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MAKES SUCCESS IN HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

Former Cumberland Boy Takes Lead Part in San Diego High School "Tarkington" Play

A copy of the "San Diego Union," recently received at this office, contained a three-column photograph of a scene from Booth Tarkington's play "The Intimate Strangers," which attracted our attention by the fact that the principal character was Lorne Campbell, a former Cumberland boy who is now residing in San Diego. The article accompanying the photograph went on to say:

"The plot centers about the meeting of a lawyer of uncertain age and a girl of yesterday in a railway station where they are virtually stranded because of a wreck on both the main and branch lines. Lorne Campbell enacts the role of the lawyer and Constance Halverstadt takes the part of the girl. Both are very capable and their work is equal to that of professionals. Others in the cast include Betsy Bates, who enacts the role of a young flapper and almost 'vamps' the lawyer; Michael Goodbody, who plays the part of the flapper's sweetheart and who does everything the young girl tells him to without question; Ben Anderson, Serena Smith, Lewis Le Roy and Lois Kirchmaier."

The play was produced by the Coronada High School and the cast was made up entirely of pupils from the School. After the performance, the leading actors were commended for their fine work by Austin Adams, the well-known playwright.

Lorne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, former residents of, and very well known in Cumberland. Their Cumberland friends will be more than pleased to hear of Lorne's success.

COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY EVENING NEXT

A meeting of the 24th. of May celebration committees, which was called for Wednesday of this week, had to be postponed because all the accounts in connection with the celebration had not been received by the secretary. Next Tuesday evening, at 8:00 o'clock, has been set for the meeting and all those having accounts outstanding against the celebration are asked to have them in the hands of Secretary H. G. McKinnon on or before that date.

EXAMINATIONS HELD RECENTLY FOR MINE OFFICIALS' PAPERS

An examination for Coal Mine Officials' Certificates was conducted during the 26th, 27th, and 28th days of May in the Government Mine Rescue station, Cumberland.

Two candidates presented themselves. Thomas Slee for Fireboss certificate and E. H. Devlin for Colliery Manager's certificate.

T. R .Jackson, District Inspector of Mines, acted as presiding examiner.

ENGINE TROUBLE FORCES AVIATOR DOWN

UNION BAY, May 29.—The plane Seagull, piloted by Mr. Huber, which left here Saturday morning to meet the Ss. Alaskan carrying the Amundsen films, was forced to return to Union Bay during the afternoon owing to engine trouble. The films were taken to Victoria by car. The Seagull, after having been overhauled, left here southbound about 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

Ss. Sheafmont docked at Coal Wharf here early Sunday morning and is proceeding to load bunker coal.

TENDERS WANTED

TENDERS for the painting of the outside of the Cumberland School Buildings and for the painting of the roof of one building, will be received by the undersigned up to Wednesday, June 23rd, 1926, at 5:30 p.m.

All paints and stains used to be of the best quality and work to be done in a workman-like manner.

Work to be commenced within fifteen (15) days after signing of contract and to be completed on or before the 15th. of August. Successful tenderer will be required to furnish suitable bond for the faithful carrying out of the Contract. Further particulars as to work to be done and materials required may be obtained from the Secretary.

Tenders to be marked, "Tender for Painting Cumberland Schools," and addressed to the undersigned.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

A. McKINNON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees.
Cumberland, B. C.
June 4th, 1926. 23-25

PARADE PRIZE LIST

The list of prize winners in the big 24th. of May celebration parade was inadvertently omitted from our last issue. Here they are:

Best float was won by the Boy Scouts.

Best Advertising float was won by "The Beauty Shop."

Best decorated auto, the Rebecca Lodge.

Comic Group, Miss Redford, Mrs. Wiley, Norma and Helen Parnham, (to say nothing of the mule.)

Best decorated bicycle, G. Strachan.

Best character, Gladys Miller as "Uncle Sam."

Best advertising character, Mrs. W. Stockand.

Comic School Group, Nigger Band. Best School Group, Miss V. Aspesy's class, representing Pioneers of B. C.; Second Prize, Miss Hunden's class, representing Mother Goose.

High School, Mr. Shenstone's class, representing school subjects.

Two special prizes were given to Masters Sammy Armstrong and Reid for decorated scooters.

OVERHEARD AT QUALICUM

He (pointing to the Nanaimo Public School boys) "Why, our fellows wont have a chance against those chaps. Look how big they are!"

She: "Yes, and think what big dunces they must be to be still in the public school!"

BASEBALL STRONG AT POWELL RIVER

POWELL RIVER, June 2.—Baseball in Powell River is off to a great start, but the popular pastime is being played by six teams entered in an Intermediate League, and not by one senior team representing the town in any other league. The local organization might easily be called a "league of nations" for in its make-up are included teams representing the Native Sons of Canada with A. Hansen as manager; the Patricias with Bruce Mitchell at the helm; the Italian Community with Charles McLean guiding the club's destinies; the Knights of Pythias led by H. Hansen; the B. P. O. E. with R. C. McKenzie as boss and the Caledonians whose interests are being looked after by G. S. Deacon. The chief officers of the league are W. A. McLeod, President; J. McIntyre, vice-president; M. C. McLeod, secretary and C. L. Cullin, treasurer. A schedule of seventy-five games has been drawn up and already some very interesting contests have been staged. Games are played on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and a double header on Sundays. The rules of the league call for a play-off at the end of the season.

The attendance at the games is always good, and the fact that all players are local boys has probably added a great deal of interest to the play. To date the advantage probably lies with the Patricias and the Italian Community. The other teams are fighting hard and it is too early in the season to predict, outside of the managers, which team will bring home the bacon.

DISTRICT ENGINEER VISITS POWELL RIVER

POWELL RIVER, June 2.—Mr. W. P. Beavan, District Engineer of the Provincial Public Works Department, visited this portion of his district on Monday and Tuesday of this week, returning to Courtenay on Wednesday morning. While here he inspected the work that is being carried out on the road that will ultimately connect Lund and Myrtle Point, passing through Powell River in doing so.

HOST OF LAST WEEK; GUEST OF THIS WEEK

POWELL RIVER, June 2.—On Monday night at Westview, a dance was held in the Rickson building, members of the community surprising Mr. Rickson and making him the guest of the evening instead of the host as was the case last week. A greater number were present than last Monday, Powell River City being represented by many who had not attended the first social. Mr. William McGuigan kindly loaned his piano and a volunteer orchestra provided excellent music. Refreshments were provided by the ladies of the community.

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Mr. William Rickson arrived at Westview on Sunday afternoon, coming from Comox on the steamer "Charmer."

NANAIMO AWARDED CHAMPIONSHIP AT 2nd ANNUAL SPORTS

Beautiful weather favored the large number of children who, with their parents and friends, journeyed to Qualicum yesterday to witness the Upper Island School sports. There were also large contingents from Courtenay and Nanaimo. The track had been specially prepared for the occasion on the ground north of the Golf course, but the smooth grass made the going hard for those who were not fortunate enough to have spiked running shoes. A little delay occurred in getting the events started, but there was no let up until late in the evening once the pistol cracked. The keenest competition was shown in the various events, but Nanaimo held on to the lead in points and were awarded the championship. Courtenay came next in the lead, with Cumberland third. The local boys and girls brought back five cups to admire for the next twelve months. There was a splendid spirit of sportsmanship displayed in all events, and even if Cumberland did not do as well as they hoped they proved that they were good losers. The Cumberland Band gave selections during the afternoon which were much appreciated, as was also the courtesy of the Canadian Collieries Company in providing transportation to Royston.

The following is a list of Cup winners:

1. High School Championship Cup, Colonist trophy, won by Nanaimo.
2. Public School Championship Cup (5 rooms and up), Comox Eagles trophy, won by Nanaimo.
3. Public School Championship, (3 or 4 rooms), Qualicum trophy, won by Brechin.
4. Public School Championship, (2 rooms), A. W. Neill, M. P. trophy, won by Comox.
5. Public School Championship, (1 room), Nanaimo Rotary trophy, won by Royston.
6. High School boys' relay cup won by Nanaimo.
7. High School girls' relay race, Cumberland P.T.A. trophy, won by Nanaimo.
8. Senior boys' relay cup, won by Nanaimo.
9. Senior girls' relay race, Malkin Pearson trophy, won by Nanaimo.
10. Junior boys' relay, won by Nanaimo.
11. Junior girls' relay, L. Finch trophy, won by Cumberland.
12. High School girls' first aid, Sports Committee trophy, won by the Courtenay school.
13. High School boys first aid, the Native Sons trophy, won by Cumberland.
14. Public School boys' first aid, Sports Committee trophy, won by Harewood School.
15. Public School girls' first aid, Kaplansky trophy, won by Cumberland.
16. Physical drill, Robert C. Lang trophy, won by Cumberland.
17. High School tug of war, Harewood trophy, won by Cumberland.
18. Public School tug of war, Elks trophy, won by Courtenay.
19. High School boys' half mile, T. D. McLean trophy, won by Nanaimo.
20. Public School boys' half mile, Kaplansky trophy, won by Nanaimo.
21. Public School 440 yards, boys, G. E. Apps trophy, won by Parksville.

Cups nos. 6, 8, and 10 are donated by the Cumberland and Courtenay schools. They were won outright last year and were donated by the two schools for annual competition.

CALL APPLICATIONS FOR THIRD TEACHER AT HIGH SCHOOL

Readers of the "Islander" will remember that last year when the question of securing a third teacher for the local High School was broached at the Trustee meetings no action was taken because there were less than fifty pupils and it was thought that two teachers were quite able to handle this number, but it was decided that when the number of pupils exceeded fifty then the question would be re-opened. It was this last decision that prompted Principal Shenstone, in his monthly report which was read at last Tuesday's Trustee meeting, to again mention the advisability of engaging another teacher. According to the report, Mr. Shenstone finds that next term there will be at least fifty-nine pupils, probably more, made up from the three classes as follows: fifteen in third year, twenty in second year, and twenty-four in first year. Half of the third year class has decided to take the normal entrance course, the remainder choosing the regular matriculation course, so that there will be, practically speaking, four classes in the High School. Two teachers will be physically unable to give this number all the time that the various courses warrant, for at the present moment it is only by having extra classes on Saturdays and after school hours that the present High School pupils are able to cover their studies and even with this extra help they are not receiving full justice. That is why, for the most part, both Principal Shenstone and his assistant, Miss Partridge, would be pleased to see an additional teacher engaged.

The Board rememberd its decision of last year and consequently gave the question very careful consideration. It was unanimously agreed that a third teacher was absolutely necessary, but a long discussion ensued before the matter was finally adjusted, as the Board has no desire to put any extra burdens on the taxpayers if such can be evaded. Is is imperative, however, that the pupils receive full benefit from their course—their needs must be given first consideration. It is impossible to evade the issue—a third teacher must be engaged and therefore it was decided that a third teacher will be engaged. Secretary MacKinnon was instructed to call for applications immediately.

Principal Shenstone voiced the opinion that there would be no senior matric next term as no pupils had expressed their desire to study this course. The Trustees felt, however, that should any pupils really care to take senior matric, the opportunity should not be withheld from them, in spite of the fact that Mr. Shenstone and Miss Partridge feel that senior matric should not be taught unless there are in the neighborhood of ten pupils. Mrs. MacNaughton and Mr. Brown were detailed a committee to investigate this question and they will report at the next meeting. The matter was left in abeyance in the meantime.

Miss Edith Bickle and Miss Nell Ronald, of Los Angeles, arrived in Cumberland Tuesday evening last to spend a brief holiday. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Bickle, Dusnmuir Avenue.

19 ENTRANCE PUPILS WILL BE RECOMMENDED

The May report for the Cumberland Public Schools, as submitted by the supervising-principal, Mr. G. E. Apps at Tuesday's meeting of the Board of School Trustees, shows an attendance for the month of 471, and of this number 267 pupils neither missed a day or were late on any occasion. Division 7, Miss B. Bickle, teacher, captured the attendance shield with a good percentage.

The report also showed that great progress was being made in the attempt to improve the language work of the pupils in the lower grades, this being done through careful separation of the more backward children, the majority of whom are Orientals. The system has just been put into effect but is already giving promise of most excellent results.

Mr. Apps went on to state that Inspector Paterson, Mr. Shenstone, the principal of the High School, and himself made up a recommendation board for the entrance class, and after some deliberation had decided to advance nineteen pupils without the formality of taking examinations. This leaves five pupils who will have to write tests to prove themselves capable of entering High School.

P.T.A. DANCE NEXT FRIDAY

The dance to be held in the Ilo-Ilo Hall on Friday evening next under auspices of the Cumberland Parent Teacher Association gives promise of being one of the best held in this popular dance hall. A first class orchestra will be in attendance and old time dances will be a main feature of the evening. The promoters of the dance are also selling ice cream during the evening and those intending to patronise the dance are advised to go well armed with nickels and dimes. Proceeds will be devoted to the funds of the local P. T. Association.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE WAS WELL ATTENDED

The Thirtieth Anniversary Service of the Parish Church of Holy Trinity was well attended. There were present the Bishop of Columbia who preached, and the Revs. F. Comley and A. Bischlager who read the lessons. The Rev. F. Flinton, Vicar of Courtenay, took the service. Letters of regret at their inability to attend were read from former vicars, Revs. F. Granville Christmas, J. X. Willemar, and H. W. Laffere.

HAROLD JONES TO FIGHT WELL KNOWN VANCOUVER BOY

Harry Anderson, the Vancouver boy who has been selected to battle Harold Jones in the six round semi-final to the Pollett and Gallagher bout in Courtenay on June 14th, is one boy whom George Paris, the veteran trainer of athletes, thinks is destined to go a long way in the pugilistic racket.

Just two weeks ago Anderson and Kid Brock, of Bellingham, met in a six round bout which was declared to be one of the most sensational ever seen in that city.

Among the boxers that Anderson Larry Holliday, Eddie Thomas, Chick has met are Kid Sullivan, Ray Clark, Gaines and Archie Hunt.

Paris will accompany Anderson to Courtenay for the bout with Jones, and is confident that his protege can cop the verdict.

Harry Jackson, of Cumberland, will referee all bouts.

PASSING COMMENTS

When preaching in the Parish Church of Holy Trinity last Sunday evening on the occasion of the 30th Anniversary, the Bishop of Columbia took as his subject "OUR DEBT TO THE PAST." In his remarks the speaker pointed out how much we owed to those pioneers of Religion, Art, Science and Literature who had done so much for the uplift of mankind, in spite of what was sometimes a fierce opposition on the part of those whom they desired to help. Then again there were those explorers who blazed the trail over vast continents, and after overcoming almost insurmountable difficulties, paved the way to new fields of commerce and opened up new lands to the venturesome settler. Canada is such an example, and in these days when means of transport are so fast and comfortable we are very apt to forget the conditions which faced our forebears. Even in Cumberland there are those who remember the time when a journey to Qualicum would take up the better part of a whole day, whereas now it is only a matter of an hour or so. This debt to the past is one that can never be repaid. It is handed on from one generation to another, sometimes in a lesser, and sometimes in a greater degree. The debt which the present age is passing on to the future is a curious mixture. On the one hand we find jazz music, jazz clothes, jazz art with many accompanying jazz horrors, and on the other hand we have the wonders of radio and aviation and other splendid scientific achievements.

If we owe a great deal to the past, let us see that the future will owe a great deal to us. Let us eradicate all that is bad and develop all that is good. Have jazz by all means, if it is necessary, but take care to steer the future generation from being a race of jazz characters. The only debt we will incur will be one of ingratitude if we are too short sighted to look ahead. The youth of today would offer a keen opposition, but in the end they would see that it was for their own good.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham left Wednesday evening last for Victoria on a short visit. They will return Sunday evening.

"PEERLESS" TO BE TRADE MARK NAME

Potatoes Produced by Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association Will Have Special Title

Arrangements have been made by the B. C. Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association to market their products under the trade-marked title "Peerless." There are thirty-one local associations of the parent association scattered over British Columbia, with a total membership of nearly four hundred growers. These men have now had several years' experience in the growing of seed under Government inspection and supervision. They are capable of growing good potatoes, and know how to grade them properly. When one of them is able to turn out a car of commercials now and then and it rolls in to Wholesale Row, it is an event that is talked about for days.

To Rush Distribution

At the executive meeting of the B.C. Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association, Capt. Bates, of Comox, spoke of the progress made and his proven experience of the consuming public's demand for high-grade quality potatoes. Mr. McLean outlined the success attained in Vancouver, pointing out that any quantity, from 50 to 700 cars or more of quality potatoes, of which each individual grower would guarantee the contents of sacks put up by himself, could be sold under this trade-mark in Vancouver alone. This would be possible only with the full co-operation of the wholesalers and retailers, which has been fully pledged.

After some discussion as to details, the executive unanimously passed a resolution moved by Col. McLean, of Cloverdale, that Capt. Bates stay in Vancouver to go into the local situation with Mr. A. G. W. MacLellan.

This was done and Capt. G. R. Bates has returned to Vancouver Island enthusiastic with the open support promised in his personal interviews on Water Street, and with the retailers.

The organization work is being rapidly rounded out, so that by Fall the potatoes sold under the trade-mark "Peerless" Brand and grown by the members of the Association from "Northern" Brand Certified seed, can be bought by the public without fear of wastage or poor cooking qualities.

Young and old will be assured of a real good time at the dance of the Parent Teachers on Friday evening next in the Ilo-Ilo Hall.

WILL PAINT SCHOOLS IN SUMMER MONTHS

Last Tuesday's meeting found the Board of School Trustees formulating plans for the outside painting of both the "new" and "old" schools, as arranged for when the estimates were being made up at the beginnnig of the year. During the summer months, when the teachers and pupils are on holiday, the actual work will be done. Secretary A. MacKinnon was instructed to call for tenders, the walls and roof of the new school and the walls only of the old school to be painted.

Mr. Wm. McLellan, caretaker of the schools, requested permission to begin getting the necessary material for the inside work to be done in the schools this summer. He desires to make an early start this year, as last year the job was barely completed before the commencement of studies, leaving no time for himself to take a short holiday. Permission was given Mr. McLellan to secure the necessary material.

Before adjournment, the salary schedule, in the drawing up of which Trustee Mrs. MacNaughton took a most prominent part, was re-considered and adopted with but a minor alteration. The schedule has been approved by the teachers and will eliminate a great deal of the difficulties that usually arise when the salary question is given annual consideration.

It was nearly 10:30 before the meeting adjourned. In attendance were Trustees Mrs. Banks, Mrs. MacNaughton, Mr. Brown, Mr. MacKinnon and Mr. Henderson, together with Principal Apps, of the Public School, and Principal Shenstone and Miss P. Partridge of the High School.

Why of course we are going. Everybody is going to the Parent Teacher dance in the Ilo-Ilo Hall on Friday next.

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EDWARD W. BICKLE

FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1926.

THE NEW KIND OF PICNIC The passing of the old-fashioned basket picnic is viewed by old-timers with regret. Time was when the picnic was the favorite way of celebrating family re-unions and of providing an outing for the office force, the club, or any other organization with which one was affiliated. The annual Sunday school picnic was, of course, inevitable, as were innumerable other picnics for special occasions. The picnic was the "get-together" meeting par excellence of two decades ago.

But the basket picnic is becoming as rare as the horse and buggy—no longer to be found except in rural districts—and even there with less and less frequency.

Yet the waning popularity of this mode of entertainment is not regarded as an unmitigated calamity by the mother who spent the preceding day in the kitchen. The untold quantities of sandwiches or salad which she made usually turned out to be inadequate for the unpredictably large gathering and caused whispers among the neighbor women as to her stinginess. Or her estimate would prove to be too great and the food would either be wasted with many twinges of the thrifty housewife's conscience or would be brought home to be consumed. Then no one ever wanted to look at another sandwich or plate of salad as long as he lived. The once popular saying "more fun than a picnic" was never originated by the woman who spent a hot summer morning tending an oven full of cakes which did not turn out as well as those of Mrs. B., who, after all, was supposed to bring fried chicken. Mother usually started on the outing exhausted. There was difficulty in getting the crowd to agree on the ideal picnic spot, and always some misunderstanding as to how to get there in which part of the crowd arrived just in time for the ice cream. No picnic was not complete without a few minor casualties, such as lost children, a fall in the creek, chiggers, snagged silk stockings, and grass stains. Then, there was an unbelievable amount of litter to be cleared up by the conscientious. And on the way home most of the party suffered from acute indigestion.

Still, with all its imperfections, the picnic had its points, chief of which was that it got people out of doors. True, the accompanying bedlam left little of the peace dear to the true nature lover.

The modern successor to the old-fashioned picnic embodies all the advantages with practically none of the disadvantages. The family now decides at any time to take its supper out of doors and, without any great to do or very special preparation, piles whatever would ordinarily have served at home into a basket and piles itself into the flivver and betakes itself to the nearest park or stretch of open country. No extra work, no waste, no indigestion, no confusion.

YOUR HOUSE IN ORDER Sometimes a man in the prime of life is snuffed out by a heart attack and his relatives have a difficult time administering his estate. This is due to the fact that the dead man was in the heat of the struggle. He had not had time to put his house in order.

But all about us we see men who must realize that they are not likely to live many more years, going right on, playing the game with no plans for paying the undertaker. They will leave the last job to their loving friends and relatives.

Yesterday, a man fifty-nine took out more life insurance, saying: "It is my plan to leave my family, my business associates and my banker, without regrets."

We consider him a wise man.

DON'T CUSS Profanity still exists, of course, but today we seldom hear the strings of oaths that fell from the lips of the old time ship's captain, or the bum that cleaned cuspidors in the corner saloon. Not often do you hear a round, ringing oath. Why? Because profanity is passing. You could swear as once men did, if you wanted to. It doesn't take any great amount of intellect or wit. The cussing old-timer didn't invent swearing, did he- Then he couldn't claim originality, and anybody can imitate. A parrot can be taught to swear the biggest oath that ever fell from the lips of a pirate or a stable boy. Does any good fellow feel proud of an accomplishment in which he may be overmatched by a parrot?

In the "good old days," of which we hear so much the boy was very prone to ape the manners and habits of his elders. If dad swore, then the son swore, and the same was true of chewing tobacco. But today, youth blazes its own trail, the youngster formed his habits from the education he is absorbing and not following in the footsteps of the old man. We have better schools and better teachers than they had in the days of the little red school house. We teach the value of right living, clean habits and the use of correct language. Have you talked with a high scholar recently? If you haven't, do so at the first opportunity. You will find some slang used, no doubt, but on the whole the young people of today are better conversationalists than our parents or grandparents were. They have a much larger vocabularly and they know how to use it.

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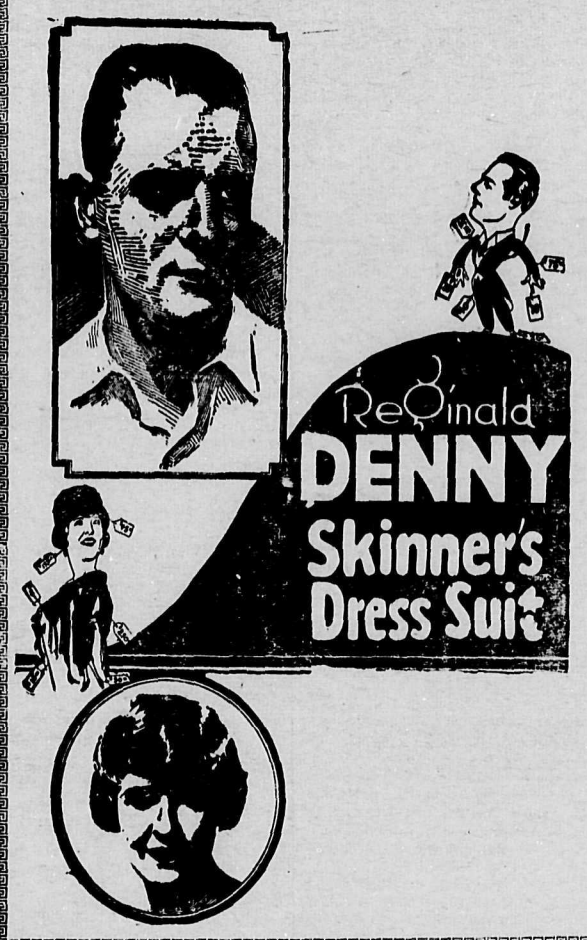

Monday, June 7th

Wednesday, June 9th

Thursday, June 10th

"Desert Flower"

Friday-Saturday, June 11th, 12th

"Havoc"

THE PUZZLE CORNER

Puzzle No. 125

I bought twenty souvenir cards for twenty cents. The embossed ones cost four cents; plain black prints, four for one cent and the two-colored ones two for a cent. How many of each sort did I get?

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Puzzle No. 126

Transpose a portion of the year,
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Puzzle No. 127

L'Enfant Terrible was relating some family history. Said he: "Five years ago sister was 5 times as old as Fido; now she is only three times as old. What is the age of Fido?"

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Puzzle No. 128

A smart young bank clerk from across the street tossed a bank-note through the window and said to the village postmaster:

"Give me some one-cent stamps, three-quarters as many twos as ones, three-quarters as many fives as twos and five eight-cent stamps for the balance of the money."

Can you tell the denomination of the banknote?

* * *

Puzzle No. 129

I am fat and well-favored
When made up complete.
Curtail and you'll find me
Quite wholesome to eat;
Restore me my tail and
In lieu take my head,
Like feathers I'm light
Or as heavy as lead.

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Additional puzzles, as well as the answers to the foregoing, will appear in this column next week.

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P. PHILIP,
Deputy Minister and
Public Works Engineer.
Victoria, B. C.
May 26th, 1926. 22-23

Answers to Last Week's Puzzles

No. 120—The word ALIEN.

No. 121—Rory O'More "nested" his pens, one within the other. In the central pen he placed 5 pigs. Then built a fence around that pen and placed 4 pigs in it. Then he built a third pen around the two and likewise put 4 pigs in it. Then the final pen he built to encircle the others and within it placed 8 pigs. Each pen thus surrounds an even number of pairs and an odd pig, the outer pen containing the entire 21 pigs.

No. 122—Vile, Evil, Veil, Levi, Live.

No. 123—The apple women each had 210 apples which would have brought $1.75 at original selling prices of 3 for a cent and 2 for a cent. When stocks combined sold for 5 for 2 cents, receipts were $1.68—thus occuring the discrepancy of 7 cents.

No. 124—The word is FUND.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN "WINKING IDOL"

"Racing for Love" is the promising title of the forthcoming chapter of "The Winking Idol," Adventure picture, starring William Desmond and featuring Eileen Sedgwick, which is to be shown at the Ilo-Ilo Theatre next Wednesday. Complications have piled up thick and fast in the preceding chapters of this exciting chapter play, which deals with the struggles of the white man in his effort to retrieve the hidden gold of the vanished Aztec race, of which only one person survives who is able to reveal the secret.

The great Pinto Handicap, a cross-country horse race, is about to be run. Everything depends upon the outcome of this race to Dave Ledbetter, son of the "Square Shooter," who was foully murdered years ago. But certain unscrupulous persons are determined that Ledbetter shall not ride, and if by some miracle, he should escape their designs and reach the starting point on time, villainy of the deepest dye lurks behind every shrub.

Cowardice and coercion have the upper hand and a beautiful girl, who believes herself to be an orphan, but whose father has been railroaded to prison by the same unscrupulous hands that now seek to impoverish her, is in imminent danger of being married to the scoundrel who is robbing her. Could any situation be sweeter for a chapter movie?

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A SASKATCHEWAN WILLIAM TELL

Before an admiring group of small boys a certain young marksman, aged fourteen, was displaying his skill with a .22 rifle on one of the back streets of Melville, Sask., recently.

He had a great reputation among his small companions; he never missed, they said. On one occasion he had taken aim at a cigarette which a man was smoking as he walked across the street and knocked it from his mouth. They watched his exhibition, as he scored bullseyes, broke bottles or hit tin cans. Their applause was unstinted and the heart of the young marksman swelled within him.

He wished to give them a more spectacular demonstration and with the wish there came into his mind the story of William Tell.

"If one of you kids will stand with a tin can on his head, I will shoot it off," he said.

An intrepid eight year old volunteered instantly. The stage was set, the marksman took aim amid breathless silence, he pulled the trigger and the can rolled off, neatly pierced. "Now another one," challenged the marksman, flushed with his success and another infant posed for the thrilling scene and again the act was carried through with complete success. Then followed a rush of aspirants for the honor of posing as Tell's son. But "William Tell' put down his gun and refused to go on with the performance. He had not thought before, but he remembered that he did not always hit his mark, and he suddenly realized the consequence of a miss in such circumstances. The little fellows, he recollected had stood like rocks, without a quiver, but what if they had jumped? He had read the story of William Tell! He had seen the thing done in the picture shows, and he had acted without thinking.

But he would not do it again.

This is what he told the Chief of Police, and the Justice of the Peace in an interview in the police room which resulted naturally from the flutter in domestic circles when excited small boys went home and told the story. It was at the insistent request of numbers of parents that the interview was held. There was no charge laid; the boy got a fatherly talking to, cried a little and promised never to go out with a gun again, unless accompanied by a responsible person.

COAL OUTPUT IS REDUCED BY WARM WINTER WEATHER

Coal production for British Columbia in the first four months of the present year showed a substantial decrease from that for the same period in 1925, according to figures just issued under authority of Hon. Wm. Sloan, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Mines. The decline in output this year indicates the slackening up in the coal trade caused by lack of seasonable demand, the competition from fuel oil and other factors.

Total production in the four months aggregated 699,362 long tons compared with 795,740 tons in the corresponding four months of last year, a decrease of 96,378 tons. Vancouver Island Collieries produced 380,618 long tons against 459,490 tons in 1925, a falling off of 78,872 tons; the out put in the Crow's Nest Pass district was 283,719 tons compared with 259,257 tons in 1925, a decrease of 24,462 tons. The collieries of the Nicola-Princeton district scored a gain over 1925 with 58,737 tons compared with 52,531 in the four months period in 1925.

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CHAPTER X

"BROADCASTING"

WE were waiting for Kennedy to clean off the particles of sand from the paraffin impressions he had taken of the foot tracks on the shore, wondering what next he would do when Mrs. Adams appeared down the path.

"Oh, Coralie!" exclaimed Mrs. Gerard, "something terrible has happened—first the robbery last night—now they've carried off Dick!"

"Dorothy!" cried Mrs. Adams, taking in from a glance of Craig that it was not exaggerated, "I'm so sorry! This is terrible."

Mrs. Gerard turned to the chauffeur Dobbs, "Where's Vira?"

"Where's Ruth?" shrugged Mrs. Adams. "It was that that I dropped in to see. I thought she might be over at your house. But Dobbs says no."

Dobbs touched his cap. "The last I saw of them, Ma'am, was when Miss Ruth drove up about half an hour ago and talked to Miss Vira and young Glenn Buckley and they all drove away."

"Together? Which way?"

"No, not together, Ma'am. Miss Ruth went out by the south road in her car, first, alone. Of course, I do not know what it was all about, but they all seemed quite excited, Ma am. Miss Vira and Mr. Buckley left a little while later."

Both mothers now turned to Craig. I did not envy his position of making an explanation with something less than half the facts. However, he had to enter into it as gracefully as possible.

"I've been looking into the lives of these young people," he began slowly. He was careful not to mention Ken in this connection, for he wished to save him the embarassment of the little affair of fighting with Hank. "That boy, Hank Hawkins, says that his mother and father last week saw Vira, Ruth, Rae, Glenn Buckley, and Jack Curtis with Vario at the races at Belmore and that they lost a lot of money.'

Mrs. Gerard looked at Mrs. Adams. Both of them were thunderstruck. But Kennedy was not through.

"I've been quietly making some inquiries about their habits," continued Kennedy. "There may not be anything wrong in it, but the whole party of them have been frequenting the cabaret roadhouses out here in the country."

However, Mrs. Gerard was philosophical. She shook her head sadly. "When boys and girls do dangerous and stupid things, trouble follows. Common sense and foolishness are sometimes fair equivalents for right and wrong."

Kennedy was, to say the least, surprised at this bit of worldly wisdom.

However, to Ken Adams, there was just one question now before them. "But, Uncle Craig," he put in, "what about Dick? What are we going to do first?"

Kennedy was ready on the instant with the answer. He turned to Easton Evans. "Broadcasting by the police for stolen cars, for missing persons, for all sorts of things is a greater success every day. We shall alarm the police of the country, every boat, every amateur station, every newspaper. The wireless of the world is open to us. Shall we try XYXZ once more?"

Easton was considering. He was thinking of his still only partially completed perfecting of the Evansite Cold Tube. "Yes, I think it would be best to start there, to give it another trial. The old system still has a wider reach than my Cold Tube. I think that would be wise."

Kennedy turned to reassure both the mothers. He did as well as anybody could have done under the circumstances and in a few moments Ken, Easton and myself were speeding to the Radio Corporation.

"Very well, then," decided Kennedy, to whom now the facilities of the big station had been thrown open by Professor Vario, "as soon as there is an opportunity, put me on."

When the air was clear on the wave length they were using, Kennedy took his position before the microphone.

"All set!" whispered the manager.

Kennedy began in a clear, bell-like tone.

"Broadcasting a general alarm to all police departments and radio listeners! This is station XYXZ, Rockledge, Long Island. Dick Gerard, 14 years old, kidnapped some time this morning in former sea patrol boat now named the 'Scooter' off Rockledge, Long Island. If you have any information please communicate with Craig Kennedy, the Nonowantuc Club, Rockledge."

"Uncle Craig," whispered Ken. "Can't I talk—please?"

"Stand by for a moment. Scout Ken Adams of the same troop as Dick Gerard will have something to say to you!"

Eagerly, not a bit self-conscious, Ken took his place before the microphone.

"Scouts of America!" pleaded Ken. "You have heard of the carrying off of one of us! I call on you to find missing Dick Gerard, my pal. Just a moment. My uncle, Craig Kennedy, the great detective, will give you a brief description of him by which you can recognize him."

Ken turned to Craig and Craig at once launched into a brief description of Dick.

Professor Vario, by this time was standing in the door. "I hope that gets over this time. But sometimes the radio is a temperamental thing." His manner was that of a scientist warning them not to expect too much.

Just then one of the employees came to the door. "Is Mr. Kennedy here, Professor?"

Vario indicated Craig.

"I have a message for you. There was a telephone call from the Nonowantuc Club that there are important messages waiting for you there from radio fans.' '

Easton was at once interested.

"Must be the response from our broadcasting last night with my Cold Tube."

Kennedy smiled. "Uundoubtedly. Cast thy words upon the ether and they shall return to thee—right away!"

Ken was impatient. He seemed to think that the broadcasting from XY XZ ought to bring instant results. He was anxious to be off.

A few moments later we climbed into the car.

"Step on the gas!!" urged Ken.

Craig did.

(Continued Next Week)

Heck: What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who made such a fuss at the game?

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Full information concerning regulations regarding Pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands in given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

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All stories and articles in the number, with the exception of the regular features, deal with Ontario sport while a personal message from the Premier of Ontario welcomes all tourists to the province and a special Ontario section describes some of the beauty health, fishing and hunting resorts of Ontario.

A new aspect of angling is given in 'The Jumbo Trout of Lake Superior," possibly the gem of the table of contents; while "Trout Fishin'" is a delightful reminiscence of the creeks of old Ontario.

The regular gun, fishing, outdoor and kennel departments contain specially interesting material for this issue.

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USEFUL RECIPES

A REAL SPRING TONIC

Early rhubarb, which dietitians consider so healthful, is now to be seen at most green grocers' and should be served once or twice a week while in season. It can be stewed "plain" with sugar and a little water and eaten for breakfast or as a side dish at dinner, or in pies or other desserts.

The housewife whose family does not care for it plain may be able to include a little of it in the family diet by combining it with other fruit and tapioca, thus toning down the sharp taste of the rhubarb which some people find objectionable.

Place one cup of prune juice, one half cup hot water and two cups of rhubarb cut fine into an enameled ware double boiler, which has a vitreous surface and will not be affected by the fruit acids. Cook slowly, add one cup sugar, the juice of an orange and one half cup of the kind of tapioca that does not need soaking. Stir frequently for twenty minutes or until the tapioca is soft and then add twenty stewed prunes from which the stones have been removed. Cool and serve with cream.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks are extended Mr. G. Apps, Mr. H. E. Murray, the remaining teachers and classmates of Miss Aida in the Cumberland Public Schools, and the teachers and pupils and Mothers' Association of the Japanese School for their numerous expressions of sympathy and kindnesses evidenced at the recent death of our daughter.

We also desire to thank the above, as well as numerous other friends, both Occidental and Japanese, for the beautiful floral tributes and attendance at the funeral in spite of the inclement weather.

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COURTENAY BOXING CARD PROMISES WELL

COURTENAY, June 2.—A strong semi-final bout was added to the boxing card scheduled here for Monday, June 14th, which features Harry Pollett and A. Galagher, of Vancouver, in an eight-round bout, when Harold Jones was matched with Harry Anderson, of Vancouver, in a six round bout.

Jones just a short time ago was the lightweight champion of the coast and is still capable of beating most of the boys. Bobby Harper, Joe Gorman and Tuffy Wing number amongst the boys that Jones has beaten.

Anderson is a likely looking youngster, who is being developed by the veteran trainer, George Paris, and Jones will have to be in top form to take his measure.

Three four-round bouts, which are in the making, will round out the card. In one of these Young Townsend, the Nanaimo featherweight, will be matched with one of the best of the Vancouver battlers.

BROWNIE'S TEA PROVES NOTABLE SUCCESS

CAMPBELL RIVER, June 2.—The tea and home-cooking stall organized by the Brownie Committee, and held at the home of Mrs. George Francis on Friday afternoon, proved to be a great success, the tables being gaily decorated with California poppies. A feature of the afternoon was a raffle of a doll's wodden bed which was given to the Brownies by Mr. Sutherland, of Coughlan, B.C., who is totally blind.

The committee wishes to thank all the ladies who so generously donated to the home-cooking stall, and also to express their appreciation of the splendid attendance. The handsome sum of $40 was realized.

Mrs. George Francis and Mrs. R. Zeigler were in charge of the cooking stall. Mrs. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. P. Painter and Mrs. H. Pidcock served tea.

CAMPBELL RIVER PERSONAL ITEMS

CAMPBELL RIVER, June 2.—Mr. Frank Cross, of the Campbell River Trading Store, has returned from a short visit to Vancouver.

Miss L. Johnson returned to Bevan on Monday last.

Mr. Carl Thulin and Mr. R. Ruston returned to Campbell River on Tuesday, after having spent several days at Buttle Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phelps, of Elk Bay, were guests at Campbell River over the week-end.

Mrs. P. Harambourne and Mrs. J. Harambourne, of the International Timber Co., were visitors to Campbell River the latter part of the week.

Mr. J. P. Lewis has returned from a hurried trip to Vancouver.

Mr. B. Fleming, of Vancouver, is at present a guest at the Willows Hotel.

Miss H. Stuart and Mrs. Gowan, of West Summerland, are at present visiting at Campbell River.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Forbes and son returned to Campbell Lake early in the week from a short visit to the city.

Announcement.

Mr. Cyril Burns, formerly of Blunt and Ewart Ltd., is now with the firm of Pidcock and McKenzie.

HERD OF JERSEYS TO CHANGE HANDS

A herd of twenty-one choice Jersey cattle, owned by ex-Alderman George Sangster, prominent Vancouver Island stock breeder, has been sold to Mr. Hugh Savage, of Ladner, B.C. Provided these Jeresys pass the test, they will be delivered from Mr. Sangster's Patricia Bay farm to their new home on the Fraser River Delta.

Included in Mr. Sangster's sale are two prize winner Jerseys, which captured awards at the Royal Fair at Toronto last year.

Mr. Sangster announced Wednesday that a summer picnic of the British Columbia Jersey Breeders' Association, of which body he is the president, will be held at Duncan today and tomorrow. Those attending this function will inspect the Jersey herds in the Cowichan District.

Keen interest in being taken among Island Jersey breeders in this Duncan gathering, and it is also expected that a good representation of breeders from the Mainland will participate in the meeting. Mr. W. H. Mearns, secretary of the B.C. Agricultural Association will also attend the gathering.

GEORGE HANNAY IS UNDER ARREST

George Hannay, formerly a member of the Nanaimo branch of the Provincial Police, and who has several times served sentences on various charges since that period, is once again in the toils. Tuesday he was arrested in Port Alberni on a charge of breaking and entering. Lang's Drug Store was entered on the night of May 16th, and a punch-board containing money prizes was stripped. The burglar secured one ten dollar gold piece, eight English half-sovereigns, nine silver dollars, one tobacco pouch, and twenty dollars in cash. Shortly after his arrest Hannay appeared before the Port Alberni magistrate, and was remanded for eight days. He was taken to Oakalla by Chief Cronk, of Alberni, where he will await his hearing.

George Hannay, once regarded as one of the most competent constables in the provincial police force, first ran foul of the law in 1913 when he was charged with misappropriation of government money. He was subsequently arrested in the United States, deported and given a penitentiary sentence. The last crime with which he was charged was in connection with a burglary at Duncan. He was arrested, but broke jail and when he was subsequently discovered at a lonely camp in the timber near Bute Inlet he submitted to arrest without resistance. He defended himself at his trial and was acquitted.

GYPSIES ARE NOT ALLOWED TO SETTLE

CALGARY, June 2.—A little colony of thirty real Roman gypsies was ordered by the city health department to move on a few hours after their arrival here. Lack of sanitary facilities in the encampment was the reason for the gypsies being asked to depart. Although the gypsies travel in automobiles now and sleep in modern tents, instead of the old horse-drawn caravan of years ago, they still retain a breath of romance.

The members of the group were garbed in flowing, multi-colored costumes like their ancestors. The women members of the party, swarthy and well dressed, wore added ornaments in the shape of heavy gold earrings and heavy finger rings. The girls were garbed likewise, although the men for the most part wore ordinary coats with corduroy trousers. The little colony is apparently in a prosperous condition, being in possession of fine automobiles. Wintering in Edmonton, the trip south was not without incident. Just after starting one of the prettiest girls in the party, Rosie Ewona, aged eighteen years, disappeared, and the gypsy chiefs, thinking that she had eloped, wired her description to the police, and asked them to be on the lookout for her. Rosie, however, turned up as suddenly as she disappeared.

Another Hope Is Shattered

Big Bill McKenzie, the Vancouver Island logger, Lonnie Austin's heavyweight hope, is Sweet William now. McKenzie, after losing a bout on a technical knockout in San Diego recently, was given another chance at Los Angeles the other night. That bout was his last, according to Lonnie Austin.

McKenzie, a good logger, a husky from Courtenay, goes back to Vancouver Island. Lonnie's dream is shattered, but soon he will find another white hope. And he will keep on with hopes until he develops a champion or closes his managerial career without realizing his ambition.

Austin says that Bill was too big and too slow to make good. It's few real heavy men that have risen to pugilistic heights. Outside of Jess Willard, who is there?

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Ladysmith	16	11	4	1	42	25	23
Nanaimo	14	8	4	2	38	23	18
Westminster	15	7	4	4	41	30	18
St. Saviours	14	7	6	1	32	40	15
Varsity	15	5	8	2	26	43	12
St. Andrews	15	4	8	3	24	30	11
North Shore	14	3	10	1	22	28	7
Victoria Vets	12	1	11	0	21	64	2

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The Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, and Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of B.C., was in the city last Monday, and attended a meeting of Cumberland Lodge No. 26, A. F. and A. M. Afterwards there was a banquet in the Union Hotel which was well attended.

CONNAUGHT CUP GAME SATURDAY

The third round game in the Connaught Cup competition, between Canadian Collieries team and North *Shore United will be played on* Saturday afternoon at Ladysmith. Canadian Collieries team is favored to win, but in the game of soccer "you ne'r can tell." North Shore team beat St. Saviours last week by a score of 4 goals to 1. The result was a great surprise as the Saints have been putting up a brand of ball lately that was equal to anything in the Province.

A keen game is anticipated on Saturday and the Canadian Collieries team will likely be: Tait; Moritmer and Anderson; *Monaghan*, Brake and Heaps; S. Strang, Davies, Fowler, *Plump* and Hitchens. A win for the Collieries will place them in the semi-final. Here's hoping!

Personal Mention

The mid-week Tennis Club tea was held in the garden at the residence of Mrs. J. Conway last Wednesday afternoon and was well attended.

The Bishop of Columbia and Archdeacon Laycock were guests at the Vicarage over the week-end, and left *for Victoria on Monday morning.*

Rev. and Mrs. F. Comley, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mumford, left for Alert Bay on Tuesday evening.

The new Church of St. Marks' (Anglican), Qualicum Beach, will be dedicated by the Bishop of Columbia next Friday evening at 8:00 p.m. The Church has been erected on a site close to the famous Beach Hotel.

Make no mistake—attend the dance of the Parent Teachers at the Ilo-Ilo Hall on Friday evening next.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mr. Robert Halcrow, who died suddenly at the home of his daughter in Vancouver, take this opportunity of thanking all *friends of the family* for their kind consideration and expressions of sympathy on the death of a loving father.

THE FAMILY.

Young and old will be assured of a real good time at the dance of the Parent Teachers on Friday evening next in the Ilo-Ilo Hall.

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Second Golfer: My clubs.

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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our Dear Ronald, who fell asleep May 31st, 1922, aged 8 years and 4 months.

"As we loved him so we miss him,"
Thoughts of him are very dear;
Loved, remembered, longed for always.
Throughout every passing year.
Treasured thoughts of our son so dear
Often brings a silent tear."

Inserted by Mother, Daddy and Sister.

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