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THE CUMBERLAND NEWS.

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2nd " handsome doll, " $10

The largest and best selection of Xmas Goods in the District for you to choose from. Come early and SELECT YOUR CHOICE.

T. E. BATE

Valley Notes.

The funeral of Amanda Hellen eldest daughter of Olaf Hellen, of Comox, took place Wednesday afternoon. Interment was made in the Presbyterian Cemetery. The deceased was attacked by fever, about a month ago, and was removed to Mr. C. Piercy's, when she died Monday morning.

The Annual meeting of the "Farmer's Institute" was held in the Agricultural Hall, Courtenay, on Thursday evening. The following officers were elected: Pres. Mr. Shopland; Vice President, Mr McMillan; Denman Island; Sec., Treas., J A. Halliday; also a Board of eight Directors.

A Committee was appointed to draw up resolutions regarding "Road Work," and a public meeting will be called shortly to discuss these and also to devise ways and means for the better administration of funds with a view to having better roads which at the present time are the worst in the history of the valley, notwithstanding the fact the grants for the past year was larger than any previous year.

MARRIED—On Tuesday, December 14th, Mr. William Hurd and Miss Maggie Jones were united in marriage by the Rev. D. McGillivray.

MARRIED—By the Rev. D. McGillivray, Mr. George D. Westfield and Miss Beatrice Anthony on Wednesday, December 15th.

Brussels, Dec. 17.—King Leopold, of Belgium, died at 2:35 o'clock this morning, his age and wasted body being unable to stand the strain put upon it. The collapse occurred suddenly and at a moment when the doctors seemingly had the greatest hopes of his recovery.

MARRIED—On Sunday, December 12th, at St. John's Church, Comox, by the Rev. H. Mertens, Mr. F. B. Cloutier and Miss Lizzie Potter were united in matrimony. After the wedding ceremony the happy couple boarded the s. s. Cowichan to spend their honeymoon in Vancouver and other coast cities.

Mr. G. W. Clinton, of the Wellington Colliery Co. has kindly consented to run a train free of charge from the wharf, on Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of Christmas purchasers and the merchants of this city.

"George" is always willing to assist the business of this city.

Mrs. Simms desires pupils for the pianoforte at her home, Union, B.C. Usual terms will be charged. d21

The moving pictures which are being shown in the Cumberland Hall every evening are really well worth seeing, and those who have not been to see the pictures are missing a rare treat. This week the pictures are exceptionally fine; there are some beautifully colored ones being shown.

STRAYED—Black and white cow and calf; cow marked C. M. Apply to J. P. Davis, Comox. Owner can have same by paying expenses.

Mr. G. W. Clinton, Leland Mounce, Wilt Clinton, Miss Irene Mounce, Miss Ruth Clinton and Miss Louise Bickle arrived home by S.S. Cowichan, on Sunday last.

The boys and girls are home for the Christmas holidays and we trust that they will enjoy them fully.

BIRTH—At Union, Friday, Dec. 17th, to Mr. and Mrs Sam Davis, jr. a son.

The several business houses are as fully, if not more so, prepared to cater to Christmas purchasers this year, than any year. Give them all a call.

There will be a special Christmas service in the Methodist Church, next Sunday evening. A cordial welcome will be extended to all.

Mrs. A. G. Slaughter and children arrived from England, on Sunday last.

Mrs. John Matthews arrived home by today's boat.

USEFUL GIFTS

But a few days remain in which to do your Xmas buying. See that you do not leave it to the last minute but come early, get the best selection and service, and avoid the crush on the last few days.

—PARTIAL LIST—

Dressing Robes, House Coats, Fancy and Knitted Vests, Mocha and Kid Gloves, unlined, silk or fur lined. Irish Poplin and Silk Neckwear, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, plain or initial, Mexican Hand Drawn Sideboard Scarfs and Tea Cloths. Ladies' and Men's Fine Grade Umbrellas, Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses, Ladies' Silk Blouses in black, cream and ecru. Natty Shoes for Men, Women and Children.

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Buy Early and Have a Good Selection.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof for an Act authorizing the Vancouver Island and Eastern Railway Company to construct, equip and operate a line of railway from a point at or near Seymour Narrows on Vancouver Island in a northerly direction and by the most feasible route to a point on Quatsino Sound Vancouver Island, in extension of the lines of railway authorized to be constructed by the Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in the Session 7-8 Edward VII Chapter 167 and intitled: "An Act to Incorporate the Vancouver Island and Eastern Railway Company", and applying the provisions of the said above-named Act to the said extension and for the continuation of the charter of the said Company, and for an extension of time for the commencement of construction and completion of the said lines of railway by the said above-mentioned Act authorized to be constructed.

DATED at Victoria, British Columbia, this nineteenth day of October, A. D., 1909.

R. P. Lowe,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
P. O. Box 1 Victoria, B. C.

Grand Prize Drawing on Xmas Eve.

FOUR USEFUL PRIZES GIVEN AWAY

First Prize, Lady's Dress Length Choice From Stock
Second Prize, Lady's Blouse, value.....$5.00
Third Prize Gentleman's Overcoat, value 15.00
Fourth Prize, Fancy Vest .....value $5.00

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TUESDAY, DEC. 21, 1909,

NOTICE

Every Monday and Tuesday I will be in town to deliver Fresh Butter and all kinds of Vegetables and also 20 tons of potatoes; will sell cheap.

CHIU YEUK,
Sandwick.

TAKE NOTICE that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. The Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on in and under the lands situate on the foreshore of Rupert District more particularly described as follows:—Commencing at a post planted at the South West corner of Section Twenty-four [24] Township (2) in the said District; thence South Sixty-four (64) chains more or less to the North West corner of Lot Twenty-five [25] Rupert District; thence West following the sinuosities of the shore line at high water mark to a point seventy-four [74] chains due west from the easterly boundary of the lands hereby applied for; thence North Fifty-eight (58) chains more or less to the high water mark on the shore of Section Twenty-three [23] Township Two (2); thence east seventy-four -74- chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing Four hundred and fifty -450- acres more or less.

Dated this 21st day of Aug. 1909

H. G. S. HEISTERMAN,
PERCY COLLINS,
Agent.

COMOX ASSESSMENT DISTRICT COURT OF REVISION AND APPEAL.

A COURT OF REVISION AND APPEAL under the provisions of the "Assessment Act" respecting the Assessment Rolls for the year 1910 will be held for the Comox Assessment District at the Court House, Cumberland, on Thursday, 16th December, 1909, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon

Dated at Cumberland, B.C., 26th November, 1909.

JOHN BAIRD,
Deputy Assessor

COMOX LAND DISTRICT

Take notice that Geo. W. Doane, of Comox, B. C. lumberman intends to apply for permission to to lease the following described foreshore:—Commencing at a post planted at high water mark on the south shore, at the south east corner of lot 87; thence due west along the shore line to the south line to the south west corner of [illegible] [illegible] to the [illegible] (1) [illegible] east, thence due north to the point of commencement and containing [illegible] forty (40) acres [illegible]

FOR SALE; Man or Woman—My South African Veteran County Land Certificate issued by the Department of Interior, Ottawa; good for 320 acres of any Dominion land open for entry in Alberta, Saskatchewan, or Manitoba. Any person over the age of 18 years, man or woman, can acquire this land with this Certificate. For immediate sale $8-00.00. Write or wire L. E. Telford, 131 Shuter Street, Toronto, Ontario.

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Advertisers will confer a favor by bringing in their ads. not later than Monday, as this will enable the printers, to insert it in the next issue on the following Tuesday.

June 2nd, 1909.

Foreshore Lease. Comox District.

TAKE NOTICE that "Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, Limited" intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore lands:-

Commencing at S. W. corner of lot (4) (Indian Reservation); thence north and westerly along the high water mark to a point where the boom crosses slough, following boom across to high water mark; thence along bank five hundred [500] feet to mouth of the Courtenay or Puntledge River to a post marked [2]; thence south seventy [70] feet to low water mark; thence along low water mark to boom across slough, follow boom east to low water mark; thence south and easterly along low water mark to place of commencement, containing ten [10] acres more or less, distance about [1] mile.

[Signed] J. C. HOOKER,
Agent for Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, Limited

Received June 14th, 1909.

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The Christmas Tree,
The Merry Bells, The Holly,
The Peace on Earth and the Goodwill to Man,
The Jolly
Good Fellowship, the generous supply
Of Christmas Turkey, Pudding, also Pie.
The Family Reunion
And sweet communion
Of heart to heart, expanded now by reason
Of the glad season,
The cards, depicting frosty Christmas scenes,
The magazines
Filled with the same old hoary
Christmas story.
All these are with us now
So I allow
It's Christmas, and the chances are but small
That I'm mistaken,
My confidence in this cannot be shaken,
So here's a Merry Christmas to you all.

May
This Christmas day
Prove all your fancy has anticipated.
I hope
Tomorrow you will have no cause to mope
And wish to Moses you'd not celebrated.
I trust
Your wife has had assistance in selecting
These annual cigars.
It sort of jars
A woman, when, effusive thanks expecting,
She finds her gift at
Christmas unkindly sniffed at.
Also I hope that she
Will be
Enraptured with her lovely rocking chair,
And get a chance to sit
Sometimes in it.
She ought to—sometimes—that is only fair.
I know your boys
And girls will like their toys,
And that their health's condition
Will not
Shortly necessitate a lot
Of visits from the family physician.

But why
Should such contingencies be even hinted?
Let's rather cry
To realize our visions rosy tinted
And make good cheer.
Remember
That December

The 25th comes only once a year.
Let's welcome home with glee
Our prodigal returned—if we have got one—
And have a time that will most truly be
A hot one.
Let's eat and drink our fill without a question
Of indigestion,
Indulge ourselves in care-free mirth and laughter
Without a thought
To mar our joyous sport
Of that sad, dark brown feeling the day after.

Hang high the mistletoe—
Or low—
It doesn't so much matter, so it's hung.
The young
Will much enjoy it, and, to be quite truthful,
So will some others not exactly youthful.
Fill up the bowl
And let its grateful fragrance warm your soul.
I make no harsh conditions
Of composition—
Say lemonade, or even oyster soup,
But whoop
'Er up
Or be it glass or bowl or can or cup.

And don't forget
Your debt
To Santa Claus. The season's chiefest grace is
The children's happy faces.
The poor are always with us, that you know,
And so
Spare of your substance something for their need,
Feed
The hungry; let no famished face at feast
Rise like a ghost to spoil your Christmas feast.
If anyone has done
You wrong forgive his sinning.
That's not a bad beginning.
Don't let
The Christmas spirit get
Evaporated when the day is past,
But make it last.
Why should it disappear?
Keep it with you, radiant, glowing, sweet, kind, compassionate, and altogether wholesome in this and every coming year.

ERNEST HARRIS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NANAIMO—HOLDEN AT CUMBERLAND.

In the matter of the goods of George Day, deceased Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of the above named Court, dated the 4th, day of November, 1909, William Wesley Willard, Official Administrator for part of the County of Nanaimo, was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the above named deceased, George Day.

W. W. Willard,
Official Administrator.

Remember Fricke the Vancouver Photographer will be here in a few days. Wait and get your picture taken by him.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, NANAIMO REGISTRY.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of the above named Court, dated the 12th, day of November, 1909, William Wesley Willard Official Administrator for part of the County of Nanaimo, was appointed administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the above named Enrico [illegible]anz, deceased.

William W. Willard.

See C. C. Segrave if you want a Piano, Organ, Sewing Machine, agent for all sorts of musical instruments, Cumberland, B. C.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NANAIMO—HOLDEN AT CUMBERLAND.

In the matter of the goods of Thomas McKale, deceased, intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of the above named Court dated the 4th, day of November 1909, William Wesley Willard, Official Administrator for part of the County of Nanaimo, was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the above named deceased, Thomas McKale.

W. W. Willard,
Official Administrator.

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Form No. 11.

LAND ACT.

Form of Notice.
Sayward Land District.
District of Victoria

TAKE notice that The North Pacific Lumber Company Ltd. of Barnet, occupation Lumber Manufacturers, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore—Commencing at a post planted on the south line C. G. Lot 28, at its meeting point with the boundary line of Lot 1, Sayward District and being at the North-East corner of said Lot 1, thence South 20 chains, thence East 40 chains, thence North to high water mark and thence Westerly and following the shore line of Menzies Bay at high water mark to point of commencement. The North Pacific Lumber Co. Ltd.

Name of Applicant (in full)
A. Chr[illegible]son,
Agent.

Dated November 30th, 1909.

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

Frank Scavard.

Dated 22nd day of Nov. 1909.

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

John Marocchi.

Dated 22nd day of Nov. 1909.

UNION S. S. Co. Ltd.
CHRISTMAS WEEK.

S. S. "COWICHAN" will leave Vancouver, Thursday, Dec. 23rd. at 8 p. m. instead of Saturday, arriving at Union and Comox, Friday moring.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT".

In the matter of an application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 88A, Comox District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate certificate of Title to said land issued to John Knight, on the 25th, day of Oct. 1892 and numbered 15186 A.

Land Registry office, Victoria, B. C. The 6th, day of Dec, 1909,

S. Y. Wootton,
Registrar General.

FORM NUMBER 9,
Land Act.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT.
District of Rupert.

TAKE NOTICE that Eustace Smith, of the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, occupation, timber cruiser, intends to apply for permission to purchase the follting described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the South West corner of Lot one hundred and thirty-three (133) Beaver Cove, Rupert District; thence West twenty (20) chains to East Boundary of timber license number 42729; thence North forty chains (40), thence East twenty chains [20] to the North West corner of Lot one hundred and thirty-three (133); thence South forty [40] chains to the point of commencement and containing eighty [80] acres more or less.

Dated November 15th, 1909.

Eustace Smith.

WANTED—Teacher for Sanwick public school, duties to commence January 3rd 1910. Apply to L. Cliffe, Sec'y Board of School Trustees, Sanwick, B. C.

FOR SALE—A gold filled open faced watch, 18 size, fine nickle movement, 10 ruby jewels. Apply to Wesley Willard, Official Administrator.

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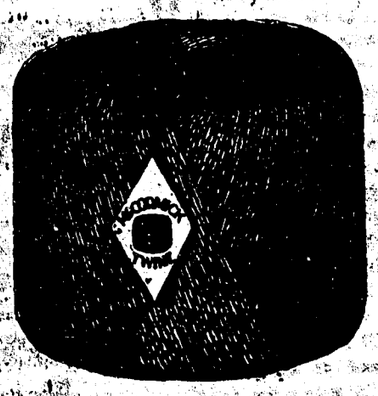

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F. D. Little,
Superintendent
Wellington Colliery Co,y.

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NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name, after August 28th 1909, without my written order.

WILLIAM GLEASON.

NOTICE—Farm for sale, with or without stock and implements. For particulars apply to T. Beckensell, Comox, B. C.

FOR SALE—One driver and two working horses. Apply to M. H. Piercy, Sandwick, B. C.

FOR SALE—Mason and Risch piano in good order, cost $400.00 will sell for $250.00 cash. Apply to Joseph Potter, Union, B. C.

First class Chinese cook thoroughly reliable, wants situation. Apply News office or Wong Kong.

FOR SALE—A light general purpose team of horses, weight 2200 lbs. Strong and true pulling. Price $240.00. Apply at this office or to T. Laurence, Kye Bay, Comox, B. C.

All local items of a business nature will be charged for at the standard rate of 10c. a line.

New Indestructable Record, For Phonographs and Graphophones.

AT LAST a cylinder record which will play from four to five minutes, and which is at the same time, PRACTICABLE and UNBREAKABLE is an accomplished fact.

The one supreme obstacle in the way of producing a cylinder record of two hundred threads to the inch, instead of one hundred—the equipment of the ordinary two-minute record—and producing at the same time a record which would be commercially practicable and stand the test of wear; has so far lain in the extreme delicacy of the wax-like material ordinarily used, and the apparent impossibility of recording this astonishing number of threads without breaking down the walls, of almost inconceivable fineness which separate the tone furrows from each other. This difficulty has been, solved for all time by the productions of the Columbia Indestructable 4-Minute Record.

What this means to cylinder record users is almost impossible to appreciate at a casual glance. The two-minute Columbia Indescribable Record at 45 cents with its matchless tonal qualities and unbreakable texture, was universally conceded to be the greatest boon to cylinder record users ever introduced in this country. But the 4-Minute Indestructable Record at 65 cents will, it is safe to say, more than double the entertainment, economy and profit of the two-minute record. The thinning of the tone walls, far from impairing the record in any manner whatsoever, has actually resulted in a finer, purer, clearer and more thoroughly musical tone—all this in addition to the principal gain, namely, the double length of the performance. Every selection on the 4-Minute Columbia Indestructable Record is given entire—from four to five minutes of solin entertainment. These advantages, combined with that other superiority of Columbia Indestructable Records their absolute indestructibility, being taken into consideration, we may safely assert with regard to the new 4-Minute Columbia Indestructible Record that "it is the only four minute record that is right."

The Christmas [December] number of Rod and Gun in Canada is notable for the variety of the papers included in its contents and for the fact that everyone, at all interested in outdoor life, must find much to enjoy in its pages.

Mr. Bonnycastle Dale's study of the waterfowl of the Pacific Coast and the hunting, fishing and exploring papers are well worth attention even from busy men.

We are ready for business and shall be glad to serve you. We have a large number of sound investments in Vancouver City and Suburban properties which offer great opportunities to investors.

We have a special department for country clients, and all enquiries receive prompt attention. When in Vancouver, let us show you what we have to offer before going elsewhere. Our Listing Department ensures quick sales.

We have several good subdivisions on the market which it will pay you to investigate. The Dominion Stock & Bond Corporation of Vancouver, Ld, Winch Building, ground floor, Hastings Street, Vancouver, B. C. P.O. Box 1208.

☞ Next to new post office.

STRAYED—Calf, red and white, without earmarks or brand. The owner can have same, by paying for this ad. J. E. Calnan, Happy Valley.

E. C. Emde Pipe fitting and General repairing.

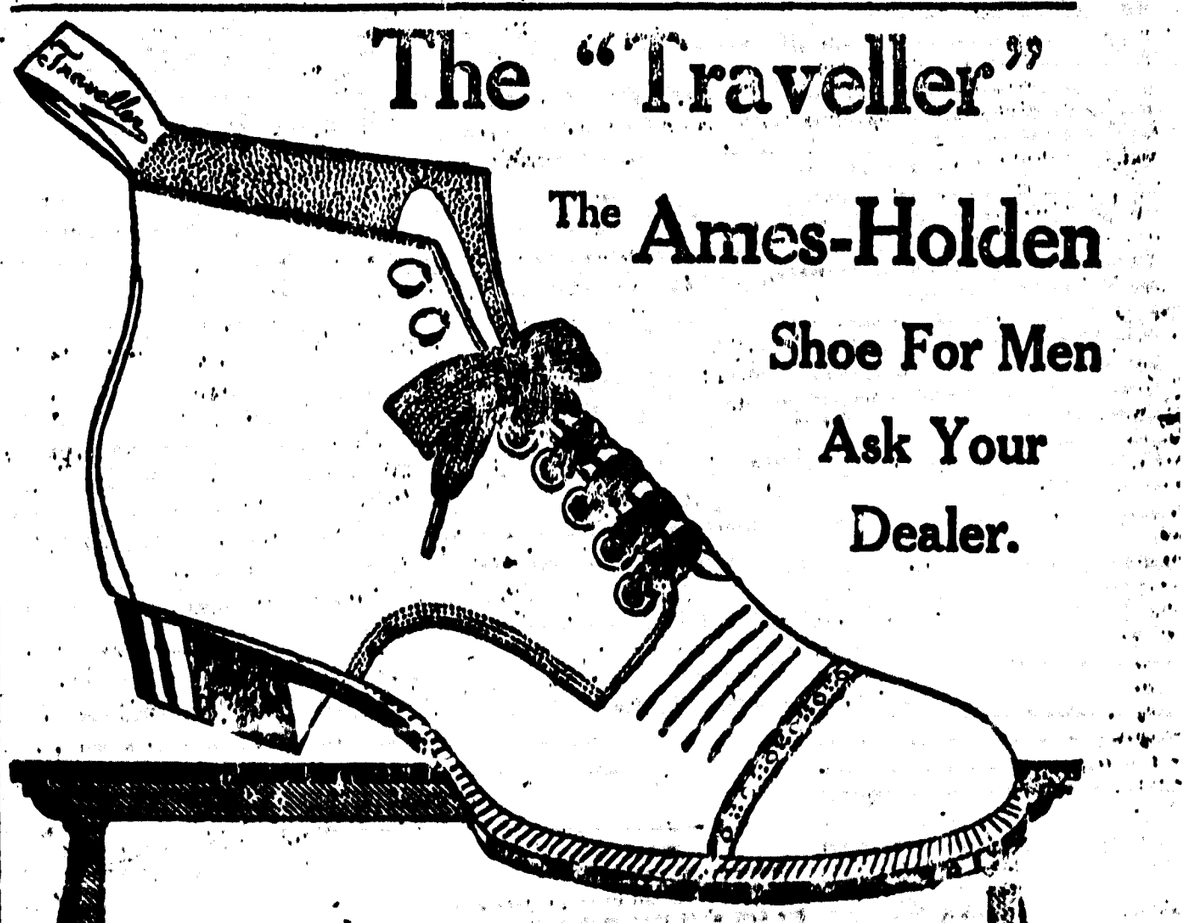
NOTICE.

Riding on locomotives and railway cars of the Union Colliery Company by any person or persons—except train crew—is strictly prohibited. Employees are subject to dismissal for allowing same.

By order

FRANCIS D. LITTLE
Manager.

The "Traveller"



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shoe is a gentleman's shoe made for gentlemen. It reflects style and good taste. It gives service and satisfaction, and every shoe is made from choicest stock in perfect finish.

You can buy "The Traveller" in fancy patent bluchers—light weight, dressy shoes, elegant and correct in every way, or you may purchase a heavier box calf leather with viscolized soles—a waterproof boot for the rainy days of fall. Many styles—many shapes—but big value in all.

(TALES FROM THE GOLDEN WEST.)

HELP WANTED:

To Spread The Glad Tidings
All Over The West
To The Striving and Struggling,
The Worn and Distressed,
That

Royal Crown Soap
Is The Best in The Land!
And
Golden West Washing Powder
Is Certainly Grand!
While The Premium Department
Is At Your Command
With
Hundreds of Presents for Coupons

FOR SALE—Pure bred Jersey bull, twelve months old. Registered Dam. Sire, Mr. W. Duncan's prize Jersey bull. Price $40.00. Apply to R. Hurford, Sandwick, B. C.

DON'T FORGET TO SEE
the Moving Pictures
THIS WEEK. A Splendid program of pictures two beautiful illustrated songs. COME and ENJOY A GOOD EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT.

☞ These pictures are by far the best yet, Come and See them.

WANTED—Assistant teacher for Cumderland public school, Normal training preferred. Duties to commence January, 1st, 1910 Apply to T. H. Carey, Sec'y Board of School Trustees, Cumberlond, B. C.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after the first publication of this notice, I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the Hotel License for the Heriot Hotel situated at Heriot Bay, B. C. for the term of six months commencing January 1st, 1910

Dated October, 23rd, 1909.
(Signed) H. A. BULL.
Heriot Bay, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session for an Act to incorporate a Company with power to build construct maintain and operate a Railway of standard gauge to be operated by steam electricity or any other motive power for the purpose of carrying logs timber and lumber goods and merchandise but not passengers from Menzies Bay, Vancouver Island, by the most convenient route either North or south of Trout Lake approximately to the junction of Salmon River and Memekay River and from the said Menzies Bay by the most convenient route to the point approximately where the Quinsam River touches the South East corner of Lot Eighty-one (81) near the 50th parallel of North Latitude with power to convert the proposed Railway into a regular railway for all classes of passengers and traffic and with power to acquire build operate wharves and docks in connection with the proposed railway; to build acquire & equip and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and to operate the same on any navigable waters: and with power to build equip operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches and to transmit messages for commercial purposes and to charge tolls therefor And with all such other rights powers and privileges as are usually conferred upon a Railway Company and further to acquire the foreshore and the land covered with water abutting on Lot Twenty-eight (28) Sayward District described as follows:—Commencing at a point at high water mark on the south line of Lot Twenty-eight (28) Sayward District at the intersection thereof with the Northeast corner of Lot One (1) in said Sayward District; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east forty (40) chains; thence north to high water mark; thence westerly following the shore line and high water mark to point of commencement.

DATED at Vancouver, B. C., this 25th day of November A. D., 1909.
WILSON & [illegible],
Solicitors for the Applicants.

Christmas Rod and Gun.

In wealth of matter and variety of subject, everyone interesting to sportsmen, the Christmas (December) number of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont., is notable. An appropriate Christmas tinge is given to the first two stories and adds something to the interest both will evoke. Hunting, fishing and exploring papers, widely different in character and displaying in a remarkable way the wonderful resources of the Dominion in these several respects, fill a number no sportsmen can afford to miss. The study of the wild waterfowl of the Pacific Coast by Bonnycastle Dale will appeal to all lovers of bird life while the stories of days with the deer, mountain sheep, bear, wolves and a fox will recall many pleasant experience. Bird shooters will revel in the popers dealing with duck and woodcock, while one on Grouse Shooting in the Mother is included by reason of its exceptionally strong descriptive force, giving Canadian sportsmen a pleasant change and enabling them to enjoy a different view point to that generally taken by them. Mountain climbing in East and West, a mysterious Indian story, fishing, from tuna and salmon to trouts and many other items fill a number which should be included by all interested in the great outdoors, in their Christmas reading. They cannot fail to find interest and pleasure in its perusal.

Retiring Potentate G. W. Clinton, of the Mystic Shriners, was presented with a jewel of the order at Victoria, last week.

A FINE CALENDAR

We have received a copy of "The Gospel Text Calendar," for 1910, published by H. S. Hellman fo Berlin, Ont. It contains thirteen large sheets, beautifully printed in colors suspended from a silk cord. Each sheet except the cover contains a design of a Bible with a Bible text for each day in the month, and at the lower end of the sheet a calendar for the month in large figures. The publisher desire an active agent in each country or city to sell the calendar. Price 25 cts. each; sample copy and prices to agents 15 cts. Send for a copy to

H. S. Hellman,
Berlin, Ont.

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Hurrah
ALMOST
Ready
Pilsener
Beer
YOU
can
have
some
FOR
Xmas
made in
Cumberland.

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 for the Palmer Hotel, situated at Bayne Sound, B C.

Dated 9th, day of Nov. 1900.
THOMAS HICKS.

NOTICE.

Victoria Land District, District of Sayward.

Sixty days after date we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands, for permission to purchase the following described lands; Commencing at a post planted at base of rocky bluff 4 chains and 58 links North from the South east corner of Crown Grant Lot 28 Sayward district, then North 15 chains and 42 links, then East 10 chains, then South about 16 chains to shore of Menzies Bay then westwardly along shore to place of commencing.

November, 10th, 1909.
THE NORTH PACIFIC LUMBER COMPANY LTD,
A. Charleson, Agent.

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 for Granite Bay Hotel, situated at Granite Bay, Valdes Island, B. C.

JOSEPH DICK.
Dated 9th, day of Nov. 1909.

In Summer
—less food is needed than in winter. But it is essential that summer food be palatable and nutritious. That is why the best of all summer foods is
BOVRIL

E. C. Emde, dealer in stoves and ranges; also plumbing and pipe fitting and general repairing Third Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to incorporate a Company with power to engage in and carry on a general logging business and works incidental thereto by donkey engines or other machinery or mechanical means operated by steam or other power, and with power to construct, equip, maintain any railway or tramway of standard or other guage to be operated by steam, electricity or other motive power for the conveyance of passengers and freight from a point on the foreshore of Comox Harbour, Comox District, Vancouver Island situate about 750 feet East from the south easterly corner of Lot 82, thence running in a general north westerly direction for a distance of about 20 miles to a point on the south easterly end of Campbell Lake in the said District; with power to construct, equip, maintain and operate branch lines connected with the said railway or tramway and to construct operate branch lines connected with the said railway or tramway and to construct operate and maintain all necessary bridges, roads, ways and ferries and to build, acquire, own and maintain wharves and docks in connection therewith; and to build, acquire, own, equip and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and operate same in any navigable waters; with power to build, acquire, own, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches and to transmit messages for commercial purposes and to charge tolls therefor; and to generate and sell electricity for the supply of light, heat and power; and to exercise such powers as a Power Company may exercise by virtue of the Water Act; and with power to expropriate lands for the purpose of the Company and to acquire lands, timber, limits, timber and other property necessary or convenient for or incidental to the purpose of the Company; and to acquire loans, money, bonuses, privileges, or other aids from any Government, municipal corporation or other persons or bodies; to levy and collect tolls from all persons passing over such roads railways, tramways, ferries, wharves and vessels built or operated by the Company and with power to connect with and make traffic or other arrangements with or acquire running powers over any railway tramway, steamboat or other Companies and with such other powers and privileges usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

DATED at Vancouver, B. C. this 14th day of December 1909.
DAVIS, MARSHALL & MacNEILL,
Solicitors for the Applicant.

Form No. 11.

LAND ACT.

Form of Notice.
Sayward Land District.
District of Sayward.

TAKE notice that Philip Spicer, of Vancouver, B. C. occupation, Accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted on the Northerly boundary of Lot 486 distant 10 chains west from the North-east corner of said lot; thence North 25 chains more or less; thence North-westerly along the southerly shore of Cahnish Bay 70 chains more or less; thence South 80 chains; thence East 60 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing 300 acres of land more or less.

PHILIP SPICER
Name of Applicant (in full)
Pat Myers,
Agent.
Dated this 26th, day of Nov. 1909.

There will be a special Christmas service in the Methodist Church next Sunday evening. A cordial welcome will be extended to all.

For Mayor

To the Electors of the City of Cumberland.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been requested by a large number of electors, I offer myself as candidate for Mayor. I have served you seven years as an alderman. If elected, I will look after the best interests of the city and citizens and will do my duty without fear or favor—notwithstanding what may have been said to the contrary.

I will address you publicly and go fully into the matter before election day. Soliciting your votes and influence, for a thorough business and up-to-date method of conducting the affairs of your city,

I am, yours respectfully,

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To Make Xmas Buying EASY.
Every dollar, either for cash purchases or on account, spent in this shop from December 1st until Xmas Eve, will entitle you —to one chance for any of the following prizes—
1st prize, Mahogany Music Cabinet
2nd prize, 10 piece Toilet Set
3rd prize, Chenille Table Cover 8-4 size
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