

## Whimsical Review

### "Ain't It Tought!"

We know a man who celebrated his birthday and all he got was a day older.

"What's the matter over there?"

"A Boy Scout did so many good turns he got dizzy."

Piano Mover: "Think we can get it through this door, sir?"

Householder: "Oh, yes! My wife comes through here regularly."

### What's Wrong Here?

He—My education cost me \$8,000.  
She—Money doesn't go far these days, does it?

Mr. Pewee: "Why did you get me such big shirts? These are four sizes too large for me."

His wife: "They cost just the same as your size and I wasn't going to let a strange clerk know I married such a little shrimp."

### Provide Ample Supply

It was his first sermon and the young curate was anxious to spread a favorable appearance. Smoothing his hair, he said to the old verger: "could you get me a glass? A small one will do."

The verger hurried away and soon returned, holding something concealed under his coat. "I know what nervousness is sir," he said: "here's a whole bottle."

### Not Daft A' Th' Gither

"I think we should tak a walk doon the toon and see the shops, lassie," said an Aberdonian to his wife.

"But they're shut," she replied.

"D'ye think I dinna ken that?" he said. "I'm no' daft a' th' gither."

### An Insult

A very rich man had married a beautiful woman who, unfortunately, was beneath him socially.

They were about to attend a big dinner, and the husband gave her a few words of advice before starting.

"Just be yourself and everything will be O.K.," he said. "Don't try to be clever, whatever you do."

During the dinner, at a moment when the rich man's wife was resting her clasped hands on the table, there came a lull in the conversation. "Awful pause," remarked the man by her side, with a smile.

"And so would yours be," snapped the other angrily, "if you worked at a washtub all day for five years like I did before I was married."

### Taking Precautions

The extent to which many people go in trying to be on the safe side of a problem is often amusing in the extreme.

Some years ago a gentleman moved into a dilapidated old cottage, and was found one day whitewashing it inside and out. "I'm glad to see you making this old place so neat," said a neighbor passing by.

"'Tain't nothin' to me about eye-sores," was the reply. "The last couple that lived here had twins three times, an' I hear whitewash is a good disinfectant. Yo' see, we've got ten children already."

### CHURCH ATTENDANCE

A farmer was a lay delegate to a convention in which the principal topic for discussion was how to get people to come to church. He said: "See here, parson, there is one thing always amuses me when listening to you ministers. You have had papers and discussions all day on how to get people to come to your church. I have never heard a single address at a farmers' convention on how to get cattle to come up to the rack. We put all our time in getting the best kind of feed. I sort of have a notion if you put more time on what to put into the rack you wouldn't have to spend all the time discussing how to get folks to attend."—Exchange.

## SKI RACE AT HOLLYBURN RIDGE

There was a large crowd on hand over the week end at Hollyburn Ridge to watch the sports programme put on there by the Hollyburn Pacific Ski Club. The chief event of the meet was the novices' cross-country race. The winner was Jack Turner, whose time was thirty-seven minutes and forty-five seconds for the distance of three and one-half miles. H. M. Pogue was second, running close to Turner, and third place was won by Harry Collins.

The final meet of the club for this season will take place on Sunday, 24th February, when the stellar attraction will be cross-country race for ladies.

REVELSTOKE, Feb. 13. — With the finest weather that ever graced a local tournament prevailing, the fifteenth annual winter carnival got away to a good start when contestants from Revelstoke, Trail, Vancouver and other points took off for the long-distance race through rough and treacherous country.

K. Fraser of the Hollyburn Ski Club won the 40 mile Veteran's class race from Lake Louise to Banff in record time, beating all the A class men of North America.

In class A the winner was A. Sandnes of Burns Lake, whose time was 34 minutes 15 seconds. Nels Nelson, world's champion ski jumper was a close second, his time being 38:03. Fladmark of the Hollyburn Ski Club, Vancouver, was third, his time being 38:30. Ernie Field of Revelstoke who won the race last year was fourth, with a mark of 38.40. Endreus of Trail, the winner in 1927, was in fifth place, covering the stretch in 40 minutes. Finkenhagen, also of Hollyburn Club, finished last, his time being 49 minutes 45 seconds.

The class B long distance race was won by Hans Gunderson of Revelstoke, whose time was 39 minutes 40 seconds. Gunderson's parents are both renowned skiers, his father having been a consistent long-distance winner in the earlier years of the tournament. Second place went to Gordon Billingsley of the Hollyburn Club, whose time was 45 minutes. Others finished as follows: C. Lauritsen, Vancouver, 54 minutes 21 seconds; Coueffin, Revelstoke, 55.55; Fraser, Vancouver, 1.11.35, and Walkinshaw Vancouver, 1.21.55.

The junior jumping events on the smaller hill of the Revelstoke Club were followed by a large number of spectators Tuesday afternoon. The weather was ideal for jumping and some fine performances resulted. Class A exhibitions were also made, while a feature of the afternoon was the exhibition jumping of Miss Isabel Coursier, ladies' champion of the world, and at present physical instructress at the Victoria Normal School.

G. Gunderson of Revelstoke took the honors for distance jumping when he won both the Class B and C distance contests with a jump of 121 feet. This is six feet better than the record set in 1925. In class D Stewart Marrs, also a local product, led a large field with a distance jump of 60 feet to beat the previous record by two feet. E. Gunderson, a brother of the C and B class winner, as well as of the winner of the Class B distance race, was first in long standing jump class in class E with a jump of 50 feet.

Pete McPherson called at a house. Knocking at the door, a lady appeared and immediately remarked: "I'm not expecting any package."

Pete: "This is the number and the name is Smith, isn't it?"

Lady: "It must be a clear case of mistaken identity."

Pete: "No, mum. It's a case of beer."

## Board of Trade

### SOCIAL NEXT MONDAY

The executive of the West Vancouver Board of Trade held a meeting on Wednesday night in Ambleside Hall, when a number of matters appertaining to the welfare of the community were discussed. A committee will wait upon the post office officials with regard to the betterment of postal conditions here generally. F. Tite brought up the matter of the establishment of a charity chest in West Vancouver. After some discussion it was decided to take no action until the system has been tried out in Vancouver.

The following are the chairmen of the various committees for 1929:

Commerce, industry and education—Dr. G. Bayfield  
Agriculture and mining — G. Gourlay  
Transportation—A. W. Lunn  
Tourists and settlers—F. Tite  
Public improvements — G. Williamson.  
Publicity and information — Harry Hodgson  
Finance—J. T. Watt  
Legislation and administration —F. F. Lovegrove  
Membership and grievances—H. C. Osborne  
Reception and entertainment — A. J. Ridley.

The regular meeting will be held on Monday evening at the Clachan followed by a social at which members are invited to bring their wives or lady friend. A musical programme has been arranged and refreshments will be served. If time permits, there will be some dancing.

President McQuaker has the arrangements well in hand to expedite the regular business meeting, which will be rushed through. On its completion the meeting will be placed in the hands of the chairman of entertainment A. J. Ridley.

### BIBLE SCHOOL ON SUNDAY

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the West Vancouver Bible School will meet in Ambleside Hall. Mr. Percy King, the leader, will speak on "The Victorious Saints." Those attending these classes receive great inspiration from these thoughtful studies. Mr. King is eminently a student, and he has the happy faculty of making his thoughts clear to his audience. Pay a visit to the class on Sunday. You will receive a hearty welcome.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its present session, by Corporation of the District of West Vancouver for an Act to amend "West Vancouver Incorporation Act," being Chapter 60 of the Statutes of British Columbia 1912, as amended by "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1920," being Chapter 104 of the Statutes of British Columbia 1920; "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1922," being Chapter 84 of the Statutes of British Columbia 1922, and "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1925," being Chapter 63 of the Statutes of British Columbia 1925, by repealing Section 3 and Schedule A of said "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1920," and releasing the lien or charge therein referred to, and by repealing said "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1922," and by inserting after the word "lands" where the same occurs in the sixth and tenth lines of Section 3 of said "West Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1925" the words "or lands and improvements," and by making provisions for the consolidation of the water systems commonly known as "Brothers Creek," "West Bay," "Caulfeild" and "Whytecliff" and providing for its operation and that the interest and sinking funds required to pay the debentures issued to build such systems be raised from the taxable lands or lands and improvements of the whole Municipality and that such systems be declared works of local improvement.

DATED at West Vancouver, B.C., this 8th day of February, A.D., 1929.  
GORDON ROBSON,  
Solicitor for Corporation of the District of West Vancouver.