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Local News.

From Friday, Jan. 11.

Early Closing.—A number of the gro-cery firms, which during the summer and fall months have kept their stores open in the evening, have decided to close during the winter months at 7 p.m.

Labor Correspondent.—Mr. James D. McNiven, secretary of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, has been appointed Victoria correspondent of the Labor Gazette, published by the department of labor at Ottawa.

Wedding at Alberni.—According to news from Alberni, a pretty wedding took place on the 1st instant, in the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church there.
Mr. William R. Pillar, son of Henry
Pillar, of French Creek, was married to
Miss Annie Maria Bishop, of Alberni.
The bride received a number of presents
from her numerous friends along the

John Hall, of South ward, who are seeking re-election, have already deposited their nomination papers with Returning Officer Northcott. Nominations take place on Monday next, and the election, if any, on Thursday. Chairman Hall and Mrs. Gordon Grant are seeking re-election to the school board. There are three trustees to be elected. Trustee McCandless will not run again.

Topek'a Has mission will be by ticket, which may be had from members or at the headquarters, 28 Broad street. On Tuesday, the children of the Lotus group will hold their annual Christmas tree and entertainment, at which a collection will be taken up, in aid of the humanitarian work of the organization, which is world-wide in its scope.

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Laid at Rest.—The funeral of the late William Seede took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his son-inlaw, Mr. Noble, Oswego street. The Rev. Mr. Vichert conducted the services and the following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. Ed. Lince, W. Norman, W. Noble and J. Barber.

Chinese Benevolent Association.—Officers have been elected for the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association for the year 1901 as follows: President, Lee Cheong, of Tai Yune & Co.; vice-president, Chin Dong Yue, of On Hing & Bros.; secretary, Mak Gee Poy; committees, Lee Mong Kow, Chin Chang Choo, Wong Tam, Ma Gau Jun, Wong Wa, Lee Kee Quai, Low Lung, Low Bong, Loo Oyting, Lap Ng and Dai Chew.

school if there were three scholarships instead of one at disposal.

No San Jose Scale.—The following resolution, adopted by the board of horticulture, at its meeting just concluded, is published for general information: "Whereas, it was reported at the annual meeting of the Central Farmers' Institute, held in Victoria, December 17, 1900, that San Jose scale was spreading in the second horticultural district: the board of horticulture believes this report to have no foundation in fact, and that no instance of San Jose scale is known to exist in the province at the present time."

Crofton-Bullock.—Yesterday morning, Alfred Crofton, of Dublin, Ireland, latterly of Salt Spring Island, was married to Miss May Susannah Bullock, also of Salt Spring Island, Mr. R. M. Palmer was best man and Mr. H. W. Bullock gave his sister away. The marriage was a private one. The ceremony was arranged to be finished in time for the happy couple to catch the Sound steamer. The honeymoon will be spent in Southern California.

A Few Candidates.—Mr. Joseph York, the retired merchant, has announced himself as a candidate for aldermanid honors in South ward. Mayor Hayward, Ald Stewart, of Centre ward, and Ald Stewart, of Centre ward, and Ald Stewart, of Centre ward, and Ald

From Saturday, Jaunary 12.

Committed for Trial.—James Harding, a bluejacket, was yesterday committed for trial on the charge of attempting to shoot Special Officer Johnston in the lobby of the Victoria theatre, on the evening of November 1.

His Brother's Death.—Rudolph Barron, of Gilesville, died at Wood Lake, Wash, on the 7th. Rudolph Barron came to British Columbia with his brother in 1871, but he has lived mostly in the United States.

Death of James Flett.—James Flett, a pioneer: of this city died Saturday morning about 3 o'clock, from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy. He resided here for about 30 years, and was very well known. He was 62 years of age and a native of Birsay, Orkney Islands. Mr. Flett was one of the founders of the First Presbyterian church, and he was especially well known in church work. Most of the charity associations in the city will feel his death, for he was always one of the first to contribute to the poor. He followed the trade of carpenter. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon, from the family residence.

evening proved disagreeable outside, yet n the A. O. U. W. hall all was bright and cheery. The occasion was the regular weekly session of Victoria Council, No. 2, R. T. of T. Six applications for membership were received, and after the membership were received, and after the usual business was over, a very enjoyable programme of a varied character was presented, Miss Jones being in charge. A special feature of the evening was the presentation by Mr. A. B. Fraser of a handsome past councillor's badge and jewel to Bro. Osbourne for special services rendered to the council. Mr. Fraser made a neat speech, concluding with the presentation. Bro. Osbourne, who is a popular member of "A" Co., R. C. R., feelingly responded. Preparations are being made for the Grand Council, which meets early in February in Victoria.

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FLETT—At the family residence, No. 8, Pioneer street, on the 12th inst., James Flett, aged 62 years and 3 months, a native of Birsey, Orkney Islands. The funeral will take place on Monday, the 14th inst., at 2 p. m. Friends will please acept this intimation.

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FARTHING—CARTER—On Nov. 28th. at St. Paul's Church, by the Rev. G. E. Weeks, G. Farthing, of Salisbury, Mashonaland, to Edith Carter, of Vic-toria, British Columbia.

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The steamer City of Topeka has been raised. Steamer Danube, which arrived Friday, passed her early on the morn ing of January 4, being towed towards

Society's Sympathy.—At the meeting of the Friendly Help Society, held on the Help Society, held of the Help Society Help Society, held of the Help Soc

the pumping apparatus. Favorable weather, as a whole, has aided them, and while it has been freely vouchsafed that the steamer would never be raised, the officers in charge have never doubted that they would be successful.

ALEX. GODFREY DEAD. Well Known Atlin Man Who Ran For Legislature Last Spring Dies at Dawson.

The steamer Danube brings news from Dawson of the death there of Alex. Godfrey, of the Godfrey Hardware Co., of that city. Mr. Godfrey was well known in Victoria, New Westminster and Vancouver, particularly in New Westminster, where he for some years managed the business of Thomas Dunn, the Vancouver hardware house. He was burned out at the time of the New Westminster fire, and soon afterwards left for Atlin, where he engaged in mining, with success. He ran for the legislature last spring, contesting Cassiar in the Martin interest, with Stables as the other member of the ticket, but

quired all of Father Nicolaye's persuasive powers to induce the Indian to answer the questions.

Constables Handley and Abbott next told their story. The Indian when arrested was very drunk, and it took hem all their time to get him to the police station. They were on either side of him, and had him gripped by the wrists and shoulders, so that he could not have had his hands in his pockets and on his money, as he alleged. Both swore that they saw neither the purse nor the money with the exception of the \$1.50.

Jailer Mitten, who was present when Jailer Mitten, who was present when the search was made, did not see a purse or the money alleged to have been stolen. He accompanied the officers into the inner corridor of the lock-up while they were putting the Indian in a cell, and after he had been put in the cell locked the door.

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Jailer Sheppard testified that when the Indian was fined \$6. he said he would pay it, as he had \$65 in the lock-up. The jailer told him that there was only \$1.50 there, but Tom contended that he had \$65 when arrested. The Indian stayed around the lock-up all day, crying over his loss. Finally his son paid the fine.

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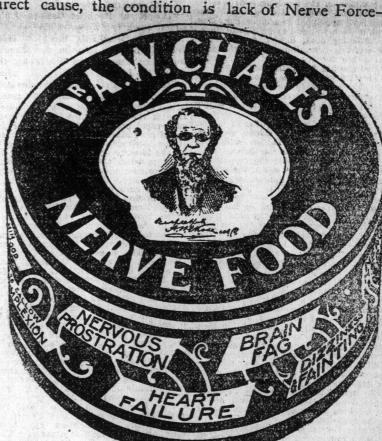
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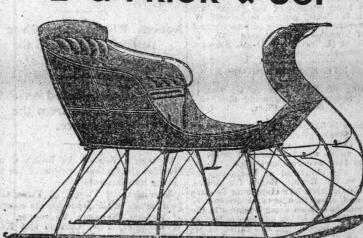
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Dated at Victoria, this 27th day of December, 1900. Kamloops.