SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form. (From Tuesday's Daily.) -The Y. M. C. A. fair under the pa

tronage of the Lieut.-Governor will take place on December 11 and 12. -The British Columbia Benevolent Society distributed provisions, etc., to the amount of \$168.15 amongst the poor dur-

-The case of Harold W. Tennyson, til Wednesday morning.

Hereafter the mails for Kaslo, Nelson, etc., will close Mondays and Fridays at 12 midnight, arriving Sundays and Tuesdays at 6 a.m. by the Sound steamer.

-Seventy-four candidates are taking the examination for admission to the Victoria high school. The same examination is being held in different parts of the province.

-Sara Lord Bailey, the Boston elocutionist, had a fair audience last night at Victoria theatre. She gave a well seproved her ability as a reciter, and pleased the audience.

-Governor Moresby, of the New Westminster penitentiary, arrived from residents and was respected by all. New Westminster to-day with Stoebel, who is charged with the Huntingdon murder, and a boy who is to go to the reformatory for larceny.

-The municipal voters' list is now ready to lay before the court of revision which meets next week. On the list are 3073 mayoralty voters, for school trustees 250 less and for aldermen, centre ward, 769; south ward, 874, and north

-It is unofficially given out that the lucky tenderers on the government building contracts are as follows: Stone work, Adams & Co.; plumbing, J. L. Stamford; carpenter work, A. J. Smith; galvanize i iron and cornice work, Perry & Co.; plastering, Mr. Drake.

-While playing with a small rifle this morning! Herbert Pendray, the young son of W. J. Pendray, was accidentally shot. The ball entered the breast, and is supposed to have lodged in the lungs. The boy was this afternoon reported to be in a dangerous condition.

-Captain William Webster, passenger and freight agent for Puget Sound and British Columbia for the Oceanic Steamship Company, has appointed H. E. Connon local agent. Particulars regarding freight and passage to Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia can be obtained at Mr. Connon's office, Bastion square.

-It is understood arrangements are nearly completed for supplying the Leander tepid swimming bath with salt water. The business the bath has enjoyed since it was opened has assured the management that it is already a Victoria "institution," and that the outlay wharf is warranted. The tank will be for bringing ocean water from the outer still more popular with the Victoria public when it is filled with the clear, fresh brine from the straits, heated to a comfortable temperature.

The Christ Church Cathedral Magazine announces the special arrangements for advent as follows: In addition to the regular services the bishop will hold a Bible class every Tuesday afternoon at and short addresses upon the church catechism will be given by Canon Beanlands on Wednesday at 8 o'clock, and there will also be a series of short sermons by Rev. J. B. Hewetson on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The annual sale of work by the "Willing Workers" is also announced for Wednesday, Dec.

13, in aid of the Sunday schools. -Temperance workers met in Temperance Hall last night and discussed the formation of a new temperance form-Noah Shakespeare had the chair. Rev. Ebenezer Robson advocated the union of the temperance and prohibition elements at the polls; that was the only way to eradicate the drinking evil. The present organizations did not accomplish what was wished. The citizens should put good men into power at the council board and that would help to stop the infringements on the license laws. Rev. A. B. Winchester thought there was something more needed. What was he did not know. He warned his hearers that unless they destroyed the liquor traffic the liquor traffic would destroy them and their children. Several vocal and instrumental selections were given and the meeting terminated.

-Joseph Lee was convicted in the police court this morning of stealing a wa- ing plant, which is said to be the most terproof coat from the store of W. G. complete on the Pacific coast. Cameron; one month. Ed. McGann stole a mackintosh from S. Reid's store, was found guilty and sentenced to three months at hard labor. His companion, Thomas Rowan, to whom McGann threw coat after stealing it, was charged with being in possession of stolen prop- fore last the storm became worse than erty. The charge did not stand and the ever, and the Morans saw the futility of case was dismissed. Andrew, Indian, (waiting for the waters to become calm drunk, was fined \$5 in the city police | for a long enough period to get the coffined \$25 for being in possession of a ed to stop work until early spring, when bottle of rye whiskey. Christian Peter- they will again make the attempt, which son is the man who was arrested by Con- they are confident will be successful. stable Hutcheson, of the provincial po- The ship has weathered two severe winlice, while lurking about at McNeill's. Peterson's cabin was searched and a take an unusually heavy gale to do it multifarious collection was found, Many of the articles were identified as having been stolen and several charges were made out against him. Magistrate Macrae heard the charges and committed Peterson for trial.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) -The Philadelphia and Adams, American warships, are at Nanaimo. -R. P. Rithet & Co., Limited, received a shipment of 200 tons of sugar by the steamship Victoria, a greater part of The firm have which has been sold. made arrangements to draw heavy supplies of sugar from both Hong Kong and Australia. The Victoria finished

discharging this morning and sailed at in the affirmative and a committee ap-

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair.

DRPRICE'S
Geam Baking
Powder

-John Coughlan has been elected a director of the tramway company vice Hon. D. W. Higgins, resigned. —The date of the ball to be given by

the three K. of P. lodges and the Uniform Rank, is Friday, Dec. 29th.

—Ald. Belyea has a notice on the bulletin board asking for returns from the city engineer regarding the sewers and the use the public have so far made of

-W. H. Pegram, paying teller in the charged with the theft of a silver watch Bank of British Columbia, and Miss from Ole Hansen, has been continued un- Pearse, niece of Mrs. F. H. Worlock, vere married at 4 o'clock this afternoon at Christ church cathedral.

-A Chinaman came to the police station this afternoon and said that a white. man had thrashed him. The celestia did not show any marks on his body. He gave no reason for the assault. -The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Pres

byterian church held its annual election last night. The officers named were J. A. McIntosh, president; Mrs. Kin naird, vice-president; Miss Wilson, se retary, and Mr. Hay, treasurer.

-Mrs. Ellen Liddell, of this city, a pioneer of the province, died last night lected programme of recitations that after a short illness. The deceased was sister to Mr. Thomas Russell, ex city treasurer, and leaves several children. She was well known to the early -The ladies' committee of the P. O.

Home thankfully acknowledge the following donations in November: One dozen bread, J. J. Wilson; nine pairs of clothing, Mrs. Caton; cakes and fruit. I. O. O. F.; cakes, meat and bread, A. C W.: hoods, jackets, toys and baby's carriage, Miss Gladys Ida Bush; two boxes of grapes, J. & A. Clearihue.

In the police court, Tom Indian, and Mary, klootchman, were each fined \$5 for being drunk. The Tennyson larceny case was adjourned till Friday morning. The case of William Helgran charged with assaulting Hermann Smith comes up for hearing Thursday morning. James Vye, aged 10, was fined \$5 for using firearms within the city limits. The gun | tic Company will present the comedy and amunition were confiscated as the boy is a minor.

-An active volcano on the American side of the straits was one of the scenes witnessed by the passengers on the steamer Maude, which returned to-day from Alberni. Beyond this phenomenon and a good deal of disagreeable weather, the trip was uneventful. Advices re ceived from China Creek says work is progressing satisfactorily on the Golden Eagle claim. T. S. Gore, F. B. Gregory and E. Bremner returned from San Juan where they have been shooting. The other passengers were: T. Stockham, F. Hennessy and H. Wager.

-Dick Boss, who occupies one of the cabins on Chatham street, is in the city lock-up, and a charge of cutting and wounding is registered against him. Boss was arrested by Police Officer Abel on the information of Charley, a west coast Indian, whom he is charged with cutting and wounding. The Indian showed a deep gash on the right arm, and several ugly cuts in the thigh. The cutting took place in Boss' cabin, into which place the Indian says he was enticed by the white man. Boss says the Indian came into his cabin to get liquor, and he turned him out. 'in'y

were both intoxicated ... -F. Victor Austin has met with flatthe leading families of Victoria in the high-class subscription concerts which he is arranging. Mr. Austin has engaged Foresters' Hall, Government street, in which to hold the concerts the third Tuesday of every month, the first to be given in January. Messrs. Green, Worlock & Co., are the financial agents for Mr Austin and subscribers' checks will be handled there. The programmes are now being prepared by Mr. Austin with a special view to the cultivated taste of the audience. Music of the so-called "popular" variety will be excluded in favor of judicious selections from the great oratorios, operas and classical works of the

masters. "The big iron collier San Pedro will remain on Brotchie ledge, at the entrance to Victoria harbor, until spring. unless some unusually severe gale tears her loose from her rocky bed, for Moran Bros., who have been trying to raise her for over a month, have been forced by continuous bad weather to abandon the enterprise until a prolonged calm. They are more confident than before they undertook the task, however, that they can raise the ship with their wreckweeks of good weather were necessary to the making of repairs to the cofferdam, as a diver would not work while heavy seas were breaking over the ship. The weather did not improve, and nearly a month was spent in waiting. Night be Johnny, Cowichan Indian, was ferdam repaired. They therefore decidters, and is so firmly lodged that it will further damage. Ex-Mayor Robert Moran, who is at the head of the enterprise returned home yesterday, and his brothers and the employes will return with the plant in a few days."-Seattle Post-In-

telligencer. (From Thursday's Daily.) -The new provincial government buildng contracts were signed yesterday. -There was one drunk in the police ourt this morning, so drunk that he had to be remanded till to-morrow. -At a fairly well attended meeting of the Y. M. C. A., held last night, question "Does Victoria Need a Y. M. C. A.?" was discussed. It was decided

5 o'clock for Tacoma in charge of Pilot pointed to confer with the directors on plans for the improvement of the work. -It is probable that the Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs' conference will take place at San Francisco on January 30th.

A well-attended entertainment was

given in St. John's school room last night. The programme was interest-Oliver Harbel has presented the provincial museum with 250 butterflies obtained during his recent trip through the

-Dick Boss was sentenced to three nonths' hard labor by Magistrate Macrae in the police court this morning for wounding Indian Johnny. -Barlow's minstrels showed to a good ouse last evening. The specialties were above the average, the juggler, tumblers and contortionist being particularly good.

There are several good vocalists in the

company. -Two of the minstrels had a dispute chind the scenes in the opera house last night, which ended in a fight. Fireman Pettigrew interfered and separated the combatants, but not before they had disfigured each other somewhat. This little incident did not interrupt the pro-

-The school trustees will have three ew teachers to appoint during the Christmas vacation. At the close of the present term three of the young ladies at present teaching are to be married. There is one each from the James Bay, Victoria West and Spring Ridge schools

stockings, Mrs. Brocklehurst; cakes, C. take place on Tuesday, Dec. 19th, in E. Society of St. Andrew's church; Temperance hall, Victoria west, There will be music by the children and a Christmas tree for them. The ladies of the congregation are already at work Railway Company have been sitting preparing for the festival.

The 70th annual drawing of the Vancouver Island Building Society took Jack for the company, and Cornelius place last evening. The committee was Booth is the umpire. and George Gawley. The lucky shares entitled to an appropriation of \$2,000.

The Victoria West Amateur Dramahim \$350. The witnesses called by

drama "Strife" at Semple's hall, Victoria cotte, Simpson, Turgoose, Sandover, E. West, on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15 Johns, Geo. Harrison, W. Veitch and and 16. The parts have been given out | S. Roberts. and rehearsed and the performers will ed: Messrs. E. M. Johnson, Sadler, Brybe up to the excellent standard establish- ant, Simpson and McIllmoye. The case ed by the company in the past. -Miss Grace Seabrooks, daughter of

Miss Seabrooks is the brave little woman who came around the Horn on the Hall and went to Japan on her last season on the sealing cruise.

David Stevens, of Westford Lake district, and Miss Laura Hill were married at Christ Church Cathedral yesterday morning by Canon Beanlands. H. Swinerton was best man and Miss Hill, sister of the bride, bridesmaid. The bridal costume was handsome. Many pretty presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will make their wedding tour through the Sound country and

-D. Gregory Smith, of Saanich, who cently returned from a hunting expedifion in the vicinity of Cowichan lake, rought home an immense elk's head, the antlers on which are exactly four feet long and very regular. It is one of the prettiest sets of antlers ever brought to the city. It is being mounted by Lindtering success in his efforts to interest tiful around Cowichan lake, but are hard to kill on account of the snow.

-Thomas Lawson will interview Police Magistrate Macrae in the police court Friday morning. Lawson was arrested this afternoon by Constable Redgrave on a charge of burglarizing the premises of Mr. Cavin, of the Burnside road, over week ago. A diamond pin, a gold watch and wearing apparel were stolen. Lawson was arrested while trying to seil portion of the wearing apparel. Lawson ves in a haystack near the exhibition uilding, where some of the booty is suposed to be.

There is considerable work going on at the Merchants' Exchange Club in the Board of Trade building and the premses will soon be ready to receive the ecessary furniture. The ranges are being placed in the kitchen and the luncheon and reading rooms are being kalsomined. The general committee will meet to-morrow when the sub-committee on supply and the Merchants' Exchange sub-committee will report progress and the opening day will probably Applications for membership named. are still coming in and the success of

the club is now assured. -The British Columbia Pioneer Society held its annual meeting last night. The officers elected were: President, A. Graham; vice-president, G. Fairbrother; treasurer, E. J. Thain; secretary, J. J. Austin; physician, Dr. J. S. Helmeken; ing in he passed a large hulk floating botuditor, C. Booth; janitor, R. Ridley. Directors-C. Bossi, chairman; A. Flewin, A. Jack, A. Jackson and T. Tugwell. On motion of Cornelius Booth resolution was passed amending the constitution by creating the sons pioneers honorary members until the age The annual banquet will of 21. held Saturday next at the Hotel Victo-

-The new officers of Alexandria lodge. 116, Sons of England, were elected last night as follows: President, Bro. G. Watkins; P. president, F. T. Plow; president, C. H. Winter; chaplain, W. Bull: secretary, J. Critchley; treasurer, C. F. Beaven; surgeon, Dr. Wade; committee, B. F. Shepheard, J. R. Williams, H. E. Smith, D. Critchley, William Fernyhough and G. Canning; outer guard, Geo. Jelfs: inner guard, Geo. Millett: auditors, T. Bowness, H. Watts and G. B. Parry; delegate to grand lodge, which neets at Toronto, Ont, Col. Prior, M. The election of trustees next meet-

-The Southern Pacific railway has issued the following circular: The undersigned beg to announce that 30 days' time will be given on special tickets sold at any point on this company's Pacific system, for San Francisco and return, account the Midwinter Fair; these tickets to be good for continuous trips both going and returning. Also, that to the purchasers of the Midwinter Fair tickets from our Pacific system points, we will send excursion tickets from San Francisco to points in California, usable with in the 340 days' limit herein named, at one and one-fifth fare for points over 150 miles from San Francisco, and one and one-third fare for 150 miles or less from San Francisco. The minimum rates for such tickets will be one dollar. Rate from Portland to San Francisco and return will be \$25 plus \$2.50 for five admissions to the fair. Rates from other stations in Oregon will be made in like Tickets will not be on sale manner. Used in Millions of Homes-40 Years the Stan ard until the Midwinter Fair opens.

INSIDIOUS TYPHOID.

The Deadly Fever Cuts Off a Promising

Young Physician. Nanaimo, Dec. 7 .- Dr. Young died in Nanaimo hospital yesterday morning from typhoid fever, aged 30. The doctor had returned to the city after atending the Kennedy murder trial, and it was then that he arranged to take charge of the practice of Dr. Davis during the latter's visit to California. While o engaged he was taken ill and went to the hospital in a very weak condition. The deceased was colliery surgeon at Union for a few years. The will probably take place on Friday.

The fire department intend to give a a grand dinner at the formal opening of

the new fire hall next week. Ex-Mayor Hilbert's stock of furniture will be sold by auction next week. will devote his time to undertaking The sudden disappearance of J. Cohen for many years a barber here, is regretted by nearly every business man in town. Probably they may come across "Jim" again elsewhere, and then they can take their accounts out in trade. The Hamilton powder works at North field is being furnished with heavy machinery to increase the manufacturing

w. Wilson has taken over the restaurant department of the Wilson hotel from W. H. Philpott. He now controls the

"My Turn Next," a comedietta, was re-The anniversary Christmas festival produced last evening at St. Paul's Inat Victoria West Methodist church will stitute for the benefit of the juveniles.

Farmers vs. Railway. The arbitrators in the case of Edwin Johns, Sr., vs. the Victoria & Sidney since Tuesday morning. G. W. Anderson is the arbitrator for Mr. Johns, Alex. omposed of Joshua Holland, D. Dale right-of-way passes through Mr. John's farm at Saanich, cutting off a valuable proved to be 85 A and B, standing in corner of it. Mr. Johns claims that his he name of L. W. Nunns, who is thus farm is damaged by the railway to the Mr. Johns were Messrs. Sluggett, Mar-The railway company callwas still in progress to-day. Next week a similar claim for \$2,000 made by Geo. Capt. Brown of the schooner W. P. Harrison will be heard by the arbitrawas married at Pasadena, Cal., tors. In this case the arbitrators are: yesterday to Frank Healy of that city. John Sluggett for Harrison, Alex. Jack for the company and C. Booth umpire.

> VANCOUVER. Vancouver, Dec. 5.-The following r solution passed the council last night

It is deemed expedient that the waterworks department should be placed under control of three commissioners, as provided in clause 144, sub-section 3 of the charter.' The Dominion government will be pe titioned at once to establish a postal de-

ivery in Vancouver. Forty Scottish Highlanders formed a society last night, electing A. M. McLean as their chieftain. Almost every city official with offices

in the city building is down with la grippe. It is epidemic in the city. It is said the C. P. R. has given an or der to Denny Bros. of Dumbarton, Scotland, for an 18-knot paddle steamer to be put on the Vancouver-Victoria route. treaties in their entirety, she can no more ship of the coast. The weather is pleas-Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Perry, wife by a single government notification inval-of Capt. Perry of the steamer Warrimoo, idate or abrogate any particular clause in attendance. fell on the sidewalk on Tuesday and

broke her leg.

The tug Lorne came in from the cape

last night, and went to Comox to tow the Martha to sea. J. H. Lewis of Seattle, representing the British Columbia bondsmen of the seized steamer Coquitlam, has made formal tender of the vessel to the collector of customs at Port Townsend. The local officials are awaiting Alaska advices, in which district the Coquitlam was seized, before proceeding in the

While the City of Kingston was on her way out of the harbor this morning she either struck or there was some accident aboard, for there was a full stop near the black buoy. She continued her journey without communicating with the

The steamship Victoria will leave for Yokohama, Japanese and Chinese ports | 100 in 1897; 55 banks with a capital of on Wednesday next. She will have a 11,985,0000 yen in 1898; and 57 banks good freight and will take away a number of Chinese on their way home for the holiday season.

Capt. Jameson, of the schooner Spokane, which has arrived at Port Gamble from San Francisco, reports that on banks in the majority of cases. All the Friday last when off Cape Flattery comtom up. He could not make out any name and could not tell whether she was coppered or painted, there were so many barnacles on her. The bearings were: Cape Flattery, 15 miles west, and Cape Beale, north, three-quarters west

The Japanese Policeman,

We are so fond of the Japanese police that we take a special pleasure in chronicling their achievements. Did we possess the narrative powers of Captain McQuahae of H. M. S. Imperieuse we could make this not andoubtedly amusing: but in default we must leave our readers to their imaginations to picture the scene for themselves. On her passage of the inland sea the Imperieuse was temporarily anchored off an unopened and unpretentious port. Presently the quartermaster on duty at the gangway reported to the gallant captain that a native policeman had come aboard and demanded to see him on particular busi-"Admit him" was Captain Mcness. Quahae's undaunted rejoinder, and the constable with awe-inspiring hat and fastened to the usual sword was duly admitted accordingly. Holding in one hand a lighted lantern, he with the other extracted a Japanese-English phrase book, and asked in broken English: "Where you come from?" "Nagasaki." "Where do you go to?" "Kobe." "No you must not, you have no business here." "Oh, really." "You must go back where you come." Nonsense, my dear little man, sit down and have glass of whiskey." So the "dear little man" sat down and took his whiskey solemnly, and in due time the Imperieuse proceeded on her way.-Hyogo News.

For pity's sake, don't growl and grumble because you are troubled with indigestion No good was ever effected by snarling and fretting. Be a man (unless you happen to be a woman), and take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. which will relieve you, whether man or Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Kidnapping of Three Europeans in the Vicinity of Tonkin.

APAN AND THE INLAND SEA

an Epidemic of Dysentery in Japan-Chinese Naval Review-Questions for the Japanese Diet-Kussian Squadron in Yokohama.

The Northern Pacific steamship Victorit brings a variety of late news from the Orient. The Hong Kong Telegraph

The development of Tonkin is going on at a magnificent pace. According to the Courier all Europeans in Bac-le were notified by the military authorities on the 15th of October that extreme caution must be exercised in every direction. For several days work has been stopped on roads, bridges, clearings, etc., as everybody is afraid of being kidnapped by the pirates. These people on the 12th, at 11 a.m., made a raid on the Yoshiwara, a mile out of the town of Bac-le, presumably in the expectation of finding a few Europeans there to be carried off, but they were disappointed. The latest news is that the captors of M. Bouyer have put him in the cangue during the daytime; M. Roty has been tortured in order to hasten the payment of ransom; and M. Fritz has written to his friends for provisions, as the pirates give him little or nothing to eat. Later the same paper says: It is rumored in Haiphong that M. Bouyer has been murdered by his captors. A European who recently arrived here from Phu-lang-thuong states that it was definitely reported before his departure that M. Bouyer had tried to escape, but had failed, and he was the hanged by the pirates. This rumor must not be taken except with the greatest reserve, as at present it is impossible to authenticate the story.

The Eastern World says: The Kokkai advises the government to notify foreign governments that hereafter no men-ofwar shall enter the Inland sea without special permission; why not also include the Bay of Tokyo, the entrance to which s much narrower than that to the Inland sea? The Kokkai also forgets that go is an open port which was opened British subjects in 1863 under Art.III. of the treaty with Great Britain, and that, whilst Japan may denounce the of them than England could close her inland sea by the same process. But with the Japanese the world begins and ends with Japan, and nothing outside of Japan can possibly have any bearing on questions affecting Japan. The Jiyu Shimbun exhorts the government to take energetic measures to assert the right of Japan to a waterway through her territories. In their overweening spirit of national vanity they would recklessly plunge their country into difficulties, war perhaps, without an idea of the cost of the experiment. Public opinion would be with them, just as it cheered the hairbrained Gunji expedition and went into hysterics about the ordinary performance of Fukushima's ride, up to the first disaster, and then it would turn upon and

rend them. The charters of the five national banks, whose capital amounts to 4,550,000 yen, will expire in 1896, those of seventeen banks holding a total capital of 22,276, with a capital of 9,535,000 yen in 1899. So the total capital of the 134 national banks whose charters will expire in 1899 amounts to 43,346,100 yen, and it is said they are to be reorganized as private national banks in Osaka except two are making preparations for reorganization under the same system.-The Hyogo

News. The petition to be submitted to the forthcoming session of the Diet by the Great Japan society is kept a profound secret; the following points, however, are thought to form the basis of it: (a) Recovery of tariff and judicial au-

(b) Abolition of extra territoriality and consular jurisdiction. (c) Foreigners to be allowed mixed esidence with certain limits in the open

parts only. A Russian squadron, consisting of the Admiral Korniloff, flagship, the Razboy nik and the Zabiaka, arrived in port this morning, and exchanged the usual salute They are all well known on the station, but it may be noted that the flagship unlike several of her predecessors on the station, has not any broadside armor. her only protection being a 2 1-2 inch steel deck.-Yokohama Herald, Nov.

The Choya Shimbun reports that the great export seen in silk each year has attracted the attention of some Japanese capitalists, who regret that so much profitable business should be in the hands of foreigners. It has accordingly been decided by some influential men in Tokyo and Yokohama to establish a direct silk export company.

Dysentery still continues unabated. Up November 1,120,000 cases were re corded throughout the country.-Yokohama Herald. The Potter-Bellew company is doing nmense business in Calcutta. critics express wonder and unadulterated admiration at the advances which

Mrs. Potter has made in the art.-Hong Kong Telegraph. In India last year no less than 2,962 ersons were killed by wild animals and 9,025 died from snake bites. The loss cattle was 81.688 and the number of savage Beasts killed was 15,988.-Hong Kong Telegraph.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE. Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World. FOOTBALL. WANDERERS' CLUE

On Saturday next the Wanderers' Association football club hold a smoking concert at the Colonist Hotel in aid of funds for their match against Wellington in the provincial challenge cup competition. A good programme will be put on. Tickets can be had from any member of the club at 25 cents. A general meeting of the club will be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 6, to make arrangements for their match on Saturday against Victoria on Beacon Hill.

VAST GATE RECEIPTS. New Haven, Conn., Dec. 7 .- The sum of \$47,000 was realized at the Yale-Princeton football match on Thanksgiv. ing day at New York. One-third of this will pay all expenses, leaving \$15,000 to be divided between Yale and Prince-This is the largest amount ever realized in a single football game.

MATCH AT NANAIMO. The Victoria Rugby football team plays at Nanaimo on Saturday against the Hornets. Victoria will be represented by the following: Pettigrew, back; J. F. Foulkes, H. B. Haines and A. D. Crease, three-quarter backs; F. Smith and C. W. Ward, half-backs; H. F. M. Jones (Captain.), Lindley Crease, W. H. Langley, I. Fraser, E. A. C. Gib son, F. Wollaston, Q. H. Warden, D. Sullivan and Scott, forwards. VICTORIA V. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

In Saturday's game the Victoria College club did not have its regular team out, and were defeated three goals to nal. The game was well played, and was not as one-sided as the score would indicate

ENGLAND V. COLONIES. The game at Beacon Hill on Saturday between teams representing England and the Colonies was one of the best played there in a long time. Each secured a try in the first half, but in the last half neither scored, and the game ended in a draw. It was stubbornly contested from start to finish.

Vancouver and Westminster football teams met at Westminster on Saturday afternoon, and there was a lively game of Rugby. The visitors scored a try, the home team not scoring. Captain Senkler of Vancouver did good work for that team.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.—The Olympic club football team of this city and the Reliance club football team of Oakland meet at Central park this afternoon in a match for the athletic club champion-

THE GUN. BEAT ALL COMERS. The sportsmen of the east are no doubt convinced by this time that when men from that section of the Dominion meet in different events the winners cannot term themselves champions of Canada. The Victoria lacrosse team went east and showed the eastern 'cracks' that British Columbians could play lacrosse, and now the news is flashed across the wire that C. W. Minor, of Victoria, champion of British Columbia, won the international clay pigeon match at the Woodbine park, Toronto, on Saturday, with a score of 20 birds, winning the first prize of \$150. There were forty entries from the United States and Canada. Hardy of Buffalo and Emond of Toronto tied for second prize (\$90) with scores of 19. Minor and Hardy will probably meet shortly in a hundred bird match.

LENDING A HAND. The men of H. M. S. Garnet have engaged Philharmonic Hall for next Thurs day evening, to give an entertainment to help out "Prof." Bob Foster, who is practically on his beam ends. 'show" will consist of athletic, musical and acrobatic performances, boxing, for points only, to take a leading part n the performance. The beneficiary will

probably appear in a short bout with one of the Garnets. McLEOD'S VICTORY. San Francisco, Dec. 2.-McLeod won the wrestling match against White at Oakland last evening. His contract called for five falls in an hour, and as the half hour passed it looked as if he had agreed to accomplish too much. To those who are experienced in the tactics of the wrestler, however, it was plain that he was tiring his man, and was ably judging his opponent's strength. At times the struggle was exciting, White narrowly avoiding a fall by some clever manoeuverings. But the work was telling on him and his resistance became weaker and weaker. Finally McLeod worked White's right arm into a hammer lock, and with little difficulty placed his opponent on his back with shoulders on the mat. The time was 36 minutes, and after a minute's rest, the men were at it again. The terrible twist on White's arm had deprived him of its use, and a minute or so later McLeon secured a hammer lock and a fall. This ended the contest. White's arm was completely disabled, and when time was called he sensibly refused to continue, and McLeod was awarded the decision.

LACROSSE. CONTESTS IN CALIFORNIA. San Francisco, Dec. 6.-In connection with the athletic features which are under consideration by the entertainment department of the Midwinter Exposition, the proposition has been made by the lacrosse teams of Vancouver and New Westminster for the appearance of these teams in the lacrosse contests on the recreation grounds in Golden Gate

FOR SALE Steam Schooner "Mischief." Apply W. WALKER, 68 Yates St. d10-6t FOR SALE—A few thoroughbred Berkshire pigs for breeding purposes. Write for prices. J. D. Bryant, Young P. O., B. C. n10-2m-d&w

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Dynamite Bomb

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And Injures Many Spe erican Lady Cut in a Flying Fragment People-Order Final Business Resumed.

Paris, Dec. 9.-While

deputies was in session tranger in the gallery bomb on the floor. As ed pieces of metal were direction. Deputy Lem were hit and seriously mire is said to be burst near the head of stuntly killed an usher near. An American received a slight woun and two other ladies i were injured. A man next the bomb throw All the occupants of panic-stricken. Bits of shoe nails, which had trehed to the bomb, over the house. Ord ored and business r Paris, Dec. 9.-M. Catholic socialist, and present the first distr This was his first term chamber. He was p at St. Francois d'Assi bruck. He was aut Australia," and was mented by Cardinal cial influence. He He strenuously uphe vanced by Count Mu

Portland, Ore., Dec grand jury yesterday dditional indictment Jordan, ex-sheriff of well known political Victoria, capitalist an and Herbert Adams ing them with opius cases of William D John Wilson, ex-Co Lotan, and 13 others illegal landing of Cl set for Dec. 12th. terday afternoon ret dictment against Seid Chinese merchant of ig: al o an Charles E. Lockwoo deputy United State under United State F. P. Mays, for the for prosecuting a cas States government grand jury is still expected they will ment that will be s

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Saturday's Sensation Chamber Paris, Dec. 9.-A the chamber of de happily without fat number of member matter of great im sidered were in the ness of the house ily. The galleries of visitors, including watched the proces terest. In the galle

occupied by the m were a number of whom had attracte they entered the assigned to them. business of the ho M. Marman came Marman had bee tribune, and had sume his seat, wh lery above mention wards the floor. fuse attached to head of Professo for Hazelbruch, i rific report. Dens dust ascended, sh for a time those the house. For house was perfec members and other occurred, there w ment. The officer building were th senses. They firs leading to the ch escape of the bor ple in the gallerie fearing that of thrown. They we on frenzy, and a er in their wild out of the buildi was subsequently can, had been hi piece of the casin fled with blood st On the floor of t was fully as gre Many of the m

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