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GLEEMEN PROVIDE MUSICAL TREAT

A large and unusual congregation attended the evening service of Grace Methodist Church on Sunday evening, the attraction being the announcement that the Cumberland Gleemen, known as the famous male voice choir, were to take part in the Easter Service and had full charge of the music for the evening, besides leading in a number of hymns appropriate to the occasion. The Gleemen, of fifteen voices, were under the leadership of Mr. E.T. Searle, who acted as leader in the absence of Mr. Geo. Odgers, sang in their usual excellent style the "Hallelujah Chorus," "O taste and see," "Arise, Shine," and "Lead Kindly Light," making it a delightful song service, seldom heard in this city.

The pastor, Rev. Wm. Elliott, B.A., preached a short sermon dealing with the seeming failure of Christ's work at the time of his death, whereas it was really a glorious success, and showing that genuine Christian work often appears for awhile a failure but must finally win its way.

The expression, "It was fine," was enthusiastically passed from one to another by the members of the large congregation on leaving the Grace Methodist Church Sunday evening. Those who had the privilege of hearing the Gleemen enjoyed a treat that is only too rare in Cumberland.

The same male voice choir will take part in the evening service at St. George's Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

Hazel Frame, teacher at the Mount Pleasant public school, Vancouver, is here on a visit to her parents.

Wm. McFayden, Effie McFayden and Agnes Frame, left Cumberland by auto a week ago Friday, and spent the Easter holidays at Victoria.

Miss E. Louden, of the Ilo-Ilo Theatre, left on Monday on a visit to Laysmith, and returned on Thursday.

Ald. T. H. Carey is reported to be improving.

ROYSTON ORGANIZES.

Several members of the executive of the Cumberland and West Cumberland Conservative Associations visited Royston on April 1st, and held a public meeting in the Royston school house for the purpose of organizing a Conservative Association at that thriving little town on the water front.

D. R. MacDonald, President of the Central Association, addressed the large audience on the policy of the Conservative party in this province in an able manner.

Several other speakers addressed the audience on Conservatism and left such an impression that it was decided to organize the Royston Conservative Association at once, with the following officers:—

David Roy, President.
Chas. Simms, vice-President.
Alex. Summerville, Treasurer.
Chas. M. Houghton, Secretary.

An energetic committee of five was appointed to canvass that section of the district and get all names possible on the voters' list. The second meeting of the recently organized association was held on April 7th.

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The leading Conservatives on the northern end of the Island report that part of the district solid for Mr. M. Manson, M.P.P., who is now touring the north.

Rev. James Hood left for Vancouver on Monday to attend the Presbyterian Synod.

On Tuesday morning the registration for the Comox Electoral District closed, when John Baird, registrar for the district, had received during the past six months 460 applications to register as voters.

Mrs. Reher, who has been visiting her brother, Wm. Hayman, left last Friday by auto for Victoria en route for her home in Seattle. She was accompanied as far as Victoria by Miss Fowlie, Mr. John Bannerman and Wm. Hayman.

Some unknown person at four o'clock on Friday afternoon threw a rock and broke the plate glass window of the Ideal Store. Although there were several persons on the street at the time no one saw the person who threw the rock.

Notice.

The Cumberland Waterworks Company give notice that the water will be shut off at 5 o'clock a.m. until noon to-morrow (Sunday, April 11th.) See that you have a supply for breakfast before retiring to-night.

MAYOR COMMENDS BOYS.

The Boy Scouts, under the leadership of Scoutmaster John C. Brown and Assistant Scoutmaster A. J. Taylor, marched to Courtenay yesterday afternoon. When they arrived there they were reviewed by Mayor Kilpatrick, who commended them on the fine appearance they presented and the knowledge and skill which they displayed in ambulance work. The Mayor presented the leader of the troop with a cheque for the benefit of the Boy Scouts. The boys had a nice enjoyable time, arriving home in the evening. There is some talk of organizing a troop of Boy Scouts in Courtenay.

RUMORED WITHDRAWAL.

It is generally rumored around town that the headquarters of the U.M.W. of A. have withdrawn their charter from this Island. If this be true, as a prominent citizen suggested, we should have a torch light procession and invite all the bands on Vancouver Island to take the lead. The passing out of this organization that has caused misery, discontent and in many cases starvation, and a hundred and one ills that have been derived from it, will be welcome news to those who have the prosperity of Vancouver Island at heart. We can lay at the door of the U.M.W. of A. a large portion of the depression in the coal industry. The visitation of that organization to this Island was the cause of fuel oil being used to such an extent, thus throwing our mines idle and enriching the oil kings of California, while our own coal miners are walking the streets hungry. We sincerely hope that District 28 is no more. It may throw a few out of an easy job, but there is no reason why they should not earn their living by the sweat of their brow.

SS. WELLINGTON TO RESUME SERVICE

The SS. Wellington, now owned by the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd., has left the drydock at Esquimalt and arrived at Union Bay where her engines will undergo extensive repairs before reentering into the coal trade.

The Canadian Collieries operate modern machine shops at this point employing a large force of mechanics, where all the rebuilding of machinery is carried out for the local mines. All the equipment is at the shops for the overhauling of the Wellington. It is only a few weeks ago that these same shops turned out a first class passenger coach, which is now running between Cumberland and Union Bay, via Bevan, Courtenay and Royston, connecting with the E. & N. Railway going south to Victoria.

The management of the Canadian Collieries were very considerate in not allowing the repairs to the Wellington to be done by contract at some other point.

By ordering the steamer Wellington to Union Bay for repairs it will enable the company's mechanics to work full time.

A basketball tournament was played at Courtenay on Thursday evening between Cumberland, Comox and Courtenay teams. Courtenay defeated Cumberland Athletics by a score of 26 to 18. The score for Comox and West Cumberland United was 19 to 18, in favor of Comox, the latter team defeating Courtenay in the final and winning the prize. C. H. MacIntosh refereed the games to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Several picnic parties were seen at Comox Lake on Easter Monday.

Methodist Church picnic party spent Easter Monday at the hydro-electric dam near Bevan.

J. H. Vaughan, now with the second Canadian contingent, visited his parents on Sunday and returned to Vancouver on Wednesday to rejoin his company.

Jack Johnson is now out of the fighting game.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 10th, 1915.

THE WAY OF THE WORLD.

The man who imagines friendship will borrow money at the bank is doomed to disappointment.

Your friend may lend you his shovel, but he expects you to return his hoe in good condition.

Your friend may enquire after your wife's health, but it does not follow that you can turn your chickens into his garden.

If you get sick don't expect the world to stop moving right along.

If you are in want, that is nothing to the people who have plenty.

If you are in trouble, that is nothing to the people who have something to rejoice over.

The world owes you only just what you can earn.

The world owes you room to pass to and fro and space for a grave.

The world's friendship reduces a man to rags as it clothes him in fine raiment.

The world's sympathy blisters a man's back as often as it warms his heart.

The world's charity overlooks the crime of a horse thief, but is horror stricken over the stealing of a loaf of bread by an orphan.

The world promises everything and performs only what is convenient.

The man who relies on the honesty of the public instead of the house dog, will have no harvest apples for sale.

The man who pauses at each stage of his career for the world to applaud or condemn, will become a football for all men to kick.

Expect no friendship to last beyond the moment when you want help.

Expect no sympathy to endure longer than it takes for tears to dry.

Expect no praise from men in the same profession trade or business.

WE have read somewhere that the cost of stopping a railroad train had been closely figured out, and that it was much greater than the expense of running a train several miles. We do not know which is harder to stop, a train or a habit, but we are inclined to think the latter. We have never tried to stop a train. If trains are as hard to stop as some habits, few would ever be started. No one would ever dare ride on them. Never start a habit you think you may want to stop. It saves a great deal of trouble not to start it.

TRIMMED AND BURNING.

RECENTLY a metropolitan paper printed an item about a man who kept a lamp in his window for forty years to guide his sweetheart to his western home. She never came, but the lamp burned brightly just the same. His faith did not falter. He had implicit trust. Though she had been drowned at sea, yet every night he trimmed his lamp and set it as a beacon for her feet.

All over the land such beacon lights are burning, even in our little inland towns, far from the surge of the rolling sea. When once this light of love is kindled, the winter winds blow in vain to extinguish it. When the storm is at its height, when the fog gathers the thickest, then it is that the faithful light burns the clearest. The rays from this lone lamp have more of strength and beauty than could be packed into the crown jewels of an emperor.

THERE has just been issued by the Department of Agriculture through the branch of the Experimental Farms, a brief pamphlet containing seasonable hints for the information of stock raisers and gardeners. While it contains only twelve pages, it is replete with suggestions and recommendations made in the hope that some of them at least will be helpful to each and every reader who secures a copy. Copies of this pamphlet are being sent to those whose names are on the mailing list of the Department, but the pamphlet is also available to others who make application to the Publications Branch of the Department at Ottawa.

A good rule for your happiness is to add to your sum of contentment, subtract from the amount of your desires, multiply your quantity of religion and divide your percentage of love.

A lady, no matter where, went to a store for 50c. worth of apples, taking what she supposed to be a newly laundered flour sack. She held the sack and the clerk poured the apples in when they went streaming out the other end. On examination it was found there were two holes in bottom, both trimmed and embroidered. The young man gave up the ghost, and the lady sent a small boy for the apples with a basket.

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TIMBER SALE X 357

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 15th day of April, 1915, for the purchase of Licence X 357 to cut 7,216,000 feet of Cedar, Hemlock, Douglas Fir, Balsam Fir and Spruce, on an area located on Hardwicke Island, Range one, Coast District, being expired T. L. 14,777.

Three years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 363

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 13th day of April 1915, for the purchase of Licence X 363, to cut 7,170,000 feet of Douglas Fir, Hemlock, Cedar and White Pine, on an area adjoining Lot 107, Sayward District, Nr. Cameleon Harbour.

Three years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve covering certain lands in the vicinity of Carrington Bay, Cortes Island, by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 27th of December, 1907, is cancelled in so far as it relates to Lots 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 897, 898, 899, 900, and 901, Sayward District. The said Lots will be open to entry by pre-emption on Tuesday the 18th day of May, 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. No Pre-emption Record will be issued to include more than one surveyed Lot, and all applications must be made at the office of the Government Agent, at Vancouver.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., March 12th, 1915.

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The Postmaster is informed that a War Tax of one cent has been imposed on each letter and postcard mailed in Canada for delivery in Canada, the United States or Mexico, and on each letter mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British Possessions generally, and wherever the two cent rate applies, to become effective on and from the 15th April 1915.

This War Tax is to be prepaid by the senders by means of a War Stamp for sale by postmasters and other postage stamp vendors.

Wherever possible, stamps on which the words "War Tax" have been printed should be used for prepayment of the War Tax, but should ordinary postage stamps be used for this purpose, they may be accepted. Postmasters are requested to use every endeavour to have War Stamps used in prepaying the War Tax.

It will be the duty of the Postmaster to see that on and from the 15th April, 1915, each letter and postcard above specified bears in addition to necessary postage either a War Stamp or one cent additional postage.

The War Tax does not apply to letters and postcards posted in Canada for delivery elsewhere than as above specified, that is, it does not apply where postal union rates already apply, nor does it apply to matter posted elsewhere than in Canada.

It is essential that postage on on all classes of mail matter should be prepaid by means of ordinary postage stamps. The War Tax Stamp will not be accepted in any case for the prepayment of postage.

A War Tax of one cent is to be levied upon postal notes irrespective of the amounts of the notes.

Where a remittance is made up with two or more notes, a war stamp must be attached to each and every note.

A War Tax will be levied upon money Orders issued in Canada at the rate of 2c. on each order irrespective of the amount of the order.

CHURCH NOTICES

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Service, 7 p.m.
Bible Study (Sunday School), 2.30 p.m.
Young People's Society, Monday 7-30 p.m.
Cottage Meeting, Wednesday at 8.00 p.m.
Choir Practice, Friday, 7.30 p.m.
Ladies' Aid Society, First Tuesday of each month at 7.30 p.m.
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Services for First Sunday after Easter:
8.30 a. m., Holy Communion
11 a.m., Matins.
Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.
7 p.m., Evensong.
Service of Intercession, on behalf of those engaged in the war, on Wednesday, at 8 p.m.
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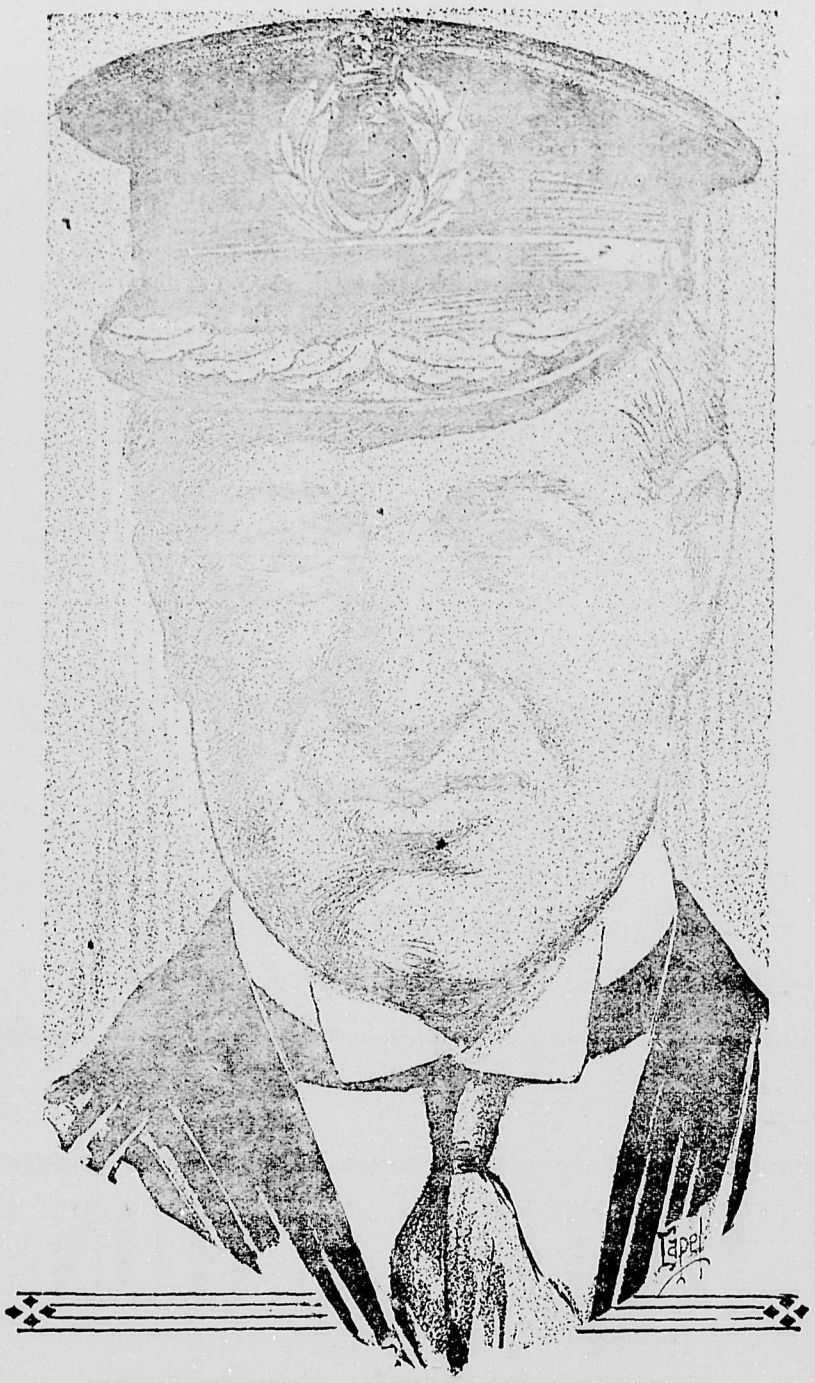

REAR-ADMIRAL JOHN·M DE ROBECK.

Who is now conducting the oporations of the Franco-British fleet against the forts of the Dardanelles. Admiral De Roebeck is a brother of the preseut Baron De Robeck, the latter's title being Swedish. His great-grandfather fought against the British in the American war of indepenndence, but later he moved to Ireland and became a naturalized British subject. Admiral De Roebeck succeeded Admiral Carden in command in Turkish waters after the latter was taken ill recently,

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Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or sub Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns shall be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

TIMBER SALE X 16

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 16th day May, 1915, for the purchase of Licence X 16, to cut 3,649,000 feet of Fir, Cedar and Hemlock, on Lot 24, Thurlow Island, Mayne Channel, Range One, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C.

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Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Fanny Bay, said post being eight hundred and ninty-one and six-tenths (891.6) feet south and six hundred and forty-four and six-tenths (644.6) feet east of the north-east corner of Lot forty-three (43); thence east one thousand two hundred and eighty-six (1286) feet; thence south three hundred (300) feet; thence west one thousand and sixty (1060) feet more or less to the shore; thence northwesterly along said shore three hundred and seventy-five and three-tenths (375.3) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 8.03 acres, more or less.

WEEKS DUNELL CEDAR CO., Limited.
Dated February 16th, 1915.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

IN THE MATTER OF an application for a fresh Certificate of Title to the fractional South East Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35), Cortes Island, Sayward District, in the Province of British Columbia,

NOTICE is hereby given of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of the Certificate of Title issued to William H. Robertson, on the 11th day of October, 1905, and numbered 11706C, which has been lost.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B.C., this 24th day of February, 1915.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar General of Titles.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve covering certain lands in the vicinity of Sunderland Channel, Jackson Bay and Hemming Bay, Thurlow Island, by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 27th of December, 1907, is cancelled, in so far as it relates to Lots 1489, 1490, 1491, 1492, 1669, 1670, 1671, 1672, 1673, 1674, 1675, 1676, 1678, 1679, 1680, 1681, 1682, 1683, 1684, 1685, 1686, 1687, 1688, 1689, 1690, 1691, 1692, 1693, 1694, 1695, 1696, 1697, and 1698, Range 1, Coast District.

The said Lots will be open to entry by Pre-emption on Tuesday the 18th day of May, 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. No Pre-emption Record will be issued to include more than one surveyed Lot and all applications must be made at the office of the Government Agent at Vancouver.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., March 12th, 1915.

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Very Far Off

"You are a relation of the Richleighs, aren't you?"

"Yes, a distant relation."

"How distant?"

"Well, as distant as they can keep me."

Might Not Need It

"Will you have anything on your face, sir, when I am through?" asked the barber.

"That depends on whether your razor slips or not," said the victim in the chair.

Still In Doubt

To a young bridegroom a man said: "So you've got a wife, eh?"

"Humph. I don't know," the bridegroom answered. "Sometimes I think I've got her, and sometimes I think she's got me."

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve established by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 29th of May, 1902, covering certain lands on Malcolm Island, is cancelled in so far as it relates to the N.W. 1-4 of the N.W. 1-4 of Section 1, Fractional S.E. 1-4 of N.W. 1-4 Section 3, N.E. 1-4 of N.E. 1-4 Section 4, N.W. 1-4 of N.E. 1-4 Section 5, Fractional W. 1-2 of Fractional N.E. 1-4 Section 8, Fractional W. 1-2 of Fractional N.W. 1-4 and Fractional W. 1-2 of Fractional N.E. 1-4 Section 12; S.E. 1-4, N. 1-2 of S.W. 1-4 and Fractional N. 1-2 of Section 15; E. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4, S.W. 1-4, and N. 1-2 Section 16; W. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4, W. 1-2 of S.W. 1-4, and N. 1-2 Section 17; N.W. 1-4 and N.W. 1-4 of N.E. 1-4 Section 18; N.W. 1-4 of N.W. 1-4 and N. 1-2 of N.E. 1-4 Section 23; N. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4, S.W. 1-4 and N. 1-2 of S.W. 1-4 and N. 1-2 Section 24; N. 1-2 of S. 1-2 and N. 1-2 Section 25; All Section 26; Fractional W. 1-2 Section 27; Fractional S.E. 1-4 Section 28; All Fractional Section 29; Fractional W. 1-2 Section 30; All Section 31; S. 1-2 and Fractional N. E. 1-4 Section 32; S. 1-2 and S. 1-2 of N.W. 1-4 Section 33; S.E. 1-4, N. 1-2 of S.W. 1-4, N.W 1-4 and S. 1-2 of N.E. 1-4 Section 34; N. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4, W. 1-2 of S W. 1-4 and S. 1-2 of N. 1-2 Section 35; S.E. 1-4 of N.W. 1-4 Section 37; N.W. 1-4 Section 38; All Section 39; All Section 40; All Fractional Section 41, S. 1-2 of S.E. 1-4 Section 43; S. 1-2 of S. 1-2 Section 44; Fractional N.E. 1-4 Section 46; Fractional S. 1-2 Section 48; Fractional S.E. 1-4 Section 52; All Fractional Section 53 and the Fractional S.W. 1-4 of Section 54, Malcolm Island. The said parcels will be open to entry by pre-emption on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. No Pre-emption Record will be issued to include more than one surveyed parcel or legal subdivision thereof, except in the case of small fractions, and all applications must be made at the office of the Government Agent at Alberni.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., March 11th, 1915. my15

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"With reference to mail service which I know is, in a sense, unsatisfactory, re Comox, Cumberland and Courtenay district, which I have been pleading for for some time,—I enclose you copy of letter received from Deputy Postmaster General, which I trust will solve your problem there to some extent, as follows:

'Dear Clements:—

In further reference to your complaint made in regard to the unsatisfactory mail service for Comox, Cumberland and Courtenay district, I beg to say that authority has been granted for the establishment of a weekly service by the Union Steamship Company's steamer leaving Vancouver on Saturday night, for the points mentioned and same will be put into effect at once. Yours truly,

(Signed) R. M. COULTER.' "

TAXATION ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Adjourned Court of Revision and Appeal under the Taxation Act for the the Assessment District of Comox, in respect to the Assessment Roll for the year 1915, will be held in the Maple Room, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, on Thursday the 29th day of April, 1915, at 10 o'clock a.m.

THOS. S. FUTCHER,
Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal.

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TOWN TOPICS

Henry Devlin, Inspector of Mines, is here on his regular tour of inspection.

Sir Richard McBride, Premier of British Columbia, has left New York for London.

C. H. Tarbell and Son have just received a complete stock of crocks, bean jars, and dash churns

Geo. A. Fletcher, of Nanaimo, arrived by auto on Tuesday and returned on Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph Hunter, chief engineer of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd., arrived at Union Bay on Tuesday and visited Cumberland on Thusday.

L. J. Aston, boot and shoemaker, will move his business to the Gleason Block, immediately opposite the Ilo-Ilo Theatre, on Thursday.

BIG SNAP—For sale at a gift price Player Piano in first-class condition; buyer gets 50 well-selected records free. Apply Royal Bank of Canada.

Burglars entered the store of the City Meat Market on Tuesday evening or early Wednesday morning, and stole a quantity of hams and bacon to the value of fifty dollars.

Fishing season opened March 25th. You will find a full line of tackle at Tarbell's Hardware.

It has been suggested that the Mayor call a public meeting of the citizens of Cumberland to make arrangements for the celebration of Empire Day, May 24th, known as "Cumberland's Day" in this district.

It is now getting along towards baseball time. If you need anything in the way of gloves, mitts etc., you will find about what you want at Tarbell's Hardware.

There will be no morning service in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. The evening service will be held as usual. The Cumberland Gleemen will be present and render appropriate music.

The Pythian Sisters held their usual meeting in the K. of P. Hall on Wednesday evening when the drawing for the child's petticoat took place. Mrs. Thomas Leeman, of West Cumberland, won the petticoat.

A grand concert, under the auspices of Grace Methodist Church, will be given in the Ilo Ilo Theatre on Wednesday, April 21st. A splendid program is being arranged. The Cumberland Gleemen have consented to assist in making the concert a successful one. Solos, glees, recitations, and tableaux, etc., will comprize a program that will be well worth the price of admission. Programs and particulars will be issued later.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bickle spent the Easter holidays at Victoria.

Mr. O'Connell, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, has purchased one of the latest Ford automobiles.

J. R. Lockard, general superintendent of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd., returned from Ladysmith and Victoria on Friday evening.

J. V. Nordgren is offering a reward of $25.00 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who robbed his chicken house of 17 chickens.

T. D. McLean's full page advertisement in this issue speaks for itself. Mr. McLean is selling off at a 35 and 50 per cent reduction. A good opportunity to buy jewellery and cut glass,

The city council held no meeting this week—no quorum. His Worship the Mayor, and Aldermen MacDonald and Henderson were the only ones at the council chambers, with Ald. Carey on the sick list.

To-morrow, if the weather permits, the Athletic Baseball team will play No. 5 Jap Team on the Recreation Grounds, West Cumberland, at 3 o'clock. A record crowd is looked for to greet the boys.

E. H. Gough, foreman of the Sun newspaper, of Vancouver, and recently president of the Western Canada Press Association, visited Cumberland by auto on Tuesday. Mr. Gough, who is also interested in the lumber business, spent a few days' vacation as a guest at the Willows Hotel, Campbell River. He was delighted with the scenery and treatment while staying at the Willows Hotel, of which Mr. Chas. Thulin is the popular proprietor, and who, with R. C. Berteaux, accompanied Mr. Gough on his visit to this city.

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