

GIVE YOUR FIRST OF THE MONTH ORDERS TO THE IDEAL STORE

THE CUMBERLAND NEWS.

A Journal Devoted Especially, to the Interests of Comox District.

THE NEWS, NINETEENTH YEAR.

CUMBERLAND B. C., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26 1912

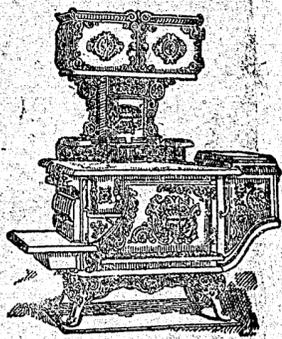
SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 A YEAR

The Big Store.

WATCH This Space
Next Week For Our
"RED SAG"
Whitewear Sale.

We want Your
Grocery Order

SIMON LEISER & CO., Ltd



FOR
STOVES
AND
RANGES

Furniture and Household
Supplies

Baths,
Lavatories,
Plumbing,
Plumbing
Supplies



(MAGNET CASH STORE)

PHONE 31

T. E. BATE

Grand Opening

The Cumberland De-
partment Stores
JUNE 30

WITH an entirely new stock of gro-
ceries, dry goods, gent's furnishings,
clothing, boots and shoes, house fur-
nishings and furniture, hardware and
enamelware, crockeryware, glassware,
drugs, stationery, etc. etc.

To celebrate the occasion, and as
an acknowledgement of the support
we have already received, we are mak-
ing a \$5000 Cash Distribution. Call,
phone or write for particulars.

W. A. WAGENHAUSER F. P. ONATE
PROPRIETORS

Corner of First St and Dunsmuir Ave
CUMBERLAND, B. C.

Phone 10 P. O. Box 100

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

CAPITAL, \$15,000,000 REST, \$12,500,000

MONEY ORDERS

Issued by The Canadian Bank of Commerce, are a safe, convenient and
inexpensive method of remitting small sums of money. These Orders,
payable without charge at any bank in Canada (except in the Yukon
Territory) and in the principal cities of the United States, are issued at
the following rates:

\$5 and under	3 cents
Over 5 and not exceeding \$10	6 "
" 10 " " 30	10 "
" 30 " " 50	15 "

REMITTANCES ABROAD

should be made by means of our SPECIAL FOREIGN DRAFTS and MONEY
ORDERS. Issued without delay at reasonable rates.
CUMBERLAND BRANCH..... W. T. WHITE, Manager

BAIRD-CARNEY.

On the evening of the 20th.
inst. at the residence of the bride's
parents, Derwent Avenue, Miss
Ellen Baird, fourth daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. James Baird, and
Mr. Thomas Carney were united
in marriage. The ceremony was
performed in the presence of a
large number of friends and rela-
tives, Rev. J. Hood of St George's
Presbyterian church officiating.
The bride was becomingly attired
in a lavender silk gown with
which she wore the conventional
bridal veil and orange blossoms.
She was attended by her cousin
Miss Kate McNeil, while Mr.
Glas. Walker performed the du-
ties of best man. The popular-
ity of the newly wedded pair was
attested to in the large number
of handsome presents received.
They will make their home with
the bride's parents for the present.

It is estimated that Canada has
enough coal to last for 6,000
years.—Don't worry, you won't
be here when the supply runs out.
"Duffy" is a "crackerjack" on
our "Armstrong" Press. He is
developing a muscle that would
eclipse Jack Johnson's.

Patriotic service will be held
in the Presbyterian church Sun-
day morning at 11 o'clock. The
Sunday school children with their
parents and friends are expected
to be present. The pastor will
deliver an address on "citizen-
ship." Everybody come.

Mr. A. B. Boyer, principal of
our public school will take his
final leave of our city this week.—
"Will ye no come back again."

TEACHER WANTED for Min-
to public school. Salary \$75.00
per month. Apply to Alex Som-
erville, Secretary, Mintz, B. C.

FORSALE—One gasoline
launch, 10 h. p. engine, 30 feet
6 inches long; 7 1/2 ft. beam, cabin
to hold 25 passengers. An up-
to-date boat. Terms can be giv-
en if necessary. A snap. Enquire
at this office.

The Ladies of the Maccabees
will hold a dance in the Cumber-
land Hall, on the evening of July
1st. Roy's Orchestra will be in
attendance. Refreshments will be
served during the evening free.
A very enjoyable evening is
promised.

Mrs. Rambler, sister of Mr. G.
W. Clinton returned to her home
at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on
Wednesday last.

Wilt Clinton arrived home
from Lehigh University, Pennsylv-
vania on Sunday morning.

Lewis Shearer, fireboss at No.
5 mine, had his skull badly frac-
tured at that mine on Sunday
night while working around one
of the pumps. He is in a crit-
ical condition. A driver named
Harry Anderson was also injured
by the same pump, but not seri-
ously, and is doing well.

STOWE ACQUITTED.

The sessions of the Nanaimo
Assize Court were brought to a
close on Friday evening last,
with the disposal of the case of
Rex vs. Stowe, a rancher of Sal-
mon River, who was charged with
the murder of his neighbor one
John Cavin, in February last, the
jury being out two hours return-
ing with a verdict of "Not Guilty,"
the prisoner being discharged
from custody immediately.—Na-
no Herald

J. A. Bates, proprietor of the
Fraser Valley Record and the Ab-
botsford Post, and T. Bradstock

Brown, of the Huntington Star,
have purchased the Sumas, Wash.
News from A. Stuart. Mr.
Bates was at one time proprietor
of the Cumberland News.

Dr. Gillespie was presented
with a very handsome gold-headed
cane by the members of Grace
Methodist Sunday school and
choir. The presentation took
place at Roy's Beach on Saturday
last.—We expected that some-
thing serious would happen to the
doctor before he got away from
Cumberland.—Ed.

A couple of gold-headed canes
presented to "Dad," would be
very much appreciated at the pre-
sent time.

FOUND—A pair of spectacles.
Apply this office.

Mr. Geo. W. Clinton and Miss
Amy Chambers, late principal of
our high school, were united in
marriage at Duncan on Wednes-
day last, the Rev. P. Christmas
officiating. After the reception
the happy couple left on a short
honeymoon trip to Sound cities.
The News extends congratula-
tions.

ARRIVAL AND DEPART- URE OF MAILS

The following is the schedule
for the arrival and departure of
the mails:—

Arrive Tuesday.. at 8.30 p. m.
Arrive Thursday at .. 9.30 p.m.
Arrive Saturday at ... 8.30 p.m.
Depart Wednesday ... at 7 a.m.
Depart Friday..... at 7 a.m.
Depart Saturday ... at 4.30 p.m.

President Taft has secured the
Republican nomination by a large
majority. "Folky" was com-
pletely bowled over, but he is not
down for keeps.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

A Strawberry Social will be
held on Thursday afternoon in Mr.
Clinton's grounds. Tea, Ice
Cream and Sale of Work. Every-
body welcome. Admission free.
Dance in the evening.

On Sunday next, Dr. Roper,
Bishop of Columbia will preach
in Holy Trinity church at even-
ing service. A reception will be
given by the congregation on the
following Tuesday, to which the
public is cordially invited.

Miss Jessie Frame arrived
home from Vancouver on Thurs-
day last, where she has been at-
tending Normal School.

The motor bus service is now
in full swing and is doing a good
business.

Ticket 728 held by Willie Mc-
Lellan, won the \$50 diamond
ring drawn for at the Cumber-
land Hall on Saturday night.

The Ambulance Class concert
held in the Cumberland Hall on
Monday evening was a very suc-
cessful affair. A large audience
greeted the entertainers, who ap-
parently enjoyed every item of
the excellent programme. Dur-
ing the evening Mr. Joseph
Horbury was presented with a
gold medal for efficiency in am-
bulance work. Dr. Gillespie
was also presented with a very
handsome silver tea service and
tray by the members of the class,
in appreciation of his faithful and
valuable services.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton arrived
home on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. A. Mounce was hos-
tess at tennis on Tuesday after-
noon. About twenty-five were
present.

We wish the boys, girls and
teachers a very enjoyable vaca-
tion.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gillespie was pre-
sented at the picnic grounds on
Saturday last, with two handsome
pieces of cut glass by the mem-
bers of her Sunday school class.

Mr. Clarke, of Victoria High
School, and a former principal of
Cumberland High School, arrived
in town on Saturday last. He is
conducting the High School ex-
aminations.

The "blind piggers" certainly
got an eye-opener in the \$300
fine each and costs. And to think
that that good looking \$1500 goes
to the government and not to the
city. The fates must be against
us.

Constable Stephenson is cer-
tainly on to his job. May he con-
tinue in the good work.

Rev. Laffere we are pleased to
learn will be the next principal of
our High School.

Percy Winch of Ladysmith,
was in town this week.

Dunsmuir Avenue is rapidly
filling up with business blocks.

Rev. B. C. Freeman expects to
leave next week on a two-weeks
vacation trip to Bella Coola.

Campbell Bros. Specials.

White Cotton 32 inch fine finish, no dressing, usually
15c per yard. NOW 2 yds for 25c.

Fine White Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, usual price
20c a yd. NOW 15c a yd.

Kingston Ginghams in plains, checks, and stripes at
8 yds for one dollar, reduced from 15c a yd

Ladies House Gowns sizes 34 to 42, low neck and
3-4 sleeves, splendid washing prints and ginghams
at \$2 each

Special assortment of Child's muslins in satens
and mercerized mulls, prices 30c, 50c and 60c each

Our Bathing Suits for ladies, men and boys are now
being put up and are one of our best and most
these seasonal goods.

Ladies' dainty white embroidered wash belts, all size
at 35c each.

Campbell Bros.

Dunsmuir Avenue

Cumberland, B. C.

IN THE BALANCE

By L. G. MOBERLY

Author of "Dan and Another," "A Tangled Web," "Sign of Allison Deering," etc., etc.
WARD, LOCK & CO., LIMITED
London, Melbourne and Toronto.

(Continued.)

CHAPTER XII.

Dorothy Hennesley sat alone in her boudoir. The tea-table was beside her, but she had waited to pour out the tea until Miles came in from his sitting to Mr. Bevan, which was to have been followed by a visit to one of his outlying farms, and Dorothy, absorbed in a book, did not notice how time was passing until the little clock on the mantelpiece chimed half-past five.

"Miles is late," she thought of closing the book and drawing the tea-table nearer to her chair; "he was so sure of being back to tea, but something must have detained him. I wish—she drew her brows together, and her eyes instinctively turned towards the June sky seen through the open window—"I wish he wouldn't wear himself out over the estate. I believe he thinks I want him to wear himself to death." She pushed away her half-finished cup of tea and sat back in her chair again, allowing her thoughts to roam over the past few weeks, and further still to those other weeks that had come before her wedding, before the strange day when she had promised to be Miles' wife.

Looking round her pretty, luxuriously-furnished room, it was difficult to think herself back into the days in the dreary lodging-house, when she had been the sole support and protector of the father and mother who had leant upon her so heavily. It was hard to determine which was the most dream-like—that time of monotonous struggle or her new existence, sheltered from every difficulty, wrapped round by Miles' protecting care, shut away into a world of peace from all fret and disturbance.

How good he had been to her! That was the predominating reflection of Miles' wife; how infinitely patient and good he had been, facing the future with a quiet courage towards which her whole soul rose up in passionate admiration, demanding from her no more of tenderness than she was willing to give; never failing to make her his first thought, his first consideration. She never allowed herself to look forward nor to let herself think of Oliver Dyncourt at all—but this afternoon, waiting for Miles in the rose-scented fragrance of her pretty room, Oliver's face rose suddenly before her—Oliver's face and Miles'—side by side, in strange juxtaposition. It was almost as if the two men actually stood there, so plainly did the eyes of her mind see them both—Miles' face, strong and fair, his quiet grey eyes full of steadfastness; Oliver's dark handsomeness, his eyes aglow with passion. The whimsical fancy came to her that the two were standing there before her bidding her choose between them; asking her to decide, once for all, to which of them her heart was most wholly given.

"Oliver—oh, Oliver," she whispered under her breath. "I couldn't be untrue to you, and if I am trying to be faithful in every thought to Miles, remember he has such a little thing, and I must give him of my best. He is so good to me—so very good!"

Was there reproach, or a mocking smile in Oliver's dark eyes as the vision slowly faded? Dorothy could not answer her own question. She only knew that in some unaccountable way a new factor seemed to have crept into her feelings for the two men who played a part in her life—that some subtle and indefinable sensation made her move from her chair

and lean out of the window to breathe the fresh sweetness of the June evening. Far away across the park the church clock chimed six, and at the same moment Dorothy caught sight of her husband's figure walking slowly up the avenue. He walked so slowly and with such an air of dejection or fatigue, she could not at a distance tell which, that she hurried from her boudoir and into the garden to meet him—all her dreams and fancies vanishing in the womanly longing to help and comfort a tired man.

"I saw you coming," she said to him, slipping her hand through his arm when they met. "I thought I would meet you—and why—Miles, what is it? You don't feel ill, do you, dear?"

Her sentence broke off thus abruptly as her eyes ran over his face and she observed his curious pallor, and a certain strained look in his eyes. He was breathing a little heavily too, as if after great exertion or mental emotion, and as her hand touched his she found it cold as ice.

"Is anything the matter?" she said, when he did not at first answer, but stood still on the gravelled drive looking at her with dazed eyes, as if she were a stranger or the last person he had expected to see in that place.

"Dorothy," he said, after that moment's strange fixed stare, "I—yes—something is the matter," he began to speak rapidly, almost feverishly, after the first hesitating words. "I've hardly taken in yet what a difference it is going to make—it's come as such an unexpected blow."

"What has come as an unexpected blow?" Dorothy's voice was very quiet; there was a soothing note in its gentle tones. "Has something upset you, dear? Tell me all about it." Her calm manner, the gentleness of her voice, and exactly the right effect upon the man's excitement—for that he was labouring under some intense excitement was perfectly obvious to his wife—and he answered her in more natural tones, whilst they walked slowly together towards the house.

"I feel as if I had deceived you," he exclaimed, "that is what worries me most."

"Deceived me?" Dorothy looked into his disturbed face with a sudden wonder whether his disease had taken a new direction and was affecting his brain. "I don't understand what you mean. How could you have deceived me?"

"At any rate it was an unintentional deceit," he said with a short laugh. "God knows, when I asked you—when I forced you to be my wife, I thought I was offering you something that was at least my own. I never dreamt that there was any insecurity in my position—I never dreamt of the possibility of what has happened."

"But what has happened?" Dorothy questioned, her guiding hand on her husband's arm drawing him towards the open window of the library; "remember I am still in the dark. I don't know what you mean when you talk of insecurity and of what has happened. Has something happened to-day?"

"I am a brute to come and startle you like this—you look quite white and frightened," Miles answered, putting her into a big armchair by the window and standing himself just where he could see out across the fair outlook over garden and park. "The thing upset me a good bit myself, but I've no business to come and vent my worries on you."

"No business to let your wife share all that upsets you?" Dorothy answered gently, with the smile that Miles loved to call up on her face. "I should be very angry with you, really very angry, if you did not bring all your troubles to me, little and big. And this—is something big?" she added, laying her hand on his coat-sleeve.

"Very big," he answered grimly, and the look in his eyes as they met hers startled her; "look here, dear, I am no good at beating about the bush. I should have made a sorry sort of diplomatist; I can't break bad news skillfully, and this is bad news. I have heard to-day—he spoke more slowly, and his hand caught Dorothy's hand and wrung it hard—"I have been told, on what seems unimpeachable authority, that—I am not my uncle's heir. A grandson has turned up."

"A—grandson?"

"Well, the fellow seems to have fairly valid proofs that he is the son of that scapegrace cousin of mine, George Hennesley. And if, as seems probable, his mother and my cousin were legally married, this man is my uncle's heir."

"Where have you heard this? and are you sure it is absolutely true?" Dorothy asked, intent only on administering comfort to Miles, and oblivious of the import of his words as they concerned herself.

"From the man himself." A curious look passed over Miles' face, a look his wife could not interpret. "By one of those odd coincidences which sound like fairy tales in real life, the man is Mr. Somers' clerk. Douglas Tritton he has always been called until he made this discovery about himself. He owns the white cottage which Mr. Bevan has taken."

"That man?" Dorothy exclaimed, scarcely heeding the end of Miles' sentence; "that sallow-faced young man with the shifty eyes? But, Miles—wait—how strange—don't you remember the day when Mr. Bevan came over to the house, when we brought him to the picture gallery? He said the portrait of your puritan ancestor, Sir Ralph, was exactly like his landlord?"

CANADA BEATS THE U.S.

MORE HONORS FOR GIN PILLS
Holyoke, Mass., U.S.A.
"Having taken two boxes of your excellent GIN PILLS, they relieved me so much that I am quite satisfied with the results. I gave an order to my druggist about three weeks ago to send me some more. Nothing has come yet and I had to borrow a box from a lady friend who is also using GIN PILLS. I have none left and am sending you \$1.50 for three boxes which I would ask you to send at once as I am not quite so well when I am without GIN PILLS."

AGATHE VANESSE.
Gin Pills must be good when people in Massachusetts send all the way to Toronto to get them. There is nothing like Gin Pills—nothing just the same or just as good. Don't accept substitutes if you value your health and want to be cured of Kidney and Bladder Trouble, or Rheumatism. Insist on having Gin Pills. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Dept. N.U., Toronto. 92

met me; he wanted to speak to me most urgently. I was a bit surprised—the fellow's manner was so familiar—and I'm afraid I stiffened up a little and said I was in a hurry and going on to Raeburn's farm, and all that sort of thing, you know, Dorothy. I can't stand that sort of bounder."

Dorothy smiled.

"That sort of bounder" and Miles were such poles asunder that she felt it was not surprising her husband should find it difficult to hear familiarly from a man of Denis Tritton's type.

(To be Continued.)

Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, it is swollen, and the perfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammation of the mucous surface.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

An Advertising Genius.
He was an old merchant who had built up a big business by advertising.
"John," said his wife, "what do you want on your tombstone?"
"Oh," he answered, "it isn't very important what the text is so long as it gets good space and is well displayed."

The importation of foreign gloves to the United Kingdom was forbidden until 1825.

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

A concern in Buenos Ayres, Argentina, is about to instal machinery to be used in a factory for producing fertilizing materials. It is proposed to utilize grasshoppers and their eggs, thus converting a destroyer of the crop into fertilizing material.

NERVOUS DISEASES IN THE SPRING
Cured by Toning the Blood And Strengthening the Nerves.

It is the opinion of the best medical authorities, after long observation, that nervous diseases are more common and more serious in the spring than at any other time of the year. Vital changes in the system, after long winter months, may cause such more trouble than the familiar spring weakness and weariness from which most people suffer as the result of indoor life, in poorly ventilated and often overheated buildings. Official records prove that in April and May neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, epilepsy and other forms of nerve troubles are at their worst, and that then, more than any other time, a blood-making, nerve-restoring tonic is needed.

The antiquated custom of taking purgatives in the spring is useless, for the system really needs strengthening, while purgatives only gallop through the bowels, leaving you weaker. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best medicine, for they actually make the blood rich, red blood that feeds the starved nerves, and thus cure the many forms of nervous disorders. They cure also such other forms of spring troubles as headaches, poor appetite, weakness in the limbs, as well as remove unsightly pimples and eruptions. In fact they unfailingly bring new health and strength to weak, tired and depressed men, women and children.

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.

There are six hundred professional story tellers in Tokio, who wander from house to house to spin yarns at the rate of 20 cents an hour. The story teller learns a new set of stories when he was the only ones getting paid.

DRESS OF JAPANESE BRIDES

White Worn for Part of the Ceremony, But for a Strange Reason.
Brides in Japan follow the same custom which prevails in the Western world, that of wearing white at the wedding ceremony; at least during a part of it. But the significance attached to the choice of this color is quite different on the two sides of the world.

The Japanese bride is dressed first in resplendent garments of white silk, the sleeves of the costume usually being about three feet in length, while the sash, an important feature, measures about 11 feet in length.

But white, as the Oriental Review explains, is the mourning color in Japan, and the bride, leaving her parents' house, considers herself dead in the sense that she will never return alive, preferring death to divorce, and in consequence wearing a white costume.

After the exchange of cups of sake with the bridegroom, which is the most important part of the wedding ceremony, the bride changes her costume to a red one. This is called *iromaoshi* (changing color). Red is supposed to have a purifying power, and perhaps clears the minds of the parties of all association of mourning.

This is the origin of the Japanese custom of using white costume at weddings, but many people in modern Japan do not any longer have time to bother their heads with these questions of color, and simply go ahead and marry according to the accepted custom, with no thought of what the colors signify.

The Primitive Kubus.

A people without any form of religion, without superstition, devoid of any thought of the future state, has been found in the interior forests of Sumatra, according to Dr. Wilhelm Valez, the geologist of the University of Breslau, who has made extensive journeys through the island.

There he found the Kubus, as he named them, who are scarcely to be distinguished from the small manlike ape of the Indo-Malayan countries. They are wanderers through the forest seeking food; they have no property. They are not hunters, but simple collectors. They seek merely sufficient nuts, fruits and other edible growths to keep them alive.

The Kubus wage very little warfare upon the small amount of animal life in their silent and sombre land. The only notion that Prof. Valez could get from them of a difference between a live and a dead person was that the dead do not breathe. He infers that they are immeasurably inferior to the paleolithic man of Europe, who fashioned tools and hunted big game with his flint-tipped arrow and knife. Intellectual atrophy is the result of the Kubus' environment. The words they know are almost as few as the ideas they try to express.—London Globe.

Troublesome English.

The Liverpool tramway authorities have furnished two quaint additions to the literature of notices. Some years ago this notice was posted in the Liverpool cars: "Passengers are requested to pay no more pennies than the conductor in their presence punches holes in their tickets for." This was criticized, and another effort was made and posted: "Passengers are requested to pay no more pennies than for which the conductor in their presence punches holes in their tickets." This, too, was pronounced a failure, and the official concluded that language had not yet been invented which would express, what they felt. But don't you know exactly what the official notice meant?—The London Chronicle.

Lost Trade.

It was at the dentist's and Potz was the object in the chair a miserable dejected, forlorn object. The operation was ended and the dentist was ostentatiously cleaning his forceps and smiling at the result of his muscular efforts. "I must charge you \$9," he said at length to the suffering patient, whom he had treated with more force than skill. The unlucky victim turned upon his persecutor.

"What! Nine dollars? Why, you promised to charge me only three!"
"Yes," agreed the tooth tigger cheerfully, "that in truth was my contract for the performance."
"Well," queried the tormented one, "but you yelled so loudly that you've scared away three other three dollar patients!"—New York Mail.

A plea for the reindeer and the musk ox is made by Knud Rasmussen and Peter Freuchen, the Danish polar explorers, who have sent a report on their investigations from North-western Greenland to the Royal Geographical Society in Copenhagen. The explorers say that the reindeer are all but extinct in the Cape York district, only thirty-five head remaining. Musk oxen are now only found in Ellesmere Land, and American hunters are said to be exterminating them at a rapid rate.

Passenger—"Why are we so late?"
Guard—"Well, sir, the train in front was behind, and this train was behind before besides."—Punch.

Too Much.

A local author, whose name we are loath to print, was called upon by a friend one day early this week. "I am going on a long journey by train," he said, "and I know you have a dandy library, and I want something to read en route. What have you to lend me?"
"I hate to boast, but I have an awfully funny one. Here is my latest book. I won't make you give it back if you'll advertise it."
"But how can I do that?"
"Read it on the train where people can see you, and laugh heartily every few minutes."
The book was accepted, but a few days later the author received this telegram: "Return book herewith. Don't want it on terms quoted."

A luxuriously fitted private car for the use of bridal and theatre parties is maintained by the company which controls London's street railway system.

EXCESSIVE DRINKERS REGAIN SELF-MASTERY

3 DAYS

at the Neal Institute will absolutely cure the excessive Drinker of all craving and desire for alcoholic drink in any form, and this without the use of hypodermic injections. There are no bad after-effects. Booklet and complete information on request.

The Neal Institute Co., Ltd.
502 Seventh Ave. West. 405 Broadway. 2244 Smith Street.
CALGARY WINNIPEG REGINA

REST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

A 7% Safe Investment

7 per cent. guaranteed and a share in further profits. The above security is the best industrial ever offered in Canada. Write at once for particulars. National Securities Corporation, Ltd. Confederation Life Bldg., Toronto.

McPHERSON SHOES

are honestly made and their absolute perfection in every detail is the result of our 65 year experience in High Grade Shoe Building. They are absolutely the most popular and best shoes for the price in Canada. Stocked by leading dealers everywhere.

When Your Eyes Need Care

Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try it for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Illustrated Book in each Package. Murine is recommended by our doctors—not a "patent medicine"—but used in successful "Hospital" practice for many years. Now indisposed to the public and sold by druggists at 25c and 50c per bottle. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Waiting For The Egg.

Mrs. Johnson, the wife of the new minister in a New England town, asked a neighboring farmer's boy to bring her a dozen eggs and a roasting chicken when he brought the vegetables the next day. The boy appeared promptly but in his basket were only eleven eggs. "Ma says she will send over the other egg after a while," he explained.

Well, Well!

THIS is a HOME DYE that ANYONE can use. I dyed ALL these DIFFERENT KINDS of Goods with the SAME Dye. I used **DYOLA** ONE DYE FOR ALL KINDS OF GOODS. CLEAN and SIMPLE to Use.

Who in your opinion is the greatest hero of polar exploration?

"Well," replied the everyday citizen, "I don't pretend to be a judge. But that fellow who came back and owned up that he wasn't the first to arrive appeals to me pretty strongly."

There is probably more trashy stuff sold in any other line than this.

Most of it contains large quantities of alum. To avoid the use of this dangerous stuff, see that all hair-removers are plainly stated in English on the package. The words "No Alum" on the package or in an Ad. is not sufficient.

CHEW DIXIE TOBACCO

W. N. U. No. 886.

Eczema 25 Years Cured by "Cuticura"



Mrs. J. B. Hennesley, Montreal

Leg Like Raw Flesh from Knee Down

"I have been treated by doctors for twenty-five years for a bad form of eczema on my leg. They did their best, but failed. I was even doctor-hunt but refused me to have my leg cut off, but I said I would try the Cuticura Remedies. The second try they did me any good. At this time my leg was peeled from the knee down, my foot was like a piece of raw flesh and I had to walk on crutches.

"I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Remedies, and used them. Result. After the first two treatments the swelling went down and in two months the use of the Cuticura Remedies my leg was cured and the new skin grown on. The doctor could not believe his own eyes when he saw that Cuticura had cured me and said that he would use Cuticura for his own patients. But for the Cuticura Remedies I might have lost my life. I am truly grateful for the wonderful cure that Cuticura wrought and I always recommend it most highly as sure and economical cure for skin troubles." (Signed) Mrs. J. B. Hennesley, 277 Montana St., Montreal.

For more than a generation Cuticura Soap and Ointment have brought the itching and most annoying treatment for skin and scalp troubles. Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. For a liberal sample of each with 32-p. book, send to F. J. Chenevix Tanc, Corp., 48 Columbus Ave., Boston, U.S.A.

A Wonderful Discovery

An eminent scientist, the other day, gave his opinion that the most wonderful discovery of recent years was the discovery of Zam-Buk.

Then again, as soon as Zam-Buk is applied to a sore, or a cut, or to skin disease, it stops the smarting.

Again, as soon as Zam-Buk is applied to a wound or to a diseased part, the cells beneath the skin's surface are so stimulated that new healthy tissue is quickly formed.

Only the other day Mr. Marsh, of 101 Delorimier Ave., Montreal, called upon the Zam-Buk Co. and told them that for over twenty-five years he had been a martyr to eczema.

All druggists sell Zam-Buk at 50c. box, or we will send free trial box if you send this advertisement and a 1c. stamp.

The Word "Strike."

The earliest use of the word "strike" in the sense of stopping work occurs in London Chronicle for September, 1765, in connection with a coal strike.

Caution.

A commercial traveller at a railway restaurant in one of our southern towns included, in his order for breakfast, two boiled eggs.

Lady Smuggler's Ingenuity.

One of the most ingenious of modern smugglers has been trapped. A lady who travelled frequently across the Atlantic had a Belgian dog which was always with her.

MOTHER OF LARGE FAMILY

Tells How She Keeps Her Health—Happiness For Those Who Take Her Advice.

Scottville, Mich.—"I want to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have done me.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and that there will be no backache and bearing down pains for them if they will take it in the house.

"I will say also that I think there is no better medicine to be found for young girls. My eldest daughter has taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for painful periods and irregularity, and it has helped her.

"I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tell every one I meet that I owe my health and happiness to your wonderful medicine."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and today holds the record of being the most successful remedy for women's ills known.

DRESS OF JAPANESE BRIDES

White Worn for Part of the Ceremony, But for a Strange Reason.

Brides in Japan follow the same custom which prevails in the Western world, that of wearing white at the wedding ceremony, at least during a part of it.

The Japanese bride is dressed first in resplendent garments of white silk, the sleeves of the costume usually being about three feet in length.

After the exchange of cups of sake with the bridegroom, which is the most important part of the wedding ceremony, the bride changes her costume to a red one.

This is the origin of the Japanese custom of using white costume at weddings, but many people in modern Japan do not any longer have time to bother their heads with these questions of color.

The Primitive Kubus.

A people without any form of religion, without superstition, devoid of any thought of the future state, has been found in the interior forests of Sumatra.

There he found the Kubus, as he named them, who are scarcely to be distinguished from the small manlike ape of the Indo-Malayan countries.

The Kubus wage very little warfare upon the small amount of animal life in their silent and sombre land.

Caution.

The Liverpool tramway authorities have furnished two quaint additions to the literature of notices.

Troublesome English.

It was at the dentist's and Potz was the object in the chair a miserable dejected, forlorn object.

Lost Trade.

The operation was ended and the dentist was ostentatiously cleaning his forceps and smiling at the result of his muscular efforts.

"What! Nine dollars? Why, you promised to charge me only three!"

"Yes," agreed the tooth tugging cheerfully, "that in truth was my contract for the performance."

A concern in Buenos Ayres, Argentina, is about to instal machinery to be used in a factory for producing fertilizing materials.

A man who had gone to Australia on a visit met with an accident which necessitated the amputation of one of his legs.

"On arrival I interviewed the surgeons—Henceforward I shall require only one boot."

COCKSHUTT PLOW COMPANY LIMITED

There is WEALTH in your soil. Buy a COCKSHUTT PLOW and GET IT OUT! AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

Turkish Women at the Theatre.

A notice which is to be seen in one of the theatres of Constantinople effectively solves the problem of people at the back obtaining a clear view and is very much more radical than the polite request made in English and French theatres that ladies should not mar the view of the stage with huge hats.

The notice reads: "In order to render the performance agreeable to all those present the management of the theatre has decided that the spectators of the first three rows should recline, those of the next three rows lie on their knees and all the others be standing up."

After 10 years of Asthma, Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy proved the only relief for one grateful user, and this is but one cure among many.

If four-leaved clover were found in trouble patches, some of us could pick a load of them with our eyes shut!

Wouldn't Be Cheated.

An old north-country farmer visiting London put up at one of the big hotels. He had barely turned in on the first night when the "buttons" rushed into the room and switched on the electric light, exclaiming:

"The old man slowly raised himself on one elbow and, fixing the boy with a determined look, remarked: "Mind ye, if I do I wanna pay for the bed!"—Tit-Bits.

JUST ONE MORE SPLENDID CURE

RHEUMATISM WAS VANQUISHED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Amable Lamarche Tells How His Kidney Disease Developed and How he Got Relief When he Used the One Sure Cure.

Lefalvre, Ont. (Special).—Another splendid cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills is the talk of this village.

"It was a sprain and a cold that was the beginning of my trouble," Mr. Lamarche says in telling his story. "I could not sleep, my appetite was fitful and I felt heavy and sleepy after meals. I was always thirsty, had a bitter taste in my mouth and perspired freely. My limbs were heavy and I had a dragging sensation across the loins."

"When my symptoms developed into rheumatism I realized that my kidneys were the cause of the trouble and I started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Six boxes made me a well man."

"Kidney trouble quickly develops into painful and often fatal diseases. To ensure good health, cure the first symptoms with Dodd's Kidney Pills. They never fail."

Father—What! Another new dress? Daughter—You needn't be cross. I bought it with my own money.

Father—Where did you get it? Daughter—I sold your fur coat.—Illustrated Bits.

With a view to making farmers' daughters more content to remain at home, the Government of the Netherlands has established in various parts of the nation schools of housewifery, to which other branches eventually will be added.

I consider MINARD'S LINIMENT the BEST Liniment in use. I got my foot badly jammed lately. I bathed it well with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and it was as well as ever next day.

Mrs. Brown never sits up to wait for her husband.

"No. When she expects him to be out late she retires early, sets the alarm-clock at three o'clock, and when it goes off she gets up and dresses, and is ready, refreshed and reproducible."

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Parson—Well, deacon, I hope my sermon this morning proved useful to your doubts."

The Navy of the German Empire is under the supreme command of the German Emperor.

SHALL WE GO INTO MIXED FARMING?

Men prominent in Railway, Banking, and Commercial circles have been advising the West to adopt mixed farming. It is easy to give advice, and frequently those who are so free in handing out advice, do so without having comprehensive knowledge of the subject on which their advice is tendered.

It will be conceded that all parts of our North-West are not equally suitable for mixed farming. The greater part of the North-West, however, is entirely suitable to raising of cattle, hogs, and horses.

Ever since the railways first penetrated the West, the people have shouted every fall for cars to ship out the grain, but notwithstanding that thousands of miles of railways have been built, no greater proportion of grain has been shipped out before the close of navigation than in earlier years. It would seem that no matter what is done, the most that can be expected is that sixty per cent. of the wheat crop will be shipped before the close of navigation, and the amount that will be shipped from the close to the opening of the severity of the weather, which, as we know, is very uncertain.

But, assuming that the railways were built to transport the grain as fast as it could be marketed, is excessive grain growing best for the farmer and for the country? The history of the world shows that land cannot be cropped continuously without destroying its fertility, and that after a time the vitality of the soil has to be restored through fertilizers. The amount of money spent in Europe and elsewhere for fertilizers of all kinds reaches a tremendous sum.

We know that the average number of bushels of grain raised per acre in the United States has steadily dropped off. We also know that in the older parts of Manitoba the average number of bushels of grain raised per acre is steadily diminishing, and we all realize that it will be but a comparatively short time when the same thing will happen in the newer portions of the North-West.

We must not only look to the present, but to the future. A God-fearing man who is tilling the soil looks to the time when he will be succeeded by his children, and he should preserve to these children their birthright, instead of wasting it.

Is it not a shame when we go through the country in the fall, to find our whole North-West lighted up at night from burning straw, straw that might be used to feed cattle, which would bring a handsome return to their owner.

We must recognize the fact that more or less capital is required to ensure success in the dairy industry. Borrowing money at 10 to 25 per cent is out of the question.

The Government ought to establish farmers' banks, where farmers could get loans to buy cattle, erect buildings on the most modern principles in which to house them, said loans to bear a low rate of interest, say at four or five per cent, repayable in installments running over a number of years, secured on the stock purchased, and the buildings erected by the money borrowed.

The Government ought also to appoint thoroughly qualified men to superintend the erection of the buildings, and teach the farmers how to make butter and cheese on the most approved principles. The marketing of the produce should be done by men appointed by the Government, who know all about the market, and the value of dairy products, so that farmers may get full value for their products.

This plan was adopted in Denmark many years ago, and is in operation to-day.

Follow out this scheme and the farmers would have money in the bank all the year round and would pay cash for everything they needed, and get a substantial discount on their purchases.

It would be a wise expenditure if the Government were to import the best breeds of dairy cattle, and establish a dairy farm as an object lesson to the dairymen. The increase of the herd could be sold to the proprietors of private dairy farms, at a reasonable price.

Forty years ago Denmark butter was unknown in England; but at the present time it is acknowledged to be of the best quality, commands the highest price and is in great demand.

Those who prefer the factory system could unite and establish creameries and cheese factories on the same principles and operate them in the same way.

The benefits resulting from dairy farming would be manifest on every acre of farm. It would increase the fertility of the soil, and there is no branch of the farmers calling that would give better returns on the capital and labor invested.

The establishment of dairy industries would lessen the acreage devoted to wheat raising, and thus relieve the pressure on the transportation companies, and tend to prevent such a wheat blockade as the western farmer is now suffering from.

May Adopt The Metric System. The civilized world has only one unit of measurement in common—the foot. The second is based upon a 60th part of the time it takes the earth to revolve. Other weights and measure systems vary. However, it now has been proposed that this country shall adopt the metric system, which was invented in France. It has for its basic unit the meter, a fraction of the distance from the earth's equator to the pole.

Bowers—"If you love the girl, why don't you propose?"

Mowers—"I'm afraid she would insist on having the picture of her father and mother hanging in our parlor."

Julius, a negro, who lived on a plantation at a distance from town, confided to his mistress that he wanted to get married and asked if he would get him a license.

"Oh, yes, Julius, I will see to that." But when he went to the court house to get the license he did not know the name of Julius' intended bride. He thought, however, that he had noticed the man paying attention to a certain girl and had the license made out in her name, Martha.

"You-all didn't forget that license, did you?" asked Julius, anxiously, as soon as his employer returned.

"No, Julius; but you didn't tell me the girl's name. Was it Martha?"

"No, sah; it wasn't Martha, it was Eliza."

"Well, that's too bad. You will have to wait until I go to town again and I will get another license."

"How much dat license cost?" Inquired Julius.

"Fifty cents."

"Well, I don't reckon the fifty cents' worth of difference 'twix dem Jews' will me de license an' I'll marry Martha."

Sick headaches—neuralgic headaches—splitting, blinding headaches—all vanish when you take Na-Dru-Co Headache Wafers

EUREKA Harness Oil Keeps your Harness SOFT AS A GLOVE TOUGH AS A WIRE, BLACK AS A COAL Sold by Dealers Everywhere. The IMPERIAL OIL CO., Limited

ORANGEVILLY WOMEN CURED AT HOME Women's disorders always yield from the very beginning of the treatment to the mild but effective action of Orange Lilly

SHIPPING FEVER Influenza, pink eye, zoster, dysterper and all nose and throat diseases cured, and all others, no matter how "exposed," kept from having any of these diseases with SPOHN'S LIQUID DISTEMPER CURE

SPHOHN'S LIQUID DISTEMPER CURE to-day. Follow out this scheme and the farmers would have money in the bank all the year round and would pay cash for everything they needed, and get a substantial discount on their purchases.

CPR ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS EMPRESSES FUTURE SAILINGS Montreal - Quebec - Liverpool, Empress of Britain, Friday, May 3

Special Notice Agents wanted to buy junk for B. SHRAGGE Cor. King & Sutherland, Winnipeg, Man.

Maypole Soap CLEANS AND DYES Gives rich glowing colors, fadeless in sun or water. Dyes cotton, silk, wool mixtures. Use it yourself at home. No trouble—no mess. 24 colors—will give any shade. Colors 10c, black 15c, at your dealers or postpaid with booklet "How to Dye" from F. L. BENEDICT & CO. Montreal

AGENTS WANTED. Write for agency for our special to order tailoring for your town. There is money in it. JOHN LAWREN, Ltd., Church St., Toronto.

DR. BILMOTT, SPECIALIST. Private diseases and drink habit. 116 St. Queen East Toronto

WEAR The King Hat GUARANTEED A HAT FOR EVERY FACE W. N. U. No 495

The Cumberland News
 Issued Every Tuesday by the
 Comox & Cumberland
 Publishing Company.

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 1912.

TAKE NOTICE that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under the following described land, situated in the Comox District.

Commencing at a post marked south west corner of claim No. 1, parcel about 20 chains west from the south east corner of section 32 D. on Island, running east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

HUGH STEWART
 Dated June 3rd, 1912

Form Of Notice.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the fore shore and under the water on the lands in and opposite the following described lands situated 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 fifty-five, 55 chains more or less to high water mark on the north side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence easterly along the shore line to intersection of Sections 23 and 24, Township 2; thence southerly 68 chains more or less to high water mark on south side of said Port McNeill Harbor; thence westerly along shore line to place of commencement.

ROLANDA LAIRD
 Francis T. Tordiffe, Agent
 Dated this 8th day of April 1912

Form Of Notice.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the fore shore and under the water on the lands in and opposite the following described lands situated in Rupert District:—Commencing at a post planted on the sea beach at high water mark at the intersection of Sections 12 and 13, Township 2, Port McNeill, Rupert District; thence north 80 chains, 80, thence west ten chains, 10, more or less to high water mark on Ledge Point; thence westerly along shore line to intersections of Sections 23 and 24, Township 2; thence southerly sixty-eight chains, 68, more or less to high water mark on south side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence easterly along shore line to place of commencement.

JOHN S. KENNEDY
 Francis M. Tordiffe, Agent
 Dated this 8th day of April 1912

Form Of Notice.

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 hotel license to sell liquors by retail and upon the premises known as the "King George" Hotel situated on lot 9, block 7, Cumberland Township.

VICTOR BONORA
 Dated this 15th day of May 1912.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the estate of John Kevin also known as John Kevin, late of British Columbia, deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honour the Judge, Esq. Judge of the Supreme Court of B. C., made on the 3rd day of June 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 estate must be presented and paid, respectively, on or before the 15th day of July 1912.

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

fore the 15th day of June 1912.
 W. W. WILLARD,
 Official administrator
 Cumberland, B. C.

apl10tomarl

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT
 District of Sayward, Range 1.
 TAKE NOTICE that I, Elizeia Hannar, by my agent, George Verdier, of Campbell River, V. I. occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—
 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 HANNA
 Name of Applicant
 Date March 26th, 1912.

Sayward Land District
 District of Coast.
 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.

CUMBERLAND CAFE
 Proprietors,
JACK & RICHARDS

FOR SALE—A black team of horses; a good general purpose team. Apply Smith Bros. Sandwick. Will sell cheap.

Mrs. Simms will give lessons on the piano any time at her residence, except Tuesday.

PORT MANN

PORT MANN, mainland terminus of the Canadian Northern Railway, is regarded by those who know, as the greatest city of opportunity in north America to-day. It cannot help becoming one of the very biggest cities in the west. Property values cannot help going away up.

Buy lots there now and you are in on the ground floor. Every lot will make you a small fortune.

Until prices are raised we can offer you close in lots 33 x 122 ft. (guaranteed high, dry and level, or your money back) for \$250. Terms \$15 down, \$10 a month no interest, no taxes till 1914.

Other guaranteed lots for \$120; \$5 a month. Booklet and full particulars at this office, from

CHARLES HERAPER
 GENERAL AGENT
 COMOX and COURTENAY
 —or from—

Colonial Investment Company

"The Port Mann People."
 837 Hastings Street, West Vancouver, B. C.

Form Of Notice.
 Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable 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 situated 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 fifty-five, 55 chains more or less to high water mark on the north side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence following the sea beach at high water mark around the head of harbor to place of commencement. FRANCIS M TORDIFFER
 Dated this 8th day of April 1912

NOTICE
 NOTICE is hereby given that after June 18th 1912, we will not be responsible for any debts contracted in our name.
AVILSON & BRAMBERG

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. P. 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 Campus usual.

FOR SALE—The South East corner of Maryport Avenue and Second St., with buildings. Price \$925.00. Apply at this office or P. O. Box 644 Vancouver.

Wood's Phosphodine.
 The Great English Remedy. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes the blood rich and pure, cures Nervous Debility, Mental and Brains Weakness, Headache, Neuritis, Rheumatism, Paralysis, Spinal Curvature, and Effects of Alcohol or Excess of Fatigue. Price 1/6 per box six for 1/4. Also will please write for full particulars. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain pkg. on receipt of price. No return made. **The Wood Medicine Co., Toronto, Ont.**

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 80 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 105, 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 north 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 26th, 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.
 Change of advertisements will not be received at this office later than 12 o'clock noon on Tuesdays.

MADE IN CANADA
MAGIC
BAKING POWDER

Makes Your EXPENSES Light
Makes Your BISCUITS Light
Makes Your CAKES Light
Makes Your BUNS Light
Makes Your LABOR Light

ORDER FROM YOUR GROCER

E. W. GILLET CO., LTD.
Toronto, Ont.



The Courtenay Hotel

Every convenience for guests.
The Central Hotel for Sportsmen
None but the Best of Wines and Liquors at the Bar.

RATES REASONABLE

John Johnston, Prop.

G. T. Kent, F. W. Hawes, A. E. Sherwood
Kent, Hawes & Sherwood
Real Estate, Commission and Forwarding Agents.
160 Hastings St. W.
Vancouver, B.C.
Phone 5240

Cement blocks etc. concrete chimney blocks a specialty. Samples to be seen at McKean & Biscoe's store, Courtenay, B.C.

For estimates and particulars write J. Lawrence, Comox, B. C.

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 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
Canadian Collieries Dunsmuir Co.

HAY FOR SALE Thirty tons of good baled hay, price \$14 per ton at Grantham. F.H. James, Sandwick, B. C.

FOR SALE—Gasoline launch 32 feet in length, 7 ft beam, 8 1/2 h.p. engine, will carry 10 passengers. Two cabins. Apply Tommy's Bicycle Shop, 3rd St.

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 Township.

WILSON & BRAMBERG

Dated this 7th day of Nov., 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 Cumberland Hotel, situated on lot 1, block 6, Cumberland Township.

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 Cottingham.

JOHN CHARLES CLARENCE,

Holder of License.

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

FOR SALE—Three milk cows, first class milkers, also two heifers in calf, graded stock; three horses, two drivers and a general purpose mare, age three and four years. Apply to D. Roy, Roy's Beach.

Union Steamship Co. of B. C. Ltd.

THE S. S. COWICHAN WILL SAIL AS UNDER
POWELL RIVER-COMOX-UNION-CAMPBELL RIVER route
Leave Vancouver Thurs. 2 p. m. Arrive Comox Friday 6 a. m.
Depart 7 a. m.
Arrive Union Bay Friday 7 a. m. depart 9 a. m. (For Campbell River, wayports for Vancouver.)
NANAIMO DENMAN ISLAND-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE
Leave Vancouver Saturday 8 p. m. Arrive Nanaimo, 12 midnight
Arrive Union Bay, Sunday 6 a. m. Depart 5 p. m.
Arrive Comox, Sunday 8 a. m. Depart 4 p. m.
Subject to change without notice.



DRINK
'Pilsener'

The purest and best BEER, and made in Cumberland.

Insurance!

Are you insured?
Is your life Insured?
Is your home Insured?
Are Insured against sickness and accident?

Liability, Burglary and Automobile Insurance.

FOR INFORMATION WRITE THE
VANCOUVER ISLAND INSURANCE CO.,
820 Fort Street - - - - - VICTORIA, B.C.

URICH HOTEL
PROPRIETOR
J. N. McLEOD
English 4 x BURTON always on tap also, the famous MILWAUKEE BEER—Anheuser, Bohemia, S. Fritz, & "OLD GREY BEARD" SCOTCH WHISKY.
The Boarding and Lodging Department, under the immediate supervision of Mrs. Davis, will be found of first class in every respect.
RATES.
\$1.00 per day upwards.

NOTICE
Any person or persons, cutting, removing or taking any blocks, timber or wood, of any description belonging to the Wellington Colliery Co'y., or from or off the land of the said Company, or anyone tipping rubbish of any description anywhere upon the company's land will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
W. L. COULSON
General Manager,
Wellington Colliery Co'y.

NOTICE.
Riding on locomotives and rail way cars of the Union Colliery Company by any person or persons—except train crew—is strictly prohibited. Employees are subject to dismissal for allowing same.
By order
W. L. COULSON,
General Manager.

LOOK! READ!
EDISON "HOME" PHONOGRAPH FOR SALE, also about four dozen of the latest 4 minute Amberole Records The machine is just as good as new and the records are perfect, with out a blemish. Owner will sell cheap for cash. This is a snap for anyone that is thinking of getting a talking machine. Apply this office.



Spring Suitings

We are showing nearly 400 different lines of Spring Suitings. Comprising all the new color effects and latest weaves in medium weight Cloths. Fancy Worsted and Cheviots, Donegal Tweeds, Scotch Tweeds, Blue and black Serges and Cheviots.

Union Bay Co-operative Company, Ltd.

MOVING?
PIANOS AND FURNITURE
Freight, Wood and Coal Hauled
INDEPENDENT TRANSFER
RICHARDSON & HAYWOOD
PHONE 57
Windermere Ave.

ORDERS TAKEN FOR NUT COAL

NOTICE.
Sayward Land District.
District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Walter Gage of Comox, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.—
Commencing at a post planted on the south-west side of Small Island in Cowland 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 Squasah, 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 81 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.
Dated 11th day of March, 1912.
JOSEPH H. FOY, Locator.
apl 24 my 31

Have you heard the latest song? "They Gotta Quit Kickin' My Dog Around." Come and get a copy at The News Office. Only a few copies left.

If YOU want Results place your Ad in The News. A prompt response is sure to come. "Nuff said."

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.
apl 24 my 31

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 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.
E. SIBLEY, Locator.
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
apl 24 my 31

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 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.
J. F. MOSBY, Locator.
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
apl 24 my 31

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 south 80 chains to the point of commencement.
Dated 11th day of March, 1912.
D. D. MUIR, Locator.
Joseph H. Foy, Agent.
apl 24 my 31

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, L236 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 22 and 24, Township 2, thence easterly of 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. P. West, 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 Township.
JAMES WALTERS.
Dated this 7th day of Nov., 1911.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert.
TAKE notice that Endora Mae Lesson 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 E.M.L.'s S.W. corner.
ENDORA MAE LESSON,
D. N. 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. I.'s S.W. corner.
ADELAIDE ESTER CLARK BROWN,
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 10th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert
TAKE notice that Richmond Charles Bias of Vancouver, B. C., Broker intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at 1/4 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 west 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. corner.
RICHMOND CHARLES BIAS,
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT
District of Rupert.
TAKE NOTICE that Edward Dyke, of Blightman N.Y. coalman, 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 E.D.'s N.E. corner.
EDWARD DYKE,
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 10th, 1910.

O. H. TARBELL
HIGH GRADE STOVES
And all KITCHEN UTENSILS
Sportsmens Goods
General Hardware

C.P.R. CALGARY SHOPS

Great Car Shops to be Erected by the C.P.R. at Calgary, to be Known as The Ogden Shops.

The great car shops which the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. is erecting near Calgary, Alberta, will rank amongst the biggest undertakings of Canada's great transcontinental road.

They are happily named the "Ogden Shops" in honor of Mr. I. G. Ogden, one of the vice-presidents of the company, and the town which will grow up around them is also to be called Ogden.

The naming of the shops after Mr. Ogden is a particularly happy choice by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, for that gentleman is one of the real old guard of the C.P.R., a veteran indeed, having for thirty-one years given the best of his talents to the company's service.

A New Yorker by birth, belonging to a family of financiers, his forefathers having been bankers, Mr. Ogden has spent the larger portion of his busy life in the finance departments of railways.

In 1871 he became paymaster and accountant of the Chicago & Pacific Railway and five years later was auditor of that company.

The high reputation he gained with the C. & P.R. attracted attention towards him, and at the birth of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in 1881 he was selected to take charge of the finances of the western division of the road, with headquarters at Winnipeg.

Two years excellent work in the west was followed by his promotion to the position of chief auditor of the entire system, the higher title of controller being bestowed upon him in 1887.

Other honors quickly followed, and in 1901 he was made vice-president of the Company, having naturally the finances of the large corporation particularly under his charge.

During all these years Mr. Ogden displayed rare financial ability and acumen, and in the struggling days of the company—and there were not a few of them in the eighties and the early nineties—his advice and knowledge materially aided in tiding the C.P.R. over many a financial difficulty.

His work, indeed, would form a large part of the history of the C. P. R.

In having the Company's huge works at the foothills of the Canadian Rockies named after him, Mr. Ogden is paid a justly deserved tribute—a tribute none the less to his many excellent qualities of head and heart than to his great financial genius and to his long years of loyalty and faithfulness to the great corporation with which he has been associated from its infancy, and with which he has grown to see it take the foremost place amongst the great transportation companies of the world.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective, is mild.

When Oranges Were Taboo in Holland. Oranges were for some years a prohibited fruit in Holland.

Oranges were for some years a prohibited fruit in Holland. When the Batavian republic was established the badge and color of the Stadholder's family became so hateful to the popular party that not satisfied with expelling their prince, they passed a law forbidding the sale of oranges and carrots, and ordering all persons who grew lilies or marigolds in their gardens to pluck up the plants and destroy them.

Nothing To Regret. "You find a vein of humor sometimes behind the blue uniform of a railroad conductor," said the old traveller.

"I had occasion to go up to the Susquehanna Railroad during the recent cold snap. It was hard stumping for the locomotive, and when we got to Newfoudling of an hour late. A fussy passenger across the aisle from me was fuming at the delay.

"I wonder how late we shall be at Stroudsburg," said he to the conductor, who came through the car just then.

"Maybe an hour and a half," was the response.

"The funny passenger ripped out a cue word.

"My friend," said the conductor, gently, "how long are you going to stay in Stroudsburg?"

"All night and all day to-morrow, Why?"

"Well, my friend, after you have been in Stroudsburg twelve hours you will wish that this train had been about twenty years late."

The Siamese Twins. They were coming out of the thirty-fourth Street side of the hotel where one of the most important of those speculative cliques now in control of the market makes its nightly headquarters.

The young man was enthusiastic, "There's a small fortune in this turn in Union," he was saying. "I've got some, and to-morrow, just after the opening, I'm going to get some more. You don't get a tip like that every day. It comes straight from the inside."

"Sure," remarked the other, cynically, "it comes with the stock."—Puck.

A. A. P. McDOWELL.

A. A. P. McDowell publisher of the Press, at Daysland, Alberta, is a native of Ontario, having been born at Tillsonburg in 1866. Shortly after the publication of the Liberal began, by Dresser & McGuire, the subject of this sketch began the mastery of the printers' art, and when William McGuire assumed entire charge of the Liberal remained with him, putting in more than four years in one office.

He was afterwards employed on the Tillsonburg Observer, spent some time on the Pacific Coast where he was employed in Seattle and Whatcom (now Bellingham). In the latter place he had charge of the job department in the office of the Revellie, but gave up the position to return to Ontario just previous to his mother's death in the fall of 1889.

In 1890 and 1891 he served as foreman in the office of the Herald-Record at Wallaceburg, Ont., then went to Michigan, accepting a position on the Enterprise at Cass City and in the following year buying a half interest in that paper.

In 1894 he became sole owner of the Enterprise and continued as such until the spring of 1906, when he sold his business interests to a competitor and came to Alberta. He at first accepted a position in the office of the Edmonton Bulletin, first in the news room and later in the job department.

In the fall of 1906 he went as foreman in the office of the Mail (now defunct) at Camrose, remaining until the spring of 1907, when he located in Daysland and commenced the publication of the Press, then the only paper between Camrose and Saskatoon, either on the C.P.R. or the G.T.P.

Notwithstanding the fact that now nearly every town on both those lines of railway has a paper of its own, the Press continues to hold a good patronage and has moved to very desirable quarters of its own, on one of the very best corners in town. This has only been possible because of the editor's high ideals of journalism and his determination to carry them out as far as can be made practical in so small a town in so new a district.

It is generally recognized as being one of the best local weeklies in Alberta.

Internally and Externally it is Good.—The crowning property of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is that it can be used internally for many complaints as well as externally. For sore throat, croup, whooping cough, pains in the chest, colic, and many kindred ailments it has curative qualities that are unsurpassed.

A bottle of it costs little and there is no loss in always having it at hand.

No Unusual Sight. Mr. Newlyrich (who has at last manoeuvred his ruby ring under the eyes of the great foreign banker)—Ah, baron, I see you've at last noticed my beautiful rubies!

The Baron (sadly)—Ach, yes! Dey make me think of home. I haf a mantlepleth of dem dere.—Sketch.

"I have always wondered," said the newly-arrived missionary to the genial cannibal, "what became of my predecessor."

"Oh, he," returned the cannibal—"he has gone into the interior."

"Did you hear about Pickleham?" "No."

"He went home last night and broke up the furniture and a lot of dishes and chased his wife out into the street."

"What was the matter with him?" "Why, some woman in one of those suffrage meetings alluded to him as a model husband."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"My dad knows mor'n George Washington did" said the small boy.

"How's that?" queried the grocer.

"Last night," continued the small boy, when I told dad I hadn't been skat'ly, he said he know'd better, an' gimme a lickin' fer lyin'.

George Washington couldn't tell a lie, but dad kin tell one the minute her hears it.—Chicago Socialist.

Six horses draw the State coach of the Lord Mayor; and its weight is 3 tons 16 hundredweights.

Canada possesses over 1,200 newspapers, of which 117 are published daily.

Nothing To Regret. "You find a vein of humor sometimes behind the blue uniform of a railroad conductor," said the old traveller.

"I had occasion to go up to the Susquehanna Railroad during the recent cold snap. It was hard stumping for the locomotive, and when we got to Newfoudling of an hour late. A fussy passenger across the aisle from me was fuming at the delay.

"I wonder how late we shall be at Stroudsburg," said he to the conductor, who came through the car just then.

"Maybe an hour and a half," was the response.

"The funny passenger ripped out a cue word.

"My friend," said the conductor, gently, "how long are you going to stay in Stroudsburg?"

"All night and all day to-morrow, Why?"

"Well, my friend, after you have been in Stroudsburg twelve hours you will wish that this train had been about twenty years late."

The Siamese Twins. They were coming out of the thirty-fourth Street side of the hotel where one of the most important of those speculative cliques now in control of the market makes its nightly headquarters.

The young man was enthusiastic, "There's a small fortune in this turn in Union," he was saying. "I've got some, and to-morrow, just after the opening, I'm going to get some more. You don't get a tip like that every day. It comes straight from the inside."

"Sure," remarked the other, cynically, "it comes with the stock."—Puck.



MOONEY MAKES THE CRISPEST, CREAMIEST BISCUIT

"LET MOONEY DO IT"

Thousands of people all over Western Canada are letting MOONEY make their biscuits.

They have found that MOONEY'S BISCUITS are just a little crispier, just a little creamier, just a little thinner, just a little more appetizing.

MOONEY'S BISCUITS are just good enough to take the place of the product of the home oven! Use

MOONEY'S PERFECTION -SODA BISCUITS

Made in the big sanitary factory in Winnipeg.

The biscuit that's good for every meal of every day. In air tight, dust proof, damp proof packages or sealed tins.



Sudden Change Many Colds

And Colds are the Starting Point of Serious Diseases.

You Can Make Short Work of a Cold by Using

DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE

Sudden changes of temperature are fatal in results. The shock to the human system is more than most people can stand, and everywhere you hear sneezing and coughing.

You may be sure that some of these colds will develop into pneumonia or consumption. Others will settle on the kidneys, and result in serious disease or bring on rheumatic or bodily pains.

The danger is in letting colds run on. By beginning promptly with Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and taking small doses frequently you can keep the cough loose, check the inflammation, and soon rid the system entirely of the cold, and all the many possibilities for evil which it possesses.

Don't think that anything is good enough for a cold. There are lots of cough mixtures. But if you want a standard medicine of proven merit, something that you can depend on in time of sickness, you will be satisfied with Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

Children like it. Being composed of simple ingredients, it is particularly suited to their needs. Its enormous sales prove its effectiveness. 25 cents a bottle, family size 60 cents, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

To lessen the fire risk a German company is making a specialty of steel furniture for ships, painted and grained to resemble wood.

Growth of The Aluminum Industry. Although the early expectations of the wholesale substitution of aluminum for steel and iron have not, for very good reasons, materialized, it has shown such a perfect adaptability to certain of the arts that the demand for the new alloy has grown enormously.

From a production in the United States of less than 100,000 pounds in 1883, in 1893 the output had grown to 850,000 pounds, in 1903 to 7,500,000 pounds, and to-day it is in excess of 50,000,000 pounds.

A LOVELY BABY BOY

This Mother is Quite Enthusiastic Over a Well Known Food.

Mrs. J. W. Pateman, 34 Harriet St., Toronto, in writing about Neave's Food says: "When I first knew one of my friends, her baby Jack was eight months old and dying by inches. She had tried three foods because her Jack could not digest milk. At last, I fetched her a tin of Neave's Food. At the end of a month, Jack was rapidly gaining flesh and was bright and happy. He is a lovely boy now and she declares Neave's Food saved his life. And it did."

Then I recommended it to a friend on Victoria Avenue. She had a baby 6 months old that was not thriving a bit. She put the baby on Neave's Food and at the end of three months, the baby was twice the size. I have never seen two bigger, stronger boys than mine for their ages and we owe it all to Neave's Food. I have the utmost faith in Neave's Food."

Mothers and prospective mothers can obtain a Free Tin of Neave's Food and a valuable book "Hints About Baby" by writing Edwin Utley, 114 Front Street East, Toronto, who is the Canadian agent. For sale by all druggists.

Lawyer (to witness): "Now, then, Mr. Murphy, give us your last reminiscence."

Murphy: "Faith, sor, I dunno; but it'll be the clatter, Olm thinkin'!"

Red snow is often seen in Spring at the head of Alpine glaciers. Scientists used to believe that the hue was due to the presence of innumerable tiny reddish insects; but it is now known to be caused by a microscopic plant, which is pink when growing and a deep crimson when in a state of maturity.

Minards Liniment for sale everywhere Matching Them Up.

Mrs De Style—"Marie, I shall take one of the children to church with me."

The Maid—"Yes'm."

Mrs De Style—"Which one will go best with my purple gown?"—Answers.

The Beauty of a Clear Skin.—The condition of the liver regulates the condition of the blood. A disordered liver causes impurities in the blood and these show themselves in blemishes on the skin. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills in acting upon the liver act upon the blood and a clear, healthy skin will follow intelligent use of this standard medicine. Ladies, who will fully appreciate this prime quality of these pills, can use them with the certainty that the effect will be most gratifying.

The skeleton alone of an average whale weighs twenty-five tons.

Warts are unsightly blemishes, and corns are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove them.

"Shopping again! I should think you'd save your money and prepare for a rainy day!"

"That's what I'm doing. What do you suppose I bought all these silk stockings for?"

Strange Bird on Limer. When the Pacific liner Oronsa, which has arrived in the Mersey, was on the Patagonian coast, a valuable white bird, with brilliant orange-colored beak, struggled gamely on board. It had been blown far out of its latitude, but being a rare acquisition for English natural history it was carefully looked after by the bosun. The wings stretch out some four feet, and it is of the crane or heron family.

A friend was once talking with a crazy woman, when a stinky man passed by.

"Do you see that man?" she said, with a cunning smile. "You could blow his soul through a sparrow's bill into a fly's eye, and the fly wouldn't blink."

Shiloh's Cure

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

A Jolt to Romance. "How about that young doctor? Has he proposed?"

"Not yet. Papa nearly ruined everything last night."

"Just as the doctor was pleading for a peep at my eyes, papa came in and asked him to take a look at my tonsils."

The total number of Territorials in New Zealand exceeds 30,000.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

"Last night my wife and myself had the most foolish squabble of our married career."

"What was the subject of your dispute?"

"How we would invest our money if we had any."

Prodgal Son—Father, I have returned!

Father—Yes, gol darn ye, I thought you'd show up about the time spring plowin' was done!

Through indiscretion in eating green fruit in summer many children become subject to cholera morbus caused by irritating acids that act violently on the lining of the intestines. Pains and dangerous purgings ensue and the delicate system of the child suffers under the drain. In such cases the safest and surest medicine is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It will check the inflammation and save the child's life.

Advertisement for Eddy's Red Bird matches. Includes text: 'When You Buy Matches, Ask for EDDY'S Red Bird MATCHES. They have a true safety base head, with silent tip. Will never explode if Stepped on.' and an illustration of a bird.

INSIST ON GETTING "EDDY'S" Washboards, Wood Pails and Tubs, Fibre Pails and Tubs.

A RELIABLE MEDICINE FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

Baby's Own Tablets are a safe medicine for all little ones. They are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely free from opiates and other harmful drugs—that is why so many mothers will give their baby nothing else in the way of medicine.

Couldn't Help It. Simcon Ford was talking to a New York reporter about the breakages that happen in hotels.

"An average amount of breakages you don't mind," he said, "but now and then you happen on a waiter or a chambermaid whose breakages pass all bounds of reason."

Mr Ford then recounted the breakages achieved in one day by a chambermaid of his stamp.

"I found out after she left," he ended, "that she wasn't a genuine chambermaid at all. She was an elephant trainer really, but she had been compelled to give up that profession because she couldn't handle the elephants without breaking their tusks."—New York Press.

It was his first visit to America, and he was anxious to see as much of it as possible in a short time. In a brief visit to the South he met an aged negro who had been a slave.

"How interesting!" he remarked. "And after the war you had your freedom?"

The old man looked at him half sadly, half sheepishly, shook his woolly head, and said:—"No sah, I didn't git no freedom—went and got married."

NATURE'S LAWS.

Nature's laws are perfect if only we obey them, but disease follows disobedience. Go straight to Nature for the cure, to the forest; there are mysteries there, some of which we can fathom for you. Take the bark of the Wild-cherry tree, with mandrake root, Oregon grape root, stone root, queen's root, bloodroot and golden seal root, make a scientific, glyceric extract of them, with just the right proportions, and you have

DOCTOR PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

It took Dr. Pierce, with the assistance of two learned chemists and pharmacists, many months of hard work experimenting to perfect this vegetable alterative and tonic extract of the greatest efficiency.

Mr. C. W. PAWLEY, of Millville, Calif., writes: "I wish to tell you that I have used your 'Golden Medical Discovery' in my family for twenty years. We have had a doctor called in but once during that time. I have a family of ten children, all well and hearty, for which, to a great extent, we owe thanks to you and your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pellets,' which we use when sick."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, 1



CLEAN HANDS



150 a Tin. Don't let these fingers with soap lather slip off the ORIGINAL and BEST HAND CLEANER. Will remove grease and stains of all kinds.

AN ODD MEETING

With One Who Had Been In a Different Position

By MILDRED LOUISE DODGE

The social world is a boiling pot. That which is under goes to the top and after whirling about awhile sinks again. The loss of fortune among the aristocrats of Europe produces disastrous effects on the losers. There is little or no hope of its recovery, and they must drop to a lower scale. They can't bear to live among people who have considered them far better than themselves.

There is now an American colony in every capital in Europe, and those who are financially able to entertain and be entertained have an easier entrance to the one main social circle presided over by royalty than any other nationality, for the reason that since we have no titles in America no rank is expected of us. Some years ago a wealthy American gentleman named Tracy spent a month in Rome. His wife and daughter, Henrietta, had always moved in the upper circles of America, and, having friends in the



HE WAS LUIGI BRANDINI.

Eternal City to introduce them, they soon found themselves in the swim there.

Henrietta Tracy was much sought after by Italians, who would have been glad to marry a beautiful American with a fortune. Her only objection to accepting their attentions was a natural desire to see the world in Rome. One young man she fancied, but he was supposed to be perfectly independent financially and did not seem inclined to join the throng of her suitors.

But the lady was not sure that indifference was the cause of his standing aloof, though she did not know. There are young men who are either too proud to enter into a competition for the hand of a girl pursued by fortune hunters or too sensitive to pay attention to such. But this young man, Luigi Brandini, was not a pauper and no such motive could be attributed to him, though his estate was said to be involved in a law suit of many years' standing.

Nevertheless Brandini showed Miss Tracy every attention he could wish to indicate that he was likely to become a suitor. The last time she saw him at a social function was a ball given at the Quirinal palace, where he was her partner more than once during the evening. He seemed gloomy, and Miss Tracy could not help wondering if her departure, which was to take place the next day, had anything to do with his depression. When she was leaving the palace the young man bid her goodnight and goodly with a far-away look in his eye that boded some impending calamity.

That was the last the Tracys saw of Rome for some time. From there they went to Berlin, thence to London and finally sailed from England to America.

Two years passed. One day Miss Tracy entered a restaurant in an American city with a party of friends for luncheon. When they were seated a waiter advanced with a napkin on his arm to serve them. Looking up at him Miss Tracy met his eye. The hot blood rushed to his cheeks and an expression of mingled pain and mortification showed itself in every feature of his face. The man recognized her as she recognized him. He was Luigi Brandini.

He turned and went away, and she saw him no more. Presently another waiter came and took the party's order. It is needless to say that the luncheon had been spoiled for Miss Tracy. The face of one she had last met as a guest in the Quirinal palace in Rome changed to a pallor in an American restaurant was appalling.

Being ignorant of what had caused this downward course in the social scale on the part of Brandini, she wrote a friend who made Rome her residence and who had recently come to America for a visit. In reply she was informed that soon after her departure from Italy an important mit of many years' standing between Luigi Brandini and a cousin had been de-

clined in the court of last appeal against Brandini and made him a pauper. He had disappeared from Rome, and no one knew where he had gone. Rumor had it that he had enlisted in the French foreign legion; that he had committed suicide; that a bandit who was terrorizing a province in Sicily under the name of Catana was Brandini. For awhile these wild rumors went from mouth to mouth; then the poor man was forgotten by the social world as completely as if an ocean had closed over him.

Miss Tracy read the information imparted, and her sympathies went out all the more to her former acquaintance, especially at learning that his fall was not attended with disgrace. It was hard for her to understand that helplessness under which gentlemen of Europe who were not born to work experience when they are thrown out upon the world. It does not exist—certainly not to so great an extent—in America.

What could she do for Brandini? Nothing. The pride which had caused him to flee from such help as he might have received from his friends would prevent his accepting assistance from a woman he had known in that exclusive circle. One of the unseen abysses that beset the way of those who tread rosy paths had been suddenly exposed to her vision.

The only effort Miss Tracy felt herself in a position to make in Brandini's behalf was to inform her father of her meeting with the Italian with a view to learning if anything could be done for him. Mr. Tracy was disposed to help one who had contributed to his and his daughter's pleasure in a foreign land. He went to the restaurant where Henrietta had seen Brandini, described him to the proprietor and was told that a man answering that description had left his service on the day Miss Tracy had met Brandini. The proprietor did not know where he had gone. That ended the matter for the time being and possibly forever.

But fate, who delights in arranging all sorts of complications for us, was working the matter in his own peculiar fashion. Many a man's career has been determined by some slight incident such as missing a train, falling into a river or running up against some one turning a corner. In this case the agent through which fate worked was a newspaper. Some eighteen months after Miss Tracy's meeting with Brandini in a restaurant she advertised for a chauffeur. Receiving several replies, she appointed a day and an hour when the applicants for the position might present themselves for inspection. When she entered the room where they were assembled and cast her eyes over them whom should she see among the number but Luigi Brandini. His mortification was apparent in his scarlet face. He made a movement to retire, but changed his mind. It was too late.

Miss Tracy questioned the men one after another, dismissing them as soon as examined until she came to Brandini. The two stood alone together. Brandini looking as if he would like to escape. Miss Tracy looked as if she would like to prevent him from doing so.

"For a moment she hesitated whether to speak to him as a former friend or as an applicant for the position of chauffeur. She decided on the latter course.

"Your name?" she asked. "Giovanni Riccardonna." "How much experience have you had in running automobiles?" "None whatever, signora. I am sure I would not suit you. I should not have answered your advertisement." "Nevertheless I like your appearance and think that, after a little practice, you will be able to drive my auto very well. You are engaged?" "Pardon me, signora. I am quite sure I should not be able to"—He stopped, bowed his head and fixed his eyes on the floor.

"Signor Brandini," said the lady, "you are among friends." "There was no reply to this. He did not even raise his eyes. "You Romans," she continued, "were very kind to us when we were in Italy. My father, my mother and I were indebted to you among others for a very pleasant sojourn in your Italian capital. Perhaps my father may be able to help you out of this quagmire into which you have fallen." He raised his eyes to hers.

"I wish you would consult him in reference to your affairs. He would consider it a favor if you would permit him through you to return some of the favors received from your countrymen while we were in Rome." "There is nothing he can do for me, signora." "You mean that your ancestral pride will not permit you to accept anything at his hands. In that you are wrong. Indeed, you are absurd. You need some one to throw a switch to turn the rails of fate and place you on the main track."

"Signora, you are apt at condensing the expression of ideas." "Give me your address." He acceded to her request, and she secured a promise from him to answer any communication that might be sent to him. Then she permitted him to depart.

That was some years ago. Now Luigi Brandini is a member of the Italian parliament, and his wife, formerly Miss Tracy, is prominent in Roman social life and, possessing a fortune, can afford certain important charities. The Romans have often tried to learn where Brandini passed those years that he was lost to Rome, but have never succeeded. Of all concerned the Tracy family are the only ones who know that the legislator once swung a napkin in an American restaurant.

EASTER FINERY.

Spring Parasol in New Tan Shade.



IN SHADES OF TAN AND BROWN.

Natural shantung was used for the cover of this new parasol for use with Easter tailored costumes of mohair or worsted mixture. The parasol has a carved imitation ivory stick and a hem-stitched border of cream colored taffeta. Such sunshades are going to be very popular this spring.

She Never Looks Tired.

Kitty Gordon, the actress, has been called "the woman who never looks tired."

To explain her secret, "Just take a vacation every two or three weeks," she advises with a praiseworthy little smile playing about her mouth, as though she was well aware of the reply she would receive. But before one has an opportunity to answer she adds quickly: "Yet it's not nearly so difficult as it sounds. By a vacation I mean a whole day's rest—luxurious rest. Just go away alone where you don't see a soul you know and take a sunny, warm room where you can bask. If you can afford it, take along heaps of gorgeous, sweet odored flowers. If you cannot, then a bit of your favorite perfume and one or two flowers. But flowers you must have. There is nothing in all the world so restful or so wonderfully soothing. Then read your favorite poems, browse in them, play, sing. Forget you ever had a worry. If your clothes hamper you cast them off and dress in a single little robe de nuit. Simply relax every strained little muscle in your face and body.

"If you are fortunate enough, call in several little folks; be young again with them. When they want you, to hide under a couch, hide under it even if you have to tip it over. It will take years from your age.

"I never fail to take this 'rest' cure (sun) cure every other Sunday. My stage work won't allow me to take them often. And, oddly, I never go into the country for my rest. I go to the city. There is too much temptation to go out of doors and romp in the country, and the result is that you don't allow yourself the delightful opportunity to relax that you desire. Then, too, in the city, away up in your apartment, you are isolated if you desire to be. You have but to leave word with the bellboy that you are 'out,' and not a soul knows otherwise. In the country every one knows whether you are in or out."

Coffure For the Elderly Woman.

After sixty the arrangement and care of the hair are of prime importance, and as the face fades the hair should be made as beautiful as is possible.



SIMPLE AND DIGNIFIED HAIRDRESSING.

This hairdressing is simple and dignified. The hair is waved and parted, a hair transformation being effected under the files and back. The soft knot is made with a switch.

A Late Fad.

The girls are carrying their handkerchiefs in the handkerchief rings which their grandmothers used long ago. The ring is worn on the little finger, and the wisp of lawn and lace is threaded through it. Another revival in line with this is the bracelet with the pendant ring through which the handkerchief is drawn. Another conceit is the long chain with a little clip in the shape of a hand, which trips the handkerchief and holds it fast.

VISIONS OF GHOSTS.

They Seem to Come to About One Person in Every Ten.

The modern theory of ghosts insists that invariably, when they are real ghosts and not the spurious product of credulity and deception, they are distinctly subjective in character and exist only by virtue of conditions permitting their creation in the mind of the person or persons seeing them. In other words, a real ghost is never an objective phenomenon, like a tree or a house. As a psychologist would say, it is always "a percept having no basis in external reality." Less learnedly, it is always a case of "seeing things where they ain't." That is to say, it is a hallucination.

It has been conclusively demonstrated that one person out of every ten has experienced at least one hallucination at some time in his or her life.

Proof of this results chiefly from a remarkable census of hallucinations originated more than twenty years ago at the international congress of psychology and simultaneously carried on—principally by members of the Psychological Research—in the United States, England, France, Germany and other countries. To thousands of persons the question was put, "Have you ever, when believing yourself to be completely awake, had a vivid impression of seeing or being touched by a living being or inanimate object or of hearing a voice, which impression, so far as you could discover, was not due to any external physical cause?" Of the 27,339 replies received to this question no fewer than 3,266 were in the affirmative.—Hampton's Magazine.

WEATHER SIGNS.

Some Rules That Help in Reading the Clouds and Winds.

The following formula of weather signs was adopted by the Farmers' club of the American institute some years ago, and it has been found to give satisfaction:

When the temperature falls suddenly there is a storm forming south of you. When the temperature rises suddenly there is a storm forming north of you. The wind always blows from a region of fair weather toward a point where a storm is forming.

Cirrus clouds always more from a region where a storm is in progress to one of fair weather. Cumulus clouds always come from a region where a storm is forming. When cirrus clouds are moving rapidly from the north or northeast, no matter how cold it is, there will be rain within twenty-four hours. When cirrus clouds are moving rapidly from south or southeast there will be a hailstorm on the morrow, if it be in summer, and if it be in the winter there will be snow.

The wind always blows about a storm in a circle. When it blows from the north the heaviest rain is east of you. If it blows from the south the heaviest rain is west of you. If it blows from the east the heaviest rain is south. The wind never blows even moderately unless rain or snow is falling within a radius of 1,000 miles.

Whenever heavy white frost occurs a storm is forming within 1,000 miles north or northwest of you.—Christian Herald Almanac.

The "Nickel Plate."

The railroad name "Nickel Plate" found its origin in a remark made by Jay Gould. When the road had failed and was placed on sale Gould entered a bid for it. The bid was considered unsatisfactory, and Gould was urged by the interested parties to increase the amount. Though the road had not proved very profitable, it was a splendid piece of construction and worth much more than he had offered. Gould tersely replied that his bid was the maximum and that he wouldn't raise it if the old line was "nickel plated."—Railroad Man's Magazine.

A Northern Venice.

The old city of Ghent, Belgium, is built on twenty-six islands, which are connected with one another by eighty bridges. Three hundred streets and thirty public squares are contained in these islands. Ghent is famous because Charles V. and John of Gaunt were born there. It has been the scene of many treaties, insurrections and revolts, and it was there the treaty was made terminating the war of 1812 between this country and England.

The Point of Surprise.

"Did you notice the man over there who took off his hat to the lady he met and begged pardon so politely for stepping on her dress?"

"Why, what is so remarkable about such ordinary politeness?"

"But, man alive, she's his wife!"—Baltimore American.

His Friendship.

"I know how this catastrophe has crippled you, and as one of your oldest friends I should like to help you. I will buy your furniture for 300 francs. She—You're very kind, but I've just sold it for 325 francs. He—What? You allowed yourself to be robbed like that?—Pelo Melo.

A Sad Meeting.

"I think we met at this cafe last winter. Your overcoat is very familiar to me."

"But I didn't own it then."

"No, but I did."—Fillegendo Blatter.

Intelligent Girl.

Maud—Why do you always wear flowers when you are playing cards? Alice—Because Jack told me I must never show my hand.—Bigon Transcript.

Obituary is the flower that grows best on graves.—George Mann.

JUICE OF THE POPPY.

The Flowers Are Lanced to Obtain the Crude Opium.

It is probable that few owners of flower beds are aware that the poppies they cultivate purely for ornament will, if treated correctly, produce opium. When the flower petals have fallen, leaving the seed capsule bare, there will exude, if an incision is made in that body, a sticky juice. This juice is opium. It varies in certain chemical qualities according to the country wherein it is cultivated and the variety of plant wherefrom it is produced.

Although the poppy will grow in almost any climate, it is in the east it is most successfully cultivated. When the land has been plowed and harrowed the poppy seed is sown, about six pounds of seed being sufficient for one-third of an acre. Just as soon as it begins to germinate, about a week after sowing in certain localities, the land is divided by furrows into rectangular beds about eight feet in length by four in breadth. These channels are employed for irrigation, as the plants need frequent watering, sometimes even until the time of maturity.

About two months and a half after germination the flower appears, and its four petals are gently removed on the third day after their expansion, to be pasted together with the leaves destined to form the outer shell of the opium cake. Then after about eight or ten days the capsules are lanced—at night—and the juice, which has exuded from the incisions is scraped off in the morning with a small scoop and transferred to a metal or earthen vessel. This process is repeated three or four times at intervals of two or three days, the result being pure opium. The flower petals, the plant leaves and the stalks have also a considerable value for packing purposes. The thicker portions of the stalk are used by natives for firewood.

The crude opium having been gathered, it is stored by the cultivator and carefully watched and culled from time to time in order that no mold or taint may attack it. Finally the opium is made into cakes, dried, packed in boxes and removed to market for sale.—New York Press.

BONEHEAD BASEBALL.

This Was About the Richest Double Play Ever Perpetrated.

Double boneheads are rare in baseball—scarcer than hens' teeth, and naturally so, for the completion of a bonehead requires vigilance and quick thinking by the opposition. Still, double boneheads happen ever and anon, the most famous one possibly being that pulled by Cozy Dolan and Harry Gessler at Chicago several years ago.

On this occasion Dolan had reached second in the ninth, and one was down, the score at the time being in favor of the Cubs by a one run margin. The next batter hoisted a long fly over center field. Gessler grabbed the ball and, deciding that it was the third out, tucked the ball in his pocket and flew for the clubhouse.

Dolan, instead of taking advantage of the break to score the tying run, also figured that it was the third out, while a raving mob of players from both teams, surrounding them, tried to impress the horror of the situation upon them.

Artie Hoffman snally took the ball away from Gessler, chased Dolan to the clubhouse and made the putout at the edge of the bathtub. That was the richest double break on record, but there have been a few others almost as funny.

Royal Night Bodyguards.

For more than 400 years a body of men known as the Monteros de Espinosa have enjoyed the exclusive privilege of watching over the slumbers of the kings and queens of Spain. They are bound by tradition to be natives of Espinosa and to have served with distinction in the army. One of these is on guard at the door of the bedroom of each royal personage in the palace, and the others, armed with huge halberds and wearing felt-soled shoes, tread silently all through the night along the corridors and halls. Their service begins at midnight and ceases at 7 in the morning.

Japanese "Silent" Music.

A curious ceremony used to be performed in Japan by the court musicians at certain Shinto festivals. Both stringed and wind instruments were used, but it was held that no sound should be allowed to fall upon unworthy ears, and, as some of the ears present might be unworthy, all the motions of playing were gone through by the musicians, but not a single sound was heard. This strange custom dated back many generations.

Use For a Friend.

"I let my house furnished, and they have had measles there. Of course we've had the place disinfected, so I suppose it's quite safe. What do you think?"

"I fancy it would be all right, dear. But I think perhaps it would be safer to rent it to a friend."—London Punch.

Corrected.

"Was Rome founded by Romeo?" inquired a pupil of the teacher.

"No, my son," replied the wise man.

"It was Juliet who was found dead by Romeo."—London Answers.

Dividing the Task.

Lottie—Oh, well, let's kiss and make up. Dottie—All right, dear. I'll do the kissing, but you've had more experience with the other part of the program.—Cleveland Leader.

THE NEW LINGERIE.

Slim Lines the Thing in Modish Underwear.



THE BODICE CORSET COVER.

Pictured is the new bodice corset cover, which is a boon to the stout women. It is very much on the order of a brassiere, as it is perfectly fitted to the figure and boned in several places.

Another advantage of this corset cover is that it is attached to the petticoat, giving it a smooth hip line.

The materials used are Valenciennes lace and the sheerest of tucked batiste. Pink satin ribbon ties the cover at the shoulders and is run through the beading.

Your Spring Hat.

A hat is the most noticeable feature of a woman's dress. It practically makes or mars her costume. The selecting of a good looking hat is simply a question of interest in the matter. The milliner is interested in selling what she has on hand. The trouble is the average woman is not as interested in selecting a becoming hat as the milliner is interested in selling what she has on hand. No milliner will take the interest in your appearance that you do yourself.

At least every woman should know her own limitations sufficiently well to be an intelligent factor in clothing her own head and not be a mere pawn moved about at the milliner's whim. It is all the matter of studying oneself, of being aware of one's own type. Don't be guilty of extinguishing a little face under an immense hat or load it with ornaments brighter than the sparkle of your own eyes or with colors that make you sallow by contrast. If you are built on the Juno type do not be persuaded into buying a toy hat regardless how your friends and the milliner insist that your classic braids are beautifully adorned with a Tommy Atkins toque.

Neither should one carry respect for one's own style to the monotonous extreme of never wearing but one kind of hat. Each year there are fashions which may be adapted to your knowledge of your own individuality. Each year it is possible for the woman who knows her own face and who has due regard for its possibilities to frame it becomingly without sacrificing every consideration of the modes. Adaptation of one's own individuality means harmony in hats.

A Joke on Father.

"Can you match this typewriting for me?" inquired a customer of the head of a typewriter's office. The head of the office looked up and saw a blond and blushing beauty of perhaps seventeen. She was well dressed and well groomed, and a Boston bull pup of parts strutted from the end of a leash in her hand.

"It's very important to match it exactly," insisted the young thing.

The head of the office just glanced at the paper in her hand. "Machine No. 3 matches it," she said. "Will you tell the young lady at machine No. 3 what you want?"

The blond beauty and the girl at machine No. 3 whispered apart. Machine No. 3 clicked for a moment. There was a frou-frou of skirts and a yip from an unwilling bull pup and the visitor was gone.

"Say, that was a queer thing!" remarked the girl at machine No. 3. "She had a receipted dentist's bill for \$6. She had me insert on another one an item for \$60 and add it up to a total of \$66 above the signature. Say, do you suppose it was just a little joke on father—or what?"

Women Do the Work in City of Proissy. In the little city of Proissy, sixty miles north of Paris, there is not a municipal job worth having that a woman doesn't occupy, from mayor down to "Mother" Lafarge, who tends the gate at the main street railway crossing. The conductor on the local train is a woman, Mlle. Durc. The letter carrier is a woman, Mme. Dauboin. The town crier is an old lady named Mme. Deuhon, and the chief of police is a woman. The men are engaged in farming and fruit raising and leave municipal office to epistlers and old women.

SPECIAL SALE OF

LACE
CURTAINS,
MADRAS
CURTAINS,
CURTAIN
MUSLINS,
CURTAIN
MADRAS,
ART SATRENS
For Pay Week.

WE ARE NOW SHOWING the best assortment of L. noleams at 50c and 62 1-2 c. n. n. t. per square yd, special for pay-day week 45c and 55c per sq. yd



A full line of Furniture, Beds, Stoves, and Ranges always on

A. McKINNON

McPhee Block, Dunsmuir Avenue, Cumberland

Nabob Brand

of Teas, Coffee, Spices, Salmon, Dried and Canned Fruits, etc., are the best value and quality that money can buy. Try them.

The Cumberland Departmental Stores have a Full Range of these Brands in Stock.

MAROCCHI BROS GROCFRS & BAKERS AND PROPRIETORS OF CUMBERLAND BOTTLING WORKS

Agents for Pilsener Brewing Company's BEER
Wholesale Dealers in all Kinds of
Wines and Liquors.

SECOND STREET

Tommy's Bicycle Shop

N. Nakanishi, Prop.

—GENERAL REPAIRING OF—

Bicycles, Sewing Machines,
Guns, Etc., Etc.
Plumbing Done.

Bicycles for Sale
and Hire.

Local agent for
Cleveland, Massey-Harris
and Perfect bicycles.

P.O. Box 360

Telephone 7-0

Hicks & Lovick Piano Co.

LIMITED.

809 GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite P. O. VICTORIA, B. C.

HEINTZMAN & CO'Y PIANOS

and others, also

PIANOLA PIANOS & ORGANS

VICTOR VICTROLAS
and RECORDS

Write us for Prices and Terms

HICKS & LOVICK PIANO COMPANY, LIMITED

Capital \$6,200,000. Reserve \$7,200,000

The Royal Bank of Canada.

DRAFTS ISSUED IN ANY CURRENCY, PAYABLE ALL
OVER THE WORLD.

SPECIAL ATTENTION paid to SAVINGS ACCOUNTS & interest
at highest Current Rates allowed on Deposits of \$1 and upwards.

CUMBERLAND, B. C., Branch, Open Daily.

UNION WHARF, B. C., Sub-Branch, Open Thursdays

D. M. MORRISON, Manager.

COURTENAY, B. C., Branch, Open Daily.

WM. HOFF, Manager.

P. PHILLIPPS HARRISON

BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR

NOTARY PUBLIC

CONVEYANCING

DUNSMUIR AVENUE

CUMBERLAND.

V. BONORA

Manufacturer of MINERAL WATER

P. O. BOX 482
PHONE 20....

CUMBERLAND



"HUMBER"

If you get it at PLIMLEY'S it's all right

There's Cycling Satisfaction in a
"SINGER"

The cyclist who invests in a "SINGER" Cycle is safe from every point of view. The "Singer" Cycle is a marvel of modern mechanism, and its beauty besides. Including the "Singer Royal" for ladies, we show four models, ranging in price from \$65. Write for a list to-day.

THOS. PLIMLEY

739 YATES STREET

VICTORIA, B. C.

Form Of Notice.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the fore shore 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 18 and 13, Town 2, Port McNeill, Rupert District, thence north sixty chains 66; thence east eighty chains 80; thence south sixty-five chains 65; more or less to high water mark on south side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence westerly along shore to place of commencement.

BERNARD S. SPRINGETT

Francis M. Tordiffe, Agent

Dated this 8th day of April 1912

Form Of Notice.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the fore shore 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 16 and 17, Town ship 1 and 2, Port McNeill, Rupert District, thence north eighty chains 80; thence east eighty chains 80; thence south seventy-five chains 75, more or less to high water mark on south side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence westerly along shore line to place of commencement.

NETTIE CLAIRD

Francis M. Tordiffe, Agent

Dated this 8th day of April 1912

Form Of Notice.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Minister of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum under the fore shore 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 16 and 17, Township 1 and 2, Port McNeill, Rupert District; thence north eighty chain 80 thence west eighty chain 80; thence south sixty-two chains 62, more or less to high water mark on south side of Port McNeill Harbor; thence easterly along shore line to place of commencement.

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 29th, 1912.

OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE

Correspondence.

Editor News.

Sir:—

"There's a lad among ye
Taking notes,
And faith he'll print 'em."

—Burns.

Since coming here among you there are two subjects that have continually deafened my ears. The sanitary condition your of city and the roaming cattle. So strongly have they been insisted upon that one day recently I made a visit up and down your back alleys, after seeing and more particularly smelling their contents I really concluded that the complaints were only too well founded, and your periodical outbreak of scarlet fever etc. etc., were fully explained; the closets in many instances were doorless, their contents visible to the naked eye, in one case the liquid overflow reached over two yards and still proceeding, and not in a single case so far as could be seen, the floor had not been flushed out nor any disinfectant used, and the seepage from the overflowing had so saturated the wood that the stench was ascending and spreading as a protest against the Sanitary Officer's indifference and neglect of one of his most important duties. There was also indisputable evidence of soap suds deposited right in alley way; indeed I saw the residue of this strong liquid being emptied there, further on there was a heap of ashes and one of stable manure crowned with egg shells and other like remains from the kitchen, right on the side of the alley without protection of any kind. Then there was accumulations of manure from the livery stables and others on which milking cows were eating the saturated litter; what can be expected to result from such feeding of the milk is used by humans but outbreaks of diseases, especially infantile attacks from its use, to say nothing of the hordes of flies the manure breeds to swarm into houses and stores running over our food depositing upon it all the poisonous germs generated by the rotting refuse from which they spring, a menace to the public health that all up to date cities are endeavoring to stamp out by regular cleanings and thorough removal.

If your City Council and Health Officer of the 14th have properly instructed the Sanitary Officer as to the importance of his duties and are relying upon his carrying out their instructions; it would be well for them to personally inspect conditions and deal with them accordingly.

This part of the citizen's complaint having run into a long letter I will, with your consent, refer to the roaming cattle in your next issue.

THE CHIEF'S NOTES

Gramophone Needles for sale by Chas. Segrave at the News Office.

LAND ACT.

Sayward Land District.

TAKE NOTICE that John Stanislaus Carroll, of New York, N. Y., occupation, engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of Lot 550 thence north 40 chains, thence west 22.76 chains to the east boundary of Lot 548, thence south along said boundary 40 chains, thence east 22.76 chains to point of commencement containing 91 acres more or less.

JOHN STANISLAUS CARROLL

Robert Henry Chestnut, Agent.

Date May 10th, 1912.

jael2 aug14

LAND NOTICE

Sayward Land District

TAKE NOTICE that Charles O'Flynn, of New York, N. Y., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted 7.24 chains east of the S. W. corner of Lot 550, thence south 66.84 chains, thence west 30 chains, thence north 65.84 chains, thence east 30 chains to point of commencement containing 200 acres more or less.

CHARLES O'FLYNN.

Robert Henry Chestnut, Agent

Date May 10th, 1912.

jael2 aug14

MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Cumberland that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall, Dunsmuir Ave. on the 2nd day of July 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the municipal council as at or men.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:—The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be held on the 5th day of July, 1912, at the City Hall, Dunsmuir Avenue, Cumberland, B. C. of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern him or herself accordingly.

No person shall be nominated or be eligible as a candidate for alderman, unless he is possessed of the qualifications by law required of those officers, and unless the candidate shall, on or before the hour of two p.m. of the day of nomination, furnish the Returning Officer with a statement in writing, specifying the land or real property upon which he qualifies, his nomination shall be invalid and shall not be acted upon by the Returning Officer.

The qualifications as candidate for alderman are as follows:

He must be a male British subject of the full age of twenty-one years and not disqualified under any law, and have been for six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner of the Land Registry Office of land or real property in the city of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of \$500 or more, over and above any register of encumbrance or charge, and who is otherwise qualified as a municipal voter.

Given under my hand at the City of Cumberland, this 18th day of June, 1912.

ALEX. MCKINNON,

Returning Officer.

TRY AN AD
in the NEWS