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ALL PULL TOGETHER.

The collecting committee of the New Westminster celebration in connection with the exhibition has received up to the present time over \$2000, and the work is not yet completed.

SCHOOLS AND RELIGION.

Joseph Martin, M. P., has written to the Globe a letter commenting on Rev. Dr. Grant's exposition of the Manitoba school question, in which he convicts Dr. Grant of several inaccuracies.

Archbishop Croke of Ireland to Mr. Stead, in the course of an interview relating to Australia and New Zealand.

This answer, coming from a high dignitary of the Catholic church, will doubtless be a little startling, if not instructive, to many people who prate about "godless" schools.

A VARIETY OF TREATMENT.

Mr. Girouard was appointed to the supreme court bench immediately after the resignation of Mr. Justice Fournier, the promptness in this case being in strange contrast with the delay in selecting new chief justices for Quebec and New Brunswick.

THE EXPENSE SIDE.

Much has been said of the big crop of wheat garnered this season by the farmers of Manitoba and the Northwest, but the expense side of the account has not received any large amount of consideration.

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ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

Frank Clune, the Boy Tramp, Placed in the Provincial Reformatory.

Why He Left His Home in Toronto and How He Crossed the Mission.

Frank Clune, the boy tramp, who traveled from Toronto to Mission station in the luxurious palace cars of the Canadian Pacific railway, without paying a cent, and yet didn't have a pass, arrived here last evening.

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SHOOTING ON THE ISLAND.

To the Editor: I observe an article on grouse shooting on the Colonel of the 4th inst.

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MAKES PLANTS GROW.

A New Use Has Been Found for the Electric Current.

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