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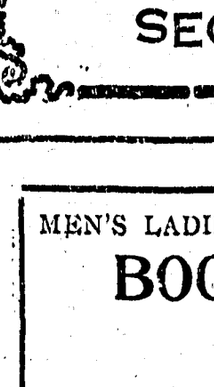

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LOCAL ITEMS

Ericke will be here for a few days, and is prepared to take all kinds of pictures, at reasonable prices.

The residence of Mr. Henry McQuillan, was burned down last Wednesday night; very little was saved. Insurance $800,00.

We clip the following from the Vancouver World of 15 h. inst. concerning the honourable distinction won by Miss G. Anley formerly of this Town. The Opera House was crowded last evening to hear the pupils of the City Schools, in Elocution Recitations music etc., when our recent young fellow Citizen who delighted the great Audience received special mention and much applause.

Miss Georgina Anley, a little elocutionist, whose fund of humor is immense, gave one of the most delightful items on the program in "The Widow O'Shane's Rint." She is a young lady who will be heard from one of these days. Her enunciation is distinct and her manner on the platform natural, two great assets that would be envied by many professional [illegible]. She was just as successful in her second number, and an encour was insisted upon.

A cup of BOVRIL is a fine tonic in any season, but it is valuable in many other ways. A little added to Hashes and Stews greatly improves their food value. Try it when warming Canned Meats.

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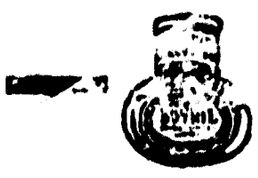

P. P. Harrison, barrister left on a business trip by Saturday's boat to Victoria and will return Wednesday June 3rd.

SOCIAL DANCE

The dance given by the Pythian Sisters, in Cumberland Hall, on Monday evening was most successful. The Hall was crowded to its utmost capacity and dancing was kept up till a late hour. Special mention should be made about the music, which was furnished by our local orchestra, and was all that could be desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams left by Saturday's boat for Nanaimo.

Mrs. Duncan Thompson left by Saturday's boat for Nanaimo.

Mr. P. Monte was a passenger on Saturday's boat for Victoria.

Mr. Ira Garnes left by Saturday's boat for Nanaimo.

Mrs. P. P. Harrison, Mrs. and Miss Wier, left by Saturday's boat for Victoria.

J. Humphrey of Union Bay returned on Wednesday with his bride.

Mrs. Masters returned to Nanaimo by Thursday's boat.

Inspector Henderson returned to Victoria, on Thursday's boat.

Inspector Dick returned to Nanaimo, by Thursday's boat.

Harry McLean left by Thursday's boat on a visit to his parents at Steveston.

E. Hunt left for Victoria, on a business trip by Saturday's boat.

We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Hewer of Greenwood. Mrs. Ewer was a daughter of Mrs. J. W. McKenzie of Courtenay B. C. She had been very ill of late and Mrs. McKenzie left home Tuesday morning en route to Greenwood, but would not have reached there in time to see her daughter alive.

Much sympathy is fealt in this vicinity for Mrs. McKenzie and family in there sad bereavment. The late Mrs. Hewer was well and favorably known here, and was married only a year ago.

Antwerp, May 21.—There has been a serious railroad accident at Contech All the inmates of one car were killed. Fifty dead bodies have already been recovered. Over one hundred are injured. The accident was due to a misplaced switch. An express running fifty miles an hour, crashed into a train loaded with pilgrims on a siding. Every car of the latter train except one was telescoped and literally ground to pieces.

The entertainment in appreciation of Mr. Ramsay given on Tuesday the 19th. inst., was fairly well patronized. The several numbers were very well rendered, especial mention must be made of the farce "Turn Him Out" and the comedy "Dearest Mamma" especially the latter which was the feature of the evening being excellently acted. Mr. Gustance excelling in his part, in fact we doubt if a professional could do it better.

A DAY OF SPORTS

Monday was an ideal day for a holiday, the clerk of the weather being on his good behavior all day, and a large crowd turned out to enjoy the splendid programme that had been arranged by the Citizens Sports Committee. Everything went off without a hitch, and those who had charge of the different events are to be congratulated on the success which attended their efforts.

Thos. Cessford left by Saturday's boat for Denman.

Mrs. Geo. Gray came up from Nanaimo by Friday's boat on a visit to friends in Cumberland, and during her stay will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lewis.

Mrs. Rikot, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Walker, and R. H. Robinson returned by Wednesday's boat, after attending Grand Lodge convention of the Knight's of Pythias, which was held at Victoria B. C.

Sidney Handcock arrived Friday from Kamloops sanitarium after spending six months in the place. "Sid" looks remarkable well.

Miss A. Pierce of Mintowill, arrived Friday after spending six months at college in Walla Walla Washington, U. S. A.

F. Watts, the Photographer is in Cumberland and is prepared to take all kinds of photos at reasonable prices—Give him a trial and be convinced.

A new firm of painters has started in town. They have got the contract for painting Holy Trinity Church which they are working at at present. The appearance of the church has quite changed owing to the artistic touches of the "big brush artists."

Owing to not having received the list of prize winners who took part in the sports on May 25th, we are unable to publish them this week but will give a full report next issue, also the baseball tournament.

Mr. Brown Steward of the S. S. Queen City took in the sports here on Monday.

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TUESDAY, MAY 26, 1908.

SPECULATION.

One View of the Influence of the Stock Exchange.

Now, let us see what speculation does. What justification is there for it? Americans are known as the greatest of all speculators, not merely stock speculators or speculators in commodity futures, but as speculators generally, willing to take a risk, anxious to put their intelligence, their wit, their brain, brawn and resources against the tricks of fate. And we have grown and grown steadily, expanding politically and intellectually, and who shall say not morally? Legitimate speculation, then, has some good effect, some proper function, some economic basis and excuse.

Some of the things that speculation on the stock exchanges and on the commodity exchanges make possible are or should be obvious. It divides or limits the risks of trade, gives a market at all times for securities or commodities, makes it possible for every one to know what the market value is of any security, of wheat, cotton, corn, oats, coffee, etc. It keeps pace with the increase in trade. Speculators are always ready to buy or sell at the market price. It follows the fluctuation in values and registers these changes in the market prices. It makes possible the development of the country along great broad lines. It is a means of warning those who are holders of securities that the value of their property is decreasing and makes it possible for them to take proper action in the premises. It is an insurance for the producer, the manufacturer, and vitalizes the farmer's credit These things are overlooked when speculation is attacked, and that is because the gambling factor in the speculative market is more spectacular, more intrusive and more susceptible to picturesque denunciation. Speculation begets certain evils impossible of eradication and which assume their present form simply because the speculative markets facilitate their development. Abolish the markets and they will manifest themselves elsewhere, no less vicious and no more easy to remedy, to root out.—John Paul Ryan in Metropolitan Magazine.

COAL MINES REGULATION ACT.

Notice of Examinations.

NOTICE is hereby given that examinations will be held for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Class Certificates of Competency under the provisions of the "Coal Mines Regulation Act" at Nanaimo, Fernie and Cumberland, on the 16th, 17th and 18th days of June, 1908, and for 2nd and 3rd Class Certificates of Competency, at Coutlee, on the 16th and 17th days of June, 1908, commencing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

The subjects will be as follows:—

First Class Candidates—
- Mining Act and Special Rules,
- Mine Gases,
- Ventilation,
- General Work,
- Mine Machinery,
- Surveying.

Second Class Candidates—
- Mining Act and Special Rules,
- Mine Gases,
- Ventilation,
- General Work.

Third Class Candidates—
- Mining Act and Special Rules,
- Mine Gases and General Work.

Application must be made to the undersigned not later than Friday, June 5th, accompanied by the statutory fee, as follows:—

By an applicant for First Class Examination..........$10.00

By an applicant for Second Class Examinations..........$10.00

By an applicant for Third Class Examination..........$5.00

The applications must be accompanied by testimonials and evidence stating that:—

(a) If a candidate for First Class, that he is a British subject and has at least 5 years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine, and is at least twenty-five years of age:

(b) If a candidate for Second Class, that he has had at least five years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine:

(c) If a candidate for Third Class, that he has had at least three years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine:

(d) A candidate for a Certificate of Competency as Manager, Overman, Shiftboss, Fireboss, or Shotlighter, shall produce a certificate from a duly qualified medical practitioner showing that he has taken a course in ambulance work fitting him, the said candidate, to give first aid to persons injured in coal mining operations.

By order of the Board

FRANCIS H. SHEPHERD,
Secretary.

Cumberland, B. C., May 19th, 1908.

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NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and upon the lands known as *White Bluff Reserve*, Comox District described as follows: Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains east from the west end of Goose Spit, in Comox Harbour: thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement; containing about 640 acres, known as Claim No. 1.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands known as White Bluff Reserve, Comox District, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Claim No. 1: thence west 80 chains; thence north about 66 chains to shore line; thence easterly following the sinuosities of the shore line to the north-west boundary of Claim No. 1; thence south about 55 chains to place of commencement; containing about 500 acres, and known as Claim No. 2.

Dated this 21st day of April 1908.

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NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the waster and on the lands in Comox Harbour, described as follows Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Claim No. 2, on Goose Spit; thence south 80 chains; thence west 65 chains to the shore line; thence about 25 chains north-westerly, following the sinuosities of the shore line; thence north 65 chains thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing about 630 acres, known as Claim No. 3.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

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NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and upon the lands in Comox Harbour, and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Claim No. 1; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement; containing, 640 acres, known as Claim No. 4.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

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NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the land known as White Bluff Reserve, Comox District, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Claim No. 1; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement; containing 640 acres, and known as Claim No. 5.

Dated this 21st dav of April, 1908.

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Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY, LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to sioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands in Comox District, described as follows Commencing at a post planted near the south-east corner of the Indian Reserve, Comox Harbour: thence west 53 chains; thence north about 20 chains; thence easterly following the sinuosities of the shore line to place of commencement containing about 100 acres, known as Claim No. 7.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY, LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands in Comox District described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Claim No. ...; thence north about 40 chains; thence west about 25 chains to the shore; thence southerly, following the sinuosities of the shore line to the place of commencement, containing about 90 acres, known as Claim No. 8.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY, LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands in Comox District, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Claim No. 6; thence east 80 chains; thence south about 65 chains to shore line in Nelson District; thence westerly *following* the sinuosities of the shore to place of commencement, containing about 260 acres, known as Claim No. 9, Comox Harbour.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY, LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands in Comox District, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Claim No. 3. Comox Harbour, Nelson District; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence northerly following the sinuosities of the shore line to place of commencement containing about 600 acres, known as Claim No. 10.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

VANCOUVER COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY, LIMITED.
G. F. Edwards, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water and on the lands in Comox Harbour, Comox District, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Claim No. 7; thence south about 60 chains; thence west about 25 chains; thence westerly following the sinuosities of the shore line to the mouth of the Courtenay River thence easterly following the sinuosities of the shore line to place of commencement, containing about 275 acres.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908

G. F. Edwards

NOTICE is hereby given that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands; Commencing at a post planted on the beach at the north-east corner of the Indian Reserve in Comox Harbour, known as Section 4, Comox District, being an Indian Reserve, containing 155 acres.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1908.

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APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month form date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police Victoria, for a renewal of the Hotel Licence held by me for the Union Hotel, situated at Union B. C.

(Signed) SAMUEL C. DAVIS.

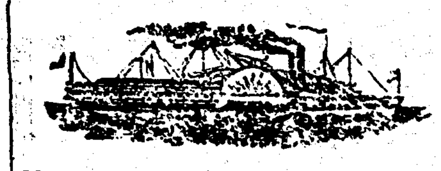
Dated 28th. day of April, 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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 Licence held by me for the Spring Inn Hotel, situated on Comox Road.

[Signed] JOHN H. PIKET

Dated 28th day of April 1908



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Leave Comox, Monday, 7 p. m. Arrive at Union, Monday, 8 p. m.

Leave Union, Tuesday, 5 a. m. Arrive at Nanaimo, Tuesday, at 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Nanaimo, Tuesday, at 1 p. m. Arrive at Vancouver, Tuesday, at 5 p. m.

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TIME TABLE EFFECTIVE

October 1st, 1907.

NORTH BOUND—Read Down

Passenger Trains

Stations.	Daily No. 1	Sunday Wed. Sat. No. 3
Victoria,	Dc. 9.00	Dc. 15.00
Russels,	9 24	15 14
Shawnigan,	10.17	16.15
"	10.22	16.18
Cobble Hill,	10.40	16.30
Cowichan,	10.48	16 41
Koksilah,	10 53	16 47
Duncan's,	11.00	16.53
Somenos,	11.07	17.10
Westholme,	11.18	17.22
Chemainus,	11 32	17 35
Ladysmith,	11.57	17.55
South Wellington,	12.18	18.19
Nanaimo,	12.35	18.30
Wellington,	Ar 12.53	Ar 18 45

SOUTH BOUND—Read Up

	No. 2	No. 4
Victoria,	Ar. 12.06	18.55
Russels,	12 02	18.31
Shawnigan,	10 51	17.35
"	10.48	17.30
Cobble Hill,	10.40	17.22
Cowichan,	10.15	17.08
Koksilah,	10.06	17 03
Duncan's,	10 02	16.59
Somenos,	9.47	16 43
Westholme,	9.37	16.32
Chemainus,	9.25	16 22
Ladysmith,	De. 9.00	Dc. 15 58
"	Ar. 8.50	Ar. 15 48
South Wellington,	8.28	15.27
Nanaimo,	8.15	15.15
Wellington,	De. 8.00	De. 15.00

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pulled the right bell,' says I. 'I'll tell you exactly what we'll do. I go for the doctor. Savvy? Well, I bring back the minister at the same time. Angevine, he loses the Jersey cow over in the canebreak, and uncle and Angevine go hunting her, for not even Loys is ace high in uncle's mind alongside that cow. The rest is easy.'

"'Red, you're a brick. You're the best fellow alive,' says Kyle, nearly squeezing the hand off me.

"'I've tried to conceal it all my life, but I knew it would be discovered some day,' says I. 'Well, I suppose I'd better break the news to Loys. 'Twouldn't be any more than polite.'

"'Oh, Lord! I wonder if she'll be willing?' says he.

"'No reason I shouldn't turn an honest dollar on the transaction. I'll bet you a month's wages she is,' says I. He wanted to do it, thinking-I was in earnest, but I laughed at him.

"She was willing all right—even anxious. There's some women, and men, too, for that matter, who go through life like a cat through a back alley, not caring a cuss for either end or the middle. They would have been content to wait. Not so Loys. She wanted her Kyle, her poor Kyle, and she wanted him quick. That's the kind of people for me! Your cautious folk are all the time falling down wells because their eyes are up in the air, keeping tabs so that they can dodge shooting stars.

"Now, I had a minister friend up in town, Father Slade by name. No, he was not a Catholic, I think. They called him 'father' because it fitted him. His church had a steeple on it, anyhow, so it was no maverick. Just what particular kind of religion the old man had I don't know, but I should say he was a homeopath on a guess. He looked it. 'Twas a comfort to see him coming down the street, his old face shining in his white hair like a shriveled pink apple in a snowdrift, God blessing everything in sight—good, bad or indifferent. He had something pleasant to say to all. We was quite friends, and every once in awhile we'd have a chin about things.

"'Are you keeping straight, Red?' he'd ask when we parted.

"'Um,' I'd say, 'I'm afraid you'd notice a bend here and there if you slid your eyes along the edge.'

"'Well, keep as straight as you can; don't give up trying, my boy,' he'd tell me, mighty earnest, and I'd feel ashamed of myself clear around the corner.

"I knew the old man would do me a favor if it could be done, so I pulled out easy in my mind.

"First place, I stopped at the doctor's, because I felt they might fix up the marrying business some other time, but if a leg that's broke in the upper joint ain't set right you can see a large dark complected hunk of trouble over the party's left shoulder for the rest of his days. The doctor was out, so I left word for him what was wanted and to be ready when I got back and pulled for Father Slade's. The old gentleman had the rheumatism, and he groaned when I come in. Rheumatism's no disease for people who can't swear.

"'How are you, my boy?' says he. 'I'm glad to see you. Here am I, an old man, nipped by the leg and much wanting to talk to somebody.'

"I passed the time of day to him, but felt kind of blue. This didn't look like keeping my word with the kids. I really hated to say anything to the old man, knowing his disposition; still, I felt I had to, and I out with my story.

"'Dear, dear!' says he. 'The hurry and skurry of young folks! How idle it seems when you get fifty years away from it and see how little anything counts! For all that, I thank God,' says he, 'that there's a little red left in my blood yet, which makes me sympathize with them. But the girl's people object, you say?'

"I made that all clear to him. 'The girl's always all right, father,' says I, 'and as for the man in this case, my word for him.'

"Now, it ain't just the right thing for me to say; but, seeing as I've never had anything in particular to be modest about, and I'm proud of what the old gentleman told me, I'm going to repeat it.

"'Your word is good for me, Red,' says he. 'You're a mischievous boy at times, but your heart and your head are both reliable. Give me your arm to the wagon.'

"Then I felt mighty sorry to think of lugging that poor old man all that ways.

"'Here,' says I. 'Now you sit down again. Don't you do anything of the sort. You ain't fit.'

"He put his hand on my shoulder and hobbled his weight off the game leg.

"'Reddy, I was sitting there thinking when you came in—thinking of how comfortable it was to be in an easy chair with my foot on a stool, and then I thought, "If the Lord should send me some work to do, would I be willing?" Now, thanks be to him, I am willing and glad to find myself so, and I do not believe there's any work more acceptable to him than the union of young folk who love each other. Ouch!' says he as that foot touched the ground. 'Perhaps you'd better pick me up and carry me bodily.'

"So I did it, the old housekeeper following us with an armful of things and jawing the both of us, him for a fool and me for a villain. She was a strong minded old lady, and I wish I could remember some of her talk. It was great.

"We went around and got the doctor.

"'Hoo!' says he. 'Is it as bad as that?' I winked at Father Slade.

"'It's a-plenty worse than that,' says I. 'You won't know the half of it till you get down there.'

"But of course we had to tell him, and he was tickled. Funny what an interest everybody takes in these happenings. He wanted all the details.

"'By Jove,' says he, 'the man whose feelings ain't the least dimmed by a broken leg horse rolled on him, you said; splintered it, probably—that man is one of the right sort. He'll do to tie to.'

"When we reached the ranch the boys were lined up to meet us. 'Hurry along!' they called. 'Angey can't keep uncle amused all day!'

"So we hustled. Kyle was for being married first and then having his leg set, but I put my foot down flat. It had gone long enough now, and I wasn't going to have him crippling it all his life. But the doctor worked like a man who gets paid by the piece, and in less than no time we were able to call Loys in.

"Wind River Smith spoke to get to give the bride away, and we let him have it.

"We'd just got settled to business when in comes Angevine, puffing like a buffalo. 'For heaven's sakes, ain't you finished yet?' says he. 'Well, you want to be at it, for the old man ain't over two minutes behind me, coming fast. I took the distance in ten foot steps. Just my luck! Foot slipped when I was talking to him, and I dropped a remark that made him suspicious—I wouldn't have done it for a ton of money—but it's too late now. I'll down him and hold him out there if you say so.'

"Well, sir, at this old Father Slade stood right up, forgetting that foot entirely.

"'Children, be ready,' says he, and he went over the line for a record.

"'Hurry there!' hollers old Bob from the outside, where he was on watch. 'Here comes uncle up the long coulee!'

"'What are your names?' says Father Slade. They told him, both reddening.

"'Do you, Kyle, take this woman, Loys, to have and keep track of, come hell or high water, her heirs and assigns for ever?'—or such a matter—says he, all in one breath. They both said they did.

"Things flew till we came to the ring. There was a hitch. We had plumb forgotten that important article. For a minute I felt stingy. Then I cussed myself for a mean old long horn and dived into my box.

"'Here, take this!' I says. 'It was my mother's!'

"'Oh, Red, you mustn't part with that!' cried Loys, her eyes filling up.

"'Don't waste time talking. I put through what I tackle. Hurry, please, father.'

"'Has anybody any objections to these proceedings?' says he.

"'I have,' says I, 'but I won't mention 'em. Give them the verdict.'

"'I pronounce you man and wife. Let us pray,' says he.

"'What's that?' screeches Uncle Jonesy from the doorway. And then he gave us the queerest prayer you ever heard in your life. He stood on one toe and clawed chunks out of the air while he delivered it.

"He seemed to have it in for me in particular. 'You villain! You rascal! You redheaded rascal! You did this! I know you did!'

"'Oh, uncle,' says I, 'forgive me!' With that I hugged him right up to me, and he filled my bosom full of smothered language.

"'Cheese it, you little cuss,' I whispered in his ear, 'or I'll break every rib in your poor old chest!' I came in on him a trifle, just to show him what I could do if I tried.

"'Nuff!' he wheezes. 'Quit! 'Nuff!'

"'Go up and congratulate 'em,' I whispered again.

"'I won't,' says he. 'Ouch! Yes, I will! I will!' So up he goes, grinding his teeth.

"'I wish you every happiness,' he grunts.

"'Won't you forgive me, uncle?' begs Loys.

"'Some other time; some other time!' he hollers, and he pranced out of the house like a hosstyle spider, the maddest little man in the territory.

"Loys had a hard time of it until Kyle got so he could travel, and they went up to the Yellowstone with a team for a wedding trip.

"The rest of Loys' folks was in an unpleasant frame of mind too. They sent out her brother, and while I'd have took most anything from Loys' brother, there comes a place where human nature is human nature, and the upshot of it was I planked that young man gently but firmly across my knees. Suffering like, but he was one sassy young man! Howsomever, the whole outfit came round in time—all except uncle and me. He used to grit his teeth together till the sparks flew when he saw me. I was afraid he'd bust a blood vessel in one of them fits, so I quit. I hated to let go of the old ranch, but I'm pretty well fixed—I'm superintendent here. It's Kyle's ranch, you know. That's his brand—the queer looking thing on the left hip of that critter, over the vented hash knife. *Loys'* invention, that is. She says it's a cherublim, but we call it the 'flying flapjack.' There's a right smart lot of beef critters toting that signal round this part of the country. Kyle's one of the fellers that rises like a setting of bread—quiet and gentle, but steady and sure. He's going to the state legislature next year. 'Twon't do no harm to have one honest man in the outfit.

"Now, perhaps if I'd married some nice woman I might have had 1,000 steers of my own and a chance to make rules and regulations for my feller citizens—and then again I might have took to gambling and drinking and raising blazes and broke my poor wife's broom handle with my hard head. So I reckon we'll let it slide as it is. Now, you straddle that caruse of yours and come along with me, and I'll show you some rattling colts."

THE SMITH-JONES AFFAIR.

Two Versions of Just Exactly How the Incident Occurred.

ACCORDING TO SMITH:

"Oh, say! I met Jones. You know Jones, of course. Well, I heard that he had called me a liar the other day in conversation with another man, and so I was just laying for him. I have an idea he suspected something was up, as he began to act sheepish right away. But of course I didn't let on at first. I just looked him calmly and coolly in the eye. Then I said, 'Jones, old man, I heard something about you the other day that I couldn't believe.' I said this in a calm, even voice, but Jones must have known something was up, as I could see him begin to tremble. 'I hope it was something good,' said Jones, with a quaver in his voice. As for me, I was just beginning to enjoy myself. 'Oh, well,' I replied, with a pleasant offhand smile, 'that depends entirely on the point of view. Now, I may not be good or I may be good.' I smiled genially this time while Jones turned pale; I could distinctly see him growing pale. 'That, of course, is a matter of opinion, but I wish, Jones'—here I looked him fairly and squarely in the eye—'if you have anything of an intimate and personal nature'— By this time Jones was shaking all over. I just lingered on those words while I faced him down. Oh, it was too rich! 'Why, Jones, old man, just say it to my face, will you?' and with this, in my easiest and most careless manner, I left him. You see, it wasn't necessary to do anything to Jones. It was the withering sarcasm of what I said that fetched him. I can tell you it was great fun—simply great! And he won't forget it either. He'll know better next time."

BIRD VISION.

Keen Eyesight of the Kingfishers and Water Birds.

So far I have determined that the keenest eyesight is probably possessed by water birds and kingfishers, although every kind of bird possesses keener eyesight than does man. It is a fact that the eyesight of man is going to get worse in the future and is getting worse all the time—that is, we are growing more nearsighted. The occupations of a majority of men in cities compel them to do their work at very close range. This removes the necessity of the farsighted eyes with which most men are endowed. It is probably a good thing that we are becoming nearsighted.

As an example of the visual capacity of some birds one has to think for a moment of a hawk poised several hundred yards above a meadow in which a field mouse or a small chicken is hidden. In a few seconds after the quarry is sighted it is seized by the bird, whose sharp sight has not only detected it, but whose wonderful accommodative apparatus permits of a sure and continuous fixation from hundreds of meters to less than a meter within an incredibly short space of time. Variations in the character of this acute vision are seen in many other birds—in the humming bird, that darts here and there so quickly that the human eye cannot follow it and yet comes suddenly to rest on an almost invisible twig; in the woodcock, that flits through the dark woods, avoiding every tree, shrub and branch as if they were nonexistent; in the owl, that combines good diurnal with good nocturnal vision, and in the kingfisher, that sees as well in the air as he does in water.—Dr. C. A. Wood in Chicago Inter Ocean.

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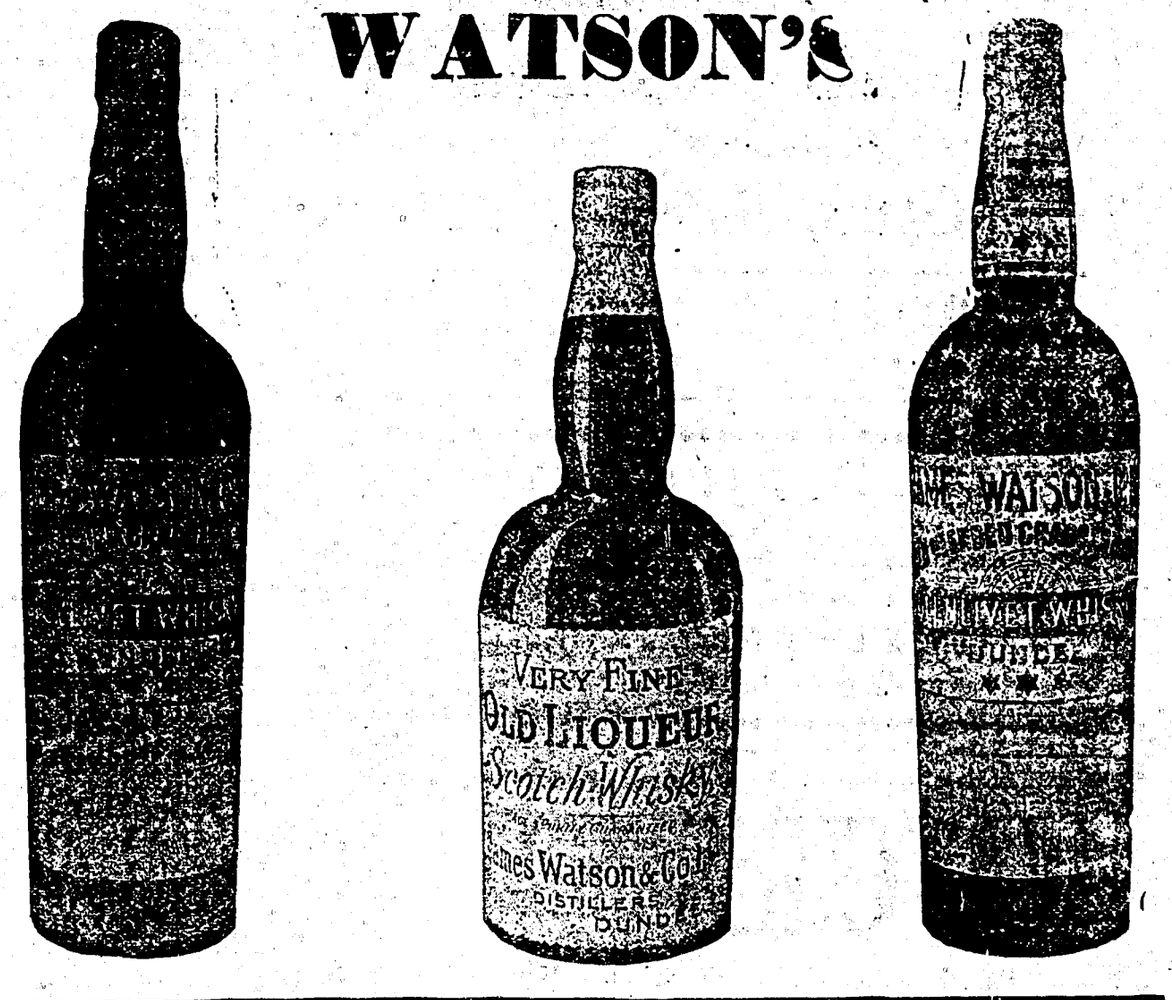

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A FRANK CRITIC.

She Contrasts the Opera With a Cantata at Home.

It was Rufus Choate, who was not musical, who once at the opera gazed helplessly at his libretto and, turning to his daughter, who was musical, said:

"Helen, expound to me this record, lest I dilate with the wrong emotion."

Mrs. Binns of Dulverton, who is also unmusical, recently attended the opera with her daughter and felt that her emotions there were hardly satisfactory.

"Yes," she told her friends on returning to the village, "Louisy took me to the opery, and it certainly was a sight. It was real interesting looking round before it begun, and I enjoyed it some afterwards, too; *really* I did. There was so many folks in it and such a lot of going and coming and marching and grouping it made quite a picture.

"And the music, too—some of it had quite a swing to it, most as good as a p'rade. But it went on and on and on, and I begun to get pretty tired of it, and it kep' on and on, and I got tireder and tireder.

"You see, 'twa'n't like a cantata at home, where you know the folks. That's different. It don't matter then how long the story strings out, and singing any kind o' story does string it out ridiculous; but, knowing the folks, there's always something interesting you can turn your mind to and forget it.

"Now, when the Choral club gave 'King Rainy's Daughter' there was all their clothes to look at first off. And, my, there were some clever makeovers amongst 'em too. You remember Selina Meade's dress for the princess she got out o' that old stained wedding satin o' Great-grandmother Barclay's? If that wa'n't a job to be proud of I don't know what is!

"And Sam Giddings' trousers—well, they weren't trousers exactly, but those things he wore on his legs—Sam felt he oughtn't to hire, and Jane Giddings made 'em herself! How she ever did it! I'd as soon try cutting out a suit o' court clo'es for the emperor of China myself.

"Then I always find it kind o' entertaining to watch out for Lonny Baker's gold front tooth to flash when he opens wide on a top note, and—oh, well, you know how 'tis. There's always something.

"But at the opery there ain't, and by the end of an hour of bang and toot-tle and tum-te-tum and tra-la-la I'd had all I wanted, and but for hurting Louisy's feelings I'd ha' left. She says 'twas grand, and I dare say 'twas, but give me the town hall and home talent every time."

Paris Ever Famous.

Paris was a famous and cultivated city ages before Venice. If we search for them we may find it in historical associations that may vie with those of any city in the world except Rome and Constantinople, and even its antiquarian and artistic remains are seldom equaled or surpassed. At Rome, Florence or Venice the tourist talks of old churches, palaces and remains. At Paris he gives himself up to the boulevards, the theaters, shops and races. The profoundly instructive history, the profuse antiquarian remains of the great city, are forgotten carent quia vate sacro.—London Spectator.

Makes Him Mad.

"Don't you think, major," inquired the young man in the front row, "that he sings those battle songs realistically?"

"Yes, indeed," replied the gentleman aforesaid—"so realistically, in fact, that I feel like fighting all the time I'm listening to him!"—London Answers.

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APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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 Licence held by me for the Elk Hotel situated at Comox.

(Signed) GEORGE G. MACDONALD
Dated 28th day of April, 1908

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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 Licence held by me for the Port Augusta Hotel situated at Comox, B.C.

(Signed) J. B. HOLMES
Dated 28th day of April, 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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 Licence held by me for the Lorne Hotel, situated at Comox, B. C.,

(Signed) S. J. CLIFFE
Dated 28th day of April, 1908

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF HOTEL LICENCE.

Notice is hereby given that one month from date I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a transfer of the Hotel Licence held by me for the Palmer Hotel, situated at Bayne Sound, from myself to John. R Johnson & Thomas Ripley

(Signed) W. F. RAMSAY
Dated 28th day of April 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is is hereby given that one month from date we intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for an Hotel Licence for the Palmer Hotel, situated at Bayne Sound.

(Signed)

JOHN R. JOHNSTON
THOMAS RIPLEY

Dated 28th day of April 1908,

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICRNCE.

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 Licence held by me for the Courtenay Hotel, situated at Courtenay B. C.

(Signed) JOHN R. JOHNSTON
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A TOUCHING INCIDENT.

(New York Times)

An incident of a peculiar touching character occured yesterday in one of the elevated railroad trains, that brought tears to the eyes of the passengers. The train had just left One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street when the passengers saw entering the car a little boy about six years old, half carried by an older boy, evidently his brother. Both were well dressed. but at first glance it was seen that the little fellow was blind. He had a pale, wan face but was smiling. A quick look of sympathy passed over the face of the passengers, and an old gray-haired gentleman got up and gave his seat to the two. The "big brother," who was about eleven years old, tenderly lifted up the little blind boy and placed him on his knee.

"How's that?" he asked.

"Nice," said the little chap.

"Where's my monica?"

This puzzled some of the passengers, and several turned to see what the child meant. But the "big brother" knew, and immediately drew out a small mouth harmonica and placed it in the little fellows hands. The little fellow took the instrument into his thin hands, ran it across his lips, and began to play softly, "Nearer my God, to Thee." Tears came into the eyes of the old gentleman who had given up his seat, and as the little fellow played on running into "Rock of Ages" and "Abide with Me," there were many moist eyes in the car.

The train rushed along, the passengers listened, and the little fellow played on tirelessly, never missing a note of "Annie Laurie" or "Home Sweet Home." Finally the "big brother" leaned down and told the little one to get ready to leave, as the train was nearing their station. Then, as if he knew he had won a whole carload of friends, the blind boy quickly changed "The Swannee River" into "Auld Lang Syne." and with one accord the passengers burst into a round of applause, while the "big brother" carried the little one out of the car.

"What is a propaganda?" asked the teacher.

The boy wrestled with the question a minute or two, and answered bravely that he guessed it was some kind of goose.

NOT TOO DRUNK TO TELL THE TRUTH.

It happened on a crowded car. A seedy looking man, very much the worse of liquor, rose to give his seat to a lady, when a robust man slipped into the vacant seat, leaving the lady still standing.

"Sa-a-y, you you fellow you," said the boozy but chivalrous individual, as he swayed to and fro hanging to a strap, "I—I'm drunk I know, but I—I'll get over it, I will; but you —you're a hog, and you'll never get over it in—in this world—no, sir, never!" And the other passengers agreed with him.

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DIANA PIKET.

Dated 26th day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Licence Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of the hotel licence held by me for the New England Hotel, situated on lot 3, block 3, Cumberland townsite.

THOS. DWYER.

Dated 26th. day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Licence Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of the hotel licence held by me for the Vendome Hotel situated on lot 5, dlock 3, Cumberland townsite.

JOHN R. BANNERMAN.

Dated 26th. day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Licence Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of the hotel licence held by me for the Waverly Hotel, situated on lot 2, Block 3, Cumberland townsite.

RICHARD COE.

Dated 26th. day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR WHOLESALE LIQUOR LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Licence Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of wholesale liquor licence held by me, situated on lot 12, block 7, Cumberland townsite.

FRANK SCAVARDA.

Dated 26th. day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR WHOLESALE LIQUOR LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Licence Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of the wholesale liquor licence held by me, situated on lot 12, block 6, Cumberland townsite.

JOHN MAROCCHI.

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A. McKINNON,
City Clerk

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is heredy given that one month from date I intenb to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police Victoria for a renewal of the Hotel Licence held by me for the Port Harvey Hotel situated at Port Harvey B. C.

[Signed] John Mahrer.

Dated 5th day of May, 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE

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 Hote Licence held by me for the Ruby House situated at Port Kusam B. C.

Signed Edgar McKenzie.

Dated 5th day of May 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE

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 Licence held by me for the Grant Hotel situated at Minstrel Island B. C.

[Signed] Comlin&Armstrong.

Dated 15th. day of May 1908.

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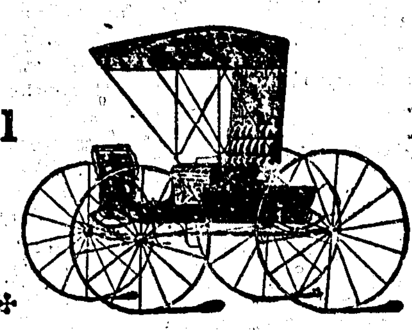

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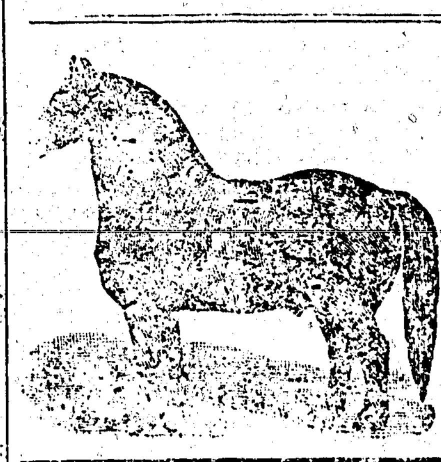

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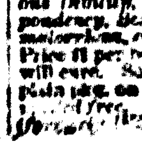

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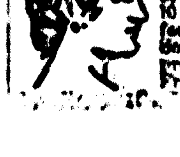

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