

Columbia and Vancouver Island, where Mgr Bol-due has been one of the first missionaries.

2. The *Chinese* and *Japanese* collection, although of recent date, is already remarkable. Statues, bronze and chinaware vases are seen there, perfectly authentic and of great value.

This museum is due to the initiative of the late Mr Dallet, a missionary in China, and to the generous efforts of Mr Favier, from Pekin, and of Mr Martinet, from Shang-Hai.

3. The general museum, comprising historical remains and souvenirs not belonging to the preceeding collections. The abbé Bégin, now Most Reverend Archbishop of Quebec, has enriched this collection by purchases made in Egypt, amongst which are two Egyptian mummies.

The Ethnological museum increases very slowly, the additions being due merely to the generosity of friends of science. All kinds of historical remains, especially relics of the prehistorical times of Canada and America, are received with gratitude and enlisted.

NUMISMATIC MUSEUM

This museum contains over 6,000 coins and medals, enclosed in 15 glass-cases.

In the first case are shown the Ancient Roman coins and others from the Frémont collection. In another case are the medals of the Popes. These medals are very fine. In the Canadian collection can be seen the medals given by Louis XVI, Louis XV and George III to some Indian chiefs of Canada, the medal of the Confederation, that of the "Quebec