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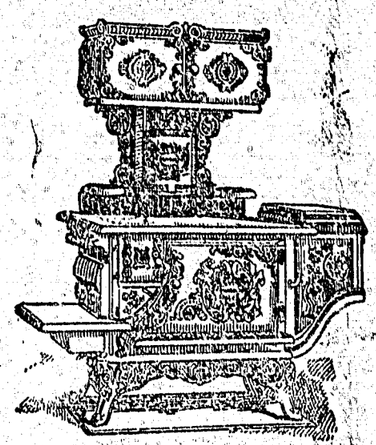

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

A grand bazaar will be held in aid of the above Catholic Church in the Cumberland Hall, on Tuesday, June 18th. The bazaar will commence prompt at 10 a. m., until 7 p.m. A grand Scotch Canadian Dance will follow; Roy's Orchestra will provide the music A good time is assured all. Come. Refreshments will be served; Admission, lady and gentleman $1; extra lady 50c

The Cumberland Tennis Club met again on Tuesday afternoon on the Roe court. Mrs. W. Lawrence was hostess for the occasion

Manager Gibson of the Canal collieries will leave on Friday for Pennsylvania, where he has accepted a position as manager of a coal mine. We wish him success in his new position.

Mr. Harry Mounce, we are pleased to learn, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia which has confined him to his home for several weeks past.

Miss Chambers, principal of our high school, has resigned her position, to take effect on the 31st inst. Rev. Mr. Laffere will teach the balance of the term

Rev. Laffere left by Sunday's boat for the mainland; Mr. Laffere has resigned as rector of Holy Trinity Church, and will leave some time in July.

Mr. George Turbell, Mrs. C. H Turbell, Mrs. J. Cooke and Miss Irene Mounce, left by auto on Sunday morning for Victoria. On their return they will be accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Bryden and daughter.

Everybody is talking about Port Mann, the C.N.R. terminus

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson, Andrew Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Walker, arrived home on Monday evening from a pleasant holiday trip to Nanaimo and Victoria.

Mrs. Frank Dalby and children are enjoying a pleasant visit with friends in Washington. They will be absent for some time.

James Bakewell, for many years with R Grant & Co., was found dead in his cabin on Sunday evening. The deceased was about as usual on Saturday. The cause of death was appoplexy. "Jimmy" was a familiar figure in our town for the past eighteen years or more, and will be greatly missed. The funeral took place this afternoon, the remains being escorted to the grave by Union Lodge, I.O.O.F. of which Order the deceased was a member

The many friends of Mr. Joe Stewart, formerly of the Royal Bank here, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stewart, will be pleased to hear that he has been promoted to the important position of paymaster of The Ocean Grove Pulp & Milling Co. The mills are situated near Prince Rupert B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. P.P. Harrison arrived home from Victoria on Tuesday evening,

Rev. B. C. Freeman, of Grace Methodist Church, has received the sanction of Conference to occupy that pulpit for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Marsden, accompanied by Mrs. Marsden's father, Mr. John Denton, arrived in town last Saturday and are renewing old acquaintances.

The numerous friends of Mr Robert Grant sr., are hoping that he will return home benefited in health from his visit to Kamloop and Harrison Hot Springs.

Dr. D. E. Kerr, dentist, will be at Cumberland Hotel for two weeks, beginning June 12th.

Mr. Pete Anderson, proprietor of the City Hall Moving Picture Show, is having the hall fixed up better than ever. One of the chief advantages will be the elevating of the floor, thus giving everyone a chance to see the pictures--this will be the means of drawing large crowds. Other features about Mr. Anderson's picture house, are the placing of the operating room outside the hall and having it lined with asbestos, making it perfectly safe in case of fire, fulfilling the requirements of the "Fire Act," and secondly, arrangements have been made to secure the best film service in Vancouver. Mr. Anderson expects to be ready to show pictures by Friday or Saturday evening next. So prepare yourself for the grand opening.

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Mr. L. A. Guertin, of the Colonial Investment Co., Vancouver "The Port Mann People," paid Cumberland a visit last Saturday Mr. Guertin reports great activity in the coming terminus of the Canadian Northern Railroad, Port Mann.

Mr. A. S. Henderson, teller of The Canadian Bank of Commerce, of this city, has been transferred to Nanaimo branch. He left by Sunday's boat. Mr. Henderson is being succeeded here by Mr. Mogg

Fatal Accident At No. 5 Mine

William Logan Killed By Fall Of Rock At No. 5 Mine Thursday May 23.

The grim reaper has taken another from our midst in the person of William Logan, an employee of The Canadian Collieries Company Limited who came to his death by a fall of rock at No. 5 mine on Thursday afternoon, May 23rd.

Deceased was a native of Baillieston, Glasgow, Scotland, and was 33 years of age. He was a resident of this place for the past twelve months. A widow and two children are left to mourn his loss—a son aged eight years; and a daughter aged four years. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

The late Mr. Logan was a member of the Masonic Order.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock escorted by Cumberland Lodge A. F. & A. M., who had charge of the funeral arrangements; also Local No. 2299, United Mine Workers of America, of which the deceased was a member, accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

The funeral cortege was headed by the City Band, which played the dead march.

The interment took place in Cumberland cemetery, the Rev. Jas. Hood of St. George's Presbyterian Church officiating.

See The Colonial Investment Company's Ad of Port Mann on the fourth page. It will be changed every month and keep you posted on this coming great city of opportunities for the investor.

Gramophone needles for sale at this office.

Old Comox Resident Dies

Captain R. S. McConnell Dies At His Home Brighton England

Capt. R. S. McConnell, who was well known among the old timers of the Valley, has gone to the Great Beyond. Word was received by Mr. Wm. Mathewson from Mrs. McConnell that the Captain had passed away at his home at Brighton, England, on the 10th of last June 1911. The deceased was high up in Masonery; at one time he was Secretary of Hiram Lodge, No. 14, A. F. & A. M., Courtenay, duridg the period of Dr. Young, G. W. Clinton and Alex Grant. Those who knew Capt. McConnell will be very sorry to learn of his death.

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"I never met anyone like him," Miles answered emphatically; "he dragged me into the cottage, rather a one-eyed, barely furnished little place, and before a great canvas in the sitting-room he halted me, and said—

"There! Could there be a more perfect 'Nausicaa'?"

"I'm not much of a fellow for art and all that, but, by Jove, Dorothy, that picture fairly took my breath away. He went on to tell me coolly that he would have come up before about my portrait, but that he was obliged to paint the apple blossom whilst it was at its best."

"The apple blossom? What apple blossom?"

"Oh! the girl, the Nausicaa he has painted—and I say, dear, you must come and see it—is standing amongst apple trees. You never saw anything so fine as the blossom against the blue sky, and that girl's face, just lighted up—as if she saw Ulysses coming up the orchard!"

"Who is the girl? Surely not a local celebrity?"

"It seems that she lives on the other side of the common with a widowed mother; Dyson is their name; and I take it they are gentlefolk."

"They are new here since our days. When we lived at Handhurst, Mrs. Tritton's was the only cottage on the common."

"If you had ever seen the original of Bevan's picture, you couldn't forget her," Miles said with decision.

"We are so seldom in Handhurst, or even in that direction, but I should like to see anyone so lovely; and I must go anyhow to see Mr. Bevan's picture. But when is he coming to paint you, Miles? I want to see you hanging in your place in the gallery."

"He will come up this afternoon—at least, he said he would come. But he spoke as if he were all the time in a dreamland of his own, and whether he will really come or not remains to be seen!"

Richard Bevan, however, contrived to emerge from his dreamland. Four o'clock was chiming from the clock over the stables of the Court, when he was ushered into Dorothy's big, shady drawing-room. The room, which during the last year of the old Esquire's life had been little used, and when opened had presented an uncompromising look of Early Victorian dullness and propriety, had been converted by its new mistress into a most homelike and restful place, beautiful alike to eye and mind. All that was ugly had been banished, and what remained was harmonious and charming. The windows commanded the same great view of plain and woodland as was to be seen from the terrace, and looking-glasses, opposite the windows, were so arranged as to reflect this wonderful panorama. The deep, comfortable sofas and chairs were upholstered in chintzes of delicate colouring, and old-world patterns that suited the oakpanelled walls; and the pictures hanging on the walls were all water-colour sketches of sunny English landscapes or blue southern skies. Books and magazines were strewn upon the table, and there were flowers everywhere; plants in pots, flowers in bowls, flowers in tall glass vases. Dorothy often said she had been hungry for flowers for so long, and now that her love for them could be fully satisfied, she intended to gratify it to the utmost.

When the artist entered, she was alone, and as she came forward to greet him, he almost uttered aloud the words that sprang to his mind.

"Grace was in all steps, heaven in her eyes," and he found himself saying inwardly,

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He had only twice before seen her, and each time she had looked wan, tired, and anxious, totally unlike this graceful, white-robed creature, whose grey eyes seemed to his poet mind to hold a brooding sense of motherhood.

"I am glad you are going to begin my husband's portrait," she said, after a courteous greeting, "I think he will make a good picture, and he ought to be on the wall amongst his forbears!"

"Sir Galahad! Galahad of the Grail," was the odd reply, and Dorothy's brows drew together.

"Galahad?" she said.

"Oh! it is monstrous—monstrous," Bevan rose from his chair and began to pace the room, his head a little bent, his brown eyes dreamy and shining, "monstrous to paint that man in a frock coat and high collar. Silver armour, and a sword in his hand, 'redressing human ills.' Who spoke no slander, no, nor listened to it!' To paint him in twentieth century dress—pshaw!"

Dorothy had watched and listened with a growing amusement on her face, and when she could insert a word edgeways into the artist's torrent of speech, she said quietly—

"Are you comparing Sir Miles to Galahad?"

Bevan stood still in the middle of the room, and stared at her, as though he had forgotten her very existence.

"Sir Miles?" he faltered, then, recollecting himself, and smiling his charming smile, he continued—

"Yes. Please forgive me, I forgot, my mind was so full of him, as I saw him in the road with the sunlight on his bare head. Of course, you will see what I mean when I say he ought to be painted as Sir Galahad of the Grail!"

Dorothy looked thoughtfully at the speaker, the lineaments of her husband's face flashing before her mental vision.

"Miles—and—Galahad—the knight of the Grail?" She had never thought of Miles' face as anything more than pleasant looking, kindly, the face of an English gentleman. Now, with the artist's keen gaze fixed upon her, she seemed to see her husband in a new light, a strangely searching light, and with a little proud leap of the heart she recognised the truth of Bevan's comparison. Purity and steadfastness looked out of Miles' grey eyes, and nothing evil or mean ever lurked in their glance.

Generosity and a certain nobility of outlook were written on his broad forehead; and in his mouth—the firm, well-cut mouth—there was no story of baseness or unclean living; nothing was written there but quiet strength and a high courage. Her own thoughts so absorbed her that it was her turn to start when Bevan spoke again.

"You, his wife, will understand what I mean?" he said insistently.

"Yes, yes, indeed I do understand"—Dorothy spoke with eagerness—"and I—I agree with you. But I am afraid"—her eyes twinkled—"my husband would never be induced to wear silver armour or to pose as Galahad."

"It is a great pity," Bevan sighed. "You see, a painter sometimes sees so much more than merely the surface features. One sees the man beyond his face."

"I am glad you are going to paint Miles," Dorothy exclaimed with rare impulsiveness; "it is so important, so vitally important to show the world the man as he really is."

Bevan, with no clue to the reason of her sudden vehemence, looked mildly surprised, and Dorothy said hurriedly—

"Would you like to see the picture gallery before tea?"

"You will come and see my 'Nausicaa' one day," Bevan said abruptly, as he followed his hostless along a long corridor into the north wing of the building that contained the picture gallery. "I think Sir Miles was pleased with her. I should like you to see her; she is Spring incarnate."

His voice had dropped into its dreamy tones again, and Dorothy smiled.

"Please let me come and see her, Mr. Bevan, and I want to know the original too. I understand that she lives on the common with her mother."

"'An angel-watered lily,'" he muttered absently. "You know how Rossetti puts it?"

"So held she through her girlhood, Like and angle-watered lily that neat God
Grows, and is quiet."

"She must be very sweet," Dorothy said gravely, "and her name is——"

"Betty—just Betty," he answered with another of his charming smiles. "It doesn't seem quite an adequate name for anything so unique, and yet that is her name—Betty."

"Miles, we must go and see Mr. Bevan's lovely 'Nausicaa' and her mother," Dorothy said as her husband joined them at the door of the picture gallery, "and Mr. Bevan is coming to see your ancestors, and to decide how he would like to paint you. Would you like to wear silver armour for your portrait?" she added mischievously.

"Good Lord, no!" Miles threw back his head and laughed. "I should look a silly rotter in armour. Can't I be done just I am in my everyday clothes?" and Miles glanced a little wistfully at the artist, who was contemplating him with a certain severity of glance. He was dressed in a rough brown tweed, which had the effect of emphasizing the fairness of his skin and hair, and making the greyness of his eyes more noticeable, and Dorothy turned impetuously to Bevan.

"Yes, please—do as he suggests. Paint him just in these everyday working garments! I like him best in those. You look just—you—in them," she added flinging at her husband a laughing look, which to his observant eyes seemed to hold in it something new, something which, for a moment, only for a moment, quickened his heart-beats.

The three sauntered slowly round the gallery, pausing before Hernesleys of bygone days, garbed in bygone dress, talking in desultory wise of this school of painting or of that, and deriding the uselessness or absurdity of certain ancient fashions, when Bevan all at once exclaimed—

"That face is extraordinarily familiar to me. How do I know it? I have never been here before, but I could swear I know that man's every feature."

They were standing before the portrait of a man wearing the severe dress of a Puritan soldier: his lank hair brushed straight back from a low forehead, his sallow complexion, long face, and small furtive eyes showing no prepossessing qualities.

"We fought for the Parliament," Miles answered, "and this was a certain Ralph Hernesley, who had the not very enviable reputation of running with both hare and hounds. He—now I look at him closely—he is like somebody I know, too. Who is it, Dorothy? The eyes remind me of someone—some chap who can't look one fair and square in the face; and that sallow complexion——"

"I've got it," the artist broke in; "I don't know whether your man and my man are the same. But that picture is the living image of my landlord, Mr. Denis Tritton. Why, Mr. Tritton might have sat for that very picture."

(To be continued).

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He—I don't know. I didn't hear much of it. Dorothy was telling me how fond she is of music.—Satire.

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Henpecked Husband: "Do you know if I am going with her"

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"Got dyspepsia."

"Don't you enjoy your meals?"

"Enjoy my meals?" snorted the indignant dyspeptic. "My meals are merely guide posts to take medicine before or after."—Pittsburgh Post.

Oranges were purchased last year by the United Kingdom to the value of $11,600,000, and lemons to the value of $2,320,000.

Play 2,600 Years Old.

Appropriately enough, following the return of the King and Queen, there was an Indian performance at the Royal Court Theatre recently. On that occasion there was presented the famous mystery play of India, "Buddha, the Light of Asia; His Life and Great Denunciation.' It was a perfect Indian representation, for there was nearly a score of Indians in the cast. This famous play is 2,600 years old.

The transition from winter's cold to summer's heat frequently puts a strain upon the system that produces internal complications, always painful and often serious. A common form of disorder is dysentery, to which many are prone in the spring and summer. The very best medicine to use in subduing this painful ailment is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It is a standard remedy, sold everywhere.

The New and the Old.

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"You married me to a woman a little while ago, sir," the prisoner replied with a sigh.

"Ah, I see," said the parson; "and she was domineering and extravagant, and she drove you to desperate courses eh?"

"No," said the prisoner, "my old wo..... turned up."

Lady—Couldn't you possibly have saved your friend who was captured by the cannibals?

African Traveller—Unfortunately not. When I arrived he was already scratched off the menu.

Six millons pounds have been spent by the Government of New Zealand during the last twenty years in buying back the 1,400,000 acres of land which were formerly sold at from five shillings to two pounds per acre.

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A Hint.—Lady: I guess you're gettin' a good thing out o' tending the rich Smith boy, ain't ye, doctor?—Doctor: Well, yes; I get a pretty good fee. Why?—Lady: Well, I hope you won't forget that my Willie threw the brick that hit 'im!—Scribner's.

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"I sat beside the younger of the noblemen. He glittered with gold embroidery and great diamonds; but, nevertheless, I pitied him sincerely, for he was strange to our table manners, and some of his errors were both ludicrous and painful.

"Toward the dinner's end a servant extended to the young man a plate of toothpicks. He waved the plate away, saying in a low and bitter voice:

"'No, thank you, I have already eaten two of the accursed things, and I want no more.'"—The World Today.

The Morse Code For Aeroplanes.

An idea which is being worked out at the present time is the adoption of the Morse Code for the use of airmen. It consists in smudges of lampblack ejected by compressed air from a funnel-shaped tube attached to the forward edge of the upper plane of a bi-plane. The apparatus is under the control of the airmen, who, having familiarized himself with the Morse Code, indicates dashes with a long puff of smoke and dots with a shorter ejectment. Lieutenant Roy C. Kirkland is responsible for the idea, and the preliminary experiments have proved immensely successful, the signals being easily read off by observers on terra firma.

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Prices are Still Soaring.

The Department of Labour's wholesale prices record up to date shows a still higher level for February than for January, notwithstanding that the latter month was reported as having seen the highest prices since 1882-4 and possibly since 1873. The index number rose during February from 131.4 to 134.3, these being percentages of the average level of prices during the last decade of the last century. The upward movement was largely the result of advances in grains, animals and meats, dairy products and potatoes. Retail prices were also upward, especially in the food products derived from the lines above mentioned.

That was kind of clever of Johnnie—in turning the tables on the teacher—as told in the Delineator:—"What dirty hands you have, Johnnie!" said his teacher. "What would you say if I came to school that way?" "I wouldn't say nothin'," replied Johnnie. "I'd be too polite."

In Chapell, Essex, which has a population of under 400 inhabitants, there are eighteen old age pensioners, whose combined years total 1,417.

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Dickens Day.

From a Michigan paper: "The day was devoted to the study of Dickens, Mrs. Ballard reading the story of 'The Clansman,' by Dickens, which was much enjoyed."

In a moving picture theatre entrance: "Big Shakespeare feature. First reel—The early life of 'David Copperfield.' Second reel — 'Little Em'ly' and 'David Copperfield.' Third reel—The love of 'David Copperfield.' Enough said."—Boston Transcript.

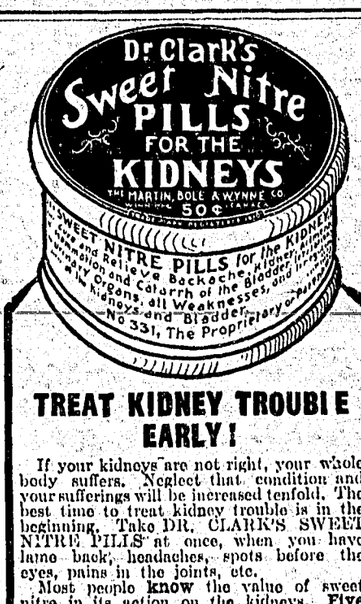
Nuptial love maketh mankind, friendly, love perfecteth it, but wanton love corrupteth and embaseth it.

It's pretty hard to keep an overripe promise.

Where New Stars Come From.

An astronomer tells us how new stars come about. Suns fall towards each other and get up speed for hundreds of years, and then there is a nasty jar. Heat is generated by the collision, and a new star is born. Professor Bickerton believes that the appearance of Nova Persei, which is 10,000 times as brilliant as the sun, is to be explained in this way.

Some relaxation is necessary to people of every degree; the head that thinks, and the hand that labors, must have some little time to recruit their powers.



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If your kidneys are not right, your whole body suffers. Neglect that condition and your sufferings will be increased tenfold. The best time to treat kidney trouble is in the beginning. Take DR. CLARK'S SWEET NITRE PILLS at once, when you have lame back, headaches, spots before the eyes, pains in the joints, etc.

Most people **know** the value of sweet nitre in its action on the kidneys. **Five** other proved specifics are used in DR. CLARK'S SWEET NITRE PILLS. They cleanse, tone and stimulate impaired kidneys. **Put you right** and **keep you right.** Sold everywhere at fifty cents a box or mailed direct by 46

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The completion of a new submarine cable between England and France has resulted in the successful telephonic transmission of messages between Great Britain and Switzerland. Satisfactory commercial conversations are now carried on between England and Genova, via Paris and Lyons, and with Basel, via Paris and Belfort.

"Does your fiancee know your age, Lotta?"
"Well—partly."

Cotton can only be grown in tropical or semi-tropical countries; but wool is mainly a product of temperate regions.

The Union of South Africa has a total area of 470,000 square miles, with a population approaching 6,000,000.

Ninety-nine miles is the total length of the Suez Canal, and the width is just over 121ft.

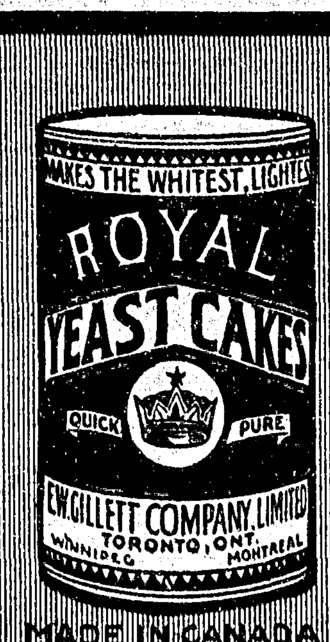
NO ONE STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH.

The celebrated Dr. Abernethy of London was firmly of the opinion that disorders of the stomach were the most prolific source of human ailments in general. A recent medical writer says: "every feeling, emotion and affection reports at the stomach (*through* the system of nerves) and the stomach is affected accordingly. It is the vital center of the body * * * * *." He continues, "so we may be said to live (*through*) the stomach." He goes on to show that the stomach is the vital center of the body. For weak stomachs and the consequent indigestion or dyspepsia, and the multitude of various diseases which result therefrom, no medicine can be better suited as a curative agent than

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

Mrs. Murken.

"Several months ago I suffered from a severe pain right under the breast-bone," writes Mrs. G. M. Murken, of Corona, Calif. "Had suffered from it, off and on, for several years. I also suffered from heart-burn, did not know what was the matter with me. I tried several medicines but they did me no good. Finally, I was told it was my liver. I did not dare to eat as it made me worse. Whenever I swallowed anything it seemed that I would faint—it hurt so. I grew very thin and weak from not eating. Was told to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took five bottles of it, and could feel myself getting better from the first dose. I could eat a little without pain and grew strong fast. To-day I am strong and well and can do a big day's work with ease. Can eat everything and have put on flesh wonderfully. I will say to all sufferers write to Dr. Pierce. He has my undying gratitude."



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Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs - - 25 cents.

The population of Russia on January 1, 1910, was 160,748,400, an increase in about 13 years of 33,190,000. And this "in spite of war, cholera and famine."

Minard's Liniment Relives Neuralgia.

Illiteracy.

The term "illiterate" includes all persons at least 10 years of age unable to write their own language, a majority of them being also unable to read. In the United States, including aliens, negroes, Indians and Mongolians, 106 in every 1,000 of population 10 years of age or over are illiterate. The last reports on illiteracy are not in, but according to the last 46 of every 1,000 of our white native born over the age of 10 could not read or write. The great majority of such illiterates are found along the Appalachian mountain range and in the remote piney woods of some of our Southern States, where the distance and the scarcity of the population make Public schools well nigh impossible.—Christian Herald Almanac.

The ancient Greeks would grant a man a divorce, but their laws would not permit him to marry a younger woman than the divorced wife. They were not so slow.—Courier-Journal.

Why Should I Use Cuticura Soap?

"There is nothing the matter with my skin, and I thought Cuticura Soap was only for skin troubles." True, it *is* for skin troubles, but its great mission is to *prevent* skin troubles. For more than a generation its delicate emollient and prophylactic properties have rendered it the standard for this purpose, while its extreme purity and refreshing fragrance give to it all the advantages of the best of toilet soaps. It is also invaluable in keeping the hands soft and white, the hair live and glossy, and the scalp free from dandruff and irritation.

While its first cost is a few cents more than that of ordinary toilet soaps, it is prepared with such care and of such materials, that it wears to a wafer, often outlasting several cakes of other soap, and making its use, in practice, most economical. Cuticura Soap is sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, but the truth of these claims may be demonstrated without cost by sending to "Cuticura," Dept. 7M, Boston, U.S.A., for a liberal sample cake, together with a thirty-two page book on the skin and hair.

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I dyed ALL these DIFFERENT KINDS of Goods with the SAME Dye. I used

DY-O-LA

ONE DYE FOR ALL KINDS OF GOODS

CLEAN and SIMPLE to Use.

NO chance of using the WRONG Dye for the Goods one has to color. All colors from your Druggist or Dealer. FREE Color Card and STORY Booklet 10. The Johnson-Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal.

All Interested.

"Is your bookkeeper's heart in his office work?"

"Everybody's heart is in the office work since the blonde stenographer came."—Kansas City Journal.

Could Hardly Live for Asthma. Writes one man who after years of suffering has found complete relief through Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Now he knows how needless has been his suffering. This matchless remedy gives sure help to all afflicted with asthma. Inhaled as smoke or vapor it brings the help so long needed. Every dealer has it or can get it for you from his wholesaler.

As an example in municipal water supply, although 15,375 more consumers were supplied in London in 1910 than in 1909, the average daily consumption was 3,000,000 gallons less.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Japanese army officers are testing a new bullet-proof coat just invented by a native. It is said that bullets fired from a revolver at a distance of 25 feet make only a slight dent in the coat.

Izaac Walton at The Table.

The customer had waited fifteen minutes for the fish he had ordered. He was very quiet as he sat there, but internally there was a seething.

At the end of the sixteenth minute the waiter, who had been in total eclipse for fifteen and a half minutes, bustled up.

"That fish will be here, sir, in five minutes."

Five minutes elapsed three times. Then the waiter bustled up again.

"The fish will be here, sir, in a minute."

The customer turned to him. "Tell me," he said quietly, but with a certain emphasis, "what bait are you using?"—St. Louis Republic.

It has been left to the Chinese to teach us how the tons of banana fibre thrown on the rubbish heap every year can be converted into banana cloth by a process so simple as to be quite within the reach of the natives of India. At present a roll of banana cloth five yards long and one yard wide sells for about $5.70.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for Croup; found nothing equal to it; sure cure.

CHAS. E. SHARP.

Hawkshaw, N.B., Sept. 1st, 1905.

Too Late.

Richard Harding Davis, at a luncheon in New York, illustrated with a story a literary critic's ignorance.

"He is as ignorant of letters," he said, "as Aunt Tabitha was of betting.

"A young New Yorker took his bucolic Aunt Tabitha to the races. At the end of the first race he said:

"'I think, aunt, I'll put a V on Podasokus at 10 to 1.'

"'Oh, but you're too late, nephew,' said Aunt Tabitha, glancing at her old-fashioned watch. 'It's 10 to 2 now.'"—Los Angeles Times.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

It Often Happens.

"I guess I got a little too gay," admitted the landlord. "I wouldn't paint a doorstep for the old tenant."

"And he moved?"

"He moved; and now I've got to paint the entire house before I can get a new tenant."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"I hope you liked the pie, Henry?" ventured a young wife, casting an anxious glance at her husband soon after dinner. I bestowed great pains on the crust." "I thought you did, my dear," he said; "for I've got the pains now!"

England imported from continental countries last year nineteen million "great hundreds" (120) of eggs, of which Russia supplied 52 per cent. and the average price of which was 43¼ per cent. above that of thirteen years ago.

The federal government owns 55 bird reservations in different parts of the United States.

City Editor—Hi, Sims!

Sims (the reporter)—Yes, sir.

City Editor—Go down to the hotel and interview the magnate and get his denial of the interview in the same. Scoot now!—Judge.

Weighed the Argument.

When Charles A. Dana was at the head of the New York Sun, a young graduate of Cornell was assigned to the reviewing of books. One of the first handed him was a massive volume purporting to be a life of Napoleon, written by a college professor.

The young reviewer had, as it happened, specialized on the life of Napoleon under a great authority at his university and he thought but little of the effort that was submitted to him by his editorial chief. He glanced over the illustrations, laid the book aside, and turned in this comment:—

"Life of Napoleon, by Prof. So-and-So. This book weighs nine pounds."

Mr. Dana read the review and sent for the Cornell man.

"Did you write this review?" he growled.

"Yes, sir."

"Did you read the book?" growled Mr. Dana, with a fiercer look than before.

"No, sir. I weighed it."

"That will do," growled the chief.

Then he sent word downstairs to the cashier to raise the young man's salary.

The wages earned last year by Spanish settlers in South America amounted to 110,000,000 pesetas, or about $25,000,000, according to a statement by the Chilean Consul in London.

Sweet and palatable, Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator is acceptable to children, and it does its work surely and promptly.

Getting the News.

The young girl sat in her bedroom with a novel. Her hair was down and her feet were in red slippers. Now and then, extending her white arms, she yawned.

You see, it was very late, and downstairs in the parlor her older sister was entertaining a young man. She naturally felt a deep interest in the entertainment. She was waiting to hear how it would terminate.

And at last there was a sound in the hall, a crash as of a closing door, and it was plain to the impatient girl that the young man had gone.

She threw down her novel and, running forth, peered over the balustrade down into the hall's intense blackness.

"Well, Maude," she said, "did you land him?"

There was no immediate reply to her question. There was a silence, a peculiar silence, a silence with a certain strained quality in it. Then a masculine voice replied:—

"She did."

In 1909 the telegraph and telephone companies, together with similar concerns that use electric wires in this country, expended over $7,000,000 in the purchase of poles.

The wind-bags who try to convince you that you've lost your nerve have got theirs with them; only it's of a different kind.

Landed

There was a bachelor who had courted a young lady for a long time without coming to the point, and one evening in leap year, the young lady being very musical, he took her to a concert.

The orchestra played No. 6, a selection that seemed to the bachelor very beautiful. He bent over his companion and whispered.

"How lovely that is! What is it, do you know?"

"It is the 'Maiden's Prayer.'"

And at the same time she handed him her programme, pointing to No. 6 with her finger.

He read and started, for the real name of the selection was "Mendelssohn's Wedding March." The bachelor bought the ring next day.

There are 3,000 canary bird breeders in Norwich, England.

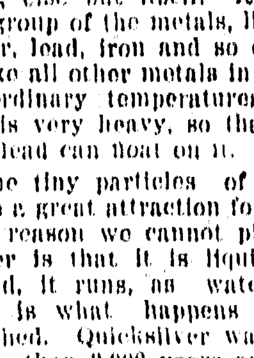
WOMEN MAY AVOID OPERATIONS

By taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The following letter from Mrs. Orville Rock will prove how unwise it is for women to submit to the dangers of a surgical operation when it may be avoided by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. **She was four weeks in the hospital and came home suffering worse than before.**

Here is her own statement.

Paw Paw, Mich.—"Two years ago I suffered very severely with a displacement. I could not be on my feet for a long time. My physician treated me for seven months without much relief and at last sent me to Ann Arbor for an operation. I was there four weeks and came home suffering worse than before. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I did. Today I am well and strong and do all my own housework. I owe my health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and advise my friends who are afflicted with any female complaint to try it."—Mrs. ORVILLE ROCK, R. R. No. 5, Paw Paw, Michigan.



If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for women's ills, and has positively restored the health of thousands of women. Why don't you try it?

MARCH WEATHER RHEUMATIC WEATHER

Victims Can Cure Themselves With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

With the coming of March people who are afflicted with rheumatism begin to have unpleasant reminders of their trouble. The weather is changeable—balmy and springlike one day, raw, cold and piercing the next. It is such sudden changes of weather that sets the pangs and tortures of rheumatism, lumbago and sciatica going. But it must be borne in mind that although weather conditions start the pains, the trouble is deeply rooted in the blood and can only be cured through the blood. All the lotions and liniments in the world can't cure rheumatism. Rubbing may seem to ease the pain while you are rubbing, but there its value ends. Only through the blood can you cure rheumatism. That's why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have so many thousands of cures of this trouble to their credit. The new, rich blood which they actually make drives out the poisonous acid, and rheumatism is vanquished. Here is an example. Mr. W. C. Douglas, Webbwood, Ont., says: "I was attacked with inflammatory rheumatism, which spread through my entire system. For two months I was not able to go about, and seemed to be hovering between life and death. My joints were swollen and my legs and arms twisted, until I expected that they would never return to their normal shape. The doctor seemed to help me, but not to cure me, and I would be better one day and worse the next. At this time a friend strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I got a dozen boxes. Soon after beginning the pills there was a change for the better, and I continued using the pills until I was quite well again. The swelling disappeared from the joints. My limbs returned to the natural shape and I feel as if Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have saved me from being a rheumatic cripple. I hope my experience may prove a blessing to some other sufferer."

If you suffer from rheumatism, or any other disease of the blood, begin to cure yourself to-day with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Man of 45.

"Among the men I hire, nine out of ten are better workers at 45 years of age than are men of 25 or 30," declared the secretary and manager of a Chicago commercial house. This executive believes that the man of 45 or thereabouts is in the prime of life, physically and mentally. Men of mature years are more reliable, he avers, more trustworthy, and are not apt to be possessed of that restlessness and indecision which so often characterizes youth, and which leads younger men continually from one position to another. The average young man in business, he holds, is always seeking a "soft snap" job, and is not content with sticking it out with an employer through thick and thin until his services become highly valuable and perhaps indispensable.—Business Magazine.

WOMEN IN ALL PARTS OF CANADA

TELL OF THE HEALTH DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS BRING

They Made a New Woman of Mrs. Elie Amirault Who Was a Victim of Kidney Disease for Over a Year.

Amirault's Hill, Yarmouth Co., N.S.—(Special.) "Four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills made a new woman of me." Those are the words of Mrs. Elie Amirault of this place. They are words that have been used again and again by women in all parts of Canada who have suffered, and who have found relief and cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I suffered for over a year from kidney disease," Mrs. Amirault continues. "Nothing I tried helped me. At last some one told me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. Before I had finished the first box I felt better. Four boxes made a new woman of me."

No remedy ever given to the public has brought health and happiness into the lives of so many women as Dodd's Kidney Pills. This is because nine-tenths of the ills to which women are subject come from diseased kidneys. No woman who uses Didd's Kidney Pills can have diseased kidneys. They always cure the kidneys.

The Overdraft

"To continually sow and reap without replacing anything in the soil, is much like a man having a bank account at the beginning of his career, but who continually draws cheques against his account without thinking to make a deposit. The only result is an overdraft—a sterile soil."—Gen. Louis Botha, Premier of the South African Union.

The ties used on the Panama railroad are made of such hard wood that holes have to be bored for the spikes and a special form of screw spike used.

Dreaming.

"There would be fewer divorces," said "Big Tim" Sullivan, at a banquet in New York, "if men treated their wives with absolute equality. There are too many husbands of Cholmondeley's stamp.

"As Cholmondeley blew the froth from a large glass of beer one evening, a friend said to him:—

"'I hear you've had your pay raised, Cholmondeley.'

"'Yes, but it did me no good,' and Cholmondeley drained his glass and pushed it to the bartender for refilling.

"'Did you no good? Why not?"

"'I talked in my sleep,' Cholomondeley replied, 'and my wife got on to it.'"

THE EQUITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

Annual Meeting Held at Head Office, 24 King St. West, Toronto, February 21st, 1912.

In connection with the Annual Report it may be stated that there was a decrease in fire losses of $55,100.34 as compared with the previous year; the losses paid by the organization since its formation, $1,091,848.90; it wrote last year 22,450 policies, and since organization 184,050; Security to Policy Holders $408,262.63 an increase of more than $30,000 over last year's security. Considerable addition to the stock was made, and the sale of an additional 10,000 shares is authorized at a premium of 20 per cent. The Company is represented in every place of importance throughout Canada.

Receipts.		Expenditure.	
Accumulated Reserve, Jan. 1, 1911	$128,045.35	Losses and adjustment expenses	$121,974.49
Premiums	334,286.13	Cancellations, rebates, re-insurances	106,841.16
Interest	8,900.36	General expenses, including commissions	94,465.56
Payments on capital stock and stock premiums less commissions, cash $3,310.00 notes $5,625.00	8,935.00	Balance	156,885.63
	$480,166.84		$480,166.84

Assets.		Liabilities.	
Cash on hand and in bank	$20,329.86	Reserved uncarned premiums	$150,788.00
Net premiums in course of collection	21,381.20	Reserve, for unadjusted losses	7,359.75
Bonds, debentures, loans, bills, receivable	208,556.02	Reserve, for future plans	4,134.34
Sundry assets	27,078.26	All other current liabilities	6,761:12
Uncalled capital	149,172.50	Surplus to policy-holders	257,474.63
	$426,517.84		$426,517.84

Capital paid up ... $112,628.

Security to Policy-holders.

Full Government Reserve provided as above	$150,788.00	
Surplus brought down in excess of requirements	257,474.63	
Total Security		$408,262.63
Security shown for 1910		378,045.35
Increase for 1911		$30,217.28

The following were elected Directors for the ensuing year:—Hon. Thos. Crawford, M.P.P., President; Chas. C. VanNorman, 1st Vice-President; A. Taylor, Galt, 2nd Vice-President; J. M. Queen, 3rd Vice-President; His Honor Judge Morgan, D. Hibner, W. Vandusen, David Carlyle, W. R. Tudhope.

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THE RIGHT WAY

In all cases of DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, INFLUENZA, COLDS, ETC. of all horses, broodmares, colts, stallions, is to

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Mercury.

Why does quicksilver run away when we touch it?

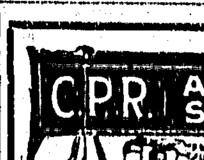
Quicksilver is not silver, but it has a silvery appearance. The strict chemical name for it means water-silver, says the Children's Encyclopedia, but the name by which it is generally known is mercury. Quicksilver is not a kind of silver, nor a mixture of water and silver, nor anything else but itself. It belongs to the group of the metals, like gold and silver, lead, iron and so on, but it is unlike all other metals in being liquid at ordinary temperatures. Quicksilver is very heavy, so that even iron and lead can float on it.

The tiny particles of quicksilver have a great attraction for each other. The reason we cannot pick up quicksilver is that it is liquid. Being a liquid, it runs, as water does, and that is what happens when it is touched. Quicksilver was discovered more than 2,000 years ago.

"A woman can't drive a nail straight."

"Not with a hammer, possibly. But you give her a hair brush and she can drive a nail as well as anybody."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

C.P.R. ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS



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Lake Manitoba	Thurs.,	" 25

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WEDNESDAY, MAY, 29 1912,

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the goods of John Kevin also known as "John Kevan," or Keven, deceased, intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Barker, local judge of the Supreem Court of B. C., made on the 3.d day of April 1912, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of the above named deceased, who died at Salmon River, B. C. on or about the 16th day of February 1912, intestate.

All accounts and claims against the estate and all accounts and claims due, the said estate must be presented and paid, respectively, on or before the 15th day of June 1912,

W. W. WILLARD,
Official Administrator,
Cumberland, B. C.

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COUNTY COURT OF NANAIMO HOLDEN AT CUMBERLAND.

In the goods of Samuel Nicholls. deceased. intestate,

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Barker made in the above Court, on the 3rd day of April 1912, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Nicholls. deceased, who died near the City of Cumberland. B C in or about the month of March 1912, intestate.

All accounts against the estate and all accounts due the estate must be represented and paid, respectively, on or before the 15th day of June 1912.

W. W WILLARD,
Official Administrator.
Cumberland. B. C.

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COUNTY COURT OF NANAIMO HOLDEN AT CUMBERLAND.

In the goods of Emil Sandwick also known as "Emil Sanvick," or Sandvick, deceased intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Barker, made in the above Court on the 3rd day of April 1912, the undersigned by appointed administrator of the estate of the above named deceased who died in Comox District B. C. on or about the 7th day of March 1912, intestate.

All accounts against, and all accounts due the estate must be presented and paid, respectively, on or before the 15th day of June 1912.

W. W. WILLARD,
Official Administrator.
Cumberland, B. C.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the goods of David Edwards, deceased, intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Barker, local judge of the Supreme Court of B.C., made on the 3rd day of April 1912 [illegible] appointed administrator of the estate of the above named deceased who died at Campbell Lake or thereabouts on March 15th. 1912, intestate. All accounts and claims against the estate and all accounts and claims due the estate must be presented and paid, respectively, on or before the 15th day of June 1912.

W W. WILLARD,
Official administrator
Cumberland, B. C.

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TAKE NOTICE that 30 days af[illegible] I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a [illegible] to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following lands situated in the Comox District.

Commencing at a post marked [illegible] No. 2, [illegible] west from [illegible] section 32 [illegible] west 80 [illegible] south 80 chains, east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

W. D. OWEN

Dated April 6th, 1912

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT
District of Sayward, Range 1,

TAKE NOTICE that I, Elinzeia Hannar, by my agent, George Verdier, of Campbell River, V. I. occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted near the N. E. corner of lot 351 thence south 10 chains (ten) thence east 10 chains (ten) more or less to the point of commencement containing 20 acres (twenty) more or less.

ELINZEIA HANNAH
Name of Applicant

Date March 26th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
District of Cost

Take notice that Isabel McKenny, of Vancouver, B. C. occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted one mile east of the south-west corner of lot 550, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Isabel McKenny,
Name of Applicant in full
Robert Henry Chestnut, Agent
Date March 12th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
District of Coast

Take notice that Reginald Waters, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted 1 mile east of the south west corner of lot 550, thence east 80 chains, south 40 chains, west 80 chains, north 40 chains to point of commencement containing 320 acres more or less.

Reginald Waters,
Name of Applicant in full
Robert Henry Chestnut, Agent
Date March 12th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
District of Coast

Take notice that Frances Gerald Hudson, of Vancouver, B. C. occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of lot 547 thence east 80 chains, thence south 45 chains to north boundary of lot 550, thence west along said boundary, 80 chains, thence north 45 chains to this post.

Frances Gerald Hudson,
Name of Applicant in full
Robert Henry Chestnut. Agent
Date March 12th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
District of Coast

Take notice that Minnie Kerr, of Vancouver, B. C. occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of lot 547, thence west 40 chains, thence south 45 chains, thence east 40 chains along the north boundary of lot 550. thence north 45 chains to point of commencement, containing 180 acres.

Minnie Kerr
Name of Applicant in full
Robert Henry Chestnut, Agent
Date March 12th, 1912.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Comox Creamery Association Ltd., will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Courtenay, on Thursday, January 18th. 1912 at 8 p. m.

WM. DUNCAN,
Secretary.

ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company did on the nineteenth day of January, 1912, deposit in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, plan, profile and book of reference showing the location of its proposed line of railway from Black Creek to Campbell River, Vancouver Island, being Mile 49 to Mile 72.3, as approved by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

DATED this twenty-second day of January, 1912.

W. F. SALSBURY,
Secretary.

Mrs. Simms will give lessons on the piano at her house in Jerusalem, formerly owned by Mr. James Stewart, on and after March 4th—until then in Campbell as usual.

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(formerly Windsor)

Sayward Land District.
District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that Murray Gorlay, of Victoria, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of Lot 376 thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to shore line, thence following shore line easterly and southerly to point of commencement, containing 60 acres more or less.

MURRAY GORLAY
Name of applicant in full
Date March 27th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
District of Sayward

TAKE NOTICE that Percy A.E Wood, of Victoria, occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. Corner of Lot 165, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains to shore, thence southerly following shore line to a point making 80 chains southerly, thence easterly following shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

PERCY A.E WOOD
Name of Applicant in full
Date March 23rd, 1912

Sayward Land District
District of Sayward

TAKE NOTICE that Kyrle C. Symons of Victoria, occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the N. W corner of lot 316, thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 50 chains to shore line, thence east following shore line 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 280 acres more or less.

KYRLE. C. SYMONS
Name of Applicant in full
Date March 26 h, 1912.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all direct connections of flush closets with the city sewers is strictly forbidden. All persons or persons using flush closets must provide septic tanks, the overflow of which may be connected with the city sewers.

By order of the City Council.
A. McKinnon, City Clerk
City Hall, April 9th, 1912.

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NOTICE is hereby given tha 30 days after date application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a transfer of the hotel license to sell liquors by retail in the hotel known as the Lorne Hotel, situated at Comox, B. C., from Florence M. Cliffe to Geo. M. Barlow.

FLORENCE M. CLIFFE.
Holder of License.
GEORGE M. BARLOW,
Applicant.
Dated March 27th, 1912.

FOR SALE—A book all young sports should read. price $1.00 Address letters, drawer 44, Nanaimo, B. C.

NOTICE.

To whom it may concern:—
This is to notify the public that all freight charges on bonded goods cleared at Union Bay for the Comox Valley must be paid before goods can be forwarded. By order
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HAY FOR SALE—Thirty tons of good baled hay, price $14 per ton at Grantham. F.H. Janes, Sandwick, B. C.

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

WILSON & BRAMBERG.
Dated this 7th day of Nov., 1911.

NOTICE is her by given that at the next meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I ntend to app y for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the Cumberland Hotel, situated on lot 1, block 6, Cumberland Townsite.

WILLIAM MERRIFIELD.
Dated this 7th day of Nov., 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, B. C., for a transfer of the hotel license to sell liquors by retail in the hotel known as the Port Augusta Hotel, situated at Comox, B. C. from John Charles Clarence to Amos Cottington.

JOHN CHARLES CLARENCE,
Holder of Licence.
AMOS COTTINGTON,
Applicant.
Dated May 15th, 1912.

An Ad in the NEWS pays. Try it.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that all property owners are requested to connect their premises with the new sewers, wherever same are completed, on or before the 15th day of March, 1912, and if said connections are not made by the above date, the City Council will proceed to complete same at the expense of the property owners.

By order of
The City Council
A. McKINNON,
City Clerk,
Cumberland, B.C. Feb. 20, 1912

ROOMS for rent at Marinelli's Rooming House, Derwent Ave.

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W. L. COULSON,
General Manager,
Wellington Colliery Co,y.

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NOTICE.

Sayward Land District.
District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Walter Gage of Comox, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the south-west side of Small Island in Gowland Harbour on Valdez Island, thence following shore line to place of commencement including both portions of Island containing 15 acres more or less.

WALTER GAGE.
G. H. Pidcock, Agent.
Dated April 17th, 1912.

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph H. Foy of Suquash, B. C., mine manager, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south-east corner of Section 16, Rupert District, Malcolm Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated 11th day of March, 1912.
JOSEPH H FOY, Locator.
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Have you heard the latest song? 'They Gotta Quit Kickin' My Dog Aroun.' Come and get a copy at The News Office. Only a few copies left.

TAKE NOTICE that H. B. Mosby, married woman, of Victoria, B. C., intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south-west corner of Section 40, Rupert District, Malcolm Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated 11th day of March, 1912.
H. B. MOSBY, Locator.
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
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TAKE NOTICE that E. Sibley, Stenographer of Victoria, B. C., intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north-east corner of Section 41, Rupert District, Malcolm Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated 11th day of March, 1912
E. SIBLEY, Locator
Joseph H. Foy, Agent
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TAKE NOTICE that J. F. Mosby, of Victoria, B. C., Secretary, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north-west corner of Section 17, Rupert District, Malcolm Island, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated 11th day of March 1912.
J. F. MOSBY, Locator,
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
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TAKE NOTICE that D. D. Muir, of Victoria, B. C., Accountant, intends to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the south-west corner of Section 16 Rupert District, Malcolm Island, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated 11th day of March, 1912.
D. D MUIR, Locator
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
District of Sayward.

TARE notice that George Henry West of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Fish Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner of Lot 4 D. L230 thence East along the survey line 40 chains, thence North 20 chains, thence West 40 chains, thence South along the lake shore 20 chains, and containing 80 acres.—

GEORGE HENRY WEST,
Applicant.
Dated November 21st, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the foreshore and under the water on the lands in and opposite the following described lands situate in Rupert District—Commencing at a post planted on the sea beach at high water mark at the intersection of Sections 14 and 15, Township 2, Port McNeill Rupert District, thence north 55 chains more or less to high water mark on the north side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence easterly along shore line to intersection of Sections 25 and 24, Township 2, thence southerly 60 chains more or less to high water mark on south shore of Port McNeill Harbor, thence westerly along shore line to point of commencement. ROLAND A. LAIRD.
E. Priest, agent
Dated this 1st day of September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Cumberland, I intend to apply for a renewal of the hotel license held by me for the New England Hotel, situated on the east half of lot 3, in block 3, Cumberland Townsite.

JAMES WALTERS.
Dated this 7th day of Nov., 1911.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert.

TAKE notice that Endora Mae Leeson of Vancouver, B. C. occupation Widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about one mile north and 40 chains east of the S. E. corner of Section 4, Township 8, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Scribed on post EML's S.W. corner.
ENDORA MAE LEESON,
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 11th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Adelaide Ester Clark Brown, of Brookfield N. Y., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at southwest corner of Section 19, Township 9, thence north 80 chains,, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

Scribed on post A.E.C.B's S.W. cor
ADELAIDE ESTER CLARK BROWN.
Dan Clark, agent,
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Richmond Charles Biss of Vancouver, B. C., Broker intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at ¼ post between section 18k, Township 9, and Section 13, Township 20, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Scribed on post RCB's N E cor.
RICHMOND CHARLES BISS.
Dan Clark, agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert.

TAKE NOTICE that Edward Dyke, of Binghamton, NY, contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 2 miles west of the south east corner of Section 24, Township 20, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Scribed on post EDF's N.E. corner.
EDWARD DYKE.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

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The Tell-Tale Thumb.

The thumb confesses the man; no man is clever enough to deceive it. It has been divided into three parts, typifying the three qualities that master the world—will, logic, and love. The first, or nail phalange, signifies will; the second logic, the third, which is the boundary of the Mount of Venus, love.

When the thumb is unequally developed and the first phalange is extremely long, it is neither love nor logic that governs the individual, but merely sheer will. If the middle phalange be much longer than the first, reason predominates; yet the man may not have the power to will himself to do that which his reason dictates.

When the third phalange is long and the thumb is short, man is revealed as the slave of the senses, guided neither by will nor reason.

If the thumb is supple-jointed, the individual is easy-going, spendthrift, careless of time, money, energy, opportunity and all things.

If it be firm-jointed he is cautious, watchful, keen, diplomatic, tireless in planning, confident and sure of success, self- possessed and self-controlling.

The Ventriloquy of Birds

Whence and why is the power of ventriloquy that many birds possess? (asks a writer in the Nation.) The meadow-pipit, or the cornbrake, can sit in one place and make its voice seem to come from many alternate spots. It may be a trick impressed by the ages as a means for bewildering one's enemies, for comrade call and danger call seem, to our blunt ears at any rate, to be the same in these species. The cornbrake must be of an artistically playful disposition, for he calls like that, now near, and far, when he is, undoubtedly calling his mate.

Dickens And Miss Weller.

Dickens himself was once embarrassed by one of his names. This was when he was presented to a Miss Weller, whose beauty and talent delighted him. He described to a friend his mixed feelings at finding the name he had made grotesque borne by so gracious a lady. He afterwards introduced a friend, and a marriage followed in time. On the morning after that first meeting Dickens sent to this unforeseen kind of Weller some verses in which he protested his regret that he could not hope to change her name for he was married and "Pickwick" was published.

Not That Kind of Sinner

A story is told of a certain clergyman who was fond of making sharp remarks. One day, after a fall of snow, he was wending his way along a country road in company with a parishioner. His companion suddenly stepped upon a hidden slide, and came down with a thud.

Looking gravely down at him, the pastor solemnly said:—

"Ah, my friend, sinners stand on slippery places."

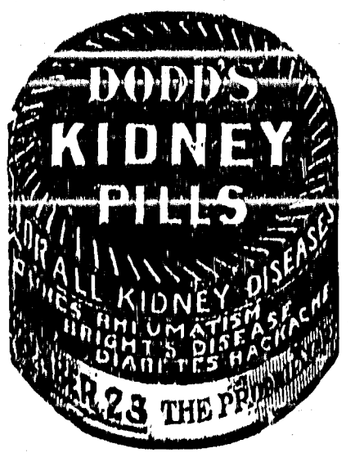
"Yes, I see they do, but I can't," was the indignant rejoinder of the fallen member of his flock.

"Times is fierce," declared Susan Brett. "Half the managers on Broadway owe me money."

"Back salary or alimony?" politely queried Yorick Hamm.—Courier Journal.

A beggar in Dublin had been long besieging an old, gouty, testy, limping gentleman, who refused his mite with much irritability, on which the mendicant said:—

"Ah, please your honor's honor, I wish your heart was as tender as your toes."



W. N. U. No. 891.

King George at Home.

When King George entered his private room on his return from his Indian visit he found a mass of correspondence arranged for his examination that made him smile. "Enough work here for a month, I suppose," he remarked to Lord Stamfordham. It was plain that he was only too anxious to get to work. His quick, alert manner, of moving about, glancing with pleasure at various objects in his apartments, pausing every now and then to make some brief reference to matters that immediately interested him, was gratifying to behold, since it indicated better than anything else could have done the downright joy that he felt at being back in his London "home," while it equally conclusively demonstrated that his health had not been impaired by the fatigues of the last few months.

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Brown—"Well, if it takes a man three days to chew a ham weighing ten pounds, how long will it take the same man to chew a hammer weighing six pounds?"

Smith (after considering some time)—"I'll give it up, old chap."

Brown (as he prepares to dodge things)—"It will depend whether he is a professional or a hammer-chewer."

Agent (to sour-faced but wealthy old lady): "Madam, I am soliciting funds to start a benevolent enterprise for the poor blacks of Africa, and I thought—" Sour-faced Lady: "I can't give you money, sir; I have been swindled too often. All I can do is to lend my countenance to the scheme." Agent (sadly): "That would simply ruin it, ma'am."

Industrial Accidents.

According to the record of industrial accidents kept by the Department of Labour, 61 persons were killed and 178 injured during February, 1912. This record compares very favourably with that of January, when 86 workmen were killed and 214 injured. Compared with February, 1911, the record is still more favourable, as 93 were killed and 197 injured in that month. The worst disaster of the past month was the premature explosion of dynamite on construction work near Fort Frances, Ont., on the line of the Canadian Northern Railway, by which 13 construction hands were killed and six others seriously injured.

Two-year-old Harry had never seen a live lamb, his only knowledge of that animal being derived from a toy one on wheels. While visiting grandpa on the farm he was taken to the sheep pen to see the lambs. After looking at them for a few minutes, he looked up at grandpa with a puzzled expression, and asked, "Where's the wheels?"

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A new gold discovery, regarded as twenty-five miles from the Alaska line. The find is said to average about $1 to the square foot of bedrock. Some two hundred men have already gone from here on a stampede to stake claims, notwithstanding a temperature of 30 degrees below zero and snow on the ground fifteen inches deep. A very reliable miner, who has been engaged in mining here since the gold rush in 1908, was the discoverer. He reports the formations in sinking a shaft 19 1-2 feet to bedrock as follows: Six inches of muck; 6 feet of gravel containing gold, 3 cents to the pan; 6 feet of muck and 7 feet of gravel to bedrock where the gold is found. In cleaning up the surface of the bedrock a space of 5 by 8 feet, he obtained $40 worth of high grade gold, as shown by the gold commissioner's scales here. He reports the valley in which the discovery was made to be 20 miles long and 2,000 feet wide, with good working gravel quite similar to that of the famous Bonanza Creek of the Klondike, and frozen solid from the surface to bedrock, making a safe roof for mining.

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Your Mother

Do not forget to manifest an interest in whatever interests or amuses her. Though she is old and wrinkled she loves pretty things. Make her frequent simple presents, and be sure they are appropriate and tasteful.

Remember that she is still a girl at heart, so far as delicate little attentions are concerned. Give her your full confidence, and never do anything which you think she would disapprove. Make her a partaker, so far as your different ages will permit, in all your pleasures and recreations.

Lift all the burdens you can from the shoulders that have grown stooped in waiting upon and working for you. Never intimate by word or deed that your world and hers are different, or that you feel in any way superior to her.

Treat her with the unvarying courtesy and deference that you accord to those who are above you in rank or position. Study her tastes and habits, her likes and dislikes, and cater to them as far as possible in an unobtrusive way.

Bear patiently with all her peculiarities or infirmities of temper or disposition, which may well be the result of a life of care and toil. Remember that her life is monotonous compared with yours, and take her to some suitable place of amusement or for a little trip to the country, or to the city if your home is in the country, as frequently as possible.

Explained

Didn't some idiot propose to you before our marriage?"

"Certainly."

"Then you ought to have married him."

"That's just what I did."—Stray Stories.

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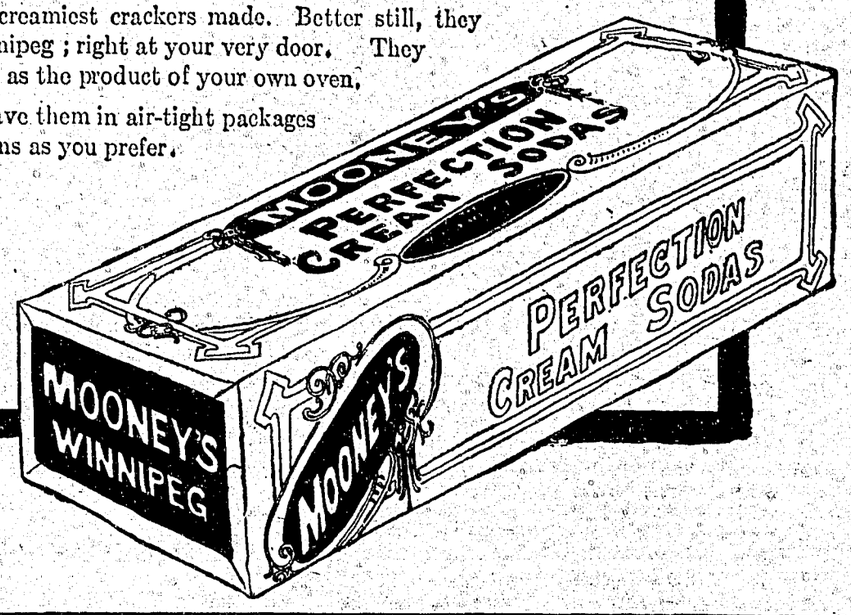

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He—"No. The fact is, I ignored it."

She—"Ignored it!"

He—"Yes, Mrs. Knozitall was with us, you know, and she said she heard it in Munich last year, and I couldn't show an interest in anything as second hand as that, could I?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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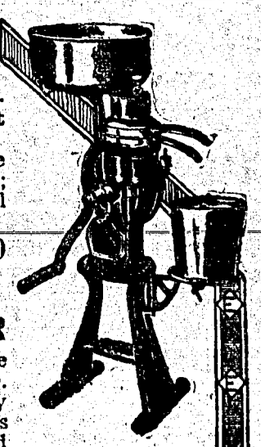

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Some Mourner.

Down in Georgia a negro, who had his life insured for several hundred dollars, died and left the money to his widow. She immediately bought herself a very elaborate mourning outfit.

Showing her purchase to her friend, she was very particular in going into detail as to prices and all incidental particulars. Her friend was very much impressed, and remarked:

"Them sho is fine close, but, befo' heaven, what is you goin' to do wid all dis black underwear?"

The bereaved one sighed:

"Chile, when I morns, I morns."—Harpers Magazine.

Quite at Home

"I hear your son has brought home a timid little bride."

"Well, she isn't so awfully backward at that. She started in right away to improve mother's game of bridge and show the girls how to dress."

Sperm whales are the richest prizes of the ocean, yielding spermaceti from the brain cases, ivory from their lower jaws, and rich yellow oil from their sides.

Let us not be too particular. It is better to have old second-hand diamonds than none at all.—Mark Twain.

A Chicago professor attributes indigestion to a pessimistic stomach, which refuses to enjoy the good things of life.

Strikes During February.

The strike situation in Canada continues on the whole favourable according to the latest reports of the Department of Labour. Few disputes of importance occurred during February, the one affecting most employees being that of the cloak and garment workers in the employ of T. Eaton Company, Toronto and Montreal. About 600 employees were affected by this dispute. Altogether there were twelve strikes in existence during February affecting about 50 firms and 1,200 employees. The loss of time in working days was approximately 10,000, compared with 12,000 days lost from the same cause during January, and over 32,000 days lost in February, 1911. Eight strikes remained in existence at the close of the month.

A group of old men were giving their reminiscences of Lincoln. "My wife collected autographs," said one. "She once wrote to Lincoln for a sentiment and his autograph, and she got in reply a note that ran—"Dear Madam.—When you ask from a stranger that which is of interest only to yourself, always enclose a stamp. There's your sentiment, and here's your autograph.—A. Lincoln!"

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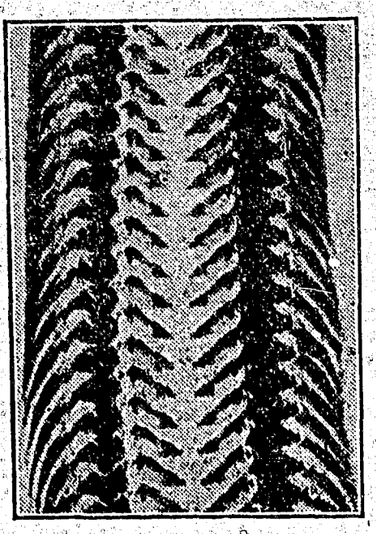
For the Children

A Section of a Snail's Tongue.



This queer looking picture is that of a section of the tongue of a snail. The tongue is greatly magnified to show the rasping teeth.

A snail eats by rasping off small particles with the tongue. This tongue is a narrow band or ribbon with pointed teeth set in rows across it. The common slug, often found in damp places, has more than 25,000 teeth on the tongue, which act like the ridges on a file and scrape the food into the mouth. I once watched with a magnifying lens, says a writer in St. Nicholas Magazine, a small water snail feeding as it slowly crawled up the side of an aquarium, and, although I made no very accurate count, the tongue seemed to be pressed against the glass about forty times a minute.

Man and Object.

Two persons go out of the room and, after agreeing together as to what they shall represent, come back again and sit down side by side in front of the company. One of the two takes the part of some well known person, and the other represents an object which is closely connected with that person. For instance, George Washington and the hatchet or Roosevelt and the big stick, the king of England and his crown, etc.

After the two take their seats the other players in turn ask each of them a question, to which both the man and the object must answer only "Yes" or "No" until the right person and the right article have been guessed. The first player may perhaps ask the man, "Are you alive?" The man will answer "Yes" or "No" according to the character he represents. Then the object may be asked, "Are you made of wood?" "No." Then the second player in order asks a question of each, and so on along the line until all have had a turn at questioning or until the person and object have been rightly guessed.

A Giant Baby.

The world's astronomers are now much interested in the planet Jupiter. This planet is the largest in our system, but is said by the scientists to be an infant in swaddling clothes so far as development is concerned. In volume Jupiter is 1,270 times greater than our own globe. But we are now full grown and, as some astronomers declare, on the downhill side of life. In other words, our little earth is in middle age and will soon be growing old. Great Jupiter, the king of the heavens as far as our planetary system is concerned, is not yet fit for life. From the latest observations of Jupiter it is supposed to be in the act of building, of solidifying. One astronomer says: "I have not the slightest doubt that we are assisting at the creation of a world. Under our dazzled eyes a new world is being created in the infinity, and in Jupiter we hail the world of the future."—Chicago News.

Conundrums.

What is the difference between a photographer and the whooping cough? One makes facsimiles, the other sick families.

What French word contains every vowel and but one consonant? Obscene.

When is an altered dress like a secret? When it is let out.

How do eggs show their anger on being called "heggs?" By becoming eggs-aspirated.

What part of speech are shopkeepers most anxious to dispose of? Articles.

Why are sick persons like auto wheels? Because the are tired.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Cupid's Target—A Game.

In the game Cupid's darts are shot from a small bow by each child in turn at a heart shaped target of white with a smaller red heart for a bullseye. The one whose dart comes nearest the middle of the bullseye may receive a gayly beribboned bow and arrow for a prize.

The Two Echoes.

Two echoes, each with mouth and ears,
Lived peacefully for many years
Till one, not meaning to offend,
Said: "Let me hear your voice, my friend.
I know my voice is very fine,
But which is finer, yours or mine?"
"Mine," said the other, loud and clear.
"Mine," said the first in tones severe.
"Mine," said the other echo next.
"Mine," said the first one, rather vexed.
And "mine" was all that they would say,
And neither of them would give way.
For, though most echoes can be mute,
If spoken to they will dispute,
And I am sure these always will,
For there they are disputing still.
—Youth's Companion.

LONDON STORES.

When Customers Enter They Are Almost Compelled to Buy.

First and foremost the English excel in salesmanship. Once having got a possible purchaser inside the door, they reason he should be made profitable to them. The floor manager does not assume that attitude of royal indifference as with us. He watches the struggle beween salesperson and customer. If the latter shows signs of escaping into the open with his purse intact another clerk is brought forward as a re-enforcement. Some establishments still lay fines on clerks who do not effect sales, but the system of inciting the sales force to its utmost efforts by giving percentages is now coming into vogue.

The method that London stores have of letting a cash girl conduct a customer who has finished his purchases to a central cash desk and wrapping counter, where he stands in line, keeping an anxious eye on his goods till they are parcelled, seems to us archaic and cumbersome. An Oxford street merchant, however, reasons differently:

"When a patron has finished his purchases he is better out of the way of new customers. English men and women prefer privacy when they are making purchases, which would be impossible were customers allowed to sit at the counter, awaiting their packages. Then the wrapping force works more rapidly when the patron watches and urges haste."

I did not see how that particular force could work any more slowly, but his other argument might have some merit.—Business.

SHETLAND'S TAME GULLS.

Each Family Has Its Own Flock and the Children Feed Them.

There are many small villages in the world that have only one street, but Lerwick, in Shetland, besides having only a single street, possesses only one tree. There are no birds there, not even a sparrow, but the seagulls are plentiful.

The seagulls are the sparrows of Lerwick, and as such they have a greater share in the town's life than the sparrows of London. In the morning you will note that a seagull sits on every chimney pot. Seagulls swoop and hover over every roof in town. The air is ful of their strange, high, plaintive, haunting cries.

Every house has its own familiar seagulls and every street its own band of them. But they never mix. The children in each house have a pet name for their own particular seagulls, and having called them by those names, they feed them every day.

Each seagull knows what is meant for him. No bird attached to one house ever seeks to eat the food scattered from the house next door. He does not dare to do so. So all day long the seagulls hover and call over the roofs of Lerwick.

The people of the town, if they come across a little pile of rice laid upon the roadway, step over it with care. They know that it has been placed there for some seagull. And at night the seagulls leave their appointed chimneypots and fly gracefully away to their resting places on the rocks of the Isle of Noss.—Fruit Magazine.

How Fishes Breathe.

By means of their gills fish breathe the air dissolved in water. The oxygen consumed by them is not that which forms the chemical constituent of the water, but that contained in the air which is dissolved in the water. Fishes transferred to water from which the air has been driven out by a high temperature or in which the air absorbed by them is not replaced are soon suffocated. They require aerated water to maintain life and they take it in constantly through their mouths and expel it through their gills, retaining the air. It follows that if the water in a lake should be completely cut off from contact with the air long enough to exhaust the supply of air the fish in the lake would die. It would take a severe and pretty long continued freeze to accomplish this, but it might happen and doubtless has frequently happened with a small body of water.—St. Nicholas.

Man and Woman.

Man is born an understanding and woman a love. The wife cannot enter into the proper duties of the man, nor the man, on the other hand, into the proper duties of the wife, because they differ, as wisdom and its love or thought and its affection or understanding and its will. In the proper duties of men the understanding, thought and wisdom act the chief part.—Swedenborg.

Forgetful.

Jones—What have you got that string around your finger for? Brown—My wife put it on so that I would remember something. I forgot what it was. I'm keeping it on now to remind me to ask her what it was when I get home this evening.

The Canny Agent.

"Do you suffer here from miasma?" asked the visitor to Swampville as he looked over the villa plot proposition in that charming suburb.

"No," replied the agent. "Fact is, I never know you had the asthma."—Harper's.

Right In Her Line.

Gillet—The people in the flat above us are constantly fighting. Perry—Doesn't your wife object? Gillet—No. She likes to have a fuss made over her.—New York Times.

There is no great genius without a tincture of madness.—Seneca.

SMART LACE TUNIC.

It Is Modishly Worn Over Dark Skirts.

TUNIC OF CREAMY LACE AND ECRU BATISTE.

The handsome point crochet in a rich creamy tone, in combination with pale ecru batiste, is used for this very chic tunic, which wraps around the figure in the modish manner over a clinging trained skirt of navy blue satin.

For Bridge Parties.

For some occult reason known only to the designer of this waist it has been called "the bridge blouse." Possibly the gold buttons arranged as a trimming about the square corsage is supposed to suggest the coin of the

MAGPIE EFFECT IN BLOUSE.

realm that at some parties changes hands in a most distressing fashion. The waist is of white chiffon cloth with a front emplecement of black tulle. A big splashing chou of scarlet tulle enlivens this chic waist.

Embroidery on Kid.

Frenchwomen are enthusiastic over the fad of using kid trimmings on their outdoor costumes. But the kid must be embroidered. Soft white or very light colored kid is used and is fashioned into belts, collars and revers bands.

Any shape that suits the fancy is used, but all must correspond. The work is done in silk and metal threads, and the raw edge of the kid is finished off with a cord of heavy thread of dull gold or silver. Any simple design can be worked out, but be sure to let the design be simple. One does not wish to cover too closely the beauty of the kid.

A favorite adaptation of the work is the loose "ceintures," or fronts, worn beneath the fashionable boleros of cloth or velvet.

The kid fits in the space between the fronts of the bolero and reaches to the belt line. It is then embroidered, using white or two tones of silk that correspond with the color of the gown.

Little loops are placed at the sides and these fastened to hooks sewed inside the bolero. Sleeve bands to match add another trig touch to the costume.

The work has many other uses besides dress trimmings. It can be made into charming opera bags, holders for various things or mounted on cardboard for picture frames, fancy boxes, etc.

LOUIS NAPOLEON'S ESCAPE.

Disguised as a Workman He Fooled the Ham Fortress Guard.

From the researches made by M. Thirria come some interesting details of the escape of Louis Napoleon from the fortress of Ham, in northern France, on May 25, 1846.

It seems that the sole credit for the escape must lie with Louis Napoleon himself. He made his valet, Thelin, buy a black wig, some rouge, a cap which was scrubbed with pumice stone and a pair of sabots. Then he cut off his mustache, put on a blue apron, a blue pair of trousers and a close fitting shirt of coarse stuff.

Some workmen were carrying out some repairs to that part of the fortress where the prince lodged, and this gave color to his disguise, so much so that the two watchmen entertained no suspicions regarding the man who walked past them and out at the great gate, a pipe in his mouth and a plank on his shoulder. The sergeant on duty at the drawbridge was reading a letter as he passed and took no notice of him. It was then 5 o'clock in the morning.

Four times that day, the last time at 5 in the afternoon, did the governor, Demarle, send for the prince. Each time Dr. Conneau replied that the prisoner could not see anybody because he had taken medicine. When at last the governor lost patience and went himself to the prince's room and walked up to the bed on which the supposed invalid was lying he discovered that a very presentable dummy had taken the place of Louis Napoleon. The discovery was made too late. By that time the fugitive was over the Belgian frontier.—Paris Journal des Debates.

A REAL MAGIC CAP.

Curious Experience of a German Organist In St. Petersburg.

Not very long ago a German organist who went to St. Petersburg to live had there an experience with a new cap that for a time almost made him believe in the magic of the Teutonic fairy tales.

The organist bought the cap during his first day at the Russian capital and wore it the next day when he went out for a walk. On his return to his lodgings he was amazed to find two gold purses in his pocket, one of which contained a sum equivalent to $50.

The next day, after his usual walk, he found four purses in his outside pocket, a find that caused him to doubt his senses. A third day, with a similar profitable result, sent him to the chief of police to tell his story.

The authorities detailed a detective to go with the German to the tailor who made the cap. Investigation disclosed the fact that it had been constructed of an odd piece of English cloth brought in by a stranger. From it the tailor had made fifteen identical caps to order. Having a bit left, he had constructed a sixteenth cap, which was the one sold to the organist.

The detective then followed the organist through the streets of the city, when the mystery was solved. The cap, it appears, was the emblem of a gang of pickpockets working co-operatively. The one who secured a purse dropped it into the pocket of the first confederate he saw. The cap had identified the German, and he had reaped the reward.

With this clew it was an easy matter for the Russian authorities to catch the whole gang.—Youth's Companion.

The Port of Workless Men.

One morning we passed through a square in Moscow containing nothing but men—wild eyed, long haired, long bearded men—men in rags, most of them, and all of them compelled to come there and wait to be hired to work. To that square must all workingmen go who seek work. The city feeds them while they wait a single small piece of black bread each day. Some never leave that square, but wait there their lifetime through. They gazed upon our handsome landau with hungry and wolfish eyes. I never before beheld so frightful, unkempt a company of hopeless, hapless, hungry human slaves as these Russian workingmen who waited for a job.—William Seymour Edwards in "Through Scandinavia to Moscow."

Wrong, but True.

"Now, Johnny," said the teacher after she had explained the meaning of the word, "I wish you would write a sentence containing 'defeat.'"

After a struggle which lasted for about twenty minutes Johnny announced that he was ready to be heard.

"Please read your composition," the teacher directed.

"When you git shoes dat's too tite," Johnny read, "it's hard on de feet."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Undecided.

"What struck you most forcibly during your visit to the city, Uncle Hiram?" asked the village oracle.

"Waal," ruminated Uncle Hiram, "when I cum to in the hospital I'll be gosh dinged if I could rec'lect whether it was a trolley car or one o' them derned ottymobiles."—Philadelphia Record.

Her Strikes.

Mr. Benedict—Do you know, my dear, I think we have a pretty good cook. How does she strike you? Mrs. Benedict—For more wages about once a week.—Illustrated Bits.

Showed It.

Dora—Do you think it would be conceited of me to say I made this dress myself? Grace (sweetly)—Not conceited, dear; only superfluous.—London Watch Dog.

THE SHEPHERD.

Let the sheep out in the yards on fine days, but never expose them to storms.

Old ewes should be fattened and disposed of before they lose any teeth. They are all right, as a rule, up to six years or a little older.

Ten tons of hay will feed 100 sheep one year. The hay should be clover, alfalfa or mixed grasses, such as redtop, blue grass, alsike clover, etc.

Sheep, like other animals, are creatures of habit and should always be handled by the same attendant, who should move among them gently and give notice of his approach by speaking to the flock.

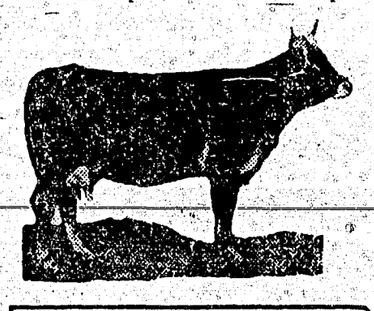
It is not wise to let the lambs shift for themselves with older sheep.

Sheep should have salt by them all the time. Keep salt in a box in the pen or pens and keep salt in it all the time. If deprived of salt they might eat too much when a fresh supply is given.

THE SUCCESSFUL COW.

Points That Indicate a Profitable Dairy Animal.

The three essentials for a successful dairy cow are vigor, capacity for food and well developed organs for milk production. The cow must have a good breathing apparatus, indicated by a large nostril, wide breast and good width across the floor of the chest. Good width here and good girth indicate a good heart. The eye is also indicative of strength and good physical condition, as well as temperament. A strong nerve system is also needed. This may be tested by running the hand along the top line of the cow in the region of the chine to find out if this is open, indicating that she has good protection and ample room for the spinal cord to run in. She also must have large organs of digestion. The good dairy cow usually is wide in the forehead, the face dished between the eyes with a strong under jaw. The head should be of medium length. She should have wide, open, well sprung ribs. The hips should be wide apart



A twelve months' record of 9,578 pounds of milk and 425.09 pounds of butter fat qualified the Brown Swiss cow Vogel, herewith pictured, for the registry of production of the Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' association. This equals 500.11 pounds of butter, 85 per cent fat. Vogel is a typical Brown Swiss cow of generous proportions, weighing about 1,500 pounds. She won first prize at the Illinois state fair in 1908 as a four-year-old. The official test by the University of Illinois was made under commercial farm conditions, the cow running with the herd on pasture during the summer.

and level. In the conformation of the thighs and legs there should be ample udder room.

The udder itself should commence well up and extend along the under line until it gradually blends with it, thus insuring the greatest capacity. The veins should be prominent, indicating a large amount of blood circulation. The milk vein which extends from the udder along the under side of the abdominal wall should be large, crooked and long. These veins bear a direct relation to the milk secreted.

In addition to these general characteristics a breeder may desire distinguishing breed characteristics and uniformity of type in his herd.

A happy combination of pedigree and selection of the animal is what is needed by the breeder. The more animals one has of high breeding quality in the pedigree the less likelihood one has of bringing together two low producing characters and getting as a result an animal of low production. It is generally conceded that the influence of parents in heredity is 50 per cent, of the grandparents 25 per cent and of the great-grandparents but 12.5 per cent. Thus an animal that is removed six or seven generations from another animal under consideration has but small influence.—Professor P. A. Campbell, Maine Experiment Station.

The Dairy Herd.

A man's dairy herd will be just what his ideas of a dairy herd are. If he gives the herd no thought it will be a poor herd with small producing ability. It is the amount of thought and applied energy that causes a man to rise above the average, whether in dairying or wheat or corn growing. A dairy herd can't be built up by growing and hauling feed alone. The man's mind and the things the mind only can do will improve the herd. These columns give you the best thought of the time in dairy herd improvement, and so does the thinking. If you will apply the thought it will be well worth your while.—Kansas Farmer.

Fresh Earth For Hogs.

If you are not situated so that you can let your hogs out, draw a load of earth and throw it over into the pens now and then. The hogs will work it over and take a lot of comfort doing it. Makes them grow faster too.

Milady's Mirror

Make Your Own Rouge.

If you are dissatisfied with the rouge you are using try making your own. A very simple way of preparing a harmless rouge is by tinting a portion of a tried and true cold cream with carmine. Be sure that only the fruit or vegetable tint is procured for tinting purposes. If a poisonous tint is used where a minute break in the skin of the face or lips is present it is liable to result disastrously, causing blood poisoning or chronic skin disease. A vegetable or fruit carmine powder worked into cold cream (not the disappearing kind) until evenly distributed and placed in a rouge box is a safe and delightful toilet adjunct and a benefit to the skin rather than an injury. By mixing equal portions of faintly pink face powder and pure rice powder a wonderfully transparent blush tint is obtained. White, as a rule, shows plainly against the skin, especially if the complexion inclines toward ivory. Pink has the equally undesirable quality of causing a natural flush to appear almost florid, besides giving a note of artificiality to the face. By blending the two and applying the result with a piece of soft white velvet a clear, flesh tone becoming to almost every complexion is acquired.

Keep Windows Open.

Don't sleep in a closed room.

Fresh air is the basis requisite to good health. A sealed chamber is a breeding place of disease.

The lungs utilize the oxygen they breathe and expel their impurities in your exhalations.

Within an hour a man consumes all the oxygen in the average room. If the windows and transoms are down and the door is shut thereafter he breathes foul poisons.

Rural communities should, by reason of natural advantages, be practically immune from the "white plague," but statistics show a greater percentage of consumptives among farmers than any other class of people.

Who isn't familiar with the deadly parlor, with its stale atmosphere, where for days at a stretch whole generations of malignant germs are permitted to incubate undisturbed. A week often passes without the admission of sunlight. As well spend an afternoon in a smoke filled tunnel as remain in such a pesthole.

Open the windows even in the rain—far better to spoil a few trumpery lace curtains and spot the carpet than jeopardize your health.

Beauty Hint For Thin Girl.

The thin girl in the morning, after a sponge bath with a thorough rub, should drink half a glassful of comfortably hot water. When appetite is felt a soft boiled egg, a piece of whole wheat bread thoroughly baked and well buttered and, a little while after, a glass of cool water, not iced, may be taken. The noonday meal should consist of a good clear beef soup, a broiled steak or roast beef, a little boiled rice, a lettuce salad with olive oil dressing and some simple dessert; for supper beef or mutton boiled and good whole wheat bread well buttered. At the close of this meal a cup of hot chocolate is taken and another of hot milk on retiring.

Perfumed Toilet Articles.

Glancing over the dressing table of the woman of exquisite taste, one of the first facts to attract attention is that all these little articles of the toilet are marked by the same odor seen on her perfume and scent bottles. Powder, talcum, lip rouge, cold creams, even manicuring articles all disclose the same mark, the result being like a breath of perfume from a bank of flowers. No conflicting and often cloying odors are present to destroy the single scent. Involuntarily you say, "You are fond of violets, aren't you?" or roses or lilacs or lilies or oriental perfumes, as the case may be. As you replace your toilet requisites try having them all of one fragrance.

A Practical Manicure.

A practical way of keeping the finger nails well in order is that to treat them to one or two strokes of the file every morning. First have them shaped and the cuticle trimmed by a manicurist, then be careful to preserve the shape when filing. In this way nails can be kept looking well for at least a month, and the regular allowance for manicuring will be a fourth or at least a half of the former amount.

Polish the tips slightly after the morning filing, but do not use the buffer until the nails are hot, as this causes them to become brittle.

Care of False Hair.

If neglected the most costly bought hair is soon worthless—worse, disease breeding. The puffs, switch or transformation should be brushed as carefully as the real hair and as often. The best way to do it is to put a towel on the lap or table and, spreading the piece on it, brush with a rubber backed boar bristle brush, wet one side, then the other. This removes tangles and does not tear the hair, as does a comb.

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FRANCIS M TORDIFFE

Dated this 8th day of April 1912

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ROLAND A. LAIRD

Francis T. Tordiffe, Agent

Dated this 8th day of April 1912

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JOHN S. KENNEDY.

[illegible] M. Tordiffe, Agent

[illegible] 8th day of April 1912

NOTICE is hereby given that at the [illegible] of the Board of License [illegible] of Cumberland [illegible] license [illegible] by retail in and upon the [illegible] known as the [illegible] Hotel, situated on Lot 6, Block 7, Cumberland townsite.

VICTOR BONORA

[illegible] May 1912

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BERNARD S. SPRINGETT

Francis M. Tordiffe, Agent

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NETTIE C LAIRD

Francis N. Tordiffe, Agent

Dated this 8th day of April 1912.

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ARCHIBALD TORDIFFE

Francis M. Tordiffe, Agent

Dated this 8th day of April 1912

NOTICE is hereby given that on the first day of June next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, B. C., for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Wilson Hotel, Union Bay, B. C., from John Humphrey to Alfred Raper Horne.

John Humphrey,
Holder of License,
Alfred Raper Horne,
Applicant

Date May 25th, 1912.

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The business will in future be carried on by Elmer Loggie and Harry F. Loggie under the firm of Loggie Bros.

Dated this 15th day of April 1912

Harry F. Loggie.

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NOTICE

Land District, Coast.
District of Coast, Range I.

[TAK]E NOTICE that I, Mary Thulin, occupation Married woman, intend to apply to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north, and 40 chains east, of the south-west corner of lot 44, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Signed, MARY THULIN,
Geo. Verker, Agent.

Dated March 1st, 1912.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the City Pound By law will in future be enforced. Milch cows only, are allowed to run at large from seven in the morning until eight in the afternoon of each day. By order of City Council.

A. McKinnon, City Clerk.

City Hall, April 24th, 1912.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast

TAKE notice that George Kilby, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation contractor and builder, intends to apply for permission to lease the follovind described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the W. side of Loughborough Inlet, nearly opposite Green Point rapids, and a little north from the N. E. corner of Timber Limit 44808, being vacant land, thence South 20 chains, thence West 40 chains, thence North about 25 chains more or less to high water mark on Loughborough Inlet, thence southerly following the high water mark of Loughborough Inlet to point of commencement, containing 100 acres more or less.

GEORGE KILBY, Applicant.

Dated January 20th, 1912.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast

TAKE notice that Major S. Williams, of Vancouver, B. C., intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the East side of Philips Arm, near the S. W. corner of W and C Limit No. 92, being the S. W. corner, thence East 40 chains, thence North 40 chains, thence West 40 chains to high water mark on Philips Arm, thence southerly following the high water mark to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

MAJOR S. WILLIAMS,
George Kilby, Agent.

Dated January 23rd, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, Victoria, for a transfer of the Hotel license to sell liquors by retail in the hotel known as the Nelson House, situated at Union Bay, B. C., to John A Fraser.

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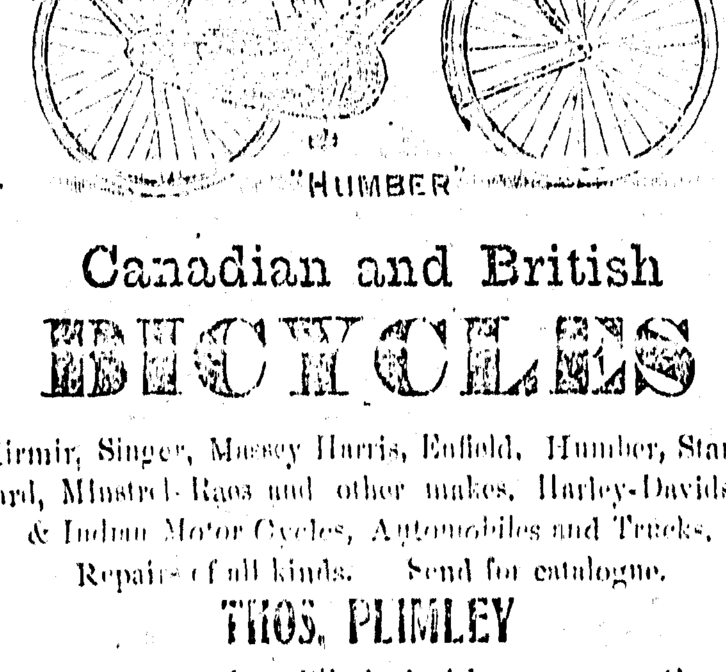

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