

Vancouver Cycle Depot.

THIS is the largest Bicycle Livery in the city. Thirty high-grade wheels are kept in first-class condition. As sole agents in Vancouver for the celebrated "Crescent" wheel, probably the best-known wheel in America, they have represented the Hyslop Co. of Toronto, for the past six years. The business was established six years ago by C. Cocking, the sole proprietor.



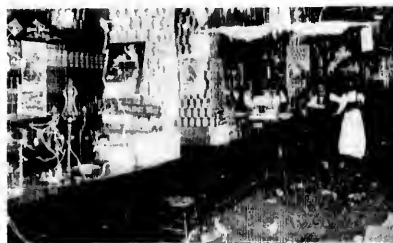
The Palace Livery Stables.

AMONG the best known as well as the oldest livery stables in the city is the Palace, having been established as far back as 1886. A high standard has always been maintained, and none but desirable turn-



The City Grocery Co.

ONE of the most popular grocery stores in Vancouver is the above, situated on Westminster ave., corner of Princess st. Its business extends over the entire city from the East end to the residential portion of the extreme West, and two delivery wagons are constantly kept busy. The Company is composed of Jas. A. McNair, Robert McNair and Thos. Duke, the latter acting as manager of the retail business. They do considerable wholesale business as well as retail.



John Oben.

THE high-class quality of all candies made by John Oben, is well known in this city. For the past three years his business has made rapid strides till to-day it is one of the best, and considered by many the very best Confectionery establishment in the city. A large lunch room in connection offers every inducement to the public in general, desirous of obtaining a well-served and properly-cooked meal. This is also known to the young people of the city as the most popular ice cream parlor in town. An extensive wholesale and retail business is done in this branch, and a specialty is made of wedding cakes and pastries. He has had 18 years experience and was awarded first prize at last year's exposition for his wedding-cake exhibit. The extensiveness of this business can be better understood when it is known that no less than 12 experienced employees are constantly engaged.



outs are kept, (numbering in all about 20), consisting principally of dog-carts, kensingtons, phaetons, buggies, hacks, etc., both in doubles and singles. The horses are all good roadsters and particularly suitable for either double or single driving. There are many large, well-kept boarding stables and box stalls for the general accommodation of private horses. A number of saddle horses, both for ladies and gentlemen, are also kept.

William Ralph.



THIS large hardware store, on Cordova street, extends back to the alley, and has a large shipping and importing entrance in the rear. A very extensive stock is carried of tin, iron and granite ware, and house furnishing goods, black and galvanized sheet iron work, etc. A specialty is made of warm air furnaces, and he acts as local agent for the McClary Manufacturing Co. In connection he also has a bicycle department, and carries a great many high class machines, being provincial agent for the "Union" and sole city agent for the "Cleveland" and "Columbus" bicycles, all well known makes. There is also a plumbing, repairing and general manufacturing warehouse connected with the store, where skilled mechanics are employed.