not later than Tu-

owen, of New Westminster, steamer R P. Rithet last and a meeting to be held at a 3 o'clock this afternoon, of promoting Church of mission work. Consider-

on the Charmer, who gave s," but would not add any-ame, was brought into the at night suffering from a r the eye. Drs. Watt and the wound and put the hortly afterward Thomas Charmer man, was locked malicious assault for in-The case will come up to day.

fires have filled the air g the past few days, and accountable for the epevailing. A grass fire at y cleared five or six acres iously; bush fires have several days past on San on Sunday a combination little island off Oak Bay, and Jennie Chickens have home when not enjoying f either the provincial or dents in the neighbor ty for the statement that erposely started by two who crossed over to the at. and who witnessed se the destruction of the he Indian couple. Jimmy fishing on the Fraser a

hodist church in South erected on the farm of a neat little edifice of of the Centennial church and impressive dedicae morning theme being Infidelity," the text being ii, 31, the evening subject ect Christian Life," (Eph. bined choirs of North and ended, and the special was of a most enjoyable Mr. Ashton, the paster of was heartily congratulated seats 150 was well filled. was taken in all the pro-was taken in all the pro-Methodist congregation, has worshipped at Royal soided to build, the site en generously donated by in the Strawberry Vale he nucleus of the building. urplus from the Domini

ption of considerable fog the coast, the steamer ortnightly trip to Barclay sant. On her way home the latter being as fol-F. Macleod, Mrs. Munro, Mr. Macleed, Mrs. Munro,
Mrs. Randle, Miss Gib.
Wells, P. Cullay, J. Creig,
H. Smith, M. McDonald,
H. Fleet, J. W. Ladd, T.
IcNaughton, Mrs. E. MoB. Hamlin, Mrs Wilan and Mrs. Murton, J. Creig and W. E eek in the interests of H. Fleet, J. W. Ladd Wisconsin gentlemen district. Captain laude, says that fro China creek miners they od success, the season nining camps having comns of paper from the Al-on the Maude,

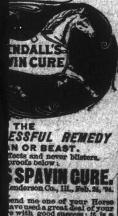
PT. SMALLFIRLD.

he late Captain Smallom the hospital yesterday placed in the drill hati remain, under a gnard of moon at 2 30 the three the last rites which will rade to the grave. No. 3 e of Lieutenant Gregory, party and Capt. Shears, Lieuts. Sargison, Wil-Jameson will act as pall sins will be accompanied the three companies, and vill be with full military on will leave the Drill litary time in the follow-

Company, Lieut. Gregory G.A. Band Pallbearers. Hearse Pallbearers, or Officers, or Officers, anies, B.C.B.G.A., Major

Commanding. al Marine Artillery.

will be by way of Balle-Fort and Blanchard urch cathedral, where dead will he read by soon Scriven. On re-oceed by Burdette ave-Labouchere streets to ing party at the grave men of No. 3—Captain



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ised several bettles of your ired with much success. I sems I ever used. Have reBlood Spavin, and killed Have recommended it to who are much pleased with S. R. RAY, P. O. Box 348,

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and eighteen days earlier for blue grouse and prairie fowl. The concession, though unwise, would not have been so objectionable in the early days, but the changes in the mode of travelling making transit to the interior comparatively cheap and easy, brought hunters from all directions, who, together with the local sportamen, made such havoc among the young brood of prairie fowl as almost threatened their extermination in some localities. This caused a repeal of that portion of the statute, and the act was amended in 1894, making the close season for birds uniform throughout the province. So far so good; but the numerous alterations, additions, conditions, changes of dates, etc., set forth in the various amendments to the act as it now stands, changes of dates, etc., set forth in the various amendments to the act as it now stands, ostensibly intended as a guide to sportsmen and a simple manual to justices of the peace and constables, only tend to perplex and confuse instead of to instruct and inform. The would-be law-abiding sportsman is really at a loss to know when he is right, as without a close scrutiny of the acts of 1892, '93, and '94, it is utterly impossible to say when he may consider himself safe and within the meaning of the act. The ordinary sportsman or hunter is not supposed to be a sportsman or hunter is not supposed to be a student of the law to work out enigmas, and even if he were a "sure shot" at that business he might, even with a gun that would make a pattern of 240 pellets to a 30 inch circle, miss some repeating clause in the make a pattern or 240 penets to a 30 mon circle, miss some repeating clause in the Game act, if he ever took a crack at it.

I have gone carefully through the act, and for the benefit of your readers I append hereto a digest of the same, which I think may be safely taken as a correct guide to

GAME PROTECTION ACTS OF BRITISH COL

And Amendments, to 1894. It is lawful to shoot:—
Grouse—(Blue, willow or ruffed), prairie fowl and partridge, from 1st September to 3ist January.
Ducks, from 1st September to last day Feb-Ducks, from 1st September to last day February.

Cock pheasants (except on Mainland), from 1st October to 3ist January.

Deer, elk, caribou, moose, hare, mountain sheep and mountain goat, from 15th September to 3ist December.

Note— On Mainland, East of Cascades, mountain sheep, goat and caribou, from 1st September to 30th December.

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Quail, before the lat September, 1896. It is unlawful to buy or sell or offer, or expe

for sale:—
Any pheasant at any time,
Any deer under the age of twelve months at

Doe of any age at any time. Willow or ruffed grouse, before 1st October

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

"Union Gun Club" Provides an Interesting Digest of the Province and Interesting Digest Office of the Province and Interesting Digeston Digeston

A SPORTSMANLIKE PROPOSITION. A SPORTSMANLIKE PROPOSITION.

NANAIMO, Aug. 21.— (Special.)—The Deeming brothers claim that they have not been altogether fairly treated in connection with last Saturday's bloycle races at Vancouver. They entirely repudiate the insinuations of unfair play on their part, and to prove their contention they now offer to ride any of the competitors in the championship races, or Bradley of Victoria, whom they especially desire to meet, on the same track and at similar distances for any of the prizes won by them, conditional upon those taking part putting up prizes of an equal value, the winner to take both prizes. The Deemings' will ride at any time on a fortnight's notice.

LAWN TENNIS. FOULKES THE COAST CHAMPION.

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The Tacoma Ledger of Sunday has the following: "The open tennis tournament for the championship of the Northwest closed yesterday and resulted in Foulkes, of Victoria, carrying off by far the largest share of the honors. He was a winner in all three classes. The match in doubles was a very remarkable one, the score in the first set being 16 14, and the whole full sets were required to determine the winners. Miss required to determine the winners. Miss Anderson, of Tacoma, was the winning lady, while Purdon and White, of this city, did some fine playing for the championship in doubles.

Bay until they subsided and arrived in Vic-

toria at 7 p.m.

The trip was very enjoyable, almost every island in the archipelago being touched. The scenery is very pretty, resembling a moving panorama. The outing was full of small adventures and exciting times with the strong tides, but the chief amusement, of course, was the rowing—that's where the pleasure lay. On our return we scaled the chart after having drawn the course on it, and found that we had rowed just 250 miles in the ten days we were absent.

Verily, the time for a vacation is when you get back from one.

"Excuse Us."

THE RIFLE. O. B. A. MEETING.

TOBONTO, Aug. 21.—(Special)—The Ontario Rifle Association matches began today. Teams are entered from British Columbia, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, and H.M.S. Blake now at Quebec.

THE TURE

ALIX BEATS NANCY HANKS RECORD. CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Alix, Monroe Salisbury's wonderful little mare, created a sensation at Washington Park to day by turning the track in 2:05‡, in an attempt to hast the record for the causes 2:061 made beat the record for the course, 2:06½, made by Nancy Hanks in 1892.

CRICKET. THE CANADIAN REPRESENTATIVES.

TORONTO, Aug. 21.—(Special)—A committee of the Canadian Cricket Association last night selected the team to represent Canada in the international match at Philadelphia on September 10, 11 and 12. There are no players west of Chatham on the team

"THE WANDERERS" REORGANIZING.
The Wanderers Association Football Club held a meeting in the B. C. Dye Works on Yates street, last evening, and reorganized for the season. The officers elected are: J. G. Brown, president; M. Hutchinson, vice-president; J. Deckers, captain; R. Mc. Cann, vice-captain; W. Peder, secretary; and W. Wriglesworth, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of: J. Mc. Cann, A. Goward, R. Hutchinson, N. Hewartson, and J. Deckers. Among other business transacted was that of choosing the club's colors which will be white and blue, the former for jerseys and the latter for nickerbockers. The first practice of the club will be held on Beacon Hill, Saturday afternoon. - FOOTBALL.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The First Officer of the "Costa Rica" on That "Close Call" in the Straits.

Recent Arrivals for Lumber Cargoes

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From THE DAILY COLONIST, Au CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Electric Light Steam Plant to Be Furnished by the William Hamilton Co.

The Canadian General Electric Company Will Put In the Dynamos.

The special meeting of the city council for the consideration of electric light plant tenders opened yesterday afternoon with an address from Mr. Hamilton of the William Hamilton Manufacturing Co., Peterboro, who explained in detail the meaning of his tender. It was dual in its nature—a tender. It was dual in its nature—a tandem compound condensing Corliss engine and boiler would cost \$11,500, or a cross-compound condensing Corliss engine in the plant would cost \$12,150. ALD LEDINGHAM—If you get the contract would you allow the boilers to be made in

he city ?
Mr. Hamilton—That would make

DEAR SIR :—I have to-day carefully examin DEAR SIR:—I have to-day caretary transmissed the proposers for engines and dynamos, at the request of the Mayor and yourself.
Regarding the engine tenders I think the tender of the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Co. for a tandem compound condensing Payne "Corliss" engine the best for the following

Corliss engine the best for the following reasons.

1. It is \$652 cheaper than the next lowest bid.

2. They guarantee a fuel economy of 2-10 of a pound of coal per horse power power less than the requirements. This on an average run of 7 hours per day per year would save the city 762 tone of coal per annum, figuring the engine at 300 hp, as called for by the specifications.

3. I have also carefully looked into the claim made by the William Hamilton Manufacturing Co. regarding the reduction of the size of the building, and find that the engine room could be made 12 feet smaller or 45x10 instead of 45x52 as proposed. They figure 14 feet reduction in size, but I would not recommend more than 12 feet.

while Purdon and White, of this city, did some fine playing for the championship in doubles.

"The score for the last two days is as follows:

Singles—Hurd beat C. Fransioli, 6.2, 6.3;

Foulkes beat Griggs, 6.1, 6.4.

"Doubles—White-Purdon beat Griggs-Sargeant, 6.2, 6.5;

Mikes doubles—Foulkes-Cuppage beat Hurd. A kinson, 6.4, 2-6, 6.5.

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Finals-Foulkes and Cuppage, of Victoria, beat Purdon and White, of Tacoma, 16.14, 4-6, 6.6, 6.1, 6.2.

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DUNN OFF FOR GALIFORNIA.

Harry Dunn, the Australian wrestler, I leaves for San Francisco this evening, accompanied by his brother James, their trip to California being for the purpose of forcing Dan Mol.sod to a meeting. Dunn is apparantly none the worse for his recent accident in the mines; he weighe 215, and says he covered the schooner on our voyage, in which we mention as mall space in your columns, to mention a small space in your columns, to mention a small space in your columns, to mention a small paper in the mines; he weighe 215, and says he covered the schooner on our voyage, in which we mention as a saying of the saying of the saying in this refer.

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THE CHANG

THE next examinations of the R C. Medical Council are to take place at Vancouver on the 4th of September.

A MOONLIGHT excursion up the Arm was taken, and much enjoyed by the members of the Ladies' String Orchestra last night.

GENIAL Steve O'Brien, proprietor of the Grotto, has at last taken advice from his customers and is now supplying Esquimatt water at the bar. Steve tasted the Elk lake water the other day and was amazed at the impure character of it. This had something to do with his decision. He did not care to have the excellent liquors dispensed at the Grotto spoiled by bad water.

terms of the agreement and that the consent of the defendant should have been first ob-tained as a condition precedent to ruling off such debts as bad. Mr. A. L. Belyea for plaintiff; and Messrs. E. A. McPhillips and G. E. Powell for the defendant.

A LARGELY attended meeting of electors taken, and much enjoyed by the members of the Ladies' String Orchestra last night.

At the Manse, 173 Pandora street, Rev. Dr. Campbell united in marriage on the 25th of July, David Monnasters and Mary Jane McMullen, all of Portland.

Rev. J. P. McCulloch, the editor of the Skeena river newspaper, Rev. R. W. Gurd, a brother missionary in the north, and F. J. Daiby, came down by the Boscowitz to Vancouver yesterday, and arrived over by the Charmer last evening.

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"THE SOLDIER'S LAST TATTOO."

would you allow the boilers to be made in the city?

Mr. Hamilton—That would make is necessary to call for new tenders; we can not guarantee the work of others. As to the coal consumption, we will go one better than the apecifications. We can guarantee the work of others that the apecifications. We can guarantee the work of others than the apecifications. We can guarantee the work of others than the apecifications. We can guarantee the work of others than the apecifications we can guarantee the work of others. As to the coal consumption, we will go one better than the apecifications. We can guarantee the work of the Robb Engine Co. stated that the Ames engine had been in successful operation for electric light upposes for a cross-compound Corlies engine, and the figures were practically the same. It was for the connoil to decide which to accept.

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