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Campbell River Future Assured

SUCH IS OPINION OF HON T. D. PATTULLO ON PROPOSED PULP MILL

Hon.. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, is exceedingly optimistic respecting the impetus that the construction of the pulp and paper mills at Campbell River is to give to business generally on Vancouver Island. The Canadian Crown Willamette Company will lose no time in getting started on the undertaking, which, he says, will mean so much to the province.

This Company, it is undertsood, is not the owner of timber of its own. It will have to depend for its supply upon the open market, or upon leases or Crown grants which it may acquire.

The minister says that in the transactions with the government he took pains to ensure that immediate action took place. It was specified that there should be no lost time in carrying out the terms of the agreement entered into, and which means the expenditure of millions of dollars in that part of the Island.

A new townsite will be laid out, it is anticipated, at tidewater, and the minister points out that the operations of the company in the district will mean that there will be large areas of timber cleared off in the immediate neighborhood of the big mill.

As much of the land now timbered in that part of the province is arable when the timber has been removed, there will be a steady impetus given to farming in and about Campbell River, following the opening up of the works.

The effect, Mr. Pattullo thinks, will be felt all along the B.C. coast. Strongly financed, the company will be a very active factor in the industrial life of the province and will lend new life to the districts directly affected by the operations.

Arcadian Concert Party Please With Fine Entertainment

A very large audience greeted the Arcadian Concert Party on the occasion of their first performance in Cumberland on Tuesday evening last. The party, under the direction of Mr. A. J. Taylor, put in a lot of practice during the past few weeks, and their efforts on Tuesday last showed the result of such painstaking and persistent practice. Every number on the programme was exceptionally well received and the mirth provoking efforts of the comedians of the party were the "hit" of the evening. We are given to undertsand that a special request has been received by the Arcadians to put their show on in Courtenay in the near future. We can assure our Courtenay friends that if they are fortunate enough to persuade the Arcadians to give a concert, they have a treat in store.

Just as we were going to press, word was received that the Arcadians would present their concert at the Gaiety Theatre, Courtenay, next Thursday, at 8 p.m. sharp. We were also asked to announce the price of admission as, Adults, 50c; Children, 25c. The concert will be followed by a dance.

Fine Of $10 And Costs Imposed

Before Magistrate T. Carey, at the Court House, Cumberland, on Friday last, Y. Ode, a Japanese employee of the Canadian Collieries (D), Ltd., was charged with failing to sufficiently prop up top coal in his working place, 11 West level, No. 1 slope of No. 4 Mine. This is contrary to special rule No. 76 of the above Company's regulations and Section 102 of the Coal Mines Regulation Act of British Columbia. Ode pleaded guilty and was fined $10.00 and costs.

P. T. A. MEETING MONDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent Teachers Association will be held in the School on Monday, March 28th, at 7:30 p.m. Rev. J. R. Hewitt will deliver an address on "The School and the Home in relation to Citizenship." A cordial invitation is extended to all interested.

YOUNG MAN SUICIDES

"Wish No Longer to Live And Am Going to End It All" Says Note

CAMPBELL RIVER, Mar. 23.—John Balean, a young man of nineteen years of age, and from the Prairie, was found dead last Sunday afternoon in a gasoline launch at Bloedel. A note was found written to his brother in Vancouver, saying that he wished no longer to live and was going to end it all. The inquest was held at Bloedel on Monday by Coroner Dr. R. Zeigler, the verdict being "suicide." The remains were taken to Courtenay by Mr. J. Sutton.

Lacrosse To Be Tried Here; May Supplant Soccer

Once upon a time, long, long ago, lacrosse was a popular game here in Cumberland until it died a natural death in favor of soccer. But now that the latter game, in turn, is being mourned as gone forever, lacrosse enthusiasts have awakened from their lethargy and are planning to put this popular sport once more in the prominent position it used to occupy. In order to accomplish this, a number of erstwhile players (and Cumberland has several of championship calibre) have called a meeting for 7 o'clock next Tuesday evening, to be held in the Athletic Club. Everyone interested is urged to attend and help establish this national game on the sound footing it deservedly merits. Those who have never seen lacrosse played have a rare treat in store for them when the referee's whistle starts the ball flying from stick to stick in the first game played in Cumberlnad for many a moon. Boost the sport by attending the meeting next Tuesday!

— ANNOUNCEMENT —

The Courtenay Volunteer Fire Brigade will hold a dance at the Imperial Pavilion, Royston, on Saturday, April 9th. Orchestra will be announced later. Keep this date open.

Registration Certificate Necessary For License

W. H. Cope, City Clerk, has been notified by provincial assessor A. Aitken that after March 31 every person who applies for a trades license to practice any trade, business or profession in Cumberland, must produce a. certificate of registration under the Taxation Act.

Persons practicing any trade, business or profession who fail to register under the act will be liable to a fine of $10 for each day during which the default continues. After April 30 police court proceedings will be taken against persons who have failed to register.

Successful A.O.F. Social And Concert Wednesday Night

The local lodge of the Ancient Order of Foresters met in the Fraternal Hall on Wednesday evening last and thoroughly enjoyed a social and concert. A very notable contribution to the evening's entertainment was a very lucid talk on Forestry by Mr. D. Tweedhope, chief ranger. Delectable refreshments were served, the members of the lodge doing full justice to the many good eats their lady friends had so thoughtfully provided. The concert was of a very high order, and some hitherto unknown talent discovered. Those contributing to the programme included: Messrs. C. Edwards, T. Carney, W. Bruce, W. McMillan, R. Strachan, A. Farmer, Jas. Bond, Wm. Brown, J. P. Rennie, R. T. Brown, J. Davis, W. Jackson, W. Devoy and S. Hunt, these gentlemen contributing songs which were well received. In addition to the above singers, Messrs. J. Robb, H. Farmer and E. Hughes recited, whilst Messrs. W. Jackson and R. T. Brown gave a dialogue, taking off a Chinese lumber deal, which caused roars of laughter. Mr. C. Edwards acted as accompanist throughout the evening.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED?

The voters' list closes on Monday, April 4th, at the Court House, Cumberland. If you are not already on the list, better register right away. Only a few more days left.

Caught In The Act Of Stealing Sheep; Marauder Is Shot

COURTENAY, March 23.—Caught in the act of stealing sheep and shot. That was the fate of a marauder seen by Mr. Keith McKenzie, secretary of the Comox District Gun Club, when he was going over the Island Highway between here and Campbell River a day or so ago. There was the destroyer in the midst of Swanski's and McGimpsy's flock of ewes at Oyster River, devouring a young lamb with the sheep looking on in terror. Mr. McKenzie had no gun with him, but made all possible haste to the nearest house, which happened to be McGimpsy's. He was soon back at the scene of the killing. Creeping up on the slayer, Mr. McKenzie hoped to get close enough for an effective shot. As he approached however, the bird, a large bald-headed eagle, rose from the ground on out-stretched wings. A shot, however, brought the great bird down with a broken wing when it was quickly dispatched.

In fairness to the eagle, which had been shot on a previous occasion, causing the partial loss of one of its feet, Mr. McKenzie says that owing to the loss of claws on this foot it was unable to fish successfully and was therefore compelled to seek its living by some other means. The big bird is now in the window of the Piket Electric and Sporting Goods store on Union Street.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR LITTLE TOT

Little Miss Margaret Zanini was the guest of honor on Tuesday afternoon at a party held at the home of her Aunt, Mrs. West Stockand, the occasion being her third birthday. The fourteen little guests, after partaking of the many dainties provided on a laden table, ended the afternoon by playing games and drawing from a novelty bath. After wishing Margaret sincere birthday greetings, they left merrily for their respective homes.

The guests were Margaret Zanini, Raymond Stockand, Sammy and Sister Stockand, Helen, Jean, Mable and Tommy Sommerville, Barbara McNeil, Mary and Andy Coleman, Gladys Collings, May Bilton and Edward Stockand.

Keep April 11 open for the Canada Bee. School Choir contest, School concert and display of work. All for one admission.

NOTE CHANGE OF DATE

A Sale of Home Cooking will be held in the United Church Hall on May 4th (not April 20th as advertised last week), under auspices of Ladies Aid of Cumberland United Church. Afternoon tea will be served.

Water Service Wanted For Naval Men At Comox

COURTENAY, March 24.—Mayor McKenzie has intimated that it is the intention of the City Council to lay a water pipe to the head of Comox wharf and there was no doubt that the boats could be supplied to the mutual advantage of all concerned. It was pointed out that the Boys Naval Brigade would probably be encamped at Goose Spit this Summer.

The observation was made when a letter from Mr. George Phillips, manager of H.M.C. dockyard at Esquimalt inquired if the city could supply water at Comox for the ships and at what cost. He pointed out that at times there were considerable men at practice on the rifle range at Goose Spit. The water would be required for the use of the ships crews while at Comox and for the boilers. He also inquired as to the depth of water at the Comox wharf at low tide.

Fire Dept. Wants Chemical Truck

Alderman Dougles made two reports. One was on behalf of the fire department, in which he gave an account of a meeting at Comox which was attended by a number of the citizens there when the matter of fire protection was discussed. Fire Chief Thompson had shown that the Courtenay brigade could reach Comox very quickly. A chemical engine at the cost of $1,000 is to be purchased. Owing to a fire call from Courtenay the meeting broke up abruptly.

The Idiens' Bros. of Royston had offered the free use of the Imperial Pavilion to the fire department, and it had been decided to put on a dance in the near future.

Alderman Douglas also reported, as chairman of the board of works, giving details of construction work done within the city. There was some discussion concerning a ditch which it had been found necessary to deepen, and the 12-inch drain tiles therein were being replaced with smaller pipes. The salvaging of the larger pipes, it was claimed, would more than pay for the cost of deepening.

Ald. Douglas Honored

An unnamed street was drawn to the attention of the Council and Alderman Macdonald thought the Council should suggest a name for it. The Mayor said he would go one better than that, and proposed that the street should be named Douglas Street after the chairman of the board of works. The Mayor's suggestion was adopted.

Alderman Macdonald in the absence of Alderman Pearse, chairman of the finance committee, reported a special meeting where an overdue water account had been discussed and arrangements made for future payment.

Meter Reading a Success

Reporting as chairman of the electric committee, Alderman Macdonald showed that the meter reading system by postcard was a success. About eighty per cent of the light consumers

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COMOX VALLEY DAIRY HERDS RANK HIGHEST IN THE PROVINCE

COURTENAY, March 23.—Dairy herds of the Comox Valley are the highest producers of butter fat in the whole of British Columbia. This fact stands out clearly in a summary just issued by the Dairy branch of the Provincial Dept. of Agriculture. The average percentage of butter-fat for the Courtenay-Comox herds is five per cent, which is seventy-five points higher than the next best. There are eight cow-testing associations in the province, keeping records of a total of 1,907 cows. This figure shows an increase of four hundred animals over the previous year.

The average for all the cow-testing associations in the province compared with the Comox association is as follows:

	lbs. milk	lbs. butter-fat	% fat
Average of the eight Associations....	7,825	317.1	4.05
Average of the Comox cows.....	6,571	328.3	5.00

The result of ten years' work in the Comox Coy-testing association shows the remarkable increase of approximately one hundred pounds of butter-fat per cow. Figures for four years are as under:

Year	Milk	Butter-fat	Year	Milk	Butter-fat
1915	4,950	231.3	1925	6,457	325.9
1916	5,044	229.7	1926	6,571	328.3

The average production of the milking periods of all cows in each of the eight associations for the last two years is as under:

Association	Year	lbs. milk	% fat	lbs. fat
Chilliwack	1925	6,900	4.3	296.9
	1926	7,202	4.0	287.3
Comox Valley	1925	6,457	5.04	325.9
	1926	6,571	5.0	328.3
Langley	1925	7,675	3.8	295.1
	1926	7,788	3.77	295.0
Okanagan	1925	8,469	4.2	353.2
	1926	8,244	4.24	349.5
Pitt Meadows & Maple Ridge	1926	6,662	4.23	279.9
Richmond-Ladner	1925	8,596	3.7	318.6
	1926	9,175	3.75	344.3
Sumas-Matsqui	1925	8,241	3.8	312.8
	1926	8,366	3.83	320.8
Surrey	1926	8,365	4.25	355.5

Earnings Enough For First Time To Pay All Fixed Charges

SIR HENRY W. THORNTON, K.B.E.
President and Chairman of the Board of Directors, Canadian National Railways

OTTAWA, March 23.—Net earnings in 1926 of $48,225,029—an increase of $14,781,731 or 44.2 per cent over the preceding year—are shown in the annual report of the Canadian National System, tabled in the House of Commons today by Hon. Charles Dunning, minister of railways and canals. The gross earnings of the system, including the lines of the Central Vermont, are $275,570,310, an increase of $21,861,536 over 1925, while operating expenses increased only $7,079,804.

Sir Henry Thornton, chairman and president, in his report, says:

"The figures reflect what may be fairly regarded as a satisfactory position. An increase in the system's gross earnings of 8.6 per cent indicates a generally satisfactory business situation throughout Canada and it is equally gratifying to note that with an increase of nearly $22,000,000 in gross earnings there was an increase of only $1,000,000 in transportation expenses. A reduction in the operating ratio from 86.82 to 82.5 shows a further improvement in operating efficiency. For the first time the net earnings for the year are more than sufficient to pay all fixed charges due the public.

"It is but fair to call attention to the fact that during the first years of system consolidation there have been many opportunities for economy. Much of this field has been exhausted and while efficiency and low operating costs will be vigorously sought, it is not probable that corresponding percentage improvements can be maintained, especially when it is remembered that certain wage increases have already been granted to employees, and others are in negotiation which will tend to affect operating results."

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Potter wish to announce the engagement of their neice, Marie May Hughes, to Mr. Thomas Clive Banks, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Banks.

Archie Dick To Represent High School In Contest

Archie Dick, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dick, Dunsmuir Ave., Cumberland, was the winner of the oratorical contest in the Cumberland High School, thereby becoming the representative of his school in the district elimination contest to select finalists in the B.C. oratorical contest. The provincial champion will compete with champion orators from the secondary schools of the other provinces for the Dominion championship at Ottawa. A trip to Europe is the major prize; in October there will be a trip to Washington as Canada's representative in the International Oratorical contest, open to the world.

MRS. MARGARET MILLARD LOSES IN ACTION AGAINST BEVAN LUMBER COMPANY

VANCOUVER, March 24.—Following trial in Supreme Court, Mr. Justice McDonald has dismissed an action by Mrs. Margaret P. Millard, 1176 Twelfth avenue west, to recover $8137 from the Bevan Lumber & Shingle Company Ltd., of Bevan.

Plaintiff alleged that on October 16, 1920, she loaned $5500 to the company which it promised to repay with interest at 8 per cent. The company defended on the ground that the money was advanced to purchase stock and that shares had been allotted Mrs. Millard.

His Lordship stated that he thought evidence offered by the defendant to be preferred to that offered by the plaintiff, and that the action must therefore be dismissed.

Mr. Cecil Killam was counsel for Mrs. Millard, and Mr. W. B. Farris, K.C., and Mr. Gordon Sloan, for defendant company.

"Sacki" Scores Four To Clinch League

Winding up the 1927 San Francisco soccer league, the Sons of St. George last Sunday came through with a 6-1 win over the Teutonia eleven, thereby clinching the league and the silverware. "Sacki" Conti, former Cumberland star, was the big factor in the Sons' win, scoring four of the six goals. According to the "Examiner," Conti did exactly as he pleased, breaking through the Germans' defense and scoring at will.

The Sons' victory in the San Francisco league comes as a climax to the hardest race in a decade for soccer leadership in that ctiy. The Sons opened the season like champions, only to falter as the mid-season games rolled around. The Barbarians and Olympic Club sucessively took the leadership. In the last three games the Sons have beaten the Burns, Olympic Club and Teutonia. Their finish gave them the championship.

As their name implies, the Sons of St. George are all British subjects resident in San Francisco.

Successful Season Looms For Tennis In Cumberland

In spite of counter attractions, the annual meeting of the Cumberland Tennis Club, held last Tuesday night, was fairly well attended and the enthusiasm manifested bodes well for the success of the game this year in Cumberland. Mr. W. H. Cope, last year's president of the Club, was not able to attend the meeting, and in his absence Mr. A. R. Stacey was asked to take the chair. New officers for the season 1927 were elected as follows:

Honorary president, Mr. Thomas Graham; president, Mr. A. R. Stacey; vice-president, Dr. E. R. Hicks; secretary, Miss P. Partridge; treasurer, Mr. G. W. Clinton. The executive committee is composed of the above, together with Mrs. G. W. Clinton, Miss M. Brown, Mr. W. H. Cope and Mr. J. Millar.

Fees were the subject of much discussion, but were finally left the same as last year, namely: $7.50 for single members; $10.00 for married couples, and $4.00 for half seasons, the latter to run from April 1st to June 30th, and from July 1st to end of season. In cases of two in a family, the fee was set at $10.00, provided that one is not a wage earner. Junior members will again be taken in at $2.00 per season. All fees must be paid to the secretary before April 27, Wednesday; and this date was also set as the official opening day. Afternoon tea will probably be served on the courts on this occasion.

The meeting urged that the executive committee convene as soon as possible, in order to make arrangements for the re-wiring of the courts and other minor repairs that may be needed. Prospective members may have the use of the courts at any time now.

In view of the recent successful badminton season, it is felt that tennis will also experience a decided boost in popularity, as the two games are not dissimilar and badminton players on all sides have signified their intention of taking up the outdoor game. Members are urged to pay their fees as soon as possible so that the committee will be in a position financially to have the courts put in shape at the earliest possible moment.

The Whole Town's Talking The laugh of a lifetime---see it at the Gaiety, this Saturday. Note the place Courtenay

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ARE YOU AFRAID?

A great many people fail to get ahead in the race of life because they are beaten at the start. They are whipped before the fight begins, and they do it all themselves. Just suppose, for example, you see an opportunity for a good investment and you haven't enough money to swing the deal. You determine to face your banker and tell him what you would like to do. It sounds simple, but it requires some courage and, as the time for the ordeal approaches, your courage oozes away and you let the opportunity slip.

You simply can't make good. You set yourself a dare, and now you haven't the nerve to see the thing through.

You decide to reach out for another and better job a little higher up the ladder. But you are afraid to face the boss and ask for the better job. In this way you put yourself one grade lower instead of climbing higher. And never again will you be the man you were until you finish what you began. It may be that you are not entitled to the loan at the bank or that you don't deserve the better job. It may be that the bank wouldn't let you have the money or the boss give you the better job in any case. That part doesn't matter. The part that matters is that you didn't have the courage to tackle the proposition.

Every time you begin a thing and then fail to see it through, you make the habit of failure a little stronger; and after a while you get yourself so thoroughly whipped that you haveh't a chance in the world. Pick out those hard jobs and finish them. You may finish with a bloody nose and a black eye, but that doesn't matter. The wounds will be a badge of courage, proof that you had the nerve to tackle the job. The men that are succeeding and getting ahead are the men who have the courage to enter the fight and stick until they finish it. Nothing can whip you if you make up your mind to win and fight square.

SUPERSTITIONS

Do you carefully remove the bubbles from your breakfast cup of coffee and hastily swallow them in the belief that they mean money? Don't be ashamed if you do; stand right up and admit it. If you spill the salt do you throw a pinch of it over your left shoulder to avoid bad luck? The head waitress of a large restaurant chain, who has supervised the serving of millions, can tell you of hundreds of little superstitions of the men and women who do not eat at home.

Have you ever noticed how people will step out into the gutter to avoid passing under a ladder? Many of us will not trim our finger nails on Sunday, believing that if we do we will commit some act of which we will be ashamed during the week.

These traits undoubtedly were little superstitions at one time with the individual. But any student of psychology will explain that they have long since lost that identity and have become habits.

Great men, poor men, rich men, housewives and flappers, without exception, are all the slaves of some habit or habits. We all believe in the four-leaved clover, the rabbit's foot, the horseshoe and the black cat. What success many of us would attain could we but develop some little productive superstition in our daily labor, mature it to the point where it blossomed forth into a habit and then always be its slave.

TWO MEN ON THE SAME JOB

Among the employees of a certain shop are two young men that we have been watching for some time. One chap looks upon his job as a means to get enough to pay for his board and clothes and then see a couple shows a week. From morning until night he is roaming over his "hard luck," for he has to work. Everything he does is done with a growl and a groan. On the same job, and under the same management, is another chap who invites the opportunity to be of service to the patrons of the house. All day long he is busy trying to do something for somebdy—trying to be of service—indirectly trying to boost business. He lives his work, and his associates like him. The first employee is a predestined failure. The second man is destined to be a success.

One man works simply to hold his job, the other holds his job because he loves to work. One man is bound to lose his job sooner or later. The other man will soon be invited to accept greater responsibilities and will soon receive more pay.

When the time-killer gets fired, he will condemn the management. When the true-service man is promoted, unthinking employees will call it favoritism; but the thinkink employees will know that the advancement of the man is nothing but recognition of service well rendered.

Any man can get a job, but it requires hard work, head-work and heart-work, to step out of a job into a position. You can fool yourself all of the time, but you can fool the management only a part of the time.

ELECTRIC IRONS

The electric iron, useful cold in almost any capacity from a paperweight to a sledgehammer, and hot for anything from its intended purpose to frying eggs and heating curling irons, is another malefactor. In most households there is no readily visible way to tell whether the current has been turned off and the results are sometimes curious, sometimes disastrous. An iron fed from an overhead socket charred its way over night, without flaming, through the ironing board and hung suspended by its cord between ceiling and floor, red-hot when the housewife found it next morning. Little damage, no fire claim, large electricity bill, and tremendous possibilities. Others left "for just a minute" while madame answers telephone or door have started real fires, beyond home control, when the neglectful user returned. Have a metal stand—and use it.

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

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

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

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

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

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

PURCHASE

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

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESTEAD LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtained after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

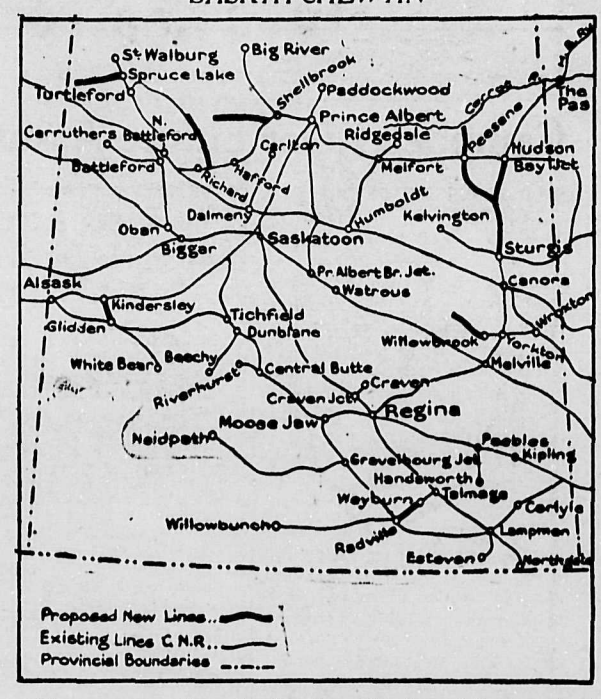
LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

PROPOSED C. N. R. BRANCH LINES FOR SASKATCHEWAN



The programme of construction work on the Canadian National Railways in Saskatchewan to be completed by August, 1930, and now having the consideration of Parliament, comprises the following lines:

Weyburn to Radville, 22.7 miles:—Two objects, the railway management states, would be attained by the construction of this line; first, relief would be given to the farmers along its route in respect to their wagon haul to market; and second, the communities Radville, Bengough, and Willowbunch, would be brought into more direct rail communication with the distributing centre of Weyburn, their rail distance to Weyburn being reduced by 133 miles. The route to Moose Jaw would be 14 miles shorter and to Regina, 28 miles shorter. The line would run through a well settled grain-growing district and one in which mixed farming is increasing. The road haul of the farmers to market at present reaches 15 miles in the centre of the area, and the farmers are looking forward to the development of dairying if their road haul is reduced.

Willowbrook North-Westerly, 22 miles—This is a development and colonization branch in the mid-eastern part of the province. The purpose of the line is to give better railway communication to the district north-west of Willowbrook, lying between the Yorkton branch of the C.P.R. and the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Eventually it is planned to extend this line through the unserved area between the existing railways. With the exception of the Beaver Hills forest reserve, the area is well populated and good crops are generally obtained. It is felt that the shortening of the road haul to the farmers will offer encouragement for further settlement and development.

Sturgis to near Peesane, 100 miles:—This line in the north eastern part of the province would open up a large area of good agricultural land and give railway transportation to the Soldiers' Settlements south of Peesane. It would provide a shorter and better through route for traffic from the Melfort and Prince Albert districts to Winnipeg and the head of the lakes. There is ample precipitation for crop raising and mixed farming in the area. The proposed new mileage would also form part of the link between Hudson Bay Junction and the lines of the Canadian National in Southern Saskatchewan.

Peesane, Northerly, 19 miles:—The purpose of this line is to open up and give rail communication to an important section of the Carrot River country. The territory on both sides of the Carrot River, as far east as Range 9, has a very good character of soil and is now being cleared off. This is one of the best grain growing districts in the West, having ample rainfall each year. There is considerable settlement and this will be greatly encouraged by better railway facilities.

Shellbrook (or near Parkside) Westerly, 37 miles:—For a considerable time the people living in the district to be traversed by the proposed line have been in need of railway facilities. There already is good settlement and development, there being a high proportion of excellent agricultural land for grain growing and mixed farming. This branch which, in the opinion of the Railway, would be justified by the cutting down of the wagon haul of the settlers and the opening up of more land, eventually would be extended to tie in with the Turtleford-Hafford line.

Turtleford, S.E., Mile 67, to between Hafford and Richard, 35.6 miles:—The reason for proposing this line, the Railway management states, is the opening up of new territory and the reduction in operating cost on that part of the line already built and running southeast from Turtleford. The proposed extension from the present end of steel to link up with the Prince Albert-North Battleford line of the Canadian National would run through a section of good agricultural land, partly developed. As the line now stands, operation from the end of the line for business to and from eastern points has to be handled 72 miles extra, compared to the distance if the line were finished to a point west of Hafford. From the same point business to and from North Battleford is penalized 42 miles.

Kindersley-Glidden, 18 miles:—This is a cut-off to offer economic and operating advantages, the cut-off to run from the Goose Lake Line to the parallel line to the south, extending from Alsask to Dunblane. Recently Dunblane was connected by rail to the Riverhurst sub-division, thus making a short route to Moose Jaw, Regina, and points east. This proposed cut-off from Kindersley to Glidden would allow of a more efficient and economical method of handling the business between points west of Alsask over the new route to Moose Jaw, Regina and points east and will allow of a better handling of motive power and improved engine terminal arrangement.

Spruce Lake (Near)—Westerly, 29.5 miles:—This proposed line to run westerly from Spruce Lake is a colonization and development branch which is intended later to link up with the line running easterly from Elk Point, Alberta. Considering the topographical difficulties this branch will, as far as is possible, meet the requirements for railway relief to the districts of Paradise Hill, Tangleflags and Fort Pitt. In the districts named there are good settlements with considerable development and this development will be very much increased when the transportation, which at present is difficult, is improved.

Hudson Bay Junction Southerly to meet proposed Sturgis-Peesane Line, 32 miles:—This branch is proposed to link the Hudson Bay Railway with the south lines of the National System. The branch is included in the three year programme at the instance of the Department of Railways for the proper operation of railway traffic for the Hudson Bay route, on the assumption that such traffic will be offering before the period of three years has elapsed, the construction of the line being conditional upon the completion of the Hudson Bay Railway and of the ocean terminal to a point where through traffic could be handled.

For traffic to and from points on the Canadian National Railways south of Canora, with this link Hudson Bay Junction to Sturgis built, the route distance to the Hudson Bay would be shorter by 120 miles than by existing lines. It is calculated that 160 trains (of 50 cars each) routed by this cut-off, exclusive of local traffic would justify the annual cost.

THE PUZZLE CORNER

Puzzle No. 280

Each of the following sentences contains the name of a city, town or village in the United States.

Now let the doctor see Jumbo's tongue.

If you are the curlew I stoned yesterday I apologize.

Frightened by the terrible mob I led sister away.

How Anna polishes the silver when Jack is expected.

Just look at that superb Angora cat.

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Puzzle No. 281

Aunt Mary bought some peanuts for the children and gave to the eldest, a boy, one peanut and one-quarter of the remainder. To the next in age, a girl, she likewise gave one peanut and one-quarter of the remainder. To the third, a boy, she also gave one peanut and one-quarter of the remainder. The little tot also received one peanut and one-quarter of what was left.

It was then found that the boys had received one hundred more peanuts than the girls. From these facts you are asked to determine how many peanuts Aunt Mary kept for herself.

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Puzzle No. 282

"This seems rather steep," protested Algy, "60 cents for two simple luncheons."

"War time prices," replied the little waitress, "and besides I served three pieces of pie."

"That's true and you ate two of them," remarked Percy to Algy, "but we were even on the rest of the meal which amounted to 36 cents more than the three pieces of pie. I'll owe you my share of the bill."

How much does Percy owe Algy?

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Puzzle No. 283

I leave it to the ingenuity of our puzzleists to figure out a reasonable reply to the following query from a collector of rare, old manuscripts. He is not accustomed to expressing himself in the ordinary, understandable way that most of us choose. He says:

"Regarding the value of all of my letters shown, I would say that two are worth six dollars, ten are worth ten dollars, while none is worth sixteen dollars. One being worth eleven dollars, I would like you to estimate the value of a TON upon the same basis.

"Respectfully, T. Owen."

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Puzzle No. 284

THE SOLILOQUY OF A LITTLE CHICKEN.

"Here's what's going to fly the coop,
Boss the yard and make things whoop.
I won't be sat on by a hen,
I want to roost up with the men;
Flap and crow as father uster,
Fight and strut like a full-fledged rooster,
Join the union agitators,
Smash and boycott incubators!
Now, mama halves her legal thirds
Of papa's worms to feed us birds;
But what's the chance of grub for me
(Although as smart as any three)
With fifteen others in the brood,
In one long scramble after food?

There's a mathematical problem from an egg shell: What are the chances of that little broiler to catch an early worm?

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

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Answers to Last Week's Puzzles

No. 275—Mill, Scamp, Page, Harbor, Black.

No. 276—"One thousand papers and twenty more, was what the boys had first in store. Both Tom and Ned did pretty well, four hundred copies so quick to sell; but little Jimmy did the best, and with his brothers sold the rest." Therefore the Joneses won out by 220 papers.

No. 277—SHOE minus HOE plus WALL plus SOW plus SOW minus SOWS equals SWALLOW.

No. 278—In that marked-down sale of china Mrs. Bargainhunter bought ten plates at 13 cents each on Saturday and returned them on Monday for eighteen saucers at 12 cents each, making a total of $1.50, as she returned the plates at 15 cents each; but on Saturday she could have bought 13 cups at 10 cents each, so she really lost 32 cents by the exchange.

No. 279—Vivian vividly voiced various verses.

GOLF MILLIONS

So golf has attained to the ranking of "big business." In the United States, they say, over a billion dollars was spent on golf in 1926. The figure will be exceeded in 1927, what with a thousand new courses coming into play and millions being spent on improving old courses.

Even in Canada, golf expenditures run into the millions. We have not 4000 clubs as have the Americans, but we have 500 clubs and the Canadian Golfer says that it is not pulling a long boy to state that $100,000,000 will be spent on golf in Canada in 1927.

Golf is the universal sport; for men and for women; for rich and poor; (witness sets of clubs at $2.95 and civic courses at 25 cents a round); for thin men and fat men; for clergymen and prize fighters; for youngsters and oldsters; for city men and farmers.

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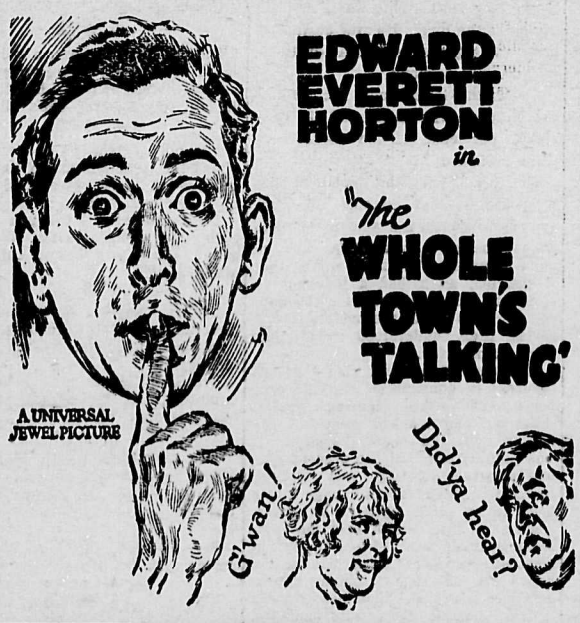

WILLIAM FOX presents THE COUNTRY BEYOND

by JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD

Tuesday
March 29

CURWOOD'S
Great Novel
of Broadway
and the
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with
OLIVE BORDEN
Ralph Graves
Gertrude Astor

also Chapter 2
of
"The Silent
Flyer"

Wednesday-Thursday March 30-31

CORINNE GRIFFITH
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in *"Syncopating Sue"*

She had music at her finger-tips—jazz in her toes—a trap drummer in her heart—and Broadway in her soul.

Friday and Saturday, April 1 - 2

YOU MODERN GIRLS! Learn to break hearts. An absolute necessity in this day of keen competition for husbands. See how to catch a man in the most approved Hollywood fashion. Find out how to juggle two prospective fiancees before making your choice. Get a free lesson from a great movie star—one who is famous the country over for making men behave or misbehave, as she chooses. See Laura La Plante in her latest picture.

Presented by Carl Laemmle. From the story, "Doubling for Lora" by Peggy Gaddis.

LAURA LA PLANTE
in
"HER BIG NIGHT"
With an All Star Cast

Movies

Attractions for the Coming Week

CORINNE SWIMS HUDSON RIVER

Tom Moore and Corinne Griffith were two people in New York who didn't stretch their eyes with wonder when Gertrude Ederle swam the English Channel.

"Humph!" snorted the movie stars. "We swam the Hudson River—or almost all of it."

In "Syncopating Sue," which comes to the Ilo-Ilo on Tuesday, March 29, and to the Gaiety on Wednesday and Thursday, March 30-31, the beautiful star and her genial leading man, filmed a sequence in which Tom jumped off an Atlantic liner as it was sailing out of New York for Europe, and Corinne jumped from the dock to help pull him out.

"Syncopating Sue" has a lot of novelty. Broadway critics said it beat "Classified."

"FLESH AND THE DEVIL" A NEW SCREEN TRIUMPH FOR POPULAR STAR

John Gilbert, the famous doughboy of "The Big Parade," isn't a one-role actor by any means. His greatest success was as the American soldier—and now he has turned about and scored another success just as great—as a young German.

It proves two things—one of them that John Gilbert is an actor who can essay anything and do a great piece of work; another is that young men are young men the world over, and the color of the flag that flies over their native land doesn't have anything to do with the color of the red blood of youth.

All of which is to say that John Gilbert has done one of the greatest pieces of work in his career in "Flesh and the Devil," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's adaptation of Sudermann's "The Undying Past." The picture will be shown at the Gaiety Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, April 20-21, and at the Ilo-Ilo Theatre on Friday and Saturday, April 22-23.

"HER BIG NIGHT" IS LAURA LA PLANTE'S BEST AND FUNNIEST

Great Feature Cast in Elaborate Comedy-Drama Coming to Gaiety Theatre

"Her Big Night" was all of that. It is probably the biggest night in anybody's career, and the picturization of it, which graces the screen at the Gaiety theatre on Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2, is one of the most diverting light comedy productions of the year.

Laura La Plante wins fresh laurels as the star of this picture. It is her first actual starring role, and she amply justifies the judgment of the Universal Picture Corporation in having selected her for stardom.

Despite the presence in the cast of almost a dozen experienced and talented troupers, Miss La Plante is never in danger of being overshadowed, no matter how riotous the fun of the picture becomes. Her charming personality, and her inherent sense of comedy make her a star of very great magnitude.

"Her Big Night" is plainly and frankly farce comedy, nothing else. It starts with a very realistic, and therefore very funny, bargain-counter rush in a department store, contains frantic press agents trying to find lost movie stars, inquisiitve reporters trying to run down scandal stories about cinema celebrities, jealous husbands and wives attempting to find their respective mates and safeguard them from sirens and homewreckers.

It moves, without a single dull moment, to a climax which approaches bedlam in its high comedy.

No better story could possibly have been found with which to introduce Miss La Plante to the screen as a star. Her personality fits into it perfectly.

'RETURN OF PETER GRIMM' IS A GREAT PICTURE

Every so often some motion picture concern turns out a production which is off the beaten path. A picture, as it were, that one is inclined to talk of long after seeing it.

Which is all by the way of describing "The Return of Peter Grimm," which comes to the Ilo-Ilo Theatre this week-end, Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26.

"The Return of Peter Grimm" deals with life's greatest question—can the dead commune with the living? The play did not attempt to answer this question. Neither does the picture. But the great problem is presented in vivid fashion and the spectator is permitted to draw his or her own conclusion.

Some of the most dramatic scenes ever recorded by the motion picture camera are incorporated in to the final sequences when the kindly old Peter Grimm returns in the shadow and observes a situation which greatly distresses him. The scenes between Peter, and the little boy who had been mysteriously left on Peter's doorstep and raised under the kindly care of the central character, are touching in the extreme.

RUSSIAN SNOWS IN HOLLYWOOD

"My Official Wife," the Warner production, starring Irene Rich and Conway Tearle, directed by Paul Stein and coming to the Ilo-Ilo next Wednesday and Thursday, March 30 and 31, was filmed during the month of July in Hollywood, notwithstanding which it contains a scene of swirling winter in snow-swept Russia. And the scene is not a "fake." It was taken in the mountains within fifty miles of Hollywood.

One need not go far above Hollywood to find any sort of "location." The sets for "My Official Wife" were built in the snow, some time before the sequence was to be shot. A native mountaineer was paid to keep the director informed as to weather conditions. Upon his report that snow was beginning to fall, generators, lighting equipment, and the company was rushed out of Hollywood summer up into the wintry hills.

Though the filming of the scenes required eighteen hours, the blizzard was still showing no signs of abating, and much difficulty was experienced in moving the heavy trucks for the return. A few hours later the erstwhile "Russians" were in folderols or white flannels, enjoying smokes and cool drinks, under palm trees or rose-covered pergolas down in Hollywood!

LYA DE PUTTI CALLED NEW SCREEN WONDER

Twenty-five years ago, in Budapest, the start was made for what was to develop into a national sensation in 1927.

Lya de Putti was born!

Today, no more unique personality can be named in motion pictures. One sensation that followed twenty-five years after her birth was her appearance in "The Prince of Tempters," in which she is featured with Ben Lyon, Lois Moran, and Mary Brian, which comes to the Ilo-Ilo next Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2.

Miss de Putti is a slight girl, just over five feet in height, and weighing about 103 pounds. She has extraordinary black bobbed hair, and flashing brown eyes that appear, sometimes, to be black.

BEGAN IN BALLET

As a little girl, Lya de Putti studied dancing and eventually joined the ballet of the Winter Garden in Berlin, where her talent won her recognition and promotion to premier danseuse.

De Putti made her bow to this country in "Variety," and now is appearing in the big special production, "The Prince of Tempters."

Ilo-Ilo Theatre

Monday, March 28

James Oliver Curwood's Story

"THE COUNTRY BEYOND"

with

OLIVE BORDEN

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Tuesday, March 29

Corinne Griffith
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Also GENE TUNNEY
in
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Friday and
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Lya de Putti
and
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in

News of Courtenay and District

DOROTHY LOGGIE LAID TO HER REST

COURTENAY, March 20.—The funeral of Dorothy Loggie, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Loggie, of Union Bay road, who met her death as a result of riding on the reach of a hay wagon, took place on Thursday afternoon. The Rev. W. Alexander conducted the service at the residence and interment took place at the United Church cemetery at Sandwick. Six boys, all neighbors of the bereft family, carried the small coffin to the grave. These were Gordon Blackhall, Curtis Williamson, Hugh Salmond, Reggie Hanlin, Eddy Everett and B. Grieves. Many friends and sympathisers made up the cortege and the floral tributes were both numerous and beautiful. The undertaking arrangements were in the hands of Mr. John Sutton.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY SOCIAL HELD BY NATIVE SONS

COURTENAY, March 20.—St. Patrick's Day was celebrated here on Friday night when the Native Sons staged a social evening in the Booth Hall. A variety programme included dancing by Miss Gwen Noel, of Victoria; Miss Kay Moore of Courtenay; and songs by the Misses Hood, of Cumberland. Bagpipe selections by Piper Stewart, musical selections by the Haukedal boys and other talent contributed towards the programme. Refreshments were served and the hall cleared for dancing, which was enjoyed until a late hour.

Back Cumberland pupils at the CANADA BEE! The Pavilion, Royston, April 11th.

CAMPBELL RIVER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pidcock entertained the following at a bridge Tuesday evening in honor of their son, Reg.: Dr. and Mrs. R. Zeigler, Miss Norine Smith, Miss Grace Smith, Miss Sheila Fitzgerald, Miss Mayne Feeney, Miss Lillie Thulin, Mr. A. Cross, Mr. R. Nunns, Mr. Reg. Pidcock Sr. Mrs. R. Zeigler was the winner of first prize, Mr. A. Cross took the gentlemen's first, while Miss Norine Smith and Mr. R. Nunns took the consolation prizes.

Mr. James Cross arrived Friday evening from Victoria, for a few days' visit.

The Silver Tea held Friday afternoon last by Div. I of Campbell River School in the Community Hall was a great success. Ten tables were set very daintily and each was centred with a vase of daffodils and ferns. The serviteurs were Margaret Dawson, Margaret Forbes, Bernice Crawford, Ruth Olson and Evelyn Wickstrom. The girls were assisted in the kitchen by Miss Mayne Feeney, Mrs. E. Granlund, Mrs. E. Masters, Mrs. W. Crawford and Mrs. I. Parfitt. Marie Peterson was in charge of the candy and cake stall, while the raffles were looked after by Allison McNeil and Ernest Bonner. The Rose candy basket was won by Mrs. H. Furniss, the sweater donated by Mrs. Morrison was won by Mrs. Annie McNeil, and Carl Thulin Jr. was the winner of the bean contest, carrying off the cake. The proceeds were $45.00 and will be used for the school library. The staff wishes to thank all those who so kindly donated and helped to make the tea a success.

Mrs. H. Strachan, of Courtenay, paid a short visit here the latter part of the week.

Mr. E. Nymain, Mr. E. Peterson and Mr. J. A. Buck are at present staying at Forbes Landing.

Mrs. R. Probert, of Bloedel, was a guest here during the week-end.

If you must dance—dance where comfort reigns—the old time dance, Ilo-Ilo hall every Saturday night. Ladies 10c, gentlemen 50c.

Mr. S. Ritchie returned recently from a short visit to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Taylor and Miss Doris Taylor, of the Willows Hotel, left for Vancouver on Tuesday.

The Masquerade Dance given by the Ladies Auxiliary on Saturday evening in the "Lilelana Pavilion" was largely attended and proved most successful. The Jazz Joy Boys Orchestra from Courtenay was in attendance. Mrs. Roger Cobb won the prize for best dressed lady, Mr. Brown of Quathiaski Cove was the winner of the best dressed gentleman's prize. Jack Murphy of Menzies Bay for best comic, Mr. Roger Cobb for best sustained, Rupert Fitzgerald for best representative (man), Miss Walker for best representative (lady). Miss L. Johnson, of Valdez Island, and Mr. Bert Lamb, of Menzies Bay, carried off the prize for the best waltzers. The Ladies Auxiliary wish to thank the public for their kind support.

Mr. Dolley, of Courtenay, spent a few days here on a business trip.

Mr. H. Pidcock was successful in bringing in two cougars this week from Upper Campbell Lake.

Mr. H. Lister left on Friday for a few days visit to the City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hay, of Vancouver, were guests here during the week-end.

Mr. Albert Hanson, of Malaspina Inlet, is at present seriously ill. Mr. Hanson is a well known pioneer of the coast.

Mrs. D. W. Hodson left Saturday for Victoria.

Mrs. W. Navid and family, of Duncan Bay, left on Friday for a visit with friends at Vancouver.

Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Robt. McCuaig, was a scene of a most delightful party in honor of Betty's birthday. Among those present were Elinor and Gertrude Parkes, Doris Weeks, Margaret and Jean Rodgers, Gaylord Ball, Gilbert Wickstrom, Marshall Ritchie, Lorraine Forbes, Roderick Wallace, Jimmy Parkes, Carl Thulin Jr. and Betty McCuaig. The table was centred with daffodils and large tulips and favors were placed for each child. The afternoon was spent by playing of games and contests, the following being the various winners: Elinor and Gertrude Parkes, Gilbert Wickstrom, Lorraine Forbes and Roderick Wallace. The birthday cake was adorned with six pretty birthday candles.

Mr. C. H. Fitzgerald returned on Tuesday from a visit to the City.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and family returned Tuesday morning after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson at Lund.

WATER SERVICE WANTED FOR NAVAL MEN AT COMOX

(Continued from Page One)

were filling in and returning the cards to the City Hall. This was a distinct saving to the city. He now desired to bring some pressure to bear on those that did not respond.

Alderman Fielder could not see how the system was successful if only eighty per cent of the cards were being returned.

The City Clerk, who explained that the card system enabled the consumers to check the amount of electrical energy consumption was of more value than the mere saving that it entailed, as it had a tendency to eliminate suspicion, because the consumers who read the meters themselves then understood what they were paying for.

Alderman Macdonald also reported progress in connection with the proposed new street lighting system. Alderman Lloyd asked what was the matter with the present system. It was pointed out that the present system of street lighting was already loaded to capacity and a change would have to be made sooner or later. Alderman MacDonald said he was looking ahead and wished to put in a system that would be permanent. He hoped that the cement sidewalk programme would be gone ahead with, as the electric light wire conduits would be laid under the sidewalk. They contemplated putting a $10,000 by-law to the ratepayers for this purpose, and the amount of money for street lighting depended a good deal on the cost of constructing the new line from the Canadian Collieries. Street lighting, he said, was a highly specialized business and he was in favor of getting expert advice before commencing operations.

Other matters discussed were the purchase of the lot at the rear of the city hall for a garage and public works yard; the renovation of the city water pipe line from Brown's River; the sale of milk within the city; the cost of electric power to the lime-crushing plant; the sale of city lots to individuals and the location of the proposed new high school. A resolution that would include the Mayor as an ex-officio member of the municipal school boards is to be framed and sent to the Union of B.C. Municipalities. It will also be sent to other municipalities with a request that it be adopted by them.

A letter from the secretary of the Comox Agricultural Association, which is now preparing its 1927 prize list, hoped that the city would continue to give its financial support. A grant of $100 was voted this institution.

DROSS
FROM THE MELTING POT

"ALL BLACK" NUMBER
(With apologies to "Canadaink")

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Rastus—"Quick, Sam, a wildcat jes run into yo' house where yo' wife am."

Sam—"Well, he'll jes' hab to git out de bes' way he kin—dat's all."

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The old negress viewed with misgiving the large amount of sugar cane being eaten by her six-year-old grandson. Eventually she warned the boy: "Chile, chile, ain't I tol' you time an' ag'in that you'se eatin' too much cane? Don't you know, chile, cane killed Abel?"

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Rastus—"Nigger, ah sho does believe in dis evolution theory; you sho does look like you 'volved from a monkey."

Brown—"Nigger, ah believes in evolution, too, an' nigger you looks like you ain't 'volved yet."

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NOT THE SAME MAN

The Judge—"So you nam's Joshua, eh? You're not the Joshua tha commanded the sun to stand still, are you?"

Eben Holden—"Lor', no, Judge. Ah am de man dat made de moonshine!"

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HER REASON

"I hear you've got a new baby, Mandy. What have you named him?"

"Oh, we calls him Veto, Miss Smif."

"Veto? And why?"

"'Cause when the doctor came he says, 'Well, well, if it ain't another little black bawl'."

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A negro stoker was crossing the Atlantic for the first time. One day, when he came up on deck to get a breath of fresh air, he looked out over the broad exxpanse of water with no object in sight, and said in disgruntled tones:—

"Gosh, we is right whar we was dis time yistaday!"

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A colored lady had accompanied her mistress to an entertainment where a medium had aroused much interest by reading a newspaper through a thick black cloth while blindfolded. At this juncture the colored lady got up to leave.

"You are not going, are you, Aunty?" asked her mistress.

"Ah suah is," replied Aunty. "Dis heah am no place foh a 'spe'ble cull'ahd lady wid nothin on but a thin calico dress."

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GOOD DIPLOMACY

A guest of a small Southern hotel was awakened early one morning by a knock on his door.

"What is it?" he called drowsily, without getting up.

"A telegram, Boss," responded a negro's voice.

"Well, can't you shove it under the door without waking me up so early?"

"No, Suh," the darky answered with his mind on a tip, "it's on a tray."

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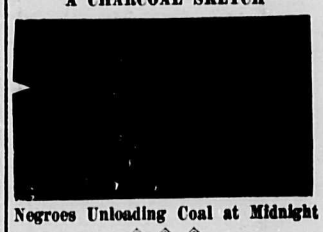
A CHARCOAL SKETCH



Negroes Unloading Coal at Midnight

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"Well, sah," said Sambo after being asked what kind of chickens he preferred, "all kinds has dere merits. De white ones is de easiest to find in de dark; but de black ones is de easiest to hide after you gets 'em."

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A CHEERFUL GIVER

A colored revival was in full blast, and one old fellow was exhorting the people to contribute generously.

"Look what de Lawd's done fo' you-all, bredren!" he shouted. "Give him a portion of all you has. Give him a tenth. A tenth belongs to de Lawd!"

"Amen!" yelled a perspiring member of the congregation, overcome by emotion. "Glory to de Lawd! Give Him mo'. Give Him a twentieth!"

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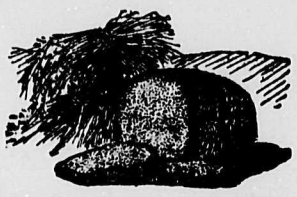

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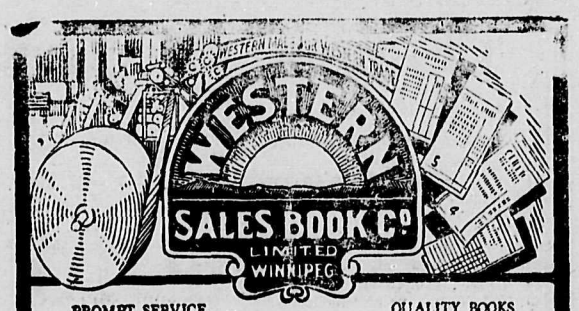

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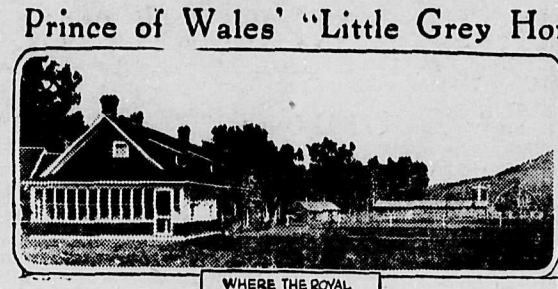


WHERE THE ROYAL RANCHER LIVES

THE PRINCE AND HIS 10-GALLON HAT

Prince Will Visit Canada In August

Most of Royal Visitor's Time Will Be Spent at His Ranch In Alberta.

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 21.—That the Prince of Wales would not make a general tour of the country on his next visit to Canada, but proceed direct to Ottawa and thence to his ranch in Alberta, was the statement made today by Professor W. Carlyle, manager of the Prince's ranch, who arrived here on the steamer Montclaire. While nothing definite has been settled, the Prince, accompanied by Premier Stanley Baldwin, would probably arrive in Canada next August, the professor said.

Professor Carlyle had been on a regular visit to England to confer with the Prince on matters pertaining to the ranch. The advisability of importing additional stock for the ranch was discussed, but nothing definite done, as it was impossible to export cattle from England at the present time owing to the foot and mouth disease there.

HOLDENBY, Eng., March 22.—The Prince of Wales was thrown from his horse today at the first jump in the Army point-to-point steeplechase, but escaped injury.

The Prince was competing for a cup which he himself donated for the event. He was riding the famous Gark Courtier, on which he won Lord Manners' cup on March 16. He was leading in today's race when the horse tripped on a hedge branch and threw the Prince about fifteen yards.

CAMPBELL RIVER PLANS DEVELOPED

RESIDENTS BELIEVE CANADIAN CROWN WILLAMETTE PROJECT WILL BRING EXPANSION

Telephone Service to Be Developed to Meet Increasing Requirements of Community

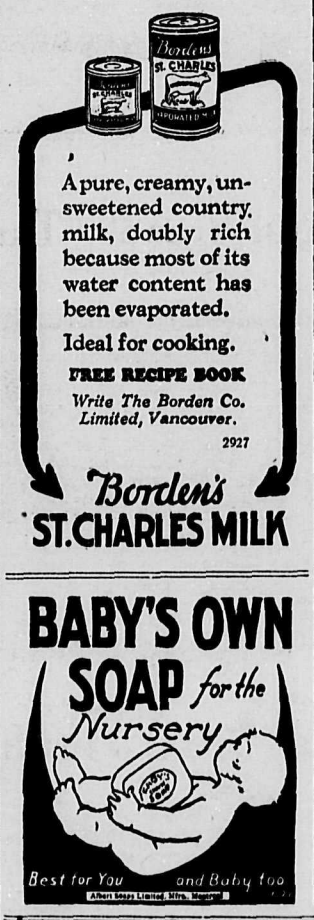
Considerable activity in connection with the proposed industrial developments in the Campbell River district are reported by Mr. F. C. Paterson, district commercial superintendent, on his return to Victoria from a visit for the British Columbia Telephone Company.

Engineers in charge of the survey work for the Canadian Crown Willamette Company are engaged in preliminary work. The construction undertaking, however, will not be commenced for some time yet. Everybody is looking forward to the effect which the advent of the proposed pulp and paper plant will have on the neighborhood, but meanwhile Mr. Paterson sounds a note of warning against an influx of labor until the preliminaries have been completed and actual construction commenced.

Owing to this circumstance, and also that the logging companies in the district are exceptionally busy, the hotel accommodation is heavily taxed. The Willows Hotel has added some additional rooms, but it has not proved expedient to proceed with the extensive alterations which were contemplated, plans for which were shown to Mr. Paterson. This renovation, therefore, will be delayed.

When the Willows Hotel changed hands recently, the local telephone business, connecting with the B. C. Telephone Company at the exchange, which is located in the hotel, was acquired by the same proprietors, and Mr. Paterson is informed that several additional lines will require to be installed to meet developments.

Announcement of the proposed bridge across the Campbell River at Campbellton had not been made when he left there, but he anticipates this connection, as an integral part of the Island Highway extension, will contribute greatly to the development of the area, and hasten the connection with Menzies Bay, and ultimately with Sayward.



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PROMPT MEASURES NEEDED TO SAVE FORESTS OF B. C.

Unless prompt measures are taken to prevent waste in the forests of British Columbia, no merchantable timber will be left in fifty years, according to Captain C. S. Leary, member of the Legislature for Kaslo-Slocan, who is himself an active lumberman.

Captain Leary told the Legislature that out of a total of 1,000,000,000,000 feet of timber, 650,000,000,000 feet had been destroyed, leaving only 350,000,000,000 feet in the province that could be marketed. "We are manufacturing at the rate of three billion feet annually, throwing it on the market regardless of price," he said.

In addition to the annual cut, he said two billion feet of timber was destroyed by fire in the past four years, most of this loss being in the coast districts where the timber stands were of greatest value. The annual loss through fire would keep the pulp mills of the province running continuously.

"There is also a tremendous loss in wood decay on over-matured timber," he added. "This has got to be taken into consideration in estimating our timber wealth. A great saving can be made by the use of preservatives in treating railway ties, telephone poles, bridge timbers and similar lumber requirements, and I think the government would be well advised in encouraging companies which are prepared to invest in the manufacture of preservatives.

"In ten years' time if the manufacture of lumber increases in anything like the proportions of the past ten years, there will be three times the present yearly depletion, resulting at the end of fifty years in finding our forests completely denuded."

"Buckley's" for Throat Health

A sip night and morning relieves soreness and hoarseness, and prevents more serious developments. A bottle of Buckley's—40 doses for 75 cents—is an economical guarantee of healthy throats for the whole family. Pleasant to take—instant in action—positive in relief. All druggists sell it.

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BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

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GOVERNMENT TO BUILD BRIDGE OVER CAMPBELL RIVER

Also Plan Extension of Island Highway to Menzies Bay and Into Sayward District

Preparations for the installation of a highway bridge across Campbell River and the extension of the Island Highway north to Menzies Bay and ultimately into the Sayward district are being made by the Public Works Department at Victoria. The project, details of which were made public this week, shows that the needs of the Island bulk large in the Government's $1,000,000 bridge-building program to be started this year.

Surveys will be carried out immediately for the proposed Campbell River bridge in view of big developments in this district, including the installation of a huge pulp and paper mill. It is planned to extend the Island Highway from Campbelltown across Campbell River to Menzies Bay and ultimately into the rich Sayward Valley as a general scheme of development along the Island's East coast.

As part of its bridge program the Government also will install a permanent new bridge across the Sproat River at Sproat Falls this year. This structure will be built on concrete abuttments near the present bridge, which is considered too old to carry increasing traffic in this district. In the same area the Riven Bend Bridge will be replaced with a moredn new structure.

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CUMBERLAND ISLANDER

DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

The Toronto Globe has revived the query, "Is advertising news?" and proceeds to disprove the popular theory that people buy newspapers for the news and not for the advertisments. It goes on to tell the story of a San Antonio (Texas) newsboy who, when sales were slow, looked through his papers and had an inspiration. "Bargain—bargain—bargain!" he began to shout. "All about the big sale—department store slashes prices." The feminine passerby paused, listened, and proceeded to find the odd cents to learn what to them was vital news. As the paper says, women are more interested in the chances of a bargain than in the fate of political parties. On the face of it, advertising possesses all the essentials of live news. Therefore, it would be illogical to argue that advertising is not news, in so far as its public appeal values are concerned, or that readers do not buy papers for the advertising carried. The foregoing thoughts are engendered by an unusual situation which developed in Vancouver recently. The two evening papers had raised their advertising rates, and the two principal departmental stores in the city, who carry an average of eight columns of advertising a day, decided on a campaign of passive resistance. Both stopped advertising their wares in the papers concerned and relied for public appeal on four-page "shopping guides" mailed or delivered to every householder, the dodgers being mailed twice weekly. What the stores' profit and loss account revealed for the period the "strike" lasted is not known, but the result of this alternative scheme of advertising could not have been satisfactory, seeing that both stores decided to renew their contracts at the higher rate. Unfortunately for those students of psychology or economics who may have seen in the struggle an opportunity for investigation, statistics relevant to the mental attitude of the newspaper-reading public are not available. That many feminine readers thought their evening paper without interest when it lacked their favorite ads is incontrovertible. Which goes to show that newspaper ads are read with at least the same interest as front-page news.

—NOTICE—

All correspondence addressed to the Police Office must be signed with the name of writer. Anonymous letters will not be given any consideration.

W. H. COPE,
Chief of Police.

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For Spring and Summer

We have just received a large shipment of Men's and Young Men's New Suits, in the latest designs of materials and showing the smartest cut.

Special for Young Men in the New Double-Breasted Styles, lined with Rayon Silk. Made in the latest shades of light tweeds; really smart Suits. Sizes 33, 34, 35 and 36; price **$21.50**

Youths' Suits in tweeds, single breasted, well lined, and come in medium shades of tweeds; sizes 33, 34 & 35..... **$16.50**

Men's Suits in the new tweeds, double breasted, lined with Rayon Silk and well tailored. This line of Suits is *certainly* a winner, and we would suggest your seeing them before buying your new Spring Suit. Price **$29.50**

Men's Fine Worsted Suits, made of good grade materials in a good assortment of colors, and a choice of sizes..... **$29.50**

Men's Navy Serge Suits, special two pairs of pants, made of a splendid wearing quality Serge. Price **$29.50**

—SPECIAL TAILOR MADE SUITS—
We will be delighted to show you our new Spring Range of Samples of Suitings. Coppley, Noyes and Randall make this line and we feel sure you can be suited.

For MEN'S SUITS, try

J. Sutherland
DRY GOODS & GENT'S FURNISHINGS

Phone 134 Cumberland

Personal Mention

Mr. F. Covert has purchased the house lately occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson left on Wednesday morning for Vancouver, where they will reside in future.

Mrs. E. Mitchell left yesterday for Vancouver on a short holiday. She will be the guest of her son, Mr. T. Mitchell.

Mr. J. Weir, a prominent member of the Cumberland Intermediate Football club, left on Monday for Nanaimo where he has obtained work with Weeks Motors Limited.

Mr. J. Mort and Mr. C. Ramsell are leaving for Campbell River next week, where they intend starting in the Bakery business.

Mrs. J. Gillespie, who has been spending the past few weeks in Victoria, returned on Saturday.

Mrs. C. Dando and Miss Blanche Dando returned last evening from Vancouver, having spent the past few days in that city. They were accompanied by Mr. John Dando, who will remain in Cumberland for some time.

Can you answer this? Name the Northern cape of Vancouver Island.

"Sprig" won the Grand National Steeplechase, run at Aintree, Liverpool, today, at odds of 10 to 1 against.

Mrs. G. Hargood Ash and daughter, of Royston, left Monday last on a visit to friends and relatives in England.

The Missionary Society of the United Church, under the convenership of Mrs. D. R. MacDonald, held a very successful sale of home cooking on Saturday afternoon when the sum of $20.00 was raised.

Lord Willingdon To See Logging

Governor-General Asked to Address *Comox District Canadian Club* at Cumberland

The Governor-General and Lady Willingdon will arrive at Qualicum Beach on March 31st in their special train where they will be the guests of General Money at the Qualicum Beach Hotel. This special train will undoubtedly be the finest that has ever come to Vancouver Island, containing eight cars weighing 900 tons, all steel construction. His Excellency especially desired to see logging operations among the big trees and arrangements are being made with the Comox Logging Company and he will be at Camp 3 or Bevan on Monday week.

According to a telegram received from His Excellency's secretary by Dr. G. K. MacNaughton, president of the Comox District Canadian Club if it is at all possible, the Governor-General will address the Club at Cumberland.

ASK OTTAWA TO AID WEST COAST ROAD

Federal assistance in the construction of a road along the West Coast of Vancouver Island will be sought by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, while he is in Ottawa this week on railway business, it was announced recently.

As a highway from Sooke westward to Port Renfrew would be of a great value to shipping for life saving purposes, Dr. Sutherland feels justified in asking the Federal Government to contribute towards the cost of this big project. A West Coast road has been advocated for years as a measure of protection for shipping and now that the Provincial Government is getting ready to go ahead with the scheme it is anxious to secure the co-operation of the Federal authorities, who are responsible for life saving work. Dr. Sutherland will interview officials of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, and lay before them full details of the proposed road scheme and explain its possibilities from a shipping standpoint.

OLD TIME DANCE IN ILO-ILO TOMORROW

The usual old time dance will be held in the Ilo-Ilo hall tomorrow evening, commencing at 9 o'clock. This is the most popular dance in the district, and three hours of merriment are afforded for only 50 and 10c for gentlemen and ladies respectively. Why not take it in tomorrow, along with most everyone else? First class music by the Byng Boys.

FIRE DEPARTMENT SHOWED SPEED IN ANSWERING ALARM

Many favorable comments were heard on all sides last evening about the speed shown by the local Volunteer Fire Department in answering a call to the home of J. Derbyshire, West Cumberland. The alarm had been ringing barely a minute before both trucks were out of the fire hall and on their way "down Camp." Fortunately the fire was extinguished without the aid of the firemen. A curtain in the house somehow had caught fire, and the resulting smoke made it seem that the blaze was greater than what was actually the case.

The brigade was also called out last Saturday to a fire at the home of Mr. Ed. Williams, Trent Road, where an over-heated stove pipe caused the nearby walls to blaze up. Little damage was done, as the fire was soon under control with the aid of the chemical truck.

QUALICUM PREPARES FOR TOURIST SEASON

QUALICUM BEACH, March 23.—The regular meeting of the Qualicum Beach Board of Trade Council was held on Monday. This organization is making progress for the betterment of the district, preparatory to the greatly increased volume of tourist traffic which is expected this year. Reports from various sources indicate that the coming season will far exceed all previous ones in the matter of visitors to this well-known resort, both from other points of Vancouver Island and British Columbia and also from the United States. The new welcome arch being erected across the highway will create a "home from home" feeling for those from across the line. Promenade concerts are being arranged, and special efforts that are being made for the cleanliness and comfort of the camping and picnic grounds will be welcomed. Inquiries regarding this district will be welcomed and promptly replied to by the secretary of the Board of Trade.

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A Bond with every 25c. purchase

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THE REXALL-KODAK STORE
"It Pays to Deal at Lang's"

Mr. R. C. Lang paid a business visit to Oyster River today.

Miss J. E. Robertson entertained at two tables of bridge on Wednesday.

Children, Attention!

Ask your mother to enquire at her Grocer's as to how you can get a copy of

"A TRIP TO COFFEE LAND"

Get your copy early so that you may have plenty of time to color your book and enter it in the "Malkin's Best" Coffee Painting Competition open to all children up to 18 years of age.

$265.00 In Prizes

ENQUIRE AT YOUR GROCER'S

—ANNOUNCEMENT—

A meeting will be held in the Anglican Hall, Cumberland, on Saturday, March 26th, at 7 p.m. for the purpose of forming a Horticultural Society for Cumberland and district, and endeavors made to hold an exhibit this year. 11-12

FOR RENT—Belvoir Villa, Cumberland, reasonable rent. Grounds are beautifully laid out. Small house adjoining also for rent. Apply to Mrs. D. Bruce, Union Bay.

FOUND—Three Keys on ring, one of keys for Post Office box. Owner may have same by applying at the *Islander Office.*

LOST—At Firemen's Masquerade in *Ilo-Ilo, a Gold Wrist Watch, black* corded ribbon attached. Finder please return to Islander Office. Reward given.

The Cumberland Senior Badminton Club paid a return visit to the Comox Club on Monday evening last, and engaged the farmers in a series of friendly games. A very enjoyable evening was spent, refreshments being served by the energetic ladies of the Comox Club.

Cumberland was very successful, winning fifteen games to five won by Comox.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. McColgan, of Union Bay, take this means of thanking Drs. MacNaughton and Hicks and the nursing staff of the Cumberland Hospital, and citizens of Union Bay, for their very great help and sympathy. To Nurse Read, of Union Bay, undying gratitude is extended for practical assistance and sympathy tendered us in our great loss of an only son.

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Heinz Pork and Beans, 2s, each	15c
Clark's Pork and Beans, medium, 2 for	23c
Crisco, 1-lb tins, 33c; 3-lb tins	92c
Life Bouy Soap, 3 for	25c
Sunlight Soap, per carton of 4 cakes,	25c
White Swan Soap, per cake	5c
White Wonder Soap, 4 for	25c
Royal Crown Washing Powder	28c
Rinso, large packet	28c
Lux Flake Soap, 2 for	25c
Christie's Cream Sodas, (tins)	48c
Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate, 1s,	50c
Rowntree's Cocoa, ½-lb	33c
Fry's Cocoa, ½-lb	33c
Braid's Best Tea (Blue Label) 1-lb	75c
White Star Tea, 1-lb	65c
Puffed Rice, 2 pkgs. for	35c
Malt Vinegar, quart bottles	27c
Quaker Corn Flakes, 4 for	45c
White Star Yeast Cakes, per pkg.	7c
Canada Corn Starch, 2 for	23c
Lump Sugar, 2-lb pkgs.	33c

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FORD Touring, 1923	$200.00

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1926 TOURING (like new)	$510
1924 TOURING	$315
1923 TOURING, A-1 SHAPE	$260
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