

Senior Championship Lacrosse Match

WESTMINSTER VS VICTORIA

CALEDONIA PARK

SATURDAY, AUG. 4TH, 1894.

The Ball will be faced at 3 o'clock.

Admission, 50 Cents ; Ladies, 25 Cents ; Grand Stand, 25 Cents.

looked up to by all. Thrown loosely over the back of a mule, was a sheet on which was inscribed a legend, directing the attention of the public to the fact that at a certain store down town, which was always open, a superior quality of pure goods, etc., could be secured. Was this not enough to make the high-born asinine ancestors of this beast of burden turn in their graves? There were also other animals and other sheets, on which were similar inscriptions. As to the performance under the tents I am told that it could not very well have been any worse. The only feature of merit was a trapeze performer.

Notwithstanding all this these strolling vagabonds took considerable money out of this city, consequently the purchasing power of the people has been contracted to the extent of four or five thousand dollars. It would be an act of wisdom on the part of the Council, if they would raise the licenses of circuses so high that it would be unprofitable for them to exhibit here in the future.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

LACROSSE.

The seniors of Victoria and New Westminster will play their next match in this city next Saturday. The home team got down to practice last Monday, since which time they have done some very hard work. The prospects are now that the match will be even more stubbornly contested than the one of July 14. It is said that Spain will play with Westminster, but no changes in the Victoria team have yet been discussed. The local club are making great preparations for the event. The E. & N. Railway will run a cheap excursion from Nanaimo.

New Westminster has entered a protest against Morton, of Victoria. As his case

is before the executive, THE HOME JOURNAL refrains from criticism.

The fourth game of the intermediate championship series was played at Nanaimo, on Saturday the 21st inst. between Nanaimos and Stars of this city, resulting in a victory for the latter by three goals to nil. Both teams played an excellent and decidedly good natured game.

The Stars and James Bays cross sticks again at 3 o'clock sharp this afternoon and a very interesting game is expected as both teams are tie with each other and this is the only chance the Stars have of winning the Island championship. The Stars will line up the same as they did last Saturday.

SPORTING NOTES.

A golf club has been organized in Winnipeg, and the *Free Press* goes into ecstasies over the innovation. It says "golf is immense." "To play the game properly," says the same paper, it is necessary to wear a golf costume. Winnipeg has not yet decided on this beyond the point of a red jacket, which experience has shown to be a sine qua non—which is not the same thing as a siacure, though we have heard a distinguished officer say that he had declined a certain office, as it was a mere sine qua non. What the lady members will wear we cannot say. A red bombazine, cut on the bias, with gores caught up by buffons of tulle in Directory style; hair dressed a la pompadour with a bun strikes us as very appropriate, but we cannot be sure that this will meet with general approval. We certainly think that the lady who wears a bun will achieve that success, which our youngest office devil describes as 'taking the pastry.'"

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EDUCATIONAL ESSAY.

KNOWLEDGE, ORIGIN AND AIMS.

Knowledge, which means intellectual enlightenment, may be defined as a clear perception of truth.

The word knowledge is used in different senses, and often means practical skill, suggested by the old maxim of Francis Bacon, "Knowledge is Power," i. e. applied knowledge.

The history of Psychology shows that there has been much controversy about the origin of knowledge between the two great schools of thought in Philosophy. The Intuitionists maintain that knowledge is to a certain extent innate, i. e., an inborn capacity; while the Empiric school teach that knowledge is wholly derived from experience and is connected with the special and general senses. The teachers of this party say that all knowledge is connected with the senses. Both schools of thoughtful enquiry teach much that is true, but it is difficult to decide where one ends and the other begins—three mediums of receiving knowledge viz., sensation and perception; (2) consciousness and reflection; (3) testimony. The true aims of educational work are important, viz., culture and practical ability. The correct ideal of school work should combine culture with a considerable amount of executive ability.

The foremost educators divide the teachers' duties into three parts—physical education, intellectual culture and moral training.

The muscles of the body should be trained to respond to the calls of the will and the mind trained to acquire knowledge scientifically, while the moral feelings and conscience should be strengthened to carry pure thought and feeling into practical activity.

A fire alarm disc, suitable for placing on any watch, has been introduced in the city.