

READ!
If we are not offering exceptional
ONLY.
er box - - - 75c
ause they suit the tastes of the
oon.
ery Co., Ltd.
26 AND 41 JOHNSON STREET.
ocery Co., Ltd.
2 GOVERNMENT STREET.
Powder
40c.
Powder
50c.
ng Powder
40c.
ng Powder
30c.
S & CO.,
ERS.
Only Grocers Not
ation.
RETURNED FROM ATLIN.
sonatives of the British-American
rooking Company are in the
City.
J. Robinson, of the British-American
rooking Company, arrived in the
Wednesday and is staying at the
He is accompanied by Mrs.
son and child. After a few days
spent here they go to San Fran-
isco, thence to Philadelphia, and
to Victoria probably in January,
another business visit. They are
to be ready to begin operations
the big drive on Pine creek, in the
country, early in the spring.
E. Switzer, A. C. Demmon and H.
Canavan, all interested in the
drive, arrived also with Mr. Robin-
son. Canavan is the chief engineer
company. The drive was tested
completion this fall, but no al-
was made, owing to the fatigues
the season, to make a commercial
it.
Robinson is delighted with the
ets in the Atlin country.
H. Thorburn and wife, of Vancouver,
ending their honeymoon in the city.
Victoria is a small clerk on the C. P.
his is to travel to the fatigues at
minion.
E. Cans and J. R. Dawson, com-
men, of San Francisco Cal., are
Victoria a business visit. They are
of their headquarters at the Do-
t Hobble Round
With Sore Feet.
FOOT ELIM CAN CURE YOU.
If people look forward to each
day with dread on account of the
troubles they experience with their feet,
get sore, ache, swell, the easily
go out before the day is done,
it is to need to suffer an instant
cure of the feet and rest tired feet
four feet. "Foot Elm" toughens
tender feet, so that you can
or walk all day without being foot-
It always all inflammation and ir-
ritation and rests tired feet.
If you ask for "Foot Elm" and insist
on it. Honest druggists supply
it freely. Price 25 cents a box of
doz or by mail. V. Stott &
Bowmanville, Ont.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

ROSSLAND.
Preparations are being made here for municipal elections of two months hence. The question of aldermanic salaries will be one of the principal issues, and a bill, drafted by the municipal plank, will be presented to the electors.

REVELSTOCK.
The largest lumber deal ever put through in this city has been concluded by Messrs. W. de V. de Maistre, W. Gorman and E. L. Kultima, all of Revelstoke, who disposed of 46 miles of timber limits to Messrs. J. P. McGee and G. A. Lammer, prominent millmen of Minneapolis. The property in question is situated on the Duncan river, and is considered one of the most valuable stretches of timber in the Kootenays. The owners received a most satisfactory offer, and the deal was closed by Messrs. McGee and Lammer, interested in creating a very large mill in the vicinity of Nelson to cut the timber from the limits.

Y.M.I.
Messrs. DeWolfe and Davault have started up their stamp mill, which is to be used to crush the ore of the Gold Cup group. This mill is located a mile north of the Porto Rico mine, and on the Salmo river. It has two stamps and is complete in every particular. The building is so erected that five stamps can be installed at any time. The property lies one and one-half miles back of the mill. A sawmill trail will be used this winter to bring down the ore, and in the spring a tramway will be built. The Gold Cup was bonded this spring by Conrad Wolfe and J. F. Davault from Ryan and Donnelly. The property is considered one of the best milling propositions in the camp, being remarkable for its high gold values. At present there are some 20 men working at the mine and mill.

NELSON.
A special dispatch received here from Poplar Creek says: "The most remarkable discovery yet had on Poplar Creek was the final made on the property of the Spryglass claim. The whole camp was described on Friday when John Winquist, the owner, brought to town a five pound sample of quartz literally spattered with pure gold and silver. Gold and quartz has become common here, but this phenomenal sample shows not only native gold but silver, and Winquist, who is a most conservative prospector, declares he has a payable measuring 10 to 14 inches in a vein of white quartz averaging four feet in width. The Spryglass group of three claims is located eleven miles from Poplar Creek. It was located in 1886, but no attempt to explore its remarkable veins was made until this summer when the rich showings on the Luck Jack and the Swede group below Poplar Creek started drifting on the vein in a paystreak that shows grey copper, lead and zinc and free gold and silver. The samples shown in camp are without doubt specimens of the richest ever discovered. What with the Luck Jack, the Swede, and Marquis & Gilbert's Gold Park groups, already exceeded to be immense in value, this new discovery is a rich property, phenomenally rich property awaiting capital for development."

The authorities are enforcing the Curfew By-law. Hence the other day five boys were taken to court for breaking the law. They were dismissed with cautions, their parents being also duly admonished.

PHOENIX.
George S. Waterlow, vice-chairman of the Snowshoe Gold & Copper Mines, Ltd., in this camp, as well as one of the directors of the Le Roi mine at Rossland, has been spending the week here. This is Mr. Waterlow's fourth visit to Phoenix camp and the Snowshoe mine, being his custom to make an annual trip to the Boundary to note the progress of development at the Snowshoe. He expressed himself as well pleased at the way the work has been carried on during the last year under the management of A. J. McMillan, Superintendent. Ashley and Foreman Trevorrow, but says that there must yet be a considerable expenditure on capital account at the mine in the way of development. Mr. Waterlow, while here, made a thorough inspection of the underground as well as the above-ground workings of the Snowshoe, in which much advancement has been made over a year ago. He says that the Snowshoe mine is one of the Boundary—with the single exception of the Granby mines, in respect to the amount of development work done and the tonnage of ore exposed in the open. Mr. Waterlow is a man of considerable experience in mining, and has been in the business for many years. He is now in the city for the purpose of attending to business connected with the Phoenix Electric Light & Power Co., at Marshall Lake, close to this city, has been destroyed by fire. The engineer left the house as usual at 2 o'clock, and at eight p. m. the place was discovered to be in flames, the building being burned to the ground. The boiler is being used again. There was about \$1,500 insurance on the building and contents. Temporary pumps were rigged to answer the purpose till the electric pump, ordered from the East some months ago, arrives. This will be put into a new building, which has been completed, and where it will be used. The pumps are being pumped into the large supply tanks located above the city.

It had been expected that the new Catholic church would be ready for use on Sunday, but owing to the delay in the work of construction Father Bedard has decided to hold the first service in the new building on Sunday, November 15th. The new church will be called the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel.

In consequence of the large increase in the number of ore pockets recently built at the Granby mines, the company is now able to load almost an entire train of cars without moving the cars after they are put in place. The company is getting ready to handle an increased tonnage in the least possible time, and has 300 men on the mine payroll.

Owing to numerous repairs to parts of

the ore crusher, the shipments from the Mother Lode mine have been somewhat smaller for a week or two, but they are now resuming their normal quota. There are above 100 men now employed at the Mother Lode.

Two properties on the north fork of Kettle river, on which development is expected to be resumed soon, are the Volcanic and the Seattle. The Seattle is under bond to the Trail smelter people and has some shipping of an excellent class of ore, but has not been doing much lately. The Volcanic, which is being bonded to Eastern capitalists, is expected to be a busy spot as soon as the details of the deal are completed.

The Emma mine, Summit camp, owned by the Hall Mines smelter, of Nelson, is shipping to four different smelters, the ore being most desirable for fluxing purposes, having a high percentage of iron. It is said that shipments from this property, which are now about 150 tons daily, will soon be materially increased.

VANCOUVER.
The Electoral Union met in O'Brien's hall on Monday to organize for the coming civic election and to discuss preliminaries connected therewith. P. R. Stewart accepted the chair, and there was a fair attendance. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, W. H. Malkin; first vice-president, Robert Martin; second vice-president, P. R. Stewart; secretary, G. B. Gordon; treasurer, T. T. Langlois; Jas. A. McNair was elected honorary president, and R. D. Borison, organizer.

The police are investigating a burglary which took place at an early hour on Sunday morning on the premises of Messrs. Tyrrell & Camp, corner of Westminster avenue and Hastings street. Entrance was effected by breaking a window, and the police are inclined to attribute the job to bad boys.

The Theatre Royal, one of Vancouver's prominent show houses, has changed hands. W. H. Lucas, formerly lessee and manager, having retired from the theatrical business. The Theatre Royal house will now be under the management of Messrs. Berch and Ross, well known theatrical managers on the Pacific coast. The new management contemplates running a continuous show, with a change of bill every week.

Clemer streets in Vancouver will be the endeavor of the Local Council of Women, and that organization will urge the passing of by-laws prohibiting excavation on the sidewalks. To this end a committee was appointed at the general meeting of the council held at the city hall, Mrs. Watson Lister, of Victoria, New South Wales, who is a delegate from Australia, to the International Council meeting in Berlin, Germany, among those present. She remarked that the council in Victoria, Australia, had brought about several reforms.

The News-Advertiser referring to the washout on the C. P. R., briefly mentioned in the Times on Monday, says: "What is locally known as a cloudburst occurred between North Bend and Spectator on Sunday evening and caused an immense jam of timber, brush, rocks and mud to form some considerable distance up a gully, across which the C. P. R. had a large solid embankment of earth. The mud and timber were accompanied from Vancouver by H. R. Kent, general superintendent of the New Westminster & Burrard Telephone Company."

W. H. Lewis, of Seattle, is among the distinguished visitors to the Congregational convention now meeting in this city. He served on the Hearing Sea commission which sat at Washington, and has filed many other important official positions.

Honor L. Wilhelm, editor of the Coast Magazine, accompanied by his bride, is staying at the Dominion. He was married to Miss Helen Gordon, the nurse who attended him during an illness of two months at a Seattle hospital. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Fremont, Wash. The Rev. J. E. Nichols officiating. The Seattle P.-I. of recent date says: "The couple became engaged four months ago. They met for the first time when they became acquainted as patient and nurse. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Victoria, where they will spend two weeks. Upon their return they will begin a tour of the Northwest, which will probably take all the winter."



SPORTING.
ATHLETICS.
WITHOUT GROUNDS.
The Victoria West Athletic Association is suffering a great loss through the season owing to the impossibility of obtaining grounds for practicing purposes in the vicinity of the club. At present members must journey to Meaulieu Point to play football or any other game. A number of unsuccessful efforts have been made by the officials of the club to secure grounds more centrally located. The inconvenience is felt most keenly at this season of the year, when the members are being put forth to obtain grounds, if only for a portion of the year. The city council will be waited upon, and everything possible done to secure what is most desired by members of the club.

FENCING.
FIRST PRACTICE.
Last night the first practice of the Victoria Fencing Club was held at the Victoria Fencing Club. There was a fairly good attendance and a profitable evening was spent. The membership is steadily on the increase.

YACHTING.
MAY CHALLENGE.
Dublin, Oct. 31.—Ireland seems indefatigable in its efforts to lift the America cup, and the Royal Ulster Yacht Club still hopes to capture the more famous special room which it constructed to receive it. Fearing that Sir Thomas Lipton, in the face of recent pronouncements, would not again enter the contest, the club has been looking around for a likely challenger, and now the Hon. Rupert Guinness, son and heir of Lord Iveagh, the millionaire brewer of Dublin, has practically consented to come to Australia to the club, which is one of the most liberal supporters, on certain conditions.

He insists that the challenging yacht be built in Ireland and that it be manned as far as possible by Irishmen. If the Royal Ulster Yacht Club agrees, the club is ready with the necessary money. He wants the challenge to be purely an Irish one. It is therefore possible that Harland & Wolff, the big trans-Atlantic shipbuilders of Belfast, will launch the next challenger.

The Hon. Rupert Guinness, who was married only a few days ago to a daughter of Lord Onslow, is an ardent sportsman, a keen fisherman, and a keen hunter. He is a wealthy father's heir, is a rich man himself. It is estimated that his income from the brewery business alone is a quarter of a million dollars a year. He has other interests in Dublin and London, and owns some of the most valuable property in both cities. The Royal Ulster Yacht Club has the greatest confidence in his sportsmanlike spirit, and they feel that he would relay the club in the contest he proposes to make upon them if they could not easily be overcome.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.
SATURDAY'S MATCH.
On Saturday a league match will be played between the Victoria and Columbia teams. The game will be played at Beacon Hill and should be evenly contested. Every opportunity for practice has been taken advantage of by the Columbia, and they will go on the field stronger than ever before. They intend making a hard fight for the championship and are confident of winning out. The Victoria eleven will be the same as usual, and needless to say that they will make a hard fight for victory. The game will be judged from the record of the contesting teams up to the present. Victoria has defeated the Y. M. C. A. and the Columbia and Barracks teams have played a draw. This puts the Victoria in the lead, but they still will have to meet the strongest opponents, the Columbia and Garrison.

WILL SELECT TEAM.
Members of the Victoria West Athletic Association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Victoria Athletic Club to represent the association in the first intermediate league game with the Capitals will be selected. The following are particularly requested to attend: Monaghan, Blair, Boller, Looney, McArthur, Dodd, Anderson, Wilson, Stevens, Okell, Willis, Croft, Dakers, Stevens, Balmer, McNaughton, Campbell, Kroeger, Brown, Provance and Kingston.

THE RING.
ATTELL v. MADDEN.
It is probable the next contest in Victoria will be between Caesar Attell, of San Francisco, and Jack Madden, ex-champion featherweight of the world. At present the latter is in Seattle and reported to be looking for a match with Mr. Bennett, manager for Attell, left for the Sound some days ago he received instructions to arrange, if possible, a twenty-round bout with Madden, to take place in about three weeks' time, at the Victoria theatre. Little or no difficulty is anticipated in bringing off this contest. Madden does not think he will have any trouble in defeating Attell, and as he is undoubtedly one of the cleverest featherweights in the world, the fight should be one of the best exhibitions yet given in Victoria.

After the Attell-Krant fight the other night, the former expressed a willingness to meet any man in the world for the title. This open challenge has been well circulated, and Madden is expected to be the first to accept it. Attell is not at all frightened by the reputation of his next probable opponent, but is as confident as ever that he will win. It is proposed to bring on another bout between Caesar Attell and Kid Krant. If arranged, this would take place at the Victoria theatre after the above mentioned match.

Caesar Attell is considering the advisability of taking up his residence in Victoria permanently, if he decides to do this he will rent the Philharmonic hall, Fort street, and give lessons in the music art.



BASKETBALL.
AN IMPORTANT MEETING.
Considerable important business was transacted at a meeting of the Victoria city basketball executive held on Monday at the Y. M. C. A. hall. There was a good attendance, almost every athletic association of the city being represented by delegation.

The first business taken up was the election of a chairman and a secretary. J. Croft was chosen to occupy the former position, and S. Porter took over the duties of secretary. The executive committee of the senior and intermediate leagues were then called for, and the following were received and accepted:

J. B. A. A.—Colors, blue and white.
F. Y. M. A. A.—Colors, amber and black.
Y. M. C. A.—Colors, white and blue.
V. W. A. A.—Colors, green and white.

Lead is a new man to Victorians. For some seasons he has played with the Hornets, of Nanaimo, and in the ranks of that team has distinguished himself in many a hotly contested game. One of the half backs will be Al Gillespie, who accompanied the All-Canadian team on a tour of the Old Country last season. It is also probable that Ken Gillespie and H. Gillespie will be found in the ranks of the local fifteen this season.

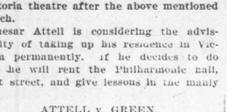
Generally speaking, the prospects are that the team will be sufficiently strong to defeat the present champions. With a continuation of these conditions, early this morning, however, the glass drops suddenly, and in probably half an hour the wind attained a velocity of twelve miles. From that time until 9 o'clock the storm increased in strength and had probably reached its height at the latter hour.

The effect of so heavy a wind storm cannot now be fully described, as the damage is believed to be more than purely local. The telephone system is somewhat damaged. Wires are down, and in some places poles went too. High board fences, always a mark for strong winds, windows, sign boards and all frail wooden structures suffered. Out at Beacon Hill park half a dozen or more trees were levelled to the ground, remaining residents of the big storm two days ago Christmas day, when a large number of trees were uprooted and strewn promiscuously around the park.

On Monday there was a meeting at the J. B. A. A. rooms of a committee of the Victoria Inter-mediate team, and Mr. O'Callaghan, of Vancouver, when the latter announced Vancouver's intention to put up a cup for competition among the Inter-mediate. There will be three teams in the league from Nanaimo, Victoria and the Terminal City. The following schedule was drafted and agreed to by those present:

Nov. 14th—Vancouver at Victoria.
Dec. 5th—Nanaimo at Victoria.
Dec. 12th—Victoria at Nanaimo.
Dec. 19th—Vancouver at Nanaimo.
Jan. 4th—Nanaimo at Vancouver.
Jan. 21st—Victoria at Vancouver.
The Inter-mediate decided to adopt the idea of the senior teams in arranging a game to take place at the end of the season between a team composed of the best players in the two defeated fifteen and the champion. This match will take place this year at Vancouver.

No other business of importance was transacted.



RUGBY FOOTBALL.
PROSPECTS FOR SEASON.
The amalgamation of the senior, intermediate and junior rugby teams with the James Bay Athletic Association seems to have had beneficial results. There are all about 300 active players in the city and in the members of the West Point Garrison or Navy clubs are not included in this number. Of course the juniors predominate. There are four prominent junior teams, namely, the Central school, the Oak Bay, the Collegiate school and the Victoria fifteen. Although there are thirty and probably more first-class intermediate players only one fifteen has been organized, and that is the Victoria team. The latter is the strongest aggregation that has represented the city for many seasons, and with faithful practice and earnest training the boys look forward confidently to capturing the championship cup that has this year been put up by Vancouver.

Of the seniors a great deal has already been said. Under the captaincy of Ken Schoaling, the team is conspicuous for its strength in the forward division, and speed and endurance in the three-quarter line. As was pointed out on Monday, the forwards are physically a better bunch of players than have been seen wearing the red and white for some seasons. In Saturday's game, however, they showed lack of training and allowed the service team to outplay them in the scrum repeatedly. However, steps are now being taken for the training of the forwards in scrum formation and in heeling the ball. Evenings have been set apart for practice at the J. B. A. A. rooms. All players who are anxious that the McKeechie cup should find its way back to Victoria are asked to be present. There is only one way that the Vancouver stalwarts can be defeated and that is through constant training.

Although the team is not yet in the condition it will be by the twenty-first of this month, when the first game with Vancouver takes place at the Victoria Terminal City. The idea of the strength of the Victoria three-quarter line could be gathered by those who watched their play on Saturday. The forwards are in the best of condition, and the half backs will be the backbone of the team. Scholefield, Rithet, Patton and McLeod are names respected in football circles throughout the province. They represent speed, endurance and every quality that goes to make up an ideal three-quarter player. Of Scholefield and Rithet nothing need be said, as their work on the football field in the past speaks for itself. The latter will unfortunately be able to play with the locals only in the first league game. Patton, however, is a comparative new player. His principal merits are rating and kicking. Although of no great weight, he can, however, tackle effectively when necessary. He also shows a thorough knowledge of the tactics of the game.

Wood's Phosphine.
The Great English Remedy, is an old, well established, reliable preparation. Has been prescribed and used for generations in the Dominion of Wales, and is recommended as being the only medicine of its kind that cures and gives universal satisfaction. It promptly and permanently cures all forms of Bronchitis, Emphysema, Spasmodic Cough, Impotency, and all other ailments of the chest, the excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants, Mercurial Poison, Consumption and all other ailments of the chest, the excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants, Mercurial Poison, Consumption and all other ailments of the chest.

Wood's Phosphine is sold in Victoria by all responsible druggists.

Pandora Range
Hot-air Flues. Oven.
If the hot air flues in a range are not properly constructed, much of the heat from the fire-box will be wasted up the chimney, and the oven will not bake uniformly.
Flues in the "Pandora" range have been given special attention, and are so constructed that all the heat travels around the oven twice and passes directly under all the pot holes before escaping up the chimney.
Result is the oven bakes uniformly at top, bottom and sides, and with very little fuel.
Every feature in the Pandora has been given the same careful attention as the flues and all combine to make a perfect working and economical range.
Sold by all enterprising dealers. Booklet free.
McClary's
London, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver, St. John, N.B.

CLARKE AND PEARSON, AGENTS.
Lead is a new man to Victorians. For some seasons he has played with the Hornets, of Nanaimo, and in the ranks of that team has distinguished himself in many a hotly contested game. One of the half backs will be Al Gillespie, who accompanied the All-Canadian team on a tour of the Old Country last season. It is also probable that Ken Gillespie and H. Gillespie will be found in the ranks of the local fifteen this season.

WIND BLEW SIXTY MILES AN HOUR
TO-DAY'S GALE THE SEVEREST OF SEASON
Came Driven Ashore at Oak Bay Without Occupant—Damage to Property.
(From Thursday's Daily.)
Wind from the south-east blew this morning at a velocity of sixty miles an hour. The storm was the severest which has struck Victoria this season, or probably in a complete year. It came as a surprise. Up till shortly before 3 o'clock this morning the weather was perfectly calm, and the meteorological indications yesterday pointed to a continuation of these conditions. Early this morning, however, the glass drops suddenly, and in probably half an hour the wind attained a velocity of twelve miles. From that time until 9 o'clock the storm increased in strength and had probably reached its height at the latter hour.

The effect of so heavy a wind storm cannot now be fully described, as the damage is believed to be more than purely local. The telephone system is somewhat damaged. Wires are down, and in some places poles went too. High board fences, always a mark for strong winds, windows, sign boards and all frail wooden structures suffered. Out at Beacon Hill park half a dozen or more trees were levelled to the ground, remaining residents of the big storm two days ago Christmas day, when a large number of trees were uprooted and strewn promiscuously around the park.

On Monday there was a meeting at the J. B. A. A. rooms of a committee of the Victoria Inter-mediate team, and Mr. O'Callaghan, of Vancouver, when the latter announced Vancouver's intention to put up a cup for competition among the Inter-mediate. There will be three teams in the league from Nanaimo, Victoria and the Terminal City. The following schedule was drafted and agreed to by those present:

Nov. 14th—Vancouver at Victoria.
Dec. 5th—Nanaimo at Victoria.
Dec. 12th—Victoria at Nanaimo.
Dec. 19th—Vancouver at Nanaimo.
Jan. 4th—Nanaimo at Vancouver.
Jan. 21st—Victoria at Vancouver.
The Inter-mediate decided to adopt the idea of the senior teams in arranging a game to take place at the end of the season between a team composed of the best players in the two defeated fifteen and the champion. This match will take place this year at Vancouver.

No other business of importance was transacted.