

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Messrs. Foster and Angers to Be Asked to Visit Nanaimo.

Canned Salmon Shipment to Liverpool—Father Morgan Badly Injured.

(Special to the Colonist.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 19.—[Resolved that the employment of ladies in clerical positions is detrimental to the welfare of the country.] is the subject chosen for the next debate of the Burrard Inlet Literary Club. This society has recently elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, A. C. Stuart; Vice President, W. P. McNeil; Secretary, C. C. May.

Action to secure damages from the city is threatened by one of the public scavengers, whose horse fell into an excavation on Campbell street. The cause of complaint is that the excavation was not properly guarded. Sailors are not admitted to the Vancouver city hospital. In consequence of Philip Williams, of the Empire of India, has gone to the R. C. hospital at Westminster.

The successful tenderers for the police uniforms find they made a mistake, and the contract has been awarded to W. Murphy.

The number of city voters is the same as last year. Bill-Living & Patterson have dissolved partnership. Mr. Bell-Living continuing the business.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 20.—There was a wild orgie at the Indian ranches, yesterday, which was suppressed with difficulty by the police. A negro is suspected of having supplied the whiskey.

The Mayor has received a despatch from the Deputy Attorney General stating that Mr. C. W. Robson has been appointed re-visor of the year.

Mr. J. W. Horne, M.P.E., left for Chicago to-day. He will be absent a month. Rapid progress is being made with the Y. M. I. building; the handsome Sullivan block on Cordova street is finished, and Captain Thompson's new block on Hastings street is nearly completed.

Ben Brennan was fined \$100 for supplying liquor to the Indians. Mr. Holman, the real estate man, is arranging to migrate to South Africa. Mr. Holman mentions the names of forty-seven British Columbians who will leave for the new English colony before next summer.

Messrs. Draper & Leithhead, wholesale cigar importers, have failed. A number more streets of Vancouver will be paved with concrete and bitumen.

Reports come from Valdes Island that several camps are closing down for the winter. On Monday the council of the Vancouver and Westminster Board of Trade will meet to discuss matters to be submitted to the Dominion Minister of Finance.

The pavements are being laid along Cordova street by various owners. Mr. Barnham, who manufactures shoes, is to locate here. He came to Vancouver through the advice of Emigrant Agent M. A. McLean.

The British ship Anadale sailed for Vancouver on October 20. The Government steamer Quadra is in port. Taylor & Davis have dissolved partnership. W. S. Taylor will continue.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 19.—A car load of salmon, consisting of 450 cases, was shipped per C.P.R. to-day from Laidlaw's cannery to Liverpool, England.

Premier Davis passed through the city to-day homeward bound from the Delta, where he was dining at the hotel. He was accompanied by the directors of the Agricultural society.

Rev. Father Morgan, O.M.L., was thrown from a carriage this afternoon and had his collar bone broken, besides experiencing a bad shaking up. He is confined to St. Mary's hospital.

Elaborate ceremonies were conducted at Holy Trinity cathedral to-day in connection with the dedication of a pipe organ. New Westminster, Oct. 20.—Three carloads of canned salmon, killed to London, England, went East to-day over the C.P.R.

The two story dwelling house owned by a man named Smith, at North Arm junction, was completely destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The fire broke out in the kitchen, and before it was discovered was so far advanced that the family was unable to check the flames. Loss, \$2,000; no insurance.

Application was made in the Supreme Court chambers, before Justice McCreight, this morning, for the release on writ of habeas corpus of Alfred Trites, who had been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for selling stolen goods.

Trites released on the ground that irregularities had occurred in the conviction and commitment of the defendant.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Oct. 19.—Mayor Haslam received a letter this afternoon from Hon. G. R. Foster, Minister of Finance, stating that he and Hon. Mr. Angers would be in Victoria on the 29th, and would like to visit Nanaimo to hear a deputation of citizens on trade and tariff matters. A special meeting of the Board of Trade was held this evening to consider the letter. It was decided that an official invitation be extended the Ministers to visit this city.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, Oct. 19.—John Henderson, alias Kingston Jack, was, on Monday last, committed to Nanaimo jail by Indian Agent Lomas, for six months at hard labor, for supplying whiskey to Indians. Two Indians, for being in possession of the fire water, were ordered to come up for judgment when called upon.

His Honor Judge E. Harrison held a County court on Tuesday last. Two cases were heard and judgment summed up. The business of the County court has doubled itself within the last year—44 cases, 6 judgment summonses and 2 garnishee summonses were entered during the year.

Yesterday, Indian Agent Lomas sent up James Kinnear for four months to Nanaimo for supplying intoxicants to Indians. The Cowichan Literary Society held the first musical and literary entertainment of the season at the Agricultural hall to-night (Thursday).

Winipeg Tribune: A crusade against side-saddles was recently commenced by one of the fair sex of Vernon, B.C., who is now riding with a divided skirt. They pronounced the trial a success and are controlling the horse with concern and ease to the rider.

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The boundaries of the North Arm school district have been re-defined, the particulars being contained in the Gazette of yesterday.

FRANCIS H. TUCK has been gazetted as District Registrar of Yale, and Messrs. George E. Powell and Loftus Browne, of Victoria, as notaries public.

The first day of January, 1894, has been substituted for November 1, 1893, as the date upon which the Fire Insurance Policy Act of this year will come into force.

In pursuance of notice given in the Watt election case, the petition contesting Dr. Watt's return was yesterday dismissed in the Supreme court, for want of evidence in support.

SIMON LEISER, the Yates street wholesale merchant, will take into partnership with him Emmanuel Bloomingdale, of San Francisco. The union will not come into effect till about the beginning of the year.

REV. D. M. MACLEOD, of Barrie, Ont., brother of P. McF. Macleod, of this city, has a letter in the Toronto Globe of the 10th inst. in justification of the course pursued by Mr. Macleod of Victoria, and a condemnation of the action of the Presbytery thereon.

FRANK FREER, a young mechanic of this city, was arrested in San Francisco on a charge of smuggling, Wednesday, opium having been found in his hand, and a trunk, and the prosecution evincing no desire to be hard on him, he was released on paying a \$50 fine.

The Japan Herald announces that the Victoria schooner Maud S., Captain McKel, arrived in Yokohama on the 25th September from the North, having 20 sealions on board. She had decided to carry out the instructions received from the Russian cruiser which overhauled her off Copper Island, and to consult Troop.

The Lieutenant-Governor in council has established a district office for the recording of instruments and registration of titles affecting real estate within "Yale district," the limits of which are defined as including the Cariboo, Lillooet and Yale electoral districts. The district office will be open for the transaction of business from and after the 1st of November.

MR. DANIEL MCDONALD and Miss Della Hart were married last evening, the wedding being an entirely private affair, and attended only by the immediate friends of the contracting parties. Mrs. Murray supported the bride, and Mr. Quinn was best man. After the ceremony a quiet little house warming party was held at the home of the newly wedded couple.

FORMAL notice has been given that on or before the 31st December, the Municipal Council of C. G. Quinn intends making application to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for an extension of the municipal limits to the extension to include all lands between the municipal boundary and the Pitt river, and also, all lands between the Pitt river and the Fraser river, on the south.

ALD. JOHN AND MRS. BYRNE, of Olympia, are enjoying the first days of their wedded life in Victoria, having arrived here on their honeymoon trip direct from Tacoma, where the ceremony took place last Wednesday. The bride was Miss Margaret Daley, of Tacoma, and the marriage was solemnized at St. Luke's church. Very Rev. Father E. Hylton officiated. Mr. Alexander Drysdale acted as groomsmen, and Miss Enslin Andrews, of Tacoma, as bridesmaid.

The Alborn gold mines so far discovered lie within the inland railway land grant consequently the surface rights belong to that company. In fact, it has all along been a question whether all minerals, including gold and silver, were conveyed to the company with the land. Prospector who have located claims are now seeking to know their standing in the matter. Some have having claims which have been consulted Mr. Danesmith in the matter have been satisfied with the result of their interview.

ROBERT MCMAUS, editor of the Wellington Advertiser, is in the city on appointment. He is one of a committee of three appointed by the people of Wellington to hold a consultation with Mr. James Danesmith in regard to the affairs of the town, especially about the proposed new station and round-house there. Mr. McMaus says that No. 5 shaft in the Wellington mines was lighted up with electricity for the first time on Saturday last, the light being supplied by a 15 horse-power dynamo. No. 4, a shaft which was flooded in consequence of fire, some time ago, will soon be in operation and it is likely that the whole town will shortly be lighted by electricity.

The last respects were paid to the remains of the late Rev. Father Mandart, yesterday morning. Requiem mass was celebrated at the cathedral in the morning, after which the cortege formed and proceeded to Saanich, the pallbearers at the church and grave being Messrs. M. McTernan, Thomas Desay, J. Bentley, D. McDougall, P. Sehl and J. Strain. At the cemetery in Saanich there was an immense crowd of Indians to supplement the white mourners of the dead priest, his dusky flock being no less devout than their white brethren.

Right Rev. Bishop Lovett conducted the services at the graveside, where the assembled friends were allowed to take a last look at the venerable priest, who lay peacefully and naturally in his final sleep. His resting place is one which he picked up himself, and is a spot that one would look with longing after such a busy and useful life as the one just closed. It is not yet known to what purpose or to whom the deceased gentleman left what property he had, but most likely it will be bequeathed to an orphanage or some such institution, with the objects of which he was known to be much in sympathy.

KAYKAKEE, Ill., Oct. 20.—Seven persons were killed and ten injured in a wreck that occurred on the Illinois Central road at 11:30 last night at Otto, a few miles from this town. The accident was caused by a head-on collision between a fast mail train No. 2, which was due in Chicago at midnight last night, and a freight train.

THIRTY-EIGHT FOUNDS.

BRAITFORD, Aug. 25.—The Courier of this week devotes a column to the case of Archie Rymal of this city, who was discharged some time ago from the hospital here as incurable, and went to his mother's home to die. He was so far gone that he could not move hand, foot or head, and could not change his position without assistance.

His wife hearing of so many so called incurable cases being cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after every other known remedy had failed, purchased a box. After taking nineteen boxes, Rymal is as well as ever, and has gained in weight from 107 to 145 pounds. This case is startling, but true.

THE FERTILE DELTA.

Annual Show and Fair at Ladner's—An Exhibition Worthy of the District.

Premier Davis and Hon. Mr. Turner Hospitably Entertained by the Association.

The annual exhibition of the Delta Agricultural Association was held at Ladner's Landing on Wednesday last, the 18th inst., and was largely attended. There was a magnificent display of cereals, roots, vegetables, fruits and flowers, whilst the exhibit of live stock excelled that of any previous year, the horses in particular being pronounced better than at any other exhibition in the Province. The show was opened at 2 o'clock p. m. by Hon. J. H. Turner, Minister of Finance, who in a highly instructive speech interested the audience for fully half an hour, and was warmly applauded throughout.

After the opening of the exhibition, Hon. Mr. Davis, at the invitation of the president, Mr. Patterson, made a few remarks. Hon. Mr. Turner remained during the afternoon, returning to New Westminster by the steamer Transfer at 5:30 p. m.

In the evening a banquet was given by the association to Hon. Mr. Davis, and was presided over by Mr. Patterson. Mr. Benson, the reeve, occupying the vice-chair, and about forty people surrounding the tables. Full justice was done to the excellent bill-of-fare provided by Mr. Bunyon, of the Ladner's hotel. Amongst the toasts that of the Government of British Columbia and the Legislature were proposed.

Hon. Mr. Turner responded to by Hon. Mr. Davis and Mr. Punch, M.P.P.; that of the Delta Agricultural association was proposed by Hon. Mr. Davis, and responded to by the president and Hon. Mr. Turner. "The Press," proposed by the Reeve, responded to by Mr. McLean, of the World, and Mr. Galbraith, of the Pacific Canadian; "The Ladies," proposed by Mr. Wm. Ladner, was responded to by Mr. Grant. A party broke up about one o'clock a. m., a thoroughly good time having been enjoyed.

Yesterday morning Hon. Mr. Davis, in company with Messrs. M. McTernan, M.P.P., and Mr. McLean, drove to New Westminster, and inspected, on the way, the dyke which has just been constructed by the Delta municipality. Hon. Mr. Davis returned home by the Premier last evening; Hon. Mr. Turner taking the river steamer.

CARIBOO GOLD MINES.

T. H. and H. E. Flynn, owners of the Discovery and Alabama hydraulic mines, situated on Morquette creek, near Barkerville, arrived down on Wednesday night, and are stopping at the hotel here. The Messrs. Flynn were in Victoria 19 years ago, and so far know the place, so great a change has been made. Mr. T. H. Flynn was a former resident of Victoria, the municipal boundary, the city limits of New Westminster and the Fraser river, on the south.

He went to Cariboo to try his fortunes in the gold mines in 1874, and three years later was joined by his brother. They acquired the Discovery claim on Morquette creek, which was one of the richest mines in the early history of Barkerville. The gold from this creek is of the finest quality and richest color, and many lovely specimens are obtained. The Messrs. Flynn have been very successful in their mining operations.

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The Spanish fair was attended by a large number of Victorians yesterday afternoon, the races being the great attraction. There was some very good sport in these. The half-mile running race for Saanich and Lake forces was won by Mr. Dean Tommy D. In the mile trot for all comers, Dr. Frank Hall's Canadian Boy won the first heat, and finished first in the second, but the judge gave the race to a runner on the back stretch, left his field a sixteenth of a mile. The time by quarters was 32; 104; 1:34; 2:05.

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