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Locals.

W. J. Gourd the expert piano tuner, will arrive from Vancouver about the end of September or the beginning of October. Reserve your orders for him.

Dr. D. E. Kerr, dentist, will be in Cumberland on and after September 18th.

Mr. James Grant and Miss Lena Hughes were married at Nanaimo, on Monday last. Mr. Grant and bride will proceed east as far as Montreal, where Mr. Grant will resume his studies at McGill University.

Mr. John Stewart and family left the city on Tuesday last. Mrs. Stewart and children will spend the winter in California, Mr. Stewart remaining in Vancouver for the present.

CHALLENGE.

I hereby challenge anyone in Cumberland of my size and weight to a wrestling match, catch-as-catch-can.

J. W. GOWLAND.

We know a gentleman in town, who got so excited over the coming election and is so sure that Ross will come out on top, that he lost his pants.

Friday's mail by S. S. Cowichan will arrive at 12 noon and close at 4:30 p. m.

Dr. Kerr leaves today for Victoria, returning on Saturday, and thereafter remaining only one week in Cumberland.

Mrs. Frank Ramsay left by Sunday's boat for Vancouver.

FOR SALE—horse, buggy and harness, cheap. Apply L. A. Monice, Cumberland, B. C.

Mr. G. H. Aston is removing at the end of the month to more commodious quarters next to McLeod's candy store, where he will be able to display his large and up-to-date stock of watches and jewelry.

The output of coal from local mines for the month of August was 44,646 tons.

COAST LAND DISTRICT.

District of Coast.

TAKE NOTICE that Davidson Ward Co., Ltd., of Loughboro Inlet, occupation lumbermen, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south side of Hardwick Island about 20 chains from shore, thence on the east boundary line of lease lot marked 56 H R M; thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 50 chains, back to place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

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Dated August 16, 1911.

ANOTHER MAIL SERVICE

R. M. Coulter, Deputy-Postmaster-General, telegraphed Mr. Duncan Ross to the effect that the S.S. Cowichan would in future carry the mails twice a week, instead of once a week as heretofore. This will give us a service of FIVE MAILS PER WEEK.

ANOTHER OLD TIMER GONE.

Shortly after the meeting held in the Cumberland Hall on Sept. 14th, one of our old timers went to his long rest. He was a cantankerous old brute, but faithful to his friends. He was in the hall a few minutes before his death. No postmortem was held on the body, as the cause of death was palpable to all his friends who saw him stagger from the hall. His end (tail end) was peaceful and painless. He recovered consciousness toward the last, and faintly murmured Bow Bow. Poor old Togo, the pet of the Cumberland Hotel, he will be sorely missed.

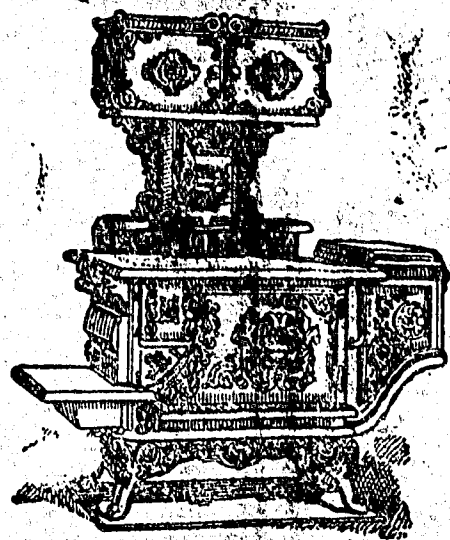
Do not forget—Great Bargains in Men's Clothing for two weeks at The Big Store.

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City Council did not meet in regular session on Monday evening, owing to the absence of a quorum at the hour of 8 o'clock.

Mr. Congden, member for the Yukon, delivered a masterly address on reciprocity, in Cumberland Hall on Tuesday evening. It was a masterpiece.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray arrived home on Sunday from a two weeks visit to Vancouver.



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CUMBERLAND BRANCH..... W. T. WHITE, Manager

SACRED CONCERT

Cumberland Hall was crowded to the doors Sunday night to listen to the concert given under the auspices of the band for the benefit of one of its members, Mr. Ben Williams. Mr. T. E. Bate acted as chairman, and after a few very appropriate introductory remarks by him, the splendid programme was rendered in an excellent manner by the band, and the Presbyterian Church choir augmented by a choir of male voices.

The concert opened and closed by the audience joining in singing the doxology.

Mr. W. Blakemore, of Victoria, the Conservative speaker at Tuesday night's meeting should have had a fair hearing. We are disgusted at such unfairness from men who should know better, and talk about "British fair-play."

SAD FATALITY

Joseph Langi, a native of Italy, aged 80 years, was killed by a fall of rock at No. 7 mine on Monday morning. The funeral took place on Tuesday, from his late residence Windermere avenue, to the Cumberland cemetery, the American Order of Human Right, of which the deceased was a member, conducting the ceremonies.

The Eagles, of which the deceased was also a member, attended in large numbers.

The Ladies of the Maccabees of Cumberland Hive No. 17, at Regular Review, Thursday, Sept. 14th, held memorial service, draping their charter for sixty days, in memory of their beloved Past Supreme Commander, Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister.

Dr. Kerr, dentist, will be in Courtenay Oct. 1st to 7th.

NEW FALL GOODS

Our first Shipment of FALL GOODS have arrived and are now opened up, and include everything in Wearing Apparel for Fall and Winter. You are cordially invited to come in and examine Values and Prices. No trouble to look!

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The Round-Up

A Romance of Arizona

Novelized From Edmund Day's Melodrama

By JOHN MURRAY and MILLS MILLER

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(Continued.)

The little group had become silent. Arizona was in a period of unrest. Rumors of another Apache uprising were growing stronger each day. Then Payson was successful and therefore despised by a less fortunate men ever eager for a quarrel.

After a moment's thought Sagebrush brushed aside his fears and brightened up his comrades with the remark: "Mebbe he rid over to Florence station to get a present for Miss Echo. He said somethin' about gettin' an article from Kansas City."

"Mebbe so," agreed Allen, eager to cast out any forebodings. "It's time," he continued, "he wuz turnin' up if this weddin's to be pulled off by the clock."

"Has the sky pilot got here yet?" asked Sagebrush.

"No," replied Allen. "He's started, though. There's one thing sartin—we can't tighten up the cinches till the bridegroom gits here."

The absence of Jack Payson and the failure of the minister to arrive aroused the suspicions of Sagebrush. Coming closer to Allen, he smiled knowingly and, speaking in a confidential tone, asked:

"Say, Jim, they ain't figgerin' on gittin' away on the sly-like, are they?"

Show Low interrupted with the explanation. "You see, we're goin' to decorate the wagon some."

The suggestion that any one connected with Allen Hacienda would ride in anything on wheels except the driver of the chuck wagon on the round-up aroused the indignation of the old cattleman. For him the only use to which a wheeled vehicle drawn by a horse should be put was to haul materials that could not be packed on a horse.

"They ain't usin' any wagon!" he fairly shouted. "They're goin' away in the leather."

The idea of carrying out the traditions of the horse in Pinal county even to a wedding journey tickled the boys immensely.

Slapping one another on the back and nodding their heads in approbation, they shouted: "That's the ticket! Hooryay!"

"This ain't no New York idea, where the bride an' groom hits the life trail in a hired hack!" cried Fresno.

Allen's feelings apparently were not yet fully soothed. Turning to Sagebrush, he said: "Wheels don't go in my family. Why, her ma an' me were married on hossback. The preacher had to make a hurry job of it, but it took."

"Hush, now," was Parenthesis' awed comment.

"For her pop was a-chasin' us an' kept it up for twenty miles after the parson said 'Amen.'"

"Did he ketch you?" asked Fresno, with great seriousness.

"He sure did," answered Allen, with a twinkle in his eye, "an' thanked me for takin' Josephine off his hands."

The boys laughed. The joke was upon themselves, as they had expected to hear a romantic story of earlier days.

When the laughter had subsided Show Low suggested, "If we can't decorate the wagon, let's put some fixin's on the ponies."

The proposal was received with more whoops, shouting and yipping. They waited about the smiling rancher.

"That's what!" cried Sagebrush enthusiastically.

Allen grow sarcastic, remarking, "I reckon you all must have stopped some time at the water tank."

Renewed laughter greeted this sally. "This is my first weddin'," explained Sagebrush rather apologetically.

"I want to know!" exclaimed Allen in surprise.

"I'm tellin' you. I never seed a weddin' in all my life," replied Sagebrush, as seriously as if he was denying a false accusation of a serious crime. "Mother used to tell me about her'n, an' I often wish I had been there."

Fresno shouted with amusement. He had Sagebrush rattled. The coolest man on the range was flustered by the mere thought of attending a wedding ceremony.

"He'n plumb locoed over this one, Ain't you, Sagebrush?" he drawled tauntingly.

Sagebrush took his glibbing in the best of humor. It was a holiday, and they were with people of their own kind. Had a stranger been present the remarks would have been resented bitterly. On this point only they were particularly sensitive. In the presence of outsiders they are silent, answering only in monosyllables, never leading in any conversation, and if any comment is necessary they make it indirectly.

"Well, I ain't no society bud like you are," laughed Sagebrush. "The others joined with him in his merriest over Fresno's discomfiture. 'Weddin's ain't so frequent where I come from as they is in California.'"

"It's the climate," answered Fresno, with a broad grin.

"So you ain't never been at a weddin'?" asked Allen, who was looking

for another opening to have more fun with Sagebrush.

Again the cowboy became serious and confessed: "Nope; I've officiated at several plain killin's an' been chief usher at a lynchin', but this here's my first weddin', an' I'm goin' to turn loose some an' enjoy it."

Sagebrush grinned in anticipation of the good times that he knew lay in store for him at the dance.

"You're fixed up as if you was the male attraction at this event," said Allen, looking Sagebrush over carefully and scanning him around on his heel.

"Ain't I mussed up fine?" answered Sagebrush.

"You're the sure big turkey," interrupted Parenthesis.

"Served up fine, with all the trimmin's," laughed Fresno, taking another jab at his friend.

Their sport was broken up for the time being by the appearance of Polly at the door of the ranch house. "Hello, boys!" she shouted, with the fascinating cordiality of the western girl, wherein the breath of the plains, the purity of the air and the wholesomeness of life are embraced in a simple greeting and the clasp of a hand.

The cowboys took off their hats and made elaborate bows to the young woman. "Howdy, Miss Polly?" they cried.

"You sure do look pert," added Sagebrush with what he considered his most winning smile. Fresno snickered and hastily brushed back the hair from his forehead.

"Where's Jack?" she asked the two men, who at once ranged themselves on each side of her.

"He did not start with the boys," explained Allen. "He'll be along soon, Polly."

"Well, now, when it comes to lookers, what's the matter with Polly Hope?" exclaimed Sagebrush slyly.

Glances of admiration were cast at the girl, who was dressed simply and plainly in a little white gown which Mrs. Allen had made for her for the wedding. Polly's youth, good nature and ability to take care of herself made her a favorite on the ranch. She had no need of defenders, but if an occasion should arise that Polly required a knight there were a score of guns at her service at an hour's notice.

"Looks like a picture from a book," said Fresno, hoping to win back the ground he had lost by Sagebrush's openly expressed admiration.

Polly was flattered by the comments and the glances of the boys, which expressed their approval of her appearance more loudly than spoken words. She pretended, however, to be annoyed. "Go 'long," she said. "Where's Bud Lane? Didn't you give him his invite?"

The boys turned from one to the other with feigned glances of disgust at being slighted by Polly for an absent one. The one sided courtship of Bud and Polly was known up and down the valley, and indefinite postponement of their wedding day was one of the jests of the two ranches.

"Oh, we sent it on to him at Florence. He'll git it in time if he ain't gone to the Lazy K with Buck McKee," said Sagebrush; then, turning to the other cowboys, he added in an aggrieved tone, "Polly ain't got no eyes for no one except Bud."

Polly stepped to Allen's side and, laying her head on his shoulder, said, "Ain't I?" Allen patted the girl's head. He was very fond of her, looking upon her as another daughter.

Polly smiled back into his face, and then, with a glance at the cowboys, said, "Say, Uncle Jim, there's some bottles to be opened."

The invitation was an indirect one, but all knew what it meant and started for the house.

"Root beer," added Polly mischievously. "The corks pull awful hard."

Allen glanced at her in feigned alarm.

"What do you want to do—stampede the bunch?"

Before she could answer the approach of a horse attracted the attention of the group.

"There's Jack now!" cried Sagebrush in tones which plainly showed his relief. "No, it ain't," he added reflectively. "He rode his pacer mare, an' that's a trottin' horse."

The cry of the rider was heard quelling his mount. Allen recognized the voice. "It's Slim Hoover," he cried.

Polly clapped her hands and said mischievously to Sagebrush: "Now you'll see me makin' oogoo eyes to somebody besides Bud Lane. I ain't a-goin' to be the only girl in Pinal county Slim Hoover ain't set up to."

"An' shied off from," added Sagebrush, a little nettled by Polly's over-looking him as a subject for flirtation.

"But what's Slim doin' over this way?"

"Come to Jack's weddin', of course," replied Polly, adding complacently, "An' probably projectin' a hitch-up of his own."

She ran around the corner of the house directly into the crowd, who seized him before he could recover from his surprise and proceeded to haze him, to their intense delight and the sheriff's embarrassment, for he knew that Polly was somewhere near enjoying his discomfiture. Polly waited until her victim was fully ready for her particular form of torture. The reception of the cowboys was crude to her refined form of making the fat sheriff uncomfortable.

With the velvety cruelty of a flirt she held out her hand, saying, "Hello, Slim."

The sheriff flushed under his tan. The red crept up the back of his neck to his ears. He awkwardly took off his hat. With a bow and a scrape he greeted her. "Howdy, Miss Polly, howdy?" Meantime he shook her hand with the wheed from the heartiness of the grip.

"What's the news?" she asked as she slowly straightened out her fingers one by one.

"There's been a killin' over Florence way," announced the sheriff, putting on his hat and becoming an officer of the law with duty to perform.

"Who is the unfortunate?" asked Sagebrush as they gathered about Hoover and listened intently.

Murder in Arizona was a serious matter until punishment was meted out to the slayer or he was freed by his fellow citizens. Far from courts of justice and surrounded by men to whom death was often merely an incident in a career of crime, the settlers were forced to depend upon themselves to keep peace on the border. They acted quickly, but never hastily. Judgment followed quickly on conviction. Their views were broad, and rarely were their decisions wrong.

"Ole Man Terrill," replied the sheriff. "Happened about 10 this mornin'. Some man caught him alone in the railroad station an' blowed his head half off."

"Do tell!" was Allen's exclamation.

"Yep," continued the sheriff. "He must have pulled a gun on the fellow. He put up some sort of a fight, as the room is some mussed up."

"Robbery?" queried Polly, with wide open eyes.

"That's what," answered Slim, turning to her. "He had three thousand dollars pinned in his vest, county money for salaries. You know how he toted his wad around with him, defyin' man or the devil to get it away from him? Well, some one who was both man an' devil was too much for him."

"Who found him?"

"I did myself. Went over around noon after the money. Didn't stop to go back to town for a posse. Trail was already too cold. Could tell it was a man that rode a pacer horse."

His auditors looked at each other, striving to remember who of their acquaintance rode a pacer horse. Sagebrush Charley shook his head. "Nobody down this way," he said, "of course, the boss, rides a pacer. Must be one of the Lazy K outfit, I reckon."

"Most likely," said the sheriff. "He struck out south, probably to throw me off scent. Then he fell in with two other men, an' this balled me up. I lost one of the tracks, but followed the other two round Sweetwater mesa till I come where they rode into the river. Of course I couldn't follow the trail any farther at that p'int, so, bein' as I was near Uncle Jim's, I rode over fer help to look along both banks an' pick up the trail wherever it comes out of the river. Sorry I must break up yer fun, boys, but some of you must come along with me. Duty's duty. I want Sagebrush anyhow, as I s'pose I can't ask fer Jack Payson."

Sagebrush pulled a long face. At any other time he would have jumped at the chance of running to earth the dastardly murderers of his old friend Terrill. But in the matter of this his first experience of a wedding, he had tickled his palate so long with the sweets of anticipation that he could not near to forego the culminating swallow of realization.

"I don't see why I shouldn't be let off as well as Jack," he grumbled. "Our cases is similar. You see, it's my first weddin'," explained the foreman to the sheriff.

The other cowboys howled with delight. The humor of the situation caught their fancy, and they yelled a chorus of protestation in Hoover's ears. In this Colonel Allen joined.

"Don't spile the weddin'," he pleaded. "This here event has already rounded up the Sweetwater outfit for you an' saved you more time than you'll lose by waitin' till it's over. Then we'll all line you."

Hoover commanded silence and, rolling a cigarette, gravely considered the proposition. He realized that the murderers should be followed up at once, but that if he forced the cowboys by the legal power he exercised to forego the pleasure they had been anticipating so greatly they would not be so keen in pursuit as if they had first "given the boss his sendoff."

The considerations being equal, or, as he put it, "hoss an' hoss," it seemed to him wise to submit to Allen's proposition, backed, as it was, by the justice of his plan that the occasion of the wedding had already saved valuable time in assembling the posse. He assented, therefore, but, to maintain the dignity of his office and control of the situation, with apparent reluctance.

"Well, hurry up the sacraments an' ceremonies, then, an' the minute the preacher ties the knot every man of you but Jack an' the parson an' Uncle Jim gits on his hoss an' follows me. I'll wait out in the corral."

At this there was another storm of expostulation, led this time by Allen. Of course Hoover was to come to the wedding and be its guest of honor.

"You shall be the first to wish Jack an' Echo luck," said Allen. "That means you'll be the next one to marry."

(To be continued.)

Site of London.

London originally stood in the center of marshes, part of which extended over the area of Southwark and Waterloo.

Choosing a Puppy.

In order to make choice of a puppy from among a number of others it is best to leave the choice to the mother herself. In carrying them back to their bed the first mother takes up will always be the best.

Isaac Walton.

Isaac Walton's treatise on the art of angling was published in 1653. That patient fisherman died in 1683 at the advanced age of ninety years.

A ROYAL FAVORITE

Ambassador Reid's Daughter, Who Scorned a Title.

CAN OUTSHINE ANY PEERESS.

But Is Altogether Indifferent to Society, Devoting Herself to Her Husband and Little Boy With a Zeal That Charms England's Domestic Queen.

Mrs. John Hubert Ward, the pretty daughter of the American ambassador to England, the Hon. Whitelaw Reid, ranks easily first among the American women who have married Englishmen. It is true that her husband, a younger brother of the Earl of Dudley, is only an "honorable," and honorables are thick as hops in London, but then he is a Ward, the favorite equerry of the late King Edward and so popular with King George and Queen Mary that he is certain to be a person of importance in the new scheme of things. Before Miss Jean Reid accepted the Hon. John Hubert Ward she had refused scores of devoted noblemen, and rumor said she had even turned away one serene highness. Miss Reid didn't care for titles.

It was at Biarritz that the romance began. King Edward was staying there, and so were the Reids. The Hon. John was in attendance upon the king, who enjoyed the society of the American ambassador. While Miss Reid's father was engaged with his



MRS. JOHN HUBERT WARD.

majesty she often found it incumbent upon herself to entertain the handsome equerry. For this reason King Edward, who always earnestly disclaimed matchmaking talent, has been credited with making the match. Certain it is that the royal set seemed much pleased with the union.

Few English brides of high degree have had such an assemblage of the royal family at the wedding as did this dainty little American girl. Queen Alexandra, especially radiant in white brocade and silver, sat with King Edward in a box of the chapel royal at St. James' palace, where, in June, 1905, the ceremony was performed. The present king and queen were there, and so, too, were Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck, the Connaughts and a hundred others of the cream of Great Britain's aristocracy.

The reception later at the home of the bride's parents, palatial Dorchester House, was a magnificent affair. The bride received as a wedding gift from her father Chilton Lodge, twenty-five miles from London, one of the most attractive country places in England. It cost just \$500,000, and the new owners spent \$100,000 in remodeling it. There the Wards entertained royalty, and there their son, who had a king for his godfather and a queen for his godmother, was born. Unlimited wealth is at their command.

Mrs. Ward's father is an immensely wealthy man. Her mother inherited a huge fortune from her father, the late D. O. Mills. The Hon. John Hubert Ward was worth about \$2,500,000 at the time of his marriage. Mrs. Ward's parents are extremely liberal and no doubt would be pleased with their daughter's social successes.

Should she become a large entertainer there is no doubt that few, if any, American hostesses could outshine the fields' daughter with their millions and the Wards' splendid family prestige to back her. Therefore the fact that she will open her town house for the coronation festivities is a matter of much interest to many transatlantic social leaders. Her father is to entertain three kings at dinner, and but for the fact that she cares little for society the Hon. Mrs. John Hubert Ward might entertain as many queens. If they were available. As it is, no diamonded peeress of American blood who will kneel to the new queen in Westminster abbey holds so enviable a position in English society as the county, independent daughter of the Reids.

When Telephoning.

Do you ever have occasion to use a public telephone? Then put your chest against the mouthpiece and use chest tones. This method has been tried, and, although the voice seems far away, you can hear distinctly.

RALEIGH'S WIFE.

Interesting Letter Bespeaks His Love For His Spouse.

The long and interesting letter written while in prison by Sir Walter Raleigh, which was sold at Sotheby's in London, a few days ago for \$2,600, is dated Oct. 5, no year; and is addressed "To my very worthy friend, Sir Walter Cope, Knight." It is as follows:

"Sir Walter Cope: You are of my old acquaintances, and were my familiar friend for many years, in which time I hope you cannot say that I ever used any unkind office towards you. But our fortunes are now changed and it may be in your power greatly to bynde me unto you, if the bynding of a man to my estate be worth anything."

"My desire unto you is that you will be pleased to move my Lord Treasurer in my behalf that, by his grace, my wife might agayne be made a prisoner with me as she hath bine years last past, shee being now devide from me and thereby to my great impoverishing, I am driven to kepe to howses. A miserable sute it is, and yet great to me, who, in this wretched estate, can hope for no other thing than peaceable sorrow."

"It is now that I call the Lord of all power to witnesse, yet I ever have bine and am resolved that it was never in the worthy hart of Sir Robert Cecyll (what soever a counselor of State and a Lord Treasurer of Ingland must do) to suffer me to fall, much less to perishe. For whatsoever names it hath pleased his Lordship to use towards me, which might utterly dispaire any bodie else, yet I know yt he spake then as a counselor, sitting in counsell in company of such as would, not otherwise have bine satisfied."

"But, as God liveth, I would have bought his presence att a far dearer rate than these sharp words and those three months' close imprisonment, for it is in his Lordship's hart and countenance that I behold all yt remaines to me of comfort and all the hope I have, and from which I shall never be beaten till I see the last of evils and the dispaire, which hath no heale. The blessings of God cannot make him cruel that was never so."

"Nor any man of so great worth to delight in the endless adversities of an enemy, with lash of him who, in his very sowle an' nature, can never be such a one towards him."

"Sr, the matter is of no great importance (though a cruell destine hath made it so to me) to desire that my wife may live with me in this unsavoury place. If, by your mediation, I may obtayne it I will acknowledge it in highest degree of thankfulness and rest redy to trow fayth to be commanded by you."

"W. Raleigh."

The letter was probably written in 1610, when for three months the enemies of Raleigh, or Raleigh, as he spelled the name, succeeded in depriving him of the society of his wife, who was ordered to leave the Tower. He was released in 1616 to go on a hunt for gold in South America, but falling in his quest was re-arrested on his return to England and was executed on Oct. 29, 1618.

"The Ungodly Cough."

"You never know where he is going to break out next," someone once said regarding Rev. R. J. Campbell, pastor of the City Temple, who is about to visit Canada on a preaching tour. This person was referring particularly to Mr. Campbell's somewhat unconventional remarks. On one occasion he addressed his hearers upon the timely subject of congregational coughing, and assured them that there was such a thing as "the ungodly cough." Then, again, he one day stopped his congregation singing that hymn, "O, Beautiful My Country," saying that the compilers of the hymn book had spoiled it by altering the tune. And then, breaking into song, he sang the lines as he thought they should be written. The applause which greeted this musical effort was tremendous. Apparently, however, Mr. Campbell does not consider himself to be the broadminded man his admirers imagine, for, when he was asked if he was likely to stay abroad, he replied, "I am such a narrow, bigoted John Bull that I am afraid I couldn't be comfortable in any country but my own."

The Lord Great Chamberlain.

It was announced some weeks ago that Lord Carrington, who recently celebrated his sixty-eighth birthday, would act as Lord Great Chamberlain at the crowning of King George, his lordship stands in high favor at court, and is exceedingly popular throughout the country. He is a model landlord, and a man who has always used the advantages of his position and wealth for the benefit of the community at large. He is probably the only peer who derives his income entirely from agriculture. "I let my tenants farm as they like, shoot what they like, pay when they like, and vote as they like," he once said. He is a great believer in girls learning to cook. "Good cookery," he has remarked, "is one of the secrets of domestic happiness. Lady Carrington has looked after our house and given myself and the family a most excellent dinner every day since our marriage a good many years ago. I am sure that we would strive to do the same we should hear less about unhappy marriages."

Very Unwell.

When Theodore Hook was once traveling by coach, there were but two inside passengers—a very pretty but delicate-looking young lady attended by a homely-looking maid. The coach stopped for twenty minutes to allow for dinner. Hook returned first to his seat, the maid next. During the absence of her young mistress, Hook said to her in a tone of great concern: "Your young lady seems very unwell!"

"Yes, sir; she suffers sadly."

"Consumption, I should fear?"

"No, sir; I am sorry to say it is the heart."

"Dear me! Aneurism?"

"Oh, no, sir; it is only a lieutenant in the navy."

AN ACTIVE MINISTER

REV. J. J. FERGUSON IS HEAD OF TORONTO CONFERENCE.

Pastor of Epworth Church, Toronto, Who Was Elected to the Highest Office in His Conference Has Occupied the Chairmanship of Barrie, Bracebridge and Bradford Districts and Has Been in Active Work Since 1885.

Rev. J. Joseph Ferguson, new president of the Toronto Methodist Conference, was born in the Township of Cartwright in the County of Durham, July 13, 1860, and is of Irish-Canadian parentage. He received his public school education in that township and attended the High School at Port Perry. He taught school in 1889 in Darlington Township and later attended Victoria University, Cobourg, from which institution he graduated in arts, taking his B.A. in 1885, his B.D. in 1886, and his M.A. in 1888. He commenced preaching in 1885 and has been stationed at Pickering, Streetsville, Davisville, Toronto, Bradford, Weston, Bracebridge, Alliston and Orillia and has recently been appointed to Epworth Church, Toronto. He has been chairman of the Barrie, Bradford and Barrie districts and was elected to attend the last three general conferences at Winnipeg in 1902, Montreal in 1906, and Victoria in 1910. At the recent conference in Elm Street Methodist Church, in Toronto, it was stated that the Missionary Society of the church was never so prosperous and, at the same time, never so poor on account of the rapid expansion of the work.



REV. J. JOSEPH FERGUSON.

Another Cancer Theory.

That cancer is due to a parasitic fungus that stimulates the animal cells so that they become parasitic themselves is the view advanced in a new book by C. E. Green, a British medical student. The theory is based on the resemblance of animal cancers to plant tumors and supposes that the undiscovered organism of animal cancers must be very similar to Plasmodiophora brassicae, the cause of plant cancer. Sulphurous substances specially favor the growth of the plant parasite, while calcium and copper tend to destroy it. As this would suggest, human cancer is most common in chimney sweeps, brewers and furriers, who are most exposed to sulphur vapors, and is rarest in tanners, copper workers and paper-makers, whose occupations bring contact with copper or lime. The houses and districts that have most cancer, moreover, are those where sulphur dioxide is present in the air—that is, where coal is burned and chimney draft and ventilation are imperfect.

A Bishop on Beer Barrels.

Dr. Percival, the aged Bishop of Hereford, England, whose invitation to Nonconformist ministers to take part in the coronation services in his cathedral has aroused considerable criticism, was for many years head master of Clifton and also of Rugby. He himself was educated at the Kirk by Stephen and Appleby Grammar schools, and as an instance of the educational value of such institutions he has said that "if he had not been educated there he would, in all probability, have remained an obscure fellside farmer, grubbing at the weather, the crops, and probably the Government." Dr. Percival is something of a wit. One day he was passing through a town noted for its beer, and he observed many signs of brewing and also of mourning. "Why is that flag half-mast high?" he inquired. He was told that someone well known in the town was dead. "Ah, how sad," he observed; "I observe that even the barrels are in tiers."

The Money Lender in Rhodesia.

According to Miss Charlotte Mansfield's "Via Rhodesia," no penniless person is allowed to enter Livingstone. "I heard," she says, "that the awkward predicament of not having enough money was often averted by a crafty money lender, who for half a crown would lend the necessary £10, waiting for the would-be borrower outside the boundary and receiving the money back as soon as the examination terminated."

The First Knitting Machines.

In the reign of Queen Elizabeth first mention is made of hand knitted. William See in 1580 invented the first knitting machine, called a knitting frame or stocking frame. He was refused a patent in England and went to France and established a factory at Rouen.

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(a.) The name of Company in full: Wellington Colliery Company, Limited. The head office Victoria, B.C.
The capital, \$100,000 divided into 20,000 shares of \$5.00 each fully paid up.
(b.) The name of lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description): The Comox River.
(c.) The point of diversion: At a point above the falls on the Comox River, Comox District.
(d.) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second): 670.
(e.) The character of the proposed work: Generating plant, power works, and electric works, and plant and other machinery and conveniences necessary for producing power.

(f.) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same): On or in the vicinity of the Wellington Colliery Company's Ltd. property and holdings in Comox District.
(g.) The purposes on which the water is to be used: Generating electricity, and for light, heat, power, operation of motor, engine, and machinery of all kinds and generally for the exercise of all powers and privileges of a power company under Part IX. of above Act.
(h.) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return: At a convenient place below the Stoughton Falls in the vicinity outlet Brown River, Sections 10 and 14 Twp. 9, Comox District. The point of return is about 200 feet lower altitude than the point of diversion.
(i.) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works: None.

(j.) This notice was posted on the sixteenth day of January, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 23rd day of February, 1911.
(k.) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet: Wellington Colliery Company, Ltd.
Attach copy of such parts of the Company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.
(Signature)
W. L. COULSON, General Manager
(P.O. address) Victoria, B.C.



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

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District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Gardiner Alexander Brady Spencer of Alameda, Cal., occupation plumber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains west of the south east corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north to south shore of Wolf Lake thence westerly along south shore to west end of lake, thence east along north shore about 40 chains, thence north to place of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.
Scried on post 3 A.R.S.'s N.E. corner.
GARDINER ALEXANDER BRADY SPENCER.
Dan Clark, Agent
Dated December 14th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that John Henry Kerrison Richardson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Seaboard Steward, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north of the southwest corner of Section 3, Township 21, 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.
J. H. K. R.'s N.E. corner.
JOHN HENRY KERRISON RICHARDSON.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that James Badlaw, of Esplanade, Victoria, on power, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted 2 miles west of the corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.
Scried on post 3 B.S.E. corner.
JAMES BADLAW.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Jackson Miner, of Oriskany, N.Y., retired miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted 2 miles west of the corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Scried on post 3 B.S.E. corner.
CHARLES JACKSON MINER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that George Citrus Laroque Miller, of Vancouver, B.C., mechanical engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted one mile east of the north east corner of Section 18, Township 9, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.
Scried on post 3 C.L.M.'s S.W. corner.
GEORGE CITRUS LAROQUE MILLER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 20th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Harry Patten Archibald, of Vancouver, B.C., engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted 4 chains north of E.M. Leeson's southwest corner, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.
Scried on post 4 H.P.A.'s S.E. corner.
HARRY PATTEN ARCHIBALD.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated Dec 11th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Endora Mae Leeson of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted about one mile north and 40 chains east of the S.E. corner of Section 4, Township 8, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post 4 E.M.L.'s S.W. corner.
ENDORA MAE LEESON.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 11th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Adelaide Ester Clark Brown, of Brookfield, N.Y., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—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.
Scried on post A.E.C.B.'s S.W. corner.
ADELAIDE ESTER CLARK BROWN.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Richmond Charles Biss of Vancouver, B. C., Broker intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—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 east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Scried on post RCB's N.E. corner.
RICHMOND CHARLES BISS.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Della Brooks, of Vancouver, B. C., Married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at post planted at the northwest corner of Section 30, Township 9, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.
Scried on Post D.B.'s N.W. corner.
DELLA BROOKS.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 17th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Edward D. Ke, of Binghamton, N.Y., co. chairman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted 2 miles west of the southeast 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.
Scried on post ED's N.E. corner.
EDWARD DYKE.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Thomas Frederick Tasker, of Vancouver, B.C., telegraph operator, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of Section 18, Township 9, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post T.F.T.'s N.W. corner.
THOMAS FREDERICK TASKER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that William Frederick Sheppard, of Vancouver, B.C., cabinet maker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the southeast corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post W.F.S.'s S.E. corner.
WILLIAM FREDERICK SHEPPARD.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 13th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that William Kendrick Tasker, of Vancouver, B.C., insurance agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted about 1 mile east of the southeast corner of Section 18, Township 9, thence north 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post W.K.T.'s N.W. corner.
WILLIAM KENDRICK TASKER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 19th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Isabella Moskhouk, of Vancouver, B. C., widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of Section 35, Township 20, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post I.M.'s N.W. corner.
ISABELLA MOSKHOUK.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Bertram James Tasker of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Express Manager intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 110 chains west of the south east corner of Section 24, Township 21, 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.
Scried on post B.J.T.'s N.E. corner.
BERTRAM JAMES TASKER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 14th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Marguerite Leitch of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Saleslady, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Section 34, 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.
Scried on post M.L.'s N.E. corner.
MARGUERITE LEITCH.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Edna Fisher Spencer of Alameda, Cal., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of Section 2, Township 21, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Scried on post E.F.'s S.W. corner.
EDNA FISHER SPENCER.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Haidee Ashby of Vancouver, B.C., married woman intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Section 3, Township 21, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Scried on post H.A.'s S.E. corner.
HAIDEE ASHBY.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Lillian Skoppard, of Vancouver, B. C., married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post L.S.'s S.E. corner.
LILLIAN SKOPPARD.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 13th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that William Wadman Sheppard, of Vancouver, B.C., cabinet maker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted one mile west of the southeast corner of Section 24, Township 21, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post W.W.S.'s S.E. corner.
WILLIAM WADMAN SHEPPARD.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 13th, 1910.

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE NOTICE that Isabella Moskhouk, of Vancouver, B. C., widow, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of Section 35, Township 20, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Scried on post I.M.'s N.W. corner.
ISABELLA MOSKHOUK.
Dan Clark, Agent.
Dated December 16th, 1910.

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Paving the Way

At a political meeting a very enthusiastic German made a speech beginning like this:

"My dear fellow-citizens and fellow Germans, I don't want to say nothing about nobody, but look at dem Irish in de Tenth Ward, what have dey got? Paved streets! Und vot have we got? Mut! Mut! Now, my fellow-citizens and fellow Germans, vot I wish to say is dis: Coom, let us put our heads together and make a block pavement."—The Housekeeper.

"Grameroy!" exclaimed Sir William de Willingham. "Likewise, Oh Fiddlesticks! and Go to! May I cease to exist, but that youngest born of yours is a terror!"

"Out upon thee! to speak so of thy precious tottums," rejoined the Lady de Willingham. "In what way annoys he thee?"

"Ever since his arrival," answered Sir William, "the little fiend has invariably done me out of a night's sleep."

It is probable that many queens of the kitchen share the sentiment good-naturedly expressed by a Scandinavian servant, recently taken into the service of a young matron of Chicago. The youthful assumer of household cares was disposed to be a trifle patronizing.

"Now, Lena," she asked earnestly, "are you a good cook?"

"Ya-as, m, I talk so," said the girl, with perfect naivete, "if you will not try to help me."—Lippincott's.

Self Evident

"Why is it that we never hear anything about the wife of Atlas, the man who had the world on his shoulders?"

"There was no Mrs. Atlas. If there has been, do you suppose that it would have been permitted him to create the impression that the entire burden rested on him."—Chicago-Record Herald.

Another Micawber

"Think heaven, those bills are got rid of," said Bilkins, fervently, as he tore up a bundle of statements of accounts dated Oct. 1.

"All paid, oh," said Mrs. Bilkins. "Oh, no," said Bilkins. "The duplicates dated Nov. 1 have come in and I don't have to keep these any longer."—Harper's Weekly.

"Handy" Exhibitor at R. A.—"And—ah—do you like our little show as well as the Salon of Paris, mademoiselle?"

Visitor—"Oh, much, bettaire." Exhibitor—"Really? I'm delighted. And why, particularly?"

Visitor—"There is so much less picchaires!"—Punch.

The Minute Man

Tommy—"My grandpa wuz in the Civil War, an' he lost a leg or an arm in every battle he f' in!"

Johnny—"Gee! How many battles was he in?"

Tommy—"About forty." — Toledo Blade.

No Wonder

Mrs. Baye—"She is simply mad on the subject of germs, and sterilizes and filters everything in the house."

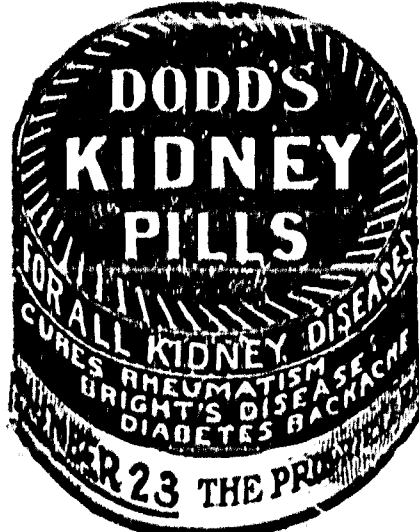
"How does she get along with her family?"

"Oh, even her relations are strained."—Tit-Bits.

No Improvements

Johnny—"They're making shingles out of cement nowadays."

Dickie—"I don't mind that so much, but if mow ever gets a pair of cement clippers I'm going to run away."—Brooklyn Life.



IF ENGLISH LEFT INDIA.

Conflicting Races and Sects Would Rend Each Other.

To the old Sikh, with his family tradition of war, the lure of young Bengal has as yet little attraction. "The English beat us, and we and they beat the Poorbeahs; now who are the Bengalis that they should preach to men of the sword? We know our masters, with whom we share the army."

So when he talked it over with me as an old friend, the spirit of the Khalsa, which from a sect had become a soldiery of the Wallenstein type, rang out ruthlessly, forgetting the plough and the prize seed-corn. "Fah, Bengal!" quoth he; "if the English leave the country we would see to it that there be neither a merchant nor a virgin left in Bengal in a month." From which saying, again, I saw why India needs the English, chatter the B.A.'s never so wisely. The good English must keep the peace for the millions who cannot keep it for themselves.

It was only a year ago that I chatted with some Afghan friends settled within the British border for at least fifty years before that same border became British.

"What," I asked, "would you do if the Sikhs left the land?" My friend was a civil officer of a subdistrict who helped the English magistrate preach trade and agriculture; with him was his younger brother, a resailer in the 15th Cavalry; a third brother was also in the same regiment. "Ho! ho! Sahib," laughed he. "What would we do, eh? I will tell you. Atul here, and young Wahi Dad, who is with his regiment, we should raise fifty of our own and our fathers' retainers, Alizais and Gandapurs, and we should ride straight for Bikaner."

"Ah," said I, in my ignorance, "why for Bikaner?"

"Because," said my friend the benevolent magistrate, "in Bikaner city all the rich Hindu merchants keep their treasure."

"Yes, indeed," said the cavalry brother, "and the Hindu banian women are the finest in India."

And once again I saw clear that a country of conflicting races and religions needs a rule that has at its back the drawn sword and the galloping gun.—From The Keys of all the Creeds, in The Cornhill Magazine.

Lauder as a Pit Boy

The famous artist's recent appeal on behalf of the pit ponies recalls the fact that he started life as a pit boy and for years worked as a miner. He afterwards eked out a precarious livelihood by appearing at small local concerts—sing-songs, and the like—in his native Scotland. Between now and then, with a rapidly hardening name to conjure with in the musical world. With two or three performances every night, not to speak of royalties on his enormously popular songs, he now makes an income which a prosperous barrister might envy; but, "so far as I am concerned," he once declared, "I find that money makes no difference whatever, save that when I want a thing I can walk into a shop and get it. It's a pleasant difference, I grant you; but a man's a man for a that."

British Military Bulls.

Some queer, quaint efforts at composition have been made by British officers. A certain major ordained this: "Reveille will be at 3.30 a.m. The brigade will parade at 4 a.m. The brigade will move at 4.15 a.m. The sun will rise at 5 a.m." It was during the guerrilla war of 1901-2, after the building of the blockhouses, that it became necessary to check the habit of the men of sleeping outside the blockhouses for the sake of coolness and comfort. A certain staff officer thereupon issued the following quaint order: "No one is permitted to sleep outside the blockhouses except the sentries." Though the intention of this order is clear, its phraseology is not. "Men on outpost duty are forbidden to strike matches on the sky line."—London Standard.

Australian Savages' Delicacy.

A delicacy of Australian savages is the flesh of snakes which, with the exception of the liver, is too dry and tasteless to appeal to civilized palates. Meat is usually baked in a primitive oven, made by digging a hole about a foot deep in the ground. In the hole is built a fire which is covered with stones. When the stones have become very hot the fire is extinguished and the stones are covered with green leaves, in which the meat is placed. The hole is then filled with earth and is not re-opened until the time determined for the cooking of the meat has elapsed.

Flavored to Taste.

"It's the insects," complained the amateur gardener. "They destroy all my radishes, and try as I may I can't exterminate them."

"Best remedy I know," said the friend, "is to lay salt between the rows. Never been known to fail."

"Well," said the friend when next they met, "and did you try the salt on those insects?"

"Yes," replied the other, "and the next morning the little beggars were pulling up the radishes, dipping them in the salt and eating them by the score."—London Ideas.

The Grosbeak.

The grosbeaks of South Africa, are an extremely social bird, and live in large communities. They choose a tree of considerable size and then entirely cover it with grass, making a roof thoroughly impervious to rain and sun, and so completely walled into the foliage of the tree, as to resist any wind short of a hurricane. Here they live in numbers of five to six hundred, the nests being built in rows like streets, and look very much like city tenement houses.

Practice Targets.

Practice targets have been adopted for the British navy built up of many plates of steel, any of which can be easily replaced when damaged.

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"I believe that the great body of English people are gentlemen," says a speaker.

Our experience has been that fully half of them are ladies.—Tit-Bits.

HOW TO OBTAIN A GOOD COLOR

A TREATMENT TO RESTORE THE BLOOD SUPPLY THAT HAS BEEN MOST SUCCESSFUL

There is only this to tell people who are pale, weak and bloodless. You are pale and weak because you haven't enough blood and you won't be better until your blood supply is increased. You should not lose any time in increasing your blood supply, for people who neglect anaemia, often slip into a deadly decline. When you have increased your blood supply you can reasonably expect to have a good color, to have lost that tired, breathless feeling, to have a good appetite and get good nourishment from your food. Now the only quick and always effective way to get a supply of new, rich, red blood is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose helps to make new blood, and this new blood coursing through the veins, brings health and strength to every organ and every part of the body, making weak, ailing people, bright, active and strong. This has been proved in thousands of cases of which the case of Mrs. George Clark, Abbotford, B. C., is a fair sample. Mrs. Clark says: "After spending two years and six months in a hospital training for a nurse, I began to fail in health, was very pale and the least exertion would leave me out of breath. After graduating I came to British Columbia to take up my profession as a private nurse. The first case I took I found I was not able to go on with my work. Doctors' tonics failed me and acting on my own judgment I purchased a supply of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I had finished them I was really surprised at the result. The color came back to my face. I gained in strength and by the time I had used nine boxes I was back at my work as a nurse. I have since married, but still have my friendly feeling for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Let no day end with your books unbalanced.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

The man with one idea, like the parent with one child, pampers it and spoils it.

Warts on the hands is a disfigurement that troubles many ladies. Follow-up's Corn Cure will remove the blemishes without pain.

Old friends are best, not because they are old, but because they are friends.

EFFECT OF THE TARIFF ON PRICES

Canadian Manufacturer Does Not Impose on the Duties

An erroneous impression exists in the minds of many Western people that the manufacturer of Canada takes advantage of the tariff by raising his selling price by the full amount of the duty, with which he is protected from foreign competition. Facts show that the Canadian manufacturer does not, and could not safely, do such a thing. The home manufacturer, to-day, does seven times as much business in Canada as the foreign manufacturer. Would the factories of Canada be able to secure that much more business than the keen foreign competitor if prices were so inflated? No they would not, and the main purpose of the tariff is not to rob, but to protect.

That the manufacturer should be able to improve the quality of his product and at the same time reduce the price to the consumer may at first seem incredible, but it all hinges upon the output. Every manufacturing operation whether large or small involves a certain amount of stationary overhead expense including such items as rent, heat, light, insurance, taxes, office expenses, superintendence, etc. If these expenses have to be met out of the returns from a small output it follows that the proportion carried by each unit of production will be comparatively high. But if on the other hand they can be spread over a large output, then the proportion carried by each unit of production may become insignificantly small. Generally speaking, the larger the output the lower the cost of production and the cheaper the price to the consumer, hence the advantage of a tariff which secures the home market or at least the bulk of it to the home manufacturer.

A few examples will suffice to illustrate how this works out. In 1878 a Canadian company began the manufacture of buggies. In 1879 they sold all told about 3 buggies, for which farmers paid them from \$100 to \$170 each. Last year in various kinds of wheeled vehicles they had an output of 15,000 and were able to offer the farmer for \$85 a far better buggy than the one he used to have to pay \$170 for. In 1878 the price of sugar was nine and ten cents a pound retail; today it is under five cents. The best binder in 1878 sold at from \$270 to \$300; today the farmer gets a lighter and more compact binder that will last longer for \$125. In 1878, single reapers retailed in Ontario at from \$100 to \$105; today the best reaper retails at from \$99 to \$95.

W. N. U., No. 856.

CHASING THE CHEESE.

Whitsun Frolic That Has Been Kept Up for a Long Time.

In the nooks and corners of England are yet to be found some survivals of quaint customs dating back to the dim and distant past. Monday saw one of them in Gloucestershire, for the first Monday in June is a general holiday known as Whit Monday.

The visitor who found his way on that day to the beautiful Cotswold Hills joined in an exciting merry-making, with its attendant merrymaking round the Maypole, has been kept up since the days of James I. Rising sharply from the little village of Boockworth is Cooper's Hill, from whose summit, an elevation of nine hundred feet, can be seen a magnificent panorama to the Malvern Hills, and the distant Welsh mountains.

To this breezy eminence every Whit Monday come large numbers of spectators from far and near, eager to witness, or to take part in, the famous cheese-rolling competition down the steep hillside. At a given signal, several of Gloucester's famed cheeses are set rolling from the summit, and then ensues a mad chase for their capture by the men and boys of the district and any of the onlookers who are sufficiently reckless to join in the pursuit. Heister-skelter they rush down the hill, many lose their foothold and roll over and over in their frantic efforts to capture the prize.

To the stranger the sport appears rather dangerous to life and limb, but the local people take it all as a matter of course, and make light of bruised shins and a few bumps on the cranium. Bump, bump, bump, with terrific bounds, go the cheeses down the hill; and so steep is the descent that it is seldom a cheese is caught by a pursuer unless it happens to lodge against some obstacle. Amid shrieks of laughter, and the shouts and cheers of the crowd, the competitors rush down to the picturesque village nestling at the foot of the declivity. Many a time have the cheeses bounded clean over the roofs of the houses into the village street, impelled by the impetus gathered in their headlong descent.

Whitsuntide is honored in many places by the provision of one or two special dishes, the recognized dainties for the season from time immemorial being gooseberries and custard. The custard of Elizabethan days, however, was a very different thing from its namesake of to-day. It was then a rich open pie, containing meat or fruit, as well as a preparation of milk, eggs, sugar, and spice.

In some districts cheese-cake is the accepted dish at this season. But whatever its form, milk food has always been considered appropriate to Whitsuntide; its whiteness having no doubt a symbolical reference to "White-Sunday," in days when more attention was paid to the teaching and observance of both feast and festival.

Prince Arthur as Footman.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, or "young Arthur," as he is usually known about the court and to his intimate friends, was once stationed at Aldershot, where some engagement had prevented him from changing into the prescribed uniform before going to a state ball.

Consequently he turned up in a suit of ordinary dress-clothes. One of the ladies—she is fairly well known in society—was departing, when she saw what she took to be one of the court footmen, and ordered him, in none too polite terms, to find her carriage for her.

His royal highness fell into the spirit of the joke, and promptly did as he was told. The lady's carriage was summoned, when, to his utter astonishment, she pressed half a sovereign into his palm, remarking: "I know I am quite wrong in doing that, but don't say a word about it; I hope you will shortly improve your position!"

On a Grain of Wheat.

Prayers have been written and engraved on many very small objects, but only one person ever has been patient and painstaking enough to inscribe a complete prayer on a grain of wheat. One day Sir Moses Montefiore received a small tin box in the mail. On the cover of the box was written, "A prayer for Sir Moses Montefiore, by Bauch Mordecai, son of Zebi Hirsch Scheinmann, of Jerusalem." The box contained a single grain of wheat, on which were inscribed, in characters so small that they could only be read with the aid of a powerful microscope, the 288 Hebrew letters of the prayer, and the date of the year (Hebrew reckoning), 5645. Sir Moses kept the prayer in his private desk until he died, and it is now preserved with religious care by one of his friends.

From Boiler-maker to Premier.

The Hon. J. S. T. McGowan, the Labor Premier of New South Wales, who recently visited England, speaks with pride of the good influence of his father and mother. The latter was at one time a Manchester mill girl, while his father was a young Liverpool workman, earning 32s. per week. The two emigrated to Australia, Mr. McGowan being born at sea on the way to that colony. At fifteen he was apprenticed to a boiler-maker, and soon became an ardent trade unionist. For twenty years he has played a prominent part as a labor leader and politician. He has addressed as many as 70,000 people in the suburbs of Sydney in one night. But he has not given all his time to politics. For thirty years, out of the fifty-six years of his life he has been a Sunday school worker.

Always That Danger

"Ah, proud beauty!" exclaimed little Sniffkins, "you return my love now, but let me tell you, I will not always be a clerk, I—"

"That's so," interrupted the heartless girl, "you may lose your job."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Country Visitor—What's for breakfast? Waiter—Porridge, soles, kidney and bacon, grilled ham, sausages, chops, steak and tomatoes.

Country Visitor—Right! I'll have what you mentioned—and some eggs!—London Opinion.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., Limited.

Dear Sirs,—This fall I got thrown on a fence and hurt my chest very bad, so I could not work and it hurt me to breathe. I tried all kinds of Liniments and they did me no good. One bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT warmed on flannels and applied on my breast cured me completely.

C. H. COSSABOOM, Rossway, Digby Co., N. S.

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"You seem enthusiastic, Mabel."

"Yes; I find we belong to the same secret society."—Washington Herald.

Sure Reutr

"Out to luncheon—back in five minutes," read the sign, on the door. "Are you sure he will get back that soon?" asked the anxious caller. "Yes'm," said the wise office boy. "He ain't got the price of ten minutes' lunch in his clothes."—Toledo Blade.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

The body of a guide who lost his life in the Alps twenty-two years ago, has been found in the ice, in a state of perfect preservation.

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

"My daughter's piano lessons have been a great expense to me." "That's so? Did some neighbor sue you?"—Toledo Blade.

The female house fly lays from 120 to 150 eggs at a time, and these mature in two weeks. Under favorable conditions the descendants of a single pair will number millions in three months. Therefore all housekeepers should commence using Wilson's Fly Pads early in the season, and thus cut off a large proportion of the summer crop.

"It isn't equitable." "What's the trouble?" "A divorce costs a great deal more than a marriage license."

How Would You Like To Freeze to Death this Winter?

That may happen if you do not arrange for at least a portion of your coal supply now.

The Miner's Strike is Still Unsettled.

Owing to the long period of idleness there is now no stock of coal available in the western towns. When the cold weather begins, even if the mines are running full blast, the output will not be sufficient to meet the requirements, and the car supply will be another source of trouble owing to the very heavy grain

crop this year. Consumers should therefore take warning and provide against the inevitable scarcity of coal for the reasons stated above, and if you have no money, it will pay to borrow it and buy a few tons now.

We are wholesale Dealers in Hard and Soft Coal, carrying large stocks at Port Arthur and Fort William for shipment to all points on the C. P. R., C. N. R. and G. T. P.

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W. N. U., No. 858.

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responsible for the opinions of oth-
ers, as may appear in its columns
from time to time.

TUESDAY, September 19, 1911.

LOST—A medal setting in
shape of bicycle wheel, set with
amethyst. Finder please return
to this office. Reward.

FOR SALE—A good buggy
horse. Seven years old. Absolu-
tely quiet. For particulars ap-
ply to Captain R. P. Vigors, Co-
mox, B. C.

NOTICE

The drawing for the large
graphophone will take place at
Cameron's Restaurant, Courtenay
on Wednesday, Aug. 23. All
tickets must be paid for before
drawing takes place, otherwise
tickets will not be accepted.

Tickets on sale at Cameron's
Restaurant, Courtenay.

NOTICE

Mr. G. Ardley, of Comox, has
in his possession a barrel of house-
hold goods, shipped with his
freight from Victoria, which does
not belong to him. Owner can
have same, by applying to the
above and paying expenses.

Cumberland & Union Water
Works Co., Ltd.

NOTICE

Sprinkling will be allowed
only two nights a week, namely
TUESDAY and FRIDAY, from
7 to 9 o'clock in the evening.

Leaky taps must be attended to
at once.

Any changes or additions to ex-
isting piping must be sanctioned
by the company.

By order,

L. W. NUNKS, Secretary.
Cumberland, B. C., Aug. 1st, 1911.

NOTICE

All Permits, for burning, are
cancelled until further notice.

J. W. GRIEVE, Fire Warden,
Courtenay, B. C., July 17, 1911.

DISSOLUTION OF PART-
NERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that
the partnership firm of Maxwell
& Hermal was dissolved July 31st,
1911 by mutual consent, and the
business will in future be carried
on by R. Hermal. All accounts
and debts against and due the said
firm are payable respectively, by
and to R. Hermal. All accounts
due the above mentioned firm,
must be paid by August 31st, 1911
(Signed) A. Maxwell.
R. Hermal.

FOR SALE—5-room house
with bathroom and pantry, also
furniture. Apply Mark Morgan,
Maryport Avenue.

FOR SALE—Colt, 4 years
old, thoroughly broken, used to
autos, quiet.

Apply to J. Marshall,
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FOR SALE—Team of horses,
well matched, good workers.
Price reasonable. Apply Jeffries,
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Change of advertisements will
not be received at this office later
than 12 o'clock noon on Tues-
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Apply to
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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the
undersigned, and endorsed "Tender
for Wharf at Surf Inlet, B.C.," will be re-
ceived at this office until 4.00 P.M. on
Tuesday, September 26, 1911, for the con-
struction of a Pile Wharf at Surf Inlet,
Princess Royal Island, Coast District, B.C.

Plans, specifications and form of con-
tract can be seen and forms of tender ob-
tained at this Department, and at the offi-
ces of G. A. Keeler, Esq., District Engi-
neer, New Westminster, B.C., and an appli-
cation to the Postmaster at Prince Rupert
and Victoria, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tend-
ers will not be considered unless made on
the printed forms supplied, and signed
with their actual signatures, stating their
occupations and places of residence. In
the case of firms, the actual signature, the
nature of the occupation, and place of
residence of each member of the firm must
be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an
accepted cheque on a chartered bank, pay-
able to the order of the Honourable the
Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per
cent (10 per cent) of the amount of the tender,
which will be forfeited if the person tender-
ing declines to enter into a contract when
called upon to do so, or fail to complete the
contract. If the tender be not accepted
the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to
accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 28, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for this ad-
vertisement if they insert it without authori-
zation from the Department.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the
undersigned, and endorsed "Tender
for Public Building, Chilliwack, B.C.,"
will be received at this office until 4.00 P.
M., Wednesday, September 27, 1911, for the
construction of a Public Building,
Chilliwack, B. C.

Plans, specifications and form of con-
tract can be seen and forms of tender ob-
tained at the office of Mr. Wm. Henderson,
Resident Architect, Victoria, B.C., at the
Post-Office, Chilliwack, B.C., and at the
Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tend-
ers will not be considered unless made on
the printed forms supplied, and signed
with their actual signatures stating their
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called upon to do so, or fail to complete the
work contracted for. If the tender be
not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to
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By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 30, 1911.

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zation from the Department.

English brothers, 17 and 18,
desire continuous employment on
farm. Board, lodging and small
remuneration. P. O. Box 858,
Nanaimo, B. C.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days
after date I intend to apply to the Hon.
Minister of Lands for a license to prospect
for coal and petroleum under the following
described lands situated in Sayward Dis-
trict, B. C.:—Commencing at a post planted
at the northeast corner of Timber Lease
No. 47, on the bank of Campbell River,
thence south 77 1/2 chains more or less to
the southeast corner of said Timber
Lease No. 47 and Queneau River Indian
Reserve, thence east 80 chains, thence
due west 80 chains, thence due north 80
chains, thence due east 80 chains to place of
commencement.

MARIA JANE PRIEST,
E. Priest, agent.
Dated this 28th day of March, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days
after date I intend to apply to the Hon.
Minister of Lands for a license to prospect
for coal and petroleum under the following
described lands situated in Sayward Dis-
trict and being the Campbell River Indian
Reserve, Commencing at a post situated on
the bank of Campbell River and being the
northwest corner of said Reserve, thence
due south 25 chains more or less to the
southeast corner of said Reserve, thence
due east 160 chains, thence due north 80
chains, thence due west 80 chains to place of
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SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that George Leicester Rimington, of Vancouver, B.C., mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the Southwest corner of lot 552; thence north 80 chains, thence west 75 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 75 chains, to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

George Leicester Rimington,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 9th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that Patrick William Leslie Clark, of Vancouver, B.C., law clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 542; thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, to place of commencement, containing 576 acres, more or less.

Patrick William Leslie Clark,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 9th, 1911.



SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that William Caldwell, of Lanark, Ont., mining man, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of lot 490, Carrington Bay, Sayward District, thence following the north boundary of lot 490 easterly for 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west to the shore line thence southwesterly and following the shore line to the point of commencement, containing less than 80 acres.

William Caldwell,
John J. Munroe, agent.
Dated Feb. 28th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE notice that Sidney Heasman, of Vancouver, B. C., mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 552; thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Sidney Heasman,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 9th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE notice that Ninette Joseph, of Vancouver, B. C., spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the Southeast corner of lot 547; thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Ninette Joseph,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 7th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that Arthur Rowland Best, of Vancouver, B.C., transporter agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 547, thence north 80 chains, thence east 75 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 75 chains to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Arthur Rowland Best,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 7th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE that Samuel Hensmann, of Vancouver, B.C., mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of lot 550; thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 75 chains (more or less) thence north 5 chains, thence west 85 chains, thence north 25 chains to point of commencement, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Samuel Hensmann,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 8th, 1911.

SAYWARD LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sayward.

TAKE notice that Francis Brougham, wife of W. F. Brougham, of Vancouver, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 547; thence north 120 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 120 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

Francis Brougham,
Robert Henry Chestnut, agent.
Dated March 8th, 1911.

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(THE LATEST COMEDY)

Held in the Cumberland Hall Sept.
14th, 1911. --Background Pic-
tures of four or five Pigs.

CHARACTERES-

His Honour Judge Abrams, in the Chair
The Hon. W. J. Bowser, in a Chair
Mr W. H. Hayward, in a Chair
Mr. Colin Campbell, in a Chair

The Chairman in an inaudible voice introduced W. H. Hayward Loud cheers. Mr Hayward arises and with an accent one could cut with an axe, proceeds to inform an intelligent audience that if under Reciprocity the cost of living will be cheaper wages will decrease automatically. For instance, if under Reciprocity the Canadian Colliery Company can double their output owing to the reduction of the duty on coal and coke they will immediately proceed to reduce the wages of their employees. "OH, YE GODS!"

This scene is supposed to last an hour--greatly to the benefit of the next door neighbor; name unknown.

SCENE II.--This is accompanied by music. "The Campbells are Coming".

Enter Mr Colin Campbell, who with a few well chosen remarks, leaves the stage to his Hon. friend Exit Colin.

SCENE III.--Enter the Hon. W. J. Bowser, whose part consists chiefly in the use of the first personal pronoun.

For an hour he kept his audience spellbound, not so much with his eloquence as with wondering what the Japanese had to do with Reciprocity, the subject in question. After flaying poor Duncan Ross alive, started in with the principal question. Talked for a while. Nothing new. Loud cheers. Prolonged applause. No arguments. No questions. Chairman moves the meeting adjourns. Sic Transit Gloria Mundi, Curtain.

You won't be able to find one of those anaxation yelpers on the morning of the 22nd, with a fine-tooth comb.

"Suck it to 'em" on the 21st.

Unkindest cut of all, Bowser's "Domineering Personality". So "Islander's" report of the Bowser meeting.--Unwittingly told the truth.

Let every Liberal vote and pile up a big majority for Ross.

Sir Wilfred will finish his work all right, and the electors will back the Conservatives on the 21st.

Instead of taking the head tax off Chinese, the head should be taken off those who are yelping the disloyalty yelp.

If Duncan Ross was foisted on this constituency by Sir Wilfred, so was Mr. Clements by the McPhee-Bowser Machine.

Heintzman Piano For Sale.

TENDERS will be received at the office of W. Wesley Willard, Cumberland, B.C., until October 1st, 1911, for the purchase of a Heintzman Piano. The piano is almost new and in first class condition and can be seen at the home of Mr. McDonald, Comox, B.C.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. W. WILLARD, Official Administrator, Cumberland, B.C., Sept. 12th, 1911.

COMMUNICATIONS

Editor News:--

Directly Reciprocity became a question of practical politics Mr. Joseph Chamberlain asked his standing tariff commission to make a special report upon it. As Mr Chamberlain is one of the most prominent leaders of the Unionist party even our Conservative friends must accept the conclusions arrived at, especially as his great desire is to tax British food under his scheme of Tariff Reform. The report appeared in his political organ, the Birmingham (England) Daily Post of March 22nd, 1911. It

states that Canada under Reciprocity will admit free to the United States goods to the amount of \$9,900,000, whilst the States will admit Canadian goods free amounting to \$11,000,000. Canada already imports the whole of the \$9,900,000 from the States except \$1,300,000, of which only 11 per cent comes to her from Great Britain. These figures, the report says, refers solely to the import trade of both countries and seeing that both countries will under Reciprocity compete on equal terms, the balance of advantage in respect of these goods will rest with those who have the greatest potentialities, namely, Canada; therefore little opportunity would seem to be given by the agreement for the United States to capture any of Canada's imports. But there appears to be a large area for an increase of Canadian importation to the States, Canada's opportunity being especially marked in the case of wheat. It further says that the duty of 6c per lb on cheese is practically prohibitive against Canadian cheese, whilst under the agreement it would only have to compete with Swiss and Italian in the United States. That the 6c per lb on butter results with no trade between us, and that the ultimate effect of making it free will lead to a trade in butter, with the result that we shall make less cheese and the price of it will be higher in consequence.

In the matter of fruit, it says that Canada now imports \$270,000 worth of American apples, and only exports \$40,000 worth; so that Canadians already depend upon the States for their apples.

In the matter of fish, it states that the United Kingdom supplies the Americans with large quantities of fish, but that under Reciprocity Canada will capture that trade from us.

The report says that there is an immense opening for the Canadian farmer under Reciprocity for store animals for turning into beef, and quotes Mr T Mathews,

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SOCCER NOTES

The sailors from H.M.C.S. Rainbow went down to defeat on Sunday, the United running out winners by 2 goals to nil.

The first half was mostly in favor of the home team, the sailors being seldom dangerous. Harrison was the first to draw blood, beating the goalkeeper somewhat easily. Somerville was credited with the second goal, the ball bouncing off him and going through. The second half was more evenly contested, and the sailors with a little luck should have scored. Eagerness on their part spoiled their chances.

For the winners Campbell, Orr and Flockhart were the pick. Harrison made his appearance after being away from the game for over a year, and did not stretch himself, but should soon get into his old stride again. The sailors, considering the amount of practice they get, made a good showing. Guthrie at centre half and Jones, left back, played a great game, and were instrumental in keeping the score so low.

A picked team from H.M.C.S. Rainbow and H.M.S. Shearwater and Eggera will visit Cumberland on Saturday, 23rd inst. They will be opposed by No. 5 Thisle League Team, when a good game should be witnessed.

The Thistles intend running a team in the B. C. League this season. They will run the strongest team Cumberland can turn out, and it is to be hoped that their efforts will meet with success, and that the B. C. championship will come to Cumberland.

TENDERS will be received up to Saturday, Sept. 30th, for the building of a third story addition to my building on Dunsmuir Avenue. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

VICTOR BONORA.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

TAKE NOTICE that the partnership existing between R. H. H. and A. Maxwell in connection with the Star Livery Stable in the City of Cumberland has been dissolved as of the 15 day of September.

All debts due the firm up to and including September 15th, 1911 are the joint property of R. H. H. and A. Maxwell and the same may be paid to A. Maxwell who is authorized to give receipts for the same.

All debts contracted by the firm up to and including the above mentioned date must be presented within thirty days to A. Maxwell who will satisfy the same on my behalf.

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