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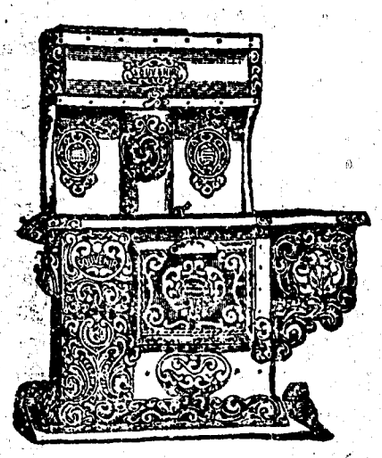

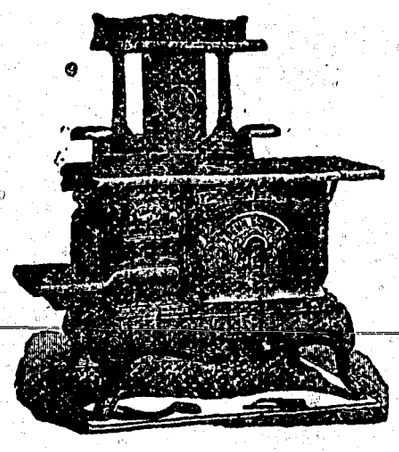

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T. E. BATE, - - Cumberland

WE WANT MONEY

YOU NEED THE GOODS

So from the 1st of October for every dollar you spend in our store we will give you a ticket entitling you to a chance in the drawing for a Gent's Waterproof Coat valued at $20 and a set of Ladies' Furs valued at $25. The drawing for the set of Ladies' Furs to take place on October pay-day. The drawing for the Gent's Coat to take place on November pay-day

J. N. McLEOD,

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DUNSMUIR AVENUE CUMBERAND, B.C.

City Council

The regular meeting of the City Council was held last evening there being present:—Mayor Willard, Aldermen Bate Horwood Campbell and McDonald.

Minutes of last meeting read adopted and signed.

Bills and accounts:—Star Livery Stable, $5.00; C. H. Tarbell, $3.20; Cumberland News, $6.00; Geo. Winger, $6.50;

Referred to Finance committee and if found correct ordered paid.

Tenders for digging and filling in ditch and laying pipe in drain from Post Office to Monk's corner R. S. Robertson $150.00 J. Stevenson $170.50, C. Webster 75c running yard.

Contract awarded to R. S. Robertson. Tenders for buckets for scavenger 14 in galv. buckets $5.50 contract awarded for three dozen buckets to C. H. Tarbell.

Council went into committee on Trades and Licence amendments.

Amendments passed committee as read. Trades License amendments on motion of Ald McDonald and Bate passed third reading. Ald. McDonald introduced a by-law to provide for the borrowing of three thousand dollars from the Royal Bank at seven per cent for a term of three years.

The By-Law then passed 1st. and 2nd. reading.

Constable Hornal was instructed to have the roof on City Hall and Council Chambers repaired at once.

On motions of Ald. Bate and Horwood the mayor and city clerk were empowered to borrow sufficient funds from the Royal Bank to meet current expenses.

A discussion on providing funds to meet sewer expenses followed, and as some members of the Board had other engagements the Board adjourned to meet on Thursday evening to fully discuss the question.

SILVER WEDDING.

On last Friday Mr. and Mrs. H. Murdock entertained a large number of friends, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mrs Murdock was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents. The band was present and discoursed some fine music, dancing was kept up till a late hour after which all went home having spent a most enjoyable evening.

"CHOPPERS" INITIATE SEVERAL NEW MEMBERS.

Mr. J. A. Ramplin, P. H. C. C. of the Canadian Order Woodmen of the World, is paying Cumberland and District a visit in the interest of the Order, and has been very successful in securing a number of new members. The initiation ceremony took place on Monday evening, after which the "Choppers" went to the Waverly Hotel, where a fine spread was in readiness for them. A most enjoyable evening was spent, songs and speeches being indulged in till a late hour.

G. W. Clinton left by S.S. Wellington, last Saturday morning for Victoria.

DRUIDS BANQUET.

On last Saturday evening Cumberland Grove, United Ancient Order of Druds held a banquet at the Waverly Hotel, the occasion being the celebration of the fourteenth anniversary of the institution of the Order in Cumberland At about 9:30 P. M. forty-five guests sat down to a most sumptuous repast, the table was laden down with all the delicacies of the season. After partaking of the many good things, and satisfying the "inner man" the chairman, Mr. Fred Dirkes, called the gathering to order and after disposing of several toasts, which were responded to, a musical programme was gone through consisting of instrumental and vocal selections which were much appreciated by the company present; After proposing a toast to the host and hostess and singing of the National anthem, the company dispersed having spent a most enjoyable evening.

One of the most enjoyable functions of the season, will be a Social Ball under the auspices of Comox Hive, No. 16, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World on New Years Eve Dec., 31st 1908, in the Agricultural Hall, Courtenay. The Ladies are sparing no pains so as to make this the principal event of the Season. Refreshments will be served during the evening, and excellent music will be provided by Messrs Roy Monte and Morgan.

A mothers' meeting, will be held in the City Hall, Wednesday, at 3 p. m. under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. There will be music, and an address to Mothers Refreshments will be served. A hearty invitation is extended to every Mother to be present. Admission free.

SALE OF WORK In connection with Holy Trinity Church, on Tuesday, 1st December, From 2 to 5 o'clock, Admission Free: Afternoon Tea, Ice Cream. Supper will be served from 5.30 to 7.30 P. m. adults 35c. children 25c.

MISSING.

Word has been received that Willie Harwood is lost in the woods near Trent River, a search party has been organized and started out in search of him yesterday. His absence has caused much anxiety, as he has not been seen since last Saturday about two o'clock.

One of the search party arrived in town this afternoon and reported the finding of young Harwood's boat, hat and gun on the beach, a short distance from his home. Grappling-irons have been taken down to drag for the body. Mrs. Harwood' his mother, saw the boat floating out to sea, the afternoon he was missing, but thought that it had broken loose, as there was quite a heavy sea on at the time The report that he was lost in the woods, could not have been a correct one, as the present indications are that he has been drowned.

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 10th day of Nov. 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.

Dated 10th, day of Nov. 1908

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OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

The store that will save you money on Groceries. Our goods are all fresh and new, and quality all that you could wish for. We keep a good stock of all kinds of Flour—try our 'Calgary' and 'Royal Standard." We have just put in a large shipment of Washington Apples—try these.

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Give us a trial by placing your first of the month order with us—we are satisfied we can please you.

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Alberta Creamery Butter in 14 lb boxes.....	$4 60
Creamery Butter in 1 lb prints.....	35
Selected Case Eggs.....	35
Good Eating Apples, per box.....	1 75

Smoked Halibut, Kippers and Boiled Ham.

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TUESDAY, Nov. 23, 1908

One Hundred and Thirty Miles An Hour.

The electric locomotive has its steam brother badly whipped as to speed and it only remains to build tracks that will bear trains at over 100 miles an hour to learn just what can be expected of the electric trains.

At the celebrated Berlin-Zossen speed trials in 1903 there was established the amazing 130 miles an hour record, the fastest that any man or man-made machine ever travelled. It is almost 200 feet a second or equal to the speed a man would attain falling from the top of a 20 story building. It is a speed so great that a deflection of one of the rails of an eighth of an inch is sufficient to throw a train off the track. It is so fast that the front of the locomotive has to have a great knife shield to cut the wind, which otherwise would check the speed or crush in the front of the engine.

A train running at this frightful speed of 130 miles an hour would circumnavigate the globe in a week.

It would place the Pacific within 24 hours of the Atlantic. Will such a thing come to pass? Perhaps. A hundred years ago thirty miles an hour was a marvelous speed; now it is common. If a train can make 130 miles now experimentally, why may not this speed be common in the year two thousand.

Mr. and Mrs. Siddall of Nanaimo, arrived by Wednesday's boat. Mr. Siddall is opening up a tailoring business in the Davis Block.

MEN'S COSTUMES.

The Change That Came When Powder and Snuff Went Out.

The French revolution had its effect upon the fashions of 1800 as well as upon matters of more weighty import, the tendency being greatly to simplify costumes. Young men in England adopted the short coat, light waistcoat and pantaloons inaugurated in Paris by a certain set who affected to despise the old court fashion.

The use of powder, made more expensive by taxation, quite died out, and short hair became universal.

Trousers and Wellington boots, at first worn only by the military, were adopted by civilians about 1814, and the dandy of the early Victorian era wore his tightly strapped down. He also prided himself on his starched collar, which had gone out of favor under George IV., who preferred a black silk kerchief or stock.

The snuffbox vanished, and the characteristic ornament of the age was the bunch of seals hanging from the watch chain. Various modifications took place from time to time during Queen Victoria's long reign, but the form of men's dress practically remained unaltered.

The knickerbockers and tweed suit of the country gentleman are of comparatively modern date, as well as the wide awake, the soft felt hat.—English Illustrated Magazine.

THE HYPNOTIC EYE.

And the Man Who Likes to Test It on the Circus Animals.

The man who wants to test the power of the human eye on savage beasts is legion, and he affords no end of amusement for the attendants at the circus, who are always on the lookout for him. Often he may be detected standing before the cage of a lion, gazing intently straight into the eyes of the dignified old beast, who gazes back with indifference and finally shifts his eyes, not because he feels any mystic influence, but because something else has attracted his attention.

A story is told of a man who tried the hypnotic trick on an ostrich. At first the bird crouched down and fluttered his wings nervously, but made no other manifestation for some time. A few hours later the body of the man was found, with the huge bird alternately stamping and sitting on it. Another is told of a man who tried to outgaze a leopard, with the result that the animal made a fierce charge against the bars of his cage and at the man, and the two created a disturbance that brought the attendants hurrying to investigate the trouble.—Harriet Quimby in Leslie's Weekly.

Sunday School Philosophy.

A Sunday school teacher had instructed her class that each child should repeat a verse of Scripture when the offering was made. The plate, containing many pennies, had gone down the line when the child next the last said, "The Lord loveth a cheerful giver," depositing a nickel.

Either the verses had given out or the child at the end of the bench was overcome at her neighbor's generosity, for she said, "A fool and hith money are thoon parted!"

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac.

For 1909, ready Nov. 15. 1908, best ever sent out, beautiful covers in colors, fine portrait of Prof. Hicks in colors, all the old features and several new ones in the book. The best astronomical "Hicks Weather Forecasts." By mail 35c, on news stands 30c.

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VOLUNTEER OUNTY ACT, 190 .

Warning to Purchasers.

EVERY assignment of the right of a South African Volunteer entitled to a land grant must be by way of appointment of a substitute and must be in the form provided by the Act.

Special attention is called to Sub-section 3 of Section 5 of the Volunteers Bounty Act, 1908, which provides that no assignment of the right of a volunteer by the appointment of a substitute shall be accepted or recognized by the Department of the Interior which IS NOT EXECUTED AND DATED AFTER THE *DATE OF THE WARRANT FOR THE* LAND GRANT issued by the Minister of Militia and Defence in favor of the volunteer.

J. W. GREENWAY,
Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Ottawa.

28th September, 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 Union Hotel, situated at Union B. C.

SAMUEL C. DAVIS

Dated 27th day of Oct., 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.

JOHN H. PIKET

Dated 27th day of Oct., 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 Courtenay Hotel, situated at Courtenay B. C.

JOHN R. JOHNSTON

Dated 27th day of Oct., 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that one month from date we intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria for a transfer of the Hotel Licence held by us for the Palmer Hotel situated at Bayne Sound to JAMES S. DAY

JOHN R. JOHNSON

THOS. RIPLEY.

Dated 23rd day of Nov. 1908

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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 Licence held by us for the Nelson Hotel situated at Union Bay.

FRASER & BISHOP

Dated 3rd day of Nov., 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 Hotel Licence held by me for the Wilson Hotel, situated at Union Bay.

JNO. HUMPHREY,

Dated this 3rd day of Nov., 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.

FLORENCE MARY CLIFFE

Dated 3rd day of Nov., 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 Elk Hotel situated at Comox.

GEORGE G. MACDONALD

Dated 27th day of Oct., 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 renewal of the Hotel Licence held by me for the Port Augusta Hotel situated at Comox, B. C.

J. B. HOLMES

Dated 27th day of Oct., 1908.

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Leaves Comox Thursday 7 a. m., for Union Bay Nanaimo and way ports.

Leaves Nanaimo Friday, 7 a. m., for Union Bay Comox and way ports.

Leaves Comox Saturday, 7 a.m., for Nanaimo and way ports.

Sails from Nanaimo Saturday, 2 p.m., for Victoria.

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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.

Calling at Way Ports when freight and passengers offer.

TIME TABLE EFFECTIVE October 1st, 1907.

NORTH BOUND—Read Down

Passenger Trains

Stations,	Daily No. 1	Sunday Wed. Sat. No. 3
Victoria,	De. 9.00	De. 15 00
Russels,	9.04	15.04
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	16.58
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	18.57
Russels,	12.02	18.51
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	16.58
Somenos,	9.47	16 43
Westholme,	9.37	16.32
Chemainus,	9.25	16.22
Ladysmith,	De. 9.00	De. 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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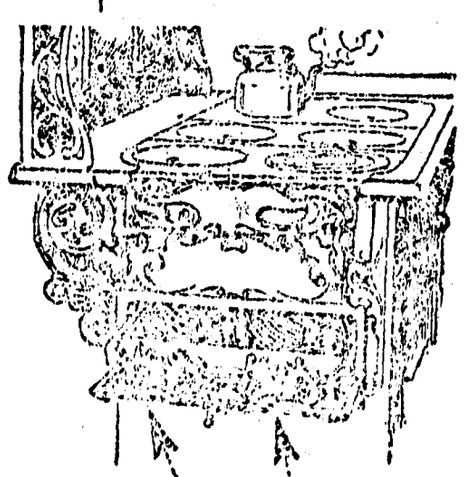

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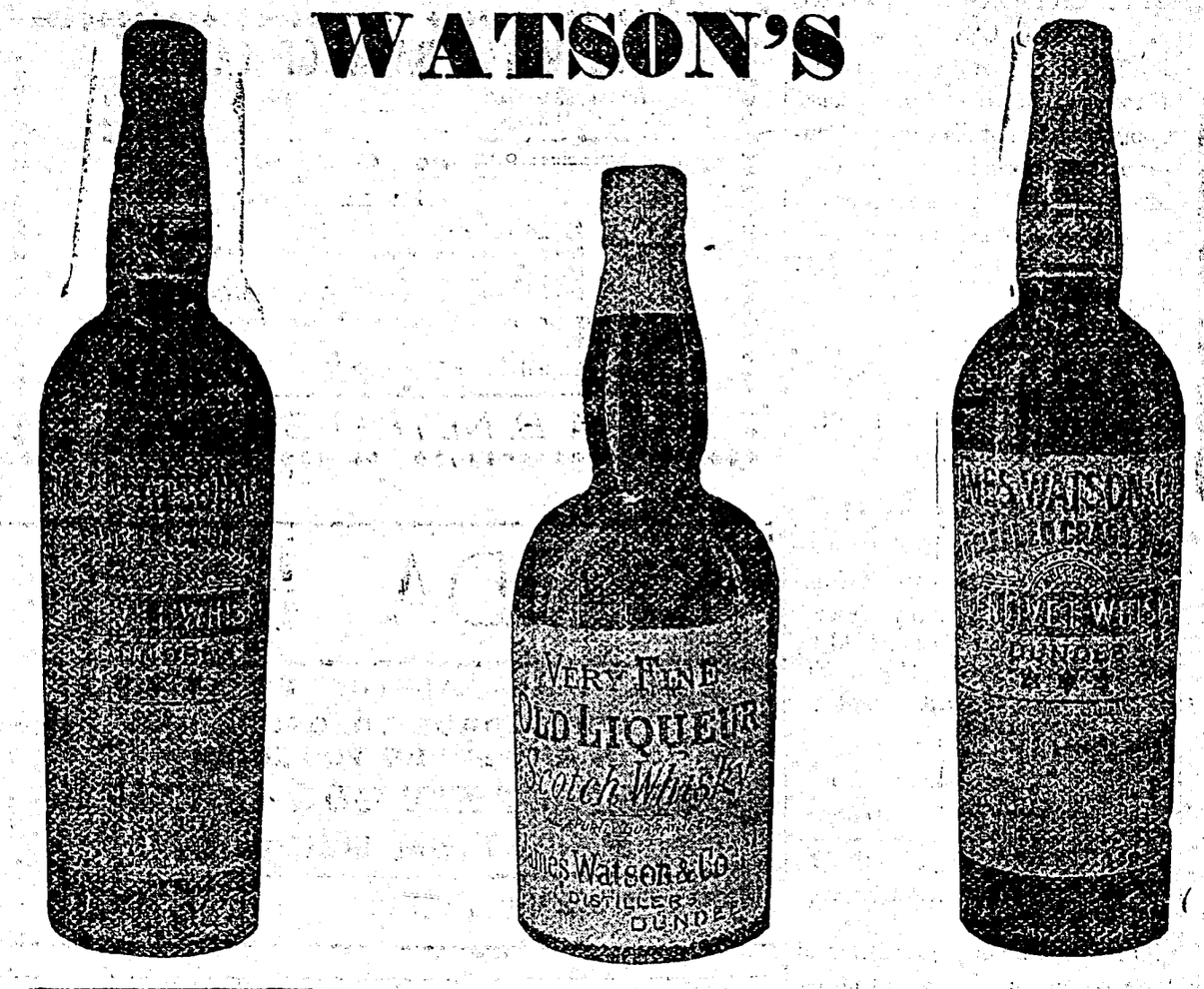

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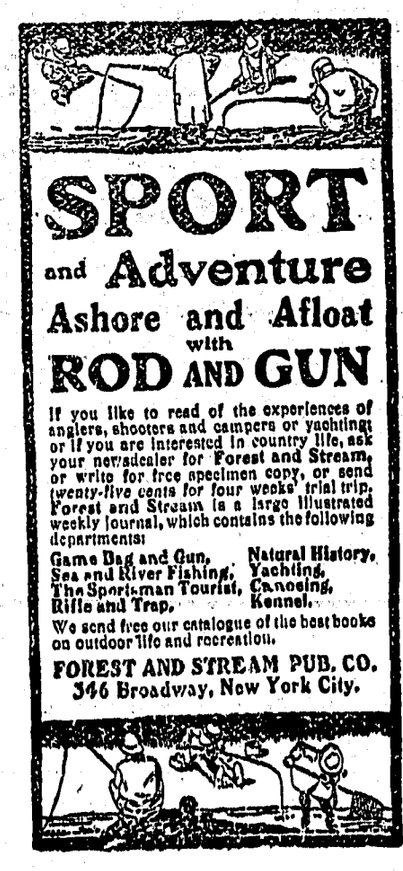

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF HOTEL LICENCE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licence Commissioners for the City of Cumberland I intend to apply for a transfer of Hotel Licence now held by me on block 3 lot 5 Cumberland Townsite to Wilson & Bramberg.

J. R. BANNERMAN.

Dated Sept., 29th, 1908.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

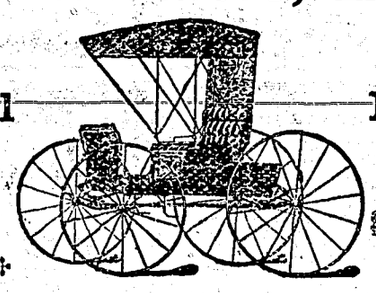
In the matter of an application for a duplicate certificate of title to part (being one acre of Section 17, District of Comox.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to above land issued to the Trustees of the Comox School District on the 30th January 1873 and numbered 741a.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar General.

Dated Sept., 22nd, 1908.

Vehicles, Implements, Incubators, Etc., Etc.



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The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans;

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

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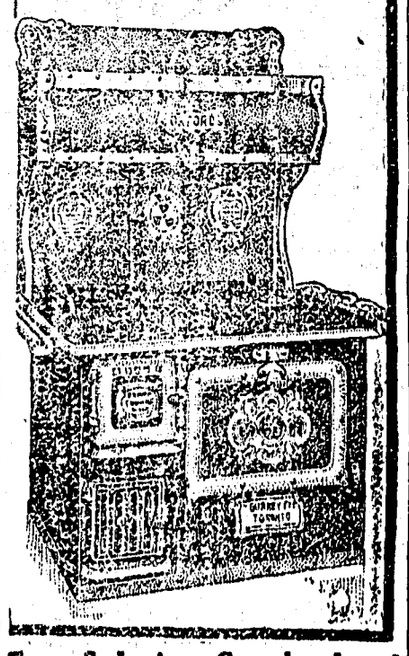

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BIRTH OF ROYAL BABY

QUEER CUSTOMS FOLLOWED AT SPANISH COURT.

Diplomats and Nobles Wait to See That Changeling Is Not Substituted—Crowds Await Hoisting of Royal Ensign—Number of Guns In Salute Announce Boy or Girl—Queen's New Palace.

The birth of a Spanish prince is hedged round with many strange ceremonials, some of which must form a trying ordeal for a girl brought up amid the surroundings usual to a high-bred English family. Etiquette prescribes that a crowd of eminent personages shall be in attendance to await the birth. Representatives of the aristocracy and of the political and diplomatic world gather together in an adjoining apartment, and, accompanied by the ladies-in-waiting, wait to greet the latest addition to the royal family, and also to bear witness that no attempt is made to palm off a changling upon the nation.

When at last the child is born it is carried by the Mistress of the Robes, on a gorgeous crimson velvet cushion and covered by priceless lace, into the presence of the grandees and handed to the Prime Minister. The latter carries it round the room for all to see and then returns the precious burden to the Mistress of the Robes, who in her turn restores the mite to its royal mother.

Outside, on the Plaza de Oriente, a huge crowd of the people await expectantly but light-heartedly for the broad bands of red and yellow with the royal escutcheon to flutter in the breeze, and to count the number of guns which boom forth their salute. Twenty-one guns announce a boy. The news is flashed all over the kingdom, and the "Te Deum" is sung in all the cathedrals. One of the first of the numerous official messages is that dispatched to the Pope, asking him to act as godfather. The Catholic Church requires that the christening shall take place at the earliest possible moment, so that generally within four or five days at the most the royal baby has to go through its second public ordeal.

Some of the rules of ancient Spanish etiquette die hard. Among these is that by which everything in Madrid counts by nine days. For instance, after a death in a family, the Novenario must take place; the widow and daughters, or whoever the nearest surviving relations may be, are expected to hold the Drielo—that is, to close their windows and remain solemnly for nine days in their reception rooms to receive the condolences of their friends, who visit them in mourning. As it is the correct thing for all to repeat their visits daily during this period, though the first two or three times they are subdued, it is impossible to remain so, and the party insensibly glide into a degree of gossip and chatter which is not quite becoming to the occasion.

The advent of an English princess at the Spanish court has resulted in great improvements in the gaiety of the palace, where those in constant attendance had found the atmosphere somewhat dull. In the days when the Queen-Mother (Queen Christina) reigned as regent evening dress was unnecessary, but under Queen Victoria Eugenie a general brightening of social life has taken place. The smartest frocks and the best of family jewels only are displayed, while full dress is always worn in the evening.

Innovations are seldom popular, and the stately dowagers, recalling the different state of Queen Christina, complain of the disturbances to which their declining years have been subjected. Queen Victoria Eugenie, however, is quite the vogue, and her musical parties, card parties, and court dances are enjoyed very much by those members of Madrid society who are sufficiently sprightly to recognize the right of youth to social relaxation.

While music and bridge help to pass many evenings at the Spanish court, her majesty has also introduced the English custom of afternoon teas, and delights in paying surprise calls at four o'clock. At first this somewhat embarrassed the senoras, but now that they understand the amiable young Queen requires nothing more than a simple welcome they are delighted, and even enjoy the departure from the requirements of Spanish etiquette.

In the country no less than in the capital the English Queen has had a marked effect in each case, the modification or change establishing an improvement. At La Granja, where the royal family possess a beautiful palace and the accouchement has taken place, there existed a rule that the Queen had to spend two hours daily in the gardens of the palace accessible to any who cared to visit her. Happily for the safety of the young couple, Queen Victoria Eugenie has discarded the custom and made the famous palace merely the private pleasure ground of the royal family.

Many alterations have been made in the interior economy of the palace, which was exceedingly insanitary. Defects have been remedied and the electric light has been installed, and the residence, with its magnificent gardens, world-famous fountains, and many valuable treasures, is now a most charming retreat.

Varying His Method.

The porch climber hesitated.

"I'm only doing this," he muttered, "because getting in on the ground floor has never made any money for me in a business way, and it's up to me to get even with the world somehow."

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J. W. Bryden left by Thursday's boat for Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs Chas. Whyte left by Thursday's boat for Vancouver.

Inspector Archie Dick, of Nanaimo arrived by Friday's boat.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Piket were passengers by Friday's boat from Denman Island.

Miss R. Piercy and Mr. and Mrs. W. Piercy arrived by Friday's boat from Denman Island.

Mrs. Masters, of Nanaimo arrived by Friday's boat.

Mrs. James Stewart arrived home by Friday's boat after several weeks absence in Victoria.

Hurrah! for another of those popular dances, to be given in Cumberland Hall on the evening of Nov. 24th, Everybody welcome

Dr. Kerr, dentist will be at Union Bay, from Nov. 25th. to Dec. 5th, and until Dec. 19th. at Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLeod were passengers to Victoria by Thursday's boat.

Teacher wanted for Minto school, after Christmas Vacation, Apply to N. Harvey, Sec'y of School Board, Cumberland post office.

Repeat it:—"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

Mr J. Bruce left by S. S. Cowichan, on Sunday last for Vancouver.

Mr. F. Aitken, and Mr. Slaughter drove over the road from Nanaimo last Saturday on a hunting trip.

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About this time I was advised to try Zam-Buk, I stopped using all other preparations and applied it instead. The very first application soothed my hand and seemed to draw out the fire and inflammation; and as I kept on using Zam-Buk the blisters gradually dried up and disappeared. In a very short time the scald was healed completely.

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John Gillespie was a passenger by Thursday's boat to Victoria.

Mrs. J. Pikot left by S. S. Cowichan, on Sunday last for Vancouver.

Mr. Joe. Potter, had the misfortune to break his arm on Sunday last.

Mr. R. Swan, of Denman Island, returned home by Saturday's boat.

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W. Piercy, of Denman Island, was a passenger by Wednesday's boat.

BIRTH—At Cumberland, on Nov. 20, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Phillipps Harrison, a daughter.

Superintendent F. D. Little was a passenger by Wednesday's boat.

Miss Kate McNeil, of Vancouver arrived by Wednesday's boat.

Mrs R. McNeil returned home by Wednesday's boat after a somewhat lengthy absence.

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF HOTEL LICENCE.

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Jas. S. Day.

Dated 23rd day of Nov., 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 Riverside Hotel, situated at Courtenay B. C.

O. H. Fenner

Dated 3rd day of Nov., 1908.

APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENCE.

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

Wilson & Bramberg.

Dated 10th. day of Nov. 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 10th. day of Nov. 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 8, block 2, Cumberland townsite.

Ciali Mussatto

Dated 10th. day of Nov. 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 10th. day of Nov. 1908.

Oh, laugh, ye merry punster, because woman cannot nail.

But there are always two sides to every little tale.

It may be woman cannot nail or tack to hold things tight.

But what man in creation can pin anything just right?

—Chicago News.

Courtenay News.

Nov. 20—Last Friday evening the Mutual Improvement Society held a very interesting spelling contest. Sides were chosen by the leaders and the President, Mr. Wm. Duncan, read out the words from a list prepared by the committee. The contest lasted over an hour and several acquitted themselves nobly. At the end of the time there still remained two or three on each side who had not been spelled down. Among those who gave a good account of themselves, Mrs. E. King, Master R. Duncan, Miss Dingwall and Olive Hodgson won special distinction.

Preparations are being made for a very good programme for the entertainment to be held on Friday evening, Dec. 4. It will be open to the public, the admission being 25c, and 10c, for children. Efforts are being made to organize a gymnasium in connection with the Society, It is thought that a gymnasium properly fitted up and under proper management would prove a source of much benefit as well as enjoyment to the young folks of both sexes.

Calgary, Nov. 12.—The famous trial of D. McGillicuddy, charged with having criminally libelled R. O. Edwards, editor of the Eye-Opener, closed last night with the conviction of McGillicuddy, who was fined $100.

The jury found that the plea of justification was not sustained. They added a rider to their verdict that the jury, as citizens of Calgary, desired to place on record their disapproval of the obscene literature, illustrations and such like in the Eye-Opener, and suggested that the paper be suppressed in case similar stuff be printed in the future.

The Judge decided that each party should pay his own costs. The judge in his finding cautioned the Eye-Opener against spreading objectionable literature.

The defence asked for a reserve case as inasmuch as the judge left to the jury the deciding upon the point of justification.

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NOTICE

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Cumberland B. C. Oct. 19th 1908.

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Diana Piket,

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