which was beneath my room, but the sounds at the window had ceased. I thought I heard steps on the walk going toward the front of the house. I wheeled quickly and started for the door when something struck me a terrific blow on the nose. I reeled back and sat down, dizzy and shocked. It was only when no second blow followed the first that I realized what had occurred.

With my two hands out before me in the blackness I had groped, one hand on either side of the open door, which of course, I had struck violently with my nose. My candlestick had rolled under the table, and after crawling around on my hands and knees I found it. For all her boasted watchfulness Miss Letitia must have been asleep.

I got back into the dining room. Some one was fumbling at the shutters there, and as I looked they swung open. It was so dark outside with the trees and the distance from the street that only the creaking of the shutters told it had opened. I stood in the middle of the room, with one hand firmly clutching my candlestick.

But the window refused to move. The burglar seemed to have no proper tools. He got something under the sash, but it snapped, and through the heavy plate glass I could hear him swearing. Then he abruptly left the window and made for the front of the house.

I blundered in the same direction, my unshod feet striking on projecting furniture and causing me agonies even throughout my excitement. When I reached the front door, however I was amazed to find it unlocked, and standing pen perhaps an inch. I stopped uncertainly. I was in a peculiar position. Not even the most ardent admirers of antique brass candle sticks indorse them as weapons of offense or defense. But there seeming to be nothing else to do, I opened the door quietly and stepped out into the night.

The next instant I was flung heavily to the porch floor. I am not a small man by any means, but under the fury of that onslaught I was a child. It was a porch chair, I think, that knocked me senseless. I know I folded up like a jacknife, and that was all I did know for a few minutes.

When I came to I was lying where I had fallen, and a candle was burning beside me on the porch floor. It took me a minute to remember, and another minute to realize that I was looking into the barrel of a revolver. It occurred to me that I had never seen a more villianous face than that of the man who held it—which shows my state of mind—and that my position was the reverse of comfortable.

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The pie trust would retire from the field vanquished and binding up the wounds to its pocketbook were the women to fight with the kind of pies that mother used to make.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Cure.

Obeyed Orders

I thought I told you not to cut your corns with my razor! thundered the exasperated husband who was trying to lose a few of his whiskers.

Ar I haven't since you told me you were so particular with your old butcher knife, replied the wife sweetly.

Well, it feels that way.

I did open a can of tomatoes with it. Would that hurt it any? You didn't say I wasn't to do that.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

With the Tide

It had been raining for twenty-four hours, and the ground was more like a lake than a football field; but the referee could not see his way to postpone the match.

Surely you aren't going to make us play in this? asked the visiting captain.

Of course you must play, declared the man with the whistle. Now, don't hang about. You've won the toss. Which end are you taking?

Oh, well, came the reply, with a sigh of resignation, I reckon we'd better kick with the tide.

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A lady doctor writes:

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"On advice of a friend, I first tried Postum, making it carefully as suggested on the package. As I had always used "cream and no sugar," I mixed my Postum so. It looked good, was clear and fragrant, and it was a pleasure to see the cream color it as my Kentucky friend wanted her coffee to look—'like a new saddle.'

"Then I tasted it critically, for I had tried many "substitutes" for coffee. I was pleased, yes, satisfied with my Postum in taste and effect, and am yet, being a constant user of it all these years. I continually assure my friends and acquaintances that they will like it in place of coffee, and receive benefit from its use. I have gained weight, can sleep and am not nervous."

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The colonel remonstrated with his subaltern time after time, but all in vain. The latter was a born, incurable gambler. One day, however, just about the time when he was transferred, his old colonel met the new one and gave the latter a word of warning. Only two days after he had joined his new regiment the young officer accused his new colonel of suffering from corns.

My dear young fellow, I've never had a corn in my life.

I'll bet you five dollars you've got one on each foot now.

Done, said the colonel, and he took off his boots. No corns could be found, and the colonel got his money.

Hence when the two colonels met the young man's old commander was told of all that had happened.

Good heavens! cried the old warrior. And he bet me ten pounds he would have your feet bare before he had been in your regiment a week.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

A Scottish minister was called in to see a man who was extremely ill After finishing his visit, as he was leaving the house, he said to the man's wife: My good woman, do you not go to any church at all?

Oh, yes, sir; we gang to the Barony kirk.

Then why in the world did you send for me? Why didn't you send for Dr. MacLeod?

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The family had been composed of just Raymond, his brother and his father. One evening when Raymond came home from school he was taken into the room where a little mite of humanity lay and was told that it was his baby brother.

Raymond stood silent for a moment and then said: Well, pop, we'll have to cut the pie in more than three places now, won't we?

Minard's Liniments Cures Burns, Etc.

Westy Hogan's Draws Crowd of Shooters to Seaside Resort

Two hundred and eight trap shooters went to Atlantic City, N.J., this year to compete in the always popular Westy Hogan's Tournament. For the first time a Westy Hogan's Handicap event was scheduled—this to be the premier number on the week's program. L. W. Colquitt went over from East Orange, N.J., and made the maiden winning with 93 out of a possible 100 in the handicap and 17 out of a possible 20 in the shootoff, which he contested with Harry Eyre, a Pennsylvanian, who dropped one bird more than Mr. Colquit in the deciding string. Charles Newcomb, the noted Philadelphia amateur, won high amateur average for the meet, breaking 483 out of a possible 500, shooting Remington-UMC shells as did the handicap contenders mentioned. In attendance, the 'Westy's' exceeded the record of some of the minor Interstate Handicaps, this year, and set a high standard for next year's meet.

Second Choice

I hear that the Browns are going to lead the simple life this summer.

That is news to me.

That they are to live that way?

No; that Brown is so deeply involved.

Old man Aesop had just promised his wife he would be home early.

You don't seem to put much dependence in his promise? remarked the friend.

No, laughed Aesop's wife; I thought perhaps it might be another of his fables.

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Stopping His Talk

A man carrying a small handbag such as commercials use entered a barber's shop and proceeded to take various things out of the bag.

I don't think I want anything today, said the barber.

The other showed him a bottle.

This is very fine bay rum, he said.

Possibly, said the barber; but I have got plenty.

Shaving soap? said the other, producing a packet.

No, thanks, replied the barber.

Face powder? said the caller, producing another packet.

No; it no good, said the barber, I must get rid of my present stock first.

Apparently undaunted, the caller produced various other things—a bottle of hair tonic, a pot of pomade, a tube of face cream, and so on.

No, no, no! said the barber, desperately. I tell you I don't want any of them.

I know you don't was the calm reply.

Then why do you ask me to buy them? demanded the barber.

I didn't ask you to buy them, declared the other. I only came in to have my hair cut, but I wanted to show you before I started that I've got all the toilet articles I want.

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Art Tamed the Tigers

A privileged few may have seen the interesting sight of a sculptor making his studies and models from life for the statues of the two tigers which guard the entrance to Nassau hall at Princeton. The studies were made for the most part in the animal houses near the Arsenal in Central park. At first considerable prodding by the keepers was necessary to induce the zoological samples to come forward when the sculptor wanted them. After a time, however—this is upon the sculptor's solemn word—the beasts got so that when they saw him set up his stand they came forward of their own accord and lay crouched, as he wished. The tigers had learned to pose.

Cigar or Cocoanut?

The occupants of the railway carriage were listening with joyful interest to the tales of the young man in the corner. He had been all over the world several times, apparently and his adventures had been marvelous.

Coolness and courage is the thing, he was saying. Take this case. We were in Central Africa, traveling among cannibal tribes. One evening when we camped, I had strolled off while my men prepared supper, when suddenly above a rock in front of me I saw the heads of three natives who were watching me. What was I to do? My gun was at the camp. To turn back meant having spears through me. In a moment I decided. Close by were some stones. Pretending I didn't see the niggers, I bent down as if to examine the stones, then, quick as lightning, I picked up three of them and flung them with all my force at their heads. Every one found its mark, and the three natives dropped like sheep. I always take a good aim, and it served me well then.

Then the red-faced man opposite, who had been listening carefully, chimed in: And what did you get? A cigar or a cocoanut?

Nature's Rival

She—Did you hear the thunderstorm last night?

He—No. There was a suffragette meeting in the next house to mine.

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The kitchen of olden times seem to have been of extraordinary size, judging from the investigations made by an English historical society. At Hurstmonceaux for example, there was a kitchen twenty-eight feet high, with three huge fireplaces and a bakehouse with an oven fourteen feet in diameter.

There is an old Welsh kitchen near Llandudno, dating from the fifteenth century, which has many primitive culinary contrivances, now obsolete or superseded by modern devices. Among these curious old devices may be mentioned a meatjack with a flywheel, a steel toasting stand and a fan bellows.

At Battle abbey there is a curious old kitchen containing much of interest to the antiquary, and a kitchen at St. Mary's hall, Coventry, is remarkable for the famous 'knaves' post to which, it appears, refractory scullions were temporarily attached by way of punishment.

There is a medieval kitchen at Westminster abbey, although little remains by which to identify it aside from the rubble flooring, the buttery hatch and an adjoining cellar. Hampton Court palace shows its great kitchen with vaulted roof and sets of antlers on its walls.

Englishmen of other days fully recognized the advantages of a large kitchen. There is extant an order, dated April 19, 1206, wherein Hugh de Nevill is commanded to have the king's kitchen at Clarendon roofed with shingles and to cause two new kitchens to be erected, one at Marlborough and the other at Ludgershall, to which 'to dress' the royal dinners. In this order it is stated that it is particularly directed that each kitchen shall be provided with a furnace sufficiently large to roast two or three oxen

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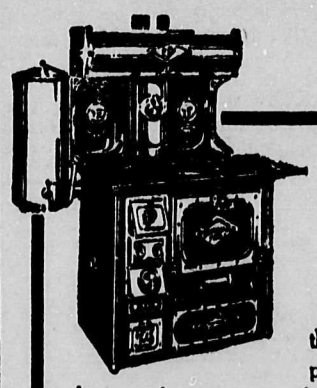

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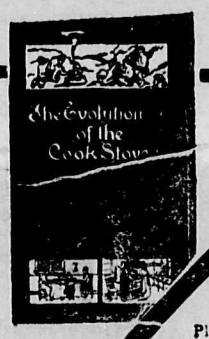

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ROYSTON

The contract for the wharf at Roy's Beach is let to Mr. R. H. Woods, of Port Alberni, who is coming here in a few days to arrange for the work being started. The approach to this wharf will be 1284 feet in length by 16 feet wide and the wharf landing 100 x 40ft. with a freight shed 14x20, the top floor of the wharf and approach 5 feet above high water mark, this is on the modern principle of the wharves at Victoria and on the mainland, allowing vessels to get alongside at any state of the tide.

Undoubtedly this wharf, which was urged 17 years ago, but not possible of accomplishment under the late Dominion Government, will prove of immense benefit to the surrounding district, especially Cumberland and Comox, and our Dominion member Mr. H. S. Clements deserves our best thanks; it is another of his achievements "the greatest good for the greatest number" this is his motto, but not so with the late government in regard to B. C., who when they vacated office left us 20 years behind the times. We only want our pound of flesh which under the present government we are getting. Regarding Comox and this new wharf, the C. P. R. will not run the steel to Comox and when it is figured out that the distance between Comox and Royston wharf across the harbour will be approximately one mile, passengers using the C. P. R. Royston flag station will be able to cross to and from Comox by a gasoline launch in a few miuntes.

Mr. Harry Idiens and his brother are applying for a liquor license for an hotel to be built at Roy's Beach on the beautiful residental site formerly occupied by old gentleman Roy overlooking Comox Harbour,

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Such hotel to be named "The Pier Hotel" and built somewhat on the Swiss Chalet style to be run as a good class residential hotel and yacht club combined, it is conceded that such will be needed at Royston and should their application be granted the next nearest hotel will be four miles distant and would not injure any other liquor license holder, on the contrary, it will do these and the district as a whole good by drawing a good class of settlers and those of independent means on pleasure bent for yachting, shooting and fishing.

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Letter to the Editor

Editor Review

Dear Sir.— In corroboration of of Messrs. Hardy & Biscoe's letter in your issue of last week we may say that we have not found real estate movements around Courtenay entirely stagnant. Our sales during the last two weeks being $6,000 worth of close in acreage besides several town lots. During November and December business is naturally not as brisk as in the spring months but we may add that payments are coming in very satisfactorily and everything points to a very bright New Year.

Very trnly
Island Realty Co.
per. J. S. Potter.

The Vancouver Board of Trade is in receipt of information from Mr. L. A. King of Edinburgh representing James M. Davidson & Co. Fisheries to the effect that a large fertilizer plant would be installed on this coast somewhere near the Skeena river. This is to be a fish fertilizer and the first outlay in its installation will be $200,000.

A tree that was said to be the largest on Vancouver Island fell down on Monday last. It was located near Westholme and for several months has been regarded as dangerous from the fact that it was shaken from its foundation and leaned in the direction of the E. & N. Railway track at an angle of 45 degrees. The Government road gang were instructed to remove it and last Monday were just beginning to chop it down when it took a lurch and fell to the ground. The tree was 16 feet through although not very long ago its top had broken off. On Monday afternoon and Tuesday a great number visited the scene of the dethroned monarch of the forest and got several good snap shots.

The Court of Appeal has refused a new trial to the two Indians Paul and Spitlum who have been convicted of murder and are to be hanged in January. These Indians are credited with killing John White a miner; a Chinese witness of the first mnrder, and a third a police constable who sought to arrest the natives last June.

Letter to the Editor

Editor of Review,

Dear Sir:— Kindly allow me space in yonr valuable paper to state a few facts, in regard to the awarding of the Bronze Medal which was donated by the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the person receiving the most prizes for Garden vegetables at the Comox Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition held at Courtenay on Sept. 19. On that day, before I entered (to see the exhibits) I met Mr. Carter, secretary of the Agricultural Society at the door; he congratulated me for winning the Bronze Medal and on the wall in the hall was posted thus "R. J. Smith won 12 points, M. Ball won 8 points," the twelve points winning the medal.

I must say I was surprised when I read the report of the business meeting of the Society in yonr paper to see that Markham Ball was awarded the Bronze medal for taking the most prizes for garden vegetables at the Exhibition, who appeared to be also surprised and elated and said "he appreciated the medal more, not only for its value but for what it represents. It had taken him five years to get his ground into shape to grow the vegetables to win with," and well he might be surprised to have a medal awarded to him for winning eight second prizes, whereas I won four first prizes and four seconds and one of my first prizes was a ten dollar prize for the best display of vegetables, which was counted two points the same as a common first prize at $2 which in reality is ten points, or in other words Mr. Ball should receive eight dollars in prize money for his garden vegetables, whereas I was awarded twenty dollars in the same class; I have received eighteen, two dollars I have not got yet, viz: the first prize for Scotch Kale which they omitted ot give me in the recount, they made a mistake in this, as there were only two exhibits of Scotch Kale in the hall, Mr. John Knight, of Point Holmes, took second prize and I took the first prize for Scotch Kale.

At the first meeting of the new Board of Directors there was a committee appointed to look into this affair but as yet I understand they have received no light on the subject. Perhaps ex-Pres. Richard Hurford can explain why they left out one of my first prizes in the recount.

In a letter I received from Secy. Richard Carter a few days ago after the prize was awarded in which he stated the following:

"Mr. R. J. Smith,

Sir:—At the Fair held on the 19th of Sept. it was posted you had won the Bronze medal for garden vegetables, but now find after a recount that Mr. Ball has scored one point more than you did, therefore is entitled to the medal, which was presented to him at the annual meeting on the 4th inst.

I am sorry this mistake has occurred and hope this explanation is satisfactory.

Yours truly,
R. Carter, Jr."

I would like Mr. Carter to prove this statement by giving figures from the Judges books.

Thanking you very much for the space I have taken in your paper.

I am yours respectfully,
R. J. Smith.
Little River, Comox.

Richard Scott, a rural mail carrier of Cambridge City Ind. recently covered his twenty five mile route on a motorcycle in ninety seven minutes. He delivered mail to ninety seven boxes on the route.

The following interesting item appears in the "Fifty Years Ago" column of the Colonist. "Dr. Tolmie gave notice that at the next meeting of the House of Assembly he would launch a scheme to memoralize the Duke of Newcastle as to the necessity of fortifying the whole of Esquimault harbor.

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Campbell River

On Friday Dec. 5th, the ladies of Campbell River assembled at the Willows Hotel for the purpose of forming a club in the District. It has been considered advisible to build a hospital at Campbell River owing to the increased labour in the lumber camps, and it was with this idea that the formation of the club originated.

The club is to be known as "The Campbell River Social Benefit Club," and as will be concluded from the proposed name, it is to be a pleasureable combined with an industrial organization.

Officers were elected as follows: Pres. Mrs Thulin, Vice-Pres. Mrs. Morrison, Secretary-treasurer Mrs. McDonald, executive committee, Mrs. Jamieson, Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Holm, Mrs. Bay, Mrs. Glenville, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Deiner, Misses. A. Thulin, E. Thnlin, E. Barwise, M. McNeil, R. Morrison.

The first meeting of the Club takes place on Monday Dec. 8th, when the ladies are to be engaged in making costumes for the coming masquerade which will be held at the Willows hotel, Campbell River, Dec. 29, the proceeds of which is to be devoted to the hospital fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Thulin returned to Campbell River on Dec. 4th after a few weeks trip to the city. The sum which they raised towards the new hospital, to be built at Campbell River, is praise in itself for the energetic and sympathetic couple, and the response of the people of both Vancouver and Victoria denotes the interest they take in the welfare of their province.

Mrs. Dr. T. H. Jamieson has been spending a couple of days in Vancouver from which she returned Dec. 5th.

An Ottawa despatch says that Hon. R. L. Borden has returned to Ottawa after a months sojourn at Hot Springs, Va., apparently much improved in health. It is likely that a number of cabinet meetings will be held At the first one it is understood that the question of dealing with the Hindus and the Oriental problem generally is being taken up with the Imperial authorities and the Government is hopeful of reaching a permanent solution.

Premier Borden, at the close of the Cabinet meeting, would make no statement other than to say that the date of the opening of Parliament would be settled this week. January 15th is now regarded as the most likely date.

The death of Alfred Ford, aged 87 years, is reported from Duncan where he has lived for a number of years.

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Board of Trade

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was held last Thursday evening. In the absence of the President and Vice President, Dr. Millard was voted to the chair.

A letter from the Attorney General informed the Board that the Department did not see its way to appoint a stipendary magistrate for Courtenay at the present time, and pointing out that Mr. Abrams of Cumberland was at liberty to try all cases arising here. This was not satisfactory to the Board, and now that the new lock up is finished it is thought that a resident magistrate should be appointed. This will be brought to the Attorney General's attention.

It was reported that the recent floods had worn away a great portion of the bank opposite the mouth of the Puntledge River, which, if not attended to shortly will cause a deviation of the river. A committee was appointed to look after the details of calling the attention of the proper parties to the circumstances.

Mr. Clinton of Cumberland telephoned for permission to meet the Board and the citizens of Courtenay relative to his proposed waterworks for Courtenay. The matter was left in the hands of the Secretary to arrange date.

Two new members were added to the roll.

Among the guests at the Restmore this week are the following: Mr. McDonald, Cumberland; A. F. Pickup, Victoria; F. Laco, J. Laine, Vancouver; Y. Lalo; Mr. Seela; Mr. Isbestor.

Died—At Comox on Sunday Dec. 7th Mrs. Helen Anderton aged 75 years and 26 days. The funeral took place on Wednesday forenoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. P. Downey. Requieum mass was celebrated by Fr. Mertens, and interment took place in the R. C. Cemetry. The deceased was an old resident of the district, and was well known and highly esteemed by her friends. Her husband predeceased her some eight months ago. All the family were home for the funeral. The pall-bearers were her four sons and two gradd-sons by her special request.

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Slippers	1.00 " 3.50
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Gifts for Men

Umbrellas	$1.25 to $5.00
Gloves	.50 " 5.00
Handkerchiefs	.10 " 1.00
Suspenders	.50 " 1.50
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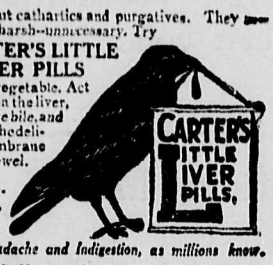

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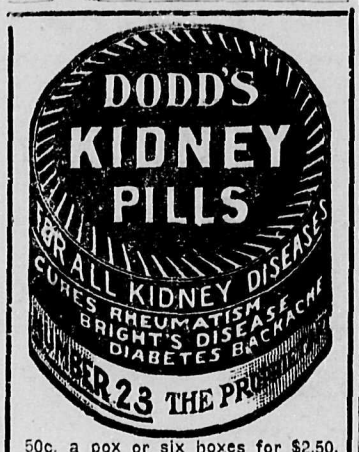

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BUT ROW STARTS AGAIN.

It Was All Because of an Ill Timed Taxi Ride and Feminine Jealousy, According to the Janitor—Another Outbreak Imminent.

By M. QUAD.

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"WHAS dot you or somepody else, Mr. Sprocket?" queried the german grocer as the janitor of Paradise Flats lounged into the store the other evening.

"Yes, it's me."

"Und you vhas alive?"

"Just about."

"Vhas it more troubles mit your tenants?"

"That's it. Do I look all broke up?"

"Mr. Sprocket, you vhas looking like some man mit his toes in der grave."

"I shouldn't wonder. There was an hour or so last night when I didn't know whether I'd be living today or not."

"Did you go most dead mit dot asthma?"

"No, it wasn't the asthma altogether. In fact, the asthma was as good as left out of it. Those people broke loose again, you see, and the nervous strain on me almost knocked me out."

"Vhat a wicked people, vhat a wicked world! Und so dere vhas some more rows?"

"I told you the other day about the three ladies having a scrap," replied the janitor as he settled himself down on the head of a barrel. "Well, they went about with their noses in the air for a day or two and then decided to make it up. That's a woman's way, you know. They couldn't visit each other while they were mad, and each one of the three was just dying to see how the others had furnished up their rooms and whether the whole family had to sleep in one bed or not. Mrs. O'Sullivan had the most curiosity, and as she had drawn a diamond ring with a pound of fifty cent tea and wanted to show it off she decided to give in first. Yesterday morning she knocked on the dago's door, and the dago put her nose out and asked:

"'Whata you wanta of me, eh?'

Makes First Overtures.

"'Countess, I've come to make up wid ye,' said O'Sulivan. 'Sayin' nothin' of the words in the Bible and the teachin's of good men that we should dwell together in harmony, I'm willin' to believe that I was mistaken in ye as a dago. The way ye used yer fingers in me hair, to say nothin' of the bat on me mouth, proves that ye are

MRS. O'SULLIVAN GOT HER IRISH UP.

a perfect lady and entitled to my esteem. Shake me hand, Countess Divito, and let's be friends.'

"'You no wanta fighta any more?' asked the countess as she came out into the hall.

"'Not another wallop,' answered O'Sullivan, 'It's rather airly in the mornin' for a high society call, but if ye'll overlook it for once I'll come in and show you the $150 diamond ring me Tim handed me from his hind pocket this mornin' for a birthday prisent.'

"I heard it all," said the janitor, "and the countess let her in and met her half way. I thought it would be a good thing for me and McMurphy and a bad thing for the darky, but it turned out tiptop all around. When two women get to making up a quarrel they include all creation, and it wasn't over half an hour before the two came out with their arms around each other and started up to see the barber's wife."

"Py golly, but I like dot!" exclaimed the grocer. "Vhen I was mad at some mans, und he come around next day I vhas all oafer her. If nobody vhas mad, den you see how happy we all vhas."

"That's it, Mr. Wasserman. If you only had the asthma you'd make a good flathouse janitor. Yes, they went up, and the darky heard them coming and was ready for them with an old chair leg. She was spitting on her hands for a good grip when Mrs. O'Sullivan told her that the quarrel was all made up and the dove of peace had come there to hatch her brood. She'd been thumped pretty hard, and she was rather offish, but she toed the mark after awhile, and there was kissing and hugging all around. An hour later O'Sullivan gave a morning tea, which was mostly beer and crackers, and such quietness fell upon the house that I began to feel lonesome. About 1 o'clock in the afternoon the three got dressed to go out in company, and of course each one put on her best duds to make the other jealous. You know what women are, Mr. Wasserman?"

"Vhell, maybe! I lif mit my old womans for oafer dwenty year."

Out For an Airing.

"Of course. They praised each other's hats and dresses as they stood in the hall, but it was all hypocrisy, you know. The countess was perhaps the best dressed, though it was a pretty even thing all over. They sailed away like three graces, and I kicked the goat out of the halls, run the dogs on to the street and heaved the carts in the back yard. For two hours I had a house to be proud of, and I had made up my mind to tell McMurphy to raise the rent when the ladies returned. They had treated each other to clam broth, ice cream and candy and had come back in a taxi to end up in a swagger way. When the taxi came dashing up there was a sensation on that block, and fifty other women turned pale as they looked out of their windows."

"Vhas some rubber tires on der wheels of dot taxi?" asked the grocer as he seemed to call up a picture in his mind's eye.

"Aye, there was, Mr. Wasserman," replied the janitor. "Yes, there was rubber tires on every wheel—none missing—and the choffer was in uniform. For a minute or two I felt so proud that I was determined to ask McMurphy to raise my salary to $20 a month and fuel throwed in; but, alas, it was the taxi that was our undoing."

"Did she broke down?"

"Not at all. The ladies didn't have money enough to settle the fare, you see, or they wanted to beat each other. They could scrape only 45 cents together, while the fare was a dollar and a half, and the choffer wasn't slow in giving them his opinion of bilks. It wasn't two minutes before the whole neighborhood was on to the racket, and then there was fun. At first the three women hung together as against the choffer, but pretty soon Mrs. O'Sullivan got her Irish up and turned on the others with:

"'Be me sowl, but I might have knowed it! What but this should happen to a discindant of the O'Shanes who goes out with a dago and a naygur!'

Hostilities About to Begin.

"'Who you calla dago?' yelled the countess.

"'And who's a naygur?' shouted Mrs. Torrington.

"Then a great crowd gathered around, hoping to see a scrap, and when I tell you, Mr. Wasserman, that the reputation of McMurphy's flats for chick and gentility suffered a setback that they'll not get over for years I speak the word with aching heart. To satisfy the choffer and avoid a row on the street, Mrs. O'Sullivan handed over that tea store diamond and sailed into the house as grand as a queen, and when the others had followed her I locked the doors on the crowd."

"Und so all vhas peace once more?" queried the grocer with a sigh of relief.

"Not on your life, old man! You know what a prelude is, don't you?"

"I pelief I do, but I don't carry some in stock. She vhas too perishable."

Just a Curtain Raiser.

"Just so. Well, that little affair on the sidewalk was a prelude, a prologue, a curtain raiser. It didn't take the O'Sullivan over seven minutes to get back into her fighting togs, and she made a break for upstairs at once. The dago and the colored woman were ready for her and also for each other, and the way they did sail in and break down doors and knock off plaster gave me palpitation of the heart and thoughts of graveyards. I limped off and let them have it out, and the three of them are in bed and will be for a week to come."

"But maybe dey shall make oop good friends und stay so!" suggested the grocer.

"Maybe; but you can't expect it, Mr. Wasserman. It ain't in what they call nature, you see. It's Ireland agin Italy and Africa, and Italy and Africa agin Ireland, and three women agin each other, and if you don't mind I'll take a cucumber home for my lunch and get what rest I can for my asthma before the menagerie breaks loose again."

Sure Proof.

"But are you sure," persisted the grouchy customer, "that this 'ere stuff will cure my rheumatiz?"

"Oh, yes," replied the drug clerk; "all the doctors refuse to recommend it."—

KING OF COLORS.

Red Has More Meaning and Greater Effect Than Any Other Hue.

Red has a greater effect upon both man and the lower animals than any other color. It is, in fact, the king of colors, according to Professor W. Peabody Bartlett.

"Perhaps," says Professor Bartlett, "if our blood were green instead of red we would hold green as the king of colors, because blood is life. The sight of it stirs both man and the lower animals, and for that reason the color of it is the most effective of all colors."

Every one knows the antipathy a bull has to red, how he will bellow and become blindly enraged at the sight of it, but the bull is by no means the only animal that is affected by this color. Put a dog in a kennel and cover the end that opens to daylight with a white cloth or a black cloth, and the dog will pay little attention to it, but cover the opening with a bright red cloth so that the daylight comes through to the dog in a red glow, and the dog will at once begin to bark furiously.

Put a rooster in a dark bag or a green or yellow bag and he will remain quiet, but put him in a bag of thin red cloth, so that the light may shine through and show the color, and the rooster will crow lustily. This is not because he might think the red indicated sunrise, because roosters will crow long before the first faint tinge of color appears in the east.

In one experiment a spider and a wasp were placed in a glass bottle and seemed to get along very comfortably, with no attempt at fighting each other, but as soon as they were put in a bottle of red glass they began to fight until they had killed each other.

Hold three apples before a baby, one green, one yellow and one a bright red, and the child will almost invariably pick the red apple. The color appeals to it. Red blooms in the cheek of beauty and touches the lips of feminine youth. Red plays a great part in life, and it may be, as Professor Bartlett says, due to the fact that red is the color of blood and blood is life, so it seems from humble wasp and fish to rooster, dog, bull, and so on through the list of lower animals to man and woman, red has more meaning and greater effect than any other color, making it indeed the king of colors.—New York American.

METAL OF THE STANDARDS.

Iridio-Platinum and Its Qualities of Accuracy and Durability.

There are undoubtedly no products of human skill on which a greater degree of care is expended than the standard of weight and measure in use among the civilized nations. Two things in particular must be considered—accuracy and durability. Nature does not, it is contended, furnish any single metal or mineral which exactly answers the requirements for a standard of measure or weight that shall be as nearly as possible unalterable.

It is held that the best substance yet produced for this purpose is an alloy of 90 per cent platinum with 10 per cent of iridium. This is called iridio-platinum, and it is the substance of which the metric standards prepared by the international commission of weights and measures are composed.

It is hard, it is less affected by heat than any pure metal, it is practically nonoxidizable, or not subject to rust, and it can be finely engraved. In fact, the lines on the standard meters are hardly visible to the naked eye, yet they are smooth, even, sharp and accurate.

It is said that if our civilization should ever be lost and relics of it should be discovered in some brighter age in the remote future there is nothing which would bear higher testimony to its character than these standard measures of iridio-platinum.—Harper's Weekly.

A Police Sinecure.

An inquisitive member of the house of commons was struck one day by the presence of a policeman in one of the lobbies. He wondered why this particular lobby should always have a guardian strolling up and down and made inquiries. The records of the house were searched, and it was found that fifty years previously, when the lobby was being decorated, a policeman had been stationed there to keep members from soiling their clothes. The order never having been countermanded, the constable had kept his beat for half a century.

Antediluvian Monsters.

The Government explorers, who spent last summer in the Canadian west, looking for fossils, returned with tons of specimens.

Two monstrous skeletons of the dinosaurs, one 32 feet long and the other 40 feet long, were discovered in the bone beds of the Red Deer river, Alberta.

The remains of a horned plant-eating dinosaur and of the flesh-eating dinosaur were found.

These interesting specimens will be mounted and placed on exhibition at the museum in Ottawa.

1,200 MILES FOR MATCHES.

Explorer Stefansson's Story of Awkward Mishap in the Arctic.

With a rifle and a sufficient supply of ammunition, said Mr. Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Canadian explorer, lecturing before the Royal Geographical Society in London, it is possible to go over the discovered lands of the Arctic. In the course of an interesting lecture Mr. Stefansson told a remarkable story of a five years' sojourn in Arctic regions in search of a race of Eskimos who had never before seen a white man. They left New York in April of 1908, and the small item that may upset the best-laid plans was illustrated by the fact that they were relying upon a supply of matches at Herschell Island on the north Alaskan coast, and as these were not forthcoming Dr. Anderson had to retrace his steps a distance of 1,200 miles to Barrent Point for them. "The whole expedition cost only $10,000," said Mr. Stefansson, and quite half that sum was spent in securing matches. From Herschell Island the party pushed steadily eastward and reached Cape Parry in the winter, and here they found a whale, which eked out their provisions fortuitously. "That whale," recalled the explorer with a dry smile, "had been dead four years." The Eskimos said so. It had frozen in the winter, and had thawed in the summer. It was after he had been two years in the Arctic that Stefansson set out upon his specific quest for the Eskimos who, to use his own words, "had not been contaminated by missionaries or traders—(laughter)—of course, I mean from the scientific point of view." After a long pursuit Stefansson, standing on a hut, saw the party he was searching for seal hunting about seven miles away, and went after them. The Eskimos thought they were spirits, and prepared to defend themselves, but his (Stefansson's) Eskimos discovered that they spoke a similar dialect, and peace was secured and introductions to all the tribe—men, women and children—ensued. Intellectually these Eskimos were on a level with the inhabitants of Great Britain 10,000 years ago. It was on Victoria Island that he came across the blonde Eskimos, whom he preferred to call bronze or copper. They eyes were blue, their eyebrows and whiskers fair, and the formation of the head and face akin to Europeans. Sir John Franklin had recorded that he saw one such Eskimo in 1824 in the Coppermine district, and Stefansson said he had come to the conclusion that they were descendants of an ancient race of settlers who, originating in Scandinavia, had traveled to Mackenzie by way of Iceland.

Gave Wolseley Raspberries.

Now that the British nation is lamenting the loss of one of her greatest warriors of modern times, it is interesting to meet with people who accompanied Lord Wolseley on the Red River expedition, which made his name a never-to-be-forgotten one to the Canadian people.

Such an one is Alexander Ritchie, of North Toronto. Mr. Ritchie, moreover, as far as he is aware, enjoyed the unique distinction of being the youngest member of the volunteers who took part in repelling the Fenian Raid in 1866.

Mr. Ritchie was born at Kingston in 1850, and at the age of 14 he joined the volunteers. When the Fenian Raid took place in 1866, Mr. Ritchie, then only 16 years old, was sent with his regiment to Cornwall, where it was stationed till the trouble blew over.

In 1870 the Louis Riel rebellion, which led to the Red River expedition, broke out, and Private Ritchie was one of the members of the expedition. Mr. Ritchie recalls how one day, at a wild spot away beyond Lake Superior, he and some of his companions-in-arms were picking raspberries when Col. Wolseley rode up on horseback. Mr. Ritchie, who had his linen hat cover full of the berries, offered them to his commander, and the colonel helped himself.

Asked about the expedition, Mr. Ritchie described how they went by boat to Prince Arthur's Landing, now Port Arthur, but at that time an unsettled wilderness, and of the arduous journey from there to Fort Garry.

Specially prepared boats, manning six oars and about 30 feet long, were used for transporting the men and supplies up the Red River. The first boat set off on the 4th of July and it was the 27th of August before the last boat reached Fort Garry.

Her Troubles.

"Is the new nurse kind to your children?"

"Oh, yes. But one always has trouble with the nurses. The new one takes such good care of the children that they won't come to me any more."

FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Big Birthday Cake For Little Bible Students.

AN UNUSUAL CELEBRATION.

Children Helpers of the British Bible Society Meet the Lord Mayor at Anniversary Party—Things of Interest to Small People.

An unusual birthday party, attended by about 2,000 children, was held at Guildhall, London, with the lord mayor and aldermen as guests. The celebration was in honor of the one hundred and ninth anniversary of the birth of the British and Foreign Bible societies. The invitations were confined chiefly to the London children's helpers of the society, and each of them carried away a small cardboard box containing

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MAMMOTH BIRTHDAY CAKE.

a piece of the mammoth cake provided for the occasion. The cake was a beautiful sight and weighed 109 pounds—one pound for each year of the society's existence. The first celebration took place in 1901, and the cake made for the children then weighed ninety-seven pounds, but the passing of years has added twelve pounds to the monument of sweetness.

The cake was cut by a granddaughter of the lord mayor and then packed in boxes for distribution to the children and others fortunate enough to get a piece.

Things That Interest.

Kissing the hands of great men was an old Grecian custom, though originally of eastern origin.

The smallest flower known to the botanist is said to be that of the yeast plant. It is microscopic in size.

So strong is the light emitted by Jamaica fireflies that the presence of six will enable a person to read.

Daffodils, which are one of the harbingers of spring, are so called from the old English "affodyle"—that which cometh early.

Elephants can climb to a great height. Their tracks have been seen upon the very summit of mountains 7,000 feet high.

The mummy of an Egyptian princess who lived 2000 B. C. shows around the waist a contrivance similar to the modern corset.

Among the Paniyans, a laboring class in Malabar, when a man wishes to marry a girl he must carry a bundle of firewood to her house daily for six months.

How Do You Like Your Neighbors?

The company must be seated in a ring, with one person left standing in the center. This person may ask any one he chooses, "How do you like your neighbors." Only one of two answers is allowed, "Very much" or "Not at all."

If the person questioned answers "Not at all" he is asked whom he would prefer, when he must name two other members of the circle. The old neighbors and the new must then change places, and while they are out of their seats the player in the center must try to secure one of them.

The person who loses his seat must then take his place in the center. Should the person questioned answer "Very much" every one of the players must change seats, so it is not very difficult in this case for the questioner to find a seat.

The Lamb's Protectors.

The shaggy wolf dog was set to watch a lamb. Another dog, also near a wolf in shape and color, saw him and fell upon him at once. "Wolf, wolf, what are you doing with this lamb?" cried he. "Wolf yourself! Be off or you'll find out to your sorrow," was the answer. The one tried to carry off the lamb, the other to keep it by force, and between the two it was torn to pieces.

Point Not Well Taken.

Mrs. Timkins (to small daughter saying prayers)—A little louder, dear I can't hear. Daughter—Yes, but I'm not speaking to you.—New York Post.

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Waterworks Discussion

The meeting called by the Board of Trade to hear Mr. Clinton's proposition for a waterworks system for Courtenay was held Last night Mr McPhee, the president occupied the chair and introduced Mr Clinton who briefly stated that two years ago he had made overtures to get his company to come here but was unsuccessful. He had obtained an option to supply Mine 8 and had plenty of water to supply Courtenay also. It would cost from 35 to 40 thousand dollars to instal the system. In the event of Courtenay incorporating it would sell at value fixed by arbitration. The stock would be offered here for 30 days and any not taken would be sold elsewhere. It will be run absolutely honest, no promotion shares. We did not expect it would pay at the start. Cumberland waterworks did not pay dividends for eight years and Electric light did not pay for five years.

The company would not be overcapitalized, and the territory served would make it very valuable to Courtenay in the event of her buying. If Courtenay comes into the scheme water would be here by June 1. Said the local company would not have head enough to supply No. 8, and could not get permission anyway. With all due respect to the Review, the Cumberland people did not consider the C. & U. W. Co. any octopus, thought they could do Courtenay good if given the chance.

Dr. Millard said his company was not on the defensive, and he had nothing to say at this stage.

Mr. Clinton said there was absolutely no animosity between the two companies. By supplying Mine 8 and Courtenay he was sure it would pay dividends. There was no money in supplying Cumberland alone.

Mr. Willard advised against incorporation, and thought the citizens should form a league, and make the best terms possible with one of the companies, taxes would surely raise if we incorporate.

Mr. McPhee was a believer in co-operation, co-operative societies seemed to flourish here, and thought the citizens should get together and build their own waterworks—they could make just as much money out of it as a company.

Mr. Blight wanted to know, why, if there was nothing in supplying water, the company were so anxious to get in here.

Mr. Clinton said he was not trying to slip anything over on courtenay.

Dr. Millard said it was up to some of the public spirited men to take hold of the matter. So far as he or his company was concerned, they could have their charter and franchise at cost. If there was water here more substantial buildings would be built, and the company would not be opposd to incorporation.

Dr. Crompton said that courtenay seemed to be in the position of a beautiful maiden with two suitors.

Mr. Clinton said that he thought the coal company was quite as much the backbone of Courtenay as it was of Cumberland. He thought there was money in water or he wouldn't be in it.

Mr. McPhee said the citizens of Courtenay should get together and do something for themselves.

Mr. Towler said the reason Cumberland was mentioned was because she was always being held up to us as a horrible example of incorporation. Disinterested men of wide experience advised us to incorporate and to do it at once. The approximate cost of bringing water from Brown's river was $33,500. The cost of bringing it from Dr. Millard's springs 21,000, plus 4,000 for D. Kilpatrick's rights, and if we buy from the company, an additional 30 per cent.

After some more short passages the meeting adjourned to consider the matter and report later.

A vote of thanks was tendered the chairman and Mr. Clinton.

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I am sorry to say the fun was considerably damped by two of the Bossy Boys running away with the candy box, however they were eventually discovered devouring their plunder, and were pounced upon and made divide with the wee yans.

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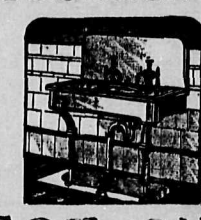

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