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- Water Ice Wafers
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**NOTICE:**  
**GEORGE CHISHOLM**  
Blacksmith and Horseshoer has opened Fulton's old shop near the Creamery.

### Removal Notice

I have moved my blacksmith shop from the old quarters next the I. X. L. Stables to the old Assembly Hall on Chapel Street, opposite Athletic Club.

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### BRIEF MENTION

Nanaimo Lodge, 1952, Loyal Order of Moose held a very successful Whist Drive last evening in the Odd-fellows' Hall, the following being the prize-winners: Ladies, 1st, Mrs. McKay; 2nd, Mrs. Carmelly; Gent., 1st James Adair; 2nd, George Porter.

Among the passengers from Vancouver yesterday afternoon on the "Pat" were Geo. W. Beattie, William Hoggan, E. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. S. Vipond, Geo. S. Hougham, Miss Barnes and Mrs. T. J. McPhée.

#### HAVE YOU PYORRHEA?

Their great disease causes much suffering. The usual indications are bleeding gums and bad breath from the mouth. Allowed to go unchecked, it frequently necessitates extraction of the teeth.

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**JOYNER, Photographer.**

Attention of all members of Nanaimo Automobile Association is drawn to notice of Illustrated Lecture in this issue and that they do not fail to reserve their seats as it is expected that the Hall will be taxed to capacity.

Don't forget the Whist Drive and Dance by the Prithian Sisters in Odd-fellows' Hall, Thursday, May 1. Proceeds, Soldiers' Memorial Fund. It

Mr. and Mrs. T. Booth of Comox only arrived in the city last evening from Vancouver, accompanied by their son William who returned yesterday from overseas.

Will the party who took the wrong hat from the Ambulance Class Whist Drive Saturday night please exchange it for his own at the Herald Office.

Orange Lily Lodge meets tonight in the Foresters' Hall at 7.30.

The Great War Next of Kin will meet Thursday afternoon at 2.30 in the Great War Veterans' Rooms, Commercial St.

**BLACK DIAMOND I. O. O. F.**  
Black Diamond Lodge No. 5, I. O. O. F. will meet this (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock instead of 7.30 the usual hour.  
By Order,  
W. RITCHIE, Noble Grand

### NOTICE

#### TO PUBLIC LIBRARY ASS'N. SIGNATORIES

And other Citizens interested in the Library to be, a Meeting Will be Held in the

#### Athletic Club Building,

Chapel St., at 7.30 p.m., prompt, on Thursday, 1st May, to prepare the Library Recommendation to the City Council, and to receive the report of the Library Special Committee.

**WM. DE MACEDO,**  
Secretary, (pro tem).

#### TO THE PUBLIC:

### Free Illustrated Lecture ODDFELLOWS' HALL

Under the Auspices of the Nanaimo Automobile Association

**FRIDAY, MAY 2nd, 1919**

By **MR. HERBERT CUTHBERT,**

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Don't miss this. Come and know the country you live in. Members of the Nanaimo Automobile Association have two days in which to reserve their seats at W. W. Gray's store and are asked to make their reservations as soon as possible by phoning or calling

Executive **NANAIMO AUTOMOBILE ASS'N.**

### THE RANGER & BURKBURNETT OIL CO.

is only a few months old, yet is already able to pay substantial dividends which are almost certain to be increased enormously in a few months more.

The following letter will be gratifying to all who have secured an interest in this very promising enterprise:

"The Ranger and Burkburnett Oil Company announces with pleasure the payment of the first dividend of two per cent. on May 10th to all stockholders of record May 1st, 1919.

"From the present outlook, we feel safe in predicting monthly dividends hereafter on, possibly a larger and more extensive scale, dependent on the outcome of drilling operations, contract for which has been let and will start immediately.

"HENRY H. HOFFMAN, President,  
"Ranger Burkburnett Oil Co., Houston, Texas."

The well spoken of is on the famous Churchyard Lease of 2 1/2 acres situated at Desdemona, Less than a mile from the great Knowles Well, a Big Gusher flowing now 10,000 Barrels Per Day and surrounded on all sides by big producing wells. It is expected this well will tap the oil sands in 60 days and rival the Knowles Gusher. One such well will mean a net revenue of over \$500,000.00 per month and there is room on this lease alone for several such wells. In addition there is all 1828 acres owned by the Company; 500 acres of which is in the centre of the richest section of the Ranger and Burkburnett Fields and near Big Producing Wells.

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**\$1.25 Per Share.**

But I must wire your order by the 30th so that you may receive this first dividend of 2 per cent.

Get busy if you want to get into the Best Oil Proposition open today.

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Twentieth Anniversary Celebration of the Institution of Nanaimo Aerie, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, on Friday evening, May 2nd, commencing at 8 p.m. This will take the form of a whist drive and dance, to the members and their friends. The whist drive to commence at 8 o'clock. Dancing to begin at 9 o'clock. Refreshments served. All are welcome. Admission 50 cents. Tickets may be had from any member.

Members are requested to be in attendance when the meeting of the Aerie is called to order at 7 o'clock sharp.

**CHAS. WILSON, Secretary.**

**SOLD BY AUCTION.**  
Helsingfors, April 28.—The Bolshevik Commissioner for the Interior ordered the sale at auction last week of all scientific instruments belonging to the institute for public studies. These instruments are said to have been sold at ridiculously low figures.

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## SUGGESTIONS FOR HOUSE-CLEANING DAYS

### Wonderful Selection of Voile and Marquisette Curtains

House cleaning hardly seems finished unless there is new curtains in one room or another. Our furniture department has just opened up a large shipment of voile and marquisette curtains which indeed are daintiness itself. Pretty voiles in white and ivory are shown in many effective styles, some being the plain hemstitched border, others having the lace and insertion trimming; 2 1-2 yards in length, these curtains range in price from \$2.50 to \$6.00 a pair from

Sheer Marquisette Curtains in dainty hemstitched designs, featuring the medallions in the corners, others with the pretty lace edgings, make up this splendid showing; 2 1-2 yards long; these curtains are very pretty and are excellent value at. Per pair \$5.90 and \$6.90

#### WASH RUGS AND WIRE GRASS RUGS, \$3.25 to \$5.75

Wash Rugs are a splendid idea for bedroom use; as they are easily kept clean and sanitary. In pretty and effective colorings these Rugs are in pretty floral and block designs, being neatly finished with well designed borders. In many different sizes and in shades of green, blue, grey and other color combinations, these rugs range in price from \$3.25 to \$5.75

#### WIRE GRASS RUGS FROM 50c to \$1.75

Wire Grass Rugs may be used in any part of your house. Easily kept clean these rugs may be bought in pretty floral and conventional patterns which are in many gorgeous and effective colorings. These rugs lie perfectly flat on the floor and are priced from 50c to \$1.75

#### Linoleums, Congoleums, Oilcloths and Mattings.

See our Splendid Stock of Floor Coverings!

A new shipment of linoleums just in. Of an excellent quality this high grade floor covering is in clean-looking grounds effectively patterned in floral and block designs. Linoleums have been very difficult to secure. This new shipment is bound to please. If you are wanting any of your rooms recovered look into it. Selling at a square yard \$1.50

Mattings is a splendid floor covering for bedrooms being easily kept clean and sanitary. In plain and in fancy patterns this matting is excellent value, being a good width and selling at 65c and 68c a yard.

Mattings in squares, effective designs, neat borders, selling at \$3.00 and \$3.25

An excellent selection of floor Oil Cloths. Oil Cloth has been one of the biggest sellers in floor coverings. Our exceptional stock of highly selected patterns is really worth looking into. Effective floral designs along with clean-looking block patterns make up our showing. Selling at 95c a square yard

Congoleum is one of the most popular floor coverings. In an excellent hard finish congoleum will not crack and lies perfectly flat on the floor. In pretty floral and conventional patterns congoleums give excellent satisfaction. Like many floor coverings it is made up in different size squares and is very carpet-like in appearance. Congoleum sells at \$1.25 a sq. yard

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