LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

News of the Day Selected from Thursday's Evening Times.

THE CHARITY BALL

Ladies' Auxiliary Conduct Another Successful Dance.

THE BALL INCREASES IN POPULARITY

Even More Successful Than Previous Gatheriugs Held by the Auxiliary in Aid of the Hospital-Fashienable Attendance and Pléasant Time.

The charity ball has come and gone, adding another palm to the many that the ladies' auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital have won for their untiring efforts to provide amusement and at the same time assist a worthy object. Assembly hall was prettily and tastefully decorated, and the scene in the ball room during the evening when the floor was filled with dancers was a very brilliant one. Flags, evergreens, flowers, ferns and bunting had been used to good advantage and were well shown off by the bright rays of the electric lights. The changes made in the hall recently also improved its appearance, the removal of eral cozy corners luxuriously decorated provided cool and comfortable resting places during the intervals between the dances. A great deal of attention had also been paid to the dining hall, which, like the ball room, was completely transformed by the use of decorating materials well placed. The long tables were loaded with the many tasty dishes which make glad the hearts of the merry dancers, who by midnight are always ready for refreshments. The supper the electric light diffuses a splendid glow, was all contributed by the ladies and and the whole gives the desirable feeling hotel and restaurant proprietors, who responded liberally to the request for

The patrons of the ball were his honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Admiral Stephenson, C. B., Theo. Davie, the premier, and his worship Mayor Beaven. The premier unfortunately could not attend on account of illness and Admiral Stephenson was absent, but was, however, represented by Flag-Lieutenant Godfrey-Faussett, and many other officers from the navy were present. Upon the arrival of the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, shortly after 9 o'clock, sets were formed for the lancers. The sets of honor were as follows: Lieut. Governor Dewdney and Mrs. Earle, Mayor Beaven and Mrs. Hayward, President Hayward and Mrs. Beaven, Thos. Earle, M. P. P., and Mrs. Dewdney. Dr. Milne, M. P. P., and Mrs. Worlock, F. H. Worlock and Mrs. Milne, Consul Myers and Mrs. Chudley, Ald D. R. Harris and Mrs. J. Irving. 'The completion of the lancers was the signal for the dancing to commence in earnest, and from that until 3 o'clock this morning the dancers kept time to the orchestra of H. M. S. Royal Arthur. The music was splendid and added much to the enjoyment of the evening. The leader always responded generously to the request for the repetition of a dance, so that by the time the long programme was tired but happy. For one of the extras the orchestra played the "Pacific Fleet" waltz, Major Burrows, R. M. A., of the Royal Ross gave a decision against the insti-The waltz was greatly enjoyed, and by request was repeated later

the evening. Every detail had been carefully after year, for which the public show Last evening they were assisted by the following committee | the receiver they should be tied togethin large numbers. gentlemen. Reception, Chas. Hay- er. ward, president of the hospital board; Chudley, honorary treasurer, and E. C. and J. S. Yates.

Luncheon was served in the hall to day, a large number of business men attending.

Coal Shipments.

The foreign shipments made by the New Vancouver Coal Company during October, follow:

Grandholm, Liverpool..... Str. Bertha, San Francisco...

Str. Montserrat, San Francisco.

Bark Rufus E. Wood, S. F.

Ship India, San Francisco.

Ship Louis Walsh, San Francisco.

Str. Tacoma, Port Townsend...

Taxes Well Paid.

Despite what are called dull times, the collection of civic taxes for 1893 exeds all previous years. Tuesday was the last day for the one-sixth rebate, and ratepayers in general took advantage of it and filled the city treasurer's office all Treasurer Kent and his aids were equal to the task and business was rapidly done. The collections for the last day were in the neighborhood of \$55,000, and for October about \$230,000, a sum in excess of any previous year's collections by several thousand dollars, al-

though it was predicted by many that 1892 would hold the record, being the the argest till the present. All of which money is not so scarce after all, and that Victoria is the premier city of the coast in having the smallest list of delinquent taxpayers.

Acted Suspiciously. George J. Cook and Charles H. Church-ill were "run in" by the police last night. Cook was accosted by Constable Smith on Douglas street at 3 o'clock this morning. Smith asked Cook what he was doing out at that time and he answered that it was none of the policeman's business. Smith told Cook that he would have to come along. Cook de-clined, but with the help of Sergeant Walker he was induced to go to the police station, where he had a lodging until he was arraigned in the police court this morning. Cook told the court that he had been to the charity ball and had just parted with Dr. Milne and Ald. Dennis Harris, when he was arrested. The court smiled and dismissed prisoner with a caution. Churchill came over from the Sound last night. He was seen loitering about Yates street and ould not give a satisfactory account of himself. . He was remanded till Friday, when other charges may be entered

against him.

The Arawa. The Arawa, which replaces the Miowera, is described as a splendid boat, which has been round the world several balcony making it look larger. Sev- times. She is fitted with new triple expansion four cylindered engines, thus enabling her to do her work at a proportionately small cost. From Australia to England she has maintained a rate of fourteen knots throughout, and that in the teeth of head winds. The vessel, which has the enormous length of 460 feet, has been called a floating palace by those who have sailed in her. convenience and comfort have been provided. The cabins are regular bed-rooms; of home-likeness. Great things are expected from this boat on the new route.

> Workingmen to be Represened. It is understood that the announcement will shortly be made of the appointment of a new assistant to the deputy com-Harold missioner of labor statistics. Baker, who is said to have resigned in deference to public opinion, left last evening for Alberni. The new assistant will be a representative workingman, and there are several applications for the position. The claim of the workingmen that they should be represented the bureau has brought about the change. The government stated when the present appointments were only temrepresentations were made to them that porary.

We Are Glad That the "Pain Killer" is having large a sale in our city. We have every reason to believe it to be an almost never-failing cure for pain, and is a medicine that no family should be without. Only 25c. for a big bottle.

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

A gold institute sued William Burns of Ottawa for \$75 for professional services. Burns pleaded that he had not been cured of the alcohol habit. Judge tute, but by request judgment was given to allow the prosecution to put in further evidence.

The recent decision of the postoffice ranged, and as a consequence the affair department states that circulars, printwent along without a hitch. Too much ed or otherwise, produced in imitation of praise cannot be given the ladies' com- type-writing, may be allowed to pass at mittee for their indefatigable work year a one cent for two ounces rate when at least 50 copies in exactly identical terms their appreciation by attending the ball are handed in at the postoffice at one time. When such circulars are posted in

A further dispatch from England says Alexander Wilson, vice-president; W. M. that only one animal, ex steamship Huron, showed symptoms of the disease, Baker. Floor managers, Joshua Da-vics, F. B. Gregory, H. D. Helmcken slaughter. Mr. Hunting, an eminent veterinary surgeon, who was engaged by the Canadian government, says the appearances presented by the lungs of this animal were similar to previous cases, and, in his opinion, the disease is

not pleuro. Sanford Fleming is leaving Australia for Canada via England, By his visit the Pacific cable project was forcibly brought to the notice of the Australian governments.

At Welland assizes Mrs. Elgin Misener recovered a verdict of \$2,000 damages for the death of her husband, caught in a frog and killed at Montrose last spring.

The Winnipeg Women's Christian Temperance Union proposes prosecuting tobacconists who sell cigarettes to boys who are under age, as it is against the law.

Mr. Peter Redpath has made an offer of a yearly donation of \$5,000 for maintenance of the new library of McGill college, to be opened by the governorgeneral on the 31st.

The Montreal civic electric railway has reported in favor of granting the belt line railway permission to erect an elevated road on Delorimer avenue, Ontario. St. Catharine, Craig and St. James streets (when the latter was widened) placing the structure from curb to curb. with a clear headway of 21 feet; the present railway to be allowed to use the inderside of the girder for its trollew wires. The company is to pay yearly the sum of \$2,000 per mile and begin work before June 1st, 1894.

SHORT LOCALS. Gleanings of City and Provincial News In a Condensed Form.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) -Rev. E. Robson held special services at Jubilee Hospital on Sunday.

The shipments of ore from since Aug. 4th last amount to 643 tons. -Ah Lee and Ah Son were arrested this morning for stealing potatoes from

Won Lucy. The sons and daughters of St. George enjoyed a social at Temperance Hall last night.

-George O. Sanburn, general manager

of the Sonoma Preserve Company, of Petaluma, Cal., is at the Driard. -The ladles' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. met yesterday and made further arrangements for the fair which they in tend to give on Dec. 5th and 6th. -Victoria got her first fall of snow this It hardly deserved that name

melting as soon as it fell. The little storm lasted half an hour. -At a meeting of the Y. P. L. A. of the First Presbyterian church last evening the first issue of the Irresponsible was read. It proved very amusing.

The Y. P. A. of the Central church had a novel social last evening. Every member made a five minute speech upon some subject drawn at random from a

-The members of the Victoria lacross club waited on Mrs. A. E. Machaughton last evening and presented her with a silk umbrella as a souvenir of the recent eastern trip.

-It is reported on the Sound that the steamer City of Kingston is to be taken off the Victoria run and the steamer North Pacific put on in her stead. It is not believed here that anything of the kind will be done. The public meeting to be addressed

by Hon. Messrs. Foster and Angers will begin at 8 o'clock sharp to-night. In the item in this column yesterday referring to the meeting "Thursday" should have read "Tuesday." -Revival services were commenced on Sunday evening at the James Bay Methodist church and will be continued all Rev. E. Rebson, the pastor, and

Mrs. D. Robson, of New Westminster. are conducting the revival. -The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospixtal were busy all day decorating Assembly Hall for the annual charity ball, to be held to-morrow

evening. They have sold a large number of tickets and expect the usual at--After the services at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral to-morrow night there will be a special collection taken up for the clergy of the church, It is the only remuneration which they receive for their services for the entire year, and it is thought that the collec-

tion will be a very large one. -Offers will be received by the as signees L. Goodacre and H. Saunders up till Nov. 4th for the house and good will of the Colonial Metropole ho-There are 82 bedrooms, parlors, bathrooms, large dining, bar and billiard rooms in the house. It is centrally located and offers a good chance for a ho-

tel man. -Another popular concert in aid of the royal navy sailors will be given on Wednesday, Nov. 1st, at Blue Ribbon Hall, Esquimalt. Songs, instrumental music and sketches by members of the fleet and others from town. No charge for admission. Tickets admit to retion will be taken up. In future these concerts will

given at least fortnightly. -Dr. Frizelle, a well known Port Angeles physician, is said to have left that place to avoid creditors and to be in seclusion on this side of the line. Fri zelle claimed to have come from a fine Irish family and always told his creditors that he was expecting a remittance from home. Before leaving Port Angeles hë interested some people in a mining proposition, which it is now claimed was scheme to cheat.

-Billy Stevens, drunk, was convicted in the police court this morning of being in possession of whiskey. Two Johnny and James Bissett months. were each fined \$5 for being drunk. John Carras was too drunk to be tried and his case was remanded till Wednesday. The case of Frank Weroe, who was charged by his wife with assaulting her, was heard and dismissed. Husband and wife swore contrariwise.

-The Puget Sound Lighthouse Board has recommended that the U.S. government place a lightship off Umatilla reef near Cape Flattery. The point mentioned is a dangerous one, and a ship going on there has no possible chance of escape: The lightship would cost \$80,000, but it is held that it would be a great aid to navigation. British has given a description of his assailants to the police. efitted by such a work.

-Ernest A. Pauline, bookkeeper at the hardware store of Matthew, Richards & Tye, was "held up" Sunday morning at Finlaison's bridge. 'holder up" and Pauline clenched Pauline, who is somewhat of an athlete, soon had his assailant on the ground. A fierce struggle ensued, and the "holder up" managed to get lose from the grasp of Mr. Pauline and took to his heels Mr. Pauline's only wound is a slight

facial bruise. -Ald. Styles has a very poor opinion of the city police force, and he expressed it last night in council when the new pound by-law was up for consideration. It was at the section in the by-law that made it the duty of every policeman to arrest any horse, ass, mule, ox, bull, cow, swine, hog, sheep, goat, dog, goose, duck, turkey cock or hen that said policeman might find running at large. Beaven asked if this section should pass. Ald. Styles believed that he would vote giving the police a chance to catch something. They seemed unable to catch men perhaps they might catch quadrupeds

and feathered bipeds. -The city hall clock had scarcely finshed sounding the hour of noon when a fire alarm from Box 25, Chinatown, was turned in. The brigade was soon on the spot. The fire was in the laundry of Chong Yuen, Fisgard street, behind the market building. The flames had got good headway, and were threat ening an adacent building. Several streams were quickly got into action and one stream was played on buildings in the vicinity to keep the fire from spread ing. The fire burned for two hours. Damage \$400. It is said that there was \$500 in notes and gold in a safe in the building. The police have charge, and whatever is saved is being placed in

their custody. (From Wednesday's Daily.) -The venue of the Morton assault case has been changed to Vancouver. -Although it is generally believed

among railway people that rates will be

the local agents have received no advices from the general offices of their respective roads.

The Nymphe is likely to leave Esquimalt Saturday. The Melpomene will not leave until the beginning of next -A collection of butterflies, comprising 70 varieties and several hundred speci-

mens, has been added to the provincial The steamer Quadra left for nainland at 7:30 this morning instead

of 9, and some of those who intended to go up on her were not present in -Lee Wah, who was this entenced to six months hard labor for theft, will be examined for leprosy. It

is thought that he is suffering -To-day being All Saints day there were special services in the Episcopal and Catholic churches. At the Roman Catholic cathedral to-night a collection for

the clergy will be taken up. -Lee Wah and Leong Hong Sue were each sentenced in the police court this morning to six months' hard labor for stealing a stove from Wong Loy. John Carres, drunk, was fined \$5.

-The Northen Pacific steamer Taco ma will sail for Yokohama on Friday. She is now receiving her cargo at Ta-She will coma as rapidly as possible. likely take the mails this trip. -A special constable has been detailed to hunt up the "hold up" case of the

bluejacket who met with footpads the Esquimalt road last evening and was robbed of \$8 and bratally beaten. The Ladies' Auxiliary of Jubilee Hospital give a lunch at Assembly Hall to-morrow between the hours of 12 and 2:30 p. m. The money realized will go to swell the fund raised by to-night's ball and there should be a large attendance. -The inland revenue returns for Octoher follow:

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 Spirits
 2,380 80

 Malt
 2,586 80

 Tobacco
 4,562 63

 Cigars
 915 90

 Inspection Pretroleum
 193 28

 \$16,446 62

The Royal Templars of Temperance spent a pleasant time last night. The following programme was rendered: Song, Mr. Booth; club swinging, Miss Murray; reading, Miss McGregor; dialogue, Victoria West amateurs; song, Miss O'Neil, and dialogue, Victoria West Dramatic Society. -Rehearsals are going on for the pro

duction of two scenes from "Rob Roy" on the 9th of the month. Sergt. Mellon is entering into the affair enthusiastical-The Tolbooth scene will be an entertaining one and should draw a good The I. O. O. F., M. U., are cohouse. operating with the Sir William Wallace society in this effort. The concert prom-

ises to be a good one -The jewelry store of William Jenkinson, 61 Johnson street, was broken into late last night and 60 wateres were stolen. The rear door was very inse cure and it would be an easy matter to effect an entrance. One of the watches was valued at \$150. Mr Jenkinson cannot place an exact value on the watches, but thinks about \$600 would be a conservative estimate.

(From Thursday's Daily.) -Commencing to-day the public schools open at 9:30 a. m. and close at 3 p. m. -It is expected the transcontinental railways will raise rates about Nov. 15. cabinet social.

-Salt Spring island has two inches of -Constable McNeill, of the provincial police, has been stationed at Plumper's Pass for the winter.

-H. D. Helmcken has handed to the directors of the Jubilee Hospital \$100, the annual subscription of Mrs. Finlay-

-Over \$180,000 in cash has been paid into the city treasury during the past week, Tuesday being the heaviest day

for payments. The little folk of the First Presbyterian church Sunday school gave a social last evening in aid of the Y. M. C. A.; \$30 was netted.

-To-day is All Souls' day and there were masses at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral this morning in observance of it. -Contractors all over the United States and Canada are reckoning on the

new government buildings. A deposit

of \$20 is required for the full set of plans. The blueiacket Stratford, who robbed and beaten by footpads on Thursday night, is not seriously injured. He

-Constable Redgrave arrested klootchman this afternoon with two bottles of whiskey in her possession. "Bob"

Williams, who gave her the liquor, was The also apprehended. -A man accidentally got hold of another's coat coming down on the Premier last night. He is at the Dominion

Hotel, where the owner of the coat can find him at any time. -Blue Ribbon hall, Esquimalt, was

last evening the scene of another entertainment in aid of the Royal Naval Sailors' Rest. A good programme was enjoyed by the large number present. -John N. Finn, chosen some time ago as bandmaster of the artillery band, has returned to the city, and will organize the band this week. Mr. Finn desires

to begin practicing as soon as possible.

-The junior Association Football club will give a concert in the Y. M. C. A. on November 17th to raise funds for the trip to Nanaimo on Thanksgiving Day. The boys promise a good entertainment. William John Marsden, a native of London, Eng., aged 63, died yesterday. He has lived in the province 30 years The funeral will take place to-morrow at 1:30 from the house, North Road, Spring

-Acting Health Officer Dr. John A. Duncan and Sanitary Inspector Murray visited the Darcey island lazaretto yesterday on the steamer Alert. Winter provisions were taken up for the lepers, all of whom are doing as well as could be expected. They have raised a large quantity of produce this year. -Antoine Teday was arrested by Ser-

Ridge.

geant Langley and Policeman Hatcheson, of the provincial police, last night. Teday was fishing at the Gorge with He had a quantity of small sala net. mon in the boat. He was tried before Captain Gaudin this morning, the nets forfeited and a fine of \$10 imposed.

-A recent dispatch from Washington quotes United States Consul Myers as stating sealskins were selling at \$15. Mr Myers says he has been misquoted. What he said in his dispatch to Washrestored now that the Fair is over, ington in July was that skins were sellHighest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Baking ABSOLUTELY PURE

ing at from \$11 to \$15, the price generally obtained being nearer \$11 han \$15. his thigh. -Among the ruins of the Chinese laundry, Fisgard street, the firemen found a young kitten. It was wet and

not even scorched. The kitten was removed to the fire hall and has already ome one of the pets of the institution -Two of the strongest young men in the city, amateur emulators of Sandow and Cyr, will engage in a weight lifting contest at the Leander baths this even-Both have been training hard and excessively muscular. The floor

cold but although it had been in the

shack during the whole of the fire it was

has been specially strengthened for their benefit. -After the Salvation Army and the revivalists had finished their meetings on Yates street last evening a party of 10 sailors held a mock meeting, which was much enjoyed by the crowd of idlers who congregated. The leader, who had been imbibing rather freely, with tears

in his voice, exhorted all to adjourn to

a neighboring saloon. There was a large audience at the atre last night to see "The Laughing Miss Lipman redeemed the whole show, proved herself a clever actress, a pretty woman who knows how to make the best use of her good looks, and won all the applause. The play itself about as insipid as a stale banana, and what is not so is silly.

-At the last regular meeting of Victoria West lodge, I. O. G. T., the following officers were installed: C. T., Sister A. Andrews; V. T., Bro. D. McDonald; S., Brother W. Earl; A. S., Sister E. Andrews; F. S., Brother H. Wilson; Brother J. Park: M., Bro. M. Henderson; D. M., Sister J. Macdonald; G., Bro. A. Talbot; Sentinel, Brother W. Furman; C., Sister R. Semple; P. C. T., Bro. J. T. Williams.

The season of navigation on the lakes by the Northern Steamship Company will lose in two or three weeks. The last day for receiving freight for it on this east will be Nov. 7, in Boston and other New England points, Nov. 4, and at New York and Philadelphia, Nov. 11. The last steamer westbound will leave Buffalo on Nov. 18, and the last boat eastbound will probably leave West Superior on December 4 or 5, about the same date as in previous years.

-The Y. W. C. T. U. held a meeting Temperance hall last evening, when they completed organization under Mrs. Teague as superintendent. The followng officers were duly installed: President. Miss Fawcett: Vice-President, Miss Grant; Secretary, Miss Fox: Treasurer, Miss Teague. It was decided to hold a public mass meeting in Temperance ing with private friends in Vancouver. -The social at the Centennial Methodist church will be a "cobweb," not a the aims and objects of the society will ser by G. E. Conbould, M. P., Mayor be explained and an opportunity given to both ladies and gentlemen to unite frost and Vancouver was visited by with the organization. The programme on that evening will be excellent, and a

sociable time is expected. -Last night the poultry show was devoted to Cornish Indian games, long known in England as the best general purpose fowl and new acknowledged by Canadian and American fanciers as the strongest rival to the great American production, the Plymouth rock. J. B. Carmichael showed a cock and hen, not for competition, from the yards of E. Strike, the champion breeder of England, and B. Merritt won first on cock and hen with a pair of Agitators, the leading American strain. The difference tween the strains was quite noticeable. showing how the Americans are already running away from the correct type. The 1st cockerel, 88 1-2 and pullet, 90 1-2 shown by R. Menaugh were half English and half Agitator, and 2nd pullet. 88, by R. Merritt, was pure Agitator. There were also several pit game shown, a very useful bird for the farmer. The meeting next week will be devoted to the reading of papers on poultry raising and no birds will be shown.

VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, Oct. 31.-Captain Hughes, of Scott & Hughes, auctioneers was married yesterday. Miss Green, of Cardiff, was the bride.

W. R. Gourley, who will act as immigrant inspector here until the arrival of Mr. Sener, the regular appointee arrives. He occupied a similar position at Port Townsend.

The Y. M. C. A. has obtained an extension of a fortnight for repayment of the loan of \$20,000. They think they will be able to raise the amount.

Thomas Rain Walker, agent of the Australian steamers at Honolulu, is here, and confirms the report that Captain Stott was not to blame for the stranding of the Miowera. He says that if the weather continues moderate she will be got off. He says prospects of trade are bright, and Honolulu merchants will support the line. The contract between the San Francisco sugar refinery and the planters terminates in three years and he expects a large trade will be done then

in sugar. Ald. Herring tendered his resignation at the last Westminster council meeting because the council will not settle his claim for damages to property. The Westminster council has passed a

resolution of condolence for the family of Mayor Harrison, Chicago. The health committee here intend to commence a crusade against Chinese over-crowding.

Owing to the prevalence of typhoid fever in this city the doctors have been ordered to report all cases to the medical health officer. Vancouver, Oct. 31.-A Japanese syndicate has purchased Buse's saw mill

The syndicate owns extensive timber limits on the Sound and expect to do an extensive trade with Japan. The price paid was 45,000 yen. During Tuesday morning's gale Capt. Copp's yacht, Amelia, sank. No other

damage to shipping was reported. A meeting of delegates from the prorincial Rugby clubs will be held to-morrow to organize a provincial Rugby union.

There was a heavy frost last night James O'Brien, a dancing master, fell

from a step ladder yesterday, breaking

The steamer Capilano leaves this even ing for a halibut fishing cruise, under charter for a Westminster company. The Norwegian ship Germanic arrived this morning to load lumber at the Hastings mill for England. In Westminster the first snow of the eason fell yesterday.

The Westminster Golf Club is being organized. Last night James Faulkner, of Westham Island, married Miss Mary Mathe son, sister of Alexander Matheson this city.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas Scouler. The customs returns for last month show a decrease of \$9,903.74 in revenue. but an increase of \$535.19 in exports owing to the heavy shipments of

Provincial Policeman Calbick's hou at Moodyville was burned this morning Only a little furniture was saved. Loss \$1,000: a defective flue was the cause Evan Thomas succeeded Goldschmid as lessee of the Vancouver opera house to-day. Goldschmidt will continue as

business manager. Customs returns for October: Collections, \$34,922.99: exports, \$110.698: inland revenue collections, \$10,472.72. Vancouver, Nov. 2.-Wm. Blaney, logger, died yesterday of typhoid fever. He was the first settler on Hernando island. R. G. Penn, American commissioner of immigration, arrived last night. His commission covers the whole prov but he will make his headquarters here, as his principal duties are in connection

with the Chinese. Wm. Steel, a dyer, was found dead last night in a cabin. He had been dead at least 24 hours and was on drunken spree just previously. He has a daughter in Nanaimo and a wife and daughter in Portland. No inquest The first snow of the season fell this

morning. J. E. Wise of Westminster is erecting large slaughter house in Burnaby. Mrs. Chas. Robinson died yesterday after a lengthy illness. Deceased was formerly a telephone operator: The comic opera "Pinafore"

given shortly by amateurs. The Westminster junior football men have received a challenge from the Golden City club of San Francisco to play at the Midwinter Fair. The Westminster men are considering the matter Ministers Foster and Angers paid the Royal City a flying visit last evening. but evidently did not think Westminster of sufficient importance to hold a public meeting. The ministers spent the evenbers of the board of trade, and the desired improvements to the river shown ministers left this

THE MARKETS

A Short Summary Covering Articles Pro-

duced by the Farmer. The markets were quiet all week although trade has been up to the standard. Imported eggs are quoted 5 cents a dozen higher than last week and cauliflower is marked up. The latter is very scarce just now. Receipts of island produce are fair, but of course it is the old story. The bulk of the supply comes from the outside. Of course British Columbia garden truck and fruit are later than that raised in California and the latter gets the advantage on time, but there is nevertheless room for the home producer. There are "farmers on Vancouver Island who eat California outter, drink condensed milk and Chicago hams and bacon. Retail prices are below:

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Fruits—Apples, per lb.
Oranges (navel), per doz.
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