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arrangements in order to remove some ambiguities.

Beaumont Boggs, Sidney Shore and Thos. F. Gold wrote as follows: "Understanding that the estimates for school purposes will be considered at the meeting this evening and In view of the fact that a public meeting has been called in Victoria West for to-morrow evening (Tuesday) to consider educational and municipal matters, we would ask that in the event of an appropriation not having been made for the erection of a new school building in the western suburb, final action upon the estimates be postponed until after the above mentioned meeting in Victoria West." Laid on the table.

The buildings and grounds conventions

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The buildings and grounds committee were appointed to interview the government regarding a school site on the Songhees reserve, and then the board resolved itself into a committee with closed doors to consider teachers' salaries. Trustee Belyea would, he said, rather have had what the members of the board had to say in this regard go to the public through the unprejudiced channels of the newspaper reporter, rather than in anonymous letters written by those whose sole object was "to get back at" some members of the board.

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New Westminster founded, 1860.
White population of Vancouver Island,
420, in 1861.

5.320, in 1861.
Victoria incorporated, 1862.
Governor Douglas knighted, 1864.
Union of Vancouver Island and British
Columbia, 1866.
United States purchased Alaska from
Russia 1867. Confederation of Canada, 1867. First British Columbia legislature

Hudson's Bay Company surrenders Northwest Territories, 1869. Manitoba enters confederation, 1870. Britsh Columbia enters confederation,

Population of British Columbia, 36,224 in 1871. ice Edward Island enters confeder Frince Edward Island enters confederation, 1873.
San Juan Island awarded to United States, 1873.
Salmon canning begun, 1874.
Intercolonial railway opened, 1876.

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TAKE Cariboo, 1858; on Vancouver Island, 1863; in the Transyaal, 1887; in Yukon, 1870.

Diamond mines worked in the Transvaal, 1870.

Opening of the Mount Cenis tunnel, 1871.

Last spike of the Union Pacific railway driven, 1809.
Opening of the Snez canal, 1869.
Alaska ceded to the United States by Maximilian executed in Mexico, 1867.
Assassinations: Lincoln, 1865; Hon. Thomas D'Arcy McGee, 1866; Garfield, 1881; Emperor Alexander II, 1851; Hon. George Brown, 1885; Carnot, President of France, 1804; Shah of Persia, 1896.
Empress of Austria, 1898; King Humbert of Italy, 1900.
Vaccination legalized, 1803.
Pasteur discovers remedy for hydrophobia by innoculation, 1884.
First banks opened at Montreal and Quebec, 1817.
Union of Upper and Lower Canada, 1841.
Fort Victoria built, 1843.
First ship England to Victoria, 1845.
Oregon boundary treaty, 1846.
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