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CUMBERLAND NURSE FIRST WOMAN M.M.

Cumberland, B. C., is basking in reflected glory, Nursing Sister Mary Browne, to whom has just been awarded the first Military Medal ever given to a woman, having for several years prior to the war been matron at the hospital there.

The information came in a dispatch from London, England, last evening, which stated that the London Gazette had just announced the award of military medals to five women nurses for bravery and devotion to duty during enemy air raids on casualty stations and hospitals. The following is a brief account of the incident:

"Nursing Sister Mary Browne and Mary Lutwick were with the matron and another sister when the former was severely injured and the latter killed. Nursing Sister Browne attended them, and Nursing Sister Lutwick crossed the open bomb-swept ground and brought help. Both subsequently returned to the clearing station and worked many hours in greatest danger."

This is just the kind of coolness which her friends would have expected in Nursing Sister Browne, who during her connection with Cumberland Hospital proved herself a wonderfully capable and efficient matron, absolutely absorbed in her work and endowed with considerable executive ability.

A graduate of Freemantle Hospital, Australia, she came to Vancouver Island in 1908, being appointed to the Nursing staff at Cumberland Hospital at that time and the following year being made matron. This office she held until the early summer of 1915, when she volunteered with No. 5 Base Hospital, which went from Victoria overseas under Lieut.-Col. Hart. While this unit was awaiting instructions to proceed to Salonica she worked for a time in the Duchess of Connaught's Hospital, proceeding thence to Cairo and finally joining No. 5 General Hospital at the Greek port. At one time in the following year her health broke down and she was invalided to Malta, but before No. 5 Hospital left Salonica for England she returned to the unit for a time, being one of the last of the original body of nurses when the hospital was finally sent home.

When her Cumberland friends last heard from her she was stationed at Liverpool with the hospital, but since that time she must have been sent across to France, judging by yesterday's dispatch. One of her most intimate friends is Mrs. W. J. Fraser, who is station mistress on the E. & N. at Union Bay, Vancouver Island. Dr. MacNaughton, who still lives at Cumberland, was the doctor in charge of the hospital there when Nursing Sister Browne was matron, and occasionally he received news of her movements.

Although primarily devoted to her profession, Nursing Sister Browne favored tennis as a recreation, and such time as she spared from her duties at the hospital she spent chiefly on the tennis court, Her skill in the game was by no means small, and she actually won the Cumberland championship and silver cup one season.

Nursing Sister Lutwick, the second Canadian among the five nursing sisters who was awarded the Military Cross, is attached to the Queen Alexandria Nursing Service. Her next-of-kin is given as C. E. Lutwick, Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.—From the Colonist of Wednesday, June 5th.

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

The City Council held their usual session on Tuesday evening. Present, His Worship Mayor Harrison, Aldermen Braes, Carey and Tarbell.

A communication was received from Thos. H. Richards complaining of an overflow sewerage in connection with his residence on Penrith Avenue. The Board of Works was instructed to investigate and report.

The Provincial Board of Health directed the attention of the City Council to a circular on milk standard for dairies and herds. This was received and filed and the City Constable was instructed to secure samples of milk from the various farmers for testing purposes.

The communication from the City Clerk of Toronto requesting the Council to sign a petition asking for an amendment to the British North America Act to provide for the abolition of the Senate of Canada, was received and filed. Accounts as follows were referred to the Finance committee for payment:

Mrs. Frank Dallos, $17.25; Tex Foster, $1.50; Abe Haywood, $35; R. Pearse, $15.90.

The Council decided by motion that on and after June 10th., any one wishing to make a collection on the streets of Cumberland by holding a tag day, or to raise funds in any other way, must first apply to His Worship the Mayor for permission.

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with the Fire Department and ascertain what progress had been made towards the purchase of a motor Fire Truck. The Board of Works was requested to have speed notices placed at the City Limits informing motorists that they must not exceed the speed limit when driving through the streets of Cumberland.

Saturday's Program will be a Goldwyn film featuring Jane Cowl, "The Spreading Dawn," Sessue Hayakawa in "The Secret Game," Ann Pennington in "Antics of Ann," and Bessie Love in "The Sawdust Ring," will be next week's Paramount and Triangle films for next week.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who have been with us in our bereavement and by kind words and kindly acts have tried to lessen our sorrow, we extend our sincere thanks.

ANNIE and GRACE WATSON.

TOWN TOPICS

Refrigerator for sale, price $8. Apply phone 91L.

Geo. Barrass, District Military Representative, left for Victoria on Sunday and returned on Tuesday.

Dr. Dyson of the Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, London, England, will take charge of an examination to be held on Wednesday, July 3rd., at the residence of Mrs. Simms, Allen Avenue, Cumberland.

J. Lange, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co. of New York, arrived on Sunday and left on Wednesday morning for Vancouver.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. John Shortt of Derwent Avenue, Cumberland, on Thursday, June 6th, a daughter.

Mrs. Ethel Brown returned from a ten day's vacation to Victoria, Seattle and Vancouver, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Rideout of the local millinery parlors, returned from a visit to Victoria on Tuesday.

W. A. Owen, construction engineer of the Canadian Collieries, left for Nanaimo on Wednesday morning.

Rev. Henry Wilson left for Golden on Wednesday.

Rev. George Knox, recently appointed pastor of Grace Methodist Church, arrived on Thursday and will take charge of the morning and evening service tomorrow.

Divine service will be held in Holy Trinity Church in this city on Sunday at 7 p.m., by the Bishop of the Diocese. Parishioners are earnestly requested to attend. After the service a meeting will be held in connection with the appointment of a resident clergyman.

Frank Sawford, electrical and mechanical engineer of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Ltd., has resigned his position and left for Vancouver to accept a position with the Taylor Engineering Company. Abe Hamilton has been appointed to the position recently vacated by Mr. Sawford and commenced his new duties on June 1st.

A Garden Fete and afternoon tea will be held under the auspices of the Womens' Auxiliary of Holy Trinity Church at the residence of Mrs. Mumford on Wednesday, June 12th., commencing 3.30 p. m. Admission 25c. During the afternoon the ladies will serve Ice Cream and Strawberries.

Eli Cranovitch left the Union Hotel a few days ago and evidintly did not consider it worth while to hunt up the hotel proprietor and pay his arrears for board and lodging. Provincial Police Constable Rushford was notified and immediately traced the delinquent to Vancouver and brought him back, when he was fined $40 and costs. This should be a lesson. Pay your board before leaving and avoid trouble.

On Saturday evening last at a gathering of the officers and members of Mount Horeb L. O. L., No. 1676, Rev. Henry Wilson, chaplain of the lodge, was presented with a travelling case, on the occasion of his leaving for his new duties at Golden, B. C.

James M. Savage, general manager of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Ltd., arrived on Friday evening.

Wm. Richards, formerly employed at Canadian Collieries Freight Shed, arrived home Friday on a visit.

On the eve of the departure, June 4th., of the Rev. Henry Wilson for Golden, B. C., an At Home was held at the residence of Mr. Thomas E. Banks, when Rev. Wilson was presented with a purse of money by the members of Grace Methodist Church, Mrs. Henry Wilson, wife of the retiring pastor, was presented with a cut glass set a few days previous at a similar function held at the residence of Mrs. John Furbow, president of the Ladies' Aid.

Ottawa, June 6.—It is announced officially through the office of the Chief Press Censor that the Right Hon. Sir Robert Borden and party and Right Hon. W. H. Massey, Premier of New Zealand, and party, have arrived safely in the United Kingdom.

CANADA

PUBLIC NOTICE

DOCUMENTS TO BE CARRIED

by every male person who is not on active service in any of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Naval or Military Forces of any of His Majesty's Allies, and who apparently may be, or is reasonably suspected to be, within the description of **Class One** under the Military Service Act, 1917, who for any reason may have claimed that he is not within **Class One** under the Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the provisions of an Order in Council (P.C. 1013), of the 20th April, 1918, upon and after the 1st day of June, 1918, every male person who is not on active service in any of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Naval or Military Forces of His Majesty's Allies, and who apparently may be, or is reasonably suspected to be, within the description of Class One under the Military Service Act, 1917, by whom or on whose behalf, it is at any time affirmed, claimed or alleged that he is not, whether by reason of age, status, nationality, exception, or otherwise, within Class One under the Military Service Act, 1917, as defined for the time being or that, although within the said Class, he is exempted from or not liable to military service; shall have with him upon his person at all times or in or upon any building or premises where he at any time is,

AGE

If it be claimed that he is not within the class by reason of age, an official certificate of the date of his birth, or a certificate of his age signed by two reputable citizens residing in the community in which he lives and having knowledge of the fact; or

MARRIAGE

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class by reason of marriage, a certificate, either official or signed by two reputable citizens residing in the community in which he lives and having knowledge of the facts, certifying to his marriage and that his wife is living; or

NATIONALITY

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class by reason of his nationality, a certificate of his nationality signed by a Consul or Vice-Consul of the foreign State or Country to which he claims his allegiance is due; or a passport issued by the Government of that Country establishing his nationality; or

ACTIVE SERVICE

If it be claimed that he is excepted as a member of any of His Majesty's Forces or as having since the 4th August, 1914, served in the Military or Naval Forces of Great Britain or her Allies in any theatre of actual war and has been honourably discharged therefrom, official documents or an official certificate evidencing the fact; or

CLERGY

If it be claimed that he is excepted as a member of the clergy, or of any recognized order of an exclusively religious character, or is a minister of a religious denomination existing in Canada on 29th August, 1917, or as being a member of any other society or body, a certificate of the fact signed by an office-holder competent so to certify under the regulations of the church, order or denomination, society or body, to which he belongs; or

EXEMPTION

If it be claimed that he is exempted from or not liable to military service by reason of any exemption granted or claimed or application pending under the Military Service Act, 1917, or the regulations thereunder, his exemption papers, or a certificate of the Registrar or Deputy Registrar of the district to which he belongs evidencing the fact; or

OTHER CLASS

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class, or that he is exempted, not liable or excepted upon any other ground, a certificate of two reputable citizens residing in the community where he lives having knowledge of the fact upon which the claim is founded and certifying thereto;

FAILURE TO CARRY REQUISITE EVIDENCE

If upon or after the 1st day of June, 1918, any such male person be found without the requisite evidence or certificate upon his person or in or upon the building or premises in which he is, he shall thereupon be presumed to be a person at the time liable for military service and to be a deserter or defaulter without leave;

PENALTY

And he shall also be liable upon summary conviction to a fine not exceeding $50 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month, or to both such fine and imprisonment; and moreover, any such person may forthwith be taken into military custody and may be there detained and required to perform military duty in the Canadian Expeditionary Force so long as his services shall be required, unless or until the fact be established to the satisfaction of competent authority that he is not liable for military duty.

FALSE CERTIFICATE

The use, signing or giving of any such certificate as hereinbefore mentioned shall, if the certificate be in any material respect false or misleading to the knowledge of the person using, signing, or giving the same, be an offence, punishable, upon summary conviction, by a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars, and by imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months and not less than one month.

ISSUED BY THE MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

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TODAY.

Good days and bad days exist only in your own head. The weather has nothing to do with it. Each day is what you make it for yourself. Bad weather is only an unfortunate opinion.

It's what you think and feel about it that makes each day what it is. You, within yourself, can make each day, every day, a good day. Put down in the notebook of your soul the poet Runeberg's thought, "Each day is a life."

When you get up in the morning throw back your shoulders, take a deep breath. Meet the new day like a man. Say to yourself,

"Another day—another like!"

For all we know, it may be the only day we'll ever have. Let's make it the best day we can. Let's get all the happiness we can today. Now is the only time you can control. Yesterday is a record. Tomorrow is a secret. Today, is yours, is mine.—WM. JOHNSTON.

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In "Rizpah," Tennyson glorifies the patient mother-love that follows her erring boy even to the gibbet with extenuation for his crime. Dazed by grief over the injustice done him, and crazed by shame at sight of his body dangling in full view of the passing ships, she had gone on dark, stormy nights to "gather the bones of her baby together and lay him in holy ground.

Gipsy Smith, the evangelist, who excels in emotional exhortation, illustrated the effect which maternal influence wields over universal sentiment. At the age of five the young marauder was making his escape over ploughed ground, after robbing an orchard. He was captured by the gruff owner, who demanded an explanation. Knowing the futility of argument, the culprit sought mercy by the oft-tried and always successful plan. Lifting his appealing glance to the hard countenance above him, he said, in a wee, timorous voice, "I havn't any mother." The hand of the farmer relaxed its grasp; and tightly clasping an apple in each hand, the tiny miscreant departed.

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Three songs that should be counted a ritual in home training are "Rock Me to Sleep," "The Old Armchair" and "Sweet and Low."

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The following are the names of six pupils from each division who have done best work during the month of May:

Div. I. Edith Lockard, John Stevenson, Vivian Aspecy, Ellen Clark, Geneveive McFadyen, Mabel Michel.

Div. II. Francis Potter, Pearl Hunden, Hugh Strachan, Dolenia Wilson, Florence Wood, Christena MacKinnon.

Div. III. Robert Strachan, Emma Mussatto, Douglas Sutherland, Mildred Maxwell, Harold Jones, Beatrice Mitchell and Karl Coe equal.

Div. IV. Fanny Strachan, Nellie Potter, Katie Bono, Mary Gillafrio, Lottie Dallos, Leslie Merrifield.

Div. V. Alfred Maxwell, Edward Bickle, John Lockner, Lena Allara, Arnold MacDonald, Mary Enrici.

Div. VI. Charlie Bobba, Chrissie Sutherland, Harriet Gomm, Sandy Bevis, Gwendolyn Williams, Rosie Manincor.

Div. VII. Claudia Harrison, Leland Harrison, Jessie Brown, Charlie Enrici, Ella Conn, Agnes Hoffheinz.

Div. VIII. Joe Ducca, Dorothy Stanford, Janet Damonte, Victor Bono, Kathleen Cooke, Emma Picketti.

Div. IX. Annie Beveridge, Murdoch Taylor, Isabel Yarrow, Gordon Walker, Eleanor Bergland, Wilfred Shouldice.

The teaching staff contributed its usual $10 to the local Patriotic Fund for May.

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Every ounce by which Canada can increase her food production and every ounce Canada can save in her food consumption is needed for export to the Allies.

Should the war continue for another year, food cards and a rationing system may have to be instituted. It is the duty of Canada to be prepared for whatever situation circumstances may force upon her.

It is quite probable that before the war is won our Government may have to place restrictions upon the occupations in which men and women may engage. In such an event the Government wishes to be in a position to render all possible assistance in keeping our population usefully and profitably employed.

Registration Day, June 22nd

These conditions point to the necessity of Canada knowing the exact capabilities of her men and women at home.

All persons residing in Canada, male or female, British or alien of 16 years and over, will be required to register on June 22nd and truthfully answer the questions set forth upon the registration card.

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RED CROSS SOCIETY

The following collections were made for the Red Cross Society during the month of May:

Penrith Ave.	$ 11.90
Chinatown	9.95
West Cumb.	1.25
Camp	29.15
Windermere Ave.	5.25
Maryport Ave.	9.95
Dunsmuir Ave.	26.70
Derwent & Allen Ave	12.75
Bevan	16.00
Ilo Ilo Theatre p. c.	46.00
Membership Fees	73.00
Total	$241.70

E. J. HICKS
Hon. Sec-Treas.

The members of the local Red Cross Society for the coming year, are as follows:

Mrs. Lymn, Mrs. MacNaughton, Mrs. Munroe, Mrs. Cooke, Mrs. Rickson, Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Tarbell, Miss Tarbell, Mrs. Merryfield, S. Leiser & Co., Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Wesley Willard, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Burnside, Mrs. Clinton, Mr. Clinton, Mrs. Ramsell, Mrs. J. R. Lockard, Mrs. J. Reid, Mrs. Mumford, Dr. MacNaughton, Mrs. E. W. Bickle, Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. Nunns, Mrs. D. R. MacDonald, Mrs. J. Sutherland, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. Rideout, Mrs. R. Pearce, Mrs. Thos. Graham, Mrs. John Fraser.

Associate members:

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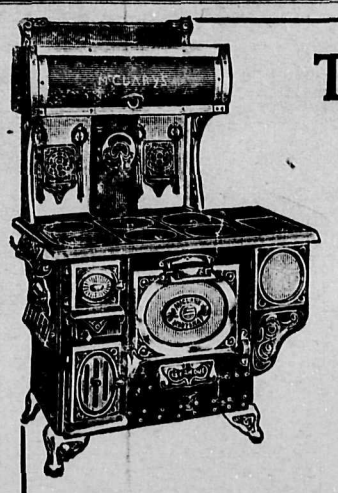

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Carthew, of Powell River, arrived on Saturday's train.

John Dando has resigned his position as foreman of No. 4 Mine and left for Vancouver on Sunday.

George Michell, of the Esquimalt Naval Barracks, arrived on Thursday on a visit to his parents.

Harold Woods, formerly of the Royal Bank, left for Vancouver on Friday morning.

ILO ILO ITEMS.

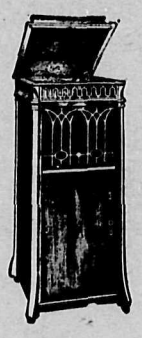
Following is a list of bookings, subject to change by film exchanges, for the month of June:

Each Monday, a Bluebird film and the Bull's Eye.

Tuesdays and Wednesdays for next four weeks, in order, Sessue Hayakawa in "The Secret Game," Douglas Fairbanks in "Reaching for the Moon," Marguerite Clark in "Bab's Matinee Idol."

Thursdays and Fridays, "Antics of Ann,,' Ann Pennington; "Tom Sawyer," Jack Pickford; "The Eternal Temptress," Lina Cavalieri.

Saturdays, commencing today, Jane Cowl in "Spreading Dawn;" June 15th,, Bessie Love in Triangle film, "The Sawdust Ring;" June 22nd,, Carlyle Blackwell and June Elvidge; June 28,, Alice Brady in "Divorce Game,' World film; July 6, Madge Kennedy in "Nearly Married," Goldwyn film.



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GIVES GROUNDS OF DISALLOWANCE

Ottawa, June 4,—The Dominion Government has disallowed the act passed by the British Columbia Legislature in 1917 amending the Vancouver Island Settlers Rights Act, 1904. The principal ground of disallowance is that this legislation interfered with Dominion policy and affected the title to certain lands on Vancouver Island conferred by the Province on the Dominion, as well as the title granted by the Dominion to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company. Further, it is claimed, the legislation so affected the present holders in regard to what had been conferred on them by the Dominion that, for the protection of the Dominion interests involved, it was deemed necessary to exercise the power of disallowance.

Railway belt lands on Vancouver Island and the mineral rights to such lands are in question in the disallowed legislation. The disallowed act of 1917 amended the 1904 statute in such a manner as to extend the delay within which application could be made by persons who had been in occupation if the railway belt lands prior to 1883 for crown grants to which the 1904 act declared them to be entitled to. The effect of the 1917 statute, it is stated here, was to open the door to all persons who had been in occupation before 1883 and had not made application under the statute of 1904 to come in and claim certain lands which were vested in the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Co. under a grant from the Dominion to which they had been transferred by the Province for the purpose of granting them as part consideration for the construction of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway.

Squatters' rights to the coal and other minerals underneath the lands are likewise involved in the legislation.

GEN. SURSULAR, Commander-in-chief of the Ukranian forces.

CUMBERLAND, BEVAN AND UNION BAY

Patriotic War Fund.

Statement for the month of May, 1918:

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand Apl. 30th, '18..	$9708.73	Mrs. C. Thompson.....	$ 50.00
Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, Employees.....	1419.50	" H. Thompson.....	50.00
City Collections	22.00	" D. T. Cameron	50.00
Government Employees.....	5.30	" S. Cameron.....	49.00
Interest paid by Royal Bank for 3 months at 4%.....	94.59	" J. Scougall.....	44.00
		" H. B. Conrod.....	41.00
		" E. Davis.....	37.00
		" M. Ellison.....	34.00
		" J. C. Brown	34.00
		" F. P. Davidson	32.00
		" R. Herd.....	29.00
		" R. Peters.....	32.00
		" W. Thompson.....	30.00
		" W. J. Fraser.....	29.00
		" H. M. Wallace.....	29.00
		" A. Ponder.....	25.00
		" E. Pearson.....	25.00
		" G. Brown.....	25.00
		" L. Piket.....	25.00
		" M. Cope.....	22.00
		" M. Brown.....	22.00
		" F. Slaughter.....	20.00
		" C. Jewitt.....	20.00
		" G. F. White	15.00
		" M. Watson, ...	15.00
		" A. Barber.....	15.00
		" M. E. Scott.....	15.00
		" J. E. White.....	15.00
		" E Simms.....	15.00
		" J. Elliott	15.00
		" G. H. Darby.....	15.00
		" F. Brentnall.....	15.00
		" J. Ward.....	27.00
		" F. Deconick.....	15.00
		" E. Trehearne.....	15.00
		Postage and War Tax	2.27
		Balance on hand May 31st.....	10,301.85
Total	$11,250.12	Total	$11,250.12

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