

CAMPAIGN OPENED

The First Meeting in the Municipal Campaign was Held at Victoria West.

Candidates for Mayor and Aldermen in North Ward Address the Electors.

There was a large meeting of electors of Victoria West at the first meeting of the municipal campaign held in the school house on Saturday night.

Ald. Bragg was the first speaker. He explained why he had voted against Ald. Macmillan's motions dealing with the closing of Craigflower road.

Ald. Macmillan first dealt with the rumor that he was in favor of employing Chinese and Japanese. It was not for him or any other man to denounce any human being, but he was sure no man could charge him with employing them.

Mr. Gerow had intended to be a candidate for North ward, but circumstances had arisen that prevented such a course, and he would withdraw from the contest.

Mr. D. McNaughton thought the lines run for Craigflower road over forty years ago were now out of date and should be run to suit modern times.

Mr. M. Humber was a candidate for North ward—the ward, Our Ward. He would support anything right in connection with the Craigflower road, and the opening of the old Esquimaux road by the E. & N. Ry. company.

Mr. J. Dwyer was of the opinion that unless the legislature gives the council the right to levy a higher rate of taxes for improvements after the interest and sinking fund is paid.

ANOTHER WRECK.

Schooner, Wrecked to be the Killmeny, Supposed Near Bamfield Creek.

Indian Report Confirmed by Mr. Patterson, Who Arrived at Alberni.

Nothing Has Been Heard From the Crew of the Wrecked Schooner.

Still another vessel has gone to pieces on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, and this time it is feared that it is the Victoria schooner Killmeny.

On Saturday evening a dispatch was received from Alberni stating that the Indians had reported a schooner ashore at Bamfield creek, but she had not been seen by the men on the steamer Princess Louise.

The Killmeny was in command of Captain M. Hallgrim, who was last year on the schooner Arietas. This was his first year as captain, but he was looked upon as a thoroughly competent navigator.

The latest candidates for alderman and school trustees at the approaching election are B. Forthwick and J. G. Tiarke for South Ward, D. McNaughton and M. Humber for North Ward, and C. A. Holland, J. S. Yates and E. A. Lewis for trustees.

The funeral of the late Charles Nicholson took place to-day at 2 p.m. from the family residence, Alderman road, Victoria West.

Mr. M. Lenz Returns from a Business Trip to London and Other Cities.

Mr. M. Lenz, of Lenz & Leiser, returned last evening from a business trip to Europe, where he did a large amount of buying for the firm.

THE CIVIC CONTEST

Candidates for Mayor, Aldermen and School Trustees Nominated to-Day.

Discussion of Municipal Affairs by the Prospective Aldermen.

Nominations for mayor, aldermen and school trustees took place in the police court chambers, City Hall, at noon to-day.

Thirty seven nominations were received in all, made up as follows: For mayor, 4; for aldermen, for North ward, 11; South ward, 7; Central ward, 6; and for school trustees, 9.

The list of candidates in nomination and the names of their proposers and seconders is as follows: FOR MAYOR: Teague, John; proposed by Thos. S. Fether, seconded by Robert Lettice.

Macmillan, John; proposed by Wm. Templeman, seconded by A. B. Gregg. Bragg, Edward; proposed by S. T. Styles, seconded by G. F. Stelly.

Holland, Cuyler A.; proposed by Hewitt Bostock, seconded by D. R. Ker. Grant, Helen M.; proposed by R. P. Lithet, seconded by G. L. Milne.

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THE METROPOLITAN CHURCH.

Rev. S. Cleaver's Series of Sermons on the Life of Elijah.

Last evening the Rev. S. Cleaver continued the series of sermons on the life of Elijah, taking as his subject "Elijah I Kings, Chap. 19, verse 4."

The preacher said he would talk with Elijah under the juniper tree in his discouragement and see if there was not some lesson to be learned. In the history of Elijah, we readily see how God treats a discouraged prophet.

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WITHOUT PAR

Richard Cartwright's Criticism of the Government.

Following is a report of Cartwright's speech delivered in the House of Commons on Tuesday, January 14, 1896.

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