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Local News.

From Wednesday, January 9.

Smith-Palmer.—The Rev. Dr. Campbell vesterday afternoon, at the manse, celebrated the marriage of George G. Smith, of Lopez, Wash., and Mary Etta Palmer, of Seattle, Wash.

High School Pupils.—There are 136 pupils at the Victoria High school this term, being divided among the following classes: Matriculation, 5; intermediate, 25; Junior A, 22; Junior B, 35; and Junior C, 49.

Homeward Bound.—Another of the South African heroes will be here shortly. Mr. J. Anderton telegraphed to his father to expect him next Tuesday. The Y. M. I. will give a reception to Mr. Anderton when he arrives.

New Engineer.—The position of chief engineer at the Esquimalt dry dock, made vacant by the death of Mr. A. Muir, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. J. Jeffcott. Mr. Jeffcott had instructions to report to Superintendent Devereux yesterday, and his new duties will be taken un at once

bandkerchiefs; First Presbyterian Junior Christian Endeavor, handkerchiefs; Johnson Street Gospel Hall, candies; Mrs. Becker, pears; Mrs. West Wilson, papers; Mrs. Durham, chickens; Mr. Sharp, hanging lamp; Mrs. Pope, wrist warmers. Flannel gowns were made and donated by the following young ladies: Miss Paddon, Miss Boswell, Miss Walkem, Miss Galletly, Miss Phipps and Miss B. Dunsmuir, and cash donations from Dr. J. Duncan, \$10; Mrs. Waitt, \$5; Mrs. Lehman (waterworks), \$2. The committee must again ask the public to refrain from giving alms to old Mrs. Parker, an inmate of the home. She begs incessantly and then either sells the goods or gives them to parties who are in no need of such benefactions. She is amply provided for in the home with every comfort, and owns much better clothing than the shabby dress with which she parades the streets and does her begging.

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Services Recognized.—Mr. Harlan I. Smith, who has conducted archaeological investigations in British Columbia and Washington, has been appointed assistant curator of archaeology at the American Museum of Natural History, New York. This guarantees the British Columbia Indians and their curios a permanent place in the United States new big museum.

Crimean Veteran.—On Tuesday evening, a pioneer of this city, William Seede, died at the residence of his son-in-law, W. Noble, 144 Oswego street. Deceased was a native of Preston, Lancashire, Eng., and leaves Mrs. Noble, a daughter, in this city, and a son in Yorkshire, Eng. He was a veteran of the Crimean war, and 72 years of age. At 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, the funeral will take place from the residence.

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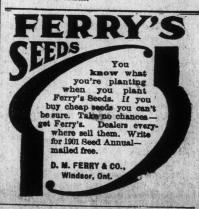
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notwithstanding the very considered pense it would amount to in most cases, and further, in view of the recent outbreak of typhoid fever it is the duty of the city council to free the altration and to provide a proper system not only for this particular nortion of the town, but also for the Spring Ridge section, where it is it possible, even more urgently required.

C. H. BARNARD.