Provincial Association

The British Columbia Annual Meet at Nanaimo Opens Auspiciously.



Victor Youngsters Make Brave Showing on the First Day.

4. M. BELLING CALLES TO VALUE OF Names of Those From Whom the D. R. A. Team Will Be Selected.

which will which

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, July 21.-A heavy downpour of rain marred the opening day of the B. C. Rifle Association. Showers descended at frequent intervals throughout the day much to the disappointment of the Nanaimo riflemen, who had taken great pains to insure a pleasant meet, and to the chagrin of the marksmen, who were anxious to make big scores.

Major Bennett, of Vancouver, is range officer and the shooting is proceeding under him with gratifying promptness and dispatch. The executive committee consists of Lieut.-Col. Gregory, of Victoria: George Pittendrigh, of Nanaimo; Lieut, Duff Stuart, of Vancouver, and Corporal Sloan, of New Westminster.

Dr. Corpuler, or the U. S. revenue cutter McCulloch, which is coaling at Departure Bay, has attended the matches His men were invited to participate, but it was found impossible for them to do

The entries comprise 58 competitors distributed as follows: Victoria, 24: Nanaimo, 10; Vancouver, 14; and Westminster, 10. Yesterday morning was devoted to practising at the 800 and 900-yard langes.

The Tyro match brought honors Victoria boys, Bomb. Walt Winsby making a full score of seven bulls-eyes, while A. W. Currie took second place. The following was the score:

NO. 1.-TYRO MATCH. Restricted to those who have not at any previous meeting of the B.C.R.A. won a prize of \$3 or more, exclusive of extra series or nursery prizes, and who have not won a prize at any other Provincial, Dominion or National meeting. 500 yards, 7 shots. Entrance feet, 60 cents, including sighting shot.

4 00-Bombr. Currie, Victoria...... 33 2 00-Bombr. Taylor, Vancouver ... 3 00-M. Miller, Nanaimo..... 2 50-J. Webb, Victoria.... 2 50 -Gr. Boult, Vancouver..... 2 50-Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver 2 50-Gr. Chapman, Vancouver..... 2 00-Gr. Graham, Vancouver..... 2 00 Gr. Caven, Victoria.... 2 00-Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo.... 2 00-Gr. Peele, Westminster. 2 00-Lieut. Tite, Vancouver ... 2 00-Gr. Lobman, Westminster

WESTMINSTER MATCH.

Cup and \$8-Corp. Richardson, Victoria 48 \$7 00-Bombr. Currie, Victoria 47 6 00-R. Adam, Nanaimo 4 00-Corp. H. J. Ferris, Vancouver... 47 4 00 J. Slack, Nanaimo. 46 3 00 Corp. P. M. Ferris, Vancouver, 46 3 00 Gunr. Chapman, Vancouver 46 3 00-Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria, 46 2 50 Gnnr. Craven. Victoria...... 45 Sgt. Lettice, Victoria 2 50 Lieut. Tite, Vancouver. 45 Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver 2 50-G. W. Carpenter, Nanaimo..... 44 44 Corp. Sloan, Westminster 2 50 Sergt, Lettice, Victoria..... 2 00 Gr. Boult, Vancouver 44 Sgt. Sharpe, Westminster 2 00-Gr. Miller, Westminster 44 R. Watson, Nanaimo 2 00-Lieut. Stuart, Vancouver ... 2 00 Capt. Fletcher, Victoria 48 2 00 W. H. Wall, Nanaimo. 43

2 00 Sergt. Moscrop, Vancouver. ... 43 RESTRICTED TO TYROS. 2 00 Bombr. Taylor, Vancouver 42 Gr. Miller, Westminster 2 00-M. Miller, Nanalmo ... dis..... 42 Gr. Burr, Westminster 2 00 Gr. Webb, Victoria 40 Gr. Peele, Westminster 2 00 Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo 40 Gr. Caven, Victoria 2 00-Gr, Hewlett, R. M. A..... 40 Bomb. Currie, Victoria The opening of the Nanaimo match was Bomb. Bodley, Victoria delayed by the heavy rain fall at the R. Adam, Nanaimo

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NANAIMO MATCH Cup and \$8-Sergt, McDougall, Victoria 63 Corp. Sloan, Westminster \$7 00-Lieut. Stuart, Vancouver 57 Lieut. Stuart, Vancouver 6 00-Jas. Slack, Nanaimo ... 5 00 Gr. Graham, Vancouver 4 60-Gr. Cuckou, Vancouver 4 00 Gr. Butler. Victoria 4 00 Cunningham, Westminster 55 Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver 3 00-3 00-Bichardson, Victoria Sloan, Westminster 3 00 Gr. Burr, Westminster 2 50-R. Adam, Nanaimo ... 2 50-Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver. 2 50-Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria..... 2 00-Gr. Duncan, Victoria

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2 00-Gr. Williams, Victoria Scotland Wins National Trophy. Bisley, July 21.-The Daily Graphic capital prize of £52, 10s, was competed for at the meeting of the National Rifle Association to-day. The winner was

The highest scores made by the Can-adian marksmen were as follows: Ross, Bertram and Sharpe, 3400 Fleming, Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver Gr. Butler, Victoria

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Crowe, Simpson, Ogg and Weatherbee Gr. Burr, Westminster The National Challenge Trophy for teams of twenty volunteers representing England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales

W. H. Wall. Nanaimo ...

Corp. Cunningham, Westminster ...

\$5 00-Bomb. Taylor, Vancouver ...

00-Gr. Boult. Westminster ...

2 00-Lieut. Tite, Vancouver'.

4 00—Gr. Caven, Victoria

00-G. W. Carpenter, Nanaimos. s.

2.00 Gr. Graham, Vancouver

2 00-Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo

2 00-W. Miller, Nanaimo

2 00-Bomb, Winsby, Victoria

\$10 00-Sgt. McDougall, Victoria

6 00-R. Watson, Nanaimo,

4 00-Sgt. Lettice, Victoria

3 00-Gr. Caven, Victoria .

3 00-Sgt. Kendall, Vancouver

2 00-Corp. P. M. Ferris, Vancouver.

8 00-Set. Moscrop, Vancouver

7 00-Sgt. Bailey, Victoria

6 00-J. N. Cameron, Nanaimo

5.00-G. W. Carpenter, Nanamon ...

5 00-G. E. Pittendrigh, Nanaimo ..

5 00-Gr. R. Wilson, Westminster

4 00-Corp. Richardson, Victoria ...

4 00-Lieut. Tite, Vancouver

3 00-Bomb, Fletcher, R. M. A.

3 00-Corp. Sloan, Westminster

3 00-Lieut, Duff Stuart, Vancouver,

3 00-Gr. Miller, Westminster

2 00-Bomb. Bodley, Victoria

2 00-C. H. Barker, Nanaimo

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2 00-Gr. Hewlett, R. M. A....

2 00—Corp. P. M. Ferris, Vancouver. 2 00—Gr. Brayshaw, Victoria

Cup and \$8-Gr. Miller, Westminster .

\$7 00-Sgt. Kendall, Vancouver

5 00-Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo

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3 00-Gr. Graham, Vancouver ...

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2 50-G. E. Pittendrigh, Nanaimo

2 50-Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver

2 50-Jas. Slack, Nanaimo

2 50-W. H. Wall, Nanaimo.:

2 00-Gr. Duncan, Victoria

2 50-Gr. Caven, Victoria

2 00-C H. Barker, Nanalmo

2 00-R. Watson, Nanaimo Vi.....

2 00-Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouvert.

2 00-Gr. R. Wilson, Westminster F. V.

2 00-Corp. Sloan, Westminster

Restricted to Tyros.

3 00-Sgt. McDougall, Victoria

4 00-Gr. Huston, Westminster

6 00-Bomb. Bodley, Victoria

VANCOUVER CORPORATION.

2 00-Bomb. Taylor, Vancouver

ALL-COMERS.

W. Carpenter, Nanaimo

TYRO AGGREGATE.

was won by the Scottish team. The scores were: Scotland, 1886; Engand, 1875; Wales, 1862; Ireland, 1842. Following are the scores made vester day, the second day of the Provincial Riffe Association meet

VICTORIA MATCH Cup and \$8-Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver. 6 \$7 00-Gr. Burr. New Westminster 6 00-Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver... 5 00-Corp. Sloan, New Westminster. 4 00 Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria 3 00-Sgt. Lettice. Victoria w 3 00-Gr. Wilson, New Westminster. 3 00-Corp. Richardson, Victoria 2 50-Gr. Butler, Victoria

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2 00-W. H. Wall, Nanaimo RESTRICTED TO TYROS. 2 00 Gr. Hewlett, R. M. A...... 2 00—G. W. Carpenter, Nanaimo..... 2 00—Corp. P. M. Ferris, Vancouver... 2 00-Bomb, Taylor, Vancouver

2 00-Bomb. W. Winsby, Victoria.... HELMCKEN MATCH Medal, cup and \$10-Br. Bodley, Vic... \$8 00-Bomb. Taylor, Vancouver 7 00-Gr. Miller, New Westminster. 6 00—Corp. Richardson, Mictoria, 91 6 00—Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver, ... 90 5 00-Lieut. Duff Stuart, Vancouver ... 16 5 00-Corp. Cunningham, Westminster 8 5 00 Sergt. Lettice, Victoria 4 00-Corp. Sloan, Westminster 4 00-Gr. Butler, Victoria 4 00-Sergt, Kendall, Vancouver 4 00-Gr. Houston, Westminster 3 00-Gr. Peele Westminster 3 00-G. W. Carpenter, Nanaimo. 3 00-Gr. Burr, Westminster

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2 00-Gr. Boult, Vancouver 2 00-Gr. Caven, Victoria 2 00-Gr. Chapman, Vancouver 2 00-Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo 2 00-M. Miller. Nanatmo The scores of the extra series were a follows

ELECTRIC RAILWAY CUP.

Sgt. Bailey 74

The scores of the extra

EXTRA SERIES 500 Yards.

.Thursday.

EXTRA SERIES-500 Yards.

Friday Morning.

EXTRA SERIES 400 Mards

Friday.

Corp. H. J. Ferris, Vancouver.....

Geo. Pittendrigh, Nanaimo

Bomb. Bodley, Victoria

Two 22's counted out

Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria.

Sgt. Kendall, Vancouver

Gr. R. Wilson, Westminster

Gr. Burr, Westminster

(From Monday's Daily.)

The prize meeting of the British Colum

series of matches which were very success-

ful, considering the untoward circum-

GRAND AGGREGATE.

Richardson, Victoria 360

stances marking the opening of the shooting. The final matches resulted as follows:

B.C.R.A. gold badge and sicoo cond

\$4 00-Sgt. McDougall, Victoria

3 00-Sgt. Lettice, Victoria

2 00-Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver.

2 00-Lt. Stuart, Vancouver

2 00-Gr. Duncan, Victoria

2 00-Gr. Caven, Victoria

3 00-Gr Miller, Westminster

2 00-R. Watson, Nanaimo .

2 00-C. H. Barker, Nanaimo.

an end on Saturday afternoon after

bia Rifle Association at Nanaimo came to

matches concluded to-day were:

Corp. Cunningham, Westminster

Corp. Richardson, Victoria

Gr. Huston, Westminster ...

Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria. . . .

One 22 counted out.

Four 22's counted out

2 00-Gr. Williams, Victoria 26 Gr. Miller \$5 00-Bombr. W. Winsby, Victoria.... 35 Corp. Cunningham 2 00-Gr. Lyons, R. M. A. 23 field." 32 Gr. Huston 2 00-Corp. P. M. Ferris, Vancouver. . 23 31 Gr. Peele PRESIDENT'S PRIZE. an Gr. R. Wilson 30 Sgt. Sharpe Corp. Wilson

A prize offered by Lieutenant-Governor McInnes, president and patron of the association, for the highest aggregate in the Corp. Sloan, Westminster (winner). 1. 191 Corp. Richardson, Victoria 187 Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver LAURIE BUGLE.

bers from each battalion, for the aggregate Carlo theatre. Beer bottles and nistells Bugle and \$10. Second Battalion 347

BENNETT MATCH. Five hundred vards: five shots in one The other scores, there being but two | Bennett, and \$25 added by the associateam prizes, were: Vancouver, 828; and tion:

> 5 75-Gr. Miller, Westminster 5 75-Sgt. S. Harper, Westminster ... 3 00-Gr. Butler, Victoria 3 00-Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver 3 00-Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo 2 00-Gr. Bodley, Victoria 2 00-Gr. Cuckou, Vancouver Dr. 2 00-Corp. Cunningham, Westminster 2 00-Corp. Sloan. Westminster 2 00-Gr. Turnbull, Westminster

Restricted to Tyros. 2 00-Gr. J. V. G. Williams, Victoria. 2 00-Gr. Lohman, Westminster ... ". 2 00-A. N. Cameron, Nanarmo 65-Lieut. Tite. Vancouver .

65-Gr. Webb, Victoria . W. In the match for places on the tenm from which the council will select the coutingent to represent the province at the D. R. A. matches at Ottawa, Gunner Dun-23 can, of Victoria, was entitled to compete 22 but was obliged to return to Victoria, and thus missed a place on it. The winners of the cash prizes in the concluding match for places in the team were:

\$6 00-Gr. Miller. Westminster 5 00-Sgt. Lettice, Victoria 4 00-Lieut, Duff Stuart, Vancouver" 3 00-Bomb. Bodley, Victoria 2 00-Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver ... The following are the top scorers from whom the the D. R. A. team will be selected:

Gr. Miller, Westninster Sgt. Lettice, Victoria Corp. Sloan, Westminster Corp. Richardson, Victoria Lleut. Stuart, Vancouver ... Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver Romb, Bodley, Victoria Homb. Taylor, Vancouver Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver ... Sgt. McDougall, Victoria Gr. Mortimer, Vancouver Gr. Butler, Victoria ... Corp. Cunningham, Westminster R Watson, Nanaimo C. H. Barker, Nanaimo dr. Caven, Victoria Wall Nanaimo

Gr. Burr. Westminster . G W. Carpenter, Nanaimo Lieut.-Colonel Gregory, of Victoria, presided at the annual business meeting of the association, which was held on Saturday. After routine business and the reception and endorsation of the 1eports of the secretary and treasurer, the showing a very satisfactory state of af-

Lieut. Duff Stuart, of Vancouver, then offered a resolution to the effect

cers of the active militia, the election of city will be full of visitors. the council should be deferred until later in the year, and that it be by written nomination and ballot. This was nega-

Gunner R. Wilson, of New Westminster, then moved to adjourn until five chair.

fate. It was to the effect that the re- district also. He owns several claims, Westminster and Nanaimo.

edly new aspect to the association's af- are being received. fairs, being a principle for which the major has been contending for some time. By this resolution it was decided that each locality be allowed to elect its own representatives on the council, and that the names of the councillors, so elected be handed in to the secretary not later than December 15th.

A committee consisting of Lieut.-Col. Gregory, Victoria; Lieut. Tite, Vancouver, and Gr. Miller, of New Westminster, was appointed to draft a new constitution, to be submitted to the incoming council, which takes office in January next.

A vote of thanks was passed to Major Bennet, range officer, for his cash prize of \$25, and to H. D. Helmcken, M.P.P., for his annual donation of the Dorothy gold medal, which was universally admired, and was won by Bomb. Bodley. Messrs. Bennet and Helmcken were made life members of the association by unanimous vote. In view of the fact that the executive of the association had not provided a trigger testing weight, it Hall, and there were nearly 200 guests.

The site of the next meet was not deeided upon, but the general feeling seemed to be that if Victoria secures a new range before next year the meet should Squire Bancroft, General A. Montgomery

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(From Friday's Daily.) -Advices from the interior are to the effect that Mr.R. E. Gosnell has purchased the Greenwood Miner and the job printing plant of the Greenwood Printing Company.

-The Yukon Miner of July 7th says: "Thomas Kains, late surveyor-general or 2 00-Gr. Boult, Vancouver 25 torian and will remain in the Klondike 2 00-Sgt. Nevin, Victoria 28 country for some time looking over the

> ternoon officiated as escort to a gold office to Challoner & Mitchell's store. It rich claims having been staked by the belonged to a Dirigo passenger from transportation companies

-Miners who have just reached here from Dawson tell of a bloody fight a night or so before they left, between Sullivan, of the Dominion Saloon and Proprietor Burpee of the Monte contestant being badly battered.

-Hon. Edgar Dewdney, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of the province, has returned from England, where he has been for some months engaged in the organization of a syndicate for the purpose of prosecuting mining enterprises in Canada generally and British Columbia paricularly. The syndicate is capitalized at £50,000, and the articles of incorporation are now being prepared.

-A quiet but pretty wedding was celebrated on Tuesday evening in St. John's church by the rector, Rev. Percival Jenns. The contracting parties were Mr. Ephraim Taylor, machinist in the Victoria Daily Times office, and Miss Marguerite May Wilson, formerly of Ottawa. Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom were present. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside in Victoria.

-The Colonist this morning states that the Trades and Labor Council at their last meeting adopted a resolution condemning the local government for not enforcing the alien labor law. This is a mistake. The resolution passed was one similar in tenor to those passed by the councils throughout the Dominion calling upon the Ottawa government to enforce the statutes relative to the nonemployment of aliens,

-Df. Fletcher, entomologist and botanist of the Dominion Experimental Farm, and Mr. D. Fraser, of Montreal, arrived last night from Vancouver whither Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, went to them. To-night, with the deputy minister. Dr. Fletcher addresses a meeting at Sannichton and to-morrow afternoon I will speak at Cowichan, finishing the day at Metchosin. Meetings will be held on the island until the 30th of the month, after which the party will go to the Mainland.

-As mentioned in vesterday's Times the meeting of the Presbytery of Victoria was held in the afternoon. The call from Berlin, Ont. to Rev. A. B. Win-403 chester, was considered and final action Mr. Luxton on Monday assumes charge postnoned for two weeks, at Mr. Winchester's request. Rev. Alexander Fraser was re-admitted into the ministry of Government street. the church. Mr. Fraser was formerly minister of the Comox Presbyterian church for six years and has spent the ast six years as pastor of the church at hearty vote of thanks was tendered by Francisco, which did not arrive at the San Pedro, Sonthern California. He is the church to Mrs. Dr. Lang for her efnow a resident of Henry street, and will ficient services as organist during the resume work in British Columbia after past year. Ill health has compelled her a much-needed rest.

-Indications point to a very large at endance from neighboring cities on Societies' Day here, and already excursion arrangements are being made from Sound Wainland and Island points. Communications received from Seattle was disposed of, by the committee indicate that there will probably he two eventsion hoats from ceived too late to verify from Seattle, the that place. New Westminster and Van-couver are also bestirring themselves to accommodate the quota of visitors who

345 D. O. C., that all executive officers of the Nanaimo people expect to charter been occasioned there by the the association, as well as a majority of both a train and a boat for the day. a gold ledge in Alexander Bay, at the association, as well as a majority of the council, should be commissioned offi- Should all these plans be carried out the miles from Wrangel. H. Stuart

-A letter received from Atlin dated June 28th says that a miner named Blenkinsop who had located on Discov- The ledge has a width of about 1 ery. Wright creek, had taken out 196 on the face, the mineral value of ounces in 10 days. The letter further o'clock, of the same day, and this a's) stated that a shipment of over 73 ounces may run into hund else of was defeated by the casting vote of the of Atlin gold had already been made to Should the assay prove as satisf the coast. From another source it is is anticipated, work will be starte A third resolution, moved by Major learned that ex-Ald. Shaw, of Vancou-Williams, of Victoria, suffered a similar ver is having a run of luck in the Atlin attle and Victoria. presentation on the council be the same and it is stated that lately he has been as heretofore, namely, six for Victoria cleaning up in the vicinity of \$200 per Young, who was killed yesterd; and three each for Vancouver, New day. The water is rising rapidly in E. & N. railway between Haslan many of the creeks and has stopped tion and Chemainus were brough Major Williams' next resolution was more kindly received, and gives a decid-digging is still in progress good reports moved to Hanna's parlors. The

> -Among those who awaited the ar- been received from deceased's rival of the Garonne at Vancouver was containing instructions to that eff. Detective Evan McMurtie, of Boston, who had handcuffs for the wrists of Fred brakeman in coupling some cars who Moore, formerly teller of the National Bank of Commerce, of Boston, who left his body, breaking the left leg and the east in May of 1898 with \$50,000 of eral ribs and cutting the left arm of the bank's money. Moore was traced to never recovered consciousnes and the Klondike, and was watched from the before medical assistance could time he arrived at Arctic City three him. Mr. Young was 39 years months ago, until he took passage for Vancouver on the Garonne. There was dent of Victoria for about eight y a reward of \$5,000 offered for his arrest, and fearing that he would be called upon to divide it with the Vancouver police. Mc Murtie did not ask them for assistance. Had he done so he might have been more successful. As it was the ex-teller slipped from the steamer and left for-?

-The menu of the Dominion Day din- ished, for the accommodation of the pr ner in London has been received at the Times office. The banquet took place at the Trocadero restaurant. Empire was decided to suspend its use for this Rt. Hon. Lord Stratheona and Mount Royal, G.C.M.G., was the chairman, having on his right Lord Aberdeen and on his left the Marquis of Lorne, Among the guests were Hon. Edward Blake, Sir is be held here. It is five years since it Moore, Colonel Baker, M.P.P., and A. H. Scaife, formerly of Victoria. The made by the C. P. N. Co. will, it is toast list was a short one, there being in | pected, be prepared with a report, and addition to the usual loyal healths, "The the city engineer has some important Dominion of Canada." proposed by the suggestions to make, chairman and responded to by Lord Aberdeen: "Our Guests," proposed by General J. Wimburn Laurie, M.P., and responded to by Rt. Hon. Lord Ampthill and Sir Julian Salamons, agent-general for New South Wales; and "The Chairman." proposed by the Marquis of

-H. F. W. Behnsen, who went to the Klondike when the rush commenced, reurned on the Garonne, and came over from Vancouver last evening. He reports the Victorians in Dawson doing well, although there are fully a thousand men there out of work and eagerly seek-British Columbia, came down on the Vic- ing it at \$1 an hour. Mr. Behnsen estimates the output at \$15,000,000. A quartz ledge had been found on White Owl mine, No. 68 Hunker, 58 feet below the surface, a few days before Mr. Behn--Provincial Constable Atkins this af- sen left Dawson, and the rock is so rich that an assay of thousands of dollars brick worth \$8,000 or \$9,000, which was to the ton is expected. Mr. Behnsen transferred from the government assay says Cane Nome is no good, the few

The Lippey party, which arrived from the north on the Garonne, transferred toria at 2 o'clock, leaving Duncans their treasure to the S. & I. train at Van- | the return trip at 8 p.m. Return tickets. couver on Wednesday morning. The which will be sold at the Victoria Sta scene, as the transfer was being made, was an animated one. The members of | Co.'s. are limited in number, and those the party walked around the wagon in wishing to go should file application short circles, with revolvers sticking in early. The tickets are sold at 50 cents their belts, as a cool half million dollars each. The entire proceeds are for the in dust was being loaded into the express | tenefit of the Orphanage, and the excurwagon. The Bank of Commerce also transferred \$1,000,000 in dust in boxes, and management of the ladies' auxiliary each containing 4,000 ounces. This gold went direct to Seattle. The mixed train took place on Saturday afternoon the the richest that has ever left Vancouver. There was \$2,000,000 in the mail car alone, surrounded by three armed men, while the 250 miners who occupied the conches carried another million in drafts and gold dust.

-Two young gentlemen of this city have just returned from a cycle tour to Alberni and back, making use of the train as far as Nanaimo. After spending two days at the Alberni hotel they made their farthest point north, 137 miles, at the extreme end of Sproate Lake, which lies 31 mifles south of the great central lake, surrounded with Micking, Thos. Shotbolt, W. W. Northsnow peaked mountains. It is an agreeable surprise for cyclists to find in this remote spot a charming summer resort. with every facility for enjoyment, in fishing, hunting, boating and scenery lifficult to surpass, viz., the Hotel Reeve. The roads at this time of the year are not to be recommended for eling; one of the party came badly to grief in company with his machine, on steep grade near Mount Arrowsmith. the road in six miles ascending 1,768

feet. (From Saturday's Daily.) -Rev. Canon Beanlands on Wednesay united in marriage Mr. M. K. Reyolds, of Halifax, N. S., and Miss Brenda Nickells, daughter of Captain John Nickells, of Liverpool.

-The contract for supplies to the proincial gaol for the current year have been awarded as follows: Fuel, Baker & Colston; groceries, Erskine, Wall & .; meat, Porter & Sons; bread, L. Dickenson. -F. S. Taggart and N. P. Luxton, of Vancouver, were passengers from the

Terminal City on yesterday's Islander. of the stock exchange now being conducted by Messrs. Taggart & Co. on -At a meeting of Calvary Baptist church on Thursday evening last, a lenger on the steamer Puebla from San

resignation, and Mrs. W. H. Beaty has been appointed to succeed her. -It is reported that a well known oung woman of Victoria attempted to commit suicide in Seattle yesterday. She s said to be in the hospital there now, the attempt on her life having been unsuccessful. Owing to the news being re-

name of the young woman is withheld. -News has reached here from Wranthat in view of the demand made by the are likely to come across the Gulf, and gel that considerable excitement has

ley, who located the claim last May cently brought into Wrangel s specimens of quartz rock, and ha them to Tacoma to secure a mill at an average depth of twentyorce, Mr. Brimley is well known in

-The remains of the late Georg shipped this evening on the Portland, Oregon, a telegram appears that Young was assist slipped and fell, the cars passing and a native of Pennsylvania, and Eastern Oregon, and his relatives rein that state.

(From Monday's Daily.) -The C. P. R. Company in the which they have drafted for their telegraph offices in Vancouver have signed a special room, luxuriously correspondents of the city. A sin step on the part of the telegraph panies in Victoria would be appreci by the knights of the quill here

-Although no notices have been give of any motions to be brought up at the evening's meeting of the city council s probable that some important bus will be transacted. The special comm tee appointed to enquire into the propos

-The marriage took place today at the residence of Mr. H. G. Hall, Saanie road, of Thomas E. Hunter, of the e trical works in Vancouver, and Mrs Annie Snellgrove, of Coburn. The cere mony was performed by Rev. W. I Barraclough, B. A., in the presence small party of friends. The newly we ded pair take the Islander to-night for Vancouver, where they will reside.

-Reports comes from Atlin which dicate that a former Victorian had : very narrow escape at Atlin City. Mr. W. J. Conelly who was formerly man ager of the Vivtoria Metallurgical Works was completely enveloped in fire as a result of the explosion of a can of alcoho All the exposed parts of his person were singed, and Mr. Conell escaped serious injury only by rushing into the lake

-The E. & N. Railway Company have kindly placed a special train at the dis posal of the Protestant Organage for the purpose of giving the children of Protestant Orphanage on outing to Duncans. The excursion has been set for August 1st, and the train will leave Vic tionery Co.'s store, and at Hibben &: sion will be under the personal direction

-The funeral of the late Dixi H. Ross cortege being the largest in the city for a long time. At 2.30 the process ceeded to St. Andrew's Church, where a simple but touching service was conduct ed by the pastor Rev W. Leslie Clay Every token of respect was paid to one who has played such an important part in the city's commercial life In addi tion to the immediate friends of the de ceased the bier was followed by the B. C. Pioneers, Vancouver Quadra Lodge. A., F. & A. M., and W. O. W., while all the grocers drew their blinds dring the progress of the funeral. Those who cott, D. Wilson, ex-Ald, Glover, J. E. Phillips and J. B. Lovell.

-Conservative estimates of the number of people expected to visit Victoria on August 19th, Societies Day, place at 3,000. Chairman Phil. R. Smith. the general arrangements committee. received word from Vancouver that meeting attended by representatives most of the societies in the Term City has been held to consider the advisability of running an excursion to Vic toria on the day, and a committee was appointed to make arrangements for suitable steamer. An excursion w run from Nanaimo, while from What com and Port Angeles large delegations will come. The need of a suitable boat is causing some hesitation in Tacoma and Seattle, but it is hoped that difficulty may yet be overcome. The general committee meets again to-morrow even inc. when reports from sub-committees will be received and a delegate appoint ed to visit Seattle and Tacoma to advertise the affair and ensure an attendance from these cities.

On Saturday evening the Dominion Hotel was the scene of a very quiet but pretty wedding. The contracting par ties were Daniel Albert Munroe, P. R. engineer of Vancouver, and Lizzin Wilkins, of Nevada City, Cal. The wedding took place rather late in the evening, as the bride elect was a pass outer wharf till late After a little of lay necessary upon so recently travell the ceremony was performed amid cir cumstances as nearly homelike as cou be to the happy couple in a city, for the genial proprietor of the Do minion Hotel, Mr. Steve Jones, had pla ed his own private sitting room. tastily furnished and adorned, at disposal of the wedding party. Rev. Geo. F. Swinnerton performed ceremony. The happy couple left Vancouver last evening, where they expect to make their home, as Mr. Munro is engineer on the C. P. R. run from

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CRANBRO W. H. Bullock-Webs police department has tions to proceed with \$1,000 jail in Cranbrod

Haying operations are way, and the farmers he district, report hea A. B. MacNeil, princi Ward public school, few days in the city Business men repor town at present, encement of the havir drains out all the from the city. The new siding, whi has put in for the co flour mill and the sash

now about complet

ASHCROF A severe storm structhe Bonaparte on Thu some damage to ranch creek, Mr. Jas. Campl perhaps more injured Irrigating ditches were vel, and the road und Cache creek was quite Dr. Williams was ca ernment Agent Burr la Lytton and hold an i found in the Thompson miles above the junction on with the Fraser. was found by the Indian that of the Chinaman croft the 1st of the m remembered that a Cache creek, who was and drowned himself of month, jumping delibe Thompson in presence spectators. It was four

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badly fractured t

iday was the cele anniversary of th Union, No. 38, W ners. The day had holiday by May roclamation was d by all classes of men took part in paseball field, when red, followed by Il in the evening n to a close. city has closed t of land adjoining This is to be t with the except will be set apart It is an ideal par er has surveyed a and the superint

s has been instruc walk so as to make than it is at pres John Jackson, Jr United States c nd. Dr. George resigned the posi KAMLOOF marriage of Mr. ster, N. Y., at the Michell officiatin

Margaret Larsen Larsen, of Vic sday morning eceased had bee time from he and came to Kan s 27 years of age
Juan Island, but
Her years in M
leaves two children, one
in the convent in Victo

A land slide of small curred three miles west Thursday. The damage a few hours. J. Durgan, who was a case before the magist was mot sent to jail as

orderly conduct; the n read Blaney. Al. Penzer, the popula ductor, with his wife a removed from Donald t reside.

On Tuesday evening la tise drill of the Kamloor Kootenay Rifles was pu donian grounds. Prom Vicars lined up 25 raw them through half an h he appointed Police Of take charge of one hal and put them through Snee was on the grou valuable assistance.

GREENWO Several real estate ti ported for the week. principally residential 1 being those who intend in the city.

Messrs. Knox and Mi a contract to build the thodist Church for \$1,1 ing when dedicated, inc for site, will represent Returning Officer T ourt house on Wedne from 12 o'clock until 2, forward to nominate a vacant aldermanic ser Ward. There are now the council, one in the in the South Ward. S has been unable ualified electors to There are plenty" of c the city, but they do no nected with municipal a sting conditions.—Time For the first time si

operation, Camp McK ther serious a uly 12th. Joe ssengers on om McKinney ort distance he leaders be stage pole. rted at a te Thos. Donald driver. He a ere turned inted. In the m known in Gre of the Victori t was reported cen. Other po