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THE CUMBERLAND NEWS.

THIRTEENTH YEAR. CUMBERLAND, B. C. THURSDAY APRIL 26 1906.

Your Inspection Invited
of the New Goods
Shown at the Big Store this week.

Ladies, Misses and Childrens Ready-to-wear wash garments in the latest styles.
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An Entire New Stock of
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Local and Personal

Mr Anton Toman, who went to the Vancouver Hospital some time ago for treatment of the eyes, is improving Mr Toman, some years ago, had one eye injured by a powder-flash and early this year, the other was struck by a rock particle, so severely that he was quite blind for a time.

New or never $5.00 Sale for $3.00 until next Tuesday at Frickes

HARDWARE SPECIALTIES for spring at the Big Store, fishing tackle, Hammocks, Tennis racquets and Balls, Lawn mowers, Garden reels, Garden hose, Garden tools, Lawn sprinklers, Poultry netting Screen doors, Window blinds, Wall paper, Paints and brushes,

We carry large stocks of these lines, at lowest prices. Your patronage solicited

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PROCASTINATION STEALS TIME

as we know, but it also steals good looks if you put of using Seven Sister's Hair Grower and Scalp Cleaner when your hair is coming out The first of these articles invigorates the roots of weak falling hair and promotes a new growth. The Scalp Cleaner dissolves and banishes every portion of dandruff leaving the scalp coat, moist and healthy.

Next Sunday evening Mr McNaught will sing a solo in St Georges Presbyterian Church.

Photographs at reduced rates $5 sale for $3.00, until next Tuesday at Frickes.

THE OBSERVED OF ALL OBSERVERS

Is a charming woman with abundant tresses. Comparatively few are endowed with this boon by nature, but recollect, Seven Sutherland Sister,s Hair Grower and Scalp Cleaner will confer it. Of course, you have seen the sisters ? Every has, and thousands of ladies have noted with envy their redundant tresses glossy and soft as floss silk, Every lady may thus beautify her head, if she will.

A Chinaman last Friday night apparently went insane and took to the woods, where he remained until the following evening, when he returned—quite cured,

Mrs E. Walker has heard from her son in San Francisco—all well.

Mr Tarbell yesterday got a wire from his son George from Stanford. Telegram was filed on 18th.

Mr F Ramsay has also heard from his parents, who are safe. Albert Edwards who left here for San Francisco after the disaster, has arrived safely, Mr S Ramsay's telegram mentioning the fact, he heaoing a letter from Frank Ramsay,

STABBING CASE

A fracas occured Tuesday night in Chinatown in which one Chinaman stabed another in the arm, severing the main artery. The wounded man walked up to the doctors office, bleeding profusly and very nearly succumbed before Dr. Staples reached him. The assailant was later arrested by Con. Banks and special Con. Hudson.

BOAT RACE

A sailing match between R. Freeburn's "Thistle", J. Walker's "Defender" and H. Aitken's "Columbia" took place on the lake Sunday, the course being triangular from the boat houses to aroundd a snag near the outlets, thence up the lake to the Bluffs, thence back to starting point, 6 miles in all, the "Columbia" won easily, but as this is only considered a trial race a hot time is promised later, when the boats will be rigged up for all there is in them. The wind was very light and baffling and the day warm, otherwise many more would have witnessed the race. His worship the Mayor and the Council of Nob Hill kindly granted the use of the City pavilion on the Hill for the accommodation of spectators,

I. O. O. F. Concert and dance tonight

On account of illness, the News is a day late this week.

SAN FRANCISCO RELIEF

A Public meeting was held at the call of the Mayor in the City Hall on Saturday evening to consider the question of assisting in the San Francisco relief fund. No explanations were necessary as the meeting was acquainted with the condition of affairs created by the awful disaster that had overtaken and destroyed that city.

L. W. Nunns and J. A. Bates were respectively nominated for Secretary but declined. On motion Rev W. Lashley Hall was appointed Secretary protem.

It was announced by Mr Clinton that the Oddfellows intended to devote the proceeds of their forthcoming concert to the Relief Fund, so as to give the Fund a good send off.

Mr John Matthews suggested that a committee be formed at once to take up subscriptions.

The latest reports as to the state of affairs in Frisco was handed by Mr Clinton to the chairman and read.

Moved by Mr W. B. Anderson seconded by Mr John Matthews, that a subscription List be now opened, carried

Moved by Mr John Matthews. seconded by T E. Banks that Mr Clinton act as Treasurer, carried. In consenting to act Mr Clinton urged that the work should be done quickly and completed before Saturday next

The following gentlemen were appointed on the committee to collect subscriptions—Robert Grant, John Matthews. John Bennie, Thos Bickle, Joe Crosetti, Marcelli Magnone, —Manson, T E. Banks, L. W. Nunns, A McKnight Geo. Robertson.

Joe Crosetti and Marcelli Magnone undertook to canvass the Italians, etc, Thos. Bickle and T. E. Banks to act as collectors for the Chinese and Japanese, R. Grant offered to canvass the Valley, accompanied by W. Willard, Manson to act for Union Wharf.

It was suggested by Mr McKnight that collectors go in pairs, concurred in by the meeting, and committee to arrange accordingly.

The following amounts were subscribed in the meeting.

W. B. Anderson	$5.00
L. W. Nunns	$2.50
Geo Clinton	$10 00
John Matthews	$5.00
Robert Grant	$10.00 to be paid Monday
Thos Bickle	$20.00
A McKnight	$10,00 to be paid Monday
David Daniels	$5 00
David Nellist	$5 00
A. Somerville	$5 00
W. Willard	$5,00 to be paid Monday
John Keeley	$10 00
J. A Bates	$5,00
E. Priest	$5.00
T. E. Banks	$5.00 to be paid during week

The collecting committee requested to be provided with duplicate copies of the Subscription List. The secretary undertook to supply as many typewritten copies as needed.

Moved by John Matthews, seconded by Mr Clinton that meeting stand adjourned till Friday next, at 8 30, subject to being called earlier by the Mayor, should it be found necessary, carried.

Meeting adjourned

CONCERT

The Ladies Aid of Grace Church's bazaar and concert held Tuesday and evening was largely patronized, and a most enjoyable time was spent by all attending. The children's play was very cleverly put on and much admired. Mr McNaught and others contributed to the programme, Miss Haggart of Union Wharf, a new performer in Cumberland was heard for the first time in two piano forte selections.

The total estimated loss in property throughout the state of California in the late disaster totals 413,170.000, lives lost, 3274, probably far short of actual live lost.

Harry McLean fell last night and broke his collar bone.

Subscribe to the San Francisco Relief Fund

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of our Wall Papers reveals their great superiority. Our New Papers are simply the perfection of excellence—also that our
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WHEN YOU OWN A
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It Will Provide
THE BEST MUSIC
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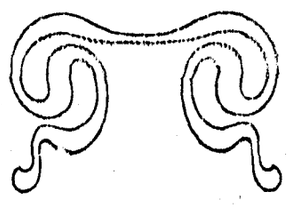

April, 16th, 1906.

Please take notice that Mr Napier has disposed of his interest in the business now carried on by the firm known as Napier & Partridge and that all overdue accounts due to the same firm must be settled within the next ten days (10) After that date, unless satisfactory arrangements are made for all payments then due, same will be placed for collection.

(SIGNED)

HARVEY S. PARTRIDGE
Napier & Partridge

EBEN HOLDEN

By IRVING BACHELLER

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Continued from last week.

Best of all at school I enjoyed the "compositions." I had many thoughts, such as they were, and some facility of expression, I doubt not, for a child. Many chronicles of the countryside came off my pen, sketches of odd events and characters there in Faraway. These were read to the assembled household. Elizabeth Brower would sit looking gravely down at me as I stood by her knees reading in those days of my early boyhood. Uncle Eb listened with his head turned curiously, as if his ear were cocked for coons. Sometimes he and David Brower would slap their knees and laugh heartily, whereat my foster mother would give them a quick glance and shake her head, for she was always fearful of the day when she should see in her children the birth of vanity and sought to put it off as far as might be. Sometimes she would cover her mouth to hide a smile and when I had finished look warningly at the rest and say it was good for a little boy. Her praise never went further, and, indeed, all those people hated flattery as they did the devil and frowned upon conceit. She said that when the love of flattery got hold of one he would lie to gain it.

I can see this slender, blue eyed woman as I write. She is walking up and down beside her spinning wheel. I can hear the dreary buz-z-z-z of the spindle as she feeds it with the fleecy ropes. That loud crescendo echoes in the still house of memory. I can hear her singing as she steps forward and slows the wheel and swings the cradle with her foot:

"On the other side of Jordan,
In the sweet fields of Eden,
Where the tree of life is blooming
There is rest for you."

She lays her hand to the spokes again, and the roar of the spindle drowns her voice.

All day, from the breakfast hour to supper time, I have heard the dismal sound of the spinning as she walked the floor, content to sing of rest, but never taking it.

Her home was almost a miracle of neatness. She could work with no peace of mind until the house had been swept and dusted. A flyspeck on the window was enough to cloud her day. She went to town with David now and then—not oftener than once a quarter—and came back ill and exhausted. If she sat in a store waiting for David while he went to mill or smithy her imagination gave her no rest. That dirt abhorring mind of hers would begin to clean the windows, and when that was finished it would sweep the floor and dust the counters. In due course it would lower the big chandelier and take out all the lamps and wash the chimneys with soap and water and rub them till they shone. Then if David had not come it would put in the rest of its time on the woodwork. With all her cleaning I am sure the good woman kept her soul spotless. Elizabeth Brower believed in goodness and the love of God and knew no fear. Uncle Eb used to say that wherever Elizabeth Brower went hereafter it would have to be clean and comfortable.

Hope's love of music soon became a passion. Young Mr. Livingstone, "a city chap" we met at a church concert, came over to visit us. His enthusiasm for her voice gave us all great hope of it. David Brower said he would take her away to the big city when she was older. They soon decided to send her in September to the big school in Hillsborough.

"She's got t' be a lady," said David Brower as he drew her into his lap the day we had all discussed the matter. "She's learnt everything in the 'rithmetic an' geography an' speller. I want her t' learn somethin' more scientific."

"Now you're talkin'," said Uncle Eb. "There's lots o' things ye can't learn by cipherin'. Nuthin's too good fer Hope."

"I'd like t' know what you men expect of her anyway," said Elizabeth Brower.

"A high stepper," said Uncle Eb. "We want a slick coat, a kind o' a toppy head an' a lot o' ginger, so't when we hitch 'er t' the pole bime by we shan't be 'shamed o' her."

"[illegible] said David Brower laughing. "An' then she shall have the best harness in the market."

Hope did not seem to comprehend all the rustic metaphors that had been applied to her. A look of puzzled amusement came over her face, and then she [illegible] her hair streaming from under her white sunbonnet.

"Never see sech a beauty! Beats the world," said Uncle Eb in a whisper, whereat both David and Elizabeth shook their heads.

"Lord o' mercy! Don't let her know it," Elizabeth answered in a low tone. "She's beginning to have"—

Just then Hope came by us leading her pet filly that had been born within the month. Immediately Mrs. Brower changed the subject.

"To have what?" David inquired as soon as the girl was out of hearing.

"Suspicions," said Elizabeth mournfully. "Spends a good deal of her time at the looking glass. I think the other girls tell her, and then that young Livingstone has been turning her head."

"Turning her head!" he exclaimed.

"Turning her head," she answered. "He sat here the other day and deliberately told her that he had never seen such a complexion and such lovely hair."

Elizabeth Brower mocked his accent with a show of contempt that feebly echoed my own emotions.

"That's the way o' city folks, mother," said David.

"It's a bad way," she answered. "I do not think he ought to come here. Hope's a child yet, and we mustn't let her get notions."

"I'll tell him not t' come any more," said David as he and Uncle Eb rose to go to their work.

"I'm 'fraid she ought not to go away to school for a year yet," said Elizabeth, a troubled look in her face.

"Pshaw, mother! Ye can't keep her under yer wing allwus," said he.

"Well, David, you know she is very young and uncommonly"— She hesitated.

"Han'some," said he. "We might as well own up if she is our child."

"If she goes away," continued Elizabeth, "some of us ought t' go with her."

Then Uncle Eb and David went to their work in the fields and I to my own task. That very evening they began to talk of renting the farm and going to town with the children.

I had a stent of cording wood that day and finished it before 2 o'clock. Then I got my pole of mountain ash, made hook and line ready, dug some worms and went fishing. I cared not so much for the fishing as for the solitude of the woods. I had a bit of thinking to do. In the thick timber there was a place where Tinkle brook began to hurry and break into murmurs on a pebble bar as if its feet were tickled. A few more steps and it burst into a peal of laughter that lasted half the year as it tumbled over narrow shelves of rock into a foamy pool. Many a day I had sat fishing four hours at the little fall under a birch tree among the brakes and moss. No ray of sunlight ever got to the dark water below me—the lair of many a big fish that had yielded to the temptation of my bait. Here I lay in the cool shade while a singular sort of heart sickness came over me. A wild partridge was beating his gong in the near woods all the afternoon. The sound of the water seemed to break in the tree tops and fall back upon me. I had lain there thinking an hour or more when I caught the jar of approaching footsteps. Looking up, I saw Jed Feary coming through the bushes, pole in hand.

"Fishin'?" he asked.

"Only thinking," I answered.

"Couldn't be in better business," said he as he sat down beside me.

More than once he had been my father confessor, and I was glad he had come.

"In love?" he asked. "No boy ever thinks unless he's in love."

"In trouble," said I.

"Same thing," he answered, lighting his pipe. "Love is trouble with a bit of sugar in it—the sweetest trouble a man can have. What's the matter?"

"It's a great secret," I said; "I have never told it. I am in love."

"Knew it," he said, puffing at his pipe and smiling in a kindly way. "Now let's put in the trouble.

"She does not love me," I answered.

"Glad of it," he remarked. "I've got a secret t' tell you.

"What's that?" I inquired.

"Wouldn't tell anybody else for the world, my boy," he said; "it's between you an' me."

"Between you an' me," I repeated.

"Well, he said, you're a fool.

"That's no secret," I answered, much embarrassed.

"Yes, it is," he insisted; "you're smart enough an' ye can have most anything in this world if ye take the right road. Ye've grown t' be a great big strapping fellow, but you're only—sixteen?"

"That's all," I said mournfully.

"Ye're as big a fool to go falling in love as I'd be. Ye're too young an' I'm too old. I say to you, wait. Ye've got to go t' college."

"College!" I exclaimed incredulously.

"Yes, an' thet's another secret," said he. "I tol' David Brower what I thought o' your writing thet essay on bugs in pertickler—an' I tol' 'im what people were sayin' o' your work in school."

"What d' he say?" I asked.

"Said Hope had tol' him all about it—that she was as proud o' you as she was uv her curls, an' I believe it. 'Well,' says I, 'y' oughter sen' that boy t' college.' 'Goin' to,' says he. 'He'll go t' the 'cademy this fall if he wants to. Then he can go t' college soon's he's ready.' Threw up my hat an' shouted, I was that glad."

As he spoke the old man's face kindled with enthusiasm. In me he had one who understood him, who saw truth in

"Fishin'?" he asked.

his thought, music in his verse, a noble simplicity in his soul. I took his hand in mine and thanked him heartily. Then we rose and came away together.

"Remember," he said as we parted at the corner, "there's a way laid out fer you. In God's time it will lead to every good thing you desire. Don't jump over the fence. Don't try t' pass any milestun 'fore ye've come to it. Don't mope. Keep yer head cool with philosophy, yer feet warm with travel an' don't worry 'bout yer heart. It won't turn t' stun if ye do keep it awhile. Allwus hev enough of it about ye t' do business with. Goodby!"

TO BE CONTINUED.

Great Family Fortunes of America.

The great fortunes that have sprung up so amazingly in this country during recent decades to-day, in the opinion of many serious thinkers, constitute a menace to our national well-being, says Cleveland Moffett, in writing of "The Shameful Misuse of Wealth" in "Success Magazine." Without these great fortunes there would be no reign of luxury in America, no flaunting of feasts and fancies, no riot of extravagance; with them we may expect all the evils that have in previous civilizations attended upon enormous riches. And many of these evils as we have already seen, are actually with us.

It is admitted that we are the richest people the world has ever seen. The vaunted wealth of Cræsus is estimated at only eight million dollars, but there are seventy American estates that average thirty-five millions each. As showing the rapid growth of individual fortunes in this country there is interest in a list of rich men, printed in 1855 according to which New York City at that time boasted only twenty-eight millionaires And a pamphlet published some years earlier says that in 1845 Philadelphia could only show ten estates valued at a million or more, the richest being that of Stephen Girard, which reached seven millions. In contrast to which, in 1892 there were over two hundred millionaires in Philadelphia.

As to New York City, the number of its millionaires, according to best information, is over two thousand, while the number of millionaires in the United States is at least five thousand or half the total number in the world. There is one family alone, at the head of which stands the richest and most powerful man in the world, John D. Rockefeller, and the wealth of this family is estimated at a thousand million dollars, a sum so huge that the human mind quite fails to grasp it, a sum so huge that if at the birth of Christ Mr. Rockefeller had begun making a dollar a minute and had let all these dollars accumulate day and night for all these centuries, he would not yet, in 1906, have amassed a thousand million dollars. And if Mr. Rockefeller should to-day turn this wealth into gold coin and [illegible] out of the country, say into Canada, he would carry across the border three times as much gold as would then remain in the United States. Nor would he carry it himself, for the weight of it would be one thousand seven hundred and fifty tons. And if he loaded it on the backs of porters, each man bearing his own weight in solid gold (say 150 pounds), it would require twenty-three thousand men to move it. And if they walked ten feet apart the line of them would reach forty-four miles and would occupy fifteen hours in passing a given point. None of which takes any account of the daily interest on this fortune, which interest, if paid in gold would require the strength of seven men to carry it, for it would weigh a thousand pounds. Such are the riches of a single family.

PARALYSIS YIELDS TO DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS

AFTER SEVERAL DOCTORS HAD PRONOUNCED THE CASE HOPELESS.

Convincing Proof That Cure Was Permanent--in Five Years the Patient Has Had no Relapse--Facts in a Remarkable Case Substantiated by Sworn Statements.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not a patent medicine, but the prescription of a physician, placed on sale with full directions for use under a trade mark that is a guarantee of their genuineness to every purchaser. They contain no stimulant, opiate or narcotic, and while they have cured thousands have never injured anybody. To show that cures affected by this remedy are really permanent and lasting we recently investigated the case of Mr. Frank A. Means, of Reedsville, Mifflin County, Pa. Mr. Means has been an elder in the Reedsville Presbyterian church for many years, has served three years as county commissioner and as school director for nine years. He was afflicted with creeping paralysis, losing the entire use of the lower half of his body, and for a year was a helpless invalid, confined to his bed with no power or feeling in either leg, and physicians had given him up as hopeless. Mr. Means was cured by Dr. Willaims' Pink Pills and his testimonial was printed five years ago as follows:

"I had the grip for four winters and as a result my nerves broke down. I lost the entire use of the lower half of my body. My stomach, liver, kidneys, heart and head were never affected, but the paralyzed condition of the lower part of the body affected my bladder and bowels. For a whole year I lay in bed perfectly helpless with no power in either limb and the feeling gone so that I couldn't feel a pin run into my legs at all. I couldn't turn over in bed without help. To move me a pulley was rigged up on the ceiling and a windlass on the floor.

During two years of my affliction I had six different doctors, but none of them gave me any relief. A specialist from Philadelphia treated me for three months, but he was of no benefit to me. These doctors gave me up and said it was only a question of a few weeks with me as nothmore could be done. After the physicians had given me up, a friend sent me a pamphlet containing statements of two men who had been afflicted something like me and who had been cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking them at once and although my improvement was slow it was certain. Now I can walk most of the time without a cane and everybody around here thinks it is a miracle that I can get about as I do. Your pills have certainly been a God-send to me. Within the last three years I have answered dozens of letters from invalids who had heard of my case and who asked me if it was true that I had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I have told them all that this remedy cured me and I am glad of this opportunity of telling about my case so that others may find relief as I have done."

Signed, F. A. MEANS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of April, 1901.

ALBERT S. GIBBONEY,
Notary Public.

One day recently Mr. Means was visited at his handsome home overlooking the valley of Honey Creek, near Reedsville, where he made the following statement:

"Before I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I had been treated for a long time by my home doctor who pronounced my trouble creeping paralysis. I always believed that to be my trouble and I do yet believe so. I had also spent five weeks in the University Hospital in Philadelphia without the treatment benefiting me and had returned home to die. I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in 1897, but did not give a statement of my case for publication until I was sure that I was cured. After returning from the hospital I did not take any other medicine for my trouble and I owe it to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and to them alone that I am able to be about to-day. Since my cure, as related in my statement of April 17, 1901, I have never suffered any relapse nor had occasion to employ a physician except for minor troubles such as coughs, colds, etc. I endorse Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as fully and heartily to-day as I did five years ago."

Signed, FRANK A. MEANS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of January, 1906.

JACOB KOHLER,
Justice of the Peace.

Justice Kohler, of Reedsville, before whom the above affidavit was made, voluntarily gave and signed the following statement:

"I have personally known Mr. Frank A. Means for the past forty-five years and know that any statement he makes is entirely reliable. I personally visited him when he was confined to bed and utterly helpless. I now see him daily and know him to be in as good health as most men of his age."

Signed, JACOB KOHLER.

Mr. Daniel W. Reynolds, postmaster at Reedsville, Pa., stated that he had received many inquiries from all parts of the country concerning Mr. Means' marvellous cure, and he cheerfully added his confirmation of the truth as follows:

"I certify that the facts stated in the testimonial of Mr. Frank A. Means are absolutely true. I knew him when he was unable to move and I see him every day now on the streets and in my office."

Signed, DANIEL W. REYNOLDS.

Here is evidence that must convince the most skeptical. But because many of the cures accomplished by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are so marvellous as to challenge belief, the following offer is made:

$5000 REWARD—The Dr. Williams Medicine Company will pay the sum of Five Thousand Dollars for proof of fraud on its part in the publication of the foregoing testimonial.

No sufferer from paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus' dance or any of the lesser nervous disorders can afford to no longer neglect to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the great blood builder and nerve tonic. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WHY NAME IS NOW PRINCE RUPERT

rand Trunk Pacific Management Explain How Name was Selected.

The Grand Trunk Pacific has given out the following explanation of its reasons for accepting Prince Rupert as the title of its terminal on the Pacific.

"As the result of the publication by the company throughout Canada of its offer of a prize of $250 to the person who would suggest a name that would be selected for the city which will be established at the western terminus of the company's transcontinental railway on the Pacific coast, upwards of twelve thousand names were received, the majority of which complied with the conditions of the contest. It was the desire of the company, as explained in the notice of competition, that the name chosen should be euphonious, and that it should be appropriately significant of Canada, and more especially of the northwest and British Columbia, in the future development of which the railway is to take so large a part. With this end in view, therefore, the suggestions submitted have been carefully reviewed, and the name, Prince Rupert, has been selected, it having been suggested by Miss Eleanor Macdonald, of Winnipeg.

"Under the terms of the competition that the names do not contain more than three syllables, nor exceed ten letters, the name suggested which complied with the conditions, and most nearly resembled that selected, was Port Rupert, suggested by Mrs. John Orme, of Bonnechere, Ont., and by Mr. R. Kirkwood, Copper Cliff, Ont. As against Port Rupert, however, Prince Rupert constitutes the full name of that illustrious explorer, but it exceeds the conditions of the competition by two letters. On account of its selection, therefore, and with the desire to accord fair treatment to all, the company have awarded the full amount of the prize offered, $250, to each of the two who suggested the name which has been adopted.

"As Miss Macdonald says, it was in the year 1670 that King Charles II of England granted a charter to Prince Rupert and a number of others to trade with the Indians in British North America. They established trading posts throughout this immense country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, including Alaska, which territory from that time and for more than a century after was known as "Rupert's Land." In this way therefore, the name which has been chosen for the new city, which will be situated about thirty miles south of the southern extremity of Alaska, is connected with the oldest records of the history of Canada, and particularly of the western portion thereof, and [illegible] appropriate at this time, after the centuries that have passed, that it should again be prominently identified with the march of progress which is wending its way across this western empire in the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. It is Canadian in the broadest sense; it is redolent of the [illegible] Northwest Territories and British Columbia, and, beyond this, it was the name of one of those fearless sons of Britain who came and conquered this new land which is our proud heritage."

WESTERN CANADIAN EDITORS

A Series of Articles Describing their Lives, their Aims and their Influence.

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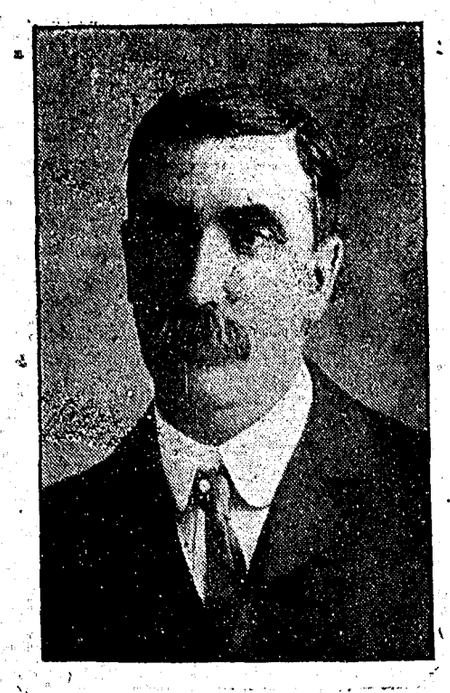
GEORGE HARPER.



GEORGE HARPER.
Editor and Proprietor of the Standard, Carman, Manitoba.

When a man has stood the wear and tear of the newspaper business for over thirty years and still retains virility, and love of sport sufficient in his make-up to annually hunt the bounding buck over the prairie or follow the squawking wild goose to its lair, according to the statutes in such cases made and provided, there is a case of cause and effect somewhere in the problem.

It may be that the satisfaction which the running of a successful provincial newspaper in Western Canada gives Mr. George Harper, editor and proprietor of the Carman Standard, enables him to follow joyously and successfully the trail of the sandhill stag, or it may be that the sound of the "honk-honk" of the wavy is a change from the clatter of the printing press and relieves the nerves of a newspaperman conducting an enterprising country paper and a large job printing establishment.

Whatever may be the cause and whatever may be the effect in such a problem is a matter of indifference, for the editor of the Carman Standard is well known and his many friends in the province of Manitoba are not worried as to whether a first-class newspaperman naturally becomes a sportsman or the lover of rod and gun becomes necessarily a good angler for business or a tireless pursuer of a political opponent. As a matter of fact, the combination is unusual and Mr. Harper is an exception to the general rule.

It was in the order of things that Mr. Harper should have been born in the county of Huron, the birthplace of many prominent Canadian newspapermen of the provincial press. He was born in Goderich. When he was seven years old his father with his family removed to the city of Hamilton and under the circumstances it is to be supposed that the future editor of the Carman Standard felt it a duty to go with them. Educated in Hamilton, he at an early age developed a taste for printer's ink, in comparison with which the desire of the man-eating tiger for human blood is a passing fancy. He entered the printing business in the office of the Hamilton Spectator where he learned his trade as a compositor and for thirty years worked either in that office or the office of its rival, the Hamilton Times. The newspaper offices of the two well conducted, clever Hamilton papers were good schools of bright, up-to-date journalism and there is evidence of the brightness of the Spectator and the solidity of the Times in the Carman Standard of to-day. Thirty years train a man whose only holidays are a few weeks' fishing and shooting every year.

Mr. Harper didn't respond to the call of the West until 1893. Western Manitoba hadn't developed sufficiently before that time. The shooting excellent though it might be was not sufficient to lure Mr. Harper from the shadow of the Hamilton mountain and the charm of a newspaper situation dominated by John Robson Cameron until an opportunity came to buy out the Carman Standard. Mr. Harper bought it. There are several reasons that would lead one to believe that Mr. Harper has not regretted his western move in 1893. The town of Carman has doubled in population since his taking charge of its principal paper. Mr. Harper probably does not claim any particular credit for himself as to this any further than the fact that a bright, newsy newspaper and an up-to-date job-printing office are not supposed to be drawbacks to a town's growth and prosperity.

The Carman Standard is conducted on independent lines politically. Mr. Harper is himself a Liberal-Conservative and in the stress of political war when the battle wages fiercely all along the fighting line it is not to be wondered at if an occasional article in the Carman Standard would lead the casual reader to believe that Mr. Harper is giving his political predilections an outing. Political opponents have, however, little or no reason to cavil at the political attitude of the Carman Standard. Straightforward and fair, Mr. Harper is as much a sportsman in the political field as in the field of sport. He shoots on the wing and when the political flight is past disdains to fire at a sitting bird.

An enthusiastic sportsman by field and stream, Mr. Harper is a capital shot with the rifle or fowling piece and devotes the major portions of a newspaperman's few holidays to hunting and fishing trips and is looked upon as one of the most successful lovers of the rod and gun in western Canada. He occasionally goes far afield and has just returned from a successful sporting trip to the Okanagan Valley, the sportsman's paradise of British Columbia.

Some day when the stress of life in Carman becomes too strenuous and the rewards of a long, faithful and fearless newspaper career are evident in a magnificent bank account, Mr. Harper may make his lodge in the happy hunting grounds of the Okanagan Valley. In the meantime he will edit the Carman Standard, run a first-class job-printing office and be satisfied with the ducks, geese and prairie chicken in the neighborhood of Carman.

Mr. Harper is married. His wife was Miss Russell, of Brandon. He has a family of one son, William J. Harper, in the office of J. W. Lord, Insurance Manager, Winnipeg, and one daughter.

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The Harmsworths, the London journalists, will manufacture pulp and paper in Newfoundland.

The French ministry of war has ordered another Lebandy dirigible balloon for defence purposes

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An application has been made by the Japanese government to the British general medical council asking it to recognize the degrees of Japanese medical practitioners in various parts of the British empire. It is in the Straits Settlements that the Japanese doctors particularly wish leave to practice at present.

Japan has decided to reduce the army and navy expenditure by 2,500,000.

Eight warships will be added to the North Sea force.

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The statist in London advises securing President Roosevelt's aid in the Moroccan conference.

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Frank Wood, a Syracuse barber, has found five shares of Bell Telephone stock which cost him $5 twenty-two years ago.

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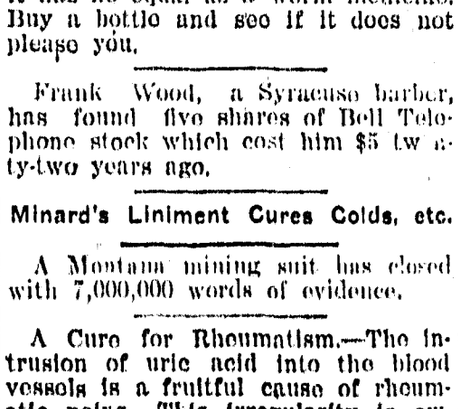

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A loss of $30,000,000 is confronting Chicago pork packers.

A syndicate has paid $3,000,000 for Long Branch, near New York.

Germany is preparing to meet a possible tariff war by importing large shipments of grain.

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The Pasture

The Breeder's Gazette gives the following advice for ridding a pasture of wire grass:. The grass in question is an annual, and therefore it dies at the end of the season. Now, what must be done is to start some strong growing perennial grass on the same land, so that when the wire grass dies in the fall the other grass will remain on the ground. No doubt the first year there would be some places where the wire grass would grow more rapidly than the other, and it might even smother it out here and there, but in a year or two of this treatment the annual must disappear. A good grass to use for this purpose is smooth brome grass (Bromus inermis), of which so much has been written in recent years. It would for this purpose be a good plan to sow a little Kentucky blue grass with the brome grass, as the latter is so very tenacious and spreading when it once is firmly rooted in the soil. It will be necessary to break the sod somewhat in order to give the seeds of these grasses an opportunity to get their roots started into the soil. Do not be afraid of too heavy seeding. It pays to give the ground plenty of seed.

Summer Fodder.

Cows should have good care from the beginning to the end of the year and every day of it, says Massachusetts Farmer. Only by so doing can best results be obtained. If the cow be allowed to get very poor for want of proper food or care, she will not recover from it and be worth as much throughout the entire year. In the spring I make from three to four different plantings of fodder corn from one to three weeks apart, chiefly for the benefit of my cows during the summer and fall months. My hogs and horses come in for a share, and, rightly fed, they will enjoy it and be greatly benefited thereby.

He Won the Youngster.

The Rev. Dr. Mackenzie of San Francisco was once calling on a new parishioner who had a "limb" of a boy. She had invited the doctor to dine. "Willie," she said to her hopeful, "pass Dr. Mackenzie a potato."

Willie seized the potato between thumb and finger, and before his mother could utter a horrified remonstrance he had tossed it across the table and squarely into the good man's lap.

"Judgment!" cried Willie.

"One strike!" quoted the quick witted clergyman.

"Willie, leave the table!" stormed his mother.

"Madam," said the minister, "do not judge him harshly. See how beautifully he put the sphere over the plate! And from that time there wasn't a more earnest worker in all the big Sunday school than that same Willie.

An Ingenious Beartrap.

The Mexicans in California had an ingenious method of trapping bears before the advent of the Yankees brought modern firearms into the region. A piece of meat was nailed to the stout horizontal limb of an oak tree. From a limb five or six feet above a rope was suspended, to the end of which a large stone was made fast so that it hung about six inches above and a trifle nearer the trunk than the meat on the lower limb.

When a bear smelled the meat from afar, he would climb up the tree and make his way to the bait. In doing so he would push the stone pendulum to one side. Just as he was about to fasten his teeth in the meat the stone would swing back and bang his head. This would arouse the anger of the bear, and he would give the stone a sweep of his paw which would send it swinging farther out. The consequence was a harder bang and more anger. The more he struck the stone the harder he would be hit in return until from ferocious anger he would lose his caution and attack the pendulum with all his vigor. One powerful sweep, then bang! and bruin would be tumbled out of the tree to the rocks below, where disabled by his fall, he would be at the mercy of those who set the trap whenever they chose to take him.

The Disadvantages of Heroism.

It would be a good thing if in our public school courses in heroism to [illegible] boys and girls that, after all, [illegible] is a fine thing and a great thing. It is a most uncomfortable thing and that generally, on the whole, the best and most lasting work that is accomplished in life comes from a steady application of all one's best energies to a noble purpose, meeting with honest and patient effort the emergencies and vexations of daily life and holding true to the middle course, which assures success without brilliancy. A fixed purpose to do well that which one has to do will in the end bring results of more permanent value to the world at large and to the individual than those which are even worthily bestowed upon the brow of a man who avails himself of an unusual occasion to an abnormal fashion.

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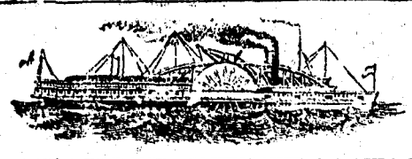

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The guide had passed over a crevasse, but when M. Viollet le Duc attempted to cross it he failed and fell into the abyss. The guide tried to pull him out, but instead he found himself gradually descending.

The architect perceived that his companion, if he persisted in the attempt to save him, would surely share his fate, and he asked if Baptiste had a family.

"A wife and children," was the answer.

"Then," said Viollet le Duc quietly, "I shall cut the rope."

He did so and fell, but a block of ice thirty feet lower down stopped his descent. When Baptiste saw this and that for a time the danger was lessened, he went in search of help and returned with four stout peasants. Three hours afterward Viollet le Duc was extricated.

In spite of his perilous position the ruling passion was strong with the artist, for, although he was almost covered with icicles from the dripping water, he had contrived to make drawings of the novel effects he was able to perceive.

A Costly Finger.

A Dresden paper relates an amusing anecdote. An old gentleman, a member of the landtag, lately slightly hurt his finger. Not troubling to go to his doctor, he asked a medical colleague what he ought to do and was told to give his finger a "soap bath." On the following day he was much surprised to receive from his friend a note for "medical consultation; the amount, 10 marks."

He then spoke to another colleague, a lawyer, complaining. His legal friend said it was strange conduct; but, should it come to a legal question, he would be obliged to pay and had better do so at once. The day after the old gentleman's astonishment was still greater on receiving from this friend a note claiming 10 marks for "legal advice."

Quite angry, he appealed to the commission, a body which settles all personal disputes of the members of the landtag. What was his disgust when the commission found that he had behaved badly in refusing just demands and condemned him to make amends by paying the fine of a basket of champagne! The finger, which was meantime perfectly healed, had cost him [illegible]

THOROUGHLY CHINESE.

Canton Is One of the Oldest Cities In the World.

Canton, the capital of the province of Kwangtung, has a population of about 2,000,000 and is one of the oldest cities in the world, and until the port of Hongkong was opened it was the export city of the empire. Its old walls and fortifications, with their old guns, are all now obsolete and entirely neglected, remaining only as monuments of departed ages. They have never been of service except as warning of danger to an invading foe and no doubt had the desired effect until the last half century.

Canton is said to be absolutely and thoroughly Chinese, and there is no other city in the empire that is more so. There it exists today, with its narrow streets, its old temples, its wealth, its extreme poverty and its peculiarly constructed buildings, and when one considers the habits and customs of its people and their achievements in the arts so characteristic of that country, its ancient history so resplendent centuries ago, unless that history is a fable, and sees there now so much that is filthy and repugnant to common decency and civilization the present state of the country needs but to be seen to be condemned.

No stranger is respected or safe from insult within its limits unless he has official or military bearing or is in care of a trusty guide—one of their own countrymen, armed with plenary license and power.

Friendly Foes In Kentucky, 1862.

In these matters of principle not a [illegible] was raised to prevent a free choice. No feeling of personal hatred stood between those who saw life's duty differently. A neighbor to the right of a little home called one evening on his neighbor to the left. He kissed the women and shook hands with the parents.

"I may not see you again. Tonight I go to join Morgan," he said.

The host went to his little wardrobe, took therefrom his greatcoat, thrust a pistol into the pocket and threw it over the arm of his guest. Both were poor men and [illegible] proached. The recipient attempted to return it. "No," said the donor—"no, you take this coat. Your path is to be one of privation; besides, I won't need it. Tomorrow morning I start north to enlist. My government has overcoats to spare, and pistols too. You who go south may find neither. God bless you, friend. May we return to meet again."
—Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

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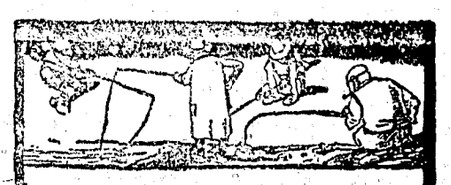

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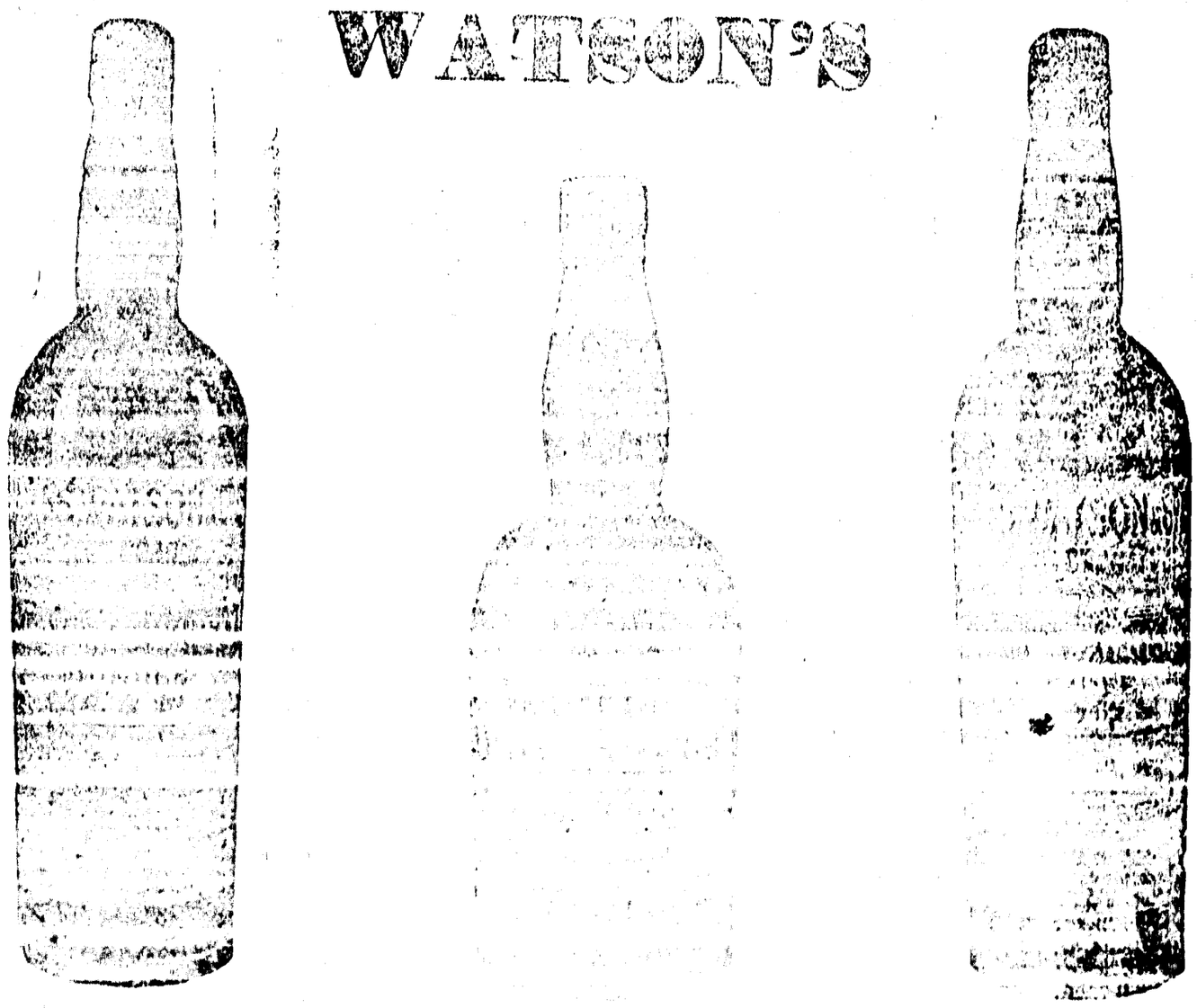

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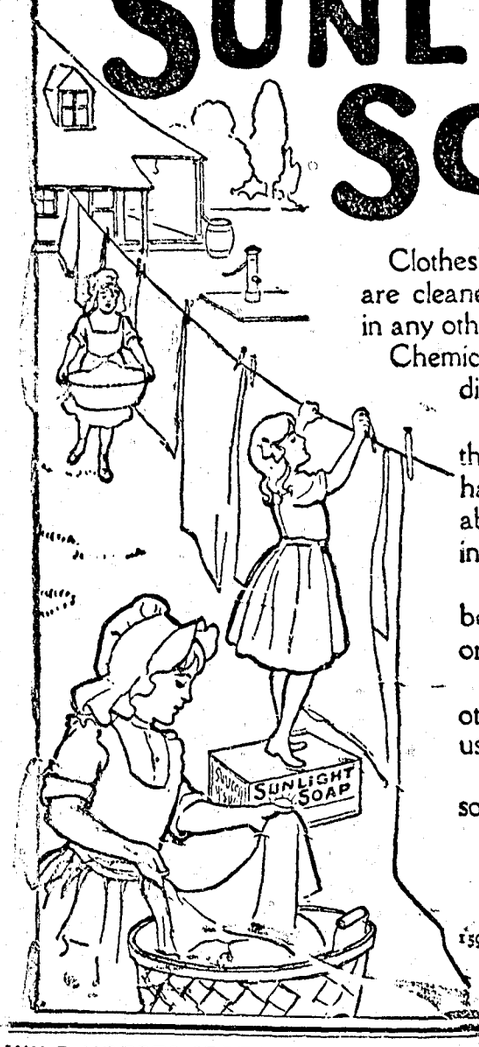

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WILD HORSES SPREAD GLANDERS

Ranchers of Okanagan Valley Will Exterminate Wild Herds.

The ranching districts about the Okanagan Lake in the interior of the province of British Columbia are confronted with a grave difficulty in connection with the wild horses in that section of the country. These animals have come from ranch horses which in earlier times got separated from the main herds. These are now pronounced to be untamable. There are hundreds of them, the winters in that part of the province being so mild that the animals have no difficulty in picking their living on the mountains during the whole year.

They have been a source of trouble to the ranchers as the herds of tame animals are constantly being drawn from by these wild horses. From time to time there have been agitation in favor of the extermination of the wild herds and various plans have been suggested.

A new source of danger has now arisen, and it will likely lead to the decree going forth that all these wild bands shall be killed of. Within the past season there has been an outbreak of glanders in that part of the province and some of the most valuable of the breeding horses on the ranches have been shot by order of the Dominion inspectors. Dr. Tomlie, one of these inspectors, who has had good opportunities to study the question in that district, has come to the conclusion that in order to make sure of the eradication of the disease, there will have to be war waged against the wild horses.

The government of the province has been approached on the subject, and will sanction a movement in this direction as in the best interests of the stock raisers of the province. Price Ellison, member for the Okanagan district, will introduce a bill into the legislature dealing with the question, and the aim will be to wipe out the wild herds and thus save the valuable stock for which the districts are becoming so famous.

The present outbreak of glanders in that part of the province is ascribed to the bringing in of stock from the prairie section of the Dominion by farmers who have come in there to settle. A determined effort will be made in order to stamp out the disease and save the reputation held by the horse raisers of the district for supplying the best of stock.

London is undoubtedly leading the world in the matter of women's clubs. Twenty-one years ago there was not a single institution of the kind; now there are thirty, with a total membership of over 20,000. There are also several mixed clubs of which the women members number about 1,000. —The London Woman at Home.

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Russia will ask China for trading concessions and permission for railway construction.

The German emperor will return King Alfonso's visit to Germany.

Baron Mueum von Schivartzenstein, is to be German ambassador to Japan.

Switzerland has adopted mid-European time, the true local time for Berne being just half an hour later. The result of putting the working hours 30 minutes earlier in the day has had such an effect on the consumption of gas that the gas company has been demanding a return to the old system.

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The state department at Washington is becoming alarmed over the Chinese boycott.

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Emil Zerkowitz has written a book dealing with American commerce from the Hungarian point of view. He travelled 16,000 miles collecting data.

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King Edward will receive a deputation from the United States Steel corporation.

The Montreal Water and Power company, which supplies Westmount with water has entered a suit for $50,000 against the Montreal Herald for articles printed alleging that the water caused the typhoid epidemic

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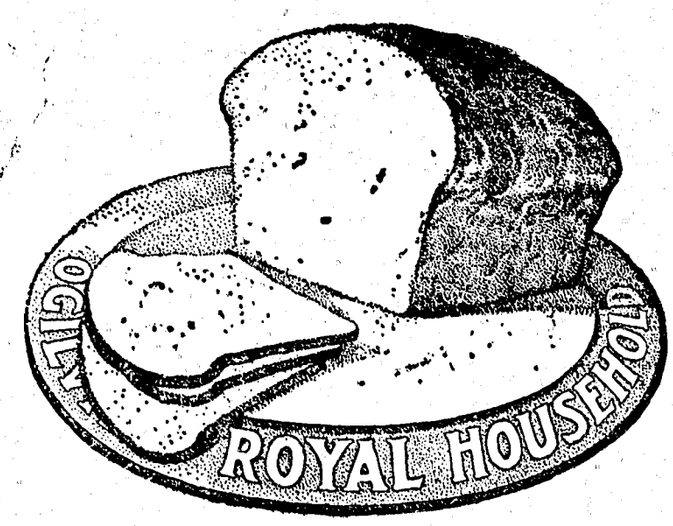
Impurities in the Blood.—When the action of the kidneys becomes impaired, impurities in the blood are almost sure to follow, and general derangement of the system ensues. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will regulate the kidneys so that they will maintain healthy action and prevent the complications which certainly come when there is derangement of these delicate organs. As a restorative these pills are in the first rank.

The scarcity of snow will seriously affect the pulp suply along the St. Lawrence.

What is undoubtedly the largest collection of picture postal cards in the world is the property of the Prince of Wales' eldest son. The collection includes cards from every country in the world, and is now growing almost too bulky for convenient handling there being more than 10,000 cards.

If the world were birdless a naturalist declares, man could not inhabit it after nine years' time, in spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects. The insects and slugs would simply eat all the orchards and crops by that time



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Commenting on the washy colors of British postage stamps, the Pall Mall Gazette expresses a wish that the British government would use "such excellent dyes as are in use in America and other countries, whose stamps are a pleasure to look at, instead of being an eyesore, like our own."

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THEIR WEDDING DAY

By NELLIE CRAVEY GILLMORE

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Impelled by some whimsical notion, the girl turned abruptly and discarded the neat blue walking suit she had just donned for a heap of billowy, lustrous apparel that lay spread out over the bed. Afterward she contemplated her reflection critically in the oval mirror of her dressing table, noting the details with some curiosity.

No, her three years' absence on another continent had made very little difference beyond, perhaps, intensifying each feature a mere trifle. The sun tints of her hair had deepened to a more metallic gold, the blue of her eyes to misty violet, and her mouth, red, finely lined, drooped a bare fraction at the corners—that was all.

With a final wistful glance at the straight young figure in its white silken loveliness, she turned and ran down the stairs as fast as she could, pinning her hat on as she went.

Half an hour's brisk walking brought her to the entrance of the park. A few minutes later she found herself completely hemmed in by an unfamiliar wilderness of trees and brambles. She paused and looked about her desperately. On either side was a formidable tangle of thorny hedge, with mass upon mass of impenetrable shrubbery everywhere ahead. Three years had made a material difference in things at least, she reflected.

After a moment's rest on one of the benches she got up again, more than ever determined on her quest. At the end of a harassing hour she stood on familiar ground at last, a tumult of emotions surging all through her being as recollections crowded up thick and fast.

There was the same old log upon which they had sat on that eventful day—the day, the very hour of their betrothal—now crumbling to decay, but the very same nevertheless.

Lifting her skirts, all sagged and limp with dew, she picked her way

GORDON SLIPPED A STRONG ARM ABOUT HER AND DREW HER TOWARD HIM.

carefully to the sound end of it and sat down, catching her breath in a little spasm of relief. In the distance a coyote's cry sounded distinctly, and a whole army of minor echoes thronged in its wake.

The pink gray of early morning flung an enchanting rosiness over everything, and the air was suddenly vocal with the matutinal chirping of thousands of birds.

Presently the girl got up and began to search along the side of the log for something. She came to it at last. Any one looking at her just then could have detected that from the unmistakable signs of emotion all at once visible on her face. Quick tears sprang to her eyes as she looked and splashed unheeded on her interlocked hands.

"R. G., E. R., June, '02—June, '05." The letters, roughly carved with a pocketknife, were a trifle eaten away at the edges, but perfectly legible still.

"Our wedding day," she murmured softly, touching the crude inscription with a tender, tremulous finger. "Dick, Dick—if we only hadn't!" For a moment she felt as though she were going to choke. The memory of past bitterness—their quarrel, estrangement and final separation—came upon her suffocatingly, overwhelmingly. Then, with a swift access of pride, she threw back her head, the mist drying away from her eyes and leaving them half hard, half regretful, bright as stars. For a full minute she stood there, tall and straight, immovable as a statue; then she bent suddenly and laid her cheek against the rough side of the log.

Almost on the instant the sharp snapping of a twig brought her upright, with a startled movement. Not twenty feet away, just visible through the interlaced foliage, a man was striding rapidly toward her. The girl had just time to gather her skirts and slip noiselessly behind a screen of bamboo.

Despite its nonchalance, Gordon's careless swing had a decided purpose behind it. He came directly up to the crumbling old log and stood looking down upon its crusty surface with an inscrutable expression in his keen gray eyes.

Presently he, too, stooped and scanned closely along a certain line on the side of the log. In an [illegible] ce lit up only to cloud swiftly, while a look of pain made his clean, clear features look almost sharp. He sat down and dropped his face in his hands with a sort of hopelessness too entire for expression. After a little he lifted his head wearily and stared straight ahead of him at nothing at all. Then, all at once, he started, paled and jumped to his feet, every nerve quivering. On the soft turf exactly in front of him were footprints—a woman's footprints! And a bit further on lay a tiny scrap of lace, vaguely exhalant of a subtle odor—her favorite perfume.

Gordon stooped quickly and possessed himself of the handkerchief. In one corner were the initials he already expected to see there. He crushed it against his lips with a passionate rush of tenderness, and a wonderful light came into his eyes. "Dearest of all women," he mused radiantly, "I shall go to the ends of creation to find you if it takes me all the eternities to do it!"

The girl held her hands tightly over her heart, lest Gordon should hear its turbulent throbbing. Her teeth, caught unconsciously over her lip, left a clean row of pink indentations for a long time afterward.

As he turned to come past her she shrank back a bit and her foot slipped fatally. The next moment Gordon was bending over her, and his breath, coming in little quick jerks, lifted the fine hair from her temples in tiny gold wisps.

"I—I'm afraid it's going to be serious, Dick. I don't believe I can walk a bit." Quite involuntarily she had reverted to the old familiar title.

The world seemed to stop revolving for a minute. Then Gordon slipped a firm, strong arm about her and drew her toward him. "I am going to carry you," he said.

"But it's too far. You could never in the world get me home"—

"Less than a quarter of a mile from here is St. Luke's"—

She laughed a little unsteadily, trying to smother the catch of pain in her throat.

"Mr. Applegate is there right now. I saw him as I came along," he continued.

"But I dislike to trouble any one with"—

"The reverend gentleman will not, I assure you, object to being troubled in this way. He likes it. You see, it rather helps him to eke out an existence. Besides, it wouldn't be precisely fair, would it, to cheat the old fellow out of his legitimate fee?"

The girl averted her head suddenly and did not speak, but Gordon took heart of her silence and, bending, touched her blood burnt cheeks with his lips. "You haven't forgotten what day this is, Emily?"

"I haven't forgotten," she responded in a little tremulous whisper, "it is—our wedding day."

And so it was.

Postage Stamp Gum.

When you lick a postage stamp you need not fear that the gum is something unclean. Postal gum is the best quality on the face of the earth. It is derived from dextrin, a product secured in the process of making starch from potatoes, corn and the cassava root. The starch from these vegetables is treated by roasting at a temperature of about 30 degrees at the first stage, causing it to turn into dextrin. Further changes make postal gum, and if the changes were carried to the limit the result would be grape sugar or glucose. The best postal gum is that which contains the least unconverted starch and little glucose. When the material for making gum reaches the bureau of engraving and printing it looks much like flour except in color. It comes in sacks of 200 pounds each, and every consignment from the contractors is carefully inspected before using. It is subjected to microscopical examination and to chemical analysis, and all this is followed by a practical test.—Kansas City Star.

Contradictory.

Little Edith had a habit,
Habit very bad,
Known, to make it brief, as "mussing"
Everything she had.

Little Edith thought her mamma
Inconsistent quite—
"[illegible] I mussin't!"
Said the puzzled sprite.

—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Spoils of War.

Benevolent Old Lady (to little boy in street)—Why, why, little boy, how did you ever get such a black eye?

Small Boy—Me and Sammy Jones was fightin' for a apple in school, an' he smashed me.

Benevolent Old Lady—Dear, dear! And which glutton got the apple?

Small Boy—Teacher, ma'am.—Harper's Weekly.

CAUSES OF FOREIGN FLAVORS.

Why They Appear In Butter—Fishiness From Rusty Cans.

Frequently complaints reach creameries that their butter is "off flavor," and generally with such a notice comes the request for instructions for disposal. There is very often plenty of reason for such complaints, and if those engaged in creameries would look for the causes, they may not be disappointed after a close examination of the milk cans in which their milk supply is delivered. It has often been observed that the cans in which milk is sent to the creamery are covered with rust, some coated with slime and decayed milk, and others bearing evidence of neglect by the presence of the curd of sour milk adhering to the crevice between the sides and bottom. In all such cases—and these, we have some reason to believe, are many—the milk cannot fail to get badly tainted before they reach the creamery. Quite a number of wooden vessels are seen conveying milk to creameries, and it is well known that many of these vessels are rarely scalded and thoroughly cleaned. Most creamery managers know the conditions under which milk cans are kept at the farms, and we are aware that sufficient care is not generally observed in cleaning either the cans or keeping them in a clean place to aerate after being scalded. One common complaint that appears to be directly traced to the use of rusty cans and utensils is fishiness in butter.

There may be many other causes for this trouble, but the fact that it has been traced to the use of old and rusty utensils should be sufficient for us to remove such a likely source of danger from our creameries. Most of the tinned utensils used in connection with milk, both at the farm and at the creamery, are not made of tin, but of steel plates tinned both sides. In some cases, notably cheap tinware, the tinning is lightly put on, and the metal rust comes through quickly, or the tin wears off, leaving the iron or steel sheets bare. These rust rapidly, more especially under the influence of the acid of milk, which sets up a chemical reaction and produces in milk or cream a flavor that resembles rather closely the fishy flavors so often heard of in butter. Some cans used in this condition get eaten with rust, and, with the indifferent cleaning they too often receive, become a fruitful source of contamination to pure milk.

Tallowy flavors have of late years become unusually common. There is little doubt but that their origin is largely traced to unclean milk; and this in turn, comes either from dirty cans or from milk kept in dirty surroundings, or very often from both.

During the autumn season complaints of the nature referred to appear to be more frequent, than at other times of the year. It may be owing to less care being given to the milk supply and the cleaning of cans—consequent on the pressure of harvesting operations. Other causes would seem to play a part—viz., stale milk, creameries working three or four days each week, when they should receive milk at least on able surroundings and under unfavorable conditions in anticipation of a rise in prices. The use of impure starter, even in butermilk that is not perfectly clean and containing only desirable lactic germs, would readily cause the presence of injurious flavors in butter.

It is an easy matter to find many causes for the presence of fishy, tallowy and other flavors, but if creameries would persist in putting such simple rules as the following into practice, they would find that the list of complaints would be rare:

1. All milks received to be fresh clean and untainted.

2. All milk cans used in delivering tinned steel with no traces of rust, dirt or decayed milk inside of them. The execution of this rule would necessitate a very close examination of each can, and in a short time the influence of such regular examination should be manifest in milk of improved quality.

3. All the utensils used in the creamery to be absolutely clean, tinware free from rust and dirt, and the atmosphere of the dairy clean and dry.

Only pure culture starters in good condition to be used for ripening cream.

Every creamery manager knows the great importance of the fulfilment of these conditions, and if he applies himself to put them in force he may expect that his creamery can rank high among those that turn out none but the choicest butter, and realize for it the highest obtainable prices.—Irish Homestead.

Double Winged Snowplow.

I send a representation of a snowplow used about here. Farmers usually use a plow with only one wing, but we use the double winged plow, so as to clear the road at one passage and not delay teams hauling in wood or ore. Of

A QUEBEC SNOWPLOW.

course the number of teams attached depends on the snowfall. One team will clear the road after a fall of eight to ten inches. This is a good machine and does good work says a correspondent writing from the province of Quebec to Rural New Yorker.

And She Was Punished.

"Mamma, did you ever flirt when you were a girl?"

"Yes, my dear, I did once."

"And were you punished for it?"

"It led to my marriage with your father."—Le Rire.

VANITY'S VISIONS.

Two Attractive Hat Models—Ribbon Work a Smart Trimming.

A charming hat is to be seen in a fashionable millinery shop of reseda chiffon velvet with a jam pot crown. The trimming of shaded chenille is caught up at the back, forming a cachepeigne, together with two full ostrich feathers shading off to almost cream color. Another pretty model is of gray velvet with high crown. The brim turns up at one side with plumes of a darker shade, and the crown is swathed in thickly folded chiffon.

Ribbon work is very much in demand this season. It is applied to laces both wide and narrow, to motifs of fine muslin and lace let into boleros and coatees of Irish lace and even in kid belts—in fact, on everything on which there is a possibility of introducing it. Gold and silver laces, ribbons and laces

GOWN OF BROADCLOTH.

represent the newest form of adornment for the neck of both day and evening gowns.

Women who do not like the full, puffy sleeves that stick out from the shoulders and who at the same time do not find the sloping shoulder effect becoming are grateful for the little epaulets that are so much worn. On many of the pretty lace blouses little frills of lace from a plastron of embroidery top the sleeves. The dress of cloth, too, has a shaped piece of embroidered velvet or silk, or from the collar itself will start an ornamentation that widens out and, falling over the arms, is there edged with a frill of lace or a silk fringe.

The walking gown seen in the illustration is of London smoke broadcloth. The double skirt is trimmed with stitched bands. Over the white cloth waistcoat is an emplecement of gay cloth fancifully cut, forming a pretty finish to the bloused bodice.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

TO A NEW V.

Clean, crisp, innocent V,
Fresh from the mint,
Sent forth in this hard world
To do your stint,
It makes me rather sad
To see you go,
For soon your name will be
"Tainted," I know.

You'll pass through divers ways
And crooked deals,
And wicked avarice
Will dog your heels,
Likely enough 'twill be
Your wretched fate
With "graft" besmirched notes to
Associate.

You may be held in some
Trust pirate's thrall
Till there is left you no
Honor at all.
Then you'll be ostracized
By people good;
Condemned for others' sins,
Misunderstood.

You could not even be
Given away
For service with the just;
You'd have to stay
With outcast cash, and all
Your days be spent
Under a ban, despite
Your good intent.

Reason Enough.

"Everybody says that he looks like his grandfather on his mother's side."

"I didn't know the old gentleman had that much money."

Gibbon.

Gibbon's face was full and red. Late in life he became exceedingly stout, and his features grew flabby. Only when interested in conversation did he show indications of the bright intellect that conceived and carried out the greatest historical work ever produced by the unaided labor of one man.

Four Days a Year.

There are only four days each year in which sun and clock time exactly correspond. They are April 15, June 14, Sept. 1 and Dec. 24.

Some Breezy Kicker Items.

What Has Been Going on In the Neighborhood of Giveadam Gulch.

It is generally believed in Grass Valley that the city clerk of that town, who has been missing for three weeks, has been devoured by a bear, as he was last seen in the company of one.

We learn that a man from Indiana is about to start a paper at Pine Hill, where six different editors have been shot or run out within two years. We congratulate him on being either a fool or a brave man.

The party who came along the street at midnight the other night and hurled a rock through our bedroom window

HE LIMPED OFF WITHOUT LEAVING HIS CARD.

in the postoffice must have been a stranger in town. We were out of bed and had put a bullet into one of his legs before he had got his mouth puckered up to laugh. He limped off without leaving his card.

We haven't said anything lately regarding our ambition to be the next president of the United States, but we are keeping up a lot of thinking all the time and shall be in evidence when the time comes. Nothing is too tall for us.

We have been postmaster of the town for almost three years and have been working hard all that time, and yet it was only the other day that we got the windows of the old building clean enough to see through and found a clean spot on the floor. Uncle Sam is industrious, but not proud.

Mr. George H. Sheaver, the popular gunsmith of Rose Valley, denies that his wife has eloped, as stated in our issue last week. All right, George. If you succeeded in heading her off, that is your good luck, and we congratulate you. Our informant probably took the will for the deed.

Old Jim Hewson, who was caught in a snowslide near Dog Creek last winter and held fast for four days, has invented and is now making use of fifty-six new cuss words, none of which are less than four inches long. It takes a calamity to make some men do their best.

A keg of printer's ink which was on its way to us from Chicago was stolen from the freight house at Lone Jack the other day by half breed Indians and eaten up for molasses. There were five persons in the plot, and all of them have gone up into the hills to take a vacation and rest up after their arduous labors.

As mayor and postmaster of the town we must now and then take a bluff in order to maintain our dignity, but as plain Jim Hellso we own a mule which can beat anything in the west on a half mile track, and we'll bet on it.

Fifty bushels of onions came into town yesterday along with fourteen barrels of whisky, and for the next two weeks our sanctum will be kept locked against the general public. Any one breathing through the keyhole must take his chances of being shot in the head.

Together Up to Date.

"You are old, Father William," the young man said,
"And your hair has become very white;
You were sixty last birthday, and still you're not dead.
Do you think at your age it's quite right?"

As to Kissing.

Dyer—Kissing a girl on the cheek is a sign of friendship.

Ryer—And kissing her on the mouth is a sign of nerve.

New Goods

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Wesley Willard.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a twenty-one (21) year lease of the following described land for the purpose of Oyster culture, commencing at a post planted on the Easterly shore of Von Donope Creek, Cortes Island, thence following the shore line around head of creek to a point opposite initial post thence to place of commencement, enclosing 300 acres, more or less.

JOHN GUNARSON.

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A good education is valuable only in so far as it teach us how little we know of all there is to know. It is rather bewildering to the man who is inclined to think that consistency is the mainstay of argument to note that the frequent advice to school children and working men to "get an education" so they may "get to the top", etc. usually emanates from those estimable gentlemen who on public occasions are wont to hold forth eloquently on "the dignity of labor". With all due deference to such persons it would seem to the aforesaid simple minded individual that the education workingmen need is not the kind that will make them despise manual labor and despise manual labor and desire to become absorbers of wealth rather than producers, but the kind that will give them wisdom to so regenerate the world that those who come after us will elect of their own free will to become workingmen instead of ornamental parasites on society. In short, the education of workingmen should tend towards the realization of "the dignity of labor", and not toward the realization of the sordid ideals of latter-day exponents of material success.

The man who accepts a "tip" from another man furnishes just one more argument against the presumption that all men are created equal.

The dreadful catastrophe at San Francisco brings to mind old predictions, nearly forgotten, that that portion of the state was subject to earthquake Mr D W. Higgins, the veteran journalist of Victoria, writes an account of the 1868 tremor which, while not of such long duration as the last, was extremely intense and would have, had the building of that day been at all like the present, or the population so large, probably resulted in a similar loss of life and property. Old Pacific Coast residents remember the resolutions formed after that quake that none but low wooden buildings be erected in San Francisco in anticipation of similar visitations Gradually, the fears of people were allayed, confidence was restored and skyscrapers were erected in place of low buildings—a mighty evolution! Now the last death convulsion has left the glories of architecture, fire destroyed others and vast amounts of valuable chattels, in many cases impossible to replace Many people imagine that San Francisco is no more, at least on the old site. Taking in view the unconquerable enterprise of the American people however, it is safe to assume that rebuilding will commence before the ashes of the final fires are cold, and the city, though perhaps built in a different style to formerly, will be better than ever.

CORRESPONDENCE

Sir

The active public interest in School and municipal affairs taken by several contributors to your last issue shows what has long been lacking among rate payers in this town and surely means the expression of a high public conscience The idea suggested by "Citizen" is one that has for months past been suggested by other leading citizens. To dispense with the services of a city constable, which is really a sinecure call for tenders for all public work,—let Mr Hornal attend to police duty with power to appoint a special in urgent cases, he also attending to small matters like weighing of hay, ringing curfew, etc It seems a shameful waste of public money that the town will continue to employ a man at $900.00 a year to work one or two hours a week. This money could be well spent in assisting the High School, instead of as now compelling parents to pay the exorbitant sum of $2 per pupil monthly to help maintain the institution. If such a condition of affairs is allowed to exist our worthy Council will succeed in driving some of our most valuable residents from the town and will be a constant detriment to prospective settlers. My advice to the rate-payers is, if they wish to see the High School retained to make a long pull a strong pull, and a pull all together in the interests of the High School The programme which has been suggested must appear to everyone as based upon plain common sense and a thorough knowledge of the needs and requirments of the city. Of children who attend the High School there are perhaps parents of 4 families who can afford to pay the monthly fee, and it seems most unjust that the Council for the sake of pure sentiment in keeping an idle man walking the streets will punish the children who desire a higher education by not retrenching in a very necessary direction. We hope to hear from Mayor Willard on this vital question. Public interest born of public knowledge of civic affairs is all that is necessary for the proper development of a successful municipal system.

Rate payer

Cumberland, B. C.
April 23 1906

Ed News

Sir

Referring to the letters regarding School funds lately appearing in the NEWS I think that good points have been taken by the advocates of both methods of retrenching. Since these have appeared however, I hear that most of the parents of children attending High School have agreed to pay $2 per month, and that it has been stated by the trustees that this amount would leave only between $200 and $300 to be made up by the City. Now Mr Editor, it seems to me that there can be no discussion on this point. If I understand aright, the High School is not a compulsory charge on the city, and consequently, it is not in the power of the civic authorites to devote any of the public money to that account Therefore, the institution must be supported entirely outside of the public funds, which the Battle was as in other unauthorized expenditures. It would be much better if a Public School fund were created and kept up solely for public purposes.

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By Order of Council.
L.W. NUNNS, City Clerk.
Cumberland B.C. March 31st, 1906

CITY OF CUMBERLAND

COURT OF REVISION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the Assessment for the year 1906, as made by the Assessor of the City of Cumberland, B.C., will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday the 30th day of April, 1906 at 8 o'clock, p-m.

L. W. NUNNS, City Clerk.
Cumberland B.C., April 4, 1906.

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OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of Nanaimo holden at Cumberland. In the goods of George Quelhorst deceased. [illegible] Act dated 18th day of April, AD, 1906.

Upon reading the affidavits of William Wesley Willard and the death certificate of the deceased George Quelhorst it is ordered that William Wesley Willard official administrator for part of the County Court District of Nanaimo shall be Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of George Quelhorst deceased intestate and that this order is published in the Cumberland News newspaper for one insertion.

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