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WE OUGHT TO HAVE BEEN A CLERGYMAN

WHEN news is scarce we have but little stock to fall back on. If we try to be "phunny" we "phail", and if we produce anything containing any merit outside of itemizing we dare not publish it lest our readers will say, "that crank." If we touch on politics we get it in the neck. If at times we feel religiously inclined and should make slight allusions, somehow the pith will get punched out and someone will come into our sanctum and ask "what did you intend to convey?" Sometimes we spell bad and Betsy who spells by intuition will ask "how do you spell such a word?" We go and spell it according to Hoyle. "Why didn't you write it so, then?" These words will creep in and then the operator will doubtless say, "old fool, I wish he would stop writing or learn to spell." Our greatest fault in this direction is, we are too lavish with letters. We have been caught with two d's in widow and two t's in city, all from a desire to be liberal and accord the "intrinsic value" in all cases. It is too late now. We have made a mistake in our calling, having had a touch of most everything. We sometimes

think we ought to have been a clergyman, then we could have walloped our congregation with no back talk.

Superstition and distrust with which all societies known as secret orders were at one time viewed by a large number of people, was, happily long ago dispelled, and today the lodges stand as one of the champions of home and family. Wherever society has reached a high state of development, secret and fraternal orders have their great stronghold.

When you hear a man sneering at the local papers, you can bet your sweet life he does not spend any of his time helping to make them better. They who don't see a benefit arising to a town from its newspapers haven't as much sense as a cove oyster and are of about as much value to a town as a ten-year-old delinquent. A short time ago, in a village not a thousand miles away from Cumberland, a certain individual, known for miles around as a "wind-bag", a man who hardly ever worked, tried to get a reporter fired for reporting a sporting event which did not quite suit "the wind-bag". Such men should not be allowed to stay in a town, they toil not neither do they spin, but can always find money to booze with and pull the poor editor and reporter to pieces. They talk for talking's sake, not because they know anything and to such we would pass along the old adage, "it's not the man that knows the most that has the most to say." It's too bad, but we have such men in Cumberland.

Northfield, Once Thriving Centre Of Coal Industry, Is Now Quiet Village

Vancouver Island Mining and Industrial Centre of Past Generation Slumbers Peacefully While Awaiting Revival of Coal Industry. Old Timers Recall Days When Powder Mill and Colliery Company Employed Large Population of Ardent Sporting Enthusiasts

Northfield, Vancouver Island, about two miles north from Nanaimo, was at one time an exceptionally busy town, but to-day is very, very quiet. An "old timer" who knew Northfield in its early days called recently to see the old town, and the following dialogue took place.

"Where be all the 'ouses and the mine and where be the powder works?"

"A the 'ouses, mostofthem, be moved, the mine it be closed and the powder works, what they didn't lose by explosions, were moved to James Island."

This briefly, is the ancient and modern history of Northfield.

In the year 1887, an Englishman and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, and a Scotsman named Blakely, arrived on the site where Northfield now stands and decided to make their future home. George Taylor still lives at Northfield.

Mr. Blakely built the first Half-way house, the first hostelry in that town and a land mark for passerby for over forty-two years. Four Half-way Houses have been built, the first three having burnt down. They have not always been in exactly the same spot; first on one side of the road and then on the other, and moved a few yards here and there but always in Northfield.

Following George Taylor and his wife, who came from Nottingham,

England, came Enoch Doward from Wales, then the Medleys and the Meridiths and others who have passed beyond. Mr. and Mrs. Wilgress also came from Nottingham, England, a few months after Geo. Taylor. Mrs. Wilgress, Mr. Dowden, the Meridiths and Jack Medley are still living in the old town. These pioneers have seen many changes, and Mr. Taylor remarked that he never thought Northfield would come to such a quiet end, and be so peaceful as it is today.

First Mine Opened

In 1888 construction of a pithead was begun by the Vancouver Coal Co., with Mr. Robbins as mine superintendent. While sinking the shaft, Alexander Marshall was killed by falling down the shaft. They struck coal about July 1889, at that time the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway was surveying between Northfield and Departure Bay to run a line to the bay, so that the coal could be loaded on the many sailing vessels that called for export shipments.

Northfield grew very quickly from (Continued on page three)



Gedunk Club Holds Shower

Cumberland, Sept. 19.—On Wednesday evening the Gedunk Club held their first meeting of the season at the home of Miss Evelyn Carey when they held a handkerchief shower in honor of Miss Norma Parnham, who leaves next Sunday for Vancouver where she will attend University. A most enjoyable evening was spent in games, singing and music. Refreshments were served by the hostess after which Miss Beth Horbury, president of the Gedunks, presented Miss Parnham with a lovely lot of handkerchiefs.

Those present included Misses Beth Horbury, Jessie and Dina Baird, Lily Banks, Edna Gear, Isobel Herd, Gwen Emily, Norma Parnham, Claudia Harrison and Evelyn Carey.

Ladies' First Aid Hold Whist Drive

Cumberland, Sept. 16.—Twenty tables of whist were in play at the first of the whist drives held by the ladies' first aid team in the G.W.V.A. Hall on Saturday evening. Those lucky at cards were: ladies' first, Mrs. Thoburn; second, Mrs. Morgan; consolation, Miss Winnifred Calnan; gent's first, Mrs. Monahan (sub.); second, Mr. Chas. Walker; consolation, Mrs. John Robertson (sub.). After the cards refreshments were served, followed by a dance at which a jolly crowd attended.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cooper, of Courtenay, at St. Joseph's Hospital on September 18th, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Libberg, of Headquarters, at St. Joseph's Hospital on September 18th, a son.

Union Bay

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tappin left on Saturday for a two weeks' vacation to Vancouver and Sound Cities.

Mrs. J. Murdoch is visiting with friends on Denman Island.

Mr. Chas. Caljow, of Campbell River, was a visitor in town during the week.

The Misses Lena and Olive Kirkwood, of Nanaimo, are spending a few days in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Walker.

The Rev. J. H. Hobbins returned on Friday from Victoria.

Mr. R. Searle, of the Royal Bank, left on Wednesday for Vancouver where he will spend the next two weeks. Mr. W. H. Foley, of New Westminster, is relieving Mr. Searle while on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jack and baby son, of Jordan River, were visitors in town over the week-end. On their return they were accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. I. Muir.

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A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Francescint on Thursday in honor of Mrs. Balagno's birthday, when four tables of cards were in play. The house had been beautifully decorated for the occasion with seasonal flowers and the supper table was beautifully appointed. After refreshments the remainder of the evening was spent in music and singing. Winners at cards were Mrs. Covert first prize, Mrs. Murray second. Tea cup reading by Mrs. Genge was thoroughly enjoyed by the guests. Those present included Mesdames Covert, Miller, Saunders, Murray, Maxwell, Weir, Schmidt MacMillan, J. Marocchi, McNeill, V. Frelone, Aspesy R. K. Walker, Genge and the Misses Dolena Frelone and Verna Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis and Mr. T. Lewis will motor to Nanaimo Saturday with Mrs. Seagrave, who is returning to her home in Acme, Alberta, after spending an extended vacation in Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Melkie returned to Vancouver on Wednesday after spending a vacation with Miss Allison Mann, sister of Mrs. Melkie.



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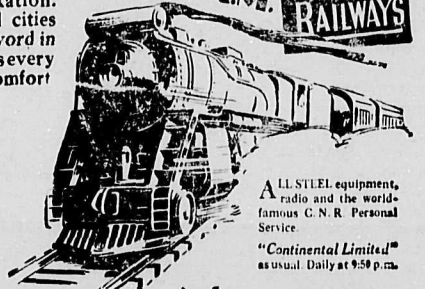
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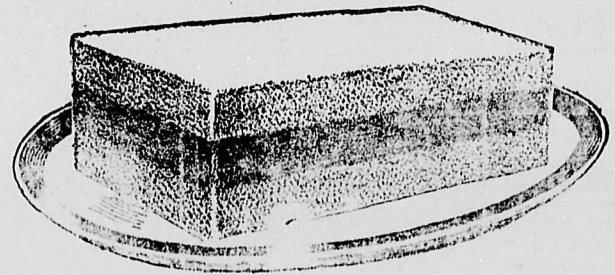


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At the last annual meeting of the Canadian Public Health Association, Dr. R. M. Price reported the results of a research which is of public interest. This research was concerned with the important subject of the spread of bovine tuberculosis, that is, the type of tuberculosis from which cattle suffer and which also attacks children.

From the report, the following are quoted: "The incidence of bovine infection in man, therefore depends upon the amount of tuberculosis in cattle from which the milk is obtained, and the amount of raw milk consumed by children." "In Canada, about five per cent of cattle tested react to tuberculin." "The younger the individual, the greater is the probability of the infection through the milk consumed, and the more likely is he to be due to the bovine type."

In a group of 148 children studied the bovine type of tuberculosis was found in 2 of them. Of the 128 children

who showed infection with the human type, most of them gave a history of living in contact with a case of pulmonary tuberculosis. In many of the bovine cases, there was a history of the use of raw milk, and, in most cases, the relationship to milk was shown.

The important and most instructive practical point is that all of the children who had the bovine type of the disease came from places where the milk supply was not pasteurized. The group studied included a number of children living in the City of Toronto, and not one of these children had the bovine infection. The milk supply of Toronto has been pasteurized for a number of years.

It is hardly necessary to draw conclusions. It is evident that, by pasteurization, we can eliminate the bovine type of tuberculosis, which is responsible for quite a percentage of tuberculosis among children who use raw milk. Disabling, disfiguring, and sometimes death are the results of bovine tuberculosis in children. Pasteurized milk is safe and its use safeguards children from many diseases, including bovine tuberculosis.

Minto

Mrs. K. Marocchi was on Thursday evening hostess at a very jolly party when a large number of her friends paid an impromptu visit to her home. The guests arrived at a wedding group, in which each one took a part, the many and varied costumes and make-ups of old fashioned and more modern design creating a most humorous effect. Many novel and interesting games and contests were arranged, prizes being awarded Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. J. Andrews, Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Husband, while at cards Mrs. Bell won first prize and Mrs. Coe won the consolation. Dancing was also enjoyed, some very new steps being introduced. Supper was served by the visitors, the tables being prettily decorated with fall flowers in pastel shades, the centre piece being especially unique. Mrs. Marocchi, the much surprised hostess was, during the evening, the recipient of a lovely gift, in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. Hugh Husband.

Mrs. Whitehouse, bride of the wedding group, and Mrs. J. R. Anderson, the bridegroom, brought in the gift, while Mrs. Marocchi and Mr. Husband expressed their appreciation. Guests were Mesdames Chas. Walker, Marocchi, Bardessoni, Morello, R. D. Brown, Bell, Coe, Buchanan, Covert, McNeill, Miller, Morgan, Herd, Jackson, S. Davis, Whitehouse, J. R. Anderson, Littler, McLellan, Tobacco, Potter, F. Watson, S. Robertson and K. Weir, Messrs. H. and W. Whitehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Parfitt and daughter from Victoria were visitors to the Valley over the week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horwood.

Mr. J. W. Stalker returned from Vancouver Thursday, where he attended the Convention of the Northwest Section of Electrical Inspectors and reports a very interesting and edifying time.

Mr. Eric King arrived in the Valley on Friday to visit with his wife and children at the home of Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearce.

Mr. Edgar Carter motored to Nanaimo and met Mrs. Carter and Marmie, who have been visiting her people in Vancouver.

Mr. Edward Calnan and Myrtle left Wednesday morning, accompanying Mr. and Mrs. R. Tolman to Victoria on the first leg of a trip to California.

In the prize list at the Loggers' Sports at Westminster Fair, the second prize in the Long Splice was won by Jenkinson and Pearce of the A.P.L. Camp, of Alberni. His old chums will be pleased to know that it was John Pearce a Valley boy who was one of the pair to be beaten only by the Champions of B.C.

Pastor Erntsen who has been conducting meetings in the Native Sons' Hall in Courtenay last week and who returns again on Friday, was a visitor in the Valley, calling on the members of the S.D.A. who reside here.

Northfield, Once Thriving Village

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a population of a very few to 100 or more. Coal was not the only industry that the town was to have. On May 2, W. J. Hygh, employed by the Hamilton Powder Co., was sent from the Windsor Mills, just outside of Montreal to begin spade work on the land purchased for a powder plant at Northfield.

On account of there being few, if any, around the district who knew anything about making powder, and being a very dangerous work, it was necessary to send east for experienced men. These were Bill Andrews, Tom Whalen, Frank Joneon and Bill Beatty.

Sporting Centre

Northfield now became not only an industrial centre, but a sporting town as well. A cinder track was made and opened in 1903. The track was outside the football and sports grounds. In those days bicycle races were as important as any other line of sport, and many old timers remember the famous Deeming brothers who became not only champions of Vancouver Island, but of British Columbia as well.

"Then was the days," remarked old George Taylor looking over his back veranda on to the old sports ground, now overgrown with second growth fir. The old grandstand site is only a stone's throw from this old pioneer's back yard.

Every Dominion Day huge celebrations took place. There were sports of every description, boxing, bicycle and high wheeled one, too, running football, in fact anything that would make a game.

Many Sad Men Deaths

There were sorrows, too, in the old town, many caused by the far too frequent explosions that took place at the powder company's plant, where many lost their lives in the dangerous work of making powder. It is believed many more accidents occurred in those days, because unlike today, there were not so many experienced men to pick them to make powder.

In 1903 George Simonette and Jas. Tullford were killed by an explosion. In 1907 an explosion demolished the Hamilton Powder Company's plant at Northfield and did \$20,000 damage. In 1911 Joseph Defries and T. E. Wilcox were killed by an explosion, and in 1912 the powder plant, being no respecter of persons, killed the superintendent W. A. Wilson.

There was another explosion when seven men were killed. In one other explosion, a Mr. Stevenson, riding on one of the cars containing powder, was blown to pieces. W. J. Hygh, who was foreman for many years at the powder plant, lost two sons-in-law and one son by explosions.

Passing through peaceful Northfield today, it would be very hard to believe that years ago it was a hive of industry. In 1893, according to the census figures for that time, the pop-

ulation was given at 965, while today there are less than 200.

Stumping Powder Invented

It would be safe to mention that hardly one in 20,000 of the present population of British Columbia know that it was at Northfield that the first stumping powder was made in this province.

It happened this way, Mr. Robbins, superintendent of the Northfield mine, was trying, one afternoon, to clear some ground near the mine, with what seemed to Mr. Hygh to be a very crude and dangerous proportion of powder and other material. When exploded the mixture failed to raise the stumps but the preparation made enough noise to blow up Northfield.

Mr. Hygh told Mr. Robbins he thought he had a formula that would do the work. Mr. Robbins thought it was merely a brain wave of Mr. Hygh's but remarked he would like to see it work. Mr. Hygh made up a preparation with nitro-glycerine and a black powder composition. This was placed beneath the stumps and was set off with terrific din. Mr. Robbins immediately asked Mr. Hygh which house he had blown up.

"None," replied Mr. Hygh, "but your stumps are out of the ground."

From that day to the present, Mr. Hygh's preparation has been used in both the mines and on the ranches also where ever stumps are blown out by stumping powder.

Mr. Hygh is now eighty-four years of age and worked for the Hamilton Powder Company for forty-five years, both in the east and the west. Mr. Hygh was pensioned by his company twenty years ago and is enjoying a well earned rest in Nanaimo.

Little Remaining

Thus Northfield's industrial career came to an end. If one passes through Northfield to-day he will see no evidence of there having been any liveliness at any time.

There were, at one time, four Churches, Anglican, Presbyterian, Roman Catholic and Methodist but today there are none. At one time there was a row of stores, even a jewellery store, but today there is only one small store, postoffice and the historic Half-way house.

There are only a few houses compared with the past, and the few who seek employment from these go now to the Quarter-way to work for the Nanaimo Lumber Company.

One cannot tell what Northfield's future will be, but there is still plenty of coal beneath the surface of the town and should coal ever come into its own again, some may live to see the same liveliness as in days of long ago.

The foregoing story is taken from the Victoria Daily Times and will be read with interest by many of the old timers in our midst who were residents of Northfield in its heyday. With reference to the building of the first Half-way House, we are inclined to think that the correspondent in the Victoria Daily Times made a mistake. If memory serves us right, a Mr. Westwood built the first Half-way House and not Mr. Blakely. James Parrott built the second Half-way House. (Ed.)

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Cumberland Personals

The hunting season commenced on Saturday with a large number of hunters in the woods. Blue Grouse were reported to be plentiful but owing to the very dry season, deer were difficult to obtain.

Mrs. Wm. Milligan, of Victoria, is spending a short vacation with her mother, Mrs. Dallos, at the Waverley Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Brown have returned to town from their summer camp at Royston Beach.

Mr. T. Kajayama left on Thursday for Toronto University where he will take up a medical course.

The Misses Katie and Josie Bono returned to the city this week, after spending a delightful holiday in Vancouver.

Mr. Dugald Campbell, of Vancouver, representative of the Merchant Lintoype Company, was a visitor to Cumberland on Thursday.

Mrs. Ina Bickerton, after spending an extended vacation with her mother Mrs. Whyte, left at the week end for Vancouver, en route to Oakland, where she will reside for a time. She was accompanied as far as Vancouver by her daughter, Doreen.

Ex-service men of Courtenay intend holding their annual basket picnic at Kitty Coleman Beach on Sunday.

Mrs. MacNaughton and daughter, Jean, left on Saturday last for Vancouver, where Miss Jean will enter the University of British Columbia.

Mr. Stephen Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson, left at the week end to study at the University of British Columbia.

Mr. M. O. Elliott, of Lang's Drug Store is spending a short vacation in Victoria.

Mr. John Walton, of Victoria, a former resident of Cumberland came up on Saturday for a few days' hunting.

Miss J. Steven and Miss G. Carter of Vancouver arrived on Sunday on a week's vacation. Whilst in Cumberland they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Yates at the Union Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson returned to the city on Sunday after spending a delightful holiday with relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Master Roy, accompanied by Ben Horbury returned to Cumberland after spending the past six weeks in California.

Mrs. Sid Hunt and family returned on Sunday from Sumas Prairie where they have been spending the summer.

Mesdames Lewis, Hill and Bond were hostesses at a delightful party held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. Hill, in honor of Mrs. Charles Seagrave who leaves this week end for her home in Acme, Alberta, after spending a vacation in Cumberland. Delectable refreshments were served by the hostesses and during the evening Mrs. Seagrave was presented with a lovely gift by Mrs. McLean, on behalf of those present. The evening was spent in an informal chat, the leave taking hour coming all too early.

Those present included Mesdames Potter, McLean, Mann, Gibb, Weir, Fyler (Port Haney), R. and A. Longland (Comox), F. Bond, H. Reede, J., and Miss M. Gibson.

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Mrs. J. H. Cameron entertained the Wednesday Night club at her home on Friday night last. Miss Nettie Robertson was successful in winning the first prize.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Bruce Gordon left on Sunday for a two week visit in Portland.

Mrs. Robert Strachan of Vancouver is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mounce.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Simms returned from their honeymoon in Portland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Telford, of Vancouver, arrived in town on Sunday and will spend a week with Mrs. Telford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dando, Sr.

Mr. Ernest MacDonald, accompanied by Mrs. Dee, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. MacDonald, motored to Nanaimo on Saturday. Ernest MacDonald returned to town on Sunday.

Mrs. Devlin and daughter, Eunice, were visitors to Nanaimo during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Toman, Mr. Calnan, and daughter Myrtle left on Wednesday on a two week visit to California. They were accompanied by Mr. Harper Balkie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McLean, and daughter, Marilyn, arrived in town on Friday and are the guests of Mrs. McLean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Strachan.

Miss Grace Horwood arrived on Sunday from Vancouver and is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horwood, of Minto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sehl of Victoria are the guests of the Waverley Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Simms and Mr. T. Simms, of Royston, left on Wednesday for a two weeks' motor trip on the Mainland.

Mr. James left on Monday for Cadamin.

Mr. Thomas Graham returned from Telkwa, B.C. on Tuesday.

Corporation of the City of Cumberland TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Monday, September, 23rd, 1929, for the purchase of property now owned by the City of Cumberland, which were built under the "Better Housing Act" known and described as follows: Lot 5, Block 17, Plan 522-A, Cumberland, and Lot 4, Block 16, Plan 522-A, Cumberland. Separate tenders to be submitted for each parcel. All tenders to be endorsed "House Tender". The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Full particulars may be obtained from the City Hall.

W. H. COPE,
City Clerk.

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GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Consent to Transfer Beer Licence

Notice is hereby given that, on the 28th day of September, next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer beer licence No. 1253 and issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as Waverley Hotel, situate at Dunsmuir Avenue, Cumberland, upon the lands described as lot No. 2, block No. 3, Map No. 522, Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia from Executor of the late Frank Dallos to George Spencer of Courtenay, B.C. Dated at Cumberland, B.C., this 4th day of September, 1929.

(Signed) George Spencer,
(Signed) Domenica Dallos.

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Mr. Victor Marinelli, who has been spending a few days in town, returned to Vancouver on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Piper arrived in town Tuesday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bennie.



WATER RIGHTS BRANCH Department of Lands CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL OF UNDERTAKING

WHEREAS the Vancouver Island Power Company Limited is a company incorporated under the laws of British Columbia and duly empowered to construct, maintain and operate works for the generation, transmission and distribution of electrical energy;

AND WHEREAS the said company did on February 20th, 1929, make application for licences to divert and use two thousand five hundred and eighty cubic feet of water per second from Campbell River for the generation of electrical energy;

AND WHEREAS the said company has petitioned for the approval of its undertaking relative to the said applications;

AND WHEREAS it appears in the public interest to grant the prayer of the said company;

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the undertaking of the Vancouver Island Power Company Limited relative to the diversion and use of two thousand five hundred and eighty cubic feet of water per second from Campbell River for the generation of electrical energy as the said undertaking is outlined in the position of the said company filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights on the 8th day of March 1929 is hereby approved subject to the terms and conditions of the Water Act and to the following terms and conditions.

The term of every licence that may be issued in pursuance of the company's above mentioned applications shall be limited to expire fifty years from the date of issue of the licence first issued in pursuance of the said applications.

The construction of the works necessary to store, divert and utilize the waters of Campbell River shall be commenced by the 1st day of September, 1931, and the said construction shall be carried out to the satisfaction of the Comptroller of Water Rights.

The territory within which the company may distribute and sell the electrical energy generated from the waters of Campbell River shall be the whole of Vancouver Island.

THIS CERTIFICATE does not authorize the diversion of any water or the construction of any works nor is it an approval of the plans of any works.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 13th day of September, 1929.

"P. BURDEN"
Minister of Lands.
I hereby certify this to be a true copy of a document in my official custody.
"G. R. NADEN"
Deputy Minister of Lands.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS Notice to Contractors

Campbell River Lock-up
TENDERS are invited for the repairing and decorating of the Lock-up Building at Campbell River in the Comox Electoral District, B.C.

Specifications can be obtained at the Public Works Office at Courtenay, the Lock-up at Campbell River, and from the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Tenders close Oct. 3rd, 1929.
P. PHILLIP,
Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

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Mrs. George Hoffelz (nee Violet Zanini) takes this opportunity of thanking all those friends who sent her such lovely and useful gifts on the occasion of the recent shower in her honor.

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Local Baseballers

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ble play, Moyer to James to McFarland; Stolen bases, Watson 2.

Second Game

Powell River	AB	R	H	PO	A	E	Gibson, 3b	4	2	2	0	2	0
Corollina, 3b	3	0	1	0	4	2	Clark, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Cecconi, rf	3	0	1	0	1	0	Aitken, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Hogue, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1	Moyer, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Casey, c	3	0	0	5	0	0	Total	33	10	11	21	7	1
Riley, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0	Summary—Two Base hits: Doi, Gib-						
Samsin, 2b	3	0	1	1	0	0	son, Aitken; Stolen bases: McFarland						
Wilshire, 1b	3	0	0	10	2	2	Doi, Watson 2, Gibson; Bases on						
Greenfield, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0	balls, Richard 0, Aitken 1; Struck out						
Richard, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	by Richard 4, by Aitken 11; Left on						
Total	25	0	2	21	4	5	bases, Powell River 3, Cumberland 7.						

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