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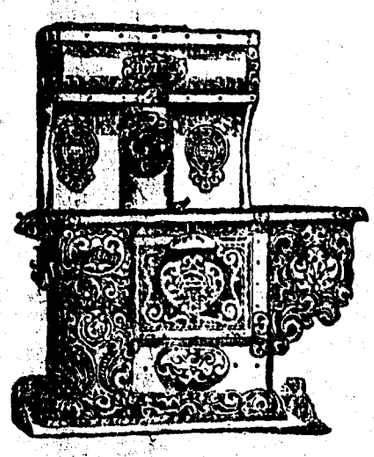

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Incorporation of Canadian Collieries, Dunsmuir, Ltd.,

Ottawa, April 52.—The Canada Gazette contains a notice of the incorporation of the Canadihn Collieries (Dunsmuir, Limited), with capital stock of twenty million dollars, $100 shares, with head office in Victoria, B.C.

The provisional directors are F. H. Phippen, G. G. Ruel, Geo. F. Macdonnell, R H Montague and J H Phippen.

In addition to the right to mine for coal and other minerals the company has power "to promote, aid and encourage immigration, and assist immigrants in any way that may be desirable."

The names of the provisional directors indicate that this is a Mackenzie & Mann enterprise.

VANCOUVER AND SUMNER PLACE.

Messrs Haggerty & Morro are presenting the Christy Realty Co., of Vancouver, are stopping at the Cumberland. During the last few days they have made quite a number of sales of lots in Summer place. Summer is situated about four miles east of the centre of Vancouver, in direct line of industrial development and in close proximity to the Great Northern Railway and new B.C. Electric tram now under construction. Two large plants will be built in the immediate vicinity of the property, Summer Steel Work and the Burton Saw Works, construction of plants to commence within a few days. In view of these facts, lots in Summer Place should double in value before long and a small investment made now will produce big profits in the near future. Lots are $50 up, on easy terms. Anyone wishing to secure a lot, or further particulars, kindly let us know this week, as we are leaving for Vancouver within a few days.

Ottawa, April 26.—The main estimates for the present fiscal year include the following votes for B. C.:—Cumberland public building, $2,500; Nanaimo public building, $15,000; to extend the Courtenay-Campbell River telephone from the east shore of Vancouver Island to Valdez, Mary and Cortez islands, Point Sarah on the mainland, and thence to Van Anda on Texada Island.

RICHARDS—PATMORE

On Wednesday, April 20th, Mr. Henry Richards, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richards of Penrith Avenue, and Miss Fannie Patmore, daughter of Mrs. Patmore, Courtenay Road were united in the Holy Bonds of matrimony. The wedding took place in the Presbyterian Church, Sandwick, the Rev. T. Menzies officiating. A large number of friends attended the wedding ceremony. Miss A. Pierce acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Thos. Richards, jr., supported the groom. The bride looked charming in a pretty wedding gown and was the recipient of many useful and costly presents. After the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, a few relatives and friends being invited. On Thursday morning the happy couple boarded the s. s. City of Nanaimo and will spend their honemoon visiting Vancouver, Victoria and Sound Cities. The NEWS extends congratulations and wishes the young couple health, happiness and prosperity.

HAYWOOD—MELLADO

On last Thursday evening, April 21st, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the residence of the bride's parents, Penrith Ave., Mr. Ernest Haywood was united in the Holy Bonds of matrimony to Miss Flora Mellado, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Mellado, the marriage being performed by the Rev. H. S. Hastings, of Grace Methodist Church. Miss Annie Haywood was bridesmaid while Mr. Recardo Mellado did the duties of best man. The bride wore a handsome wedding gown of all over embroidery, she looked charming and carried in her hand a beautiful bouquet of primbulas and asparagus; she was given away by her father. The bridesmaid wore a dress of cream lustre. After the wedding ceremony all those present sat down to a bounteous repast, to which all did ample justice, afterwards the wedding party were given a musical treat by selections from Mr Monte's string orchestra. The presents were numerous and costly. The NEWS joins with the many friends of the bride and groom in wishing them long life, prosperity and happiness. They will make their home in Cumberland.

San Francisco, Aril 23.—Barney Oldfield lowered the coast automobile track record for one mile by one fifth of a second this afternoon on the Ingleside course, when he dashed around the oval in 52.12 seconds before a crowd of 5,000 persons in his 200 horse power benzine car. The automoet was under the auspices of Islam Temple, Mystic Shriners.

All Firemen are requested to meet at the Fire Hall on Friday, 29th, at 7:30 p.m., on business of importance. J. Buren, Chief.

Vancouver, April 26.—A verdict of $14,000 was awarded by the jury last night to the widow and two children of Harry Stayton one of the men killed in the car accident on the New Westminster line last November.

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(Continued.)

Daisy's answer was arrested by Georgiana's rising from the window sill and sitting down beside her on the front door step. Georgiana had evidently quite recovered her not easily disturbed equanimity.

"What are you reading?" she inquired of Daisy in the tone of gentle patronage she always used to her cousin and for which Daisy appeared humbly grateful. "Or, I should say, what is that book you are not reading? One of those that father made you pack?"

"Yes," sighed Daisy, "this one is to equip me for our European tour next summer. I'm on Switzerland now. It's perfectly dear!" she said, with perfunctory enthusiasm. "The author has so many pretty thoughts about the scenery."

Georgiana smiled indulgently. "Do you know, Daisy, what book you and I

"Imagine that yard of pump water in one of Georgiana's gowns!"

ought to have brought with us to read in this setting—with this background?" she asked, waving her hand abroad to indicate the farm at large.

"Which?" inquired Daisy respectfully. "Please to break it to me gently, Georgiana."

"Izaak Walton's 'Compleat Angler.' It is remarkable that such an unpretentious work as 'The Compleat Angler' should have lived since the seventeenth century and be so very much alive still."

"Wait! I'd better make a note of that," said Daisy, gathering up her book and pencil.

"It lives," Georgiana went on thoughtfully, "because it so vividly exhales on every page nature's true message. Why, if anything could make me want to go a-fishing, Izaak Walton's picture of its delights would tempt me. And the famous passage about the worm—in which he recommends anglers to be merciful to it"—

"The worm?" It was Eunice's soft voice that spoke impulsively. "It was not to the worm, but to the frog that Izaak Walton recommended anglers to be merciful, wasn't it? 'Use him as though you loved him; that is, harm him as little as you may possibly that he may live the longer,'" she quoted.

Kinross leaned forward in his chair, his elbow on his knee, his chin on his hand. The two young ladies stared at the girl as though unable to credit the evidence of their ears.

"You have read 'The Compleat Angler?'" Georgiana's astonished tones inquired.

"Many times," the girl answered, then suddenly colored and shrank back a little. "I—have seen it—yes."

"You have seen it to some purpose since you are able to quote it so accurately."

Eunice looked down at the Bible on her knee and did not answer.

"But, Eunice, where did you get the book?" asked Georgiana.

"I—came by it—once."

"And you read it many times?" she persisted.

Eunice glanced up with a faint smile. "Not as much for the instructions about fishing, but for the anecdotes scattered through it, the quotations and songs and poems."

"You have the book in the house?" asked Georgiana.

The girl looked uncomfortable. "I have not read it for more than a year," she said with evident evasion.

"If you are fond of reading—and of such reading—we shall be glad to let you have some of our books," said Georgiana in a tone of encouragement to struggling rural ambition.

"Offer her 'Some Facts About the Great Back Boned Family,'" advised Daisy earnestly. "It's so fearfully uninteresting that I'm sure it must be very instructive and beneficial."

"Thank you," Eunice replied. "But," she added, with an uneasy glance at Ollie, "I never have time to read except on Sunday, and Mr. Morningstar would not allow me to read anything but the Bible then."

"But I am so glad to find," said Georgiana graciously, "that when you do have an opportunity to read good literature you take advantage of it and that you read so appreciatively."

"I am glad to be a source of such happiness to you," said Eunice, speaking with a faint unconscious touch of irony that suddenly brought the color to Georgiana's cheeks. Eunice herself looked as though she scarcely understood the vague discomfort which possessed her under the almost affectionate patronage of Miss Ellery.

The sound of a step on the porch—which evidently announced the expected arrival of Ollie's "regular comp'ny"—led Eunice to quickly close her Bible and rise to go away.

But she was stopped on the threshold.

CHAPTER X.

EUNICE was about to pass Ollie's steady comp'ny with a nod, but the young man stopped directly in her way, and, holding out his hand with a shy awkwardness, flushed deeply as he looked at her.

"Och!" exclaimed Ollie, turning in her chair to welcome him, but not rising, "but I'm glad you're here oncet! I'm so tired listenin' to the big words they're spittin' at each other here—yes, even Eunice yet! I didn't know Eunice could speak such high language! She ain't never done it around us still."

"Nor around me, neither—I'd like, too, to hear her oncet," replied the young man, his bashful tones only just audible and his face and neck self consciously red as he retained Eunice's hand so that she could not pass on and looked at her with an ardor in his gaze that appeared quite irrelevant in view of the general understanding that he came to "set up" with Ollie. "Won't you stay settin' on the porch, Eunice?" he nervously begged the girl.

Eunice looked at him in surprise. To ask her to commit a breach like that, to violate the social code that no third person must be present at a Sunday night "setting up"—was he wandering in his wits? She tried to withdraw her hand, but could not—he held it tight—with Ollie, Dr. Kinross and the young ladies all looking on!

"This is the first time I have saw you—since I begun to come Sundays," he said with evidently gigantic effort to conquer his embarrassment at the acknowledgment he was making in Ollie's very presence. "Where was you at Sunday nights still when I come over?"

"Where was she at?" spoke up Ollie boisterously. "Out on the back porch settin'—with our Abe. That's where she'd be tonight, too, I guess, if mom didn't jaw her so fur it!"

"With Abe!" repeated Ollie's ostensible "friend" in a consternation that forgot the presence of others. "Her and Abe!"

Eunice dragged her fingers from his clasp and turned away before he could recover from the evident shock of Ollie's communication.

The three boarders, realizing that they were de trop, also rose and went away. Ollie and the young man were left in solitary possession of the field for the evening's campaign.

"How many dupes are there in this friendshaft, I wonder!" Kinross said to himself as he strolled out into the garden, his pulse bounding with a strange excitement. "The young ladies think I'm a country lout. Ollie thinks the young man, Hen Mucklehenny, comes to 'set up' with her when evidently he is fatally smitten with Eunice (let him lay low if Abe discovers it). As for me, have I, too, been a dupe about that girl, Eunice? Is she a disguised college professor or 'whatever,' as her conversation this evening might suggest? Her diction is certainly not the everyday tongue of the Morningstars. How the dickens does it happen?"

But too many circumstances—the Morningstars' selfish treatment of her, Abe's infatuation, her slavish work—these and other things rebutted the theory that she was anything else than what she pretended to be. How, then, account for that astonishing little revelation of herself this evening? He turned it over in every conceivable way, but could arrive at no conclusion concerning her. He decided that he must certainly make an opportunity for talking with her and investigate her thoroughly.

Meantime Hen Mucklehenny's hesitation in taking advantage of the clear field left to him and his slowness to seat himself in the rocker at Ollie's side were attributed by her to his well known bashfulness. It was thus that she had interpreted also his lack of ardor on every Sunday night that he had been with her. No amount of encouragement on her part had avanced to warm him up to the sort of love making considered in that locality an essential preface to matrimony.

"Hen," began Ollie, when at last they were rocking monotonously side by side in their big wooden rockers on the porch, "you ain't got no need to trouble to make so polite to our Eunice, seein' she ain't my right sister that way. It makes me no difference if she likes you or if she don't, her bein' only 'dopted and not our own flesh and blood. It wouldn't unplease me if you didn't make over her any."

"But," began Hen uneasily, "I didn't make polite to her just fur to please you, Ollie—not just to say fur that exactly; I"— He stopped helplessly, looking distraught.

Ollie was slow to grasp a new idea. All she saw just now was that her bashful lover was more embarrassed than usual. "That's all right, Hen," she reassured him—quite irrelevantly the uncomfortable fellow thought.

They rocked in silence for a while. Pennsylvania Dutch courtships are wont to be punctuated by long periods of sepulchral silence. Hen's countenance, instead of expressing the ecstacies of a lover in the fair presence of his lady, looked as if he were sitting in a dentist's chair under the ordeal of an exposed nerve.

"Hen," said Ollie presently in a tone of heavy import, "I want to speak somepin to you."

Hen fidgeted and waited to hear it.

"If you wasn't keepin' comp'ny with me, Hen, do you know what I'd near up and do."

"But that needn't hold you back, Ollie, from nothin', fur I ain't just to say"—

Hen floundered again and was silent.

"I'd take and go to town and hire out fur a girl. Pop he holds me so close at home to the work and won't leave me go none—and if I was hired I could mebbe go more'n I kin so. They anyhow kin have off in the evenings still—hired girls in town kin."

"You needn't mind me, Ollie," Hen hastened to reassure her; "you just go if you want."

But Ollie shook her head. "I thought at it, but I couldn't make my mind up to leave you, Hen."

Hen looked miserable.

"Or if I didn't hire out I thought at going to a factory. In a factory you kin set all the time—and if there's one thing I love to do it's settin'. And pop he has cross if ever he sees me settin'. To be sure, Sally Schnabel, she disheartened me fur hirin' out. She hired there fur a while in town at such a boardin' house where there was twenty-two comers and goers and she says she had to work wonderful hard. She says at home on the farm she had only six to cook and wash fur—and twenty-two towards six—that's a difference, too—ain't?"

"Yes, anyhow," Hen dully acquiesced.

"And Sally she sayed them towners they wanted a hired girl to be a fool fur 'em—to run in a room when they rung a bell like as if she was a dog and to hand 'em things round the table instead of doin' their own stretchin'. Them ways I wouldn't take to so good."

"I guess," Hen agreed.

"And Sally she sayed the missus wouldn't leave her have her reg'lar comp'ny come and set up with her—she tole Sally she didn't want no strange man comin' to her house. And Sally she tole her pretty quick, 'He ain't no strange man,' she says. 'I wouldn't go with no strange man. He's my reg'lar comp'ny.' Now, think, Hen! Accusin' Sally of travelin' with a strange man!"

"To think anyhow!" said Hen.

"But a body could go to the rooft garden now and agin if you was hired in town. Oncet Abe he took me to such a theater play at the rooft garden and if it wasn't grand yet! A man come on the stage named Mr. Montgomery. He was the willain. Now, if he wasn't somepin fierce! Honest to goodness, Hen, he was the worst min I ever seen!"

"Now!" exclaimed Hen with forced sympathy.

"But, then, to be sure, if I was in town stayin' me and you us we couldn't keep comp'ny Sunday evenings."

Hen's gloom deepened to despair.

"Ain't, Hen?" Ollie tried to rouse him to some ardor.

(To be Continued.)

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Marie Montessori, a lecturer in the university at Rome, is said to be the most intellectual woman in Europe.

Miss Helen Taft, the president's daughter, has the credit of being an excellent cook and of being able to make her own clothes.

Miss Anna Dreyfus of Chicago, a teacher of French, has been honored by the decoration of officer d'academie, conferred upon her by the French government.

Mrs. W. Eames Colburn, wife of the head of a Chicago banking firm, has built a modern seven room house for her thirty-five prize cats. The house is fitted up with brass beds, silk draperies and lace curtains.

Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch, president of the Equality League For Self Supporting Women, is not yet an American citizen, because she married an Englishman. She has determined, however, to be naturalized in due form, though she would prefer to have congress make her a citizen by special act, as was done in the case of Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris.

Lady Greville is one of the latest additions to England's long list of American bearers of titles. Only a year ago the new Lord Greville was a younger son, but his brother and father have died since, the brother suddenly. Lady Greville is a daughter of the late John W. Grace of New York and the widow of Hugh D. Kerr of New York, who died in 1907.

Eggs of Crabs and Lobsters.

Crabs and lobsters are hatched from eggs, resembling upon birth nothing so much as the animalculae shown by the microscope in a drop of stagnant water. They are as unlike the shellfish they are to become in mature life as a grub is unlike a butterfly. In the case of the crab the egg clusters are attached beneath the animal after extrusion, while with the lobster they become fastened to the tail, which by its fanning motion increases the stream of oxygenated air through and among the ova.

Giants Nearly Twenty Feet Tall.

The giant Ferragus, who was slain by Orlando, the nephew of Charlemagne, was, it is alleged, eighteen feet high. He always accompanied the army on foot, as no horse could carry him. Platerus in his published writings tells of a giant whom he examined at Lucerne whose body measured nineteen feet four inches and three lines.

A BUILDER OF EMPIRE

SIR THOMAS SHAUGHNESSY IS BUSY MAKING HISTORY.

President of the C.P.R. Has Had a Career That Inspires Admiration—Once a Poor Lad In Wisconsin He Is Now Head of the Greatest Road In the World With an Army of 80,000 Men to Do His Bidding.

The Macaulay or the Froude of to-morrow, when dealing with the affairs of our age, will find his imagination fired not by the speeches and campaigns of partizan statesmen, but by the work of those Empire-builders who to-day are creating new nations of English-speaking people where yesterday there was wilderness. Among these Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will take high place.

His recent visit to Europe affords occasion for recalling something of his achievements.

Forty years ago Tom Shaughnessy, a poor lad in Wisconsin, joined a railway in St. Paul, starting at the bottom of the ladder. Nature had given him parents to be proud of and good fighting Irish blood in his veins—not a bad beginning in life. To-day he possesses more actual power than many a king. He is head of the greatest railway in the world. Eighty thousand picked men gladly do his bidding. The line over which he presides is the veritable backbone of the premier of the British overseas dominions. The Canadian Pacific Railway stretches from the waters of the Atlantic to the Pacific; its steamers do their business from Antwerp to Hong Kong and from Liverpool to Shanghai.

For a man to be born in the West is, for those able to seize their opportunities, to be a favorite of fortune. Thomas Shaughnessy started when the West was in the beginning of its making. He rose rapidly from post to post on the St. Paul system, and thirteen years later he was invited to join the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The step required courage. The line was not yet completed to the Pacific, and was faced by serious financial and engineering difficulties. The two master minds that set out to make it, George Stephen and Donald Smith, must at times have wondered at their own daring. The railway was still fighting to accomplish the passage of the Rockies. Money was none too plentiful, and the prosperity of Canada—on which the Canadian Pacific Railway must ever depend—was the subject of many doubts. Many of the brightest young men left the Dominion year by year to settle in the States, and men freely said that Canada must before long beg for annexation by the Union. The West was almost undeveloped. Winnipeg was emerging from its life as a Hudson Bay fort, and Vancouver was an outpost of civilization cut off from the world save by the sea. The Canadian Pacific Railway counted as its chief asset, apart from its line, twelve million acres of land which no one then wanted.

That was twenty-six years ago. The tale of what has been done since then is the most remarkable romance of business that the modern world has known. The making of the new West, with its vast cities, its great wealth, and its overwhelming prosperity, could never have come as it has but for Stephen and Smith—now known to us all as Lord Mount Stephen and Lord Strathcona—and the pioneers behind them. In this band of pioneers Shaughnessy soon came to the front.

Ten years ago, when Van Horne, the president, retired to the quieter post of chairman, the lad from Wisconsin was chosen in his place. The story of those ten years has been written in the history of the world. The advance of the past decade has been phenomenal; but if the plans of this fighting leader are realized they will be as nothing compared with the decade now before us.

In a quarter of a century £300,000,000 of new values has been created beyond the Great Lakes. For this Canada has to thank the railway makers.

It is the fashion to depict Sir Thomas Shaughnessy as a stern and unbending personality. Who it was started the idea I do not know, but he is wrong. He is an intensely human Irishman, kindly, sympathetic, and a man of many friends. In business he is a relentless fighter, and those who come into collision with him find that he hits first and hits hard. Not long since, for example, a rival railway sought to extend itself into what he considered his railway sphere of influence. He promptly laid down a new line almost parallel to the route proposed by the opposition. Away in the West one can ride mile after mile on one system and see the rails of the other a few yards off.

How has Sir Thomas Shaughnessy succeeded? How, above all, has he managed to retain the vigor, the strength, and the buoyancy which to-day display themselves in his bearing and incisive speech, despite his tremendous duties?

First, he works on system. He is a ruler and, as every railroad president must be, he is largely an autocrat. He is an untiring student of detail, and nothing is too small for his attention. He plans, but he leaves the execution to others, while keeping in constant touch with all sides of the work. He is master of his work, and is a strong believer in the theory that he works best who remembers that work is not all.

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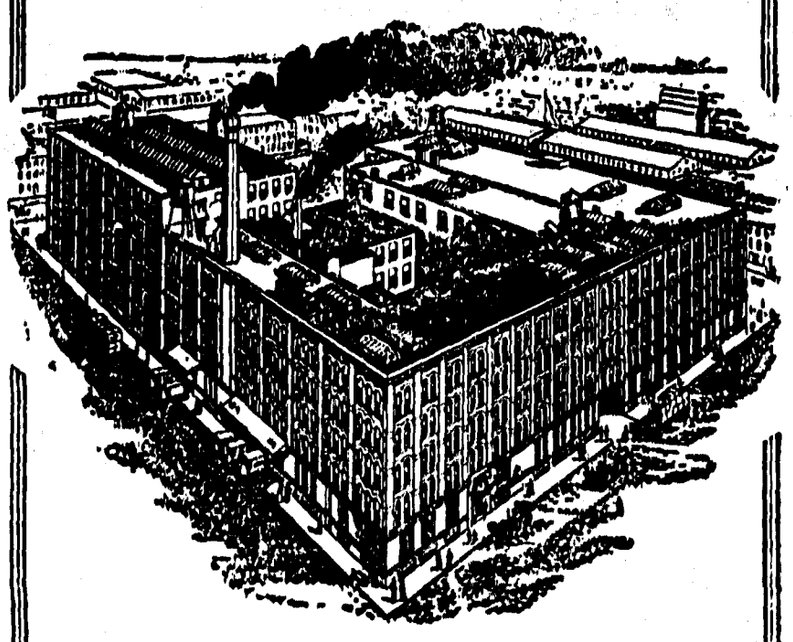

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Shiloh's Cure
quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

Now people do like to ask questions you cannot answer.

"Not Bloodshed—Woodshed"

A moderately fond father discovered young hopeful reading a dime novel.

"Unhand me, villian," the detected boy thundered, "or there will be bloodshed!"

"No," said the father grimly, tightening his hold on his son's collar. "Not bloodshed—woodshed."

Never judge people by their aims; it's what they hit that counts.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY. }
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.
{ SEAL } A. W. GLEASON, NOTARY PUBLIC
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Heiress—"I want to be loved for myself."

Count de Broke (apprehensively)—"My dear lady, is there any possibility of this being a case of mistaken identity?"

The self-made man beats nine tailors out of a job.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

A famous dean was once at dinner, when, just as the cloth was removed, the subject of discourse happened to be that of extraordinary mortality among lawyers.

"We have lost," said a gentleman, "not less than six eminent barristers in as many months."

The dean, who was quite deaf, rose as his friend finished his remarks and gave the company this grace:

"For this and every other mercy make us truly thankful."

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Royal Household
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Always
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What more could you wish for? K.2

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A pure Fruit Jelly Powder—just the finest pure Calves Foot Jelly flavored only by the pure fruit.

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Offer you "Better Quality" on the table—less work in the kitchen.
Our Book of Recipes Sent Free
Let us send you our valuable little book "The Secret of Delicious Desserts." It tells you how to make any number of dainty desserts and delicious salads in very little time and almost no trouble at all.
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Samples on Request
Send us 10c in stamps to pay postage and packing and let us send you generous samples of our Vanilla and Lemon Extracts and a small can of Baking powder. Mention your town and dealer's name and address.

MADE IN CANADA

FIRST ROCK TUNNEL RECORDED.

Was Constructed at Jerusalem Over 2,600 Years Ago.

The first rock tunnel of which there is any authentic record was achieved over 2,600 years ago on the outskirts of Jerusalem, when the way was opened for the admission of water of the spring of Ginon to the pool of Siloam.

Ginon, now known as Mary's Spring, is in the valley of Kedron, and was the only natural spring in the vicinity of the city of David. It was separated from the city by the Ophel Ridge, a mass of rock, so that when enemies appeared before the wall they could cut off this supply and compel the people within to depend upon stored water. King Hezekiah, about 700 B.C., devoted himself to remedying this by constructing a tunnel, which is referred to in II. Kings, xx., 20, to bring the waters within the walls.

At that time not only was tunnelling through rock an untried work, and one that must be done without such aids in the way of drills and blasting powder as even the most amateur workman would use nowadays, but there was no mariner's compass or other means for following a given direction underground. The distance from the spring to the Pool of Siloam is about 900 feet in a straight line, and the hill overhead is about 150 feet higher than the spring.

To pentrate this Hezekiah's workmen had tools of bronze, of a description now unknown. They began digging from both ends at the same time, and tried to keep their bearings in a straight line by sighting from outside. They did not maintain a uniform bore; but kept the slope of the bottom with great accuracy. The shaft is from two to three feet wide, and from 10 feet high at one end diminishes to a foot and a half in the middle.

Sighting from the outside did not prove a very satisfactory method. Many places are to be seen in the tunnel to-day where headings were abandoned and a start made in a new direction. Even then the tunnel rambles about, and was more than 1,700 feet long before the two ends came together. The opposing diggers were able to find each other at last by listening for the sounds of the others' picks and working toward the place whence they seemed to come. This was learned from an inscription on the wall of the tunnel which was discovered in 1880 by some boys at play.

For a city situated as Jerusalem was, no gift could have been more welcome than that of an assured water supply. One can imagine, therefore, that the ceremonies attendant upon the completion of the work were on as magnificent a scale as could then be devised, and represented as much to the people of Hezekiah as the opening of the Panama canal will to those of America.

A Short Lived Newspaper.

The first newspaper ever published in America never got beyond its first issue. It was called Publick Occurrences and appeared in Boston Sept. 25, 1690. It contained a promise to publish in its next issue the names of all the liars in Boston, and the authorities, taking cognizance of the threat, wisely forbade the publication. The Boston News Letter was the first journal to be regularly published on this continent. It was started in 1704 and was followed by the American Weekly Mercury in Philadelphia in 1719. English journalism is only thirty-five years older than that American journal, The London Gazette, an official publication, having been founded in 1665.—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Balm That Failed.

"No, I don't go to church very often," the young man declared to the girl whom he had accompanied to a house of worship Sunday evening, "but when I do go I make up for my absence by slipping a five-dollar gold piece in the offering."

"I don't think I have been to church in six months, so that sort of squares me," he whispered when he dropped a coin about the size of the five-dollar piece in the box as the usher passed it.

At the close of the service the minister arose and announced, "The collection for foreign missions this evening amounted to $3.26."

The young man didn't have much to say on the homeward walk.

Grazed In the Fog.

It is not usual for a ship on the high seas to elect to cast anchor on the deck of a passing steamer, but that is what a four-masted schooner did once in the Atlantic. The two vessels grazed in the fog, and the "cattled" port anchor of the schooner caught in the steamer's deck "by a fluke." It fastened to an engineer's stateroom in such a manner as to bar his exit, but fortunately the chain parted just as the room was being ripped into fragments. The schooner followed the steamer to its destination to recover her anchor.

Birds' Songs.

A French writer says that notwithstanding the fact of their simplicity the songs of birds cannot be imitated with musical instruments because of the impossibility of reproducing their peculiar timbre. The notes of birds while corresponding with our musical scale, also include vibrations occupying the intervals between our notes. The duration of birds' songs is usually very short, two or three seconds for thrushes and chaffinches, four or five seconds for blackbirds, but from two to five minutes for the lark.

Travel on Their Stomachs.

Certain devotees in India, in their fanatical zeal, practically travel from place to place on their stomachs! Their method of progression is rather peculiar. Throwing themselves forward full length on the ground, they make a mark with their heads as far in front of them as they can reach. Then, springing up, they put their toes to the mark and repeat the process. Some of these devotees travel half way across the Indian continent in this extraordinary fashion.

TORTURED FOR SEVEN YEARS
"FRUIT-A-TIVES" HER SALVATION

MADAM JOSEPH LIRETTE
No. 111 George St., Sorel, Que.

"For seven years I suffered from womb disease and dreadful torturing pains, and I had constant Dyspepsia and Chronic Constipation—the latter so bad that sometimes I went ten days without action of the bowels. Six different doctors treated me and for a year I was in bed, constantly facing death. Then my husband coaxed me to try "Fruit-a-tives" and this medicine, and nothing else, cured me and saved my life."

(Signed) Mme. JOSEPH LIRETTE.

50c. box—6 for $2.50—or trial box 25c.—at dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Contrary to Nature

Scientists never seem to weary of upsetting what to lesser mortals seems to be the natural order of things. Now the story goes that we are to have potatoes that can be eaten raw, peanuts without shells, cucumbers without pain and combination vegetables, such as asparagus below and tomatoes above.

PROOF THAT NO ONE CAN DOUBT

THAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS ALWAYS CURE RHEUMATISM

Conclusive Evidence Given by Durham Brown, of Brantford, Ont.—How-and-Why-the-Cure-is-Effected.

Brantford, Ont. (Special). — That Rheumatism is caused by diseased Kidneys and that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure both the sick Kidneys and the Rheumatism is again proved in the case of Mr. Durham Brown, of No. 2 Spring Street, this city.

"I was troubled with Backache and other well-known symptoms of Kidney Disease," Mr. Brown states. "I also suffered from Rheumatism in my right side and hip to the extent that I was always while at my work in agonizing pain.

"After taking one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills I found an improvement and after taking six boxes I found both my Kidney Disease and Rheumatism entirely cured."

Mr. Brown is only one of many cases in which it has been proved beyond a doubt that the natural way to cure Rheumatism is to remove the uric acid in the blood which crystallizes at the muscles and joints. Well Kidneys strain the uric acid out of the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make well Kidneys. That's why Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Rheumatism.

It is not difficult for a young man to earn a good living if he has a rich dad.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

The above facts can be verified by writing to him, to the Parish Priest or any of his neighbors.

A. COTE, Merchant.
St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

Proof Positive

First Maid—Master and missus had another scrap last night.

Second Maid—How do you know?

First Maid—Missus just gave me one of her hats and said she was going shopping today.

A 50-cent bottle of
Scott's Emulsion
given in half-teaspoon doses four times a day, mixed in its bottle, will last a year-old baby nearly a month, and four bottles over three months, and will make the baby strong and well and will lay the foundation for a healthy, robust boy or girl.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Send 10c., name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch Book. Each bank contains a Good Luck Penny.

SCOTT & BOWNE
126 Wellington Street, West Toronto, Ont.

Studying Italian

The head of a New York firm having important interests in Italy, decided some time ago, in view of the death of an old and reliable clerk, who, of all in the establishment, was the only one to have a good knowledge of the Italian tongue, that his own son, also a member of the concern, ought to take up the study of that language. Recently a friend met the young man.

"I understand," said he, "that you are actually studying Italian."

"Why, yes," said the other, "I've been at it for several months under a teacher just from the other side."

"What progress?"

"Good," was the answer. "He's beginning to speak English remarkably well."

Mark Twain says that he has always taken woman's part.

"For instance," he relates, "I once strongly reprimanded a woman out in Hannibal, Missouri. Here was the occasion:

"'So this is a little girl, eh?' I said to her as she displayed her children to me. 'And this sturdy little urchin in the bib belongs, I suppose, to the contrary sex?'

"'Yassah,' the woman replied. 'Yassah, dat's a girl, too.'"

Comfort for the Dyspeptic.—There is no ailment so harassing and exhausting as dyspepsia, which arises from defective action of the stomach and liver, and the victim of it is to be pitied. Yet he can find relief in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, a preparation that has established itself by years of effective use. There are pills that are widely advertised as the greatest ever compounded, but not one of them can rank in value with Parmelee's.

Only actual experience will teach some people that they can't raise poultry and garden truck on the same lot.

Corns cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Cure offers a speedy, sure, and satisfactory relief.

"I never worry or hurry."

"What department of the government service are you in."—Buffalo Express.

WOMAN'S CHARMS.
Of Skin, Hands and Hair Preserved.

For preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair and hands, for allaying minor irritations of the skin and scalp and for preventing them becoming chronic; for imparting a velvety softness to the skin; for sanative, antiseptic cleansing and, in short, for every use in promoting skin and hair health and bodily purity, Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are unsurpassed. In the speedy and economical treatment of torturing, disfiguring eczemas, rashes, itchings and inflammations, Cuticura succeeds when all else fails.

Bessie—"Oh, Mabel, I am in an awful dilemma. I've quarrelled with Harry, and he wants me to send his ring back."

Mabel—"That is too bad."

Bessie—"That isn't the point. I've forgotten which is his ring."

HEALTH FOR BABY
COMFORT FOR MOTHER

The mother who has once used Baby's Own Tablets for her children will always use them for the minor ailments that come to all little ones. The Tablets give a guarantee of health to the child and ease and comfort to the mother. They cure all stomach and bowel troubles, destroy worms, break up colds, and make teething easy. Mrs. H. Lavoie, St. Felicite, Que., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for indigestion, constipation and other troubles with perfect results. I think so much of the Tablets that I use no other medicine for my children." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Didn't Want to Die at Sea

A Scotchman and his wife were coming from Leith to London by boat. When off the Yorkshire coast a great storm arose, and the vessel had several narrow escapes from foundering.

"O, Sandy," moaned his wife, "I'm na afeard o' dein', but I dinna care to dee at sea."

"Dinna think o' deein' yet," answered Sandy, "but when you do, ye'd better be drowned at sea than anywhere else."

"An' why, Sandy?" asked his wife.

"Why?" exclaimed Sandy. "Because ye wouldna cost sae muckle to bury."

Not a Sin

To Pere Monsabre, the distinguished French preacher, there came one Sabbath after mass a lady who insisted that she must see him on an affair of great importance. It was a matter of conscience, and she explained that she was most seriously disturbed. In fact, she was sadly given to vanity. That very morning, she confessed, she had looked in the glass and had yielded to the temptation of thinking herself pretty.

Pere Monsabre [illegible] "Is that all, my daughter?"

"That is all."

"Then go in peace, for to make a mistake is not a sin."

Butter and Microbes

Butter is an excellent breeding place for bacteria which tend to decompose it until it is useless as food, unless it is kept in a cold place. Salt also retards their growth, but has this disadvantage, that it makes the decomposition difficult to detect either by taste or smell. Hence the preference for sweet butter by those who are particular about having it fresh.

Willie—"Father, a man is a bachelor until he gets married, isn't he?"

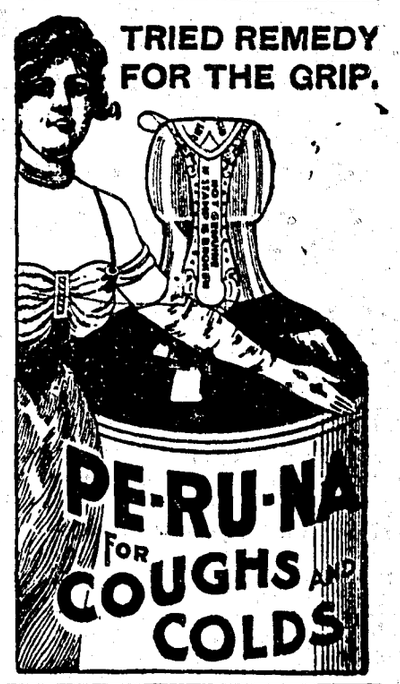
Father—"Yes, my son."

Willie—"And what does he call himself afterwards?"

Father—"I wouldn't like to tell you, my son."

It isn't the tears of a woman shed in public that wears furrows in her complexion.

TRIED REMEDY FOR THE GRIP.



PE-RU-NA FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

The Reason Why

"Thank you," she said, as he finally gave her his seat in the car; "it's almost impossible to stand on your feet?" "That was because I kept pulling 'em out of your way, ma'am," he replied.

And when a young widow means business it is up to wise bachelor to trek for the tall timber. — Chicago News.

A woman can generate as much interest in a church social as a man can in a prize fight.

PISO'S
is the word to remember when you need a remedy for COUGHS & COLDS

SPECIAL NOTICE
TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND AGENTS

Agents Wanted by B. SHRAGGE, 396 Princess St., Winnipeg, to purchase for him scrap copper and brass, cast and wrought iron, old rubber boots and shoes and crown lager quart, pint and whiskey bottles

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Just Think of It! With the SAME Dye you can color ANY kind of cloth Perfectly—No chance of mistakes. All colors 10 cents from your Druggist or Dealer. Sample Card and Booklet Free. The Johnson-Richardson Co., Limited. Dept. O., Montreal, Que.

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July 19th, 1909
"We are never without a bottle of your Spavin Cure in our stable, as we believe it the best on the market and have cured several spavins with it."
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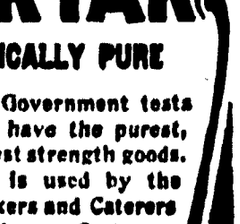

Kendall's Spavin Cure is the certain, quick cure for Spavin, Ringbone, Splint, Curb, Swollen Joints, Cuts, Sprains and other Lameness. Keep it handy for emergencies. The best home liniment.
$1. a bottle—6 for $5.—at all dealers. Ask for "A Treatise On The Horse" or write us. 42
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Strength, stamina and vitality depend upon the blood supply. Keep it pure, fresh and red with
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CHEMICALLY PURE
Canadian Government tests show we have the purest, and highest strength goods. Gillett's is used by the best Bakers and Caterers everywhere. Costs no more than the inferior adulterated kinds.
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The Cumberland News
Issued Every Tuesday by the Comox & Cumberland Publishing Company.

This paper will not hold itself responsible for the opinions of others, as may appear in its columns from time to time.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910,

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Woodhus Stopping Place, situated on Lot 178, Comox District, B.C

ANNIE WOODHUS.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a hotel liquor license in the Wilson hotel, situated at Union Bay, B.C.

JOHN HUMPHREY, JR.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date we intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the Hotel License held by us for the Nelson hotel, situated at Union Bay, B.C. FRASER & BISHOP.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Wilson hotel, situated at Union Bay. JOHN HUMPHREY.

Dated the 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for the transfer of the hotel license held by me for the Wilson hotel, situated at Union, B.C., to John Humphrey, Jr.

JOHN HUMPHREY.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Lorne hotel, situated at Comox B.C. FLORENCE M. CLIFFE.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Riverside hotel, situated at Courtenay, B.C. O. H. FRENNER.

Dated the 26th day of April 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Union hotel, situated at Union, B.C. SAMUEL C. DAVIS.

Dated the 26th day of April 1910

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Courtenay hotel, situated at Courtenay, B.C. JOHN R. JOHNSTON.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Elk hotel, situated at Comox, B.C. GEORGE G. MACDONALD.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Fort Augusta hotel, situated at Comox B.C J. B. HOLMES.

Dated 26th day of April, 1910.

Form No. 9

LAND ACT

Form of Notice

Comox Land District

District of Coast

TAKE notice that [illegible] intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

[illegible]

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Reasonable Rates

The Bar has been newly replenished with the with the choicest of wines —liquors—and—cigars.

James Walters,
Proprietor

CUMBERLAND, B. C.

Form No. 9.

LAND ACT.

Form of Notice.

Comox Land District

District of Coast.

TAKE notice that Henry Arthur Young, of Vancouver, occupation Master Mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on Thurlow Island about one mile East of Green Point, beside a post marked A. P. A., N. E. cor. thence West 30 chains; thence South 40 chains; thence East 40 chains; thence along shoreline to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Henry Arthur Young
Name of Applicant [in full]
Ambrose P Allison,
Agent

Date December 5th, 1909.

Form No. 9

LAND ACT.

Form of Notice.

Sayward Land District.

District of Victoria.

TAKE NOTICE that the North Pacific Lumber Co., Ltd., of Barnet B. C. occupation Lumber Manufacturers, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

[illegible]

Name of applicant in full

A. Chamberlain, Agent

[illegible] January, 1910

Garden, Field and Flower Seeds

New crop now arriving from our growers in England, France Holland, Canada and the United States. All tested as to vitality and purity on arrival. The best is good enough for our customers. Catalogue free. Business will be continued at our old stand until May. After that in new location, which will be announced later. Address

M. J. HENRY, 3010 Wesminster Rd, Vancouver

Form No. 9.

LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.

Victoria Land District.

District of Rupert.

TAKE NOTICE that A. Neville Smith, of Vancouver, occupation Law Student, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the North East corner of Lot 2 Beaver Cove, Rupert District, thence 5 chains South more or less to the North West corner of T. L. No. 37128 thence 40 chains East; thence 40 chains North; thence 10 chains west more or less to the salt water thence following the shore line in a South Westerly direction to point of commencement containing 80 acres more or less.

A. NEAILLE SMITH.

Name of applicant [in full.]

Per JOHN MATHERS, Agent.

Dated January 24th, 1910.

Not only is it a nice mild smoke, but the "Grand Duke" Cigar has all those necessary qualities which give so much satisfaction to the smoker.

COAL AT CAMPBELL RIVER.

3-Foot Seam of Coal in Bore at Campbell River.

Sinking will commence in the near future, which is giving real estate a great boom in that vicinity. Considerable activity in development work on the iron mine on Campbell lake is shown, the owners having made a shipment of extremely high grade ore last week. Last Sunday a number of business men and leading citizens of Cumberland visited Campbell River and all were delighted with the superb scenery, and speak very highly of the great prospects of this part of the Island.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the "Official Administrators' Act" and amending acts, and

In the matter of Harry Martin, deceased, intestate,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by order of His Honor Judge Barker, dated the 5th day of April, 1910, made in pursuance of an application in the County Court of Nanaimo, holden at Cumberland, I, the undersigned, Official Administrator for that part of the County of Nanaimo comprised in the Comox Electoral District, was duly appointed Administrator of all and singular the estate, effects and credits of the above named Harry Martin, who died within my jurisdiction as such Official Administrator on or about the 10th day of March, 1910.

And further take notice that all debts due the estate of the said deceased must be paid to the undersigned with all delay, and that all parties having claims against the said estate must present the same to me duly verified.

Dated at Cumberland, B.C., this 12th day of April, 1910.

W. W. WILLARD,
Official Administrator.

Montreal, April 26.—Sir William Van Horne to-day announced that he had resigned as chairman of the board of directors of the C.P.R.

Mr. J. Francis, of Victoria, was in town this week.

[illegible] Mrs. Campbell [illegible] played at Courtenay [illegible] to a full house, by the Pringle Company

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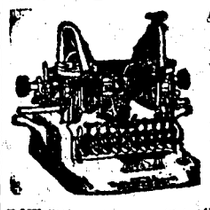
The typewriter whose conquest of the commercial world is a matter of business history—yours for 17 cents a day!

The typewriter that is equipped with scors of such conveniences as "The Balance Shift"—"The Ruling Device"—The Double Release"—"The Locomotive Base"—"The Automatic Spacer"—The Automatic Tabulator" "The Disappearing Indicator"—"The Adjustable Paper Fingers"—"The Scientific Combined Keyboard"—all



Yours For 17 Cents a Day!

We announced this new system recently, just to feel the pulse of the people. Simply a small cash payment—then 17 cents a day. That is the plan in a nutshell.

The result has been such a deluge of applications for machines that we are simply astounded.

The demand comes from people of all classes, all ages, all occupations.

The majority of inquiries has come from people of knowing financial standing who were attracted by the novelty of the proposition. An impressive demonstration of the immense popularity of the Oliver Typewriter.

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The Oliver Typewriter is a money-maker right from the word "go!" So easy to run that beginners soon get in the "expert" class. Earns as you learn. Let the machine pay the 17 cents a day—and all above that is yours.

Wherever you are, there's work to be done and money to be made by useing the Oliver. The business world is calling for Oliver operators. There are not enough to supply the demand. Their salaries are considerably above those of many classes of workers.

'An Oliver Typewriter in every home!'

That is our battle cry today. We have made the Oliver supreme in usefulness and absolutely indispensable in business. Now comes the conquest of the home.

The simplicity and strength of the Oliver fit it for family use. It is becoming an important factor in the home training of young people. An educator as well as a money maker.

Our new selling plan puts the Oliver on the threshold of every home in America. Will you close the door of your home or office on this remarkable Oliver opportunity.

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Specifications and particulars of the location can be secured at the office of the Divisional Engineer, E. & N. Ry., Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. E. BEASLEY,
Superintendent.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

City of Cumberland Sewerage

Sealed tenders endorsed "Tender for Sewerage" will be received up to 4 [illegible] on the 4th day of May, 1910, by [illegible] designed for the construction of certain sewerage work for the Corporation [illegible] City of Cumberland, B.C.

Plans, Specifications [illegible]

[illegible]

made payable to the [illegible] of the City of Cumberland, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline or neglect to execute the contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificate of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

A guarantee bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars will be required as security for the faithful performance and completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied which may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk, Cumberland.

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City Clerk.

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F. D. Little,
Superintendent
Wellington Colliery Co,y.

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Harry McClusky.
J. E. Butler, Agent.
Dated Dec. 11th, 1910.

[illegible] Bay, B. C. occupation Matron, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—On Cortes Island, B. C. being that portion of Squirrel Cove known as the northeasterly arm and described as follows:—Commencing at a post planted on the shore about 200 yards northwest of the north west corner of timber limit 36265 thence southeasterly along the northeasterly shore one-half mile more or less to the southeasterly shore thence following the southeasterly shore in a southwesterly direction 200 yards more or less to the southwesterly shore thence northwesterly along the southeasterly shore produced along the imaginary line across Squirrel Cove to a point on the northwesterly shore thence northerly along the westerly shore to the north shore thence southeasterly along the northeasterly shore to point of commencement and containing sixty (60) acres more or less.

Helen Bull, Applicant.
Dated March 1st, 1910.

Form No. 9
LAND ACT
Section 34
Rupert Land District.
District of—

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Thomas Goodspeed, of the City of Victoria in the province of British Columbia, occupation a farmer, intends to apply to purchase the following described land;—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at Hardy Bay, Vancouver Island, thence north along the western boundary of Indian Reserve thirty chains to the south line of Timber License Number 43052, thence westerly forty chains, thence southerly forty chains to Tsulquate Creek and thence easterly following along the said Creek to the point of commencement, and containing one hundred and forty (140) acres more or less.

Arthur Thomas Goodspeed.
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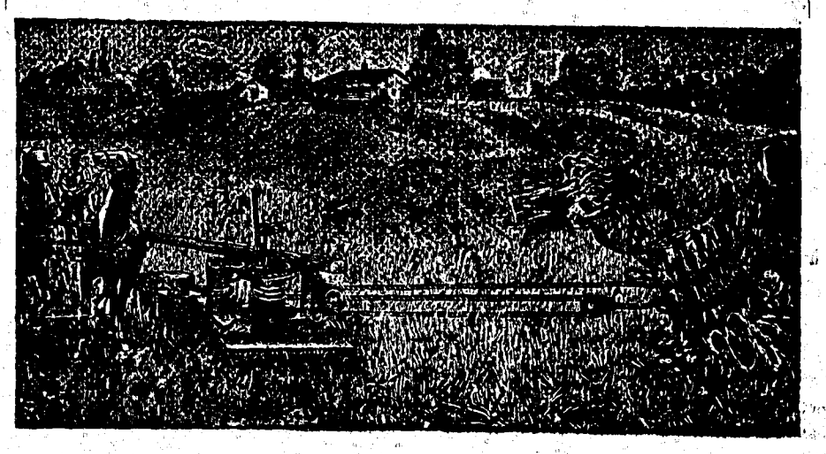

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY COMPANY.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company did on the eleventh day of April, 1910, deposit in the Land Registry Office in the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Plans, Profiles and Books of Reference showing the location of its proposed line of railway from Parksville to Union Bay, Vancouver Island, being mile 0 to 34.75, as approved by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

W. F. Salisbury, Secretary.
Dated this 12th, day of April, 1910

Co., Friday.

It is reported that the Canadian Northern have purchased the Fraser River Lumber Company's holdings in Comox District.

"Trapped by Treachery" opening bill of the Pringle season.

Victoria, B. C., April 20—The Western Fuel Company, operators of coal mines at Nanaimo, has given an option to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the purchase of its properties for two millions and a half, according to report here to day.

If you want good seat, get it at Peacey's, Friday April 22. Pringles.

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BOVRIL

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New Westminster Land District
District of New Westminster

TAKE NOTICE that Fred Thulin, of Lund, merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the North East corner of Kinghom Island, and running around the shore of the entire island to point of commencement, containing one hundred acres more or less.

Fred Thulin.
Dated February 4th, 1910.

Always favorites with Cumberland, Pringles, April 22—1 week.

Correspondence.

Editor Cumberland News.

Sir:—There are many important ideas being discussed nowadays, not the least important by any means is "Woman Suffrage." It has been luridly painted by the suffragette movement as practised and headed by titled ladies and leaders of fashionable sets, who have assaulted cabinet ministers, thrown bricks and slates from roofs amongst the crowds on the streets, locked themselves to iron railings and many other stupid tactics, then squealed when sent to prison for doing it; forcing the authorities to feed them through the nose, the result being to bring contempt and discredit upon their cause. Fortunately there are very few of these. Still "Woman's Suffrage" does not recede; where it has been tried it holds its ground and gains favor. It is only a matter of time when it will become general, just as fast and far as woman demands it.

In Australia and New Zealand they have the vote, in Finland they sit as members of parliament and the granting of it to the women of Sweden proves that it has spread beyond English speaking countries. Colorado, Idaho, Utah and Wyoming have women suffrage, whilst the Governor of Washington has just signed a bill for an election in November to decide if women shall vote in that State, so that the ballot for women is not now an experiment, it is in these States taken for granted and accepted as the right thing.

Judge Lindsay of the Denver Juvenile Court, who has made a study of the subject for fourteen years says, "that especially women do vote, that forty two per cent of the States are female, that forty per cent of the good women cast their ballots, and that the low class of women do not," thus disposing of one of the stock arguments against it; again twenty five per cent of the women earn their own living and are entitled to vote upon the conditions under which they work.

It has also been shown that women exert a direct and definite good influence upon questions touching the home, children and personal morals. The fear of them prevents the nomination of men of bad morals and secures those of good. If Cumberland women had a vote, we should have no representative that policy advocated a late house, nor any desirous of extending drinking hours.

Yours etc.,
VOTES FOR WOMEN

Ottawa, April 20.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised a deputation of Liberal members to-day that he would spend two months in the west this summer going through to Victoria and making a series of public addresses en route.

It is probable that Hon. Messrs Fielding and Graham will accompany the prime minister.

Percy Winch, of Ladysmith, was in town last week.

W. Willard left by Saturday's boat on a business trip to Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

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Mrs. W. R. Theal left for her home at Chilliwack, by Sunday's boat.

Mrs. Joseph Livesley of Greenwood, B. C. is in town and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kesley.

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FLEMING AND THE CABLE.

Sir Sandford Once Engineered a Real Raid.

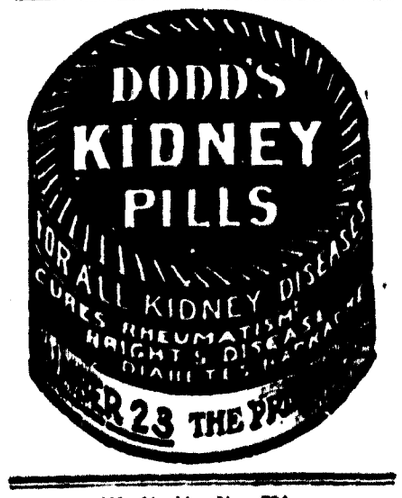
One of Canada's grand old men, Sir Sandford Fleming, K.C.M.G., LL.D., etc., Chancellor of Queen's University, celebrated the eighty-third anniversary of his birth at his comfortable home in Ottawa recently, and the venerable knight was the recipient of numerous telegrams of congratulation from practically all parts of the world, for, thanks to his conspicuous connection with the movements for the adoption of standard time, the extension of British cables, etc., Sir Sandford has more friends outside the confines of this broad Dominion than most prominent Canadians can boast of. In connection with Sir Sandford's energetic efforts to carry out the great Pacific cable project a characteristic story about him comes all the way from Australia, where one who claims to have been a co-worker with Sir Sandford has been relating before a semi-official audience, what he described as some of the inside secrets of the cable campaign. It appears, according to this gentleman's narrative, that in January, 1894, delegates from Canada and the several Australian colonies met in London to discuss the cable matter with Lord Ripon, then Secretary of State for the Colonies. An insurmountable difficulty seemed to be the choice of a suitable spot for the landing of the Pacific ends. Necker Island in the Hawaiian group was considered the ideal spot, but it was not British territory, and it was felt that the United States would before long secure possession or control of it. Sir Sandford urged that Britain at once purchase or otherwise obtain possession of the little islet, and it was agreed that negotiations should be opened with the Hawaiian Government. This was done, but the negotiations proceeded in the usual leisurely diplomatic way, and, with friends of the United States, Germany, and other foreign powers, active in Hawaii, it looked as though the negotiations would never be concluded through the customary channel.

Sir Sandford at this critical moment, so the Australian narrative stated, determined on a "coup" quite as dramatic and as startling as that taken by Dr. Jameson and his Rhodesian raiders. He sent a retired naval officer to Honolulu to make preparations for formally taken possession of Necker Island in the name of Queen Victoria as soon as he received instructions from Sir Sandford. Arrangements were made for chartering a vessel for the enterprise, but the necessity for the expedition ceased to exist when the long-delayed official negotiations were brought to a satisfactory conclusion. Then the ex-naval officer was instructed to pay off the men engaged for the expedition and to return home. To those who know the very practical bent of Sir Sandford's mind, and who have had occasion to admire his undaunted spirit of determination, this story appears likely enough; but unfortunately Sir Sandford himself gives it a very emphatic denial, saying that it is made out of whole cloth.

Sir Sandford is spending the autumn of his active career living the life of a retired Scottish laird in his spacious Ottawa residence, "Winterholm," which is situated on one of the most charming and retired parts of Sandy Hill. There is a pretty bit of natural park in front of the house where the stalwart old engineer who superintended the construction of the Intercolonial Railway, who made the exploration survey for the first Canadian transcontinental railway and who evolved the truly Imperial idea of a Pan-Britannic telegraph and cable service, loves to relate to his children and grandchildren tales of the days when the Dominion was in the making. And he never lacks an appreciative audience, for three stalwart grandsons and a granddaughter live in pretty cottages fronting on the little park of "Winterholm."

Self Deceiving Male.

Many a man passes for wise because he asks questions which cannot be answered even by himself.



ITS PEERLESS YOUNG RIVAL.

Steel Must Some Day Give Way to New Metal, Aluminum.

Within the last 200 years about 50 metals have been discovered. Most of them, it is true, have been looked upon by the world as curiosities, and they have been relegated to the chemical museums and shown in tiny little vials as samples of the wonderful achievements of modern scientific research. Occasionally they would be referred to by some writer with a vivid imagination, who would call to mind their extreme rarity and their fabulous value—but only as chemical curiosities and never as substance that would ever be of any possible use to mankind. Then the little vials would be put back on the shelves out of sight, out of mind, until the public wished again to hear the tales of gallium and germanium and radium, and to estimate what it would cost to make a pound of these rarities.

With the advent of the electric furnace and the use of temperatures hitherto unheard of these little vials have been taken down for another purpose. Oxides of the rare metals have been introduced to the fearful heat and reduced to the form of pure metals, and these rare metals, now rare no longer on account of the cheapness of reduction and abundance of ore, are taking their proper place in the sphere of industrial activity. The little dust-covered vials are looming up, and keen, hard-headed scientists are studying them with a view to their possibilities and the best means as to their utilization.

Take aluminum, for example. In 1898 aluminum first appeared on the market and sold for $5 a pound. It was still a curiosity, and here and there some one would get hold of an ounce or two and muse over its extreme lightness, its beautiful color and its acid and oxygen resisting properties. But still a curiosity. Then comes the electric furnace. Aluminum drops from $5 a pound to 35 cents a pound, and the world suddenly sits up very straight and takes notice. A metal more useful than gold or silver, possibly than iron, has joined the great procession of modern business opportunities, and immediately the business man frantically seeks the man of science and talks about "possibilities."

Aluminum has had a remarkable growth, commercially; but the next few decades will show its real value and use. It is popularly supposed that iron is the commonest of all metals, but analyses of the earth's crust show that aluminum is the king of all the metals as far as quantity is concerned. There is just a little more than eight per cent. of aluminum in the crust of the earth, or almost twice as much as there is of iron, and more than 80 times as much aluminum as there is copper.

Some time aluminum will be made for a few cents a pound, and it will eventually displace iron in many places where that metal is now considered to be indispensable. It is about one-third the weight of iron; is about as strong in tensile strength as cast iron, and just as soon as the proper alloy of aluminum can be found it will be steel's strongest rival.

At present metallurgists are handicapped by the fact that aluminum can be made from only one ore, bauxite, and this ore is to be found in few places, and is rapidly being exhausted. There is no doubt, however, that in a short time we shall know how to extract the aluminum from ordinary clay, economically—then every clay-bank will be a mine of high-grade ore, every bit of slate will yield its precious prisoner of pure aluminum, which it has so jealously guarded for untold ages—and then iron, with its rusting, its crystallization and its queer eccentricities, as shown when in the form of steel, will be displaced by its peerless young rival, aluminum.

Carless About His Money.

Prof. Lombroso, the famous Italian criminologist, was extremely William, and, although he asked advice of his family in everything, he always acted contrary to it. When advised to put on dress clothes, for instance, he donned a lounge suit. His indifference to money was proverbial. When he went out he usually put banknotes in the same pocket with his handkerchief, and when he drew it out the notes were frequently lost. Having on several occasions found himself without money through this habit, the professor used to put banknotes in all his pockets, so that if the contents of one were lost he—and his pet criminals—would have a reserve fund to draw upon.

The Peach Legend.

Almost all fruits and flowers have their legend. One about the peach comes from Japan and tells how a poor, pious old couple were searching for food by the roadside. The woman found a peach, which she would not eat of, though starving, till she could share it with her husband. He cut it crosswise in half, when an infant leaped forth. It was one of the gods, who [illegible] of the peach orchard of heaven while praying. He told them to plant the stone of the peach, and it brought them happiness, friends and wealth.

The Actor's Share.

A musical comedy or comic opera of the first class averages a cast of about seventy-five people, while I suppose about seventeen is the average number for a dramatic company. A prima donna who is not a star gets from $50 to $85 a week, the principal comedian from $150 to $500 a week, the tenor from $75 to $300 and the bass about the same. The minor characters range from $40 to $100 a week, [illegible] get $25 and $30 and [illegible] people from $15 to $20, the average salary being about $15.

The Turkish Fez.

All through the markets of every Turkish city and village are little booths where the fez can be pressed and ironed for a few cents. At the prayers a Moslem could not use a hat with a brim, as his head must press the prayer rug a certain number of times during each prayer. As the head must be covered at all times, a fez or some other brimless covering must be used.

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The following mixture is often prescribed and is highly recommended for coughs, colds and other throat and bronchial trouble: Mix two ounces of Glycerine, a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, and eight ounces of pure Whiskey. These can be bought in any good drug store and easily mixed together in a large bottle. The genuine Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure is prepared only in the laboratories of the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, and put up for dispensing in half-ounce vials."

GREENWOOD'S COURTESY.

Woman Journalist's Adventure With the Young Canadian M.P.

A former president of the Canadian Women's Press Club, who is widely known by her pen name, Mary Markwell, tells the following story:

"When I was in London a couple of years ago, the opening of the British Parliament seemed to be something I ought to see. Being the 'President of the Canadian Women's Press Club,' I considered it only necessary to send my (official?) card to the Lord High Chamberlain and forthwith receive a card of admission to peerage seats!

"I awaited this recognition of my own importance until two days before Parliament opened; the last mail brought me nothing—the official Source of Parliamentary favors had, probably, lit his official pipe with my official card! Nevertheless, I began to realize how very big the British Parliament, and, incidentally, how very small the 'President of the Canadian Press,' etc., was. But the Canadian spirit dies hard—I wanted to witness this pageant of pageantry! Then I remembered:

"Wasn't Mr. Hamar Greenwood a House member? More, wasn't he a Canadian? I sat down and wrote Mr. Greenwood the following note:

"'Dear Mr. Greenwood—Parliament opens to-morrow. I am a Canadian woman in London. I want to see my King, and the Lord High Chamberlain-some-thing-or-other won't let me; can you help me? Signed M.M.'

"That night I cried myself to sleep in my S. W. Kensington lodgings, feeling that this talk of the 'Imperial spirit' wanted some of its elixir 'at home'! Of course, I was Nobody—why should the great Lord High Chamberlain recognize in poor me my great-grand-mama's right to Debrett? How I hated Lord High Chamberlains!

"Next morning dawned in a deluge of rain. Clad in working togs, I took the penny 'bus for No. 12 Charing Cross, where, day after day I was enlightening 'decayed gentlewomen' on chances in Canada. I had given up all hope of seeing my King in his royal robes, and I had too much Canuck spunk left to go out in a raincoat and 'galoshes' to see him passing by. I went to my desk and set about opening a Vesuvius of mail enquiries.

"Suddenly the office door swung open and in whirled a strikingly handsome man, silk hat in hand and swinging a gold-headed cane-umbrella.

"'Are you Mary Markwell?'

"'Yes.'

"'My name is Greenwood. I got your note yesterday, but I wasn't able to secure you a ticket of admission until about an hour ago; by happy chance I got it for you' (extending an official looking envelope).

"'Oh, Mr. Greenwood' (this in a despairing wail) 'I haven't got a decent hat—it's miles to Kensington—and—and'—(here the tears came), 'and it's after ten o'clock—and—Parliament—opens—at—eleven—a.—m.'

"'I'll call a cab!' said the gentleman briskly; 'get ready—whirl home and get your hat' (consulting his watch with tremendous gravity). 'You've just forty minutes left, and you can make it if you try!'

"Then Hamar Greenwood, British M.P., silk-hatted and dressed for the great Function, stepped to the door, summoned a hansom, which whirled me to S. W. Kensington and back to the British House of Commons in time to see Edward VII, open Parliament in the year 1907."

Mary Markwell, in telling the story, adds: "The only time I ever felt like joining the 'votes-for-women' order, I would like to be able to vote for Hamar Greenwood."

Fish With Legs.

In a recent issue of a Toronto paper there appeared a short report on what was stated to be an important discovery to zoologists, viz., a fish with legs, said to be found in Brazil by Dr John Henderson, and forwarded by him to the Carnegie Institute.

The article in question arrested the attention of a reader who declares that he found a similar fish when traveling through Saskatchewan five years ago.

"Not knowing that any value was attached to it, I left it where I found it, he says.

"I had been shooting ducks in a small lake, and when dragging the ducks to shore this fish, which evidently had been killed by the shot, came ashore also.

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Just Sneezed

The court room was crowded. A wife was seeking divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty and abusive treatment. Guns, axes, rolling-pins and stinging invectives seemed to have played a prominent part in the plaintiff's married life.

The husband was on the stand, undergoing a gruelling cross-examination.

The examining attorney said: "You have testified that your wife on one occasion threw cayenne pepper in your face. Now, sir, kindly tell us what you did on that occasion."

The witness hesitated and looked confused. Everyone expected that he was about to confess to some shocking act of cruelty. But their hopes were shattered when he finally blurted out: "I sneezed."

At a London board school the teacher had explained to the children the meaning of the word "ability." "Now children," she went on, "what word would express the opposite to ability?" A sharp faced little boy at the end of the form bobbed up his head and exclaimed: "Please teacher, nobility!"

First Politician—I see Mr. Meadows has got in for Mid-Mudshire, Mrs. Jones. He's a friend of mine, though he is so strong on the other side."

Second Politician—"Oh! dear! dear! miss, to think how people do get led away!

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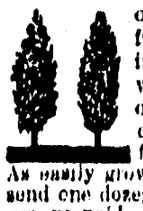

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PAN CAKES and HOT CROSS BUNS

"The flapjack of the Adirondack guide."

"Old Virginia pancakes."

"The Arab woman moulds it into cakes."

IT WAS while I watched in idle amusement a group of Adirondack guides making ready the supper for our hungry hunters that the probable origin of the immemorial pancake occurred to me.

We name it "immemorial" carelessly, because we have heard of it all our lives, and our fathers ate pancakes for generations before us. Shakespeare says, "As fit as a pancake on Shrove Tuesday." Country-bred and self-made Benjamin Franklin growls of the croakers of his day: "They will never think it is good times until houses are tiled with pancakes." That was his ideal of extravagant luxury.

But to our Adirondack woodsmen. They baked no bread for us all the while we were in camp, except what we called "pancakes" and they dubbed "flapjacks." When I volunteered to bake biscuits over the wood fire in the broad, shallow pan into which they were used to pour their hastily made batter, they let me have my way; acknowledged that the "cakes" we made were "nice enough for a change"—and mixed pancakes for the next meal.

"You see," observed one to whom I gently hinted the possibilities of varying the diet by other combinations of flour and water, "living on the jump-like, as we do for months together, flapjacks come easier than anything else. Many's the time I've got breakfast, and help eat it, and had the frying-pan strapped up and slung over my shoulder—not quite cold—before sun-up."

It may have been the touch of the kitchen utensils slung over the traveler's shoulders that suggested the train of thought beginning with the hurried exodus of the Israelites from Egypt, when—

"The people took their dough before it was leavened, their kneading troughs being bound up in their clothes upon their shoulders. * * * And they baked unleavened cakes of the dough, which was brought out of Egypt, for it was not leavened, because they were thrust out of Egypt and could not tarry, neither had prepared for themselves any victual."

Why should not this be the genesis of the pancake? I asked myself the same many years thereafter, when I saw the Arab women stir up unleavened batter in a wooden bowl just stiff enough to handle, mould it swiftly into round cakes and bake these upon stones heated in a fire of thorns or chaff.

"Pancakes again—all but the pan!" quoth I, recollecting the Hebrews' flight and the guide's hurried breakfast.

And why not? Is there not a dim reminiscence of the Passover, and the subsequent forty years of wandering in the desert, in the Shrove Tuesday preceding the Lenten fast of forty days?

It would be too long a digression were we to pursue that question of the significance of the numeral "forty" in sacred history. It rained once forty days and forty nights; Elijah went in the strength of angel food forty days; forty stripes save one was the limit of scourging, and a fast of forty days preceded the Temptation in the Wilderness.

The word "shrove" is rooted in "shrive," and Shrove Tuesday, for which the English pancakes were named, was the date on which the church enjoined a general confession and "shrift" (or absolution). The day following was Ash Wednesday.

Pancakes are still eaten in England and Wales upon Shrove Tuesday. I have talked with old people who recollected the custom as nearly universal in Puritan New England. It is safe to say that not one in a thousand of cooks and eaters had any suspicion of the churchly authorization of the practice.

THE HOT CROSS BUN is venerable, although it may not claim equal antiquity with the pancake and the "Fassnacht," eaten in Germany on Shrove Tuesday, and having, undoubtedly, the same pedigree with the English cake.

THE GOOD FRIDAY BUN is found in all Roman Catholic countries, and in most Protestant. Mother Goose taught us to chant:

"Hot cross buns! Hot cross buns!
One a penny! two a penny!
Hot cross buns!"

It was one of the London cries while America was still a royal colony.

Old Virginia Pancakes (No. 1).

Beat five eggs very light; add three cupfuls of milk, two tablespoonfuls of shortening—butter or lard, melted—and—a handful at a time—a quart of sifted flour with which has been mixed a teaspoonful of salt. No baking powders were added by our grandmother. She depended upon the beaten eggs and quick mixing to insure lightness.

Have a large frying-pan on the fire with enough melted butter in it to reach every part of the bottom. Pour in enough batter to cover the bottom of the pan, and shake slightly in cooking to loosen the cake from the iron surface. Run a broad spatula under one edge of the pancake in three minutes to see if the lower side be nicely browned. If it is, turn the cake dexterously, without breaking or ridging it.

In the very old times—so the story goes—the skilful cook turned her pancakes by tossing them clear of the pan, and in such a fashion that they turned a somersault in the transit and alighted on the other side in the pan. Tradition has it that a young woman proved her culinary cleverness by tossing the cakes straight up the wide-throated chimney to the very top and catching them in good shape, the cooked side uppermost, as they shot down. My old mammy boasted that she had seen this feat accomplished in her youth. The art was lost before I appeared upon the scene.

When done, the pancake was rolled up and sent to table with a good pudding sauce.

Old Virginia Pancakes (No. 2).

One pint of sifted flour. Four eggs beaten very light. Half a teaspoonful of salt and the same quantity of soda, the latter mixed, just before it goes into the batter, with a teaspoonful of vinegar. Two and a half cups of milk. Beat the yolks very smooth, stir into the milk; then the salt and soda; finally, with few, swift strokes, the flour and stiffened whites alternately.

New Jersey Pancakes.

One cup of flour, sifted twice with a teaspoonful of baking powder and a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. One cup of milk. Four eggs, the whites and yolks beaten separately. Mix the yolks with the milk; add the flour and the beaten whites, alternately, whipping fast but lightly. Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a hot frying-pan and pour in enough batter to cover the bottom of the pan thinly. Brown on both sides. Care will be required to prevent tearing the half-cooked cake in turning. Before taking it up, strew the pancake with powdered sugar and cinnamon and roll upon the mixture.

French Pancakes.

Make according to any of the recipes given above, then spread with jelly or marmalade; roll up and sprinkle sugar upon the top.

Two things are essential to success in pancake manufacture; quick mixing and quick yet careful baking. The cook must give her whole attention from the beginning to the end of the task. And the pancakes should be sent to table direct from the fire. They get clammy and viscid with waiting.

Hot Cross Buns.

To a quart of sifted flour add three cupfuls of milk. This should make a rather thick batter. Have at hand a cake of compressed yeast well dissolved in half a cup of lukewarm water, or a half cup of baker's or home-made yeast. Beat this into the batter and set in a sheltered corner to rise for six or eight hours. It should double the original bulk. In the morning beat in hard and long four tablespoonfuls of melted butter, a generous pinch of grated nutmeg and a saltspoonful of salt. Have ready a cupful of flour that has been sifted three times with an even teaspoonful of soda. Knead for ten minutes. The dough should be just soft enough to handle. Set again to rise and double its bulk. It should do this in from four to five hours.

Turn out upon the kneading-board; roll into a sheet half an inch thick and cut into round cakes. Arrange in greased baking-pans and leave, covered, for the last rising. When they are high and puffy cut a deep cross in each with a knife. Bake in a steady oven, covered, for twenty minutes, then brown lightly.

Wash the tops of the buns, while hot, with beaten white of egg mixed with powdered sugar.

They are best when fresh.

Marion Harland

Radical.

"Radical," says an English paper, was originally a term of reproach, but was soon enthusiastically adopted by a section of the Liberal party. They even went the length of wearing habitually a white hat, nicknamed a "radical." Worn in the house of commons the white hat is now considered a sign of Toryism.

THE HOUSEMOTHERS' EXCHANGE

Domestic Service

PAPERS dealing with "Domestic Service," "The Boarding House Keeper" and "The Bachelor Girl"—all of which appeared in the Exchange within a few months—have excited so much interest and called forth so much comment, favorable and adverse, that I think it expedient to found upon each a symposium from time to time.

These will bring the several topics before the members of our Great Family and, maybe, cast light upon certain points that are now sadly mixed up for some of us. At any rate, malcontents will have the chance of freeing their minds.

The symposium of today will deal with the ever-and-everywhere vexed question of what Douglas Jerrold called, baldly enough, "servantgallism." We name it more delicately and tactfully "Domestic Service."

A Philadelphia plaintiff has the first hearing:

> With regard to the servant question, permit me to say that the life of the average maid is hard at best. She is made to feel that she is inferior to all around her; members of the family will pass her by without even bidding her the time of day; the children turn up their noses at her and say she is "only a biddy."
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> A visit to an intelligence office is to disgust one with the life without going further. It reminds one of a cattle pen instead of a place for human beings. A couple of dozen girls in one pokey room, while the madams are comfortably seated on plush chairs or soft cushions. When madam engages a maid she will be sure to tell her she expects a week's notice when she is leaving. When a maid has principle enough to give this notice, I have known of her being discharged immediately. She has no redress. There is no written agreement, and if she refuses to leave on such short notice, there is an officer on the scene, and if she doesn't move on, the patrol wagon arrives. Is this fair play?
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> The worst room in the house is the maid's; cold enough to freeze her in the winter and just the opposite in summer. After a hard day's work, all she has to cool her flushed brow is a little water in a cracked pitcher set on a washstand that should have been on the wood pile long ago. I know of places where there are two bathrooms, and the maid is not allowed to use either.
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> Then, again, the maid never knows when her work is done. Meals are at all hours. When there is company it is 10 or 11 o'clock at night before things are cleared up. Another thing. Who could enjoy a good dinner? It is generally cooked an hour before the maid gets any of it.
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> In some places everything is locked up, and you feel as if you might be a thief and couldn't be trusted. The madam who keeps two girls has the most fault to find, and speaks the loudest in public places about her servants.
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> A girl that lives out has less chance of getting married than any other girl that has to work for a living. In some places they won't allow any company of the opposite sex, and the proverbial "John" prefers to visit where he can go in at the front door and have a comfortable chair in the parlor. The majority of kitchens are not very inviting. A few straight-backed chairs and a rough table covered with oilcloth. The only place a servant has to sit is when her day's work is done.
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> If you work in a store or office and your employer meets you on the street, he will tip his hat to you. But if you are a servant, he will pass you by without notice.
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> We hear a great deal about man's inhumanity to man. It could very well be changed to the family's inhumanity to the maid.
>
> ONLY A SERVANT (Philadelphia).

Suffer one word of protest from an employer (I like the term better than "the madam," which is the latest escape from the obsolete "mistress"). Since our plaintiff asserts that there are families so devoid of common decency as to treat maids in the manner she describes, I must, perforce, believe her. In the homes I know best, the child who speaks of a maid as "only a biddy" would be punished for incivility. Servants are quick to resent and report rudeness on the part of children and young people. The kitchens that I have the privilege of entering are comfortable and well appointed; the servants' bedrooms are the same.

And this, with good food and consideration for afternoons and evenings and days "out," and humane treatment generally, are the rule and not the exception, if for no other reason because the maid will not stay where her rights are infringed and her "privileges" disregarded.

There you have the other side of the question in a nutshell. Our next letter is from

A Model Mistress

> The woman who takes a kindly interest in her servants, who sees in them only an income and in keeping them.
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> For the first half of my married life I kept servants, because I wanted my time for the care and training of my family. For the latter half my daughters have been my assistants. I can honestly say that I gave exactly the same care and attention to my maids health and morals that I have given to my own girls. Why not? They were all some mothers' girls and all had souls to save, and they had their place in the world. Why should I not watch over them [illegible] their time to me and to mine?
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> They enabled me to find more time for my own loved ones; more time for rest and recreation; more time for study and self-improvement. I look back to those first years with my babies all about me and thank God for the good girls whom I could trust. They helped to make my burdens light, and they look upon me rather as an older sister than as a mistress to whom they must lie in order to get a day or more off.
>
> M. H. M. (Seattle, Wash.).

A California woman brings forward another side of the question and handles it so well that I deplore the necessity of omitting parts of her letter.

From California

> Why do not mothers and guardians teach girls how to keep house? I mean their daughters and wards. They think there is time enough for all that. "Let them be girls while they may." Or each mother feels that her daughter is above domestic duties; that she, with her accomplishments, is sure to marry well and can have her work done by hirelings.
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> Then there is the other class, who think it more "genteel" to have daughters behind counters or in offices. I fail to see the genteel side of that position, knowing, as I do, what such girls must put up with from floorwalkers and office clerks if they value their position above maiden modesty. So few girls are trained at home or at school to conduct themselves as ladies that one cannot blame the men so much as one blames the girl who cannot distinguish a compliment from an insult.
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> I've made a study of the girl who "takes a cooking course" at school. It would be a laughable farce were it not a shame and a pity. She places too much value upon a little scientific instruction and forgets that life is not all lemon pie, soufflés and cake.
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> The graduate from high school and candidate for a business position thinks she knows it all, and mistakes boldness for business methods.
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> I was trained in my early home to be neat and a good seamstress, yet I have seen the time after I was married when I cried bitterly because I could not cook a can of tomatoes.
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> I have had a woman in my employ recently who was all I could wish as a helper in housework, yet whose daughters know nothing of housewifery. One earns $4 a week in a store, with long, irregular hours, and the other is studying piano music in order to teach it later. Her nerves and eyes are giving out. The third sister "loves elocution."
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> Cut out all the nonsense taught in the public schools, say I, and fit our girls (and boys for life's battles and everyday work and the dreams will take care of themselves. I am ill when I see the shallow pretense the schools make in training children, and I'm more ill when I see the false notions mothers of today are giving their girls; mothers who "would like to be genteel" and don't know where to start.
>
> X. Y. A. Z. (Los Angeles, Cal.).

In reading this sensible epistle, I am reminded of what wise George Macdonald says of dancing:

"I long ago made up my mind that there is no surer way of making an indifferent thing bad than for good people to refrain from doing it."

There is, assuredly, no surer way of bringing a woman's proper profession—housewifery—into disrepute than for the rising generation of women to shun it as demeaning and to crowd our shops and factories with flashy, undeveloped human machines, every one of whom means and expects to get married and to keep (save the mark!) a house of her own.

I wish it were practicable to compress within the limits assigned to us one-third of the admirable communication I take up next. If I could impress upon the minds and memories of correspondents the absolute need of brevity when writing to us, my readers would be enriched by many useful and charming disquisitions, and I be spared the heartache that attends the consignment to the waste basket of what I would fain preserve and pass on.

Is the Maid Superior?

> Here is one thing in which those who are called upon to serve in the household have a signal advantage, and they are not slow in profiting by it. Here comes in the demand for high wages and less work; for special "privileges"; half, and even whole days off. And the helpless, untrained mistress—herself the slave of social obligations—must concede everything. I faint when I think of the alternative! To this extent we must sympathise with society leaders.
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> Now for the other side. How can any girl of mortal mold do the housecleaning and the cooking; serve the meals; answer the doorbell and the telephone and respond to the caprices of an overwrought society woman? If she can, she is the superior of the woman she serves, vastly her superior if she maintain patience and self-poise through it all.
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> Society has no right to encroach upon the time which belongs to the conservation of the home. Simplify living! Simplify the serving of your meals, if you cannot afford to keep a corps of servants; drop out "unnecessary necessities"; deny yourself certain outside pleasures for the wholesome home enjoyment; live and enjoy within the compass of means and strength. Headaches and nervous prostrations will become beautifully less and the tired husband will return joyfully to his "palace of rest" when the day's toils are over.
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> The nominal mistress of the modern home would be horrified could she witness, unobserved, the waste that goes on in her kitchen while she reclines in a negligee in her boudoir or indulges in that most fascinating of pastimes, bridge whist. Nor can she ever realize the real conditions until she personally demonstrates how much more economically she can provide for her household without the help of a maid.
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> The little daughter of the house is taught (and rightfully, too) to "keep out of the kitchen." But let mamma wash the dishes and little Mary will wipe them and set the table. Let mamma make the beds, and Mabel will be proud to assist; let mamma tidy up the rooms, and Helen will learn to dust them. Let mamma make the pudding or the cake, and Agnes, just budding into womanhood, will learn the lessons of applied science, which, in after years, will tide her over many troubled waters. HARRIET M. E. (Oregon, Ill.).

Our accomplished correspondent has set a steady finger upon the weak spot in one side of the question before us. The mistress who is ignorant of practical housewifery, or who shows that she disdains to lend to household tasks *so much as one of her dainty fingers*, is not fit to manage a house or to guide employes. If she carry out this course of action and inclination in the training of her daughters, she must not sneer or wonder if her imitative maids catch the tone and tricks of thought and speech.

"Bear in mind that our girls have higher ideals than domestic service!" said the head of a settlement in one of the "slummiest" portions of a city.

This in answer to a visitor who offered to take two girls into the country where the lady lived the year round. Her house was commodious and fitted with all modern conveniences; the girls would have separate rooms, warm in winter and cool in summer; the family was small, and the household duties could be easily performed.

"I am willing to train them as cook and waitress," added the visitor, "and to give excellent wages from the first. I really wish to help some of these poor girls to a good home and other and more healthful occupation than making shirts at a dollar per dozen."

Then came the reply I have recorded. I stood by and heard the dialogue. Looking around upon the pale-faced groups of young women, and recalling the piteous tales to which we had listened from the managers of the settlement that was to "uplift" them, I marveled exceedingly as to the "ideals" which their daily toil and evening dances and tableaux were to encourage.

Until their superiors in education and social station cease to deprecate the quiet work of the household as "belittling" and "menial," can we expect young women who must earn their living to make voluntary choice of it?

Harriet M. E. speaks words of truth and soberness in advising that the reformation begin with mistress and the daughters of the household.

In a few weeks we shall listen to the protests and the demurs of Landlady and Bachelor Girl.

Until then the usual work of the Housemothers' Exchange will be carried on as usual.

For Aluminum

> Here are directions for cleaning aluminum: Scour the inside of the vessel well with whatever plate powder you use. If the article be heated it will clean more easily. If the inside be coated from the use of hard water, heat the utensil upon the stove until the coating peels off. It will not injure the vessel to do this. Polish the outside with an article sold for that express purpose. Silver polish won't work.
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> Never let soda, potash, ammonia, washing powders and cheap soaps in aluminum vessels. They will discolor the metal. The worst discoloration may be removed by boiling a very weak solution of nitric acid and water in the dishpan. Allow an ounce of acid to a quart of water.
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> I have a large number of pink gladiolus bulbs to exchange with any of the members for other plants and bulbs would be gladly received. Mrs. W. E. P. (Los Angeles, Cal.).

The address of our California member is at the service of fellow-florists. Her clear and full directions for doing what has troubled sundry correspondents' thrifty souls should have some recompense.

To Remove Shine

> Have you still the directions for removing the "shine" from black silk, peau de soie, etc., which were published in the Exchange some time ago? And will you kindly repeat them? That is, unless you will send them to me by mail.
>
> Mrs. M. R. (Warsaw, Ill.).

It is contrary to our rules to mail recipes. To undertake to answer in this way one-third of the requests we receive would leave us no time for anything else. And to comply with one request while we neglect others would be most unfair.

You may clean the silk and remove the gloss of a "dull finish" by sponging with grain alcohol and ether in equal parts. Add a tablespoonful of ammonia to a pint of the mixture. Put into a bottle and cork tightly. When you wish to use it, set it in lukewarm water and exchange for hotter every three minutes until the contents of the bottle are very hot. Then apply as directed.

Hot vinegar is a good thing with which to remove the gloss that comes with long wear to cloth and silk. Sponge and wipe dry with a soft cloth. Don't rub the fabric in drying or you will invite a return of the "shine." Pat and press it gently.

Useful Meat Chopper

THE meat chopper will soon save more than its cost by enabling one to use cheaper cuts of meat and to utilize left-over meats. Raw beef run through it is a pleasant change from plain steak. It should be well seasoned with salt and pepper before chopping, and should have a little fat mixed with the lean. Drop the little rolls, just as they come from perforated plate of chopper, on a very hot pan, with a little butter. Stir lightly a moment or two and serve quickly on a hot plate. To use remnants of roasts, steak or any nice cooked meat, put them through the chopper and mix with equal measure of breadcrumbs; season with salt and pepper. Moisten with any gravy or stock you [illegible] will [illegible] a little more moist than you would dressing for poultry. Put it in a skillet or thick pan, cover closely with a plate and bake in the oven until well heated. Twenty minutes or half an hour is about right. After a few trials, possibly the first time, any one may succeed in making this very nicely. Another favorite way of using meat, especially cooked ham, is to cut it in small pieces, heat lightly and break over it one egg for each person to be served. When the eggs begin to set, cut across them and stir carefully, so as to preserve the distinct yellow and white of the eggs. Serve at once.

Keeping Cut Flowers

CUT flowers will last fresh much longer if, before putting them in water, the stem is split up about an inch. Maidenhair fern will last fresh for a long time if, when gathered, the stems are inserted in boiling water and left until the water is cold before using.

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NOTICE

FOUND ADRIFT—23 logs, marked P. C. L. Co., 1 log marked B. C. M. (A)

Thos. Peterson,
Port Kusam, B. C.

Mr Ormonde T. Smithe, former editer of the Cowichan Leader paid Cumberland a visit last week.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

The annual sitting of the Court of Revision for the municipality of Cumberland will be held in the Council Chambers on Monday, May 16th, 1910, at 7:30 p.m.

Notices of appeal must be in writing, stating ground of complaint, and must be in the hands of the assessor at least ten days before the date of the first annual sitting of the Court of Revision.

A. McKINNON, City Clerk,
Cumberland, B.C., April 13th, 1910.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Having built a large warehouse and mill at Courtenay, I will in future keep on hand a stock of all kinds of Hay, Grain, and Feed at lowest market rates. A specialty will be made of roller crushed feed for horses which will make a saving of one third in the cost of feed. Orders given the teamster or by phone will be promptly filled. Thanking you for your patronage in the past and soliciting a continuance of the same on broader lines, I beg to remain

Yours to command,
BYRON CRAWFORD.

FOR SALE—At St. Peter's church, Comox, a good organ, Price, $20. Apply C. C. Piercy.

Vancouver, April 26.—Sir Sayaji Rao III., Gaekwar of independent state of Baroda, and second in point of power to only one other native prince, the Mizam of Hyderabad, will be appealed to by the Hindus of Vancouver and the remainder of the British Pacific coast to act as their mediator at Ottawa in an endeavor to secure a reduction in the restrictions on the immigration of their countrymen now enforced by the government of Canada. The Gaekwar will arrive in Vancouver on June 6th on a tour of America.

Form No. 9
LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.
Coast Land District,
District of New Westminster.

TAKE NOTICE that Eleanor H. Mallory, of Lund, B.C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the [illegible] H. M. 107, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning.

ELEANOR H. MALLORY.
Edward Berglund, Agent.
Dated March [illegible] 1910.

Form No. 9.
LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.
Coast Land District.
District of New Westminster.

TAKE NOTICE that Olof Holst, of Lund, B.C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of land applied for by Ida Thulin, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning.

OLOF HOLST.
Edward Berglund, Agent.
Dated March 22nd, 1910.

Form No. 9.
LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.
Coast Land District.
District of New Westminster.

TAKE NOTICE that Ida Thulin, of Lund, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands;—Commencing at a post planted at the east corner of H. R. M., 104, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning.

IDA THULIN,
Edward Berglund, Agent.
Dated March 22nd, 1910.

Form No. 9.
LAND ACT.
FORM OF NOTICE.
Coast Land District.
District of New Westminster.

TAKE NOTICE, that Mary Thulin, of Lund, B.C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted half mile east of the North East corner of claim applied for by Ida Thulin, thence South 80 chains thence East 80 chains thence North 80 chains thence West 80 chains to place of beginning.

MARY THULIN, Applicant.
Edward Berglund, Agent.
Dated March 22nd 1910.

Form No. 11.
LAND ACT

Form of Notice.
Comox Land District.
District of Cortes Island.

TAKE notice that Helen Bull, of Heriot Bay, B. C., occupation Matron, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—On Cortes Island, B. C. known as Salt Lagoon, and described as follows:—Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of District Lot 378 thence southeasterly along the shore line of the southerly or right hand bank of said Lagoon to the southeasterly shore or head thereof, thence northeasterly along the said southeasterly shore or head to the northerly or left hand bank of of said Lagoon, thence northwesterly along said northerly or left hand bank to a point on the northeasterly shore of said Lagoon due north of point of commencement, thence due south along an imaginary line to the point of commencement and containing 240 acres more or less.

Helen Bull, Applicant.
Dated March 1st, 1910.

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1. The month's order shall not be taken any earlier than the first Wednesday before the tenth (10th) of each month.

2. Discounts shall be allowed in trade only, and only when the bill is paid in full within one week after pay-day.

Superintendent and Mrs. F. D. Little are in town.

A full report of the Presbyterian Bazaar and Concert will appear in our next issue. Also report of the Ambulance Class.

Mrs. Simms desires pupils for the pianoforte at her home in the Camp, Cumberland, B.C. Usual terms will be charged.

The Pringles Draw Good Houses

On Friday evening last, the old time favorite Pringle Stock Company opened their weeks engagement with the drama "Trapped by Treachery" which was greeted by a good audience and well presented. The Saturday night's bill "Paid in Full" was also well patronized and excellently played. The company are artists, and deserve well of the people of Cumberland. The company will play every night this week, and should draw capacity houses. The management insists on good order and those favoring them with their patronage may be assured that the best of order will prevail.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following land situated in the Comox District. Commencing at a post marked S.W. corner of claim No. 1, placed about 20 chains west from the southeast corner of section 32 Denman Island, running east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

HUGH STEWART,
J. E. Butler, Agent.
Dated March 14th, 1910.

Form No. 9.
LAND ACT

Coast Land District.
District of Coast.

TAKE notice that Chas. A. Thulin, of Lund, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land; Commencing at a post planted S. W. corner of T. L. 34679 thence East 40 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence West 40 chains, thence North 40 chains to place of beginning containing 160 acres more or less.

Chas. A. Thulin.
Fred. Thulin, Agent.
Dated March 2nd 1910.

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City Council.

The City Council met in regular session on Monday evening last, there being present Aldermen Brown, Stoddart, Merrifield, Stewart, McLeod and the Mayor.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.

Accounts, C. H. Tarbell, $3.15; B. C. Gazette, $5.00; B. Crawford $29.46.

A communication was received from Minister of Public Works, re the appointing of an engineer to superintend the construction of city sewers. D. Cameron, of Vancouver was recommended and if engaged his salary to be at the rate, of $200. per month. The communication was laid on the table for future reference.

The amount collected for road tax to date, was $522.

Alderman McLeod, chairman of the Board of Works, reported very little city work being done, on account of only being able to secure services of city workman three days a week.

Alderman McLeod moved, seconded by Alderman Merrifield, that all road taxes collected not according to law be refunded—carried.

H. Murdock asked if council intended securing new quarters for the band as they had left their old quarters and if quarters were not secured they would disband. He was asked to go back to band room and remain until otherwise notified by the council.

Mayor McDonald recommended that the city take over the fire department and that Chief Bruce be asked for his resignation. A committee consisting of Ald. Stewart, Merrifield and Stoddart were appointed to interview the department in the matter.

The liquor license by-law amendment came up for the third reading and was defeated in committee, the Mayor speaking very strongly in favor of leaving the by law as it is. Ald. Brown also opposed any alterations.

The amendment to sewerage by-law on motion of Ald. McLeod passed its first and second reading.

Mr. Walker on behalf of the Pilsener Brewing Co., asked permission to connect brewery with city sewer. The Board of Works will look into the matter and report.

A public meeting will be called for the 4th, of May to arrange for a 24th, of May celebration.

The time for receiving sewer tenders has been extended until May 22nd.

Mrs. Charles McDonald and family left by Sunday's boat for Vancouver, where in future they will reside.

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