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NOTICE.

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THE WEEKLY COLONIST.

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For one year	$2.50
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Local and Provincial News.

From the Daily Colonist, November 12.

THE ANTI-CHINESE AGITATION AT SEATTLE.

Numerous Arrests Made.

(Exclusive to The Colonist)

SEATTLE, Nov. 11.—The city is quiet, and except for sentinels pacing the streets in the Chinese quarter, there is nothing to remind one of a recent trouble. The United States grand jury adjourned to-day after finding indictments for conspiracy and insurrection against 16 men and one woman. All those indicted have already been arrested. Some furnished bonds for their appearance in the sum of $3000 each, but others refused to do so, preferring to go to jail. Among the arrested are one lawyer, one physician, one organizer of the Knights of Labor assemblies, and two hotel keepers. The rest are working men, among them the master workman of the Knights of Labor assembly here, and many prominent members of that organization. In some cases the arrests excite surprise, as many who have been arrested are not known to have taken any part in the anti-Chinese movement, while others among the most prominent in it have not been indicted. It is not believed that any of the prisoners can possibly be convicted. There is no probability of trouble here while the military remain, but it is believed the agitation will be resumed when they are withdrawn.

THE ALGOMA DISASTER.

The Loss of Life About One Hundred.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

OWEN SOUND (Ont.), Nov. 11.—So far as can be learned the passenger list and crew of the Algoma comprised of over 120 persons. Canadian Pacific officials refuse to disclose the facts. It is believed, however, that a large number of passengers were taken on at Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. Beatty, of the Canadian Pacific, will say nothing definite as to the number lost, while other officials freely state that fully 100 went down with the vessel. The latest list of the saved makes the total only 15.

Personal.

Mr. W. S. Beckwith leaves to-day by the N. P. R. on a visit to his home in Nova Scotia, after an absence of this coast of seven years.

Mr. John Mahoney, of Cowichan, is at the Telegraph Hotel.

Mr. Geo. W. Reynolds, who represents W. T. Coleman & Co., of San Francisco, in legal matters, is at the Driard.

Mr. A. D. Charlton, general western passenger agent Northern Pacific Railroad, and Mr. John J. Byrne, general passenger agent of the O. R. & N. Co., are at the Driard, and will remain until noon today.

Wm. Darling, a prominent merchant of Montreal, is dead.

Mrs. W. Gooderham, of Toronto, after an illness of ten years, died on the 2d November.

Prof. DAWSON has gone to the mainland.

U. S. Consul Stevens and Mrs. Stevens returned from Port Townsend yesterday.

Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour gave a dinner party on board the flagship on Tuesday night, at which were present Premier Smithe, Senator Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Hamley, Capt. Rose, Commander Simpson, Mr. Robinson, Capt. Hope, Mayor Rithet, Mr. E. G. Prior, and Mr. W. T. Drake.

Mr. Wm. Power, of Moodyville, is at the Driard.

Marine.

Steamer Pilot letf last night for Burrard Inlet with bark Arabella in tow, which will load with lumber for the River Plate.

Peninsular and Oriental steamer Indies, from Calcutta for London, was totally wrecked on a reef off Maeletivie, Ceylon. The passengers and mails were saved. The Indies was an iron screw, bark-rigged, vessel of 2,235 tons, built in Meig.

Steamship Mexico with mails, freight and passengers, sailed for San Francisco at noon yesterday.

Per whale bark Atlantic—Nov. 3, when in lat. 37 42 N, lon. 126 W, spoke Br. bark Prince Rupert, from Victoria for London leaking badly; she was compelled to take the pumps every hour. Capt. Shaw of the Br. bark thought he would proceed on his voyage.—*S. F. Call, Nov. 7th.*

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—Arrived—Ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; ship Detroit, Seattle; ship George Nelson, Nanaimo.

CITIZENS OF TACOMA ARRESTED.—The following persons have been arrested at Tacoma by United States Marshal George for conspiracy and insurrection against the laws of the United States: Jacob Weisbach, Dolph Hanna, James Wickersham, A. U. Mills, Jacob Rolph, H. C. Patrick, E. G. Bacon, John Forbes, H. A. Stevens, John Budlong, W. Christy, F. M. Gill, Charles Pratz, A. W. Cones, E. Von Schroder, Lewis Stimpson, B. R. Everett, H. Bixler, G. R. Epperson, D. Lawson, A. Radenzell. M. McAtee, C. E. King, Joseph Fernandez, — Bell, O. J. Anderson, T. L. Nixon. They will be taken to Vancouver as soon as possible.

TO MORROW is Thanksgiving Day. *The Colonist*, having nothing to give thanks for, flatly refused to observe the day by suspending publication. The result will be that all the newspapers will issue as usual. Such is the force of bad example. —*Times.*

Is it not, rather, the force of *The Colonist?*

FROM END OF TRACK.

The Rise and Decay of Eagle Pass.

Description of the Deserted Railway Town.

The Railway Line East and West of Shikamoose.

WESTERN END OF TRACK, November 5, 1885.

Eagle Pass is a railway town of the past. Its growth was rapid; its decline much swifter. It is situated at the extreme head of Shuswap lake, north of the Eagle river and Shikamoose narrows. The view from the town is a picturesque one, the calm waters of the lake being shut in by nigh hills, their summits at the present time crested with snow.

THE ONE STREET

of the town is exceptionally narrow, this for the reason that there were two claimants to the town site. One hotel-keeper disputed the ownership in court, and proved that he had built his house on the wagon road allowance, and accordingly everybody else placed their buildings on the allowance. A team to turn round had to back into a vacant lot, with great risk of pulling down the adjoining house, which was probably constructed of split cedar shingles, nailed to a frame made of saplings. In some of the houses one is afraid to lean against the papered wall, fearing a collapse, as the paper is probably placed over a canvas wall. There is very little attempt at decoration, as it was fully understood that a season would pass and the town would be deserted. When we arrived on Tuesday last a large number were preparing to leave on the outgoing steamer. Some were pulling down the lightly-constructed houses, for shipment to

MORE PROMISING POINTS

of the country. The 8x10 stores were deserted, with an empty cigar-box or a pack of cards in sight to show its former use, while empty bottles were scattered at every turn. The stud-horse and draw poker tables in the saloons were deserted, with the exception, perhaps, of the latter, the small number remaining indulging in a game to pass the evening away.

We were informed that during the progress of the railway sub-contracts business was brisk in the stores, hotels and saloons. Money was flush and was scattered with a free hand, and everybody made money—except the scatterers. All is quiet now, and in another week there will not be two dozen inhabitants in the place.

The town is about two miles from the telegraph station of the C. P. R., which latter is reached by row boat.

THE SHIKAMOOSE NARROWS

is crossed by a long bridge; the treatle approaches from either end being 300 feet, while the centre span is a swing bridge of 280 feet, for navigation purposes. A little further on is a Howe truss bridge of 150 feet crossing Eagle river. There are four other crossings of the Eagle river by Howe trusses of 150 feet spans, such is the tortuous windings of its course, between this first and Gorge creek, a distance of 17 miles. Two miles beyond this the north fork of the Eagle river is crossed by a Howe truss. The work from Shikamoose to Griffin lake is of a very light nature, with long stretches of straight track which, when well ballasted, will be a

MAGNIFICENT ROADBED.

West of Shikamoose there is some very very heavy work, climbing around the Seymour arm of Shuswap lake, the grades being over sixty feet to the mile, and at Shuswap summit the track is 500 feet above the level of the lake. From this point west, along the Thompson river to Kamloops lake the road is also very light in its construction, almost as easy as prairie work. Along Kamloops lake to Savona are six tunnels varying in length from 600 to 900 feet.

Municipal Council.

City council met last night in the city hall. Present—Couns. McKillican, Braden, Earle, Teague, Grant and Warner. In the absence of the mayor Coun. Earle was elected to the chair.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From A. De Cosmos, asking permission to widen the sidewalk opposite his lots on Government street, privilege of putting down drains from his lots to the corner of Government and Cormorant and to lay a footwalk across Government where Pandora avenue connects. The requests were granted.

From C. Bossi, asking permission for use of part of Cormorant street for building purposes. Granted.

From residents on Caledonia avenue, asking for sidewalk from Cook street to Chambers street. Referred to the street committee to report.

From G. Coughlan, asking permission for use of portion of Yates and Douglas streets for building purposes.

Bills in connection with the smallpox case at the pest-house, amounting to $139.75, were read and ordered paid if found correct.

From Dr. Jackson, reporting the death on Sunday last of Wm. Kean of confluent smallpox, and stating that every disinfectant and precaution had been taken. Received and filed.

FIRE WARDENS

reported, recommending repairs to the coverings of the fire tanks. Ordered done.

SANITARY.

Mr. Braden said he intended at the next meeting to bring in a new code of sanitary laws. Those which the city already had were of no utility.

DRAINAGE.

The chairman stated that the drainage committee had been at work inspecting the many plans submitted. The committee would meet to-morrow night (Thursday) to further examine. Some of the most eminent engineers had communicated with the city. Some very liberal offers had been made; and through all the plans there seemed to be an expression of opinion that it was not competent for a plan to be finally adopted until a personal expert examination had been made.

ELECTRIC.

The question of selection of the additional electric light was to have come up, but was further deferred.

Council adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

I. O. O. F.

The entertainment given by the Odd Fellows to their friends on Tuesday evening was in everyway a grand success. The performance was opened by the orchestra with an overture. Mr. Kent sang a solo with usual ability, and the Misses Storey's vocal duet was a decided success. Mr. Pinnock's recitation was well delivered, and Mr. Marshbank's song received a hearty encore. Miss Baird, who gave a piano solo, was followed by Mr. Hawkins with a song, which captured an encore. The flute duet, with a piano accompaniment, by Miss Storey and the Misses Blanchard, was well received, and a recitation by Miss Levi was applauded to the echo. "The trio," by Mr. F. G. Richards, Mr. Marshbank and Mr. Nichols, was generously received, and the applause which greeted Dr. Praeger's reading was loud and continuous. Miss Dobbs' solo came last in the list, but was the gem of the occasion, her rich contralto voice filling the large hall. The room was then cleared and dancing was indulged in until after midnight. The refreshments provided deserve special mention, and the manner in which the entertainment, on the whole, was conducted, reflects great credit on the committee.

SMALL BUSINESS.—Six of the soldiers lately sent to Seattle, got upon a spree yesterday and passed round Chinatown levying blackmail of two bits on each Celestial they encountered. In this way they obtained nearly $100.

THE OFFICIAL RAILWAY VISIT.

Further Particulars of the Trip From Craigiea to Victoria.

The progress of the official train of General Manager Van Horne and party from the track connection at Craigiea, in Eagle Pass, to Port Moody on the Pacific, was very rapid, the splendid work done on the Onderdonk contracts being the subject of much favorable comment, it being in great contrast with that in the Selkirks, where the train had to proceed very slowly, on account of the temporary bridges, etc.

THE OFFICIAL TRAIN

left Craigiea at 10:20 a. m., and arrived at North Bend at 10:10 p. m., a distance of 223 miles. Next morning the train left North Bend at 6:50 and and arrived at Port Moody at 11:10 a. m., the distance covered being 118 miles. The train was in charge of Conductor Trodden and Engineer McNab, and the time made through the mountains rather startled the eastern men, General Superintendent Egan requesting a slower travel below Yale.

THE WESTERN SPECIAL,

in charge of Conductor Whalen and Engineer Evans, was passed at Chikamoose by the official train, the special starting from that point at 12:23 p. m., arriving at Lytton at 9:55p.m., a distance of 196 miles. Lytton was left at 5:10 a. m., arriving at Port Moody at 11.35, a distance of 145 miles. The trains had several stoppages on the way, and very quick time was made by both.

The official train's time from Montreal through to Port Moody, including the several days' stay at Farwell, was 24 miles per hour, an average of 35 miles being made between Winnipeg and Farwell. Mr. Van Horne's statement that the time between

WINNIPEG AND PORT MOODY

would be reduced to 45 hours when the road was placed in fine working condition would seem to be an easy matter to accomplish. The return trip of the party will be a flying one and the result will be of great interest.

The line from Griffin lake east to Donald will keep the engineers and carpenters busy for about six weeks to come, replacing the present temporary structures with permanent bridges, and also surfacing the track laying. When this is completed work will be suspended for the winter, and in the spring the final ballasting and finishing will be done, the stations and water tanks built, and the road opened for through traffic in splendid condition. The east will be

A COUPLE OF DAYS NEARER

than at present, and connected by a line of railway Canadian from ocean to ocean, a fact that should cause the inhabitants of our great and growing country infinite pride and satisfaction.

At Port Moody the handsome steamer Princess Louise was in waiting in command of Captain John Irving, which was boarded by the party shortly after noon. Beside Van Horne's party there were on board the members of that of Mr. J. M. Ross, consisting of a number of ladies and gentlemen, and Messrs. A. W. Ross, M. P., and Wm. Angus, who came from Victoria. Coal Harbor and Granville were visited, and the trip through

THE GULF AND ARCHIPELAGO

quickly accomplished, the recently renovated steamer making faster time than ever before, and there is no navigator on the coast who can so successfully bring a vessel to port than Captain Irving. The trip through the islands was made after dark, so the railway magnates had not a chance to view the wonderful beauties that everywhere abound, and their early start this morning will also prohibit them from seeing them.

What Some People Say

That the Indian reserve case will come up on Monday next.

That in Canterbury, Eng., recently a curious brass box was dug up. Its name and purpose were a mystery until, being opened, there was found inside three buttons, a piece of tin and a scrap of paper. Then they knew that it was an ancient contribution box.

That M. Bartholdi, sculptor of the Statue of Liberty to be erected in New York harbor, has arrived at New York.

That poultices of tar applied to the soles of the feet are commended in Georgia as a cure for rheumatism.

That ex-Senator Sharon is desperately ill at San Francisco of neuralgia of the heart and has made a dying declaration that Sarah Althea's claim is fraudulent, and the marriage contract a forgery. He has deeded all his property, worth $6,000,000, in trust for his three children, who will each receive a third.

That the Times announces that "Tomorrow is Thanksgiving Day." He should devote his holiday to his grammar.

That a New York heiress—quoted at $5,000,000—has just captured a brilliant and splendid prize in the shape of a distinguished German baron equipped with a fierce moustache, a decayed castle, a hereditary debt and an outlawed ancestry.

That cocoanut cellulose is a new substance, and if it possesses the quality claimed for it, England may go back to her wooden walls with safety and beat up her self-destructive rams for old iron. The patentees claim that a ship cannot be sunk by shot or shell if only she has taken the precaution of coming into the fight with this peculiar substance as a great coat. When a shot, no matter what its dimensions, strikes the side of a frigate the carpenter and his master need not jump to cram in the old-time plugs, for the cellulose immediately closes, and a drop of water will not enter.

That O'Connell's famous wrangle with the fish-wife, in which he called her a parallelogram and accused her of concealing a hypothenuse in her bedroom, is equaled by a recent Arizona case in which one cowboy shot another for calling him a blanked microbe.

That "out of every one 109 female school teachers," says an exchange, "seven marry every year." How many times do the remaining 102 marry? Give us all the facts.

That a fashionable lady of New York paid $175 for a wing for her hat. Her friends are wondering why she didn't put a little more to it and buy a dog.

That the number of passengers carried by all railroads in all parts of the world in 1882 was 2,400,000,000, or 6,500,000 a day.

That Santa Barbara is falling into line on the anti-Chinese agitation.

Yale Court House.

Mr. George Wise, late of the Evening Post, and now government agent at Yale, has converted the offices and grounds there into a very pleasant place. Inside and out the grounds are in the neatest order, Mr. Wise painting the buildings himself. There is but one prisoner in the jail at present, which is in thoroughly pleasant order. The court room and the different offices are well furnished and kept most scrupulously neat. Mr. Wise is evidently the right man in the right place, and is a very deserving office.

OMNIBUS ROUTES.—An innovation, and a very useful one, too, commenced yesterday with the running of hourly 'buses between the head of Fort street and Point Ellice, the Douglas street fountain and the outer wharf. Their great public convenience and moderate fare of 10 cents should procure them full patronage.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING.—To-day being Thanksgiving day throughout the Dominion, divine service will be held in all the churches, and the banks and most of the business houses will be closed. Newspaper offices, however—thanks to *The Colonist*—will remain open and publish as usual.

MR. VAN HORNE and party left on the Yosemite last night for New Westminster and the East. They will go through to Montreal by the C. P. railway.

THE CATHOLIC BAZAAR.

A Lovely Display of Art and Fancy Goods.

The bazaar and sale of fancy goods in aid of the funds of St. Andrew's Cathedral, View street, opened yesterday afternoon at Philharmonic hall, and will continue during the remainder of the week. There is a lovely and numerous assortment of useful and fancy articles, and many exquisite pieces of art, which are displayed in tempting array. In the centre of the floor is

THE ART BOOTH,

very tastefully trimmed, the articles being displayed on both sides of the booth These comprise an extensive lot of beautiful and chaste finish—hand-painted china vases, tile painting, lustre painting, oil paintings, plaques, lovely worked lambrequins, brackets, sofa pillows, whisk holders, and a variety of silk worked and painted novelties. The sisters of St. Ann have furnished a number of handsome pieces, a magnificent silk plush chair, with raised silk work, being of special attraction, while fire screens, piano covers and sofa cushions, artistically worked, are also exhibited. The art department is a very attractive one, and proves that there are many ladies in Victoria who are possessed of superior artistic talent. The art booth is in charge of Mesdames A. E. B. Davie, I. H. Tilton and Mrs. G. A. Carleton.

THE FANCY STALL

is replete with a wonderful variety of articles of a useful and ornamental nature, the best of which are some crazy work lambrequins, sofa cushions, etc. This stall is in charge of Mesdames F. Sehl, Beckingham and A. McLean.

The child's clothing booth is in charge of Mrs. Stewart. The doll table, with a delightful lot of dressed dolls, is presided over by Mrs. Van Volkenburgh. The candy table with its many kinds of sweets is in charge of Miss Petre, while Miss McNiffe presides over the flower stand. Mrs. G A Carleton has charge of a wheel of fortune, and charming young ladies persuade old and young men to take a chance in numerous raffles of enticing and handsome articles. A soda water fountain is in charge of Misses Madigan and Van Volkenburgh, who

REFRESH THIRSTY VISITORS,

while refreshments are served on the stage. A hot lunch will be provided every day until the close of the bazaar.

In the right hand corner of the hall is a large two-story doll's house, designed by Mrs. Carleton. This is of pleasing architecture, long bay windows and moulded cornice. The entrance is into a spacious hallway, the house being divided into parlor, dining, kitchen and sleeping rooms, and furnished with every requisite and adornment of a house in miniature. The booths are prettily hung with lace curtains and dressed with evergreens and flags, the large hall being also handsomely decorated. The bazaar promises to be one of the most successful that has ever been held by the ladies of St. Andrew's congregation, all of whom have entered into it with a zeal that must bring a large sum into the building fund.

During the evening the attendance was very large, and purchases were numerous. Nearly all the raffle chances were taken, while the refreshments were liberally partaken of. The sum realized from the wheel-of-fortune alone amounted to nearly $100.

Burglars at Large.

The particulars of the attempted burglarious entry into the house of Mr. W. H. Adams, Kings road, on the Work estate, are that at a few minutes past 2 o'clock on Monday morning last Mr. Adams was aroused by hearing his dog bark. He arose and went into the kitchen, at the back of the house, where, upon looking between the blind and the window, he saw two men standing. One tried the window, and, finding it closed, next directed his attention to the handle of the door. Mr. Adams dressed quickly, and, taking a 45 calibre Winchester rifle, passed out through the front door, and, walking round the house, came sharply upon the men with, "You blackguards, what are you doing here!" Thoroughly startled (one was beginning to pick the lock), both of the burglars turned and ran through the back yard, whose gates they had taken care to leave open. The shorter of the two slipped and fell, crying out, as he did so, "For God's sake don't shoot!" His companion, who was a tall, burly man, fired a pistol shot, but no whizz of a bullet being heard, it is thought he fired into the air. Mr. Adams then fired five shots, well elevated, though had he wished he could have killed both of the thieves. He describes one as a short man, the other more than usually tall and stout. Both had on cloth caps, drawn well down over their ears, and wore dark clothing. The larger of the two seemed to be clean shaven and was a very rough-looking fellow.

Hanlan Denies.

Hanlan being interviewed regarding Teemer's explanation of his (Teemer's) letters to him said Teemer's statement that he had made overtures to Wallace Ross was a deliberate falsehood. He and Ross are far from being friends, in fact they could not think less of each other, and therefore it would be absurd to suppose he would place himself in Ross' power by any such action. He says Teemer's letters were sent him after the first deposit of $100 had been made on a match between them. Therefore Teemer's statement that the letters were written for the reason that Hanlan would not row him unless he (Teemer) gave a guarantee that Hanlan should win, was false on the face of it.

David and Goliah—Killed by a Boy.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 11.—Yesterday afternoon a young blacksmith's apprentice named Kelly, aged about 14 years, was going out of the shop door, when a Chinaman named Leon Jock, who was passing, hit him a heavy blow on the head without any provocation. The boy angered at this, picked up a stone and threw it at the Chinaman, hitting him on the head. The Chinaman fell to the ground, bleeding profusely. He was carried to a neighboring Chinese house and died a few hours afterwards. The boy has been arrested.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—While Mr. J. Doran, proprietor of the New Inn, Esquimalt road, was driving along in his buggy his horse shied at a man who was digging a post hole at the side of the road, and ran away. Coming in contact with a telegraph pole, both side wheels of the buggy were torn off and Mr. Doran pitched headlong into the mud. The buggy was badly broken. Mr. Doran sustained no broken bones, but his head was hurt considerably. He was taken to his home.

WENT OFF.—Shortly before 6 o'clock last night a team belonging to Mr. Van Allman on the Saanich road, started off at full gallop without a driver from Mr. R. Porter's store for home.

GOVERNMENT CONCESSIONS.—The C. P. R. syndicate representatives were yesterday engaged with the local government discussing the government concessions at Coal harbor.

SEPARATION.—Mr. A. W. Bell and Jennie Winston (the opera singers) who were here many years ago, have been divorced and Mr. Bell has married a young chorus singer.

COAL DEALERS' MEETING.—There was a meeting of the city coal-dealers yesterday to discuss the situation of the trade. The decision arrived at was not made public.

THE case against the Eliza Anderson of smuggling will be heard on the 19th inst. Captain Wright feels sure of acquittal.

EASTWARD.—Mr. Van Horne and party will leave for the east *via* New Westminster and Port Moody this afternoon.

From the Daily Colonist, Nov. 13.

A Double Murder.

At Granville last Saturday night a double murder was committed, in which a Chinaman and Chinawoman were the victims. Mr. J. H. Hughes, coroner, was notified and held inquests on the bodies on Monday and Tuesday. From the evidence produced it appears that Ah Suey came from Tacoma some time ago with a Chinawoman named Ah Youk, and a short time after arriving at Granville this woman married Him Sing. On Saturday night Ah Suey came into the house and fired twice at Sing and once at his wife with a pistol. Ah Youk was shot dead, and Sing was shot through the arm and side. There was another Chinaman and a white man in at the time, and as soon as the firing began they rushed out and went for assistance. When Constable Huntley came in he found the woman lying on her face dead, and Sing also prostrate and breathing his last. It seems that after Suey had fired three or four shots, some one, supposed to be Sing, took a shotgun and fired at him, inflicting a mortal wound. In the case of Youk the jury found that she was shot by Suey, but the jury could not find who caused Suey's death. Sing, who had been arrested, was let off, as there was no evidence against him, and even if he did kill Suey he would be perfectly justified. —*Columbian.*

Personal.

Mr. J. K. De Knevett arrived from New Westminster yesterday.

Miss Effie Dunsmuir, daughter of Robert Dunsmuir, Esq., has sailed for Brighton, England, where she will complete her education.

His Worship Andrew McLean, Esq., mayor of the flourishing town of Walkerton, Bruce county, Ontario, is in town. Mayor McLean came by rail to the late "break" in the Canadian Pacific railway line and walked 47 miles in the mountains to connect with the western end. He found the weather along the line good, but in the mountains snow was falling heavily.

Mr. J. Readman, claim agent of the O. R. & N. Co. at Portland, who is just recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, arrived in Victoria yesterday and will remain a few days.

Dr. H. E Langis, of Yale, left by the Mexico on Wednesday for a visit to California.

Mr. David Downes, late of the Island railway, was a passenger by the last Mexico for San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton, Mrs Beaumont and Mr. G. Riley were among the arrivals from the east coast yesterday.

Miss F. Matthews left for England on Thursday.

Mr. C. Strouss is on the way to England.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson.

The Daily Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, of Oct. 27, contains the following editorial:

Last May it was reported from Alaska that Rev. Sheldon Jackson, United States General agent of Education in Alaska, had been indicted by a grand jury for misdemeanors in connection with his work in the industrial school for the Indians there. It turns out, as might have been supposed, that the whole proceeding was purely malicious. There are white men in Alaska who do not want any work done among the natives for their instruction or elevation. Especially they do not want the Indian girls instructed in morality and chastity, and for this reason they are very hostile toward Dr. Jackson's work. When Judge Dawne arrived in Alaska he caused Dr. Jackson to appear before his court to answer to the indictments; but upon hearing them the court ordered the proceedings dismissed, since they were sustained neither by facts nor law. Dr. Jackson will go on with his work.

The Squatters' Rights.

It will be remembered that we announced some months ago the fact of the provincial government having stipulated with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for certain squatters upon Granville lots obtaining deeds upon payment of the nominal price of $200 per lot. The government having pressed for official ratification of that arrangement, at an adjourned meeting of the board of directors of the company, held in this city on Wednesday, a resolution was passed formally ratifying and confirming the same, so that the occupiers of lots referred to are now thoroughly secured in their holdings,—thanks to the forethought and persistence of the government.

Who is Ed. Valhou, of Victoria?

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—In 1884 C. W. Carrier, of Levis, Quebec, swore before G. Hay, of this city, a justice of the peace for the county of Carleton, that he was the inventor of a self oiling axle, for which he applied for a patent. Mr. Ed. Valhou, of Victoria, British Columbia, has entered legal proceedings against Mr. Carrier, charging him with committing wilful perjury. The case comes up before Mr. O'Gara, Q. C., police magistrate, to-morrow. Among the witnesses are Hon. John Carling, minister of agriculture, and Mr. H. Grist, patent solicitor, of this city. Mr. F. Macdonald will conduct the case for the prosecution and Mr. Christie for the defence.

Roman Catholic Bazaar.

PEDESTRIANISM.—A ten-mile walking match took place at the hall of the Victoria athletic club yesterday afternoon. The race was won by Thomas Watson in 1 hour and 47 minutes, Edward Shade coming in a good second.

THE FIGHT WITH GAGNON IN MONTREAL.

Triumph of the Police.

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—A most determined resistance was given to-day to the Isolating Committee, but it was successfully overcome by force, but without bloodshed. The case was that of Gagnon, who attempted to shoot the police who went to arrest him last night. This afternoon twelve men of the city police, under sub-Chief Maher, and half a dozen sanitary police were instructed to have a warrant for Gagnon's arrest executed at any cost, and the patients removed to the hospital. On the arrival of the officers at the house a crowd of loafers and roughs commenced to stream in from all sides. Gagnon refused to go with the officers, when the constables grappled with him and he was carried down stairs, pushed into a cab and driven away amid loud yells and threats by the mob. Mr. Gagnon's son, about 18 years of age, barricaded the doors and windows and fired on the police with a revolver. Sergeant Charbonneau ran up the stairs with a number of his men and attempted to force the door, but a number of pistol shots made him retire. Mayor Beaugrand then ordered the policemen to fire, if necessary. The officers mounted the stairs and commenced battering the door. While doing this another pistol shot was fired and a cry from one of the officers warned the others that the son had a rifle pointed at the door. At this stage of affairs the door gave way and the boy and his rifle were seized by the officers, who placed the youth in a cab and drove away, in spite of repeated attempts by the crowd to upset the vehicle. The house was then entered, no defence being made, and the two patients (small children) were placed in the van, together with their mother and another woman, and taken to the hospital.

SEAL CLOAKING at Denny's. Very handsome quality.

What Some People Say.

That Harry Simpson, who was thrown from Mr. R. Porter's meat wagon on Wednesday evening, is still in bed from his hurts. Dr. McSwain is attending the patient.

That a lady writes us to ask what is the best diet for her valuable little poodle. We would recommend arsenic.

That "what makes you look so pale, Moses?" asked Isaacs. "I have a good reason to," answered Moses. "Why!" "Because I keep a bucket-shop, Isaacs," replied Moses.

That there is small need to go to the States for a mud bath, when such a thorough one can be enjoyed here. A gentleman who sat behind a pair of fast bays yesterday can bear us out in this. He smiled at us as he passed and it actually cracked the mud on his face.

That some joker sent the photograph of the editor of the Port Townsend Argus to the New York Police Gazette as the likeness of John Guildy, a murderer, and the editor's handsome face is going the rounds as that of one of the most desperate wretches that ever lived. Such is fame!

That Leland Stanford, for the establishment of a university at Palo Alto, California, will soon deed to the state 85,000 acres of land. In addition to this he will expend about $2,000,000 in cash for the erection and equipment of university buildings.

That the diggers of the drain on Yates street leading from the archiepiscopal palace have left the thoroughfare in a dangerous condition.

That the gentleman who found the trunk of "the stone man" in Happy valley has just returned to town with the "legs." It is reported that he discovered them somewhere back of Cowichan.

That the English government has decided to send Mr. Matthew Arnold to France and Germany to inquire into the system of free schools.

That a somewhat aged bachelor, on getting married, was presented by a friend with a copy of Milton's "Paradise Lost," and by another with Dante's "Inferno."

That Fogg remarked, "Another trunk tragedy," in allusion to the young woman encased in extra tight-fitting corsets.

That impecunious individuals can now use their cuffs instead of collars and be in the height of fashion.

That for a wager a Connecticut man swallowed a live frog the other day. The frog appeared to be hopping mad when he found that he had been so badly taken in.

That Jumbo would shiver at the sight of a rat. Poor fellow, he couldn't climb up in a chair, with his clothes gathered up about his ankles.

That men sometimes recover from the effects of lockjaw, but with a woman it is always fatal. It is not so much the danger of the disease, great as that is. It is the mortification of not being able to speak that kills.

That vegetarianism is spreading very rapidly in London. Ten years ago it was difficult to find an avowed vegetarian, but now more than 2000 persons refresh themselves daily at vegetarian restaurants.

That a few days ago a small German town celebrated the thousandth anniversary of its existence. All the inhabitants went to church. On the same day a town in Dakota celebrated the first anniversary of its existence. All the inhabitants went to the principal saloon in the town.

That now Chicago claims that pork is a brain food, being the product of thousands of western pens.

In Peril.

(Special to The Colonist.)

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 12.—The steamer Eliza Anderson, in charge of a customs officer under seizure, dragged her anchor near the head of Port Townsend bay today. Steam was got up and an attempt made to get her out of her perilous position, but the machinery broke down and she drifted helplessly until she struck the wharf at Port Townsend. The steamer Edna went to her assistance, but was unable to get her out. The tug Tyee then went to the rescue and hauled her to a place of safety. It is stated that the Anderson is not much damaged.

RECOGNIZED HIM IN TIME.—A coal merchant was walking home last night, when a man jumped out upon him with a pistol, crying, "Hold up your hands!" "Who are you?" asked the gentleman assaulted. "I'm a highwayman," was the reply. "Good enough," said the merchant, "I'm a low-weighman; shake hands!" and, having done so, they separated.

THERE is at last a hope that the Driard house spout, which discharges a copious flood of water on the sidewalk each rainy day, will be removed. A policeman standing under it last evening received a cold shower-bath down the back of his neck. A reformation is now deemed inevitable.

A CONCERT will be held this evening at the Theatre Comique in aid of the Royal hospital. A drawing for a piano will take place after the concert in which each of the audience will have a chance.

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