## **ASK TAX SALE BE POSTPONED**

Haliburton Street Ratepayers Petition City Council to Postpone Tax Sale of Haliburton Street Property For at Least One Year.

City Council was instructed at last the First Aid competition held in without a hitch and on schedule, night's meeting of that body to com-connection with the Fourth Annual there being something doing every

Haliburton Street property, in ac-large number of interested specta-! Boys under 6 years-1. Edward cordance with the wishes of the rate- tors, both residents of the city and Sharp; 2, Brown. payers of that street, who wrote the district and from many many out-Council as follows:

Gentlemen,—At a regular meeting of the ratepayers of Haliburton street teams included the Department of E. Foy; 3, D. Fielding. the following resolutions were passed, resolved

Whereas, on investigating the Pesigned said petition, and further, were not ratepayers at that time, did said ratepayers authorize their names to be placed on petition, said ratepayers are prepared to make an affidavit to this effect.

And be it further Resolved, that Washington company, accompanied we petition your Honorable body to ton street for at least one year, dur- of Washington state, this team havsome assistance from the Provincial of the Coast at Black Diamond. Government.

Respectfully submitted for and on THOMAS HARVEY, Sec.

His Worship Mayor McKenzie reno mention in the records of the City tested throughout. Hall of the second petition whatever. Regarding the latter part of the com-Council and would have to be referr- Dudley Michel, instructor in First

ed to the Provincial Government. Ald. Rowan had an idea the Council had the authority to grant an extension for one year, his authority pany's team of Black Diamond, Wn., being Clause 246 of the Municipal captained by Mr. J. S. Murphy; 2nd,

Clauses Act. 1914. Mr. Gough explained the clause re- Wn., 3rd, Fernie Team. ferred to by Ald. Rowan was the

present act. Council would postpone the sale as Nanaimo, took second place. he believed such action would be both in the best interests of the rate- (Pacific Coast Coal Co.), and Juliupayers of Haliburton street and also Tonda (Patient); 2, R. Charnock, of the Council, for he felt the Coun- Nanaimo, and T. McCourt, (patient). cil had no desire to buy in the pro-

if permission could be secured to competition, put up by V. I. M. S. A. postpone the tax sale, Mr. Gough re- -1, Ladysmith, R. Ferguson, capplied that the act was explicit and tain; 2, Nanaimo, R. Jackson, capmade it compulsory that a sale be tain. held. The City Clerk remarked that Judges-Dr. McIntyre, I. Carruthpersonally he would be extremely ers and J. Wright. glad if the sale could be postponed, Two-Men Event-1, Nanaimo, A. but if one had to be held there could McNeill, captain; 2, Roslyn Fuel Co. be no delay as the preliminary work Open Event, (open to all the minwould have to be attended to at ing world)-1, Nanaimo, Joe Barton,

The regular meeting of the Red Cross Society will be held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A full were as follows: attendance is requested. Nomination of officers

## "RAINBOW TRAIL" A NEW BOOK

By L. M. Montgomery, author of "Anne of Green Gables."

Just in

**ALSO** "Joan at Halfway'

By Grace McLeod Rogers.

#### LOCAL TEAMS DID WELL IN FIRST **AID WORK**

Nanaimo Entries in First Aid Com-Mine Rescue Competition.

The Legislative Committee of the ors on Monday in connection with lengthy program was carried through

side points.

The trophies won by Nanaimo Mines Cup, the W. L. Coulson Cup, ent. Great interest was attached to nachie. tition in connection with the paving the Mine Rescue competition owing of Haliburton street, we find there to the presence of two American was not a majority of ratepayers who teams, no fewer than nine teams being entered for the mine rescue trothere are names on petition who phy. The visitors won the first and second places in the main event, the also appearing on petition are names Pacific Coast Coal Company's team of ratepayers who did not sign, nor carrying off the Vancouver Island Mine Safety Association shield, emblematic of the championship. Mr. Harry N. Freeman, formerly of Nanaimo, who is now manager of the

this team. The second prize fell to postpone the Tax Sale on Halibur- the Roslyn Fuel Company team, also ing which time we hope to secure ing previously won the championship The other competing teams were those from Nanaimo, Fernie, Ladybehalf of the ratepayers concerned. smith, Cumberland and Cassidy, Na-

naimo entering three teams, which were captained by Dave Brown, Parmarked what was mentioned in the kinson and Laird. The local teams communication was not correct in so made a good showing in individual far as the original petition presented mine work, but the Americans offset in 1913 is not the petition referred this by their superior technical work to in the letter. The original peti- in handling apparatus, appearance, tion was signed by fully 75 per cent. and drill Laird's team had the least of the property holders on Halibur- number of discounts for mine work ton street, the second petition being while Parkinson's had the highest a matter of the contractor and the general score of the local teams. The ratepayers, there apparently being championship was very keenly con-

The judges were Jas Bagby, mine inspector of Washington State; J. G. sation His Worship expressed
pinion the question of postponas out of the jurisdiction of the of the tor George Wilkinson. Aid and Mine Rescue.

V. I. M. S. A. SHIELD Won by Pacific Coast Coal Com-

Roslyn Fuel Co.'s team of, Roslyn

In the First Aid competition, the 1914 Act which was repealed by the Department of Mines Cup was won by J. W. Jemson's team, of Nanaimo. Ald. Rowan expressed the hope the The team of George Carson, also of

One Man Event-1, J. S. Murphy, W. L. Coulson Cup-1, J. Bar-

perty which would be sold at a tax ton's team (Nanaimo); 2, J. Brown's team (Nanaimo). In reply to the Mayor's question Juvenile Cup (open for annual

captain; 2, Nanaimo, A. McNeill, cap-

Children's Sports. The results of the children's sports

Boys' racing, 6 to 8 years-1, G. Gray; 2, H. Sandiland; 3, E. Caisley. 8 to 10 years—1, H. Inglis; 2, T. Niven; 3, H. Mee.

10 to 12 years-1, E. Bradshaw; J. Waugh; 3, R. Jackson. 12 to 14 years-1, L. Jolly; 2, J. Neen; 3, R. Thompson.

14 to 16 years-1, G. Bertram; 2, R. Thompson; 3, J. Neen.
Three-Legged Race—1, H. Lollit Arthur.

Wheelbarrow Race-1, S. Bell and R. McArthur; 2, H. Pollit and P.

Boot Race-1, R. Thompson; 2, J. Neen; 3, J. Kenmuir. Sack Race-1, J. Neen; 2, R. Thompson; 3, B. Rowbottom.

Girls' Racing. 6 to 8 years-1, J. Carson; 2, H. Atkinson; 3, M. Ryall.

8 to 10 years-1, B. Isherwood; 2, S. Corbett; 3, A. Reed 10 to 12 years-1, E. Callow; 2

A. Thompson; 3, L. Ryall. 12 to 14 years—1, M. Edmunds; 2, C. Callow; 3, A. Thompson. 14 to 16 years—1, O. Williams: 2

H. Charvat; 3, J. Whetton. Egg and Spoon race-1, H. 2, E. Dawson; 3, A. Charvat. Skipping race-1, E. Callow; 2, M. Mason; 3, M. Ryall.

Boot Race-1, E. Callow: Edmunds; 3, J. Whetton. Blind horse race, girl driver-1 Whetton and D. Kenmuir; 2, S. Corbett and S. Bell; 3, O. Williams

and J. Kenmuir. Starters, D. Kirkbride and J. Daw-

#### LABOR DAY SPORTS BRITISH EMPIRE **MONDAY SOUTH** WELLINGTON

petition Carried off Honors on at South Wellington was most suc-Monday — Visitors Successful in cessful in every respect, the attendance being large and the program Pitted against the best teams of The success of the celebration re-Washington and British Columbia, flects great credit on the committee

Government to see if it were at all Mine Safety Association held on the The winners of the various events possible to postpone the tax sale of Cricket Field and attended by a were as follows:

Girls under 6 years-1, Harrison; 2. Florence Aitken. Boys under 8-1, J. Harrison; 2,

Girls under 8 years-1, Irene Lasthe open event, and the two-man ev- kivitch; 2, T. Dobbin; 3, Susie Don-Boys, 12 years-1, J. Girgish; 2

Parker; 3, J. Hosko. Girls, 12 years-1, Bella Fielding; M. Gold; 3, Mary McGregor. Boys, 14 years-1, F. Carrol; 2 E. Tilley; 3, G. Gilmour. Girls, 14 years-1, Nellie Don-

nachie; 2, I. Fielding; 3, S. Kraley. Girls' Egg and Spoon Race - 1 Tissina; 2, S. Girgish. Boys, 16 years-1, R. Bonnar; 2, Parker; 3, T. Brown.

Girls, 16 years-1, Nellie Don J. Gilmour Girls' 3-legged race-1, S. Girgish

Tessina. Williams and Martin. Boys' sack race-1, E. Tilley! 2

Girls' Sack Race-1, Ruth Martin; Miss Tessina. Boys' boxing-1, F. Carrol; 2, B Mascho

Carrol; 3, W. Petrie.

Baby Show-1, Mrs. Popivich; 2, Mrs. D. Richards. Boys' centipede race-1st team Bonnar, J. Brown, R. Martin, C.

Brown, S. Parker, R. Godfrey. Obstacle Race-1, R. Bonnar; 2 Campbell; 3, C. Brown.

Boys' football-1, Martin's team; 2. Taylor's team.

Chinese tug-of-war-1, No. 5 Slope

hompson; 3, Mrs. Oblak. Men's race, 50 years and over-1 Mr. Chesworth; 2, Joe Tom; 3, F. Fielding.

100 yards open-1, Lane; 2, J. Campbell; 3, J. Kellar. Ladies' race, 50 years and over-Mrs. Andre; 2, Mrs. Tilley; 3, Mrs.

Chesworth. Tug-of-war-1, No. 5 Slope.

Ladies' first aid-1, Mrs. G. Tayor; 2, Mrs. S. McMurray. Ladies' needle threading-1, Mrs.

Thompson; 2, Mrs. Oblak; 3, Mrs. Quigley. Married men's race-1, R. Hamil-

Baseball throwing-Tied, 1st. and 2nd., J. Bramley, L. McFadden. 2nd. R. Hamilton and J. Bramley; 3, C. Boulsby.

Football, Slope vs. Shaft-Won by No. 5 Slope, proceeds donated to none the less strong enough to inone of the players who was injured during game.

Quoiting match-1, Clarke; r. Brown Men's first aid-1, J. Harrison; 2, los. Taylor.

DICK-BRAMLEY ..

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian church yesterday morning the Rev. Dr. Unsworth united in marriage Miss Helen Marguerite Bramley, of Extension, and Mr. John Thomas Benjamin Dick of Ladysmith. The bride was supported by Miss Christina Louden, Mr. J. C. Bramley, brother of the bride, acting as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick left on the afternoon train for Victoria, and after and A. Bell; 2, S. Bell and R. Mc- their honeymoon will reside in Ladysmith.

> OPENED THE QUARTERWAY. The Quarterway Hotel, situated on Comox Road some two miles from the city, was reopened yesterday by by Mr. Chris Tembey and once more the doors of this famous hostelry will be open for the accommodation of the travelling public. The hotel has been renovated and refurnished and is in a position to cater to the wants of the travelling public.

Sergt. John Neave, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Neave, Irwin street, arrived home yesterday from overseas after over three years with the forces. Sergt. Neave enlisted from New Westminster, and at the time was engaged as druggist. He has not yet decided upon his future plans and before doing so will enjoy a well earned rest at his home in Nanaimo Judges, W. Thorpe and T. Sanders

Quoiting
English style—1, W. Johnston; 2 H. Ellis; 3, J. R. McKenzie. Scotch style-1, A. Waugh; 2, R Little; 3, John Waugh.

# FOR BRITISH

The celebration held on Monday Commissioner Jones of the Over-Sanitary Inspector Murdock Reports Much Will Be Crowded Into Brief C.P.R. Will Be Asked the Reason Period of Stay in Nanaimo is Charged a seas Club Makes a Stirring Appeal for Greater Unity in the Empire Against Our Common The City Council at last night's The public reception in this city meeting was in receipt of a report given to His Royal Highness the

> Mr. F. R. Jones, Commissioner of terests of this imperial organization, gave a most interesting and instruc-

patriotic endeavors of the city. Mr.

Instancing at the outset of his address some of the directions in which the Overseas Club had endeavored to assist Canada, Mr. Jones said that he had been commissioned arrangements possible. by Sir Edward Kemp to approach the Imperial authorities with a view of the parents of the last two cases congetting 7 aeroplanes donated to the tend their children caught the diship stated the program was containperty owners in Block E. on Gilles-Dominion for its air force. After considerable discussion this request was granted, and the speaker followed up this early success by immediately demanding 9 more planes, which demand was acceded to. The result is that Canada today has a complete air squadron of 16 planes, and J. Gilmour; 2, I. Fielding and and a promise has also been made Doris Mottishaw; 3, S. Godfrey and that another 100 machines will also be handed over in the near future. Boys' 3-legged race-1, Tilly and Unfortunately, however, although by Girgish; 2, S. Muylart and Hosko; 3, the use of aeroplanes the mail service across the Dominion would be immensely expedited, and the terrific loss through forest fires could undoubtedly be greatly reduced, the Dominion had as yet voted no money for the creation of an air force. Mr. Jones also stated that the Overseas Club alone had contributed no less than a million and a half dollars toward hospital work during the war and since its termination and had gone further than this in the way of conservation of the manhood of the Empire, since they had borrowed the foremost expert of the Empire on

corps of nurses in this special work, who would later on be sent out to Married ladies' race - 2, Mrs. all quarters of the Empire. As a matter of fact, said Mr. Jones, the Overseas Club exists for the sole purpose of drawing the people of the Empire closer together, for the welfare of the whole, and it could not be too soon recognized that our children are the greatest asset which the Empire possesses, for they are destined to lead the Empire on to an even greater and more glorious

Having more than once been asked what the Overseas Club stood for, and what were the ties within the Empire which it sought to tighter Mr. Jones said that he invariably replied that the ties were the si'ken ones of sentiment, which loose as they might have been, since all the Football kicking-Tied 1st and Imperial Dominions were at liberty to govern themselves as they would, except insofar as the Foreign Policy of the Empire was concerned were duce men from every part of the Dominion to proffer their services to leave their farms, their families and over to England within 12 hours of side streets have been used for lavthe time when Great Britain with an army of 80,000 men declared war on Germany with her army of 5 mil- tice lion. As the Right. Hon. Winston Churchill had once explained, the reason why the nose of a bulldog turned upwards and backwards, was in order that the animal might be seized, and at the same time be able closets in the city, ninety-four (94) to breathe, and this was the true British spirit which had finally won the war. Of this spirit were the men whose mortal remains were lying underneath the thousands of little white crosses in the countless cemeteries in France and Belgium. This was the spirit which animated those gallant seamen and engineers who though their ships had been torpedoed and sunk under them time after time, still went back to the shipping offices and signed on for Health Bylaw. yet another voyage to carry men and munitions to France. But it was not the spirit which had led the German fleet to surrender like whipped curs and which had led German seamen later to sink their ships without having fired a shot. The bottom of the sea was the most fitting place for that fleet since Germany's pride had always been her underseas fleet, and it was certainly un-

derseas today. Germany, said Mr. Jones, was alwas seeking to regain her former she could never hope to pay the indemnity demanded unless she was allowed to get a share of the world's would not pass the most casual sanitrade. But why, in order that she might be able to pay France or Belgium 5 cents should any Canadian

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#### THE SANITARY **CONDITIONS IN** THE CITY

gave a most interesting and instructive address in the Foresters' Hall last night before an audience which though unfortunately not as large though unfortunately not as large as might have been hoped, was yet thoroughly representative of the thoroughly representative of the district of the might be dealt with at some full of war medals and awards to veter as and the widows of Nanaimo soldiers who were honored for gallantry but later fell in action.

At last night's meeting the City country as a special attraction in connection with this year's exhibition.

On motion of Ald. Barnes, second-

I visited the bathing beach (where a success. bathing place owing to the slimy the first sign or complaint of a sore eral places the party will visit. throat they had the complainer Highness will arrive at Nanaimo by residences. speedily examined by a doctor and if it were found to be a diphtheria throat it would give the doctors and in readiness to convey the party to perty the sewer was laid, have been before they called a doctor, in which ing programme:

hold and the patient's chance of re-children. covery lessened. Nuisances.-My attention was diforemost expert of the Empire on infant welfare, a doctor from New Zealand, and had taken him to England for the nurnose of training a closet in course of removal and the ready been officially presented with Under these conditions there is no deposit boxes were lying around sur-the medals. rounded by an accumulation of other offensive matter which has since formed by returned soldiers. attention to a portion of the play- gram the Royal Party will return to ground, an alley which in wet the train and proceed to Courtenay. weather is always submerged in water. The said water running from the upper street and from the ALBERTA CHAMPIONS gutters and rain pipes around the school, in view of the approach of tention. Also Needham street, from Victoria Road past the said school to Haliburton street, while it may be

> ous or fatal accident may occur unless promptly dealt with. In a number of yards and lots I found an accumulation of ashes, garbage, tins, rags, etc., which must have been going on for several cents extra for the grandstand. years, the present occupants claiming that the accumulation was left by former occupiers which I have no doubt is true.

I also found that unoccupied houses, vacant lots, and even some atories and dumping grounds, a most unsanitary and objectionable prac-

I visited Gillespie street several times and found only two persons attempting to connect to the recent in-

stalled sewer. There are approximately one hundred and sixty-three (163) dry scayanger, the remaining sixty-nine (69) are emptied or taken away by the people using the same, many of the persons using dry closets have sewers running past their lots and almost two-thirds of these offences occur in the south end of the city and here I may point out that according to the Public Health Bylaw that the removal of night soil by other than the licensed scavanger is an offence against the said Public

Pigs.—I understand that a War Measure was passed, granting persons permission to keep pigs, upon application, and provided the Medical Officer was satisfied that the proposed piggeries would not be a menace to the public health. Only one application was received and the application refused. Yet there are several piggeries in the city, one of which containing four pigs, is sitnated seventy-five feet from the rear

entrance to Quennell School. ready resorting to her old tricks and Noxious Weeds.—Alleys, vacant lots and some streets are growing a commercial power by arguing that fine crop of these pests, which ought to be cut down. Streets.—Some of our streets

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#### **RECEPTION TO PRINCE OF WALES** IN NANAIMO

Royal Highness.

on sanitary conditions in the city by Sanitary Inspector A. Murdock as follows:

Sanitary Council and the local branch of the Great Way Veter 10 His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is to be carried out by the City Council and the local branch of the Great Way Veter 10 His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is to be carried out by the City Council and the local branch of the Great Way Veter 10 His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is to be carried out by the City Council and the local branch of the Great Way Veter 10 His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is to be carried out by the City Council and the local branch of the City Council and the City Counc branch of the Great War Veterans' Mr. F. R. Jones, Commissioner of Gentlemen,—In submitting the Association, the returned soldiers the Overseas Club for Canada, who following report as requested I may forming a guard of honor for the

which swing to lack of time will the program being the presentation from the Nanaimo Agricultural So-quire to be dealt with at some fu-of war medals and awards to veter-ciety asked for a grant of \$200, and ans and the widows of Nanaimo sol- a blanket license to cover a carnival

enried in the Middle Ward and four gation from the G. W. V. A., consisted by Ald. Burnip the request of the patriotic endeavors of the city. Mr. in the South Ward. I found no ing of Messrs. Leighton, Bell, and Society was referred to the Finance ware many ladies present these cases, unless that the disease Council the G. W. V. A. desired to license and for report in regard to seemed to be contracted by people know what program was being ar- the donation. who live under the cleanest condi- ranged for in order that the return- The Sewerage Committee submittions and who have the best sanitary ed soldiers could join in and make ted the following report: the reception to His Royal Highness

short distance away but there was nothing that could be seen that the Prince of Wales, on the occasion have the sewers constructed as they nothing that could be seen that would suggest a possible source of inst., begs to report having had the health of that section of the city, the would suggest a possible source of infection other than those stated. Privilege of meeting Captain Hendy, only condition being that the surface who is making the arrangements for of the ground be left in as good conthis beach, especially Indian children, and no case of disease or serious illness has been reported from amongst them. Parents could greatly assist your Health Officer, if upon ly assist your Health Officer, if upon ly assist your Health Officer, if upon lead to the larger l

Decoration by H. R. H. Prince of monthly charge for other service ab-

been removed but I would draw your | Upon the completion of the pro-

PLAY HERE TODAY, tion. winter this requires immediate at- Calgary's Star Soccer Team Will Meet Pick of District on Cricket

Grounds This Evening. The Hillhurst football team of fairly sanitary yet owing to its un- Calgary, champions of Alberta playeven surface (especially where the ed the Mainland champions a 1-1 sewer man hole casing projects four draw in Vancouver on Monday. The or six inches above the level, a seri- Hillhursts will be in Nanaimo today for an exhibition game with the pick of the District. The game will be played on the Cricket Grounds commencing at 6 o'clock, the general admission being 25 cents, with 10

> Mrs. J. S. Bradford, the Townsite will resume her music teaching on Tuesday next, Sept. 2nd.

### ominion Last Times Today

THE MONEY CORRAI

**CHESTER-OUTING** 

Nature Film

Christie Comedy "ALL DRESSED UP"

CANADIAN WEEKLY REVIEW

Why Nanaimo is Charged a Higher Rate Than Vancouver.

The City Council met in regular session last evening, the full Board being present, His Worship Mayor

Gentlemen .- Your Sewerage Committee begs to report having invessease) and found it was outside the ed in the report of a special commitcity limits (therefore outside our tee appointed to arrange for the retion of the sewer main, through their jurisdiction). It is not an ideal ception, the report being as follows: several properties and we have found Gentlemen,-Your committee ap- that a petition was presented by a nature of the bottom and one of the pointed to make arrangements for number of the property owners in main sewer discharge pipes is only a the reception of His Royal Highness that Block asking the Council to

that the City provided the four-inch It is arranged that His Royal pipe for the laterals from each of the

anti-toxin a chance to assist the patient instead of waiting several days is intended to carry out the follow- ancial standpoint they are in no case the disease had secured a good Patriotic Chorus by the School er rental and Sewer Frontage Tax Regulations, as without the sewer Presentation of the Civic Address. they would be compelled to pay a

other course open to us than to re-Inspection of the Guard of Honor commend that the present regulation be adhered to.

Respectfully submitted. On motion of Ald. Jones, seconded by Ald. Matthews the report of the Committee was adopted and the City Clerk instructed to inform the property owners of the Council's ac-

A recommendation of the Water Works Committee that repairs be (Continued on Page Two).

# TO-DAY

"The Best Picture I Ever Made."-Florence Reed. United Picture Theatres, Inc.

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MARIE WALCAMP

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### **GRAND DANCE**

Under auspices of Western Pastime Athletic Club

Oddfellows' Hall, Wed. Sept. 3 DANCING 9 till 1,30 JENSEN'S 6-PIECE ORCHESTRA