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bestowed on them by the Imperial onel Peters, in making the preation, expressed the pleasure it gave to find that both these volunteers, r having spent so many years in the ice in the Mother Country, were found in the ranks of the militia in r-distant part of the Empire, and ted that it was this kind of ose faithful service had assisted to ke the British Empire what it is to

Battalion movements were the next to eive attention, the commanding offi-acting as instructor, and with only exception these manœuvres were t creditably performed. After half our's work at this branch of their the company officers took comof their respective companies and chance to show their ability their own men. This work was in such a manner as to thoroughly the inspecting officer. ied through this part of the inspec the battalion was marched back drill hall and muster parade held. companies will be inspected in lery work the week after next.

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lour has gone up 10 cents a barrel." hat's all right; we buy ours by the "—Chicago Record.

## WESTMINSTER WINS.

First Blood in the Struggle for Lacrosse Honors to the Royal City.

Cricket Prospects for the Season Exceptionally Bright-"Comus" v. Club.

WESTMINSTER, May 15 .- (Special) very weak team, there being no fewer than six senior players off; the West-than six senior players off; the West-May 22—Victoria v. Albions at Caledonia

THE TEAMS
Vancouver. Westminster.
J. Quann'
J. AustinCover PointW.S.Galbraith
A. Matheson Field. C. K. Snell W. Gray
M. Darr ( Lusier
C. Sykes Centre P. R. Peele W. H. Quann Home T. Oddy
F. Wright Field J H. Latham
G. Williams Outside Home J. Lewis
F. SpringerInside HomeC. P. Peele
SUMMARY.
Game. Won By. Scored By. Time.
VancouverMcGuire17 mins. Westminster. Ryal4

Section of the sectio of the quarter mile competition record for the province. His companion is re-ported equally fast, and they with the Deemings, Spain, Barker and Lester should fill the professional list very creditably. Of the amateurs it is hoped

H. M. S. COMUS.	
Lieut. Crawley, c Fox, b Gooch A. C. Fellowes, b Tye. R. Hamer, b Gooch R. C. Backhouse, b Barff. Stubbs, b Barff. Lieut. Luard, b Gooch Keen, b Gooch Holloway, c Fox, b Gooch Wright, st Warden, b Gooch	
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McHardy, b Tye	
Extras	• • •
Total	8
VICTORIA C. C.	
J. B. Ashley, c and b Luard S. F. Morley, c Keen, b Luard	
Hon. C. E. Pooley, c and b Crowley	
W. A. Lobb, b Luard	
L. C. Barff, c Wright, b Keen Q. D. H. Warden, b Luard W. P. Gooch, b Keen	
Warden, b Luard	
W. P. Gooch, b Keen	
Anderson, c Backhonse, b Keen	
G. C. Fox, b Backhouse	
T. B. Tye, not out	
H. W. Windle, b Luard	
Extras	

PROSPECTS OF A BUSY SEASON. That cricket will be a more popular sport in British Columbia this year than ever before, seems more than probable at present from the preparations in progress, and from the formation for the first time in the history of the province of a league to be governed by rules and regulations whereby all teams will be kept on an equal footing. As these rules are the first ever drafted here they may be of interest to those other than players, who are yet concerned in the sport

and are therefore given as follows: 1. That each club subscribes an equa amount, the total not to exceed \$50, for a championship trophy to be played for, the club gaining most points to hold the same until lost, the said trophy to be competed for each season until one club has won it three times in succession, when it becomes the property of that club.

2. That the number of matches to be played shall be two versus each other club.

played shall be two versus each other club. 3. That the league matches shall com-mence punctually at 2:30 p.m. sharp and shall be drawn at 6:30 p.m. sharp.

pire who shall be satisfactory to the captain of the opposing club.

5. That no member shall play for any two clubs in league matches.

6. A committee composed of one member from each club (to be oppointed by the committee of each respective club) shall settle and determine all matters pertaining to the league.

7. That a win constitutes three points and a drawn game one point.

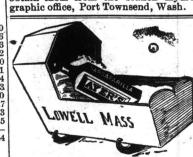
8. That any club not playing on date arranged will lose by default.

9. Subscriptions for the league must be forwarded to secretary of the same not later than August 1.

10. The following members will constitute the league committee for 1897: L. C. Barff, W. Chapman, T. A. Fütcher and W. H. Porter.

The league matches begin next Satur-

Westminster, May 15.—(Special)—
The first of the matches in the senior lacrosse series of 1897 was played to-day at Westminster between Vancouver and the Fifth Regiment and R.M.A. Westminster. Vancouver sent over a engage each other at the Barracks. The season schedule is:



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they can't imitate the record:

THE RED TAPE DEMON

ticular ad virer of the Red Tape man was sent to take charge of the commissariat department the command. This worthy officer, the he found that every month he had to p. 'y for the keep of no less than four-and-to-enty cats, at once smelt a rat, and gave the ancient sergeant in charge some twelve hours' notice to produce the whole of that night to collect the requisite number of the tiles of Valetta and the neighborhood. But the sergeant scored off Red Tape in the end, for he had his four-and-twenty charges on parade before the officer himself appeared. This parade was probably unique of its kind, for, though in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world there are many strange sights to be seen in the various quarters of the world the various quarters of the world the various q vagaries of what he terms "The Red Tape Demon" in the War Office and Admiralty administrations of the British a very poor game and should have beaten the visitors much worse than they did.

For Vancouver Wright, Williams and W.

Quann bore the brunt of the whole

Company the provinces of the whole

Company the public purse from the insidious

The home team were victorious

Admirately administrations of the British

The Canadian Mining Review speaks

By Overnment. He shows "Red Tape" to be conservative to a fault, but yet does that abstract being the credit of preserving the public purse from the insidious provinces of the Dominson. It says in

Strangle. The home team were victorious park.
May 29—Victoria v. Fifth Regiment at Caledonia park.
June 5—Albions v. R. M. A. at A. C. C.

Guann bore the brunt of the whole struggle. The home team were victorious in a score of 5 to 2.

THE TRACE

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LOURD Albions v. R. M. A. at the July 10—Albions v. R. M. A. at the July 24—Albions v. R. M. A. at the July 24—Albions v. R. M. A. at the July 24—Albions v. Pith Regiment at Salbury I. Point.

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A. Matheson S. Field.

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H. Quan aster. The Alexandra carried lumber for the same port similarly marked, but as she sailed on March 21, and the letter reporting the wreckage is dated March 7, the Alexandra is notresponsible for it ANOTHER HARD LUCK STORY.

In commenting on the damage done to ocean rovers by the March weather to example of the Sample of th

scheme was to stand good. On the other colored girl, living at Arumose, 1.1., who hand, he regretted that any officer in a is gradually turning white. Delia's responsible position should have put for ward such an insidious attack on the public purse as this proposal to charge a bout five years ago white spots began their appearance on the girl's shilling a week for each cat. It was well known among cat fanciers that a healthy cat could live on meat of its own providing with a triffing allowance of milk—say arms and hands are spotted, the dark hilling a week for each cat. It was well ing with a trifling allowance of milk—say threepence a week. The officer wrote

up by tens at a time, till at last the offi-cer came down to three shillings a month and the war office advanced to two. At this point the secretary of state took the bull by the horns. In a final masterly letter he arbitrarily fixed the scale at half.a-crown, but with the saving clause that 'at the end of six months a report was to be made on the condition of the cats.' It only remains to add that Red Tape had his revenge after all. The only vote in the estimates that the cats' mest can be charged to is that for 'cleaning materials,' and it goes down as lime, soap and soda to this day.

"Apropos the cats, there is another story told regarding them. It is to Malta that this second one relates. In

Land Deal on Texada Made Years

and Copper Mines Are Added. The old adage concerning the casting

and-twenty pussies by themselves." PROVINCIAL MINING REPORTS.

This expert arrived in British Columbia and visited the northern portion of Tex-ada, where an immense tract of valuable marble was located, and Mr. Palmer in due course became half owner of several nousand acres, including the entire wa terfront of the island from Sturt Bay It Does Not Seem to Be Plain Just northerly. It was marble they were lcoking for, and had their boundary line been run 200 yards further south the great Van Anda would to-day be their great van Anda would to-day be their property. The deposits of iron ore which their expert was to have also located, however, fell into other hands owing to his having gone on a spree and given the secret away before the claims were re-During the next few years, however,

threepence a week. The officer wrote back at once to say that he had made local inquiries, and that he found that a rat and mouse diet when carried to excess was highly deleterious to the cat, and that he must respectfully repeat his original estimate. On this there ensued a correspondence which lasted for several months, the minutes on which mounted up by tens at a time, till at last the offihe past, in less than two years' time she will be entirely white.

> CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Chart Flitchers Trapper

A Family Affair.—Languid Mamma—story told regarding them. It is to Malta that this second one relates. In the arsenal of that island a number of cats are maintained, and one day a rar-Chicago Journal.

Ago Proves Very Valuable. Marble Was Sought But Now Gold

bread upon the waters is exemplified in a very striking manner by the history of an investment made in British Columbia years ago by Mr. J. J. Palmer, who is at present staying at the Driard. In 1878 Mr. Palmer, then of San Francisco but now of Toronto, along with Mr. Britton, also of the former city, sent a mining expert to look into the then newly discovered deposits of iron and marble on Texada Island, and placed in the bank \$6,000 to the credit of their agent.

a large sum of money was spent in developing the marble deposits, so that in 1884 when, owing to other business enterprises requiring all their attention, the works were closed down, \$25,600 had been put into the quarries. Derricks had been erected, tracks for tram cars had been laid, a stone wharf constructed, the subject and says that this

During the last ten years Mr. Palmer's pattner grew tired of paying his share of the taxes on the property, and made the former a present of the other half interest in a property, which in addition to its containing the only deep water harbor on that part of the island—Stuart bay—is the scene of great activity in mining matters, there being already sixteen.

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# THE DUKE OF TECK.

His Reply as to His Connection With the Yukon Company.

What He Means to Say.

OTT.AWA, May 14. - (Special) - There has been some comment in the connect ion with the British-Yukon Chartered Company. A telegram sent to England from New York said: "The Duke of Teck has asked the Canadian government to allow him and his com-

had been laid, a stone wharf constructed, and thousands of tons of marble had been got ready for shipment.

"And to-day," says Mr. Palmer, "not a trace remains of anything except the stones—raids have disappeared, the derricks have been taken to pieces and stolen, and in fact a clean sweep made of eyerything moveable."

During the last ten years Mr. Palmer's belong to any company; am interested in the "British Yukor Chartered Chim-

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Miss Agnes Jackson-Prize, general pro-Among the senior first who received

Miss Hornsby and Miss Begg. VANCOUVER, May 14.— (Special) — Louis Useman, painter and musician, who claimed to be a native of California, and to have relatives in New York, was found dead in bed in the Dougal House this morning.