

SPORTS AND PASTIMES

Philadelphia-Oxford Cricket Match at Oxford-Australians Play Ball in Chicago.

The Champion Oarsman Challenges the World-The League Games Yesterday.

Oxford, Eng., June 7.-The visiting team of the Philadelphia Cricket Club met the first eleven of the Oxford University Cricket Club to-day. The sky was overcast, a fresh wind blowing, and only a thin fringe of spectators present when the play commenced at noon. The wicket was in good shape. A. H. Cunliffe and K. C. Hartley, of Oxford, are considered the best amateur bowlers in England. Bardwell, captain of the Oxfords, was unable to play because of a sprained thumb. Oxford won the toss and Champeau and Bamson faced King and Bailey's bowling. Runs came slowly, and at 13-30 p.m. Bamson was bowled by King, the first wicket falling for 13 runs.

With four wickets down Oxford had a score of 126 runs. Bromley Martin succeeded Bamson. The Philadelphia's then gave an exhibition of pretty fielding, and when 31 runs had been scored F. P. Clarke succeeded Bailey as second bowler of the visiting team. The bowling of the American at first was quite difficult for the University men, but later the Oxford batsmen began to understand the American style, and when the Oxford's score had been run up to 62, George Patterson, the American captain, replaced F. P. Clarke as bowler. Creagar followed Patterson as bowler at 1-25 p.m., when Oxford had compiled 80 runs. Creagar only temporarily revived the hopes of the Philadelphia's. The staying power of King, who is the best fast bowler of the Philadelphia's, excited considerable favorable comment. At 4-30 p.m. Oxford had scored 101 runs for 7 wickets. When the eighth wicket fell Oxford had scored 302 runs, and the innings closed with Oxford 363. Cunliffe was not out for 23 runs. The extras numbered 17.

By this time the light was bad and the weather much cooler. Bailey and Ralston faced Cunliffe and Hartley, a boundary hit by Bailey, from Cunliffe, was generally applauded. Owing to darkness an appeal to the umpire resulted in the latter drawing the stumps for the day at 6-50 p.m., with Bailey and Ralston at the bat, the former having scored five runs and Ralstone one.

The play of the Oxford men was generally marked by caution and the absence of free hitting. The English criticism of the American bowlers was that the bowling was too much alike at both ends.

The following is the complete score of Oxford University eleven: F. P. Champeau, c Ralston, b Riley, 63; B. Bamson, b King, 35; C. F. Bromley-Martin, b Creagar, 35; R. Foster, c King, b Thaley, 35; A. Eccles, run out, 35; T. Henderson, c Ralston, b Clark, 16; J. C. Waddy, c Ralston, b Clark, 20; K. C. Hartley, b Clark, 20; E. C. Wright, b Patterson, 20; F. M. P. Cunliffe, not out, 23; L. C. Matthews, King, b Creagar, 17; Extras, 17; Total, 363.

VICTORIA CLUB FIXTURES. The following have been selected by the committee to play for the Victoria Cricket Club in the league match against the R.M.A.C.C., on Saturday afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock. Capt. G. C. Goward, W. P. Gooch, T. H. Patterson, W. A. Lobb, G. S. Holt, H. Stow, F. W. Thomas, C. Ransford, A. C. Anderson, C. D. H. Warden, S. E. Morley. There will also be a match at Esquimalt against a team from the Navy on Thursday, play commencing at 2 o'clock. Those wishing to play are requested to inform the honorary secretary of the V. C. C. at once.

BASEBALL. AUSTRALIANS IN CHICAGO. CHICAGO, June 7.-The Kangaroo ball players from Australia gave the Illinois Cycling Club baseball team a scare in the game yesterday. The wheelmen went out by a score of 13 to 1, only after the hardest kind of playing and with the assistance of a couple of bad throws on the part of the visitors. Second baseman Ingleton, of the Australians, nine carried off the honors, accepting nine hard chances without an error.

THE OAR. CHALLENGE FROM THE CHAMPION. WINNIPEG, June 7.-Jake Gandaur, champion oarsman of the world, who has located at Red Fortage, issues a challenge to row any man in the world for the single scull championship and a purse of \$1,000 to any amount desired. He is also willing to back himself and Hackett for the double scull championship of the world for a stake from \$1,000 upwards.

THE WHEEL. NEW RECORDS FOR THE MILE. SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 7.-Two world's bicycle records were broken yesterday on the new three-lap track here. Otto Zeigler out the time in the single-paced mile scratch, professional, to 2:05-2-5, and in the handicap to 2:06-3-5.

MANY WOMEN DECEIVED. At the present time many manufacturers of crude and adulterated package dyes are making lively efforts to induce the wholesale and retail druggists and grocers to buy their dyes. These common dyes are quoted at such low prices that some profit-loving dealers are tempted to buy them. The profit-loving dealers are not only selling adulterated dyes at the same price as the popular reliable Diamond Dyes are sold, but they are also selling adulterated dyes at a lower price than the Diamond Dyes are sold. This is a most deceptive and dishonest practice, and it is to be regretted that so many women are being deceived by it. The Diamond Dyes are the only genuine package dyes in the world.

THE CITY

A NEW 70-ton locomotive for the passenger service of the E. & N. railway is expected over from the Terminal City to-day, to be landed at Esquimalt.

REV. W. LESLIE CLAY, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, left last night for a trip to his old home in Prince Edward Island. He will be gone until about September 1.

CLASS-FIRING at the Clover Point range will be carried out to-morrow and next day at the following hours: Tuesday, 5 to 9 a.m.; Wednesday, 5 to 9 p.m.; Thursday, 5 to 9 p.m.; Friday, 5 to 9 p.m.; Saturday, 5 to 9 p.m.

J. R. ROBINSON, who was more than a week ago charged in the city police court with the theft of a bicycle, was today convicted by Magistrate Macrae, and fined \$10 and costs. A civil suit for damages already been initiated by a pedestrian who suffered through his alleged recklessness.

At the Methodist church, Victoria, West, Sunday, the retiring Stated Clerk, Mr. Gladling, was presented by Dr. Lewis Hall with a handsome Bible, and the members and officers of the Sunday school, in token of appreciation for his services during the past term was acknowledged in a special address of thanks by Mr. Gladling.

BOTH Black and Johnson, the men in custody at San Francisco in connection with the Chaloner, Mitchell & Co. jewelry robbery, pleaded not guilty to the charges applied for by Wallace yesterday on indictment for bringing stolen property into the United States. The case was adjourned until Friday as the attorneys for the accused are awaiting the trial and the court determined to take their request under consideration.

Y.M.C. the latest of the baby towns of Kootenay, has now a population of about 300, according to Capt. G. A. Fulton, who last Saturday returned from a visit to the town. The town is situated about 18 miles down the Salmon river from Nelson, and at the time of the Captain's visit 30 or 40 men were engaged in the construction of the town. Streets are being graded, and already arrangements are under way for the construction of a system of water works, and also for the installation of an electric power and lighting plant.

The efforts of the fruit growers and agriculturists of the district to make the public market popular appear to be meeting with the success that they so well deserve, every day seeing more and more of the market, and a quicker disposal of the articles of the market, and dairy production finding a place in the stall. The chief drawback appears to be the fact that goods purchased at the market are not delivered to the consumer's homes, and although the prices ruling at the market are considerably below those charged by many still patronize the grocers for this reason. It is quite possible that something will be done before long to meet this objection, and in the way of the success of the market.

IT WAS REFUSED. The Chief Justice yesterday dismissed with costs the application of the defendant in Macaulay v. O'Brien to set aside the verdict in that case.

For the defendant, Mr. Gordon Hunter applied for a special sitting of the Full court to hear an appeal from this decision, but owing to the fact that the majority of the judges are away on circuit this could not be done.

Later in the day, by special leave, the defendant applied to stay proceedings pending the appeal, notice of which had been given. Mr. Cassidy, for plaintiff, submitted that the defendant had no right to appeal from the order refusing the discharge of the captain.

The Chief Justice decided that the plaintiff would not be prejudiced, however, and granted the stay, the defendant's counsel undertaking to pay into court \$50 security for costs of appeal and an additional \$50 to form with the amount already paid on deposit in lieu of special bail, with liberty to either party to be examined de bene esse.

ORPHANS' HOME. The monthly meeting of the lady managers of the B. C. Orphanage was held yesterday at the Home on Hillside avenue, there being present Mrs. C. Kent, in the chair, and Mrs. Criddle, Mrs. Denny, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Higgins and Miss Carr. After the routine business, Mr. E. F. Doran's application on behalf of Mr. St. Clair to teach the orphan boys to swim was accepted with thanks, and the matron requested to arrange, if possible, for the girls also to receive swimming lessons. The bills for supplies, amounting to \$230, were approved and referred for payment. The deputy treasurer stated, however, that there were not sufficient funds on hand. Mrs. W. F. McCulloch and Mrs. Wm. Denny were appointed visiting committee for the month.

The matron reported 59 children in the home, all well, with the exception of Mary and William Caffery, who had taken cold at the picnic on the 24th May, which had developed into pneumonia. Both children were being kindly cared for in the Jubilee hospital and now considered out of danger. The following donations for May are acknowledged with thanks: Clothing, Mr. J. Hutcheson, Mrs. F. Adams, a friend, Mrs. H. D. Helmsken, Miss D. Perkins, Mrs. A. Vignier, milk, Mr. E. E. Knowles, Mrs. Jackson, oranges, cakes, etc., Mr. A. Jack, a friend, the Good Templars, Mrs. J. McGregor, Mr. Burgess, Mrs. Dempster; Daily Colonist, the proprietors; swings and candy, Ald. Hall and other friends; cash, the Grand Jury.

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Sailing Vessels Arrive-News From Northern Canneries-A New Engine Coming.

Eight o'clock yesterday morning witnessed the arrival, and 3 o'clock this morning will see the departure of the R. M. S. Aorangi, Captain Hepworth, of the long promised first steamer of the Canadian-Australian line. She has been looked for now several days, and the delay was occasioned through a slight break down in the auxiliary engines, which gave the engineering staff considerable annoyance on the voyage. Owing to this part of the machinery not working as smoothly as it might it was considered wise policy to come to the coast rather than to push the ship.

A considerable part of the freight in England, and this includes shields, fortifications, and land sea mines, until daylight this morning. There was also a large quantity of iron and steel, and a quantity of machinery.

THE STEAMER BARBARA BOSOWITZ, Capt. Steele, returned from Northern ports yesterday morning. When the steamer left the Skene on Monday last fishing had just begun, and at Cunningham's cannery 200 cases had been packed. Salmon were running fairly well; men were to be found in satisfaction, and the 25 cents for every fish caught was the wage paid. This was the price given last year, and the other conditions under which the fishing operation commenced this year are very similar to those of last year. The Skene is the only place where the fish are not being run, according to the news brought by the ship, and the cannery elsewhere are all hopeful of big crops. E. A. Wadhams' new cannery on the Pacific coast, is one of the finest on the Pacific coast, is now complete. The owner was one of the passengers by the Bosowitz, and among the crew were Mr. E. Munroe and Mrs. Muggidge, who were on the trip and a party of prospectors who have been working in the vicinity of Pitouh and the Bosowitz, as quickly as her Northern freight of furs and miscellaneous goods was discharged, commencing loaded 1,000 cases of tin.

THE BUSY "LORNE." Since leaving the Royal Roads on Friday morning with the bark St. Katherine in low for Chemainus, Capt. Lorne has had of a good many vessels. From Chemainus she went to the Royal Roads, and then to the Kerr from the Terminal City to Nanaimo. She then returned to Vancouver for the bark British Yeoman, which she left on Saturday morning for the coast. The Yeoman will for lumber her load is completed to get a crew and will have all her yards put in position. The bark British Yeoman, which is now in contact with the Lorne, is very strong and you can pick up ore like potatoes in a field. I never saw anything high in silver, pretty well in gold and carrying some copper. I think there is a prospect 10 miles long and 10 miles wide, and it is a very good prospect. Fully 25 prospectors a day are now working in there from Waneta and Boundary City. We came out and out a trail up the coast for the month, and then to Boundary City. The distance is only one-half mile from the Pend d'Oreille river. It is a wild country and I believe there are some mines ever in this region. The timber is as fine as I have seen in this country, and all the conditions are favorable for mining. I think the belt is a continuation of the well known Metalline lead belt.

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"Like Potatoes in a Field" Is the Report-Latest Boundary Find Creates Excitement.

Illicilewast to the Fore-The Troubles of Some Roseland Mines Discussed.

VANCOUVER, June 7.-[Special]-Gordon Ross, secretary of the B. C. Mining Agency, Limited, London, Eng., said to a COLONIST reporter that his company has representatives throughout the length and breadth of the known mining portions of the province. They came here backed with unlimited capital to thoroughly exploit the country and eventually, if their observations proved satisfactory, to acquire extensive interests. Millions of pounds that would have sought investment in South Africa. British Columbia, he considered, is destined to become a great mining province. There are already enough mines to satisfy the B. C. Agency, but they must make up their minds to permanent location in the province. If they do not, the B. C. Agency would not have located in Vancouver. The B. C. Agency are acquiring and have acquired many unusually promising claims, the best being on the seacoast, where very profitable results can be obtained at present.

In spite of what has been said to the contrary," said Mr. Ross, "it is my opinion that British Columbia is a poor man's country. Here a prospector who strikes a good claim can always sell it for a large sum of money, and he can do it in South Africa, and wait a year or more. In South Africa, a man must be rich to hold a claim even for a few months.

"British Columbians are in too much of a hurry. It takes time to develop mines. It will take probably five years to develop the mines of the province if they are to be profitable for them."

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ANOTHER REPORT. A. E. Smith, of Smith & Whiteman, has returned from his trip to the Salmon River country, having made some very interesting observations. He reports a big excitement at Waneta, Salmo and other points in that district. An important strike on Fish Creek, a small stream running into the Pend d'Oreille river from the south, about 7 miles from Waneta. The claim is situated on a hillside, and the attention is the Gladstone No. 2, on which ore was struck in large mass, running \$14 in gold, silver, lead and copper, and consists of quartz carrying gold, silver, lead and copper. Mr. Smith brought a specimen of the ore, and an assay yesterday showed a total value of \$22.80. The quartz is of a beautiful clear variety and is slightly oxidized. No prettier ore has been found in the Salmon river region. Mr. Smith was so well pleased with the property that he has taken an option on a one-third interest at \$10,000. Mr. Smith stopped to see the Eldorado, which is a very fine mine, and claims on the south side of Mount Vernon, between Salmo and Lost Creek. They are under bond to Holt & Grogan, and are now being developed. He describes an enormous ore body on the Nevada. The ledge is 30 feet wide. A shaft has been driven 25 feet, and a crosscut at the bottom has opened an ore body of 856 feet, and from this ore assay of \$56 has been obtained.

THE SUNSHINE IMPROVES. A strike of much more than ordinary importance was made on the Sunshine No. 2 at Roseland on Thursday last, another ledge to the southward being uncovered. The ledge has been traced for a distance of 100 feet, maintaining a width of from 10 to 14 inches, of copper ore. At a depth of 7 feet the vein had widened to 18 inches and was a solid copper ore. The walls were found perfect. An assay from the surface showed 21 ounces silver, \$6 gold and 21.3 per cent. copper to the ton. The bottom of the shaft showed still better value, being 10 ounces silver, \$26 gold and 22.2 per cent. copper, making a total value of \$57.

ILLICITLY EAST CAMP. This camp is rapidly coming to the front as one of the most important districts of British Columbia. Quite a number of claims have been staked in the last six months, and all are very promising. Good assays having been obtained from the surface, which leads sufficient to pay the operating of the claims. The Lanark mines, of the Horne-Payne company, are in full operation. This company have put in a concentrator which is kept running night and day and already a large amount of concentrates have been shipped. They have also put in a tramway from the mines to the mill, and have built a large sawmill and hotel in connection with a beautiful farm on the shore of the Illicilewast river, only two miles east of the old townsite of Illicilewast.

Work is being pushed on the Blue Bell group, 13 miles south of the old townsite. A ledge has been built across the Illicilewast river so that the owners of properties can ship ore and get in supplies. The Blue Bell group was bonded last fall by Messrs. D. G. Stewart and G. Griffiths, of Vancouver. Minerals from surface showings have run as high as \$135 in silver alone. It is expected that they will be shipping ore in the course of a month, while in the meantime they are endeavoring to arrange with the Horne-Payne company to either treat or purchase their ore. The Norma and Nebo claims, owned by Mr. E. D. Campbell, of Vancouver, are now being developed; they are within sight of Illicilewast creek.

CARIBOO CREEK CAMP. The present place of entry for the growing Cariboo Creek camp is Burton City, named after R. S. Burton, locator of the townsite; it is situated in the Narrows, about 20 miles south of Nakusp, on a trail to the mineral district. The Cariboo Creek camp is a Mineral City about seven miles up on Cariboo creek. The present location is the Golden Eagle, located by Hardy in 1884, after the placer excitement. The most developed property is the Promoteora, on Cariboo creek, from which shipments have been made, and returns not showing \$59.05 in gold. The claim returning the highest assays is the War Eagle. The other claims are principally located on Cariboo, Mineral, Snow and Goat Canyon creeks, all of which empty into Trout Creek.

The formation is principally slate and granite, and the mineral is chiefly galena and gold-bearing quartz. There are about 500 claims located, and assessments have been done on a very large number of them. Many of the claims are operated by stock companies, of which there are eight or nine besides local companies.

THE TORONTO GLOBE says editorially: The War Eagle mine, which was recently acquired by Mr. Gooderham, Mr. Blackstock and their associates, and united to the Crown Point and other properties in one large corporation, called the War Eagle Mining and Smelting Co., is a very important property. The distance is only one-half mile from the Pend d'Oreille river. It is a wild country and I believe there are some mines ever in this region. The timber is as fine as I have seen in this country, and all the conditions are favorable for mining. I think the belt is a continuation of the well known Metalline lead belt.

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