

been dismissed as umpire in the Northwestern Baseball League, and has been replaced by Wm. Huston, of Everett.

-The contract for building a new C. P. R. station at Revelstoke has been awarded to Messrs. Smith & Sherbourne of this city. The contract price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$26,000.

Steamer Telemachus, after discharging her Victoria cargo and receiving 125,000 feet of lumber from the Taylor Mill Company for Hongkong, cleared on Monday for Vancouver, for which port she has another shipment of European freight.

-John Sluggett, the owner of the largest farms in Saanich, who was in the city on Saturday, says that his district has suffered litle from the recent frosts. Crops are farther advanced than those of last year were two weeks later than

-David Smith, who has been residing on Johnson street for the last few weeks, died on Saturday evening. Deceased was 59 years of age and a native of Keithley, Yorkshire, Eng. He leaves a widow and family of three sons and four

-John Morris and another miner who have been working at the Lenora mine, Mount Sicker, are reported to have made a rich discovery of ore in the workings. The exact location is not known, but acabout \$40 to the ton.

The ship Christobal Solar is coming to the Royal Roads to load at the Siam," which was so successfully staged Chemainus mills. Other ships en route here in four performances, was repeated there are the German ship Maipo from by special request at Duncaus on Satur-Mazatlan, the Royal Sovereign and the Don. The last named ship is bound from Iquiqui for Departure Bay, for which thusiastic audience, who not only ap-

-The trial of John Helder, charged with obtaining goods under false pre-tences, has again been put off. It was and bidding them farewell with loud agreed that the case should be proceeded with on Monday in the police court. His counsel, however, asked a further adjournment until next Monday, which by consent of the prosecution was allowed. Helder's bail mannot been forthcoming, and he still occupies a place in the city lock-up.

-A church parade of members of Pride of the Island and Alexander Orange lodges was held Sunday morn-Orange lodges, was held yesterday morn-A start was made from K. of P. hall at 10.45 o'clock, the societies pro-ceeding direct to the Metropolitan Methodist church. Rev. G. K. B. Adams occupied the pulpit, and delivered an apgathered at the A. O. U. W. hall, the meeting place of Tride of the Island lodge, where a unanimous resolution was carried, thanking Rev. Mr. Adams and trustees of the church for their kindness. It is stated by officials of the Sons of ance excelled that of any of that so-

Levers f.Z (Wise Head) Dis niectant Son Powder dusted in the bath softens the water at the same time that it disinfects.

Judge Harrison settled the question as plums will be Sayward for lumber supplied for the crop all round. The nights have muir, contended at the hearing of the to \$17,900 having been agreed to as the ber of the owners of all holdings sum beyond which she would not go, gone into the raising of early vegetable yet Judge Harrison allowed the claim of for the Northwest markets. At Ke Mrs. Dunsmuir and C. A. Harrison, who

en piers of the C. P. R. bridge across. Pitt river with concrete has been awarded to the B. C. General Contract Com pany. The work will cost about \$40,000. Next year it is said the C. P. R. will place steel spans on the concrete piers.

-Ladies who received tickets to dis-Tuberculosis Soicety, Fort street, or to Mrs. M. H. Rathom, secretary of the Margherita Mandolin Club, 190 Yates

-Rev. Samuel Fea, B. A. L., rector of St. Peter's church, Winnipeg, begs to acknowledge with thanks the \$48.55 contributed through Mrs. H. Fea. toria and at Work Point towards the fund for the enlargement of the above mentioned edifice in the prairie city.

-Mrs. Jas. H. McLaughlin, of Rithet street, died on Monday at St. Joseph's hospital. Deceased was 43 years of age. and a native of Truro, N. S. The funeral is arranged to take place Tuesday at 3 p.m. from the residence, Ne. 35 Rithet street. Rev. W. Leslie Clay

-'There was a very large attendance of sympathizing friends yesterday afternoon at the funeral of Mr. Goodwin's little daughter, which took place from the resichurch, which was crowded. Beautiful floral emblems were presented. Rev. E. G. Miller officiated in a most sympathetic manner, and favorite hymns were sung. The following young ladies Speed, Alice Mannix, Nellie Leech, Elsie Richards, Jennie Johnson and E. Walker.

—Sunday night Joseph Dube, a prospec tor who lives on View street, was posterity-Thoreau.

and was taken to the Royal Jubilee hospital. He had gone up the E. & N. line in the morning, and leaving the train at Goldstreen went into the world at Goldstream went into the woods ap-parently on a prospecting tour. Late in the day he was found in an unconsciou adition, and was brought back to doldstream and into the city on the even ng train. He was taken to the Royal Jubilee hospital and treated by Dr. Hart, who found that he was suffering from an apoplectic stroke. He has continued to gain in strength, and Monday was much mproved. Mr. Dube is about 70 years of

-An orchestra of six pieces was present at the Victoria Gardens on Sunday afternoon and rendered a good programme of music. There was a large crowd in attendance attracted to the Gorge largely by the new tram car ser vice, but owing to the rain the orchestra could not play in the open air, as had been arranged and as will be the case next Sunday if the weather is favorable. During the afternoon the street cars

-A most interesting game of chess and members of the management com-was played in the drill hall at Van-mittee practically every detail necessary couver on Saturday evening. In the centre of the hall white squares of card-board had been nailed down, alternating for Tuesday and Saturday are rather in even squares with the dark colors of meagre, so that Wednesday, Thursday the panel floor, and here the living chesseven squares with the dark colors of men were guided through the intricacies on which the real celebration will take of the game. The players were Messrs. J. McA. Cameron and P. Dunne for the Reds, and Messrs. A. C. Brydone-Jack ed subscriptions has been generous, and and W. Francis for the White. The Regimental band was in attendance, and as it played the entrance march, the gaily costumed chessmen marched in. As each move was called a bugle was sounded from the end from which the call came, and when a check occurred the drums were beaten and the bugles sounded together with pretty effect. The first The exact location is not known, but according to the report the ore is running game was won by "the Whites" and the second by "the Reds."

> plauded to the echo, but still further showed their appreciation of the favorites of the hour by following them to the speand bidding them farewell with loud cheers. The performance was even more delightfully rendered than on the previous occasions, all the principal characters excelling themselves in their different roles. Notice must be made of the pretty special dances performed. successfully under the tution of the Hon. Mrs. Hood, which were the "tea dance" by Miss Netta Heyland and six others; "My San Domingo Maid," by Miss Alice Bell and six others, and the duet, "Do You Think That You Have Known Me Long Enough," by Miss Netta Heyland and Cecil Berkeley. The proceeds of this Chemainus hospital.

> > VISITED THE INTERIOR.

M. Palmer Home From Trip Mad. on Departmental Business-The Fruit Crop.

R. M. Palmer, freight rates commis sioner and secretary of the provincial bureau of information, has return'd home from the interior, where he hs been on departmental business. He reports that wheat in the Spallumcheen valley is looking very well, and also in the Okanagan. The hay crop is lighter this season than usual owing to the dry weather.

Apples are looking fine, but cherries and
plums will be lighter than last year,

In the afternoon will be the horse and looking very well, and also in the Okan-agan. The hay crop is lighter this sea--In the County court on Monday Apples are looking fine, but cherries and meals during the day. to personal liability in the case of Say-ward vs. Dunsmuir. This was in con-make up the deficiency. Pears promise nection with the claim made by J. A. very well indeed, and there will be a full Driard improvements after the fire, very cool so far this season, and have While the defendant, Mrs. Joan Duns retarded the growth of smaller fruits. There is a large acreage in tomatoes

case that there was no liability owing and early vegetables, and a large num J. A. Sayward although it exceeded this amount. This morning the question was very large, and the town is going ahead determine personal liability between rapidly. At Vernon, an experiment is Dunsmuir and C. A. Harrison, who leases the property. Judge Harrison de dry benches, about 200 acres being put cided that Mrs. Dunsmuir was liable. in. The moisture in these localities may The order was made to-day in order to not be sufficient for the growth of the allow of an appeal being taken to the trees. In the vicinity of Vernon about 700 acres are being planted this spring.

around Kamloops is large. The large irrigation works on the Coldstream sub-division, near Vernon, are owna Land and Orchard Company. This cials who will have charge of the manlatter organization purchased the Lequime ranch of 7,000 acres, obtaining water from Canyon creek. pose of for the recent benefit concert are requested to make returns to either Mrs.

Rocke Robertson, president of the Antiby those taking up holdings.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.

Many men owe the grandeur of their lives to their tremendous difficulties .- Spurgeon

You should forgive many things in other ut nothing in yourself .- Ausonius.

. . . For every evil under the sun There is a remedy, or there is none If there be one, try to find it; If there be none, never mind it.

Thank God that good women are born with greater souls for trial than men; that given once an anchor for their hearts they hold until the cables break .- Gilbert Parker.

When thou prayest, rather let thy heart be without words than thy words without

Search thine own heart: what paineth thee In others, in thyself may be: All dust is frail, all flesh is weak; Be thou the true man thou dost seek.

Great thoughts hallow any labor; if ditcher muses the while how he may live uprightly, the ditching spade and turf may be engraved on the coat-of-arms of

LARGE AND VARIED LIST OF ATTRACTIONS

There Will Be Plenty of Amusement During the Week Commencing To-morrow Afternoon.

(From Monday's Daily.) Victoria Day celebration opens tonorrow, and will continue throughout the week, beginning and ending with a Northwestern League baseball match. Owing to the energy of Secretary Moresby, the chairman, N. Shakespeare, and members of the management comto insure the success of the festivities members of the committee are confident that the celebration will prove one of the grandest in the history of the city.

That there will be thousands of people

ere all through the week is assured. In the first place cheap rates will be offered by the C. P. R. from Vancouver so as to allow all residents of the Terminal City who may wish to accompany the regiment an opportunity to participate in the festivities. Then there are to be excursion rates in force from Seattle and ind points, while on the morning of Wednesday, the 24th, the steamer Princess Victoria will leave Bellingham on an excursion to this city returning late that evening. Besides all these, cheap rates will be in force on the E, & N. railway for the week so that crowds may be expected from Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Duncans and other places along the Island line. A special train will leave the local depot at 10.30 o'clock on the evening of Victoria Day for the conrenience of any visitors wishing to return venience of any visitors wishing to return after having spent the principal day of the celebrations here. Altogether a large between Blanchard and Broad. Teams english horses will be offered for selection. number of strangers may be expected than ever before, and the local hotels Centralia, and restaurants will have their accom-

modation taxed to its utmost. Of course Wednesday will include the majority of the best attractions of the celebration. It will open in the forencon with a grand military parade, in which the regiments of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster will participate. Lieut.-Col. White will be in command of the Sixth Regiment (the Mainland corps) and Lieut.-Col. Hall, of the Fifth Regiment, After the parade the soldiers will march to Beacon Hill, where a formal "march past" will take place, after which the Fifth will take possession. sion of the hill, while the visitors will move to the neighborhood of the bear pit in preparation for a sham-battle. The latter will be more a spectacular affair. than would be the case were the corps to attempt to give a demonstration of an During their stay here everything possible will be done to give both the Vancouver officers and men a thorough good time. The former will be put up, free of charge, at either the Driard hotel or

considerable interest is being evinced, commencing at 1 o'clock, and then will expected in July, the big liner will be placed in drydock at Nagssaki for cleancome the championship lacrosse match between Victoria and New Westminster ing and repairing. teams at Oak Bay. The evening is to be marked by a water carnival on James

On Thursday the first event will be a league baseball match between Victoria outer wharf on Friday. She reported and Everett. This will start at 10.30 a smooth run across the Pacific. She a large crowd. The feature of the day, ing Capt. S. S. Connauton, of the steam-however, will be the regatta, which will er Tacoma, the story of whose capture take place on the harbor, the races being by the Japs has already been published Coffin Island to the club house. Be returning to Seattle. A number of the sides the usual sailors and Indian contests, the programme includes a number complete saloon list was as follows: Mrs. of amateur competitions that promise to L. S. Abbey, R. Abott, D. J. S. Ander-A great many people are coming in, and the settlement both in this district and around Kamloons is large.

Of annateur competitions that promise to be exceptionally keen. The most important of these will be the four-oared around Kamloons is large.

Of annateur competitions that promise to be soon, T. D. Anglemeyer, Miss E. M. Beache, Capt. C. K. Bushe, wife and races, in which Vancouver, the University of the child, L. E. Charpley, Miss I. S. Clarke, and the child, L. E. Charpley, Miss I. S. races, in which Vancouver, the University of Washington, University of California and the James Bay Athletic Associations will be represented. The offiagement of the regatta, are mentioned aga and wife, H. A. Lane, J. W. Lan

in the appended programme.
On the evening of Friday a display of fireworks will take place at the Gorge as a result of the efforts of the B. C. Electric Railway Company. It was the intention of the management committee o omit this feature, but the tramway company consented to take the stein, Mrs. Shiba, J. G. Silverston, W. arrangement in hand, collecting the N. Stace, Mrs. N. Steele, O. Trusler, W. ecessary subcriptions, if it was agreeable to those in charge that the display should be held at the Gorge. No objection was made, and this morning A. T. Goward announced that the fireplace from Curtis Point, the Gorge, com nencing at 8.45 o'clock on the evening of the 25th. A special car service is to operated for the convenience of the arge crowds it is expected will attend. It is the earnest desire of the manage ment that the proprietors of business houses and stores on the main thorough

residences were adorned to some extent it would materially contribute towards the general holiday effect. In this connection it might be men ioned that members of the local hives f Ladies of the Maccabees have arranged to entertain a large number b onging to the order at Vancouver Westminster and other neighboring points expected to arrive fo-morrow to pend the carnival week here. They will

fares take steps to decorate their buildings. They also point out that if private

places of interest.
Following is the complete programme Tuesday. 3.30 p. m.-Baseball at Oak Bay; Everett 8 p. m.-Concert, under the auspices of

e taken on a trolley car ride to the

uimalt, Beacon Hill and other

Gorge, Esq

the Vancouver Island Football Association, ed upon the Vancouver-Ladysmith run. at the Y. M. C. A., at which the cups and and is now being utilized in carrying sented. Admission free.

Wednesday.

Grand military parade and sham fight. 9 a. m.-Fifth Regiment, Canadian Artillery, and Sixth Regiment, Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles, will parade at the drill hall, on Menzies street. 9.30 a. m.-Leave drill hall and parade

the streets of the city. 10.20 a. m -Arrive at Beacon Hill. 11 a. m.-March past. 11 a. m. till 12 m.-Sham fight.

12.30 p. m .- Return to drill hall, Lieut .-Col. J. C. Whyte, Sixth Regiment, Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles, in command, and Lieut. J. H. Hall, Fifth Regiment, C. T.,

Victoria. 1 p. m.-Horse and automobile parade. Marshals Dr. Burgis, Capt. R. H. Ryan, L. H. Eaton and two others yet to be named. 1 p. m.-Championship intermediate la-

crosse match at Oak Bay; Centrals vs. Vancouver Argonauts. 3 p. m.-Championship lacrosse match at Oak Bay; New Westminster vs. Victoria. 8.30 p. m. Venetian water carnival in Vic-

10.30 a. m.-Baseball match; Victoria vs. Everett, at Oak Bay.

1 p. m.-Regatta in Victoria harbor.

toria harbor.

All races to be called by bugle. Two minutes after bugle the race will be startcausing such a reduction in rates that ed by a gun. Referee, Commander A. T. colliers are finding their busines not very Hunt, R. N.; judges, Lieut.-Col. English, profitable. and Capt. J. B. Cox; starters, Lieut. Brandon, Lieut. Kirwan, Captains Gaudin, C. E. Clarke and Troup; committee, Captains C. E. Clarke, Gaudin, J. G. Cox, A. J. Dallain, Messrs. D. O'Sullivan and D. Leeming; starter of amateur races at buoy. D. O'Sullivan; starter Indian canoe races, Chief Michael Cooper.

Distinguishing colors-Shearwater, white with blue S. Egeria, yellow and red diagonal. Royal Artillery, blue flag, red zig-zag stripes. Royal Engineers, red and blue flag with horizontal stripes. Canoes-Valdez, light blue. Kuper Island, red. Clem Clemaluts, navy blue. Cowichan, white. Chemainus, yellow. Comiakin, green. Saanich, black. Kuepison, 3 p. m .- Baseball at Oak Bay; Everett

8.15 p. m.-Band concert. 9 p. m .- Grand display of fireworks of Victoria Arm near the Gorge. Friday.

tered: Victoria, Ladysmith, Nanaimo and 3 p. m.-Baseball at Oak Bay; Bellingham vs. Victoria.



MINNESOTA AT YOKOHAMA. The arrival at Yokohama of the American steamship Minnesota is reported. The Minnesota sailed from Puget Sound May 4th, and the statement is made that ier actual steaming time was not more than fourteen and a half days. The Minnesota was cleared for Shanghai in yiew of the impending danger from the Russian squadron, but the information in order to save three days. Before returning to Puget Sound, where she is

Steamer Tartar, of the Canadian Paciwas the arrival from the Far East at the 'clock at Oak Bay, and should attract | brought a good list of passengers, included over the J. B. A. A. course from in the Times. Capt. Connauton is now

T. C. S. Healy, Mr. Helmer, L. P. Hyatt, Miss B. M. Jamieson, J. Korennon and infant. R. Laudon, J. Legg, B. C. Martin, T. Masters, T. Melhish, Mrs. E N Morrison, Miss A. Morrow, C. A. Newbaker, T. L. O'Neil, Dr. Pakenhar and wife Miss F L Rich Mrs. Lily Rogers, P. W. Ruston, Mr. and Mrs. Shearer, Mrs. Simmins, Mrs. M. Silver Trusler, G. Trusler and wife, Trusler, Master Robert. Trusler, Rev. G. G. Warren, Miss Waterman, Miss H. R. Watson, W. Wimer and Mrs. Kojima

FROM SKAGWAY.

Thursday night the C. P. R. steamer Princess May returned from Skagway, having landed six passengers at the Ter-City-all who were carried south on the ship. The steamer brings news the party in over the Hope mount from the north that the Yukon water divide by the end of the present mon ways are open for navigation at all or early in June. The snow is still plenpoint except at La Barge. The river, nowever, is very low and steamers are striking sandbars in such a manner as to render pavigation difficult. The water, however, was rising slowly and before long travelling conditions will have greatly improved. In the meanwhile the C. P. R. company have issued instructions to the local agency to sell through The Princess May will sail for the orth again on the 20th inst. She will carry among other passengers on the voyage Warburton Pike and party of twenty. Mr. Pike owns mining interests in the north, and the party is bound for \$19,564,895, while in 1905 the figures are expected operation will begin at the close of the summer. up the Stikine.

IN SERVICE.

IN SERVICE. 060 in improvements, and \$2,286,530 in The new barge Georgian No. 2, built real estate, but as certain exemptions

medals won during the season will be pre- freight cars between the two ports. She is being towed by the tug Escort No. 2, and has a carrying capacity of 15 freight cars. The barge Transfer No. 1 is also being operated on the run, and is being towed by the tug Czar,

SHIPMENT OF LUMBER.

Tronscontinental lines having termin als in the Pacific Northwest have decid ed not to accept lumber for shipmen over what is known as the rail and lake route unless tied in bundles, and no lumber shipments for Detroit will be ac is the first time in the history of the lum-ber industry of the Pacific Northwest that such an order has been made. It 10 a. m.-Baseball, Oak Bay; Everett vs. is the result of an agreement reached by the lake carrying companies, who refuse to longer handle lumber except in bundles, which makes it much more con venient for handling.

> COAL BUSINESS. Referring to the withdrawal of the Mackinaw from the Puget Sound and

California coal service the San Francisco Chronicle says: "The constantly increasing number of oil and gasoline burners plying about or oming into the harbor has created a crisis in the local business along the walined up for one or two days waiting for a chance to coal, there is now room to spare. The result is a surplus of coal,

EXCURSIONS ARRANGED.

Steamer Princess Victoria will leave here for Bellingham at 4 a.m. on the 24th and returning will leave Bellingham a.m. She will sail from Victoria for Bellingham at 7 p.m., arriving at Bellingham at 10 p.m. and leaving there for Victoria again at 11 p.m., returning here early on the morning of the 25th.

KAMLOOPS,

Col. C. H. Bridge, Imperial army re mount officer, states in a letter to J. R. Hull, of this city, that he will be in Kamloops between 23rd and 26th of this

NELSON. J. S. Carter, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., returned on Sunday from Saturday.

a trip over the Crow, as far as Fernie.

3 p. m.—Baseball at Oak Bay; Belling—Mr. Carter states that settlers are coming into Canada from the States in large numbers through Fernie, no less than 2,000 having passed through there en route to the territories during the last week. Mr. Carter also noted numerous mprovements along the Crow, notably at Cranbrook, where much building in the way of residences is being done, and at Marysville, where the new smelter of the Sullivan Mining & Smelting Com-pany was about read to start up. Mr. Carter states that the plant is most sub-stantial, and that there seems every prospect of a go ahead season for the

GRAND FORKS. Word has reached here of a sad drowning accident in the Kettle river, which occurred on Sunday near Midway, the victim being Albert Irving. Deceased was engaged in driving logs down the river to Cascade for the Yale Lumber Company, when he was drowned. Young Irving, along with his brother, J. G. Irving, were settled on a ranch on the reservation, near Midway.

Work has commenced on the big flue dust chamber at the Granby smelter. This work has been delayed owing to the difficulty of securing brick, but at present half a mililon brick are on the ground, and more will be furnished by fic Railway Company's Oriental line, Frank Coryell, the brick contractor, as ing of the fine dust chamber, the work of building the 150-foot smoke stack will be started and pressed to completion at the earliest possible date.

ROSSLAND.

J. J. MacArthur, chief of the Canadian nternational boundary survey, is a guest at the Hotel Orwell. In speaking about he progress of the work he said that one of the parties was engaged in setting the nonuments between the Columbia and Pend d'Oreille rivers. Another party is engaged in doing topographical work be tween the Columbia and Cascade. Altogether there are four parties in the field at present. The party that will do the triangulation work this season is not yet in the field, but Mr. MacArthur expects it soon will be. Another party is being organized at Hope, B. C., for the purpose of working between the Skagit and the coast. This section is the roughest part of British North America. The There are sections there, he says, of considerable area that have never been trodden by the feet of white men or Indians. Mr. MacArthur says he expects to get divide by the end of the present month, tiful on the divide. Once in the section the work can be carried on until about the middle of September next, when the

rain and snow will begin to fall.

"Three million dollars of an increase in showing for Vancouver," says the News-Advertiser. "This is shown in the figures set forth in the by-law striking more, amounting to over three millions and a half. This is made up of \$1,346,-

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# GARDEN TOOLS

LAWN MOWERS

P. O. DRAWER 613. TELEPHONE 59.

ed in the amounts upon which taxation is levied is accordingly lower. In 1904 the total value of property in the city, both improvements and real estate, was \$24,688,855, while this year it is \$28,-321,445. This increase will give close to it is not likely that this sum will be handed in to the city, as ten per cent.

discount is allowed for prompt pay-John Jackson, who was anxious to confess himself to be a murderer a week ago, was brought up in the police court the other day on a remanded charge of | Tsartlip tribe was consigned to its last vagrancy. Mr. Farris said that they were waiting to hear from the Old Country, and asked for a remand for another week 'the prisoner, asked if he had any objection, replied, "I may tell you, sir, that the story I told the chief of police that the story I told the chief of police was a fabrication. I don't know what my reason for it was. I am sure, except When asked how long he had been here, he told a somewhat different story than at first He said he had only been out gether, and had only been a week or ten days in Vancouver before he gave him-self up. The magistrate said it would do and young wife, the latter carrying their him no harm to remand him for another

T. W. Williams had a narrow escape for his life while working on the new warehouse building being erected at the corner of Abbott and Water streets A derrick fell on him and struck him, knocking him to the ground. He was taken to the City hospital, but it was found on examination that his injuries were not at all serious, as he escaped with nothing worse than a bad bruise on his hip.

nountains are very rugged and bold, and It will again be brought to the attent the church to the cemetery by the Inthis is particularly the case above the tion of the board of hospital directors dians. Despite a pouring rain storn the timber line. There is about 70 miles of that the municipal board of health is natives followed the chief mourners with this wild country to be surveyed, and the of the opinion that the directors should bared heads. With the band playing the physical difficulties in the way are so deal with the hospital for infectious and funeral march and the Indians singing a reat that it will take two seasons to contagious diseases. At the meeting of hymn, the scene was one which a visitor finish it. There are no trails, and the the board of health a letter was read will never forget. party will have to literally saw its way from Dr. A. S. Monro, which was re- shown to the dead by young and old was through the fallen timber in order to get in the pack horses bearing supplies. In the pack horses bearing supplies. In the hospital board. The combination in the extreme. Amid tears in the pack horses bearing supplies. and as it was in a house with twenty large concourse dispersed. It was only other children, it was important that the child should be removed. As the that civilization and Christian teaching contagious diseases building was occu- has an effect both beneficial and signifipied, he asked that some place be fur- | cant. nished by the committee.

H. Blomfield Smith, of London, Eng and, is at the Hotel Vancouver, on his way north to Dawson. Mr. Smith is a way north to Dawson. Mr. Shitti a wife of W. J. Fres, of a daughter. Civil engineer, who has come out to personally look over the conditions in the north and report on the railway building MARRIED. enterprise at Dawson to the capitalists the taxable property is a very good in the Old Country who are putting up the money to construct the line known as the Klondike Mines Railway Company. 'The route of the line is well the rate for this year as passed in the city council. Last year the amount of taxable property in the city amounted to menced, and Mr. Smith states that it is

Eight persons were killed by lightning and ten were injured in various places in Silesia during a storm on Thursday for Messrs. McKenzie Bros., has enter- are granted, the net increase as indicat- and Friday.

INDIAN OBSEQUIES.

sive Ceremony Witnessed on Saanich Peninsula on Sunday Morning.

Residents of West Saanich and visitors from Victoria were edified and wonderfully impressed with the manner in which the natives of the Indian reserves their dead. On Sunday morning the body of one of the young men of the resting place. George Jim, a member of the Indian brass band, one of the baseball team, and a general favorite with the whites and Indians, passed away a tendence of Rev. Father Vullinghs. Shortly after 10 o'clock the cortege wended its way down the west road t the Roman Catholic church, which schoolhouse where the deceased passed his boyhood days. Six brawny young first-born, followed the coffin. A string of carriages containing the Indians from the four reserves moved slowly in the rear. At the conclusion of high mass the pallbearers carried the casket into the church. Father Vullinghs recited the office for the dead, and in language that touched the hearts of his hearers, spoke of the Christian life and character of the deceased. On leaving the sacred edifice the procession reformed, with the band, under Bandmaster Thompson, leading. The priest, cross-bearer and acolytes preceded the casket, wmch was borne from patient recovering from scarlet fever, offered, and in the stoical Indian way the

PREST-At Rossiand, on May 14th, the wife of W. J. Prest, of a daughter.

PEARSALL-QUINN-At Vancouver, on May 17th, by Rev. W. E. Pescott, He Lewis Pearsall and Miss Effle Quinn. SHELDER-HARTMAN—At Vernon, on May 17th, by Rev. R. W. Craw, George H. Shelder and Miss Catherine E. Hartman. LOUGHEED-PAULL—At Vancouver, on May 17th, by Rev. W. E. Pescott, Nor-M'DONALD-HUTCHISON—At Vancouver, on May 17th, by Rev. R. J. Wilson, Henry Osmond McDonald and Miss Jessle Ann Hutchison.

FABIANO-At Rossland, on May 14th, Francis Fabiano, aged 35 years. MOIR-At Vancouver, on May 17th, Mrs.

DEFEATED

Home Team Player

this season too when Victoria the Vancouver of a series of was 4 to 2, the citing up to t crowd of local ed themselves was the Mainl and, not wish cheered the vis ranted it. Tal test was fast an the finish into Holness, for couver's twirle magnanimous minal City nin home team's s who did not totals would b

had been lost. When Vanco dent that it w tables if such shall, "Home ! plate. As usus carelessly. He one and the ba "A home run tainly looked b an anxious ex were unable t It was Vanc and it was ast into their work in the line-up count in a me to take first Babbitt, one o on the Coast, former kept to marks being pitcher, Harm league pitchin energy of Vanc fand their only couple of good addition to a enabled Victor

But Vancouv ond inning aga game. They m the other as overthrow by From this or nitched splen blackboard wa zeros, nothing second, and up as pretty field did adm Howlett, at t that landed a Downing's be ball just over succeed in get

to earn a "pu Williams sec But they all di of time to co finished the s through, Holn and, although officiate in t the fact cann and, to some the reputati twirlers of th backing he Closky and ever, seemed

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makes of the jection can umpire if it game may that official which he is protest. It in line, but No less than ed out in fin shall, Vancou visiting pite far as can imposed bec remark, rega first player the game fere with a

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