

## Local Cars In Collision

### Lucky Escape From Serious Injury Of Several Well Known Citizens

A collision, which might easily have had serious results occurred at the week-end when two cars, the first driven by Mr. Clarke, of Cumberland and the second by Mr. Parkin, of Headquarters, were driving towards Courtenay. When near Warren Avenue on the Cumberland-Courtenay road, a car travelling towards Cumberland was met. Mr. Clarke dimmed his lights, but the approaching car crashed into him, forcing him to the ditch. Mr. Parkin, who was travelling close behind Mr. Clarke, also was struck by the car coming from Courtenay with the result that his car turned over. Travelling with Mr. Parkin were two or three well known local people and it was a miracle that none of them were injured. Mr. Etherington, the driver of the third car received minor injuries and was conveyed to the St. Joseph's Hospital, Comox, and later in the week was allowed to return to Cumberland where he was admitted to the Cumberland General Hospital. All three cars were damaged.

## Thirty Thousand For Ladysmith Electric Plant

At the meeting of the Ladysmith Council on Wednesday of last week a tentative offer of \$30,000 was made for the Electric Light Plant. This offer was made on behalf of the Canadian Utilities Ltd. through Mr. P. S. Fagan of Nanaimo. Street lighting would be supplied at the present rate, viz. \$1000 per year, and no increase in the domestic rates would be made. The communication was ordered to be left upon the table until the next meeting.

## Local Copper Claim Not Sold

### Emphatic Denial Given By Colliery Official To Report Of Story In Comox Argus

The Cumberland correspondent of the Comox Argus says it is reported that the Canadian Collieries have purchased a copper claim at Allen's Lake, staked by "Shorty" Peroni and that a substantial cash payment had been made and if the option is taken up, ten thousand dollars is to be paid, with a royalty of 20 per cent. Our correspondent, in conversation with a prominent colliery official, was informed that there was nothing to the story and that it was all rot. The company knows absolutely nothing about it. The denial was emphatic and those of our readers who have been inclined to listen to talk about the proposed deal, can take it from us, that the information handed out to our correspondent to-day was from an official source.

## Powell River Co. Awards Contract

### Power Line Twelve and One Half Miles To Be Erected

Vancouver, Nov. 6.—The first contract given by the Powell River Company, Ltd., toward the eventual construction of its \$6,000,000 additional power project at Lois River, between twelve and fourteen miles from its present plant at Powell River, was awarded today to Stuart Cameron & Company, Ltd. The Cameron company will clear a power line right-of-way 150 feet wide and twelve and one-half miles long through brush and timber, between Powell River and the site upon which the Lois power house will also erect a power transmission line along this right-of-way. In announcing the award, Mr. A. E. McMaster, manager of the Powell River Company, declined to give the contract price. The right-of-way, he said, will be wide enough for the erection of two lines of poles, although only one will be built at present. The awards of other contracts for the project, including those for the construction of the dam across the Lois and a mile long tunnel from the dam to the power house, will follow during the next six weeks, Mr. McMaster stated.

## Badminton

### United Church Badminton Players Superior In Ladies' Doubles

The Whippet badminton club invited the players of the United Church to a series of games at the Band Hall on Wednesday night, the visitors winning seven games to the home team's five and scoring 143 points against 130. The games were very enjoyable but some members of the United Church club cannot understand why the Whippets picked what is known as their "B" team to play them. There are some very good players amongst the Church members, quite capable of giving the best of the Whippets a good argument, and the next time these clubs get together, it would be quite interesting to see the Whippets "A" team against the United.

Following the games refreshments were served and a real jolly evening came to a close near midnight. The scores are hereby appended with the United players' names mentioned first in each instance.

### Mixed Doubles

J. Stevenson and Miss Auchterlonie beat H. Waterfield and Mrs. Bruce Gordon, 15-10; G. Horwood and Mrs. H. Brown lost to J. Williams and Mrs. Cope, 15-8; D. Robertson and Mrs. Spooner beat H. Bates and Mrs. Conway, 15-12; B. Wilcock and Miss L. Sheppard beat J. McCready and Mrs. W. Hutchinson, 15-12; S. Mounce and Mrs. Spooner lost to G. McFarland and Miss Little, 11-15; D. Robertson and Miss J. Brown lost to H. Watson and Miss Gallivan, 7-15.

### Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. H. Brown and Miss Auchterlonie beat Misses Gallivan and Cannon, 15-4; Mrs. Spooner and Miss Sheppard beat Mrs. Cope and Mrs. Bruce Gordon, 15-1; Misses Auchterlonie and Brown beat Miss Little and Mrs. Hutchinson, 15-10.

### Men's Doubles

Stevenson and Horwood beat Waterfield and Watson, 15-6; Horwood and Mounce lost to Bates and McFarland, 9-15; Wilcock and Robertson lost to Williams and McCready, 3-15.

Royston badminton players defeated visitors from Campbell River in inter-club matches Wednesday when their players tallied a total of 236 with the visitors only able to score 135.

In the mixed doubles the scores were: D. Lockhart and Frances Moore beat Mrs. Pollard and J. McNeil, 21-7; Christine McKinnon and Norman Robinson beat Mrs. Tucker and J. Ross, 21-8; N. Carey and Gwen Fairbairn beat Mrs. Crawford and J. Hudson, 21-6; Robert Ash and Dot Waterfield beat Miss Brown and J. Barfield 21-5; Mort Graham and Blanche Dando beat Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, 21-18; Dick Idiens and R. Uchiyama beat Mrs. Pollard and J. Brown, 21-17.

R. Uchiyama and Dot Waterfield lost to Mrs. Pollard and Miss Brown, 21-5, the only game lost by Royston; Christine McKinnon and Blanche Dando beat Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Crawford, 21-3; Frances Moore and Gwen Fairbairn beat Mrs. Tucker and Miss Brown, 21-18.

Men's doubles were: Dick Idiens and Norman Robinson beat J. Ross and J. Hudson 21-16; Robert Ash and N. Carey beat J. McNeil and J. Rogers, 21-18; David Lockhart and Mort Graham beat J. Barfield and J. Brown, 21-8.

Tea was served by Christine McKinnon, R. Uchiyama and G. Wilson.

## Talking Pictures For Cumberland

### Now Being Installed—Courtenay To Have Them Also

At last we are to have talking pictures in Cumberland. Workmen are busy at the Ilo-Ilo Theatre making the necessary preparations and in a very short time now we shall be listening with rapt attention to our favorite screen actors.

A great deal of expense is involved in the installation of talking pictures and the management of the local picture house is to be congratulated on bringing to Cumberland the latest invention of the age.

Talking pictures will be installed in the Gaiety Theatre in the near future, according to word given out to-day.

Friends of Harry Farmer, former resident of Cumberland, will be sorry to hear that he was seriously injured while following his occupation in the mines at Black Diamond, Wash., recently.



### - We are the Living -

In answer to Col. McCrae's immortal poem  
(IN FLANDER'S FIELDS)

In Flander's fields we do not lie  
Where poppies grow and larks do fly,  
Forever singing as they go,  
Above the bodies row on row  
Of those whose duty 't was to die.

We are the maimed, death did deny  
Its solace, crippled, blind, we try  
To find on earth the peace they know  
In Flander's fields.

Forget us not as years go by,  
On your remembrance we rely  
For love that sees our hearts below  
Or broken bodies, else we grow  
To crave the peace with those who lie  
In Flander's fields.

—By W. G. Foss, B.A.



## High Price For Automobile Ride

### Three Months Hard Labor In Default of Paying Fine

On Monday morning, before Magistrate E. W. Bickle, Jack Doudward and Raymond Yeltatize, two half-breed Indians, were charged with operating a motor car without the owner's consent and pleaded guilty. They were both fined \$250.00 and costs and in default three months in jail with hard labor.

The case arose through the accused taking Howard Carey's car on Saturday night. Carey had parked his car in front of the Royal Candy store and on coming out was very much surprised to discover that his car had vanished. He immediately notified Chief of Police Cope, who acting on information received headed for Union Bay. When near Royston, a car passed the Chief of Police heading for Courtenay, which Carey stated to be his car. Chief Cope turned his car and gave chase and estimated that the stolen car was being driven at a rate of sixty miles per hour in an effort to get away. Eventually the two accused were rounded up. One was caught in the Orchard at Courtenay after Chief of Police Cope had forced them to abandon the car by his close pursuit. The second man was arrested a few minutes later on a fishing boat tied up to the wharf at Courtenay. They were lodged in jail and came up for hearing on Monday morning.

Considerable damage was done to Carey's car when it was ditched and also to another car which was struck, the rear end of which was badly damaged.

Raymond Yeltatize paid the fine but Jack Doudward elected to go to jail and was escorted over to the mainland on Wednesday morning.

## Writ Against Courtenay May Issue, Says Court

Leave was granted in Supreme Court by Chief Justice Morrison to Children's Aid Society, Vancouver, to issue a writ of execution against the corporation of the municipality of Courtenay in an endeavor to recover \$600 which is owing for the maintenance of three children.

Stipendiary Magistrate John Conway in August, a year ago, committed the youngsters, who are Agnes Sloan Harvey, aged 10, Margaret Liddle Harvey, aged 7, and Samuel Allan Harvey, aged 5, to the institution on the ground that they were neglected.

The \$600 account has accumulated at the rate of \$4 per week for each child.

Monday, Armistice Day Dance at the Ilo-Ilo under auspices of the Cumberland Branch of the Canadian Legion. Novelties and Carnival favors galore.

## Thanksgiving Service

A Thanksgiving service will be held in the Cumberland United Church on Sunday evening, November 10th, at 7 o'clock. Special Thanksgiving anthems by the choir, Thanksgiving hymns and music. Everyone cordially invited.

## Alterations To Police Residence Tabooed by City

### Wycherley Property May Be Put In Shape For Chief of Police Residence

Declaring that he could not see his way clear to spend \$1200 of the ratepayers' money on fixing the residence of the Chief of Police, Mayor Maxwell plainly let the council know his opinion in the matter. Alderman Parnham retorted that all the aldermen, at least he thought so, were just as anxious as the Mayor to be as economical as possible with the ratepayers' money, but he, personally, was of the opinion that something should be done to make the residence of the Chief habitable. If the Chief was worth employing at a stated salary with house included as part of that salary, he was worth giving a house fit to live in. It was eventually decided to ascertain what it would cost to put the inside of the Wycherley property in shape and this residence may be used as the home for the Chief.

In addition to the Mayor, there were present, Aldermen Parnham, Mumford, Ledingham, Henderson and Williams. Business opened with the minutes of the previous council meeting being read and adopted.

A communication was received from Mr. A. D. Creer, of Vancouver, who is acting for the City of Cumberland on the arbitration board in the matter of the proposed purchase of the assets of the Cumberland Electric Lighting Company, stating that a meeting of the board had been set for Tuesday, November 19th in the Board of Trade Building, Vancouver. The city clerk informed the council that since receiving the communication, the solicitor of the Cumberland Electric Light Company had interviewed him to see if it would be convenient for all concerned if the proposed meeting was postponed until the end of November. Consequently it will probably be the end of the month before there is any meeting of the arbitrators on the light question.

A communication was also received from the secretary of the Cumberland Branch of the Canadian Legion, inviting the council to the Memorial Service to be held at the Memorial Hall on Sunday, November 10th. The council will most likely attend this service in a body.

A communication was also received from the secretary of the Comox Dis-

## SILENT PERIOD ON ARMISTICE DAY ORDERED

Hon. R. R. Bruce is advised through Ottawa that the same arrangements for the observance of Armistice Day in Great Britain as were adopted in previous years have been approved. This will include the two minutes' silence at 11 o'clock, which will be observed everywhere throughout the Empire.

## Memorial Service Sunday Noon

A memorial service will be held at the Memorial Hall on Sunday, November 10th at 12 noon. The Rev. E. O. Robathan, Vicar of Holy Trinity Anglican Church and the Rev. J. R. Hewitt, pastor of the Cumberland United Church will conduct the service and a hearty invitation is extended to the general public to be present at this service. In the evening ex-service men will parade to the Anglican Church for a special service at 7 o'clock. Ex-service men, please attend this service and if you intend going be at the Memorial Hall at 6:30 Sunday evening.

## SURPRISE PARTY FOR ROYSTONITE

A jolly crowd of Cumberland ladies journeyed to Royston on Thursday night with the intention of paying a surprise visit to Mrs. Whitehouse, who happened to be visiting friends nearby at the time the Cumberland ladies arrived. On returning to her home a little later Mrs. Whitehouse was very much surprised to find a happy crowd of her friends in charge, all dressed up in fancy masquerade costumes. Cards and amusing games occupied the assembly, winners at cards being Mrs. R. R. Brown, first; Mrs. Miller, second; Mrs. W. Jackson, consolation. Guessing contest winners were, Mrs. McLellan, first; Mrs. M. Brown, second; Mrs. Covert, third and Mrs. Jackson, fourth. Prizes were also given for the best written advertisements, Mrs. C. Macdonald being awarded first prize; Mrs. Herd, second and Mrs. Covert, third.

The visitros had taken with them a plentiful supply of "hot dogs" and a right royal supper was thoroughly enjoyed. An impromptu programme was held immediately after supper. Those present included Mesdames R. D. Brown, M. Brown, Covert, Bell, Macdonald, Buchanan, W. Jackson, Coe, Weir, W. McLellan Sr., Miller, C. Walker, Litter, Herd, Turner and S. Davis.

## Cribbage

### District League Games Becoming Very Popular

Other card games come and go, but cribbage remains. There was a time when everybody played euchre. Then they tired of it and five hundred became popular, but who plays five hundred now? At about the same time somebody got tired of whist and invented bridge. Everybody played it until auction bridge was evolved, and we all know about that game. Then a couple of seasons ago contract bridge forced its way to the front, and in a few more seasons some other form will have displaced contract.

Meanwhile, cribbage runs its steady course, with His Heels and His Nobs still the same reliable pair that they were when Sir John Suckling, the gay, light-hearted rhymster, introduced it to the court of King Charles I.

If one had looked into the Memorial Hall on Wednesday night, then taken a walk up to the big room at the Cumberland Hotel and noticed men from all walks of life engaged in the game of cribbage, one would have been tempted to say "cribbage will go on for ever." The reason for such great interest in cribbage on Wednesday night was the fact that two important league games were being played. The Nondescripts entertained the Union Bay team in the Cumberland Hotel and met defeat by a score of 22 games to 16 games. At the Veterans' Hall a battle royal ensued between the City team and the Vets, the issue being in doubt until the last game, when a win recorded by a prominent City player tied the score of the Vets, 18 games each.

Following the games at both the Cumberland Hotel and the Memorial Hall, a social hour was spent.

## More News About Pulverized Coal

In the October number of Marine Engineering there is a very important article showing actual results and working costs of the operation of the Tod system of pulverized coal.

The voyage started at Baltimore, calling at New York, Glasgow, Avonmouth and Cardiff, a distance of 7,124 miles, and 300 hours in port.

Six different grades of coal were bunkered and burned on the voyage.

The average speed was increased nine per cent, and an increase of 20.2 per cent, in propelling power.

As a hand-fired, lump coal job, the ship used 449 pounds of coal per mile with a speed of 8.78 knots and 1,790 indicated horsepower. This coal was run of mine, cost \$4.80 per ton trimmed in the bunkers, and the cost per mile was \$0.994.

As a pulverized coal burning job the ship used 449 pounds of coal per mile with a speed of 9.58 knots and 2,250 indicated horsepower. The coal cost \$3.81 per ton trimmed in bunkers, so the cost per mile was \$0.763.

To accomplish 9.58 knots as a hand-fired job would require 583 pounds of coal per mile, with \$4.80 coal, and the cost per mile would be \$1.249. The actual saving in using pulverized coal per fuel mile was shown to be 3.89 per cent.

During the last year more than 15,000,000 tons of pulverized coal has been used in the United States, principally for creating electric power, and a \$5,000,000 pulverized coal plant now is being built on Lake Union to supply Seattle with additional electrical power.

## Cronies Club Fete Members

### Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodall Guests of Honor Before De- parting For States

A jolly Cronies' Club social was held in the Eagles' Hall on Friday evening last when upwards of forty members attended to pay tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodall, both prominent members of the club, on the eve of their departure for the State of Washington, where they will reside in future. The early part of the evening was devoted to whist, prizes being won by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown, the consolation to Mr. Raeburn. After refreshments had been served, Mr. Robert Strachan, president of the club, in a very fitting speech, presented to Mr. Goodall, a set of gold cuff links and to Mrs. Goodall, a handsome umbrella, whilst Miss Goodall was presented with a set of silk lingerie. Mr. Strachan paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Goodall who at all times had been most willing to take part in many of the entertainments held in the town during the past few years, not only Cronies' Club entertainments but in many others. The club would undoubtedly miss both Mr. and Mrs. Goodall and on behalf of the members he wished them good health and prosperity in their new home.

Mr. Goodall on behalf of himself and Mrs. and Miss Goodall thanked them all very much for their kindly gifts and assured all present that he and his wife were not severing connections with Cumberland friends without a great deal of regret. He assured them, that no matter where they might roam, a kindly thought for their many friends here would always be with them.

A well arranged musical programme rounded out a delightful evening. Those taking part included the Merry Makers Orchestra, and songs by Messrs. R. Goodall, Bobby Brown, Harry Thomson and a trombone solo by Mr. Alf. Pilling, songs by Mesdames Warren, Hobbs, W. Brown, Miss Goodall and a piano solo by Mrs. W. Hudson. "Bob" Goodall was also a prominent member of the Cumberland Cricket club and his many friends of the club extend to him good luck, good health and prosperity across the line.

## POLICE COURT NEWS

Before Stipendiary Magistrate John Conway, on November 6th, Alexander Hector Hooper, Campbell River, was charged under section 13, sub-section 1, of the Motor Vehicles Act, with driving to the common danger. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10.00 and costs.

The case arose out of a collision with Hooper's car and a car driven by E. L. Saunders, of Cumberland on Sunday, October 13th, when considerable damage was done to the Saunders car, the crash occurring about seventy-five feet west of the first track on the Cumberland-Royston road.

## BAZAAR WILL FEATURE CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

The Ladies' Auxilliary of Holy Trinity Anglican Church will hold their annual Bazaar on Wednesday, November the 20th when novelties for the Christmas season will be a pronounced feature of the sale. Get your Christmas presents at the Anglican Bazaar, November 20th.

## Shower For Recent Bride

About thirty guests were present at the home of Mrs. Kenmare on Wednesday evening when Mesdames Dakers, O'Brien, Buttress and R. Strachan were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Moncrieff, a recent bride. Games and music, followed by dancing occupied the guests for the evening and in a musical chair contest, the prize was won by Mrs. Roberts. Mrs. Finch presided at the piano for dancing and the guests were also entertained with a highland fling by Mrs. Dakers and solos by Mesdames E. Brown and R. James.

During the evening supper was served, the lights being turned out immediately afterwards, when Mrs. Moncrieff was led into the darkened room. The lights coming on one by one, revealed Chrissie Strachan and Harry Kenmare drawing into the room a gaily decorated wagon on which rested a huge basket loaded with miscellaneous gifts. Mrs. O'Brien, on behalf of the assembled guests made the presentation, Mrs. Moncrieff making suitable reply.

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### UNPLEASANT FACTS

TELLING the people of British Columbia that they ought to find out why this province does not produce more of what it requires to eat, The Kamloops Sentinel holds up Vancouver Island as one of the principal sinners in this vital matter of production. It says:

Look at Vancouver Island, with its wonderful climate, surely about as good and open as that of New Zealand. It cannot produce sufficient butter to supply its own small needs for more than about fifty days in the year. It sounds pitiful, does it not?

Other facts about our production may not be generally known. Few perhaps realize this province imports yearly three and a half million one-pound cans of fruit, and three and a half million of one-pound cans of vegetables. Seventy-five per cent. of the meat we consume is imported. These importations are equal to 24,000 head of cattle, 63,000 head of sheep and 124,000 head of hogs each year. In addition, 7,000,000 pounds of canned meat are imported.

The State of Washington in 1927 put up 32,000,000 cans of berries alone, much of which was shipped to the United Kingdom. Its packing houses were responsible for 1,333,076 cases of berries, made up thus: blackberries, 535,995; cherries, 280,163; raspberries, 225,542; loganberries, 200,629; strawberries, 30,341; gooseberries, 20,506.

New Zealand, with a population of one and a half millions, since the war has increased her exports of dairy produce from \$30,000,000 to over \$80,000,000. She supplies Great Britain with fifty-five per cent. of her imported mutton and lamb; twenty-five per cent. of her imported butter; fifty-two per cent. of her cheese, and twenty-three per cent. of her wool. Her export and import trade is the greatest per capita in the world.

It is a great deal easier to talk about our shortage of production than it is to suggest a remedy that could be applied at once. But the figures and facts we have quoted are something of a standing rebuke to a province so richly endowed by Nature as British Columbia. More production obviously is the key to greater population and greater prosperity.—Victoria Daily Times.

### AN ARMISTICE DAY THOUGHT

THE RELAXATION OF A NATION FROM THE TENSION OF WAR CONSTITUTED A NATION STEPPING FORWARD TO NOT ONLY COVER UP THE CONFLICT AND MISERY, BUT A NATION SPURRED TO GREATER PROGRESS. EACH ARMISTICE DAY SHOULD CARRY US FURTHER TOWARD THE IDEAL NATION—AND THE PARTS PLAYED IN THIS EFFORT BY INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS SHOULD HARMONIZE TOWARD THIS END.

The advantages of a war, paradoxically enough, are many. Looking backward, on Armistice Day, those who fought and near died can profit by the tortures and miseries they underwent. Mind and body suffered, and on the basis of this suffering, the Nation as it is to-day, profits.

Strife and trouble develops character, and the youth of the land is the stronger and more capable for the hardships and pain they endured.

Upon the youth of the land—the men now in their "thirties" who fought to peace and to a better self-understanding—depends the prosperity and strength of the Nation.

For an Armistice Day thought, let us dwell on that.

"In Flander's field the poppies grow  
"Between the crosses, row on row,  
"That mark our place and in the sky  
"The larks still bravely singing, fly,  
"Scarce heard amidst the guns below  
"We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
"Loved and were loved and now we lie  
"In Flander's field."  
—From "In Flander's Field."

### Cumberland Draws Football Contest

Cumberland, Nov. 3.—There was a good attendance of spectators on the Recreation grounds on Sunday afternoon when Cumberland entertained the "Callies." Powell River's crack football team. An interesting game was the result, ending in a draw, play being fairly even throughout.

D. Gibson, for Cumberland, played a fine game while Skipper Murray displayed much of his former skill. Eighteen players made the trip from Powell River. Mortimer, former Cumberland player, was goal-keeper. Forty minutes play was allowed each way. Cumberland tallied the first goal, H. Watson scoring. Ten minutes before the finish Powell River equalized.

Cumberland's line-up was: Goal, Jas. Walker; Full backs, Skipper Murray and Robt. Brown, Jr.; Half-backs, N. Richards, G. McLellan, McFarlane; D. Gibson, outside right; McFarlane, inside right; H. Watson, centre; B. Bradley, inside left; H. Jackson, outside left; G. Guy, linesman. T. Carney gave every satisfaction as referee.

The local Aerie of Eagles were hosts on Tuesday evening to Nanaimo Aerie No. 15 when about fifteen officers and members of the Hub City Aerie made the trip up-island. The visit was in the nature of a get-together to stimulate interest in the work of the order, to give encouragement and promote good fellowship among the neighboring Aeries. Exemplification of initiation was given in fine manner by the visitors who have a first class drill team, and other ritualistic work was put on. At the close of the business meeting the visitors were entertained in right royal style, refreshments were served after which dancing was enjoyed, consisting of speeches, songs and instrumental numbers contributed to by visitors and hosts alike.

The Duke of Atholl told this story from the Highlands the other day.

"An aristocratic old lady in the Highlands," said the Duke, "hired a crofter's boy as page and bought him a livery to be worn only on very special occasions."

"One day she gave a dinner party. As she entertained her guests in the difficult ten minutes before the meal was served, a toused head was stuck in the dining room and the voice of the new page asked:

"Please, ma'm, am I to wear me ain breeks or yours?"

An Englishman dropped in on a football game in Scotland and observing twenty-two players in a huddle near the centre of the field, turned to the Yankee sitting next to him. "I say, has there been an accident?" he asked.

"You said it," snorted the Yank, "they can't find the penny the referee tossed up."

### PRINCESS ELAINE TO MAKE SPECIAL TRIP OVER THE WEEK END

Augmented service will be provided by the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service over Thanksgiving week-end to accommodate travelers between Vancouver and Vancouver Island, it is announced by Mr. H. W. Schofield, district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver.

Saturday night, in addition to the regular 11:45 o'clock sailing from Vancouver by the Princess Alice, an extra boat, the Princess Norah, will leave Vancouver for Victoria, providing two ships for the night run.

Extra sailing on Monday, Thanksgiving Day, will be provided by the fast Princess Elaine between Vancouver and Nanaimo, and by the Princess Maquinna and Princess Royal between Vancouver and Victoria.

The Elaine will make two round trips between Vancouver and Nanaimo, leaving Nanaimo on the second return voyage at 8:30 p.m. This is an extra sailing. The Elaine will leave Vancouver at 10 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. on regular sailings on Monday. On Monday night the Princess Maquinna will leave Vancouver at 11:45 o'clock for Victoria, providing extra accommodation, and the Princess Royal will leave Victoria at 11:45 o'clock for Vancouver.

### Comox

Grades 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Comox Consolidated school, held a most enjoyable party and track meet in the Community hall on Friday night. In the track meet the high school classes scored slightly higher than the public school classes. Dainty refreshments were served after which dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

On Halloween Mrs. G. H. Ellis was hostess to over a hundred young people at a party in the Community hall. Halloween decorations and games were much in evidence during the evening after which a most bounteous supper was served.

Mrs. C. C. Piercy held a delightful tea and musicale at her home last Thursday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Shaw who had been a visitor in the district for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, who have been resident at the chalet for the past seven weeks returned to Victoria on Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Pollock and family.

Mrs. L. R. Cliffe returned on Saturday from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. K. Midwinter, of Brandon, Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carthew paid a flying visit to Victoria this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ellis accompanied by Joan and Pat, left for Vancouver on Sunday.

Mrs. Thornburt paid a short visit to Vancouver this week.

### WHEREABOUTS OF MANY V. C.'S IS A MYSTERY

London, Nov. 6.—Lost—Some of England's bravest men. In issuing invitations to the special dinner to be given to holders of the Victoria Cross for bravery in action, the War Department has discovered that it does not know the present whereabouts of over half of the men who have been honored. A plea has been broadcast for friends or relatives of "V.C.'s" to send information.

The dinner, which will be held on Nov. 9 at the Houses of Parliament, will be presided over by the Prince of Wales, who will take a back seat in honor of soldier guests. Ireland, it is believed, will have the oldest representative at the dinner, for two of the three oldest survivors are Irishmen who received the coveted distinction half a century ago. General Sir Reginald Hart, who is now 82, was given the decoration in the Afghan war after he risked his life to save a private in his company. Lt. Col. J. H. Reynolds, of the Royal Army Medical Corps, who is 86, is one of the two survivors of the eleven "V.C.'s" of Rorkes Drift, Zululand, in 1879.

### Union Bay

The S.S. Wairuna bunkered here on Sunday and sailed for New Zealand via Ocean Falls and San Francisco. The Canadian Observer bunkered on Monday and sailed for San Pedro.

Ray Glover and Lawrence McLeod, of Vancouver, are spending a two weeks' vacation in town.

W. J. Bowden, of Vancouver, was a visitor in town during the week. Miss Beth Magnone and Miss Laura Brown returned home on Sunday after spending the week-end in Victoria.

On Monday evening Mrs. Jack Shea entertained at three tables of bridge. First and second prizes were won by Mrs. S. Abrams and Mrs. G. Harwood, consolation going to Mrs. A. Kay. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening. The invited guests were: Mrs. A. R. Horne, Mrs. M. H. Thomas, Mrs. L. Little, Mrs. W. Marshall, Mrs. R. Ray, Mrs. H. Leithead, Mrs. H. Sherburn, Mrs. Wm. Stacey, Mrs. S. Abrams, Mrs. G. Harwood and Miss M. Abrams.

Mrs. E. Hicks left on Monday for Bellingham, Wash., where she will spend the next few weeks visiting friends.

### Wind and rain put 1,000 telephones out of order

Wind and rain caused 22 cases of cable trouble, put about 1,000 Vancouver telephones out of order on October 17. The strong wind swayed the cables and caused cracks in the sheaths, permitting rain to enter and wet the insulation. The majority of the trouble developed over night, and telephone men were out at day-break to make repairs. The trouble was distributed throughout the Greater Vancouver area.

B. C. TELEPHONE CO.

### When the Frost Is On the Windows

(Not by Walt Mason)

When the frost is on the windows and the kitchen pail is froze; when the little icy needles come with every breath that blows; when the chilblains make us sick and cold feet give us pain; its safe to bet we all wish for summer days again. For while we swear and fume around in summer clothes; its an easy thing to cool off, as everybody knows. But it's different in the winter, when the world is full of ice, and the weather is as hard to beat as a pair of loaded dice. We may talk about our climate and about our spring and fall, but the balmy days of summer are the days that suit us all.

Mrs. Lockhart left on Sunday for Nanaimo and will remain there for the week.

### Minto

Miss Calnan has been incapacitated from her school duties for the past week and her place is being filled by a predecessor in the position in the person of Mrs. Moffat, from Prince George who very kindly gave her services to the delight of some of her pupils of other days.

Mrs. G. H. Mearns and son, from Alberni, were visitors at Crowton, the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, last week.

Clifford Herwood has been substituting in Cumberland on the school staff for the last few days.

Mr. Lopp, who is painting pictures in Courtenay, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce on Saturday.

Little Betty Wain is still very sick and giving her parents much anxiety. The whole valley is wishful for Betty's recovery.

Mr. Genge has been under the weather for a few days, but is able to get around again.

### Fanny Bay

Louis Larson left on Sunday for White Horse after visiting here for the past three weeks.

Miss Milla Walker spent the week-end in Alberni.

Wilfred Quenville motored down from Mamette Lake, arriving here on Saturday. He was accompanied by Herb Larson who had been visiting relatives at Mamette Lake.

A large crowd attended the whist drive at the school on Friday. The prizes were won by Mrs. J. McKay, ladies' first; Mrs. McKay, Sr., second; Fred Lund, men's first and Lou Larson, second.

The pupils of the Fanny Bay school have organized a basketball team. They hold practices in the Fanny Bay Community hall every Friday night.



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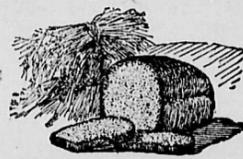
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**INSOMNIA**

Inability to sleep is insomnia. This is a symptom which occurs in some diseases but in health it is chiefly a bad habit due to conditions which can be corrected.

Falling asleep is a habit. One is much more likely to go to sleep easily if there is a regular hour for going to bed. Enough physical work or exercise should be taken during the day so that the body is physically tired at bedtime. Over-fatigue, however, tends to disturb sleep.

Insomnia is caused, in many cases, by the individual's worrying about not being able to sleep. There is no reason for worry. Lying quietly in bed, even if not asleep, is rest, and if worry about not sleeping is banished from the mind, sleep will come all the sooner. Those who suffer from insomnia very often sleep much more than they realize. They are worried and certain that they had not an hour's sleep, that they had heard the clock strike every hour, but, in fact, it will be found that they slept a fair amount.

No one should worry about inability to sleep, as we have said, and any deliberate effort to put one's self to sleep will most likely have the opposite effect. There are, however, certain things which may be done and which have been found to be useful in many cases.

A walk during the evening, a warm bath, a warm drink, unless it causes bladder action during the night, are helpful to many. The bedroom should be well-ventilated and cool, or the bed should be on a porch. The bed should be firm and comfortable, the pillow low. Usual or monotonous sounds, or lack of sound, tend to promote sleep.

A person sleeps best when the stomach is practically empty. A heavy meal may cause sleepiness for a time, but it disturbs rest later. Those who are sensitive to caffeine should avoid the use of tea or coffee. Reading an unexciting book is a good way to divert one's mind from worry, and it is a helpful routine for many to read such a book for ten minutes or so after getting into bed. Slow deep breathing is, for others, a simple way to go quietly

to sleep. We would repeat that the greatest cause of insomnia is worry about not being able to sleep. When that worry is banished from the mind, sleep usually comes.

**CAN WE PREVENT COLDS?**

A cold in the head is generally thought of as more of a nuisance than anything else. It certainly is a nuisance because it makes the sufferer a fairly uncomfortable individual. Colds are something more than a nuisance, however; they are serious for certain reasons. In the first place, they are the greatest single cause of absence from work and school, and, consequently, they cost more, in lost time and lost wages, than any other single illness. Secondly, what appears to be an ordinary cold may be the beginning of some more serious illness, such as pneumonia. Because you have often had colds which were merely a nuisance, you cannot count on escaping serious results in the future. It is a good idea to do everything possible to escape colds altogether. While there is yet much to be learned about colds, and extensive research is being carried out in an attempt to unravel the mysteries which surround this common complaint, there are some simple things which we may do to protect ourselves.

The first step is to keep in good health. Eat the right kinds of food and sleep with the bedroom window open (eight hours of sleep for adults—longer for children). Avoid people who have colds, because colds are spread from one person to another. Wash the hands thoroughly before eating, because the hands become soiled and are very likely to have disease germs on them. Keep the body clean by regular bathing, using cold or cool water, followed by a rub with a rough towel. Keep the feet dry; if they get wet, change to dry shoes and stockings, first giving the feet a good rub with a rough towel. Dress according to the thermometer, not the seasons of the year, as too much clothing (especially indoors) causes perspiration and should, therefore, be avoided.

The person who suffers from repeated colds should have his nose and throat examined by a doctor. The germs may lodge in diseased tonsils or adenoids and cause repeated colds; this can only be prevented by correcting the diseased condition of the nose and throat.

letic grounds and recreation hall were provided. The first aid station is equipped with Gibbs apparatus, smoke chamber and lecture room for first aid and other instruction. Carpenter and machine blacksmith shops are provided. The tippie is modern and constructed of steel and concrete.

The wash cars are handled by a special Wilson rotary pump. The washery when installed, had two-compartment jigs, each with a capacity of forty tons per hour, together with a sludge recovery. The water was used repeatedly. The washed slack is coked at the Anyox by-product oven, the lump, n. it and some pea coal is sold. Subsequently seven Diester-Overstrom coal washing tables, for washing the fine slack, and a Dorr thickener seventy-five feet in diameter were installed.

At first the power plant consisted of two water tube boilers, 260 horsepower each, fired by mechanical stokers, the ashes being removed by fluming to the dump. Later the plant capacity was increased by a 369 Babcock & Wilcox boiler.

A Rand cross-compound condensing air compressor of a capacity of 2,000 cubic feet of air per minute, supplies the underground drills, pumps and hoists. Electric power is supplied by an Allis-Chalmers 450 kw. generator and an auxiliary 250 kw. unit. All electric locomotive and six automatic side-dumping cars of the Granby type were added to the surface equipment in 1921.

**Mine Operation**

The mine is opened in a dip of the seam, the main slope being driven seven by fifteen in the clear to provide for a double track. A separate roadway is used as a travelling road. The coal is mined by the pillar and stall system, the panels being relatively small, chiefly as a precaution against fire. Large pillars are left along the main haulage ways and permanent airways. As far as possible coal is delivered from the working faces to the main haulage system by gravity. Storage battery locomotives are utilized on the levels. Ventilation is by a fan which has a capacity of 150,000 cubic feet of air per minute, driven by a 150 horsepower electric motor. The fan house is of concrete, as are also the buildings used for the telephone exchange and the motor generator set for charging storage battery locomotives. The mine cars are constructed of wood and have a capacity of 1.75 tons.

**Smelter Method Changed**

Most of the coal from the Granby mine at Cassidy goes to the Granby Company's wharf between Ladysmith and Nanaimo. At one time almost all of its coal was used by its smelter at Anyox, but to-day a good deal less is used, the new electrical process now used for smelting ores requires a good deal less coal.

To-day the Granby Company has most of its coal on the market, and to a certain extent is in the same position as other coal mines on Vancouver Island depending on the demand.

Passing along the Island highway one can often see two or three coal hulks lying off shore, awaiting orders either for the smelter at Anyox or mainland shipments. Some of the Granby miners live at Ladysmith, Waterloo and Nanaimo, the majority at the company's town at Cassidy.

**Sporting Centre**

Sport finds a great place at Cassidy. This year they have two soccer teams, one school team and another in the mid-island soccer tournament. At present, with the aid of recruits, they are carrying all in front of them. Looking at some of the miners' football games, one must sympathize with the Vancouver Island footballers and their managers of to-day. They get together a good team and, through uncertain times, have to go elsewhere.

To-day the Vancouver Island mining towns are more like soccer nurseries for the mainland teams. Take a look at the various names on the mainland soccer teams and you will find famous players from Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Granby and Cumberland. Mainland soccer managers are unanimous in agreeing the Island produces some of the best players. Time was when a mainland team considered themselves lucky to get a draw with a Vancouver Island soccer team.

The chief interest, as far as the miners and residents go, is in their football team, and are asking at this early date whether their team will hit the mid-island championship.

Granby team have a long way to go before the season is over. They will be a hard team to beat and should be near the top when the soccer season closes.

Although the Granby mine is in Cassidy, it must not be imagined that coal is the only product in this area. There are quite a number of farms adjoining the town, and in some cases an old pioneer. Officially the town and area is known as Cassidy's. Waterloo adjoins the Cassidy area.

**Coal Reserves**

Like other coalfields on Vancouver Island, one sometimes hears that the coal supply at Cassidy is running out. It is true that this coal area is not nearly as great as that of the Canadian Colliery Company, and it is always difficult to know how much more coal there is at the Granby mine. The officials keep smiling as though "everything in the garden is lovely," but some of the miners think the end is near. These conflicting stories leave one "up in the air" when attempting to give estimates. Should an end come to the coal operations at the Granby mine at Cassidy, acquisition of the townsite, with its elaborate equipment, is regarded as a good proposition for any colliery concern which might develop rights in the adjoining area.

It must not be understood that there is no coal in the Cassidy area. It is simply a question as to how much more the Granby Company has. The Canadian Colliery Company have new prospects under development nearby, so that continuity of mining in this area is assured, while, of course, the hope is that the Granby Company can operate for many more years.

**Smaller Scheme**

Rumor is sometimes working overtime in the area between Nanaimo, Cassidy and Ladysmith. Recently extensive options were reported on some thousands of acres between Cyster Harbor and Ladysmith and the harbor of Nanaimo. The exact smelter site has not yet been named. Recently Premier Toimie was reported to have said he'd "move heaven and earth" to get the ores now being smelted at Tacoma smelted in British Co-

lumbia, and the people of Cassidy wonder whether the Granby Company will be the "good Samaritan" and choose the areas around Ladysmith and Nanaimo, near where they have wharves and coal. It is some such industry that would be the making and the redeeming of an industrial area that the central Vancouver Island towns need badly.

At Cassidy, and even at the Granby mine, there is now an air of uncertainty. While one month may register a few more tons of coal than the last, there is not the same activity as the last time the writer was in that area.

It may be that the winter will bring a greater demand for Granby coal, as is the experience of the Canadian Collieries' mines. Practically all this coal goes out via Ladysmith.

It would seem from observation that this company would do well to advertise that its coal is on the market. At present one could hardly know the general impression seems to be that the Granby coal still goes to the smelter, and that one has difficulty in tracing sales for domestic purposes or export.—Special Correspondent, in Victoria Daily Times.

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A few years ago sportsmen of Nanaimo and district enjoyed excellent hunting through the territory where the town of Cassidy is now located.

To-day a pretty little town nestles between the rippling waters of Nanaimo River and Haslam Creek. Level streets are laid out, with shade trees and boulevards planted, and the expansive home plots of the miners, with their cottages of varied architecture, are beautified by green lawns and flower gardens. On the fringes of the townsite are cottages like those of other small mining areas.

**Two Largest Smelters**  
 The Granby concern operates the two largest smelters in British Columbia, and the second largest copper mine in the British Empire. The idea realized by creation of Cassidy was to provide the first by-product coking plant in the province and one of the best equipped coal mines and industrial living quarters in British Columbia. The Granby Company some years ago found that frequently recurring troubles in the coal mines on which they were dependent for the supplies of coke, threatened serious and mining operations with snafus interruptions through failure of the coke supply. It was therefore deemed advisable to take steps to secure control of its own coke supply, to safeguard the extensive operations at the Hidden Creek mine and the smelter at Anyox.

With this end in view the company secured in 1918 some 1,000 acres of coal lands at Cassidy. In the Nanaimo River at that point a bed of coal ten feet thick is exposed, the seam being known as the upper Douglas, on which the first coal mine in southern Vancouver Island was opened at Nanaimo by the Hudson's Bay Company in 1852.

**The Beginnings**  
 Following satisfactory prospecting of the area by diamond drilling, the Granby Company erected a sawmill having a capacity of 20,000 feet of lumber per day, and as the timber was felled on the townsite it was cut into lumber to be used in the construction of the dwellings, the timber suitable for mining and other purposes being used accordingly.

This economical move resulted in the company securing 2,500,000 feet of lumber right on the ground. Another 2,500,000 feet were purchased from the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company at Chemainus, the Ladysmith Lumber Company and Frank Behan Lumber Company. The location of the mine buildings and all the details of the laying of the residential area, parks, playgrounds

and other features of the wonderful mining town were worked out by the company's experts, according to the ideas outlined by the late F. M. Sylvester, then vice-president and managing director of the Granby Consolidated.

Except for a smokestack, when one is driving north on the Island Highway, many would hardly know there was a mine in operation at Cassidy, and yet it is only a quarter of a mile off the highway.

**Like English Village**  
 Cassidy has a church, school, general store and post office. The town's population varies according to the demand for coal, and is almost wholly a white population, more like a north of England small mining village, with buildings exceptionally good for a mining town.

The approach to the Granby mine is highly dangerous to motorists, the surprise is that many accidents have not taken place, as drivers have to make a very sudden turn off the bridge that crosses the river. Residents consider the bridge should be moved obliquely to a point further east, so as to take the sudden curve away, and a bad corner a few yards north needs taking off the bank, close to the highway. It was only last year that a party had a bad smash. It is said that no great engineering feat is required to move this bridge.

One man residing near this dangerous point at Cassidy remarked: "If Dr. Toimie and his government can, without incurring the credit of his province, throw a few millions on a road to Alaska, he had better begin fixing up and complete the roads nearer home."

**Water and Lights**  
 The town of Cassidy has for its fire protection a system of hydrants. The river and two centrifugal pumps are used, having a capacity of 300 gallons per minute, each driven by a fifty horsepower electric motor.

The water is pumped into two 50,000 gallon storage tanks, from which the hydrants and the water system of the town is supplied. In a power house there is also a fire pump, having a capacity of 1,000 gallons per minute. Arc lights are used in the street lighting. Power is generated by two water tube boilers of 200 horsepower each. They are fired by mechanical stokers and the fuel used is the bone coal from the washeries.

**Modern Plant**  
 The Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company began development of coal lands at Cassidy in 1917, with the object of supplying coal to its by-product coke ovens at Anyox. No expense was spared in making Cassidy an ideal colliery community. The streets are boulevarded, the houses surrounded by lawns and flower gardens; modern sewerage and waterwork systems are provided. Splendid ath-

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Mrs. Harry Devlin, accompanied by her brother, Mr. H. Jones, motored to Nanaimo last week-end, returning to the city on Monday.

Mr. Newman, Sr., returned to Cumberland this week after visiting friends and relatives in New Westminster and Harrison Mills.

The many friends of Mr. Harry Bryan will be sorry to hear he is a patient in the Cumberland General Hospital.

Mrs. Harry Bryan returned to Cumberland on Tuesday after undergoing an operation in a Victoria hospital a few weeks ago.

The Men's Bridge Club met this week at the home of Mr. G. J. Richardson, Maryport Avenue, when three tables of bridge were in play.

Messrs Gwyllam and Glen Williams will leave Cumberland on Saturday on the first stage of their journey to Australia where they will reside in future.

Mrs. Quinn entertained on Tuesday evening at three tables of bridge, honors going to Mrs. C. Whyte, first, Mrs. K. Brown, second, and Mrs. J. J. Potter, consolation. After the games delicious refreshments were served. Guests were: Mesdames Whyte, Brown, Potter, Gear, Parkinson, Hudson, J. D. Davis, Monks, Devlin, Abrams, Clark and Watson.

Mr. John Auchterlonie is spending a two weeks' vacation in Vancouver.

Mr. Norman Etherington, who was badly shaken up on Thursday evening last when his car was involved in a collision near Courtenay, is resting at home after a couple of days' stay in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. R. Coe was hostess at a whist drive and tea for the W. B. A. at her home on Wednesday evening. Nine tables were in play with a number of friends coming in for the tea. Mrs. Quinn and Mrs. Grant won first and second prizes respectively, the consolation being a tie between Mrs. W. Herd and Mrs. Beveridge, the latter receiving the prize on the cut of cards. Mrs. Coe donated two lovely prizes for a raffle and these were won by Mrs. Mossey and Mrs. T. Robertson. Mrs. Murray won a clever guessing contest and also was given a pretty gift for her work in managing the games. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by several members of the Review. Mrs. Coe handed over to the treasurer a very neat sum for funds of the W. B. A.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson, who was present, announced a masquerade party for ladies to be given at her home on Wednesday evening next, November 13th in aid of Cumberland General Hospital.

Young "Willie" Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Armstrong, met with a painful accident on Thursday morning, falling from the top of the fence at the rear of their residence, breaking his wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dallos went over to Powell River by Sunday's boat, where they will take up residence.

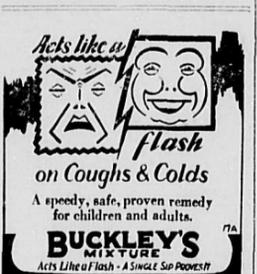
T. Rowell spent last week in Vancouver.

The many friends of Jimmy Potter will be glad to know that he is improving after a long illness in Cumberland hospital.

(Messrs. Walter and Wilbur Hudson motored to Nanaimo Friday, returning the same day.



ALL YOU FOLKS WHO WANT TO HAVE a real old-fashioned Thanksgiving are invited to this market. We are selling some poultry that will cause any man, woman or child in the country who tastes it to give thanks for being alive and well and able to sit up to the table and pass their plate for more



Rab. Marshall, who was slightly injured in the mine last week, is quite recovered and left the hospital for home at the week-end.

Dave Hunden, Jr., and Archie Miller returned last week from an enjoyable hunting trip to Read Island.

Mrs. Angus Beaton and baby daughter, of Courtenay, are spending a short time with Mrs. L. Franceschini.

W. T. Brown is in Cumberland hospital with an injury to his ankle received while following his occupation at No. 4 mine last Friday.

The Misses Kitty and Iris Price have arrived from Port Haney to join their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price, who have recently come to live here.

Angus Beaton, of Campbell River, spent the week-end in Cumberland.

Jimmie Plaskett, of Powell River was a visitor to Cumberland Sunday, coming over with the "Callies" soccer team. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Fourth street.

B. Wilcock, George Sheppard and J. Murdock spent last week at the head of Lake Cumberland on a successful hunting trip.

C. Dando, Sr. and C. Dando, Jr., paid a visit to Vancouver at the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Mann returned Thursday from a holiday trip to Vancouver.

On Thursday evening last Miss Florence Sehl entertained the Girls' Bridge Club when two tables were in play. Delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses C. McKinnon, T. Callivan, I. McFadyen, B. Dando, Johnson, Cannon, Hildebrand and Sehl.

A large number of whist enthusiasts turned out on Saturday evening for the Burn's Club drive, there being 24 tables in play. Winners of prizes were: Ladies, first, Miss E. Hunden; second, Mrs. Morello; gentlemen, first, Ed. Callman; second, T. Rowell. After the serving of refreshments a dance followed for which the Maple Leaf orchestra supplied music.

Mrs. Ewart, of Vancouver, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mann, left for her home on Monday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Auchterlonie, who will spend a week in the Terminal City.

Mrs. Eva G. Drader, of Greenville, Cal., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bickle.

Mr. C. H. MacIntosh returned Saturday from a week's holiday spent in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bickle returned on Friday from Seattle, having accompanied E. W. Bickle, Jr., that far on his way to California where he will spend some time. They were met at Seattle by their daughter, Mrs. E. G. Drader, who returned with them to Cumberland.

Junior Rose Court of W. B. A., under direction of Junior President Mrs. Husband, held a very successful "500" drive in Fraternal Hall on Tuesday evening, nine tables being in play. Prize winners were: Ladies, first, Mrs. Wain; second, Miss Perozzini; consolation, Mrs. Schmidt; men's first, Mrs. S. Robertson; second, Mr. C. Walker; consolation, Mrs. Morgan. Delicious refreshments were served by the junior president and a committee of ladies from the Senior W. B. A.

**Bride is Honored**  
Cumberland, Nov. 3.—The Lady Forsters paid a visit to the home of Mrs. Mann on Thursday evening of last week to honor Mrs. Treen (Nee Miss Allison Mann) whose marriage was one of the fall events.

Cards and a social time were enjoyed. Mrs. Slaughter receiving first prize and Mrs. James the consolation. During the event a lovely gift was presented the guest of honor, who neatly replied. Mrs. Mann and daughters served delightful refreshments.

Miss Agnes Forrest returned to her home in Ladysmith on Wednesday morning, after spending the past few months in Cumberland.

**FOR SALE**—1926 Chevrolet Light Delivery, National Cash Register, Brantford Computing Scales, 200 lb. Beam Scales, Store Fixtures and some Household Effects. Apply H. R. Hassell, P. O. Box 77, Cumberland, or phone 94. 1-t.

**FOR SALE**—COAL AND WOOD RANGES. Very reasonable. Phone 13, Cumberland. 1-t.

**FOR SALE**—GOOD COMMERCIAL COWS, fresh and springing, Bayview Dairy, Phone 69Y, Courtenay. 1-t.

Under the auspices of the Linger Longer Club, of Cumberland, an invitational dance will be held on New Years Night (January 1st) at the Imperial Pavilion, Royston. Remember the date and the first dance of the 1930 season.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
In loving memory of my dearly beloved husband, Ben, Pearce, our dear daddy, who was killed in Vancouver, on November 8th, 1927. "An unseen string of memory's harp is softly touched to-day."

# Overheard at Mumford's Grocery

A few days ago a rather bashful young woman went into Mumford's Grocery carrying three chickens. She asked Harry Keeler if he could tell her the price of chickens, and at the same time put them on the counter. Keeler didn't know the chickens' feet were tied, and asked if they would lay there. She bit her handkerchief then said, "No, you nut, they are roosters."

For a real good time, visit the Armistice Day Dance at the Ilo-Ilo Hall, Monday night. Lots of fun, good music, good floor and a real good crowd will be there.

Mr. Charles Smart, of Vancouver, was a visitor to Cumberland during the week.

# Birthday Party For Mrs F. Baird

Cumberland, Nov. 3.—On Friday evening last Mrs. Flora Baird was a much surprised hostess when a number of friends and neighbors called in honor of her birthday. A very jolly time was spent in song and story.

A novel guessing contest created much interest. Mrs. J. L. Brown was the winner. Supper was served at tables prettily decorated with seasonal Halloween colors, pumpkins, black cats and other symbols, after which Mrs. Sarah Brown called upon the hostess to accept a lovely tray with cups and saucers, with her best wishes.

Although taken completely by surprise, Mrs. Baird thanked all for their kind thought. Those present were: Mesdames C. McDonald, McRae, Coe, Maxwell, J. C. Brown, J. L. Brown, Bell, H. Brown, M. Brown, Sarah Brown, Vyle, W. Brown, J. J. Potter, Freeburn, Buchanan, Baird and Mesdames Day and Muir of Union Bay.

# Delightful Surprise For Mrs. F. Watson

Cumberland, Nov. 3.—A number of friends of Mrs. Fraser Watson made an impromptu visit to her home last Friday evening on the occasion of her birthday and had a jolly time playing cards and interesting games.

Mrs. Covert was successful at whist with Mrs. Herd receiving the consolation, and in a contest for artists Mrs. Price was winner. Mrs. Hill carried off honors in a novel card game which caused much fun. A delicious supper of fish and chips was served for which T. Armstrong catered, after which a delightful programme was rendered, consisting of monologues by Mrs. Watson, songs by Mrs. Miller and Welsh singing by Mesdames Price, Covert, W. J. Lewis, Stan. Lewis and Morgan.

During the evening Mrs. Watson was presented with a nice birthday gift. Mrs. Covert making the presentation. Mrs. Hill, one of the visitors, whose birthday also occurred this week, was also surprised on being called upon to accept a gift. Both made neat replies. Those present were Mesdames J. Bond, J. Hill, Miller, Covert, Stan. Lewis, Jno. Lewis, R. D. Brown, Price, Herd, W. J. Lewis, Morgan, S. Davis and Ada Brown.

The outstanding event in the history of the Cumberland Branch of the Canadian Legion will be the Armistice Dance, Monday Night. Everybody will be there.

# C.G.I.T. Club Hold Social

Cumberland, Nov. 3.—Rather novel was the "Spider's Web" social held by the Intermediate C.G.I.T. club last Friday evening in the United Church hall and under the supervision of Miss Beth Horbury. Invitations in spider web design had been sent out and those friends receiving one were all anticipation. They were not disappointed for games and stunts in rapid succession kept all in a state of excitement.

Miss Barbara Martin, the president, received the guests and saw that all had a good time. A pretty game was played, the guests being divided into three groups and the leader of each was given a colored string which must be followed to the end at which was found a list of "stunts" to be performed by that particular group. Each guest wore a colored paper hat. Another novel game was the spider's travelling game which led the groups to interesting parts of the world in imagination.

There were also the usual lively Halloween games. A delicious buffet supper was served, presided over by Misses Christine Robertson, Myrtle McMillan and Lillian Pickett.

# Whist Drive Held At Eagles' Home

Cumberland, Nov. 3.—The Fraternal Order of Eagles held a whist drive at the Eagles' home on Wednesday evening of last week when eight tables were in play. In the ladies' division Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Slaughter received first and second prizes respectively, while in the men's section Mrs. McKay and Mrs. Pollock (both substituting) carried off first and second. Dainty refreshments were served on the completion of the card games and a social hour spent.

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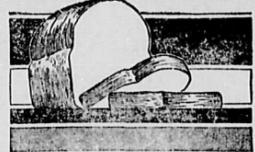
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# Lang's Drug Store

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Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Graham, of Harrison Mills, accompanied by their young son, Francis, arrived in Cumberland on Tuesday night on a visit to Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newman. Mr. Graham is a frequent visitor to Cumberland and being C. P. R. station agent at Harrison Mills, is well known among the travelling public.



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