

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Shipments of Ore from the Kaslo-Slocan Country—Transfer of Promising Mines.

A Dangerous Tramp in Nanaimo—Vancouver Municipal Matters—Captured by Indians.

(Special to the Colonist.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 28.—A special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held this evening to complete organization for the coming municipal elections.

G. Thomas, jr., son of G. Thomas, of the Oriental, was married to-day to Emma Wiles.

J. Jackson Langley, who was killed by a tree falling on his cabin, is insured in the I.O.O.F. for \$2,200, and owns \$10,000 worth of property here. He has no relatives on the coast.

M. McNeill was fined \$100 for selling liquor to an Indian.

A fine specimen of cinnamon, bearing gold as well, was brought in by a Siwash yesterday. Efforts to ascertain the locality of the find were unsuccessful.

The children of the Orphan's Home were entertained by Mrs. Dana at her residence, on Robson street. A Christmas tree was provided and the little ones loaded with presents.

Two hundred couple were present at the ball given by the Hermanns Society at the Imperial Opera House.

The City Act of Incorporation Amending Acts and the consolidated By-laws have just been published in pamphlet form.

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off at the Departure Bay school house on Monday night. The school was tastefully decorated and the trees presented a fancy picture. The chair was taken at 7 p. m. by Mr. C. N. Young, after which Miss Thomas, the present teacher, put her scholars through a very amusing and highly entertaining program. Songs by Mrs. Dudley, Messrs. Young and Ellison of the steamship Wellington followed, after which the presents were distributed. Mr. John Morrow proposed a vote of thanks to Capt. and Mrs. Salmon and crew of the Wellington for their kindness in decorating the house and tree. Capt. Salmon replied and proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. James Morrow for the manner in which he had arranged the preparations. Much regret was felt that the school house was so small, a large number having to return home. Besides the 72 children with their parents, among those present were Capt. Freeman of the Glory of the Sea, Mrs. G. G. Young, and a number of friends from Wellington.

KASLO-SLOCAN.

We are enabled to announce definitely that the railway from the city into the heart of the Slocan country will be begun as soon as the snow clears off the ground in spring.

During the winter months the work of preparing the route has been pushed forward so that there will be no delay when the time for construction arrives. Rails, rolling stock, etc., will be purchased, and forwarded to be in readiness as soon as the snow is melted.

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A THEATRICAL REVIEW.

The Latest Productions in New York City.

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MERION CRICKET CLUB'S HOME.

The big clubhouse is an imposing looking structure, built by the action of two large country houses. It is finished with hard woods within, and is a model of convenience and comfort. There are numerous rooms in the big house, among them a reception room, the ladies' tennis room overlooking the tennis courts, the billiard room, the cardroom and the taproom. The last named is very English with its jutting rafters and its sandal floor.

The cricket house of the club is a separate building 100 feet long by 43 feet broad. It is thoroughly equipped with various appliances for the use of the club's athletes. Such prominent people as Jayne MacVeach and A. J. Cassatt are members of the club, and its cricket team enjoys an enviable reputation.

In a few years annual shows were held in the principal cities of England and were patronized by the royalty, nobility and gentry of Great Britain, and also by the rough fellows who bred and trained dogs for a livelihood.

It was seventeen years before there was an effort to introduce dog breeding into America. The first effort was made by the Westminster Kennel Club of New York, and the effort succeeded so well that similar clubs were formed in other large cities.

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