

Kitchener in Command

Works of Subduing the Boers to Be Undertaken by Mounted Troops.

Garrisons Will Be Established at Various Points Throughout the Country.

Capt. Chalmers, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, Killed Near Belfast.

(Associated Press.)

Pretoria, Oct. 31, via Bloemfontein, Nov. 4.—Gen. French has arrived at the Springs, a few miles from Johannesburg, after a difficult march from Barberton. He has lost 1,500 transport oxen since his advance from Machadodorp. It is believed that the plan of moving large bodies of troops about the country will now be abandoned and that the complete subjugation of the country will be attempted by means of garrisons in the district towns which will be well supplied with provisions and made the basis for mounted troops, who will scour the country around them.

Lord Roberts, before starting on his return to England, thanked his bodyguard for their efficient services and presented to each of the men an autograph photograph of himself. The principal members of Lord Roberts's old staff will leave to-night for England.

Col. Hamilton has been appointed military secretary to Gen. Kitchener on whom the military command has devolved. The new headquarters staff is being rapidly installed.

The funeral of Prince Christian Victor, a grandson of the Queen, who died here of enteric fever, will take place tomorrow. A telegram from the Queen commanding that he be buried in a soldier's grave arrived just in time to stop the arrangements that had been made for sending the body to England. The mounted forces are being re-equipped. The New Zealand contingent left for Rustenburg to-day.

The greatest satisfaction is expressed by the British here because of the refusal of the Queen of the Netherlands to give an official reception to ex-President Kruger upon his arrival in that country, and also because of the action of the Brussels authorities in refusing to permit any demonstration when Mr. Kruger reaches Belgium.

The remaining battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment left for home to-day. Canadian Officer Killed.

London, Nov. 5.—Lord Roberts telegraphs from Johannesburg under date of November 3rd that in operations in the Belfast district on November 2nd Captain Chalmers, of the Canadian mounted rifles, was killed, and Major Sanderson, of the same command, was wounded.

British Columbians Returning.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The Mail and Empire this morning publishes a dispatch from Pretoria, under the date of October 31st, that the remaining members of the first contingent, "A" and "B" Co's, the former company composed of volunteers from British Columbia, Northwest Territories and Manitoba, left for home on that day.

London, Nov. 5.—The Brussels correspondent of the Standard says that the Transvaal agency there has received information that former President Kruger is seriously ill on the Dutch warship Gelderland, on which he is journeying to Europe. This report is probably another version of the recent report that Mr. Kruger was suffering from seasickness.

Quebec, Que., Nov. 5.—Pte. Neil of Victoria, was among nine invalided Canadians on the Cambroman which arrived here yesterday. Rev. Father O'Leary was also on board the same steamer. He, together with the nine privates, received a warm welcome upon landing.

STREET CARS COLLIDE.

Vancouver, Nov. 5.—Two street cars collided this morning on Hastings street in a thick fog. No one was seriously injured. Motorman Easton stopped his car, and the wonder is that he escaped death.

John Westall, who was stabbed in the neck by Thos. Wood, a sailor, at Westminster on Saturday afternoon, was reported to be dying this morning.

J. J. Brooks, an old timer, was found dead of heart failure in his cabin yesterday afternoon.

NOTES FROM NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, Nov. 5.—D. G. S. Quadra arrived here late last night and left this morning for Victoria. While north, she buoyed the vicinity of the Miami wreck effectively.

Scottish miners from Ladysmith are playing Nanaimo Thistles here today. A big meeting of the Miners' Protective Association will be held to-night.

Mr. Smith's committee reports that Omox is enthusiastically favorable to him.

KIDNEY EXPERIMENT.

There is no time for experimenting when you've discovered that you are a victim of some form of another of kidney disease. Lay hold of the treatment that thousands have planned their faith to and has cured quickly and permanently. South American Kidney Cure stands pre-eminent in the world of medicine as the kidney sufferer's truest friend. Sold by Deane & Hancock and Hall & Co.—62.

PANIC ON STREET CAR.

About Twenty Persons Injured in Montreal To-day.

(Associated Press.)
Montreal, Nov. 5.—There was a pilgrimage this afternoon from the archbishop's church to Cote des Neiges cemetery, attended by several thousand people. While a street car, loaded to its capacity, was descending the steep Cote des Neiges hill the trolley slipped off the wire, the motorman immediately applied his brakes, but the car began sliding backwards slowly. There was a panic among the people inside the car, and they made a rush for the front vestibule. So many crowded in that the motorman was rendered powerless to do anything further. People broke the vestibule windows, the windows of the car and jumped from the rear platform. Fully a score were more or less injured, several receiving broken arms and legs. The car, gathering speed, dashed into a car following, and that in turn crashed into another before all were finally brought to a standstill.

MURDER OF KING HUMBERT.

Brescia Probably Prepared for Crime Before Leaving the United States.

(Associated Press.)
London, Nov. 5.—What may possibly be taken as indicating that Bresci, the slayer of King Humbert, was prepared for regicide when he left the United States last spring, is some wording in a letter from him received at a meeting of fellow anarchists here last night. They had gathered to welcome the assassin on her first visit to the city since the tragedy. The letter was addressed to A. Brotha, proprietor of Bartholdi hall, "and companions," and was in part as follows: "I no longer fear from my wife, nor do I now know where she lives. Before I left America it was agreed between us that she should give up her rooms, which were then our home, and live by herself in a quiet decent way, so that she might avoid public talk and notoriety and keep out of sight."

ROYAL HEROINE.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Nov. 5.—The Queen of Portugal, at Oseals, a fashionable seaside resort, made a thrilling rescue, and is now a heroine in the eyes of all her subjects, says a Lisbon dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser.

The Queen was on the beach idly watching Catalao Croom, her boatman, bringing his boat ashore. Suddenly a wave overturned the boat. Croom's arm was broken and he was overcome by the undertow. The Queen, who is an expert swimmer, seeing that he was drowning, sprang into the sea in her clothing, before any of her attendants could prevent her. She swam to the boatman's side and held him up until persons on shore put out in a boat and rescued both. Croom was taken to the royal palace, where he is being nursed by the Queen. She is none the worse for her experience.

ARNOLD REMANDED.

(Associated Press.)

London, Nov. 5.—At Bow street police court this morning, Julian Arnold, son of Sir Edwin Arnold, who had been extradited from California, was remanded on the charge of misappropriation of £14,000 of trust funds. He denied the charge.

POLITICAL ITEMS.

(Associated Press.)

Toronto, Nov. 5.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here yesterday and spent the day quietly at the house of Senator Cox. He left this morning at 9:30 on a special train for points on main line of the G. T. R., including Brampton, Galt, Guelph, Hamilton, etc.

Corwall, Nov. 5.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was greeted by about six thousand people here on Saturday evening. He addressed a meeting in the interest of Mr. Mulhern, Liberal.

Brookville, Nov. 5.—Sir Richard Cartwright addressed a large meeting of electors here on Saturday evening.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—The Conservative leaders, including Messrs. Powell, Whitney and others, left by a special train for Toronto, they intend addressing meetings at different points between Montreal and Toronto.

COLLIDED WITH WHARF.

Steamer Ottomun Compelled to Again Return to Montreal.

(Associated Press.)

Montreal, Nov. 5.—Dominion liner Ottomun, which recently touched the bottom of Ile Ronde while leaving port and was compelled to go into Levis graving dock for repairs, is again in trouble. She left port this morning for Liverpool, and, when five miles from the harbor, her rudder refused to act and she crashed into the wharf, sustaining considerable injury to her bow. She had a cargo of 5,000 tons and live stock. The vessel was not damaged. The vessel returned here for examination and repairs. The accident was due to defective steering gear.

THIRTEEN DEAD.

Bodies of Miners Recovered From the Berrysburg Colliery.

(Associated Press.)

Phillipi, W. Va., Nov. 5.—The latest reports from the ill-fated mine at Berrysburg show that 13 are dead, eight of whom have been recognized. Two men were found dead in a part of the mine which had been abandoned. The door at the mouth of the mine was shut, and the two men had been blown 250 feet from the mouth.

CONVENTIONAL ELECTION.

(Associated Press.)

Seattle, Wn., Nov. 5.—Both Republicans and Democrats are claiming for their respective candidates a complete victory in the state. Republicans have announced the complete figure of the poll of 551 out of 1,081 precincts in the state, which gives them a majority of 7,767 over the entire opposition. The remaining precincts, it is asserted, will give them over 12,000. The Democrats refuse to announce their poll, but say that Bryan will carry the state by 10,000 and that the entire state ticket from governor down will go in by over 15,000 majority.

Rebellion Dying Out

Chinese Reformers Admit They Were Not Equipped for the Campaign.

Placards Posted in Shen Lung Calling on People to Kill Foreigners.

Discord Among the Officials Commanding Allies at Shan Hai Kuan.

(Associated Press.)

Hongkong, Nov. 5.—Reports from Canton say the east river rebels have moved up the river and boats are now running from Pak Low to Hu Chau.

It is considered probable that the rebellion will shortly die out. The reformers admit that the rising was premature and that they had not a sufficient supply of arms. The French demand the execution of the leaders in the Shen Lung riots. Placards have been posted throughout the town urging the people to slaughter the foreigners if the demands shall be pressed.

Trouble in the Camp.

London, Nov. 5.—Advices from Tien Tsin say the Shanghai correspondent of the Times, wiring yesterday, show that "confusion, disorganization and absence of security are the chief characteristics of the allied occupation."

To Settle Difficulty.

Pekin, Nov. 5.—A commission consisting of the senior staff officer of the forces of each power taking part in the Chinese campaign is proceeding to Shan Hai Kuan on the gulf of Liao Tung, in order to smooth the friction between the allied commanders regarding the places to be selected for occupation by their respective forces.

RETURNS IN DISTRESS.

N. P. Steamer Duke of Fife Puts Back to Port Damaged.

The Northern Pacific steamship Duke of Fife, which left here for the Orient at 10 o'clock Sunday morning a week ago yesterday, put back to port this morning in a disabled condition. She came to an anchor off the outer wharf, and has there remained since her arrival. The vessel is said to have sustained damage which will necessitate her going into dry dock, but whether here or at Tacoma is a problematical matter as yet. The steamer has an immense cargo of over 3,000 tons, principally of flour, and this will first have to be discharged before the vessel goes on to be repaired.

What the exact nature of her injuries are no one connected with the ship is willing to discuss. The ship, however, bears evidence of being badly buffeted about by storms. One of her bows, smashed in, her binnacle has been carried away, her after steering gear has been damaged, and part of her onerouswork has been disabled. None of this would cause the ship to return to port, and it is believed that the chief damage to the vessel lies in the engine room, or in the probability that her propeller is loose.

LEGAL NEWS.

Upon the opening of the sittings of the Full court this morning, Chief Justice McCall expressed the opinion that the Full court sat too frequently. The four sittings yearly were sufficient for the purposes. These frequent sittings interfered with the work of the circuit judges, who had often to leave circuit to take their seats with the Full court.

Mr. Justice Irving and Mr. Justice Martin expressed similar opinions. The Chief Justice said he intended to mark for publication, and Mr. H. D. Helmecke for publication, and Mr. H. D. Helmecke for publication, and Mr. H. D. Helmecke for publication.

The cases disposed of this morning were Lovell vs. Brackman & Ker, and Baird vs. Veitch. The appeal was heard and dismissed in the first instance; Duff and Helmecke for the appellants; and P. for the respondents. In the last named, adjournment was taken till the next sitting of the court. Helmecke and Duff for appellants, defendants, and A. D. Crease for the respondent.

Capt. A. N. Hall, of the steamer Walla Walla, on arrival at San Francisco from Victoria, reported that on October 27th, at 4:30 p.m., his vessel spoke the four-masted schooner A. J. West in latitude 47 deg. 13 min. north, flying signals of distress. She was under way, and a portion of her fore staysail. The schooner's flag was union down. Without delay the Walla Walla changed her course in order to approach the West, when Capt. Hall made out the words, "Short of four," displayed on a large board held up by some of the schooner's crew. The vessels were a short distance south of Cape Flattery at the time, and such a high sea was running, accompanied by a strong southwest wind, that it was impossible to launch the steamer's small boats. As the United States Fish Commission steamer Albatross was near by, Capt. Hall signaled her that the West was short of provisions, receiving a reply from the Albatross that she would stand by the steamer and give the distressed aid. The Walla Walla then resumed her voyage. On account of the rough sea the Albatross probably had to wait some hours before she could replenish the schooner's larder. The West has been forty-one days from Santa Rosa Is. for Gray's Harbor. Her master, Capt. Ogilvie, has been commander of the schooner only a short time.

It is said that several of the sealing fleet will go to the Copper Island coast to look for seals next year, the fleet, including, in addition to Capt. Balcom's schooner, which started out from Nova Scotia, the Diana, Mary Taylor and Aurora.

If you are tired taking the large pills, try the little pills. They are the same, but they are easier to take and take some comfort. A man can't stand everything. One pill a dose.

Local News.

(From Friday's Daily.)

The roll of honor for each class of the West Saanich public school is as follows: First class, Guy Scharschmidt; second class, Flossie Walker; third class, Belle Hagan; fourth class, Willie Hagan; fifth class, Maggie Graham.

A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Georgia Gold Mining Company, Limited, is called for December 1st in the company's office, 9 Bank of B. C. chambers, Victoria, to consider the disposal of the assets of the company.

The Phair mine at Goldstream is the latest to be added to the list of British Columbia shipping properties, two cars of ore having been brought down yesterday on the E. & N. train for transhipment by the Rosalie to the Tacoma smelter. The active developer of the mine has been proprietor Phair, of the Goldstream hotel, who has had associated with him recently Theodore Lubbe and other gentlemen. American capitalists have recently endeavored to purchase the property, but without success.

Preparations for the hospital ball, to be held next week, are in progress, and the Assembly rooms have been thrown open for decoration. Those interested in the ball are requested to come forward at an early hour to the entertainment a record breaker. Ten ladies have already volunteered to take charge of the supper tables, but six more are needed. All information desired can be secured by seeing the secretary at the Assembly rooms on Friday next, and the days following, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., and 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The funeral of C. W. Dyer, whose death occurred at the Jubilee hospital the other day, took place yesterday afternoon from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral and Furnishing Co. Rev. Dr. Wilson conducted the religious services both at the parlors and grave. The Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. F. Leroy and J. M. Hughes conducted the services for the Eagles. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. M. Brayshaw, C. H. Westcott, W. Patterson, A. McGregor, W. J. Elliott and H. Hutler.

There were 1,940 books issued from the library during the month of October. Of this number 1,000 were 953, and gentlemen, 987; 109 was the highest number issued in one day, and the average number was 75. During the month 22 ladies and 10 gentlemen joined the library. The books received during the month were: "Social Problems," by Henry George; Mitchell's "Modern Astronomy"; a set of crocheted cards, "The Imitation of Christ"; "Treasure Island," by Robert L. Stevenson, donated by E. A. Harris; "The War in South Africa," by A. H. Scaife, late of Victoria, and "Jesse's Journey," by Marion Harland.

Mrs. Fraser, of Esquimalt road, had another letter from one of her sons with Strathcona's Horse, who is in hospital. The regiment, at the time of writing, was encamped at Devil's Knave, on the procelid river. Since his last letter, the horse had captured a long Tom, the first gun of that particular style to be captured. The hospital commander had been around the previous day, had stopped a short time, and had stated that the seventh division hospital was the best conducted in the field. He adds that in about a fortnight he expects to be well enough to be taken to Petermaritzburg, where he will remain until well enough to come home. They were all expecting to go home in November. A heavy wind was blowing at the time of writing, and the tents were filled with dust, but the country was beginning to look beautifully green.

The Catholic bazaar was reopened at the Institute hall this morning. A hot lunch was served at noon and by the attendance public interest was shown to be unabated. This evening the drawing for raffles will continue, and in addition to other attractions, an excellent programme of music will be rendered. The following are the articles won by raffle on Thursday evening last: Doll's bassinet, won by Mamie Voss; silk umbrella, Miss Chambers; white linen pillow, Mrs. Nolte; a boy's ring, Ed. McQuade; a set of crocheted cards, Mrs. T. Conlin; photo frame, Miss B. Donlan; handkerchief case, J. Madigan; bottle of perfume, Mrs. C. F. Todd; white satin cushion, Miss A. Weber; two dollar tin of coffee, Mrs. McIntosh; blue doll, Thos. Hooper; wicker chair, Jos. McDougall. The voting contest resulted in 2944 votes for the Rosalie and 2824 for the Victorian, whilst the Liberals came up to 265 votes, against 224 votes cast for the Conservatives.

From Saturday's Daily.

It is altogether probable that the plant at the new pumping station at North Dairy Farm will not be in operation for a month, owing to the unavoidable delay in installing the machinery.

The death occurred this morning at the family residence, 95 Meats street, of Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late John Watkins, deceased was 44 years of age. The funeral takes place on Monday at 2:30 p. m.

A meeting of the Victoria District Farmers' Institute will be held at Sidner's, Friday evening, when James Stonehouse, Dominion dairy expert, will deliver an address. A special train, leaving Hillside avenue at 7:30 o'clock, will carry all going from the city.

The manager of the Seaman's Institute gratefully acknowledges the receipt of reading matter during October from the following: Mrs. L. Goodacre, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. Geo. Gillespie, Mrs. H. D. Helmecke, Mrs. S. A. Seweroff, Mrs. W. J. Joffe, Mrs. P. C. Malpas, Mrs. H. K. Andrews, Mrs. J. W. Laine, Mr. E. Burnett, Mr. S. Greenwood, Mr. A. H. Jones, Lord Bishop of Columbia, Mr. W. H. Langley, Mr. J. W. Watson, and Times and Colonist for daily papers. Special thanks are also due to

Miss Goward for her kind interest in the floral and other decorations of the institute.

Those interested in the Canadian Socialist League assembled in the William's building last evening and organized a Victoria branch of that league. The objects of the league were discussed and the following officers chosen to govern the branch: President, O. L. Charlton; vice-president, J. A. Stow; recording secretary, Fred. Hodges; treasurer, Fred. Hodges; librarian, Harold Burnett. By-law and executive committees were appointed to draft by-laws for the new branch. Meetings will be held by the branch every Tuesday evening commencing at 8 o'clock in a room of the William's block.

About 9 o'clock last evening an alarm from box 52 called the fire department to the corner of Government and Chatham street, where a fire was burning merrily in a box full of papers and rags in an attic in the rear of a China wash-house. All the central apparatus was taken out as the vicinity is one in which a fire of extensive proportions could start. The fire was palpably of incendiary origin, and the rags and paper had been so arranged as to communicate the blaze to the wood work, which is as dry as timber. The statement in the morning paper in the account of the run, that the aerial truck had gone into the ditch on Pembroke street is contradicted by the chief. The thick layer of mud on this thoroughfare, however, retarded the progress of the big apparatus.

The four young ladies who have created quite a sensation during the past few days by their decidedly unique methods of working in the interests of the Protestant Orphanage here left last evening on the Victorian, en route East. Although two of their number emphatically informed the Times that the concert would be given in the A. O. U. W. hall this evening, as per announcement, evidently courage and resolution deserted them as the crucial day arrived. Interested Victorians will consequently have no opportunity to pass judgment on the talents of the quartette. At any rate, something of a superior order would have been expected, as a dollar admittance charge would justify the most rosy anticipations in this respect. However, there is no record of any heart having been broken by their abrupt departure.

The Catholic ladies' bazaar will be brought to a conclusion this evening, when the final drawings for the raffles will take place and the results of the voting announced. The week has been a most successful one, and the ladies have every reason to feel gratified at their success. The voting contests have aroused the greatest interest, the polling in the competition of steamers last evening being as follows: Victorian, 3294; Rosalie, 3184. The Liberal candidates were greatly in the lead in the other contest, their figures being 305 and the Conservatives 319. The winners in the raffles yesterday were as follows: Head rest, J. Madigan; box of cigars, H. W. Dodd; California poppy cushion, Mrs. J. A. Johnson; looking glass, Mrs. Nolte; red doll, J. Dooley; Turkish cushion, Mrs. A. Keefe; pink silk doll, J. Daley; ham, Clara McDonald; brass needle-sticker, J. McDunach; tea-cloth, L. Mills; lamp, J. W. Stevenson; plush curtains, H. G. Lawson.

From Monday's Daily.

Among the winners of prizes at the Catholic bazaar on Saturday evening Chief Deasy came in as a fortunate one. He is now proudly exhibiting to his friends a Japanese doll, together with all the accessories belonging and appertaining thereto.

The Dominion Trading Stamp Company has paid its license for the month of November. Several grocers have also paid their licenses. The collector has been too busy to call on all the dealers who are handling stamps, but will visit them, as well as the other stamp company, within a few days.

Another meeting of the sealing men was held this afternoon when the question of forming a sealing combine was further discussed. The agreement as drawn up among a number of sealers was confirmed by all but one or two present, and there were some thirty vessels represented at the meeting. It was expected that the consent of all would be secured to the agreement.

At a meeting of the Nanaimo Telephone company held a few days ago, it was decided to at once extend the telephone system to embrace the Extension mines and other centres in the districts to the south of Nanaimo, with an early probability of a long distance trunk line to connect Nanaimo with the telephone system at Victoria. Negotiations are pending to also connect Nanaimo and Vancouver by a telephone cable across the gulf.

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MARRIED.

TAPPLETON-FABRY. At Golden, Oct. 22nd, by Rev. W. D. Turner, Frederick Tappleton and Fleming Fabry.

BAVNES-SHERDAIL. At Vancouver, Oct. 30th, by Rev. R. D. O'Connell, Frank Bavyes and Emily Augusta Sherdail.

ENGLISH-RODSON. At Nelson, on Oct. 27th, by Rev. J. E. White, Colin English and Mrs. Elizabeth Rodson.

ROSS-MITCHELL. At New Westminster, on Oct. 31st, by Rev. A. E. Vest, John Ross and Miss Marie B. Mitchell.

STONE. On the Yukon river, at the foot of Thirty Mile, N. W. T., on the 6th of Nov., by Rev. J. E. White, Colin English and Mrs. Elizabeth Rodson.

ASBURY. At the Jubilee hospital, on the 22nd inst., Mrs. John Ashby, aged 52 years, was the subject of an operation for the removal of a tumor. She is now recovering and is expected to be discharged in a few days.

WATKINS. On the 2nd inst., Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late John Watkins, aged 44.

Encounters Bad Weather

Steamer Willapa Returns From the North With News of the Mines.

Brings Down a Large Collection of Curios—News From Winter Harbor.

On Saturday evening the steamer Willapa arrived from a visit to the West Coast of the Island and the officers report that they encountered rougher weather than on any previous trip. On the way up the vessel took southeast gales and had to run for Bamfield Creek for shelter. At the point it was again necessary to seek shelter, remaining there for 24 hours. The boat also had to lay up for a time at Quatsino. Heavy seas were encountered off Cape Scott and a gale was blowing off the north end of the island. Wreckage was sighted on the way down, and it is supposed that it was the boat belonging to Flattery Light, which was last seen near Neah Bay on the 27th, with two men in it. The sealing schooner has been spoken by the Willapa, in the straits about fifteen miles below the Race, being in a leaky condition at the time.

J. Murdoch, a mining expert who has been examining some quartz property at Quatsino, came down on the Willapa, and says that a rich lead of splendid ore has been discovered there and a number of men will be taken up to develop the claim.

The coal properties at Quatsino are showing up well. The diamond drill has been sunk three feet into the seam and the coal is of a good quality. The drill has been taken further up on the property with the expectation that another seam will be located.

The Willapa did not call at Wreck Bay, but news received from Uclulet states that the high tides had stopped work on the mines temporarily, and it is thought that the work on the beach will soon have to close for the winter.

Among the passengers coming down on the Willapa were Mrs. Halliday, the Messrs. Dyrkin, F. Stockhom, of Stockham & Dolly, traders at Clayoquot; Mrs. Brown, A. Davis, Amos Ellis, Charles Luckey, W. G. M. Rolston, Harry Butler, A. Vanden, James Johnston, Master Brown, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Rolston, Miss Walton, J. H. White, James Adams, N. S. Jorgenson, J. Jones, Mrs. Roseberry, Miss and Master Rolston, P. Merton, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, J. Whalen, E. H. Fletcher and A. Swanson.

Among the freight brought down on the Willapa was a large quantity of Indian curios consigned to Dr. Frank Boas, in charge of the American Museum of Natural History, Central Park, N. Y. The curios were collected by George Hunt, who is employed by the museum for the purpose, and among them are some of the most interesting totems and images on the island, giving the history of the tribes for many generations.

From Winter Harbor comes the news that a large quantity of black sand has been discovered about nine miles from there, and samples have been sent to this city for assay. The discovery was made by a Mr. Davidson, who has a new process for extracting the fine gold. Mr. Davidson is also looking for a site for a pulp mill and is impressed with the advantages on Winter Harbor.

H. Varney has demonstrated the fact that a man with a family can make a living at Winter Harbor from the land. He has cleared one acre of ground, and on it he raised a phenomenal crop. On the 15th of June he had new potatoes and from four pounds of potatoes planted on the 1st of June he harvested 135 pounds on September 25th. He raised a large quantity of onions, and small fruits which he planted are doing remarkably well.

Those unhappy persons who suffer from nervous prostration should use Carter's Little Nerve Pills, which are made expressly for sleepless, nervous dyspeptic sufferers. Price 25 cents.

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