

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NANAIMO.

From our own correspondent. Nanaimo, Oct. 22.—Ald. Davison succeeded last evening at the council meeting in getting the returning officer's report on the waterworks purchase by-law, struck out on the ground that the election was void, owing to the neglect of the returning officer to post the necessary notices in the different wards.

Mr. Cameron of the City Express Company, speaking of the gold deposits at Alberni, says he is so confident of the future of that district that he intends to open a stage line between Nanaimo and Alberni.

By request of the bishop, the proposed amalgamation of St. Paul's and St. Alban's was not brought up at the synod on Saturday. It was intimated by him that a petition from the church members of St. Paul's would receive his consideration.

The ship Peter Jensen, which arrived here on Saturday evening, left again at 2 o'clock yesterday with 4,500 tons of New Vancouver coal.

Notice was received on Wednesday that the cash payment of \$40,000 had been made on the purchase of the Aspinwall interest in the Kootenay valley on the thirty day option taken from Mr. Aspinwall by Messrs. Mason, Hoge and McKinney of the Trail Mining Company, when they were here in September.

On Friday last the ladies of this place and Kuper Island had a surprise party at the house of H. E. Donald, whose wife is visiting here.

His Lordship Bishop Perrin held service in the church at the river on Sunday morning, and in the evening at St. Michael and St. Angela's.

The many friends of Miss Mabel Palmer will regret to hear that she met with an accident in St. Paul, having been thrown out of a carriage; fortunately she was not seriously hurt.

Rev. E. Manuel held service in the school house on Sunday last as usual. R. D. Conway paid a flying visit to his home Sunday night.

himself. He is now on the road to recovery, thanks to the skillful surgery and treatment of Dr. Bowes.

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G. A. Bigelow is out at Spokane purchasing material for the Nelson Electric Light Company's projected extensions and improvements.

J. C. Rykert is very ill at his home at the boundary line, and Dr. LaBau has made two trips to see him this week.

Within the next week Nelson will probably have direct telegraphic communication with Rossland. Superintendent Wilson of the Canadian Pacific telegraphs has turned over to the telegraph company the old river line from Trail to Rossland, conditional upon the use of "tickers."

John M. Burke is back in Rossland from the outside, where he went to raise capital with which to carry on his several mining ventures.

The St. Mary's Mining Company has been organized in Spokane with an authorized capital of \$500,000.

There is now considerable demand for Nelson residence property, and prices are stiffening. Business property has always been held high, and even when times were somewhat gloomy choice locations sold at good figures.

Superintendent Watt of the Rossland mine will work a force of about fifteen men this winter. A much smaller force is at present taking out a carload of ore per week.

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Recent reports from the Daisy and Black Fox mines, where Bob Yall is doing development work for Foster Bros., are of a very favorable kind.

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There is a fine case on in the county court public to meet at 10 o'clock for the trial of the case of the late Mrs. J. J. Brady.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

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ROYAL Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report.