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Liberal Administration Was Elected on Minority Vote

Liberals Polled Thirty-Nine Per Cent. of Votes Cast, Getting 136,939 Votes Against 218,217 Votes for Conservatives and Independents of All Classes—Complete Detailed Figures for All Ridings in the Province Published Herewith.

VICTORIA.—At the recent Provincial general elections a total of 136,939 votes were cast for Liberals, 94,903 for Conservatives, and 123,314 for Independent candidates of all shades of political ideas.

With a Conservative-Independent vote nearly double that received by the Government, the Liberal administration was yet sustained, capturing twenty-six seats against fourteen captured by the Conservatives and seven by the Independents.

The Government's aggregate vote was 39 per cent. of the total polled. In compiling the above figures the totals polled in Vancouver and Victoria are given, though, of course, these totals were greatly swelled by the fact that in the former city one voter could vote for six candidates, and in the latter, four. Thus the totals are far in excess of the actual number of voters who voted.

The full returns for the election are now available following the completion of the count of the absentee ballots. Below are given the complete detailed figures for all the candidates in the thirty-nine ridings of the Province:

Alberni.

Burde (Independent)	841
Money (Soldier-Farmer(	675
Langis (Liberal)	348

Atlin.

Kergin (Liberal)	390
Casey (Fed. Labor)	300
Ross (Conservative)	229
King (Independent)	86
Daly (Labor)	30
Bush (Independent)	28

Cariboo.

Yorston (Liberal)	561
Fraser (Conservative)	349

Chilliwack.

Barrow (Liberal)	1,911
Coote (Conservative)	1,684

Columbia.

Buckham (Liberal)	584
Parsons (Conservative)	380

Comox.

Menzies (Peoples' Party)	1,354
Anderson (Conservative)	1,233
Stewart (Liberal)	806
McInnes (Independent)	751

Cowichan.

Duncan (Independent)	1,145
Cheeke (Conservative)	1,032

Cranbrook.

King (Liberal)	941
Caven (Conservative)	905

Delta

Oliver (Liberal)	1,334
McKenzie (Conservative)	1,116
Payne (Fed. Labor)	1,107

Dewdney

Catherwood (Conservative)	1,535
Martyn (Liberal)	1,369
Curry (Fed. Labor)	473

Esquimalt

Pooley (Conservative)	1,158
Helgeson (Liberal)	685
Gadsden (Soldier-Labor)	479

Fernie

Uphill (Labor)	926
Herchmer (Conservative)	769
Fisher (Liberal)	719

Fort George

Perry (Liberal)	1,140
Cocker (Conservative)	708
Ross (Farmer)	139

Grand Forks

Henninger (Liberal)	393
McKie (Conservative)	384

Greenwood

MacLean (Liberal)	392
Jackson (Conservative)	292
Pitman (Farmer)	115

Islands

Jackson (Liberal)	581
Clark (Conservative)	481
Carey (Soldier-Farmer)	360

Kamloops

Anderson (Liberal)	1,617
Stevens (Independent)	1,408
Crawford (Conservative)	1,295

Kaslo

Lister (Conservative)	758
Keen (Liberal)	739

Lillooet

McDonald (Conservative)	335
Bryson (Liberal)	213
Carson (Soldier-Farmer)	159

Nanaimo

Sloan (Liberal)	1,370
Barnard (Socialist)	1,171
Gilchrist (Conservative)	785

Nelson

Dr. Rose (Conservative)	1,232
O'Shea (Liberal)	763

Newcastle

Guthrie (Socialist)	704
Fraser (Fusion)	424
Hawthornthwaite (Socialist)	419
Bickle (Soldier)	125

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CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Master Leslie Frost was the host at a jolly party on Monday evening, on the occasion of his eleventh birthday, which falls on New Year's Day. The guests arrived at six o'clock, and all repaired to the dining-room, where the table, with the birthday cake in the centre, was loaded with good things, and all sat down to a dainty supper. Afterwards games and contests kept everyone busy until nine o'clock, when the guests reluctantly departed, all voting Leslie a splendid host.

Those present were: Miss Jean MacNaughton, Miss Kathleen Cooke, Misses Helen and Norma Parnham, Misses Marvey and Shirley Bate, Miss Eleanor Bargland, Miss Claudia Harrison, Miss Olga Owen, Miss Lillian Banks, Miss Beryl Hudson, Miss Nora Glen, Miss Chrissie Sutherland, Miss Mary Walker, Misses Gwen and Kathleen Emily, and Masters Will Barbland, Tom Graham, Allister McKinnon, Archie Dick, Fred Leversedge, Will Walker, Jack Hill, Jack Bird, Leland Harrison, Leslie Merrifield, Leslie Dando, Sonny Potter and Lorne Campbell.

BASKETBALL GAME AT COURTENAY HUGE JOKE

The basketball game at Courtenay last Monday between the team run by Freddie Dallos and the Courtenay boys was a farce from start to finish. The Dallos team went off with a mad rush and scored no less than 8 points in the first four minutes—then fell away and died. As the game progressed it developed into an American Rugby game instead of basketball. The Courtenay boys eventually piled up 15 points against the local's 12.

The local boys took a few lady fans along with them, and they were about the only ones rooting for Cumberland—but they surely did root!

On the return game, Dallos declares his team will win easily. The following was the line-up: Cumberland: F. Dallos and "Sacki" Conti, forwards; J. Dallos, centre; Scavardo and Sommerville, guards. Courtenay: Robertson Bros., forwards; Millard, centre; Downie and Dickson, guards.

ANNUAL MEETING OF HOLY TRINITY PARISH

The annual parish meeting of Holy Trinity Church was held in the church hall on Wednesday evening, when the annual report and financial statements were presented. The finances were shown to be in a satisfactory condition.

Officers for the ensuing year were appointed as follows:

Wardens.—Mr. T. H. Mumford, Vicar's Warden; Mr. J. Shortt, People's Warden.

Church Committee—Mrs. H. Bryan, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. J. E. Spicer, Mr. B. H. Gowen, Mr. E. Pickard, Mr. J. Walton, Mr. F. Dalby and Mr. A. Nunns.

Delegates to Synod—Mr. T. H. Mumford and Mr. E. Searle. Substitute, Mr. A. H. Peacey.

CONTRADICTS RUMOR.

Provincial Constable Mortimer emphatically denies the statement in the Comox Argus that he is being transferred to another post, and that Con. Dawley is to be appointed senior constable of the district.

STORES CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK TONIGHT

Shoppers are reminded that the stores will close this evening and future Saturdays at 8 o'clock, under the provisions of the Early Closing Bylaw.

FOOTBALL GAME WILL LIKELY BE POSTPONED

On account of the extremely heavy fall of snow it is doubtful whether Cumberland United will be able to replay their football game with South Wellington at Nanaimo tomorrow. The ground will be inspected this afternoon and the committee of the local club will be notified of its condition. In the event of the game being played all the available players will travel to Nanaimo, but the actual team to represent Cumberland will not be picked until a few minutes prior to the kick-off. Owing to sickness and injuries to one or two of the players the management will have a hard time in lining up a good team. No matter how the team is composed, the players are out to win.

New Player Secured.

Manager Dave Wilson has been successful in securing the services of D. Graham, a left half-back of the famous I. L. A. of Vancouver, and he is expected to considerably strengthen the half-back line, his reputation being of the best.

Piano Recital By Mrs. Oliver's Pupils

A most enjoyable piano recital was held in the Anglican Church Hall on Friday last by some of the pupils of Mrs. F. Oliver. All the students showed most careful training and great credit is due Mrs. Oliver for the splendid programme given.

The opening chorus, "Sleeping Beauty" was very pretty. Miss Claudia Harrison as the Prince looked particularly charming. Others taking part in the chorus were M. Bate, J. Brown, I. Bate, M. Emde, H. Techner, J. Fairbairn, M. Jones, L. Leversedge, C. Millard, M. Walker.

Miss E. Parkin of Courtenay deserves special mention for her rendering of "Barcarolle." This young pianist displayed more than ordinary talent. Others deserving special mention are Miss Connie Bird, who played a "Valse des Fleurs," and Miss Honor Techner, who, for one so young, exhibited unusual musical ability.

The chorus "Muddled Rhymes' was well received, as was a piano duet by L. Dando and A. Dick. Other pupils taking part were V. Aspesy, G. McFadyen, F. Hundon, E. Bennie, A. O'Brien, E. Marsh, M. Jones, H. Marsh, K. Richardson and Mildred Oliver, all doing splendidly.

Prizes for the term were distributed, the winners being: 1st, Connie Bird; 2nd, V. Aspesy; 3rd, F. Hundon; 4th, M. Walker. A special prize for advancement went to A. Dick.

Mrs. Oliver and Mrs. Ralph Frost gave a piano duet, "Suskspiel Overture," and were heartily encored, responding with the well known "Zampa Overture," which they played in their usual finished manner.

Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Parkinson, bringing the delightful affair to a close.

Important Meeting Tomorrow Evening

Mayor Will Preside at Meeting in Connection With the China Famine Relief Fund.

A public meeting is called for Sunday evening after church hours to see what steps can be taken locally to meet the urgent appeal from the Canadian Mission Boards for help for fifty million sufferers of the North part of China, comprising principally the province of Honan. Inasmuch as this territory is the peculiar charge of the Canadian Missions, the appeal directed to us should not fall on deaf ears.

For twelve months rain has ceased fall on the land, hence two crops have been entirely lost, with the result that right now Chinese, men, women and children are dying by the thousands.

This meeting will be held in the Anglican Church Hall, commencing at 8.30 o'clock, and His Worship Mayor MacDonald has consented to occupy the chair.

Two Candidates For Mayoralty

Cumberland looks like having a municipal election, after all, as Ald. John Thomson has thrown his hat in the ring and will endeavor to oust Mayor D. R. MacDonald from the seat at the head of the table.

Ald. J. J. Wier intimated at the council meeting last night that he did not intend offering himself for re-election.

Up to the time of going to press the probable line-up of candidates will be:

For Mayor.

D. R. MacDonald.
John Thomson.

For Aldermen (Six).

Thomas Bannerman.
John C. Brown.
Alex. McKinnon.
Fred. D. Pickard.
Charles J. Parnham.
Duncan Thomson.

Police Commissioners.

Charles J. Parnham.
Alex. Maxwell.

School Trustees.

Wesley Willard.

Nominations will close at 12 noon on Monday, and in the event of a poll being necessary it will be held on Thursday at the City Hall, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS ON PUBLIC SCHOOLS STAFF

The following changes took place in the teaching staff of the Cumberland public schools on Monday, January 3: J. Gordon McLean, of Prince Edward Island, became first assistant, and Miss M. Beckwith, of Victoria, second assistant.

Pleasant Surprise For Mrs. J. Fraser

The Ladies' Aid of St. George's Presbyterian Church surprised Mrs. John Fraser, when they gathered at her home, Maryport Avenue, on Thursday evening, to congratulate her and Mr. Fraser on their Silver Wedding anniversary. On New Year's Eve, 25 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser were married in Andoren, Mass., U.S.A., by the Rev. Mr. Shipman, pastor of the Congregational Church of that city. For many years they have been respected citizens of Cumberland.

The Ladies' Aid, of which Mrs. Fraser has been a valued member for many years, took advantage of this happy occasion to present her with a silver tray as a mark of appreciation of her good work.

The evening was pleasantly spent in games and a social chat over a cup of tea, closing with "Aul Lang Syne" and "She's a Jolly Good Fellow."

INTERESTING PAPERS READ AT MEN'S CLUB

At the regular Monday night meeting of the above club on January 10th, Mr. Robert Walker will read a paper on "Competition Versus Co-operation." The papers to be read at the different meetings of the club give promise of being of a high order, and all men, whether members of the club or not, and who are interested, are cordially invited to attend. January 17th is to be devoted to a Literary Night, members taking one of their favorite author's works and discussing the pros and cons. The following week, January 24th, it is expected that Mr. Charles Graham, District Superintendent of the Canadian Collieries, will read a paper, the subject of which will be announced later. As soon as circumstances permit Mr. Chas. E. Burbridge, Principal of the Public Schools, will read a paper on "Proportional Representation."

"Why Change Your Wife"

Filmed on the same lavish scale that characterized "Male and Female" and his other notable productions, Cecil B. De Mille's latest creation, "Why Change Your Wife," is coming to the Ilo-Ilo on Saturday next.

A brilliant living answer to "Don't Change Your Husband." Presented with all the intimate real-life action, all the beauty of person, gowning and setting that only DeMille can put on the screen.

City Has Over $1,000 Balance on Year's Work

Auditor's Report Presented at Council Meeting Last Evening Shows City's Finances to Be in Highly Satisfactory State—Total Revenue $36,711.71, and Expenditure $35,232.17—Public Schools Used Nearly Twenty Thousand During Year.

The last meeting of the 1920 City Council was held in the City Hall last evening, the chief business being the reading of the auditor's report and balance-sheet as presented by Mr. C. W. Wood for the year just closed. This report shows the city's finances to be in a highly satisfactory condition, the council concluding the year with a bank balance of over one thousand dollars, and no outstanding liabilities, which is unique in the history of Cumberland and probably seldom equalled in any municipality in the whole Dominion of Canada.

His Worship D. R. MacDonald was in the chair, Aldermen Bannerman, Brown, Pickard, Parnham, Thomson and Wier and City Clerk Mordy being in attendance.

The report as submitted by Auditor Wood was as follows:

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Cumberland.

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit herewith my report as auditor for the Corporation of the City of Cumberland for the year ending December 31, 1920.

BALANCE.—The business of the year shows a credit balance of $1,087.76, as opposed to a deficit of $392.29 for the year 1919.

COLLECTIONS—An outstanding feature is the amount of money collected during the year, both by the tax rates and by voluntary subscriptions for various purposes. Taxes outstanding at present are $1,392.25, as compared with $1,970.79 in 1919, and $5,494.77 in 1918. This is due to the general prosperity of the city and to the beneficial effect of the tax sales.

During the year $1,062.90 was collected for paving Dunsmuir Avenue. While it is a credit to those who contributed and to the Council for financing the balance of the work, it is evidence of the inadequacy of the present basis of taxation that the work was not financed by the ordinary methods. Although the city has no bonded debt, the rates are practically at the maximum, and it will be increasingly difficult in future to raise the money required for ordinary business. The question of changing the system of taxation to meet the increased requirements ought to be given urgent consideration by both the ratepayers and the Council.

SCHOOLS.—The cost of schools has increased to $18,949.70, being an increase of $4,222.08 over last year. This is accounted for mainly by the installation of new furnaces and increases of salaries over those paid in 1919. The Government grant shows a corresponding increase of $1,800.50.

TRADE LICENCES.—This source of revenue shows an increase of $642.50, due mainly to the imposition of "near-beer" licences in the hotels.

C. W. WOOD, Auditor.

The balance-sheet in full will be published in our next issue. The receipts show that no less than $36,711.72 was received by the city, including the school grant from the government of $12,607.81. The expenditures totalled $35,232.17, of which the schools took $19,047.70, the latter sum being made up of $15,901.35 for salaries, $3,048.35 for supplies and repairs, and $98 for night school.

After allowing for all outstanding cheques, the cash in hand amounts to $1,087.76.

After full consideration of the report it was finally adopted and ordered printed.

Report of the Chief of Police.

The annual report of the Chief of Police, which is published in another column, was referred to the Council by the Board of Police Commissioners and read at this meeting.

Speaking on the report, Ald. Wier thought the chief was to be commended for his excellent report and for his able services to the city. He said the chief was a splendid man for the position.

Ald. Brown concurred in the above remarks. He said the chief was a good officer and Cumberland never had better.

Ald. Pickard said he would like to see the Council adopt the recommendation of the Police Commissioners regarding the increase of salary to the night watchman. This matter will come before the new Council.

The Memorial Tablet.

Ald. Brown reported re the memorial tablet to be erected at the Memorial Hall. He said the list of names had been published by The Islander for some weeks and several names had been added in consequence. There were twenty-five names on the list now, and he thought it was as complete as possible. This matter was also left for the incoming Council to deal with.

Complimentary Remarks.

Before adjourning the meeting, His Worship the Mayor paid a few complimentary remarks to the Council for the very harmonious and business-like manner in which the affairs of the city had been attended to. He heartily thanked all for their assistance, remarking that they had had no troubles or squabbles whatever. While the Council had not done some things they would liked to have done for the city, it was owing to force of circumstances. He said he had been with the Council a good many years and they had always got along very pleasantly.

Ald. Wier said he had enjoyed every minute and every hour of his connection with the Council. He supposed there could hardly be a man better suited for the Mayor's chair than His Worship Mayor MacDonald. He appreciated his actions keenly; the Mayor had always been very courteous and kind, but firm.

He thought the Council could compliment itself on the manner in which the business of the city had been conducted during 1920. Personally he thought he would not run again for a seat on the Council, but he wished the new Council every success. He heartily thanked the Mayor and Aldermen for their courtesy during his connection with the Council.

City Clerk Mordy also thanked His Worship and Aldermen for the assistance. He said the work of the Council was increasing fast and if it continued to do so for another couple of years the Council would need a full-time city clerk. He congratulated the Mayor and Aldermen on the work they had accomplished during the past year. He thought the avenue was a distinct credit to the city.

Ald. Wier and His Worship both said they had always found the City Clerk very attentive to duty and most willing and obliging.

WINNING NUMBERS IN FOOTBALL DRAWING

The drawing in connection with the Cumberland United Football Club was held in the Ilo-Ilo Theatre on Thursday evening, with the following results:

No. 1532—Load of coal.
No. 703—Turkey.
No. 675—Ham.
No. 249—50-lb. sack of flour.
No. 143—20-lb. sack of sugar.
No. 776—Sack of potatoes.
No. 145—Steel fishing rod.
No. 1551—Pair of shoes.
No. 1084—Box of cigars.
No. 231—Safety razor.
No. 531—Barrel of beer.

Holders of winning tickets are requested to communicate with the secretary, Mr. Robert Strachan, or with members of the committee.

BURNS CLUB MEETING

A meeting of Cumberland Burns Club will be held in the Fraternal Hall this evening at 7.30, to which the club issues a special invitation to the wives and lady friends of members to be present.

It is intended to form committees to take charge of arrangements for the banquet on January 25, and all ladies who hope to see a successful celebration are invited to the meeting.

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Cumberland Islander

BREEZES

BY X-RAYS

After two hours hard graft at Nanaimo, neither Cumberland or South Wellington were able to note a goal.

Arthur Boothman was the Idol of the crowd in the championship game. His cool judgment and skill outshone his opponent, and brought round after round of applause from the 2500 fans who witnessed the game.

Geordie Carle was called from the defence and placed in the attack, filling the position vacated by Nicol who was injured at Granby. Carle gave a very creditable display. It is over seven years since he played as a forward.

When the final whistle blew for "time" the players, almost without exception, admitted that they were "all in."

The fact that "Jock" Clark only handled the pig-skin once in the first half of the game speaks volumes for the wonderful defence of the Cumberland team.

Old soldiers never die, they simply fade away. Arthur Boothman is likened unto our old friend "Johnny Walker,"forty years and still going strong.

There is no gallery or grandstand play where Jock Irvine is concerned. But he has won the reputation of being of the most dogged and persistent Half-backs on the coast.

Trainer Doherty is fond of music we all know. It has been said more than once that he eats it. Presumably that is taken for granted by some, owing to the fact that last week he had a piano-for-te.

Conti is making a Rep. for himself as the best all around player on the Island. He has been tried to advantage in every position on the field.

Jack Elliot (late Bevan F.C.) is playing great Soccer in Vancouver. He has already been selected twice to represent his league in exhibition games.

Sammy Sullivan is playing second division football on the mainland.

A new germ is spreading over the camp. Several of the players are to be down with this strange malady which Dr. Dave Wilson diagnosed as "Dropsicalitis."

Alex Rowan will have to instil some more pep into his lambs on training nights, if they are to bag any trophies in the forthcoming league.

Phillip was promised a "Bottle de Luxe" if he scored against Granby. But after the game he was observed holding his arm at an angle of 45 degrees with a look of disgust on his countenance murmuring "pass".

Bill Walker was unable to take his place between the sticks last week owing to an injured arm. Jock Clark was called upon to fill the breach. Poor Jock looked none too well.

Big "Pete Green," South Wellington's hefty right half-back is a real old-timer, he has played for quite a number of years on the coast. His big smile and his kindly manner, along with his clean hard-working methods on the field have won for him the admiration of both players and spectators either on the field of play or in the street.

Overheard outside the football smoker—

Backward, turn backward, O time in your flight,
And make me a footballer just for tonight.

Bobby Brown can still show a clean pair of heels to some of the players who imagine they can run.

Many players are prevented from becoming "Stars" through selection committees not using a litle more judgment in placing them in their rightful positions.

Jack Brass, one-time Ladysmith crack forward, has definitely retired from the game. Jack is now handing over soft drinks and nut-bars at the G.W.V.A. Hall in Victoria.

Jimmy Adam, another old star, has been elected President of the Victoria and District League.

Chester, the big, burly, boy back, has left Nanaimo and returned to his old haunts in Victoria.

Is there any possibility of the "Bevan Express" being resurrected on Sundays to bring the supporters from that camp to view the games played at Cumberland.

It is rumoured in Nanaimo soccer circles that "Salty" Shepperd is about to retire from the game. Let us hope for the sake of old times that this will not come to pass, for Salty is considered one of the best cutodians at present playing on the Island.

The Intermediates were trimmed by rather a big margin last week. I know one reason for their downfall. Come boys, straighten out a little, you may be needed some day in the senior team.

Stobbart of South Wellington, is classed by quite a few as the best centre-half on the Island. Dicky is a very troublesome little creature when he gets warmed up to his game.

Cumberland has scored only one goal in five games, but for the fact of them having none scored against them seems to be a kind of saving grace.

Stobbart, Charlie Cameron, and Bob Cameron served together last year on the Mainland with the Longshoremen but now the Island fans are getting the benefit of their skill.

Jimmy Teed, Bobby Grant, and Johnny Strange, Vancouver's star footballers, are now playing on American soil.

Jock Clarke (after working for half an hour on a punctured bicycle tire,)

"Say farmer do you want to buy a bike for fifty dollars"

Farmer—"Naw, if I 'ad fifty bones I'd buy a cow."

Jock—"You'd look funny trying to ride a cow eh."

Farmer—"Yes, un I'd look a derned sight funnier trying to milk a bike."

TEA SLUMP STARTS; PRICES CUT ONE-THIRD

NEW YORK.—Tea prices have taken a big slump recently and are rapidly heading toward pre-war quotations. In chain stores and many independent establishments here prices have been cut one-third, and a further drop is expected in sympathy with the wholesale market, which is now unusually weak.

The world's tea production is about 25 per cent. above consumption, is a statement by Brooke, Bond & Co., of London. It is explained that this consumption has decreased because of the demobilization of armies and the lack of demand from Russia and Central Europe.

The teacher was explaining to the class the difference between "abstract" and "concrete" and was endeavoring to make her explanation very simple and clear.

"Now," she said, "concrete is something you can see, and abstract is something you can not see."

Willie looked quite enlightened, so teacher ventured to test her explanation.

"Willie," she said, "give me an example of something concrete."

"My pants," was Willie's response.

"Correct," said teacher, gratified; "and now something abstract."

"Yours."

KAISER BRONCHITIS IN EXILE

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Most Hazardous Occupation in Province—Over 20,000 Claims Filed for Compensation.

The logging industry of British Columbia is still the most hazardous occupation in this province, according to statistics compiled by the Workmen's Compensation Board for the years 1920 and 1919. These figures reveal the fact that the increase in logging accidents in 1920 over 1919 was greater than in any other line of industry.

The figures for 1920 are, to a certain extent at least, only approximate, since the exact totals will not be known until all the reports have been sent into the Workmen's Compensation Board from every part of the province, but one of the outstanding facts revealed is that despite the closing down of many industries during the past two months, nearly 3000 more men were employed in those industries coming under the Workmen's Compensation Act than during the preceding year, and that in the neighborhood of $5,000,000 more was paid in wages.

The actual payroll for those industries in 1919 was $126,829,760, compared with $130,000,000 for 1920. In 1919 some 109,227 men were employed, while this year it is estimated that 112,000 men were given work.

During 1919 a total of 18,185 claims were made, 93 were in respect of accidents happening during 1918, leaving 184 workmen fatally injured during 1919. The amount paid out for compensation, pensions and medical costs in 1919 was $1,323,990.13.

Up to date this year the total number of claims filed with the board is 20,508, of which 208 have been for fatalities, but as 11 of these were for 1919, this leaves 197 fatal accidents occurring during the present year. By these figures it is shown that 2323 more claims were filed this year than in 1919.

Dangerous Work in Woods.

As has already been mentioned, woods operations have again proved the most hazardous of occupations in the province. For the year 1919 there were 3051 final claims, but to date there have been 4377 claims filed, an increase over 1919 of 1326.

Coal mining also shows an increased number of accidents. In 1919 there were 840 final claims adjusted, as against 984 for this year, a difference of 104 more accidents happening last year.

One of the features of the year's work has been the noticeable decrease in accidents from the use of machinery, by reason of the accident prevention and first aid regulations put into effect. There has also ben a big decrease in accidents from infectious causes, by reason of the employers having installed first aid departments.

MOOSE AND CARIBOU ABOUND IN THE ROCKIES

North of Mount Robson Big Game is Abundant.

Moose and caribou! There's plenty of them to hunt 150 miles north of Mt. Robson, B. C., in the Canadian Rockies.

But unlike their eastern kin, they're up above the timberline.

An eastern big game hunter would expect to find them in the barrens and flats, but the monarchs of the forest are more crafty in the west.

The moose browse on the willows in the flats as they do on alders in the east, but they "play" and sleep and watch from the unobstructed vantage points above the tree line in the western ranges.

On my recent big game hunt in the Canadian Rockies, which covered 40 days, our party bagged two splendid bull moose, both with heads of over 50-inch spreads, and four big bull caribou. We saw 20 moose, at least half of them big bulls, and 38 caribou, of which six or eight were bulls.

Mule deer, also, were fairly plentiful in this district. They had drifted down to the lower valleys on account of the heavy snows and unusually cold weather.

The caribou keep in the alp lands above the trees or in the scrubs near the timber line. They like the high basins, especially those that offer wet and soggy underfooting.

This member of the deer family has a wonderful sense of smell. However, its eyes far surpass those of the moose. It seems always to be in a hurry when going from place to place.

I'd like to see a race between a big bull caribou and one of our best grand circuit trotters. Believe I'd have to bet on the caribou.

The moose, too, is a trotter, but the caribou gets away faster and covers more ground in its stride.

The mule deer of the Rockies—or the black-tail deer, as it is called—is larger than the eastern species. It has big ears and bounces like a rubber ball when on the move.—Morris Ackerman.

WHAT A BLIND HERO SAW

In the Daily Express, H. Thompson West Yorkshire Regt., a blind inmate of St. Dunstan's, writes as follows:-

"The ceremony in the Abbey left an indelible impression on my mind—a feeling of ineffable sadness and melancholy, yet there was a message of inspiration and hope. I felt as if the spirit of the Unknown Warrior had whispered in my ear 'Courage, brother, hope on.' I was one of the lucky three chosen by ballot, from 170 blind inmates of St. Dunstan's.

"I understood all, even though every step and every movement was explained to me by an accompanying guide. The atmosphere was impregnated with meaning. The great Alchemist, by some miracle, vouchsafed to me a more powerful vision than those who had eyes to see. Clear-cut pictures of France and Flanders rose up before me. The dread solemnity of the occasion stirred the most poignant memories. I felt with my comrades almost ashamed that I had given so little, while he who lay sleeping by us had given all.

"I stood near the tomb of a mighty king. Not far away were the hundred V.C.'s. I heard them limp to their places and knew who they were. The solemn rolling of the drums and the slow martial music of the massed bands meant more to me, perhaps, than to other people. When the long roll of the reveille echoed away in the distance I thought a cloud had passed over head and had been chased away by the sunshine. Then with my comrades I was granted a privilege denied to all others. Each of us had been given a crysanthemum before we left St. Dunstan's. Others had placed their wreaths at the foot of the coffin. A hand guided us, and we were allowed to bestow our tribute on the coffin itself. We spoke in the name of our blind comrades, and I felt a supreme emotion as my fingers brushed the resting place of the unknown hero. I came to the Abbey glad that I had been chosen from among so many. I went away sorrowing, but with the message of hope locked in my heart."

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LEAVE WELL ENOUGH ALONE

Municipal politics will undoubtedly be the prevailing topic during the coming week. Nominations will take place on Monday and the polling (if any) on the following Thursday. Up to the present there are two men in the field for the Mayoralty, D. R. MacDonald, who has held the office of Chief Magistrate for the past two years and on several previous occasions serving the citizens of this city with all the diligence and ability at his command, to such an extent that at the last municipal election he was returned by acclamation. Ald. John Thomson, who has been on the Council for the past two years, and Chairman of the Board of Works, also announces himself as a candidate for the Mayoralty.

We have no objection to Ald. Thomson becoming a candidate for the office of Mayor, but we join in the opinion of several other prominent property holders and ratepayers of this city, that it is advisable to leave well alone and elect the present Mayor and Aldermen by acclamation.

It was generally understood and conceded for the past few months, taking into consideration the efficient service rendered during the past year by His Worship Mayor D. R. MacDonald and Aldermen Parnham, Pickard, Bannerman, Brown, Thomson and Wier, who have placed the City of Cumberland on a sound financial basis, with a balance to the credit of the city of nearly a thousand dollars, that they should again be elected by acclamation and complete the work of paving Dunsmuir Avenue commenced during the year just passed.

The financial condition of the city is better today than it ever was. Generally speaking, at the end of the year there was an overdraft at the bank of two or three thousand dollars' worth of unpaid cheques, with public school teachers wondering when they were going to get their salaries. During the past year the city has met all its obligations as they fell due, with a cash balance to their credit. And we say, with others, leave well enough alone.

We understand the following will stand for nomination as Alderman on the MacDonald ticket: Chas. J. Parnham, Thomas Bannerman, Duncan Thomson, Alex. McKinnon, Fred Pickard and John C. Brown.

LORD BYNG

The mention of Lord Byng, a few weeks ago, as a possible Governor-General of Canada, a rumor which has not been definitely contradicted, aroused a thrill of satisfaction among members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force who had known him at the battle front. As Sir Julian Byng, these various countrymen of ours knew him under conditions which caused them to regard him with a deep esteem that was tinged with affection. He won their confidence as a soldier, a leader and a man. Their enthusiastic approval of him has found an echo among all of us who admire devotion to duty and the capable fulfilment of honorable tasks, and there would be something specially appropriate in his appointment to the governor-generalship of a Dominion whose sons he led to victory. Lord Byng has never been found wanting in the earnest prosecution of his duties. He became a soldier when he was twenty-one. Born in 1862 at the family estate, Wrotham Park, Barnet, Hertfordshire, he entered the Tenth Royal Hussars. From that day in 1883 until the close of the Great War he has been constantly on duty in some corner or other of the Empire he serves, piling up commendations, promotions, honors, medals and even a modest title as a preface to the greater honor of his baronetcy, for he was knighted in 1916 by King George, not for any aristocratic family, but because he had rendered himself conspicuous by a vigorous valor that was always associated with a certain modest dignity.—Province.

VANISHED TREASURE

Agent-General Wade is reported to have been deprived of one of the most interesting exhibits in his custody at British Columbia House, London. The nuggets of native gold have been withdrawn, and no official reason yet has been given for the action of the government. The precious metal, however, is in considerable demand at the present time for redemption of the vast issues of paper that have been placed upon the money markets of the world, and particularly upon the markets of New York. The British Government was so keenly alive to the necessity of conserving the gold supplies within the confines of the United Kingdom that it made an order (which may be in force yet) forbidding private parties from taking gold with them when they left the country. Possibly Hon. John Hart, as Finance Minister, whispered to Hon. John Oliver, as Premier, that the British Government might be tempted to appropriate those precious nuggets, which are of considerable value, as one step towards adjustment of the balance of trade. Or perhaps Hon. John Hart, who has been doing a considerable amount of borrowing of late, had his attention called to the reserve in store in British Columbia House and decided that he could use it to advantage in his own business as Finance Minister. We do not admit for a moment that the British Government, even in the most dire of extremities, would undertake to lay its hands upon an exhibit which was of so much value to this Province as irrefutable evidence of the nature of our natural products. Consequently the only conclusion possible is that the nuggets have been brought back to the place where they were found and that the place which has known them so long will know them no more.—Colonist.

An Appeal for the Starving Millions of China

A public meeting will be held in the Anglican Church Hall tomorrow (Sunday) evening at 8.30 o'clock, to consider the best steps to be taken by Cumberland towards bringing help to the starving millions in China. His Worship Mayor MacDonald will occupy the chair.

The call from this famine-stricken district in China should appeal particularly to Canadians, as it comes under the jurisdiction of Canadian Missions. It is hoped that all who can attend this meeting will do so. Be ready to respond to the appeal when it reaches you. The need is tremendous and urgent.

Below is printed part of the appeal sent out by the China Famine Relief Committee, representing the Canadian Foreign Mission Boards:

The Situation.

North China is in the relentless grip of one of the worst famines of the last thirty years. Conditions are appalling. From thirty to fifty millions in the five provinces of Honan, Shansi, Shantung, Shensi and Chili are facing starvation. The failure of rain for twelve months has meant the total failure of two harvests.

Terrible distress prevails. Thousands have already died. Hundreds are dying every day. Many are seeking to live on leaves and bark. Authenticated cases are reported of parents killing their children rather than see them starve, and then in despair taking their own lives.

Recent rains have made possible the sowing of fields, which give promise of a harvest next June. But the intervening months! The present distress, keen as it is, is but a suggestion of the awful agony through which North China must pass before the winter is over unless relief on a large scale is forthcoming.

Moving Appeals From Many Sources.

Before making any appeal the China Famine Relief Committee has made the fullest enquiry regarding the situation. From every source cumulative evidence has come of the magnitude and severity of the famine and the urgent need of immediate relief.

From their Missions in Honon, our two Canadian Mission Boards, having work in the affected area, are receiving urgent appeals for help.

The Honan Presbytery cables: "The famine has realized our worst fears. Funds for relief urgently needed."

The Anglican Missionaries cable: "Great distress. Relief needed immediately.

The secretary of the China Continuation Committee cables from Shanghai to the Canadian Committee that the famine is very severe and that help is urgently needed to prevent great loss of life.

A cable from Bishop Lewis, of the Methodist Episcopal Mission, Peking, states that the famine is desperate, that already there are a thousand deaths daily, and conditions getting worse.

The Government of China has sent the following message to the Chinese Consul-General at Ottawa: "Over one hundred thousand localities are affected; millions of destitute and dying of famine. Relief fund is urgently needed."

What is Being Done.

The Chinese, aided by the foreign residents, are doing what they can, but the disaster is of such magnitude that they cannot cope with it alone. In Honan a joint relief committee of Chinese and foreigners has been formed, with Rev. G. E. Simmons of the Canadian Anglican Mission as Foreign Treasurer, and Rev. H. M. Harris of the American Southern Baptist Mission as Foreign Secretary.

Shanghai alone has raised $1,600,000 for relief and placed an objective of $5,000,000.

The President of the United States has issued a national appeal and appointed a nation-wide committee to carry forward a great national relief movement as speedily as possible.

Your Help Needed.

Every humanitarian and Christian instinct demands that Canada help and help quickly. The committee representing the Canadian Foreign Mission Boards—Anglican, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian—appeal to all Canadians to help meet this appalling need. Already fifty thousand dollars have been cabled to China. Hundreds of thousands are needed.

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"Yes, I suppose I shall wed eventually," she said; "but the only kind of masculine nuisance that will suit me must be tall and dark, with classical features. He must be brave, yet gentle, withal he must be strong—a lion amongst men, but a knight amongst ladies."

That evening a bow-legged, lath-framed youth, wearing check trousers, and smoking a coffin-nail cigarette that smelt worse than a burning boot, rattled on the verandah with a two-bit walking-stick, and the girl knocked four tumblers and a cut-glass dish off the sideboard in her haste to get to him.

Some men are truthful at all times—except when their wives ask for money.

At a wedding recently when the minister asked the bride, "Wilt thou have this man to be thy wedded husband?" she, with a modesty which lent her beauty an additional grace, replied "If you please!"

A Kentucky man arrested on the charge of marrying his mother-in-law has it on the authorities by the fact that his wife was divorced and the relation no longer existed!

"SOCKLESS JERRY"

The fact that Miss Alice M. Robertson, who will be the second woman ever elected to congress, has announced that she has never worn anything but cotton stockings and does not intend to indulge herself in the luxury of silk hosiery, brings to mind that it was just 30 years ago that a man from Kansas was elected to serve in the house of representatives because he had made the issue in his campaign that he was too poor to wear socks.

That individual was Jerry Simpson of Medicine Lodge, who was elected on the People's party ticket. He was dubbed "Sockless Jerry."

Shortly after Simpson entered upon his duties as congressman from the Sunflower state, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, well known in Washington because of the fact that she championed the cause of women wage earners through a weekly newspaper she published in that city, got into a confab with the member from Kansas.

Mrs. Smith, who was as bright as she was good looking, glanced at the feet of the People's party representative and said: "By the way, Mr. Simpson, I wish you would pull up your trousers and let me see if it is really true, as reported in the public prints, that you do not wear socks."

"I will," quickly answered the Medicine Lodge man, "if you will then be kind enough to lift up your dress so that all of us here in this corridor—men and women both—can see what kind of stockings, if any, you as the friend of working women can afford to wear in times like these."

Mrs. Smith was so taken by surprise that she blushed greatly and instantly took to her heels, much to the amusement of the bystanders. If "Sockless Jerry" were alive now he would not even have to strain his eyes in walking through the capitol corridors to find out what sort of stockings ("if any") the women are wearing.—Oregonian.

Kitty, aged four, had been naughty, and her father had had to administer vigorous correction before going to business. That an impression had been made was apparent in the evening. Kitty called upstairs with frigid politeness:

"Mother, your husband's home."

"So you had trouble locating me," said the stranger to the old darky, as he alighted at the country station. "Didn't your master give you a description of me?"

"Yas, marsa, but thar's so many gemmen wif red noses comin on dat dar train."

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Angel Cake

1 cup sugar
1½ cups flour
½ teaspoon cream of tartar
2 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup scalded milk
1 teaspoon almond or vanilla extract
whites of 3 eggs

Mix and sift first five ingredients four times. Add milk very slowly, while still hot, beating continually; add vanilla; mix well and fold in whites of eggs beaten until light. Turn into ungreased angel cake tin and bake in very slow oven about 45 minutes. Remove from oven; invert pan and allow to stand until cold. Cover top and sides with either white or chocolate icing.

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Mocha Layer Cake

½ cup shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
½ cup strong coffee
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons mixed spices

Cream shortening and sugar until light; add well beaten yolks of eggs; add coffee slowly; add half of flour sifted with baking powder, salt and spices; mix and add well beaten whites of eggs; add remainder of flour and mix lightly. Pour into two greased layer cake tins and bake in moderate oven. Spread sweetened whipped cream between layers and cover top with —

Mocha Icing

1 tablespoon butter
1 cup confectioner's sugar
1 tablespoon cocoa
2 tablespoons strong coffee
¼ teaspoon salt

Cream butter and sugar; add cocoa, coffee and salt and stir until smooth. If too dry, add coffee; if too moist, add sugar.

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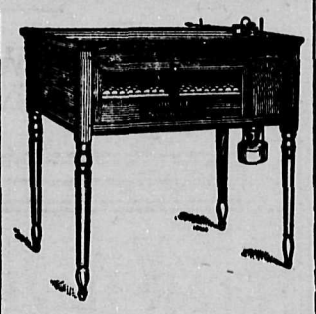
"The Reluctant Lover," by McKenna.
"The Mysterious Rider," Jane Grey.
"No Defence," Parker.
"Mrs. Warren's Daughter," Johnstone.
"The Vanity Girl," McKenna.
"Poor Man's Rock," Sinclair.
"Children of Storm," Wylie.
"Top of the World," Dell.
"Blacq Bartlemy," Farnol.
"Mrs. Wu," Milne.
"Sweetheart's Unmet," Ruck.
"Harriet and the Piper," Norris.
"The Devil's Paw," Oppenheim.



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Police Commissioners hold Final Meeting

The final meeting of the 1920 Board of Police Commissioners was held in the City Hall on Monday evening, His Worship Mayor MacDonald was in the chair, Commissioners Maxwell and Parnham being present, as well as the city clerk and chief of police.

The annual report of Chief of Police Bunbury was read and after discussion was adopted. The commissioners agreed with the request of the chief of police that the City Council should pay a sum monthly to supplement the amount given by the storekeepers and others for the pay of night watchman. It was pointed out that the watchman also did quite a bit of work at the City Hall.

On the motion of Com. Parnham, seconded by Com. Maxwell, a motion was adopted recommending the City Council to pay the sum of $20 monthly to the night watchman.

Report of Chief of Police.

The report of the chief of police, in part, is as follows:

His Honor the Mayor,
And Police Commissioners,
City of Cumberland.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to herewith present my second Annual Police Report for the City of Cumberland, for the year ending December 31st, 1920.

During the past twelve months there have been twenty-seven arrests made and convictions sustained, classified as follows: Creating a disturbance, 5; assault, 1; infringement of Prohibition Act, 4; infringement of Motor Traffic Act, 1; obstructing police, 2; destroying fruit trees, 3; drunk and incapable, 2; indecent language, 1; prostitution, 4; gambling, 1; driving car while intoxicated, 1; infringement of Peddlers' Bylaw, 1.

Total amount of fines	$795.00
Plus 2 Peddlers' Licences	100.00
Total	$895.00

COLLECTIONS—

Night watchman	$720.00
Rubbish hauling	101.75
Dog tax	42.00
Trade licences	1,737.50
Weigh scales	1.75
Scavenger buckets	7.25
Total collections	$2,610.25

There has been some trouble in connection with street lighting, owing for the most part to faulty mechanism of the time clock and fuses burning out. Steps have been taken to remedy this matter.

I would suggest that the sale and use of fire-crackers be forbidden within the city limits, as it is a dangerous practice and may lead to a serious fire.

There has been a considerable amount of intoxicating liquor consumed in town, as apparent by the number of men who have been seen under the influence of liquor, but not to such an extent as would justify an arrest or secure a conviction, being drunk not being an offence under the statutes. This is a condition that probably obtains in every city, but is, of course, more apparent in smaller communities, and is not to be wondered at under existing laws. One has only to notice the persistent advertising by outside liquor firms and the very large proportion of intoxicating liquor arriving in town through the express office to realize the fact that it is somewhat surprising that there is no more intoxication in town than at present. This is a condition that may be altered under Government Control.

There has been no serious crime in the city during the past year, a matter for which we are to be thankful, in view of the apparent crime wave, of which the papers are full. More especially does this refer to burglaries, and also taking into consideration the fact that the city is in darkness after midnight. In my opinion the employment of a night watchman from midnight to daylight assists greatly in the matter, and under this heading I would point out that Mr. R. Coe, Sr., has made an efficient night watchman, which will be corroborated by a good many of the business men, and as his small salary of $60 a month is entirely subscribed by the business men on Dunsmuir Avenue, and one or two others, and as his duties often consist in the safe-keeping of prisoners confined in the city goal and other small duties for the city, I would respectfully urge that an addition be made to his salary by the authorities. I have always found him most reliable and faithful to his duties. I do not think this suggestion is unreasonable, more especially considering the fact that our neighboring municipality of Courtenay employs two fully experienced police officers, one drawing $145 and the other $125 a month, though having only two saloons against our five.

The general conduct has been good, there being very little disturbance. What disturbance there has been was mostly from outside parties coming into town on joy-rides, and I have used every effort to suppress it. I take this opportunity to thank the citizens for the attention they have paid when I have found it necessary to issue warnings.

The commissioners I feel sure will realize the difficulties encountered by a police officer who works without assistance, whose movements are carefully watched by the less law-abiding element, and from whom all infractions are carefully hidden as far as possible. It is a simple matter for citizens to be cognizant of a good deal that is going on that should not be, and some complain to the authorities of matters within their knowledge, but I have not yet found one who would come out in the open and give evidence as would warrant me in taking action.

It is almost unnecessary to state that without the considerate support and advice of the commissioners no police officer can do his duty, and such consideration I have always experienced from your commission, so that, if my efforts to preserve law and order are not acceptable to yourselves and the general public the fault must be entirely mine.

I would conclude this report by saying that I believe honestly that the conduct of this city will compare favorably with any other city of its size, and by this I do not wish to infer that such conditions are due to any particular efforts on my part, but to the citizens themselves, for whose forbearance and good sense I have to be thankful.

I have the honor to remain, gentlemen,

Yours obediently,
C. J. BUNBURY,
Chief of Police.

No. 4 MINE SURFACE TEAM PUTS CUMBERLAND ON THE MAP IN FIRST AID WORK

Six months ago A. J. Taylor organized what is known today as No. 4 Mine Surface Team, and he has every reason to be proud of the results which his team has accomplished. It is not necessary to remind the public of Cumberland that this newly organized team, after being together seven weeks, won the Coulson Cup at the Safety First Association meet held at Ladysmith in September last, and in the open competition made a tie with Nanaimo for first place.

The percentage for the Coulson Cup was 98, and in the open competition, 97 per cent. The open competition included teams from the American side.

Mr. Taylor's aggregation received very warm praise from the different judges for their efficient method of applying first aid.

Entering the team for the Canadian Championship was the next step, and after a very short practice managed to secure the honors for this district, and also won in the series of tests that took place afterwards. After all other teams in B. C. had run off their tests Cumberland No. 4 Mine Surface team and Barton's team of Nanaimo were the two highest in the province.

These two teams then went up against the other teams from every province for the Coderre Cup, winning first and second places, and bringing the honors to British Columbia.

Cumberland is more than proud to know that it has a team which is second only in all Canada, and offers to A. J. Taylor and his team heartiest congratulations.

THE GARDEN OF LIFE

There is a garden called Life,
Where grow both flowers and weeds;
Reach forth your hand, take your choice,
Choose which you wish for your needs.

Fortune and Fame, Love and Truth
Bloom side by side in the clay.
Poverty, Failure and Hate
Grow in the garden each day.

Sunlight and dew bathe them all;
Winds kiss them each as they grow;
Moonbeams soft lull them to rest;
Ofttimes they're covered with snow.

Flowers and weeds, side by side,
Nourished by soil, rich with food,
Reach forth your hand—yours the power;
Pluck which you will for your good.

—Eemaroi Stacy.

A ventriloquist went into a saloon with a small dog. Putting the dog on the counter, he ordered a glass of beer. When it was brought the dog remarked, "Aint there no beer for me? Give me a sip!"

The saloonkeeper was much impressed and eventually succeeded in buying the dog for $100.

The ventriloquist stood talking for a while and then left the bar, but before he went the dog said: "Well, I do call that a dirty trick to do on a pal! I'm hanged if I speak again for twelve months!"

LIBERAL ADMINISTRATION ELECTED BY MINORITY

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New Westminster	
Whiteside (Liberal)	1,980
Sloan (Independent)	1,611
Gifford (Conservative)	1,006
North Okanagan	
Macdonald (Liberal)	2,037
Laidman (Farmer)	1,770
North Vancouver	
Hanes (Independent)	2,681
Vinson (Conservative)	1,180
Orchard (Labor)	1,129
Chubb (Liberal)	913
Omineca	
Manson (Liberal)	630
Murray (Conservative)	273
Prudholme (Independent)	79
Prince Rupert	
Pattullo (Liberal)	1,501
Newton (Ind. Con.)	697
Burroughs (Independent)	676
Formby (Conservative)	561
Revelstoke	
Sutherland	By acclamation
Richmond	
Pearson (Conservative)	2,863
McCraney (Liberal)	2,712
Cassidy (Fed. Labor)	1,499
McBride (Independent)	206
Abbott (Farmer)	272
Rossland	
Esling (Conservative)	259
Dingwall (Farmer)	239
McLeod (Liberal)	180
Saanich	
Pauline (Liberal)	1,858
Gordon (Conservative)	1,756
Orford (Soldier-Labor)	1,037
Similkameen	
MacKenzie (Conservative)	1,354
Chambers (Liberal)	1,264
Slocan	
Hunter (Conservative)	568
Nelson (Liberal)	476
Smith (Labor)	328
South Okanagan	
Jones (Conservative)	1,882
Rogers (Liberal)	1,433
South Vancouver	
Neelands (Labor)	3,255
Hodgson (Conservative)	2,444
Russell (Liberal)	1,969
McIntosh (Independent)	945
Trail	
Schofield (Conservative)	1,315
Deschamps (Liberal)	848
Vancouver City	
Smith, Mrs. (Liberal)	18,082
MacKenzie (Liberal)	14,322
Farris (Liberal)	12,987
Ramsay (Liberal)	12,677
MacDonald (Liberal)	12,645
Bowser (Conservative)	12,091
Dougherty (Liberal)	10,736
Black (Conservative)	10,728
Warden (Conservative)	10,611
Howe (Conservative)	10,191
Patterson (Conservative)	9,947
Martin (Independent)	9,407
Mahan (Conservative)	9,091
Woodsworth (Fed. Labor)	7,674
Trotter (Fed. Labor)	7,667
Richardson (Fed. Labor)	7,386
Cotsworth (Independent)	5,621
Crossfield (Independent)	4,309
Ashworth (Independent)	3,397
Harrington (Socialist)	3,164
Millar (United Veterans)	2,869
North (United Veterans)	2,691
Smith (Socialist)	2,418
Stephenson (Socialist)	1,982
Earp (Socialist)	1,860
McQuoid (Socialist)	1,699
Dennis (Socialist)	1,578
Thomas (Independent)	1,548
Victoria	
Oliver (Liberal)	6,498
Hinchliffe (Conservative)	5,305
Hart (Liberal)	5,016
Clearihue (Liberal)	4,551
Stewart (Conservative	4,170
Northcott (Conservative)	4,141
Sutherland (Conservative)	4,072
Hall, Dr. E. (Independent)	4,010
Hall, Hy. C. (Liberal)	3,868
Gillespie (Independent)	2,466
Bell (Independent)	2,045
Christian (Sol.-Labor)	1,716
Dakers (Sol.-Labor)	1,318
McLernan (Sol.-Labor)	1,202
Dooley (Sol.-Labor)	1,093
Pierce (Fed. Labor)	834
Giolma ((Ind.-Sol.)	778
Davies (Independent)	475
McDonald (Fed. Labor)	378
Yale	
McRae (Conservative)	913
Cameron (Liberal)	737
Walters (Ind. Liberal)	657

VANCOUVER ISLAND MAN PLANS MOTOR HOLIDAY IN MEXICO

Major C. Williams-Freeman, of Duncan, Vancouver Island, wishes to make a motor tour across Mexico via Mexico City to Vera Cruz. He has written to the secretary of the Vancouver Automobile Club asking for information about the roads, etc., and saying that he does not mind a little hardship. As there was no information on file at the Auto Club the secretary has written to the Automobile Association of Southern California to see if that body cannot provide the necessary guidance. Major Williams-Freeman will start from Vancouver early this month.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the City of Cumberland that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Council Chambers on the 10th day of January, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen (six) and Police Commissioners (two), and School Trustee (one).

The mode of nomination shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and two p.m. of the day of the nomination: the said writing may be in the form Numbered 5 in the Schedule of this Act, and shall state the names, residence and occupation or description of each person proposed in such manner as sufficiently to identify each candidate, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 13th day of January, 1921, at the City Council Chambers, of which each and every person is hereby required to take notice and govern him or herself accordingly.

The qualifications necessary for Mayor are: (1) Must be of the full age of 21 years and a British subject, possessed of unencumbered property in the Municipality of Cumberland of not less than $1000, which has been registered in the Land Registry Office in nominee's name for six months preceding date of coming election.

Qualifications necessary for Alderman, Police Commissioner or School Trustee are: Must be of full age of 21 years, British subject and possessed of unencumbered property in Municipality of Cumberland of not less than $500, which has been registered in the Land Registry Office not less than six months previous to date of soming election.

Given under my hand at Cumberland, B.C., this 24th day of December, 1920.

(Signed) T. MORDY,
Returning Officer.

NOTICE

In the Nanaimo County Court, Holden at Cumberland, B. C.

In the matter of the Estate of Alex. Wibe or Wiber, deceased, and in the matter of the Administration Act.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of Judge Barker made the 8th day of December, 1920, I was appointed administrator to the estate of the said Alex. Wibe or Weber, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same properly verified to me on or before the 1st day of February, A.D. 1921, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

WESLEY WILLARD,
Official Administrator.

Dated at Cumberland this 28th day of December, 1920. 2-3

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the business, including house, horses, wagon and implements, lately carried on by Kwong Shung, gardener, etc., has been taken over by Leong Kum, to whom all accounts must be paid. Any accounts owing by the said Kwong Shung will be paid by Leong Kum. Accounts must be rendered not later than January 15, 1921, addressed to P. O. Box 127, Cumberland. 2-3

WON $5,000 GAMBLING!

One of America's most famous professional magicians and slight-of-hand performers tells this one on himself:

"I was coming up from San Francisco to Chicago, and on the train were three men who looked like professional gamblers. They roped me into a poker game against my protests and after I had told them that so far as I knew there was no card trick which I could not perform. It was a no-limit game and big sums changed hands rapidly. I had a roll of about $5,000 and had lost about half of it when I caught one of the gamblers cheating. I said nothing. I had been playing straight, but thereafter I showed no mercy, and when the game broke up I had doubled my money—or so I thought till the next day when I reached Chicago and tried to deposit it in a bank. Then I found out that I had not been playing with professional gamblers at all. There was just one lone twenty-dollar bill in my roll that was good. The remainder, $9,980, was counterfeit."

The members of the choir were practising the well known anthem, "As Pants the Hart for Cooling Streams." The rendering of the open stages was apparently not quite to the satisfaction of the gentleman who wielded the baton. He considered it necessary, therefore, to tender some advice to the altos, and caused great consternation and not a little embarrassment among his little flock by the following announcement:

"Ladies, your expression is simply splendid, but the time is very poor—really, your pants are far too long."

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CUMBERLAND. B.C.

Championship Still In Doubt

Splendid Work of Shepherd in Goal For South Wellington Spoiled Cumberland's Chances

The championship of the Upper Island Football League has still to be determined. Cumberland and South Wellington battled for two hours on New Year's day to settle the issue but without avail. Even with the extra half hour's play there was no score, and one of the hardest fought games ever played on a local field ended in a goalless draw.

This fact alone will indicate how closely the two teams were matched. On the day's play there was nothing to choose between them, and all the way through it looked that the team that got the first goal would win.

The field was not only very slippery, but was also very soft and made the going very heavy. The first condition militated against accurate shooting and the second tended to slow up the game while naturally it had its effect upon the players. Both teams were played completely out when the final whistle sounded, but let it be said that right until the last toot both teams strove desperately to score.

Comparing the two teams it may be said that at times Cumberland showed the best form in the field. On the other hand South Wellington had by far the best of the opportunities to score. Cumberland would probably have scored at least twice with any other goalkeeper than Shepherd, while in spite of repeated openings Clark never had a really difficult shot to handle from the South Wellington forwards. For the rest the defence of both teams was always reliable. Stobbart played a sterling game at centre half, and Strang was at his best at right full back.

Hard Game Well Handled

The game was handled by Referee Locke of Victoria and his decisions were satisfactory to both players and spectators alike. Considering the issue at stake and the keen rivalry between the two teams the game was remarkably free from fouls. There were few penalties but they were mostly for offside and handling, and altogether it was a fine clean hard fought game.

Cumberland won the toss and from the kick-off secured possession of the ball and carried the game to the South Wellington goal, where Shepherd cleared and play was transferred to centre field. Here Cumberland outside right was put out for a few minutes by being struck squarely in the face by a kicked ball. South Wellington took the aggressive from the kick off and carried the ball into the enemy goal mouth but Clarke relieved and play for a time ebbed up and down the field, James taking a hard drive at the goal which Shepherd saved by dropping to his knees. After several minutes of midfield play the situation again became serious for South Wellington when the ball was carried right into the South Wellington goal mouth, James being called up for off-side. From the free kick South Wellington took the upper hand and had the best of the game for the next four minutes, the forwards combining in a rush on the enemy goal which proved unsuccessful, the ball going by. End to end play followed and James had kicked by for the climax of a Cumberland rush when the referee's whistle blew for half time.

The Second Half.

The second period of play was practically a repition of the first. Cumberland pressing from the commencement and coming within an ace of scoring. Shepherd relieving a dangerous situation after which Cumberland was placed on the defensive. South Wellington pressed and Clarke was lucky in getting his fingers to the ball preventing it slipping into the net, this being the most dangerous moment Cumberland experienced during the entire game. Cumberland was now forced to concede a corner, the kick not being improved and the ball was transferred to centre field only to be returned to the Cumberland goal, Clarke dropping on the sphere caught Craig with his heel as the South Wellington forward rushed over the prostrate Cumberland goalie resulting in Craig being put out of the play for the remainder of the game.

Extra Period.

The half hour over time was noted for the stubborn nature of the play. Both teams tried desperately to score the winning goal, both failing in the attempt although the honors of the day were with Cumberland.

The defences of both teams played reliable games, the fact of no goals being scored being due in a considerable measure to the slippery nature of the ground which made accurate shooting a matetr of extreme difficulty.

Sore Throat, Colds

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Sore throat and chest colds should never be neglected. Few people realize how often they result seriously if not promptly checked. Hamlin's Wizard Oil is a safe, simple and effective treatment. Used as a gargle for sore throat it brings quick relief. Rubbed on the chest it will often loosen up a hard, deep seated cold in one night. Keep a bottle on the shelf.

Wizard Oil is a good dependable preparation to have in the medicine chest for first aid when the doctor may be far away. How often sprains, bruises, cuts and burns occur in every family, as well as little troubles like earache, toothache, cold sores, canker sores, stiff neck, and tired aching feet. Soothing, healing Wizard Oil will always bring quick relief.

Generous size bottle 35c.

If you are troubled with constipation or sick headache try Hamlin's Wizard Liver Whips. Just pleasant little pink pills at druggists for 30c. Guaranteed.

PRINCESS ALICE NEXT SHIP TO BE COAL BURNER

The Princess Alice will probably be the next of the British Columbia coast steamships to go into dock for conversion from oil to coal, according to present arrangements. When the Princess Patricia comes off the ways at Victoria this week the Alice will be taken off her run and tied up for the change.

APPOINTED TO BIG POST AT VANCOUVER

Major Bell of Halifax Chosen as Administrative Head of Soldiers' Re-establishment.

VANCOUVER.—Major Bell, assistant director of the department of Soldiers' Re-establishment at Halifax, has been transferred to British Columbia, with headquarters at Vancouver. He will succeed Mr. George Dean, present administrative head of soldiers' re-establishment work in this province, who is takin up other work outside the service. The change will go into effect January 15.

Major Bell has had a long and distinguished overseas record. He was severely wounded, and is an amputation case. He has been very popular at Halifax, where, however, there were not so many cases to be handled as in British Columbia, as this province has had thousands of men undergoing treatment here who enlisted outside it.

FLEET WILL ARRIVE EARLY IN MARCH

OTTAWA.—The people of the Pacific Coast will probably have their first look at Canada's new fleet early in March. According to present plans the squadron will arrive at Esquimalt, about March 1. The fighting ships will leave Halifax on January 6 for a cruise to the West Indies.

ANCIENT INDIANS HAD HUGE APARTMENT HOUSE

Stone Building, 45 Stories High, With 1000 Rooms, Discovered In New Mexico.

BALTIMORE.—The discovery of a stone "apartment" building, 45 stories high and containing one thousand rooms, believed to have been the home of a now extinct tribe of American Indians, was announced at a meeting of the Archaelogical Institute of America at Johns Hopkins University.

The "apartment" was uncovered with a group of towns representing an ancient civilization in the midst of the southwestern deserts by the School of American Research conducted at Santa Fe, N.M., by the institute.

BOB WILSON INJURED IN SUNDAY'S GAME

Sunday's game between the Davenport and Cumberland Intermediate football teams was marred by a serious accident to Bob Wilson, of Nanaimo team, who played the position of outside right. During the second half of the game Bob was kicked in the body forcing him to discontinue playing, and later it was found necessary to remove him from his home to the hospital for treatment, it being feared he has sustained internal injuries.

The game proved an easy win for Davenports who registered five goals to their opponents two. The game between South Wellington and Extension Intermediates resulting in a win for South Wellington by a score of 3 goals to1.

Some of the questions Tommie asks papa: "What does a jelly-fish eat?" "Why do hens lay eggs?" "How far can a cat spit?"

Does your skin chap these cold days? Jonteel Cold Cream at Frost's.

January Sale Announcement

I am instructed by the HOUSE OF HOBBERLIN LTD., the largest Tailoring House in Canada, to give a discount of 33⅓% off all their lines of

MEN'S SUITINGS AND OVERCOATS

This means that you can get a suit made to your individual measure for $30.00 and upwards, less than half the price you have been paying elsewhere. A perfect fit guaranteed and a large assortment of cloths to choose from. Do not miss this opportunity. Remember, this only holds good for January. Reductions as follows:

$45 Suits reduced to $30
$50 „ „ $33.35
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This also applies to Overcoatings
on which the same big reductions become effective
A chance for you to get fitted out at lower prices than have been in effect since 1915

Men's Winter Mackinaw Coats, reduced to - $12.50
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Men's White Gum Boots
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WEAR GUARANTEED

Buy a pair of Gum Boots or Rubbers and keep your feet dry. I have a full line at lowest prices

THE MODEL CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE

Note the Address—Opposite the Post Office F. PARTRIDGE

No. 443|20.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Between

FRANK MARTIN, Plaintiff,
and
JUNG YET, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that a writ of summons was on the eleventh day of March, 1920, duly issued out of the Vancouver Registry of their Honorable Court whereby foreclosure of your mortgage to the Plaintiff, dated Nov. 18, 1912, is sought.

AND NOTICE is further given that by order of Mr. Justice Morrison made herein the 9th day of November, 1920, it was ordered that copy of the said writ be registered to the Defendant Jung Yet at P. O. Box 127, Cumberland, and that a notice of said writ be published for four issues in the Islander newspaper, published at Cumberland, B.C.

AND NOTICE is further given that by said order you, Jung Yet, are required to appear to said writ, if you do appear, within 10 days from the publication of the last of the said four issues of the Islander.

Dated at Vancouver, B. C., this 23rd day of November, A.D. 1920.

E. N. HARVEY,
Solicitor for Plaintiff.

To Jung Yet, Cook,
Cumberland, B.C., Defendant.

D. Campbell's Meat Market

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Young Steer Beef, tender and juicy.
Veal, Pork and Mutton.

SPECIALS
Cambridge Pork Sausages.
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Polish Sausage
Veal Loaf
Boiled Ham
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Headcheese.

Have you tried our Pickled Pork and Corned Beef? It is delicious.

A man nearly eighty years of age walked ten miles from his home to an adjoining town. When he reached his destination he was greeted with some astonishment by an acquaintance.

"You walked all the way!" the latter exclaimed. "How did you get along?"

"Oh, first rate," the old man replied: "that is I did till I came to a sign—'Slow down to fifteen miles an hour.' That kept me back a bit."

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MAURICE TOURNEUR

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"The Life Line"

A Paramount Artcraft Picture

FOUNDED ON THE FAMOUS MELODRAMA OF THE SEA

"THE ROMANY RYE"

By GEORGE R. SIMMS Adapted by CHARLES S. WHITTAKER

See the drowning passengers saved from the sinking ocean line--the last word in spectacular thrills

MONDAY, JANUARY 10th

ENID BENNETT

— IN —

Stepping Out

A Paramount Picture

ENID BENNETT, as the neglected wife, fights the devil with fire in "Stepping Out"--and makes hubby wish he had never left his happy home.

Working at the Office--same old excuse. She knew how to tame a frivolous hubby.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, JANUARY 12th and 13th

DOLORES CASINELLI *in* "Tarnished Reputations"

Is the nude rude, even in art? A drama of a drifting soul

Also the Big Gun of Comedy

HAROLD LLOYD

In his Double Barreled Special

"AN EASTERN WESTERNER"

A Roar from Coast to Coast

He's the great big laugh sensation He's the tickler of the nation

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14th

"Vagabond Luck"

A Drama of Fast Horses and High Life

STARRING

ALBERT RAY

WITH

ELINOR FAIR

A racing comedy in which young love wins the handicap

COMMENCING NEXT FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 14th

The Management of the Ilo-Ilo Theatre Have Decided to Start a

Country Store

Prizes Including Sacks of Potatoes, Hams, Bacons, Etc., Will be Given Away

Particulars Will Be Announced Later

SPECIAL PURCHASE
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Ladies' and Children's Coats and Ladies' Skirts
AT RIDICULOUSLY CHEAP PRICES

AN OPPORTUITY WE SELDOM GET AND WHICH WE AVAILED OURSELVES OF, AND MEAN TO PASS ON TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

ALL-WOOL VELOUR COATS—Regular price $55.00. For quick sale at **$32.95**

ALL-WOOL VELOUR COATS—In Burgundy and various colors. A great bargain. All one price **$25.00**

LADIES' TWEED COATS—Only a few left. Out they go at this exceptionally low price **$17.95**

GIRLS' COATS AT ABOUT HALF PRICE. See them, they are beautiful quality goods ..... **$9.95** and **$12.50**

LADIES' SERGE AND TWEED SKIRTS—Only eighteen in the lot. Worth up to $15.00 each, going for **$7.95**

SILK SKIRTS—In pink only. Just a few to clear. A real snappy skirt. Will sell quick at this price **$6.95**

BE ON TIME AT

J. Sutherland
DRY GOODS
& GENT'S FURNISHINGS

Personal Mention

Mr. James M. Savage, of Victoria, General Manager of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd., arrived on Wednesday evening accompanied by Mrs. Savage and Mrs. Thomas Gore, and are now guests at Beaufort House, the official residence of the Canadian Collieries in the city. The General Manager will entertain the heads of the various departments at a dinner on Saturday evening. The annual function will, as usual, take place at Beaufort House.

Miss Ida McFadyen returned to Victoria on Monday.

The Misses Lorne and Floreen Dalby returned to St. Ann's Academy at Nanaimo on Monday.

Miss Delina Wilson, who has completed her commercial course at the Sprott Shaw College at Victoria, and passed her examinations successfully, is now residing with her parents in the city.

Miss G. Watson returned from a visit to Vancouver on Saturday.

Miss Carrie Richardson left for Victoria on Saturday morning.

Miss Coleman left for Victoria Saturday morning.

Mr. Arthur Wilkinson left for Portland on Wednesday.

Miss J. Seaton left for Nanaimo on Monday and will attend St. Ann's Academy in that city.

Mr. William Mordy left for Vancouver on Monday.

Mr. John Piper of this city, who has been confined to the hospital at Vancouver for the past twelve months, returned to Cumberland on Wednesday.

Mr. F. Ray returned from Victoria on Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Owen, Construction Engineer of the Canadian Collieries, left for Ladysmith on Thursday morning.

Miss Gladys Parks returned to Victoria on Monday.

Mrs. Noel Macfarlane of Nanaimo, who has been spending the holiday season with Mrs. John Bruce, returned home on Monday.

Miss M. Evans left for Vancouver on Thursday morning.

D. Stewart arrived from Portland on Tuesday's train.

Mr. C. R. Drader left for Victoria on Monday morning en route for Berkeley, California, where he will continue his studies in medicine at the Universitly of California.

Mr. E. Haywood returned from a visit to Victoria on Monday.

The following were guests at a week-end house party given by Mrs. John Bruce on New Year's: Mrs. Noel Macfarlane and daughter, of Nanaimo; Mr. Thomas Hudson of Union Bay; Mr. Arthur Wilkinson of Portland, Mrs. Arthur Wilkinson of Union Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilkinson of Union Bay. Mrs. Bruce expects to leave for Seattle and Portland during the latter part of the coming week.

Mrs. Shouldice wishes to thank the members of Harmony Rebekah Lodge No. 22 for underclothing received at Christmas.

SPECIALS

Squirrel Brand Peanut Butter, lb. 35c ..... 3 lbs. $1.00
Libby's Apple Butter, 1-lb. tins, 25c; 2½-lb. tins 50c
Crest Apricots, 1-lb. tins 25c
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tins $1.50
Pure Cherry Jam, 4-lb. tins $1.25
Pure Plum Jam, 4-lb. tins 95c
Pacific Milk, baby size tins, 10c ..... 12 for $1.00
Maple Leaf Milk, 16-oz. tins, 15c ..... 7 for $1.00
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkt. 15c ..... 7 for $1.00
McCormick's Sodas, per tin 75c

FOR BISCUITS

TRY THE FAMOUS
ROBBIE BURNS BRAND BISCUITS
Per pound 50c, 60c, 70c

SPECIAL

Five-sack lots of Yakima Netted Gem Potatoes, guaranteed best keepers; per sack $2.75

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SHIPPING AT CANADIAN COLLIERIES' COALING WHARF, UNION BAY

December 30—Swell and Scow, Victoria.

December 31—Charmer, Vancouver; Canadian, coastwise; Melanope, Vancouver; Coquitlam City, Ocean Falls; Squib, coastwise; Dauntless, coastwise.

January 3—Jessie Mac, coastwise; Tartar, Ocean Falls.

January 4—Dola and Scow, Vancouver; Glenboro, coastwise.

January 5—Princess Ena, coastwise; Oregon and Scows, Seattle.

ST. JOHN'S FIRST AID MEETING TOMORROW

Mr. Geo. O'Brien Will Read a Valuable Paper on "Mine Accidents and Preventives"

At the meeting of the St. John's First Aid and Mine Rescue Association tomorrow morning a very instructive as well as interesting paper will be read by Mr. Geo. O'Brien, Safety First Engineer of the Canadian Collieries.

All employees, of whatever vocation, are asked to attend this meeting.

WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE

The Men's Club of Holy Trinity is holding a whist drive and dance on Thursday next, January 13th, commencing at 8 o'clock. As this will be the only notice members are asked to keep it in mind. Admission fifty cents each for both ladies and gentlemen.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND

Ladies and Gentlemen—

At the request of a number of Voters of the City I am offering myself for re-election as Alderman for the year 1921.

Thanking you for past favors and trusting you will accord me a continuance of your support and confidence.

Yours truly,

J. C. Brown

G. W. V. A. WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE

The Ladies Auxiliary of the G. W. V. A., at the meeting on Thursday night, decided to hold a whist drive and dance in the Memorial Hall on Friday, December 21. Particulars will be announced next week.

AN APPEAL
For the Starving Millions of China

Public Meeting

will be held in the

ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL

on

Sunday Night

January 9th, at 8.30

to consider the best means to ensure adequate response from the citizens of Cumberland towards relieving the terrible famine conditions of North China.

Chairman:

Mayor D. R. MacDonald.

TENDERS WANTED

TENDERS wanted for building up a furnace room in basement and lining up the basement wall on the south side of building and laying a tongue and groove floor in basement; also repairs to fence and fixing up one gate. Particulars can be had from the secretary Royston School Board.

Tenders must be in on or before January 17th, 1921. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Church Notices

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. W. Leversedge.
Litany and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.
Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.
Evensong, 7 p.m.
ROYSTON—3.30 p.m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Rev. Father R. Beaton, Comox.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES
James Hood, Pastor.
Morning Service at 11.
Sunday School at 2.30.
Evening Service at 7.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30.
Choir practice Friday evening at 7.30.

Annual Meeting of the Congregation on Monday Evening.

The Annual Congregational Meeting of St. George's Presbyterian Church will be held on the evening of Monday, January 10, at 7.30. Reports from the various branches of the church will be given and plans discussed for future work. Refreshments will be served by the Ladies' Aid.

A cordial invitation is extended to all members and adherents and friends of the congregation to attend. A happy and profitable time will be spent together. Come and take part in the good work.

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. G. B. Kinney, B.A., F.R.G.S.
Sunday Junior Congregation, 11 a.m.
Sunday School and Bible Class, 2.30.
Regular Preaching Service, 7 p.m.
Young People's Society, Monday at 7.30 p.m.
S. B. Club, Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.
Basketball Clubs, Tuesday night.
Bible Class Study, Wednesday, 7.30.
Choir Practice, Thursday at 7.30.
W.H.O. Club, Friday, 7.30 p.m.

Thos. H. Carey
FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE
Cumberland, B. C.

G.W.V.A. MEMORIAL HALL
OPEN DAILY

The hall is now open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Sundays from 2 to 5 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Wm. H. McLellan and Mrs. Margaret Mitchell wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy during their sad loss.

LOST

LOST—BLACK COCKER SPANIEL pup with little white on breast. Please return to Mrs. M. J. Waddington, opposite Anglican Church.

RUBBER COAT—ON COURTENAY Road, between Cumberland and Courtenay. Reward given. Return to Islander Office. 1-2

WRIST WATCH, THURSDAY NIGHT within one block of Simon Leiser's; name inside. Reward. Apply The Islander Office. 1-3

LOST—HAND-MADE GOLD BROOCH, name on front in raised letters. Reward given on return to Islander.

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT, A PIANO. Apply Box 121, Courtenay. 2-2

FOUND

FOUND—A PURSE CONTAINING A small sum of money. Owner can have same by applying to Chief of Police.

ANNOUNCEMENT

F. C. Frazee, Chiropractor, has opened an office at Mrs. Cairns', Victoria Street, Courtenay. Consultation Free.

Safe-guard yourself against the Flu. Wampole's Cod Liver Oil at Frost's.

CANADIAN COLLIERIES (DUNSMUIR) LIMITED

St. John's First Aid and Mine Rescue Association

will meet on Sunday, January 9, instead of January 2.

The paper for this meeting will be given by Mr. Geo. O'Brien, Safety First Engineer of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited, on

Mine Accidents and Preventives

This paper is most instructive and interesting, and no one should miss the chance of hearing this valuable address.

The meeting starts at 10 a.m.

No employee, no matter what his duty may be, should miss this meeting. Everybody is welcome.

A. J. TAYLOR, Publicity Agent.

The paper at the following monthly meeting will be given by A. J. Taylor, entitled "Accidents in and About the Mine, and How They Affect Everybody."

To the Electors of the City of Cumberland

Ladies and Gentlemen—

In response to the request of a large number of the Ratepayers of the City, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for the Mayoralty of 1921.

I have done my best during the past year for the city's welfare, and think the financial standing as shown by the Auditor's Report will prove that.

I thank you all for your support in the past and trust my services have been such as will warrant a continuance of the same.

Yours truly,

D. R. MacDonald