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STUDIO Cards, Lanters

## ORPHANS HOME

Officers Elected for the Year-Charles Hayward Again President.

The report of the board of manage-

ously been maintained by private sub- many cases of serious illness. scriptions, were lodged in private houses. Then a house on Rae street several changes in our staff during the

much encouragement to receive a as a heavy loss to the home, and perkindly and almost unanimous response to their appeal, and in many years having been so excellent, her cases velunteer offerings of increased services so conscientious and faithful, amounts.

continue to be administered by a committee of ladies, chosen annually, who appoint their own officers and sermerry-go-round by courtesy of Mr. vants, and upon whom most of the Burdick; children's fete at Women's laborious details of management fall.

We submit herewith a very interesting and satisfactory report received from these ladies, and we have no doubt the subscribers will unite with us in Mr. Denham, of the Victoria theatre,

The report continues: Splendid don-ations of vegetables, fruits, jam, but-last two years has kindly served as hon, treasurer, intimates his intention the Home with much gratitude from the Society, the pressure of business. As all officers must be chosen from the committee of management, to be elected to-day, we venture to advise the selection of those with much gratitude from the Duncan Agricultural Association, also from friends and well wishers of Sait spring Island, Saanich, Sidney, Cedar venture to advise the selection of those with much gratitude from the buncan Christian Ald Society, the printed in London.

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year your committee feel that there is fruit, ice cream, candies, etc., from the habit of daily drinking the simple much to be thankful for, not only for city and district churches as also from toast, "Am Tag," meaning thereby a



As a Beautifier of the Skin Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment holds a unique position. It does not clog the pores as do unsani-tary powders but positively promotes a healthful action of the skin and thereby makes it clear, soft, smooth and velvety.

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but also for the firm conviction that abating his keen interest in the we BOARD MEETS

the home has really been the means of diffusing comfort and happiness to many who might otherwise have been left in misery and neglect, with all its attendant cylls.

abating his keen interest in the welfare of the Orphanage. We desire to greet with fervent wishes that the peace and blessings of Christmas may rest upon him and his family circle in abundant fullness.

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its attendant evils. In conclusion we desire to express events of the past year as the ladies' REPORTS TELL OF

our hearty thanks to all who have so kindly assisted, and supported our efforts, and to solicit for our successors

SATISFACTORY CONDITIONS

our hearty thanks to all who have so our indebtedness to the residents of the city of Victoria, the districts and islands and to solicit for our successors of the past year as the ladies committee of management, recognizing our indebtedness to the residents of the city of Victoria, the districts and islands are continuously assisted. continuance of your sympathy and tions been more liberally bestowed or interest in the welfare of the children Ladies' Report. The report of the ladies' committee

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:—The approach of Christmas reminds us that it is our duty and pleasure to present the eleventh an-The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the B. C. Orphans' Home was held rushday afternoon at the city hall to express our thankfulness for the To iday afternoon at the city han with President Charles Hayward in the chair. The reports were read and officers elected. There are now 48 children in the home, instead of thirty-eight last year. quent upheavals of the neighboring streets, owing to civic improvements,

in part read:

ment read by the president was as follows:

"re-sewerage and water supply, causing us often to wish fervently that the Ladies and Gentlemen:—Our highly respected and beloved friend, Bishop Cridge, when dealing some time ago with the early history of the home said: "It was a day of small things, the last few months frequently waded through mud and water school Had when the need of such an institution through mud and water to school. Had pressed itself upon the Protestants of it not been for the ever watchful care Victoria. In the beginning its opera-tions were unpretentious. The chil-change of wet shoes and stockings, By monthly accounts for dren, including those who had prev- there would probably have resulted

vas secured, to be succeeded by a new | year owing to the resignation of Miss building there, until a bequest of over Laycock, for another sphere of work, \$20,000 from John G. Taylor justified who left with the good-will and esteem the acquirement of extensive grounds of all; the work as assistant matron and premises at Hillside avenue, suitable to more advanced requirements."

It is gratifying to record that each

Mose energy, cheerfulness and capasuceeding year has found us more prosperous, and the reports to be submitted to-day still indicate substantial improvements in all directions, while the generous public of Victoria continue an vaabated interest in our wel-

fare. It gave your committee, when Is valued and appreciated matron, Mrs. collecting the annual subscriptions, Kay, on account of ill-health, comes

rding them a very hearty vote of for entertaining the children, is grate-

thanks for their efficient and economi- fully referred to by the committee

numerous fraternial societies and St. day attack on England.

Methodist Sunday school for their deep-ly appreciated consideration for the highest and best interests of the chil-

mously expressed to Dr. Holden and Dr. Lewis Hall for professional services so freely and gratuitounsly ren dered, facts which have considerably assisted the matron in the care of so

large a family. In extending thanks to all donors, the gratitude of the committee, the matron and children is most heartly expressed sel gave notice that he would apply for

Thus do we close the record of the more strikingly displayed than during the year so quickly passing away, which facts fill our hearts with gratitude and thankfulness to Him, to whom little children are ever dear and prec

Taxes ...... Insurance ...... Postage ..... Legal expenses . Loan per B. C. Land & Invest-

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Prince Henry Characterizes Part of Story as "A Beastly Lie."

London, Dec. 15.-A telegram appeared in the London papers yester-

who are willing to assume some of the our grateful thanks are also express-only be destined for use against Engarduous duties.

In reviewing the work of the past licious donations of cake, sandwiches, officers of the German warships are in

also expressed to the principal and teachers of the North Ward and Hill-side avenue schools for special acts of kindness and consideration to the chilling Great Britain. The German peodren of the Orphanage, as also to the officers and teachers of the Centennial with the British, but, he added, "We

OFFICER CONVICTED.

New York, Dec. 15.-Capt. Thomas Franklin, U. S. A., pleaded guilty here to a long series of petty embezzlements from the mess fund of the West Point He was sentenced by Judge Hand in

the United States circuit court to two years and six months in the federal

## AMATUER UNION

DOES WITHOUT BODY

Victoria West Plays Nanaimo Saturday—Starts Ball

and rowing, both of which, it is claimed obtained, notably in regard to the en-9 00 rulings of the B. C. A. A. U., were admirably conducted before the B. C. A. A. U. was formed. Eastern Canada had any difficulty in getting into any competitions back east they wanted, and will probably not have any difficulty in the future.

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and Nanaimo comes to Victoria to play against A. O. F. in the same league at Royal Athletic Park. The city league left it to the secretary and president to set the dates for the postponed matches in the city league. These will be wedged into the island schedule where the island clubs

are not engaged. PROPOSED Y.M.C.A.

Committee of Development League Will Gather Information.

AT CUMBERLAND

Cumberland, Dec. 14.-At a well attended meeting of the development league, the secretary read a large numnumerous traternal societies and st.

Andrew's Young People's Society. Also to Capt. Elliston for a summer treat, dear to the heart of children, of ice cream, strawberries and cake, and to the Junior Boys of Oak Bay for cash so unselfishly bestowed.

Indebtedness and much gratitude is Indebtedne society expect to be here early in the year to confer with the league on this matter. A strong committee was formed, consisting of Drs. Gillespie and Macabout the matter and has beld out the matter and work up support. Many other profects in the interest of this district was discussed and set in motion which will GOSMOS LINER TAKES be heard of later.

WHITE VANCOUVER ISLAND. Ernest McGaffey Calls for Its Settle- Setos Discharging Nitrate at ment by Anglo-Saxons Only.

A strong plea for a white Vancouver Island was put forward Wednesday by Ernest McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, who lectured in the First Con-

RATEPAYERS MEET AND ELECT OFFICERS

Objects of the Association-Improvements in Civic Management.

In the report submitted at the annual Ever since it was announced that the meeting of the Ratepayers' Association plans of the G. T. P. were objectionable

tinues.

There remains only the track events betterment of civic management was

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

MOUNT TOLMIE WANTS STREET CAR FACILITIES

Residents Will Ask Company ged condition, she was enable to make to Commence Service Immediately.

At a meeting of the South Saanich Municipal Council held Tuesday evening the question of getting better transportation facilities for the district was taken up, and it was decided to memoralize the B. C. Electric Railway

The district is rapidly being settled Naughton, Rev. M. Hastings and Mr. some hopes of the service being in-Campbell, secretary, to go into details

CANADIAN EXHIBIT

Outer Dock-Has Big Cargo Aboard.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

WATERFRONT BONDED WEST OF HARBOR

Will Probably Be Scramble for Best Locations Available for Ocean-going Craft.

Ever since it was announced that the

Tuesday one object of the association was stated to be "the insuring of the election of men properly qualified to administer public affairs, and towards this end efforts are made to draw to-Holling.

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The victoria and District Association of the company's boats, the efforts are made flotts are made of the and of the company's boats, the efforts are made of the and of the company's boats, the efforts are made of the same of the sa

Barquentine Leaked Badly But Was Returning Under Own Sail When Picked Up.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) After fighting what, for several days, culty in the future.

O'clock for young men who are away appeared to be a losing battle with the from home. It has been the custom of elements, and sending for assistance

> then crowded on all possible sail to run a position 170 miles southwest of Cape Flattery for relief. Despite her This is mostly fir and will be used in rough experience, the Benicla lost but the export business. few sails, and when the breeze calmed down, notwithstanding her waterlog-

Immediate news of the Benicia's presearch, but apparently missed her, for she sighted nothing in the way of assistance until the Tyee spoke her at the position noted. As soon as the seas calmed down Capt. Hayes was able, with pumps aboard, to materially re-duce the water in her hold, which made sailing easier. As she lies at anchor, the Benicia is still deep in the Company to place passenger cars on the Mount Tolmie line, which is now ance of being other than a heavily quested to turn out. being utilized by the compnay for their loaded craft. In all 250,000 ties were gravel trains.

ber of communications from various and the people feel that the business sources, among which were two from Y.M.C.A. officials in the east. They warrants such a move The people will materilly lessen the expense of re-Capt. Hayes' belief is that the leak

> BELLEROPHEN COMING HERE ON SUNDAY

News Received That Prothesilaus Will Sail February 5 for This Port.

lihood be represented by Alds. Hender-Blue Funnel liner Bellerophon is expected to arrive back here on Sunday next after filling her bunkers in readiness for the long voyage to England. She has her new propellers working well, and has taken a quantity of cargo at Vancouver

## REAL ESTATE STILL ACTIVE

EXAGGERATED REPORTS HAVING BAD EFFECT

Many Offers Being Made to Owners of Central Prop-

well known business men. The prop-

erty will eventually be converted inbusiness property. A property which changed hands yesterday was that of the block on Fort stret lying between the Brown Jug saloon and the new Pemberton block. The property has been taken over by a syndicate for \$175,000, and it is understood that it will be improved

in the near future.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The complete returns of Lillonet Immediate news of the Benicia's pre-licament was given out private tugs and government vessels hurried out to Eagleson, the late member.

-The total bank clearings for the

ported by the Victoria Clearing House, Were \$1,714,907. -The regular practice of the Y.M.C. A. lifeboat crew will be held on Satur-

-The funeral of the late Clifford M. Scales took place "Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clook from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's pariors, where Rev. John Grundy conducted an appropirate service. Interment took place in Ross Bay cemetery.

terian church and their friends listened to an extremely interesting and in-structive address given by Rev. Dr. Campbell on "Astronomy" in the lecture hall of the church last Monday evening. -The annual meeting of the Union of Municipalities of British Columbia is to be held at North Vancouver on

Friday and Saturday of this week. The

Victoria City Council will in all like-

-The club members of First Presby

son and Turner. -Pursuant to instructions from Ottawa Postmaster Shakespeare has no-tified box-holders of an increase in the scale of rent. From the first of the new year the rents will be \$4, \$6, \$8 and \$12, according to size, the higher

per littale of the committee. The matter of most horizont is most heartly expressed to one whose gifts have continued from month with unified abundance, viz., our generous friend, Tony Shivin, of the E. & N. railway, who has supplied in unstituted liberality matter of delt rot the children, which he deposited with the United states are stated with the deposited with the d