

William F. Cullin, D. Paterson, A. Belfry, W. Williams, W. Cullin and Ross Eckardt are mentioned. The game stood 3 to 2 in favor of New Westminster.

Victoria will play Vancouver to-day at the latter place.

The James Bays and Stars will play the protested game at the Caledonia grounds to-day.

The firemen were booked to play the Boiler-makers at Caledonia Park to-day at 1 o'clock.

The Capitals, of Ottawa, defeated the Quebec club last Tuesday by a score of 4 to 2.

The Shamrocks have defeated the hitherto insurmountable Excelsiors of Brampton, by six goals to one.

FOOTBALL.

There has been some show of interest in Rugby football circles this week. A meeting will be held soon for organization, and a schedule of games will, no doubt, also be considered with a view of meeting the Mainland and Island teams. After the splendid record and prestige of the Victoria team last season, enthusiasts will expect the local club to hold its own against all visiting aggregations. One of the first games will be very likely against the Royal Artillery. This should be an interesting and well contested match. Rugby is the great fall sport, and all will look forward to a repetition of the splendid exhibitions, so delightful to spectators last year.

SPORTING TIPS.

The proposed fight between James Corbett and Peter Jackson cannot be arranged.

McCulloch, the Winnipeg bicycle rider, reduced the Canadian record for the quarter mile to 31 4-5 seconds.

The annual shoot of the Vancouver Gun Club will be held on the club grounds at Fairview to-day.

The report of the races at the Driving Park has been received too late for this issue.

The Islanders defeated a scratch team from the Victoria Cricket Club Thursday afternoon by a score of 86 to 76.

The medals for the junior lacrosse champions of the Province are being manufactured at the establishment of Messrs. Challoner & Mitchell.

The Victoria College football season

opened Wednesday, when a team captained by A. R. Green defeated one commanded by A. Goward, two goals to one, association.

THE KENNEL.

(This column is entirely under the supervision of Mr. J. B. Carmichael, 5 Turner street, to whom all communications for "The Kennel" or "Poultry" should be addressed.)

THERE seems to be quite an epidemic of dog stealing, to judge by advertisements in the daily papers. The last we hear of is a nice liver and white cocker out of W. R. Higgins' Lady Giffes, and one of the best coated and bodied cockers we have seen this year. A suitable reward will be paid on its return to the owner.

A letter received by a fancier here conveys the information that the bench show at Stockton has been abandoned. It was to have been held Sept. 26-29, with John Davidson as judge. Several of our collies and spaniels, we believe, were to have been sent down.

Archie MacNaughton is getting his bulldog, Brian Boru, by Billy, out of Gladys, registered in the Canadian Kennel Club Stud Book.

Fleas have been very troublesome during the hot term, and many are the remedies we have been told of. About the only sure shot is Jeyes' Fluid, which should be used as directed on the label, and then the dog should be rinsed with clean cold water. Jimmie Christie's black cocker was so infested with fleas, some as large as a pea, that, until he tried the above remedy, he was unable to get any closer to the dog than six feet, which was as far as the insects could jump.

There is a snappy little terrier on Birdcage Walk that is developing some very bad habits. Last week, he suddenly rushed out on two passers by and caused one, a well known citizen, to commit a serious breach of the peace, viz.: to take up a stone and throw it at the dog, narrowly missing the street car rail. Persons owning watch dogs should take a little trouble to teach them not to do any barking, except on the premises.

P. I. Packard, and J. E. Miller, with a party of friends, leave to-day for San Juan River on a hunting and fishing trip. Among the high class dogs to go along, are Count Fosco and Chas. Cunningham's Pete. We are promised an account of their experiences.

Mr. Geo. Phillips, of Esquimalt, has a collie that displays an unquenchable desire to race the Esquimalt car on every

possible occasion. The record now stands—five races won, six lost and three dead heats. We hear that several frequenters of the line are arranging a match race for a cup.

Thos McNeely, of Ladner's, has purchased a St. Bernard, Prince Charlie, by Plinmonarch-Queen, from R. A. Cunningham, of this city. Charlie, we believe, is the pick of the litter, and we wish Mr. McNeely success in rearing him.

F. W. Cryderman informs us that his cocker spaniel has whelped seven healthy pups—two dogs—by Dr. Milne's Capt. Hunter.

John Gardner, the well known brown leghorn breeder, has bought a splendid English setter, by Grouse C.K.C. 743, out of Nellie.

W. S. Chambers is visiting relatives back east, and while there will visit some of the prominent collie kennels. Another of our collie men leaves shortly for a trip to the Old Country, and we shall not be surprised if something good in that variety comes out this way.

POULTRY.

MR. TAYLOR, of Goldstream, has just imported a pen each of Black Spanish and Plymouth Rocks. He is going in quite extensively for poultry next spring.

W. B. Sylvester, the well-known dealer in fancy poultry reports a good fall trade in young stock. An establishment like Mr. Sylvester's is a great convenience to both amateur and professional breeders as they are enabled to dispose of any surplus stock with the minimum of trouble.

Dr. Milne has been appointed to judge poultry at the Westminster show. We understand that Mr. Chalmers, of Salt Spring, will be asked to take the classes at the show here.

With a view to making this department as interesting as possible we have prepared a series of articles on the fall and winter management of fowls and will publish the first in next issue. They will embody the practical experience of several of our oldest breeders and will be invaluable as a guide to poultry raising in this Province.

The assortment of novels at Sampson's Book Exchange is a surprise to most persons, the first time they visit the Exchange. Novels are sold for half price, or they will exchange with you for 5 cents. A new novel is also given for two old ones. Douglas st., cor Johnson.