IBITION HELD AT BELLA COOLA

ndance Larger Than in Any revious Year - Some Prize Winners.

Coola, Oct. 24.—The annual exthe Farmers' Institute was October 14th. Fine weather d and the attendance was large in any previous year. The exexcellent, the apples being ine shape. The following parof first prize winners will show interest taken in the exhibi

mercial apple, O. Shoulstede ction of apples, A. K. Over-packed box of apples, A. est box of crab apples, A. n; best box of pears, A. best plums, A. K. Overson; best Shoulsted; best gooseberries Gibson: mixed fruit, G. B. O. ed fruit, Mrs. S. Grant; jelrs. W. H. Gibson

Gibson; squash, B. F. Jacobson; Fongner; leeks, W. H. Gibnions, E. Gordon; radish, S. artichoke, S. Grant; parsnips. Gibson: carrots (red), E. Gor arrots (white), B. F. Jacobson B. Bryneldsen; mangels, H. C. potatoes (must be named), (Uncle Sam), O. Shoulsted; tatoes (Henderson early rus-

eat, B. Lauretson; oats, A. K. stitch work, Miss E. Gibson; lace , Mrs. P. Lauretson; darning, Mrs. ant; net doiley work, Miss E. Gibcarved work T. Thorson; photog work, T. Thorson; embroidered frame, Miss E. Gibson: hardon

owers, Mrs. W. H. Bibson Miss B. Grant; best fruit loaf V. H. Gibson; goro bread. Mrs smoked salmon, Mr. Urseth; Mrs. Hammer: cheese. Mrs chickens, W. H. Gibson; s. W. H. Gibson

the day addresses were de ed. W. H. Gibson spoke upon the ess and possibilities of exhibi-Mrs. Grant gave a very interuse of red clover vetchs and cow Hon. E. Dewdney was present expressed himself surprised and deted with the very fine display of bits, saying they were quite as and in some cases better than ad seen at any other exhibitions. apples were a surprise to him W. Sloan. He was greeted with ring address, speaking of the depment of the valley since he first a visit to it some years ago. He of the size and beauty of the es, also of the very fine display of work, carved work, etc. He said he had ever seen. He spoke o wonderful future of the valley, and i he had no doubt that in the near tives would be seen in district. The exhibition closed by inging "God Save the King."

Saturday, October 11th, at the Coola hotel, Miss Meggie Henand Bert L. Harris, were united he bonds of matrimony. About persons were present and the many testified to the popularity of the ing couple. Miss Annie Peterson bridesmaid and P. Gadson the best Mr. and Mrs. Harris will rein in Bella Coola.

mong the passengers who sailed on Venture on October 11th were Mr. Mrs. B. F. Jacobson, who have nt a number of years in the valley. ev will be absent about two months will go east as far as New York. Mr. Phibbs, who has been visiting r. and Mrs. Grant for the past few ys, also left on the Venture. He was lighted with the fishing in the disict having taken a number of fine trout. He expects to return some me during the winter.

XCELLENT FRUIT READY FOR SHIPMENT

lictoria District is Marketing High Class Apples This Year.

Victoria fruit is still maintaining its igh reputation in the prairie sections nd nearer home. A visit to the quarers occupied by the Victoria Fruit rowers' Association on Yates street, ows the building to be growded up ith boxes of fruit. For the most art these are apples, although there also quite a number of boxes of ears among them. Of the latter the ost are Onondagas and Kieffers with nall consignments of the Vicar of Vakefield variety. The last named ne greater part of the crop has not

In the line of apples, however, there a fine stock on hand, although of winter fruit.

Manager Drummond says about two rloads a week are being shipped out.
good part is going to Vancouver where there is a large demand arters is a consignment of very Northern Spies from Mr. Cord's orchard in the Cowichan valley. mas Brydon is sending in some choice Kings and some equally as od have been received from the orchards at Duncans. These el anything seen at the exhibition nd it would be difficult to get better.

TWO TRAIN VICTIMS.

London, Oct. 28.-The body of Ben-Nash, an aged inmate of the use of Refuge, at Woodstock, was on yesterday. He is supposed to have struck by a train while walking

the track. ne body of an Italian laborer was found on the track near Capetown.

VOTE IN VICTORIA WAS A CLOSE ONE

Count of Ballots Gives G. H. Barnard Majority of Five---Electors Turned Out in Large Numbers.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

sustained and the results had been an-Never in the history of federal elec- nounced for Victoria, the Liberal work-Barnard, in the Conservative interests, contested the local seat. From early morning until the hour of the close of the polls there was a steady stream of voters entered the polling place. At no time was there any cessation. Before the hour of opening in the morning the hour of opening in the morning that the hour of opening in the morning that the was different to the firewardens. And is now filled with water. She was in charge of Captain of the salk him the visit of the sank him to one, at worst, he figured out for Britand to one, at worst of the visit of the salk him derivation on the visit of the salk him to one of quickly up to the polling place and numbers of voters got into the build-There were a few less fortunate and was some time before he was allowed leaving several electors outside with-out the opportunity of marking their ballots. This is the experience at near-way way in which this election has been some time before he was allowed to speak. He said they were in a minority in this election but were not ballots. This is the experience at near-way way in which this election has been leaving the control of the leaving the con

on the part of the workers who were detracted by nothing from the great object in view, that of having their

advantageous position of having their representative a member of the government. (Prolonged cheers) A large vote was cast. In all 4,427 coted, although there were a number he gave a rousing speech, referring particularly to the clean sweep made

Realizing that the results were likely by the party. to be very close there was great play for betting and large sums were Liberal club, expressed his pleasure at

Count of Ballots. With the arrival of 5 o'clock and the feated by a slight majority, but not With the arrival of 5 o'clock and the closing of the poll both Liberals and Conservatives prepared for a count which it was acknowledged on both sides was destined to show very close figures. As the count progressed it was evident that not until the ballots had been totalled up on the last polling booth would it be possible to say for a certainty who had secured the for a certainty who had secured the largest number of votes. The final figures as totalled up from the count "Who would think of going back to made by the deputy returning officers Conservative rule and stagnation?" inshowed G. H. Barnard to have 2,171 quired the speaker, and his query votes and Hon. William Templeman 2.- aroused much enthusiasm.

166. There were, however. 90 ballots re-

jected for various reasons. fected for various reasons.

The announcement made by the Times bulletin board that the city of Victoria, according to the count of tallots, had turned down a member of tallots, had turned down a member of tallots, had turned down a member of tallots. the Laurier government, was received with groans in the streets. The rethickness overnment with a liberal government with a with groans in the streets. The return of the Liberal government with a very large majority and the defeat of a member of that government in Victoria it was felt was something to be deplaced.

Lincoln was assassinated a message was sent out to the people of the United States, "Remember the government still lives." Liberals had reason to be proud of the success of the Liberal party.

There is no question that during the last few days of the campaign by a system of misrepresentation carried then called for. He said he was sorry out systematically many voters had to hear that they had lost the election REFEREE FAILS TO been led to shift their allegiance. The in the city. He had assisted in electalse statement made by J. W. Bolden tions in the old days, and had gone in a speech at the A. O. U. W. hall down to defeat, but had never been last night that 300 Japanese had that down-hearted. Although they might day entered the city, was a clear in-dication of the tactics which were employed in connection with the Oriental to be pleased over. They had defeated question. Undoubtedly there were all the machinations of the McBride-many who believed the reports there Hawthornthwaite combination. In his circulated and also placed reliance upon the declaration of the Conservative candidate that he favored a to represent them.

White Canada." Bulletin Service. For some hours before the poll closed whom thought a mistake had been made and that the will of the people

the East were beginning to arrive by had been thwarted. wire. These were bulletined by the immense crowd soon gathered in the street in front of the Times building and wanted a procession but older heads recognized that with a majority small enough to be wiped out in a recount there was no occasion for hilar-ladder in which Sir Wilfrid and R. L. Borden, the leaders, were made to the leaders, were made up their comparative positions, proved very convenient to the crowd in arriving at the exact standing as the election returns came in.

young men were enthusiastic enough and wanted a procession but older heads recognized that with a majority simulation of the third Esquimalt goal was obtained, declaring that there were at least three players off side when the goal degrees 20 minutes and 17 seconds; obtained, declaring that there were at least three players off side when the goal 28 seconds. The following angles fix the position of the buoy. Coast Mound, 0 degrees and 30 minutes; Buttleward the exact standing as the organized after a while. There was organized after a while the third Esquimalt goal was obtained, declaring that there were at least three players off side when the goal 28 seconds. The following angles fix the position of the buoy. Coast Mound, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0 degrees and 40 minutes; Buttle October 30th, house, 0

As soon as the evening was far enough advanced the Times' bulletins were thrown on the screen placed on the Driard hotel through the courtesy aband led the way, followed by a practical surface in the soccer and the courtesy and maintain that with drical, surmounted by a pyramidal standing between the burning area and control of the larger hotels and dance halls and succeeded in confining the flames to the shows the Cedar Hill people are earnest the shows the of Harry Hemming, the proprietor.

Clifford Denham, local manager of the Victoria theatre, placed his excellent lantern at the disposal of the Times, which assisted materially in the work.

Shows the deal phase are earliest in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence torches, a couple of carriages with leading Conservatives, and there you are.

Shows the deal phase are earliest in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the disposal of the Times, with leading Conservatives, and there were the lands of the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the season will be as interesting and close as any ever seen in their first appearance in the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the soccer is a white light, automatically occurrence to the s Up to a late hour this service was ontinued, while Broad street was watching the bulletins in front of the crowded with citizens who cheered the newspaper offices. Just before the pro-

trait was thrown on the Colonist screen. Absolutely not a cheer greet-time portraits of some of the leaders were thrown on the canvas. When-the portrait of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was thrown on the screen the cheers were deafening showing the cheer showing the cheep showing the cheep showing the cheep showi cheers were deafening showing the hold which Canada's greatest son has on the mass of the people. In spite of the fact that the vote had been declared against Hon William Temples.

"What will you do if you go to Ottawa?" was a very pertinent question but by one of the crowd.

Mr. Barnard ignored the question but work towards the new building is being the committee of which Personant and all accessories.

"What will you do if you go to Ottawards the present hall used by the soccer team put had been declared against Hon William Temples." clared against Hon. William Templeman, the crowd showed its confidence in him by absolve his lattice through the confidence in him by absolve his lattice through the committee, of which Rev. went on to remark oracularly that the province was still free to go to Otto get the new building for use-this sea. in him by cheering his picture thrown on the canvas in a manner which left Asiatic exclusion.

Liberals Hold Meeting.

When it became an assured thing that the Liberal government had been cheering there was named from the pro-Liberals Hold Meeting.

no uncertainty as to how they felt.

"a quiet little celebration" in the A O. U. W. hall, it was found that the band had vanished, and so the "triumph" was shorn of that attrac-

R. F. Green presided at the meeting in the hall. There was a big attendance, naturally, and a mixed one. By far the greater part of the crowd was not there to celebrate for anyone but

cessionists. By the time the attenuated line moved on up View street to

to see what was going on.
The chairman proclaimed a sweeping victory all through the Dominion. Wil-liam Blakemore saw it too, but both took care not to particularize. Mr. Blakemore declared that Mr. Barnard would insist at Ottawa on Victoria get-ting its rights and if he could not get them he would resign and come home. The candidate had little to say except in the line of gratitude to all and

J. L. Beckwith made the announce day, when Hon. W. Templeman, representing the Liberal cause, and G. H. Barnard, in the Conservative interests,

from the audience when he defamed numbers of voters got into the build-ing just in time to cast their votes, called upon. On rising he was again S. Fielding, by calling him "the cham-

ly every election, there are always some that reach the polling place too never a cleaner or more honest camThe workers on both sides did good
The workers on both sides did good The workers on both sides did good service. The Liberal headquarters opposition, however, he regretted to say that many of the methods used had not been fair. On that account he did not feel inclined to accept the servatives occupied rooms in the Mcservatives occupied rooms in the Mc-Gregor block on View street. Thus the whole excitement was concentrated in a small space on View street. From Broad to Institute hall, the whole day long the street was crowded with cabs, autos and people on foot. At different times ladies visited the scene to watch how the men were behaving themselves, but the excitement was too intense to permit of the least relaxation of the least relaxation of the least relaxation of the least relaxation and the feel inclined to accept the landed here to-day although the government tells us they have an agree-ment to restrict these people," said J. W. Bolden, who was asked to speak as representing labor. Mr. Bolden thus gave wider publicity to an absolutely false statement which had been circulated to power with the biggest majority that had ever been received at a general election, and it would be garnard agents during the afternoon. He made the bald statement and did not feel inclined to accept the landed here to-day although the government tells us they have an agree-ment to restrict these people," said J. W. Bolden, who was asked to speak as representing labor. Mr. Bolden thus gave wider publicity to an absolutely false statement which had been circulated to power with the biggest majority that had ever been received at a general election, and it would be gave wider publicity to an absolutely false statement which had been circulated to power with the final returns the final returns the proposed of the remainder of th

to depend for the next four or five years for assistance from a member representing a party that was in a small candidate closed the meeting minority, rather than occupying the

OFFICIAL COUNT, MAJORITY FIVE

No Change in Figures From Those Reported Last Night.

seeing so many present after what seemed like a defeat. They were de-

said that a week ago he expected vic-

Thomas J. W. Hick, returning officer, at 3 o'clock this afternoon concluded his summing up of the vote east yesterday and declared G. H. Barnard elected by a majority of 5.

The vote was: Hon. Wm. Templeman 2,166 G. H. Barnard 2,171

There were 22 rejected ballots and 68 spoiled according to the records. One deputy did not fill in the number in his booth, which was two, so that there were 92 spoiled and rejected ballots.

Mr. Barnard was present, attended by several of his friends. Lt.-Col. Gregory watched the proceedings on behalf of the Minister of Inland Revenue and Mines.

PLEASE BOTH SIDES

Hall to Cost \$1,500.

Rousing speeches were also made by The soccer game at Cedar Hill on Satur- mounted by a pyramidal steel frame John Jardine and R. L. Drury, both of day between Cedar Hill and Esquimalt, supporting the lantern. The light is a wire. These were bulletined by the Times as fast as received. These showed that the government was being sustained with quite as large a majority as in the previous House. And the conservative headquarters after the conservative headquarters after the conservative headquarters after the contract of the mouth of the Cedar Hill side, the losers, who find fault

interesting and close as any ever seen in motion of the buoy on the waves.

Athletic Hall. rowded with citizens who cheered the results as they suited their wishes.

In addition to the bulletins as to the trait was thrown on the Colonist rait was th province was still free to go to ot-tawa to demand better terms and. Aslatic exclusion.

The crowd heard the brief speech in almost deed slience. With the even

IROQUOIS IS TOTAL WRECK

RUNS ASHORE NEAR NANAIMO IN FOG

Steamer Grounds at High Tide and is Now Filled With Water,

Last night, while creeping towards Nanaimo during foggy weather, the little steamer Iroquois ran ashore on tions in Victoria was there greater activity shown than there was yesteron Government street and short

Jack's Point, 2½ miles from her destricted from the committee of several of his best friends, tination, and is a total wreck. The tide was high at'the time and as it receded the steamer slanted into a bad

the hour of opening in the morning there were hundreds waiting to register their votes. Just before the polls closed automobiles were brought their efforts on behalf of their candidate.

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larger steamer on the run between

Sidney and Nanaimo and the inter-

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

entrance to Prince Rupert harbor,

The steel conical buoy heretofore

noored off Casey point, Prince Rupert

harbor, (see notice to mariners No. 60

gas buoy, moored in the same position:

Lat. N. 54 degrees 16 minutes and 21

seconds; Long. W. 130 degrees 21

minutes 43 seconds. The buoy is of

steel, cylindrical, painted red, sur-

DODDS

KIDNEY DIS

tylene generated automatically.

195 tons gross and 94 net.

steamer Iroquois.

marine and fisheries:

withdrawn.

CASTRO BLUFFING

Anxious to Direct Attention from Activ-

Wilhelmstad, Oct. 27.—According to letters received here from Venezuela, the Will Investigate Collision Beople of Venezuela are confident of a prompt settlement of the dispute between that country and Holland. The refusal of President Castro to reverse the decree of May 14th is regarded as a bluff to call tion from the doings of the revolu

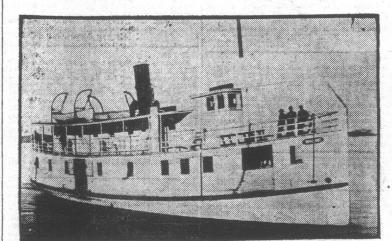
ity of Venezuelan Revolutionists.

AMOY PREPARES TO WELCOME BATTLESHIPS

Authorities Take Precautions to Prevent Disturbances During Visit.

are assembling here but no foreigner The crew rowed to that city early this morning. The Iroquois carried a heavy stock shipment for this port but all were saved. The vessel was valued at \$30,000. She can be raised at an extive of his country. Invitations to the pense probably of \$5,000.

The Iroquois, the property of Captain Sears and the purser, A. D. Mun- been withdrawn.



THE STEAMER IROQUOIS, WHICH SANK LAST EVENING NEAR

roe, was built for the run among the LOCKS JAILER IN islands by T. W. Paterson during the ime that he was manager of the Vicoria & Sidney railway, and was adnirably adapted for the purpose. Latterly, however, the trade has so much ncreased that it was proposed to place | Murderer, Awaiting Sentence,

Takes to Hills, Pursued

mediate islands, and to operate the froquois as a tug. The Iroquois is of by Posse. No arrangement has yet been made Yreka, Cal., Oct. 27.—Denny Hazel, o fill her place, but it is not probable who was to have been sentenced on Tuesday for the murder of Joseph that a new boat will be built at once. Steamers Jolliffe and Maude are be-Silva, last night effected his escape from the county jail leaving F. A. Duding sent to Nanaimo by the B. C. Salvage Company this afternoon to make an endeavor to salve the wrecked

ley, the jailer, locked in his cell. For half an hour Dudley attempted to make known his plight and in the measure the convicted murderer was fast making his way to the hills. Hazel was standing behind the cell The following notices to marines cave been issued by the department of door in the darkness when Dudley led a squad of trusties into the cell. As

Chatham sound, has been permanently HUNDRED COTTAGES

GO UP IN SMOKE

(171) of 1907), has been replaced by a Fire Wipes Out Portion of Summer Colony on Merrimac River.

Salisbury, Mass., Oct. 27.-The greatwhile resulting in one of the best games red light, automatically occulted at er portion of the thickly housed sum-

GOVERNOR REFUSED BRIBE. Threw Man Out of Office When Offered \$200,000.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 27.-The death of ex-Governor John Miller, of North Da-kota, here yesterday recalls the famous fight against the Louisana lottery in North Dakota. Mr. Miller led the fight against the lottery and the story is told that a representative of the lottery came into Mr. Miller's office and aid down a suit case containing \$200,the lottery to enter North Dakota," he of the same day. "My price is higher than that," said Mr. Miller, and he threw him out of the office. They called him "Honest light against the lottery was redoubled

A speck of gold weighing less than one with the naked eye.

COMMANDER SPAIN ARRIVES IN CITY

tween the Vadso and Amur.

Commander Spain, commissioner of wrecks for the Dominion of Canada, has arrived in the city on official business, and with Mrs. Spain is staying

at the Empress hotel. Upon the arrival of the steamer Amur from northern British Columbia ports Commander Spain will hold an nvestigation into the collision between the Vadso and the Amur off Trivet point, McKay Beach, on Saturday, Sep- high pressure fire pumps in the form tember 19th last

The Amur is expected in fort Thurs-Amoy, Oct. 27.—As a precaution day when the witnesses will at once be

> ceived no instructions from Ottawa on the matter and until the arrival of the same would take no steps in that direction.

INSPECTS MOUNTED RIFLES. in Drill and General Efficiency.

Vernon, Oct. 26.—Col. Holmes, D.O.C., Victoria, last week inspected the local squadron of Okanagan Mounted Rifles. The men made a splendid showing, not only in attendance, but also in their drill and general efficiency. Out of 68 men and five officers, the total strength of the corps, there were present 62 men and four officers. The nterest in the drill since the formation of the squadron has also been very great, the average attendance for 32

drills has been 40. In view of the close attention which ooth officers and men have been giving their work, and also for the reason that heir present drilling quarters will not be available much longer, the an-nouncement by Col. Holmes, that an application for a drill hall and armory uld at once be made to the minister of militia, will be welcome tidings to the officers and men of the O.M.R. At the next meeting of the council an application will be made for a free site.

STRIKE BONANZA

Nelson, Oct. 26.—It has been said by a while in galvanized cases \$7.50; Drumfew that the Sandon silver-lead camp, one of the first exploited in the Kootenay a counte of decades ago, is now a "has a JAILER IN

couple of decades ago, is now a "has been." Such, however, is the recent revival in mining and such the possibilities which exist all over the Kootenay in old and new districts alike that a recent which exist all over the Kootenay in old and new districts alike that a recent lease in Sandon has proved a fortune for

a few lucky Italians.

The Reco mine was recently leased by its owners, Fred. Kelly and John Harris, of Spokane, to some Italians. They started work this month and last week made a ed work this month and last week made a strike in one of the old workings of a rich vein of silver-lead ore. Within a week there is said to be nearly \$50,000 worth of ore on the dump and at least \$100,000 more in sight. The original owners are declared to have offered the lucky Italians \$50,000 for their lease, but the men have held on to their bond and declare they will make much more money. clare they will make much more money than the amount which was offered them.

FEIGHT HUNDRED PERISH IN TYPHOON

Manila Oct. 27.-Official dispatches the jailer stepped in Hazel stepped out received from the sections visited by the draining and boulevarding of cer-The gas buoy heretofore moored close and turned the key in the lock. A posse southward of Ellinor rock, near the southward rock, near the southwa at \$1,000,000, gold.

There were no reports of damage in

Isbella province. WILL PRESENT FARCE.

South Cowichan Dramatic Club to Play at Duncan.

Duncan, Oct. 26.-A farce, "Done o Both Sides," which is to be given in the Duncan opera house in aid of the Cowichan Athletic club, gives promise of being a success. The South Cowich an Dramatic club has repeatedly given performances and has always played to full houses. The play is full of amusof the season, was not satisfactory to the short intervals. The illuminant is ace- mer colony at Salisbury beach was ing situations, showing the attempts of wiped out early by a fire which de- Mr. and Mrs. Whiffles to keep up apobtained, declaring that there were at Long. W. 130 degrees 56 minutes and the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia, Mr. A. Lane, of Qua- about 1,100 miles west-northwest from the damage was estimated to reach not part of Lydia (No. 2000 miles

signed her position as teacher of the

Frank Kingston shot one bear and T. Wood two, at Cowichan lake. They also brought home a number of deer. A bear has recently been seen near Somenos, and one or two panthers have been shot within a few miles of Dun-

WILL HOLD SPORTS.

Nelson, Oct. 26.-At the regular monthly meeting of the school board, the question of the fixing of the date of the annual field day came up for discussion and the conclusion arrived at was to hold the sports on Friday nearest to October 10th in each year. It was "That is yours if you will permit decided to hold a concert on the night

The two sealing schooners Kinsei Maru and Sakai Maru, which were of the office. They called him "Honest John" Miller in North Dakota. His seized in Behring sea by the United States revenue cutter Perry, are now being tried at Valdez Island. The charge is that they illegally took seals United States waters. Captain nth part of a grain can be seen Ritchie was navigating officer on of the schooners.

COUNCIL HOLDS SHORT SESSION

BIDS ARE OPENED FOR WATER METERS

Belleville Street Improvement By-law Finally Passed.

The city council Monday night held a short session, concluding at 9:30.
The Victoria Machinery Depot asked for permission to qualify their bid on

of a change of tenders.

The mayor thought no supplementary tender should be considered.
Ald. Henderson thought the letter

urging that the salt water pressure system be continued from the Government street terminus to either Orchard or Bay streets for the protection of mills in that neighborhood.

Ald. Norman supported the request Vernon Squadron Makes Fine Showing and moved that the letter be referred to the firewardens and that if the matter cannot be taken up this year to be recommended to the incoming Ald McKeown thought the extra water protection asked was unneces-

sary. The letter was ordered forwarded to the firewardens, although as explained by the mayor, it cannot be taken up under the existing by-law.

Tenders for the supply of clothing to the police force were received from C. E. Thomas, D. F. Sprinkling and W. D. Kinnard, together with prices and samples. The tenders were referred to the police commissioners, the purchasing agent and the chief of police.

Tenders for water meters were open-ed from Glenford and Kennedy, per A. J. Forsyth, total price \$75,371; John Mc-Dougall, Caledonia Iron Works, \$23,645, with alternative tenders of \$30,137 and \$38,835; J. A. Johnston, \$38,518.30, with \$10.41 for five-eights size meters; Union Water Meter Company, \$30,041.70, with \$8 for five-eights, Walter S. Fraser & Co., agants; Hinton Electric Company, \$49,198.74 and \$39,647.14 with \$8.17 for five-eighths on the last estimate; Crane & Co., \$30,632.79, five-eighths \$8.32; Buf-Men Lease Mine Which Promises to Yield falo Meter Company, \$31,076, with five-eighths size \$8.40; Dyer Field & Co., eighths size \$8.40; Dyer Field & Co. \$30,000, five-eights in bronze \$8.35.

The tenders were referred to the water commissioner and the purchas-

The reconsideration and final adop-tion of the Belleville street local im-

ground for offensive garbage. The report was received and adopted. Ald Henderson advised the garbage be destroyed in the present manner for ome time to come.

Mrs. McQuade, Douglas street, was awarded \$200 compensation for moving back her fence and damage and disurbance thereby caused.

A motion was carried authorizing

WIRELESS MESSAGES RECEIVED FROM SITKA

Steamer Northwestern Reported 1,100 Miles West Northwest.

The wireless system of telegraphy is gradually extending the distance at which communication can be successmichan, that of desirable match, and Estevan. She is due to arrive at Se-W. Morten of Duncan, the country attle October 30th, but will hardly

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used for my own children; and next day I sent some to my sister, when she gave the child half a powder according to directions. For the first time for a formight she and the baby, and, in fact, all the household, had a good night's sleep, and the little fellow has continued to

improve ever since."

These powders do not contain poison, nor are they a narcotic; but they act gently on the bowels, thus relieving feverish heat and preventing fits, con-

vulsions, etc.

Please notice that the name spelt with EE.

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A lady writing from Ireland says :-went to see my sister's baby, who was very ill indeed. She had been up for nights with him without undressing; he was cry-ing all the time as with some internal pain. The doctor told her he could do nothing except put him in a warm bath, which gave him a little ease for the time being.

"I thought of STEEDMAN'S SOOTHING POWDERS which I was a street of the time being.

STEEDMAN is always