

I teach one evening in the night school every week. The ladies of the Advisory Committee are all very kind so that altogether I am quite in love with Victoria, although the climate and I do not yet quite understand each other.

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## Indian Work.

### COQUALEETZA CHILDREN AND HISTORIC ROLL.

WE were very pleased to receive the "Greetings to Missionaries," and the Annual Report. The growth of the Woman's Missionary Society in a few years is wonderful, extension at every point.

The work during the present quarter is going on much as usual; the little ones who were sick when last I wrote are all better. We have four new pupils, three are girls, one of whom cannot speak a word of English. She seems, however, to understand part of what we say, and will in a few weeks be able to talk a little in our language.

We have secured a suitable building for the kindergarten school, and had it moved on the Institute ground; it is large enough for the kindergarten marches and games; previously the school was held in the reading room, and very cramped quarters they were, with no room for the marches and games. This new schoolhouse is also used as a band room, where the boys go in the evening and practise their music. Miss Burpee and the girls have been very busy in the sewing room, making and making over garments for winter. Everything packed away last spring had to be cut over and remodelled. When there are four or five garments apiece it makes much extra work. Several of the parents returning from the fishing brought their children material for a nice dress each, and trimming for them. Each girl has made her own dress; they are very neat and pretty, and reflect credit on their teacher.

Every four weeks I make out a time-table, allotting each boy and girl their work, when out of school or study hours; in each department we have a "charge" boy or girl, who is responsible and assists the teacher in getting the work