From THE DAILY COLONIST, April 7.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The Junior Wanderers Wrest the Championship From Nanaimo's Rangers.

Baseball Association Organized—Meetings of the Provincial Lacrosse Association.

Great interest and excitement prevailed in Victoria and Nanaimo regarding the outcome of the intermediate final cup tie game yesterday between the Junior Rangers and the Junior Wanderers, and as the Wanderers' seniors had received defeat at the hands of the Rangers' seniors, the Wanderers' juniors determined to make a strong effort to prevent a repetition of this in their final tie. The Rangers' juniors had not been defeated since their organization by any junior team, and therefore came down with high hopes of taking the third football championship of 1894-1895 back with them. The teams lined up at three p m. sharp before a large and enthusiastic crowd including many ladies, the following being the composition of the teams and their places:

Nanaimo Rangers.

Kessler.
J. Hardy. W. Drummond.
W. Midell. H. Bell. H. Midell.
W. McCann, J. Adams, W. Hardy, W. Brown, J. Riley.

A. Shandley.
P. Johnson, H. Higgins, I. Campbell, G. Wilson, J. Winsby. C. Wilson. A. Sangster.
A. Peden. W. Dallas.
W. Wriglesworth.

Wanderers.

Referee—Mr. G. McCann.
Linesmen—Mr. Gourlay (Nanaimo), and Mr. J. Hook (Victoria).

From the very first it was evident that the game was to be hard and fast, for the ball never seemed to be dead for a second. Some sharp returns by the half-backs of the Wanderers gave Higgins and Johnston the chance to distinguish themselves, Johnston passing quickly to Higgins. The latter came straight away and rushed the ball through only a few minutes from the start, amidst loud cheering from the supporters of the Juniors.

Encouraged by this success the Wanderers kept hammering away at their opponents' goal, only to have the ball returned by Hardy or Drummond, who were both playing steadily for Nanaimo at back. Had the half-backs played the same game the Wanderers would not have had so many chances to score. From a pretty piece of dribbling by Campbell in centre, followed by a long pass to Shandley on the right, he in turn centred to Higgins and all five forwards were in the goal mouth in a twinkling, and another goal was the result.

These two goals were the result of painstaking play combined with good judgment in passing, and were well deserved. For some reason or other the Victoria players at this point fell off, and the Nanaimo men took courage and their play was correspondingly better, and they made it hot for the Wanderers on several occasions, but Peden and Dallas were all there, ably supported by Wriglesworth in goal, who saved some very hard shots. Just before the close of half time, from a scrimmage in front of goal, Nanaimo scored, and the teams crossed over with the score standing two to one in favor of the Wanderers.

Again both teams started with some very fast runs, especially on Nanaimo's side, the right wing being very speedy, but receiving no support to speak of from the half-backs, all their efforts were of little avail. The left wing on the other hand played a very fine passing game, and bothered the contingent badly. After playing for about fifteen minutes in the second half the Wanderers added a third goal, and soon after a fourth.

This practically settled the game although the Rangers played pluckily and steadily to the last, as was manifested by their scoring a second goal just a few seconds after the Wanderers had notched their fifth and last point.

The game was a good one, both from a scientific and from the spectators' point of view, as it was an exceedingly hard and well fought battle.

The cup, which is a handsome silver one subscribed for among football players and their friends, to be competed for by the junior footballers of the province, was presented to the winners by Mr. J. G. Brown, who, in a neat little speech, congratulated both teams on their very fine exhibition of the now popular pastime. He was glad to note that not a single decision of the referee had been called in question; that not an angry word had been heard on the field during the day, and that the best of feeling had prevailed between the teams. He hoped that this state of affairs might long continue and be a pattern for others.

In handing the cup to the Captain of the victorious team, Mr. Brown impressed upon him the desirability of their continuing to play all other games that they engaged in with the same honorable and sportsmanlike spirit.

The Captain of the Wanderers called for three cheers for Mr. Brown, which were heartily given by both teams.

The Rangers return to Nanaimo this afternoon. There is some talk of the Senior Rangers and Wanderers having a friendly game on the 20th instant, and it would no doubt prove a very great attraction to lovers of Association football.

TO MEET THE ISLANDERS.

VANCOUVER, April 6.—(Special)—The executive of the Mainland Rugby Union met this afternoon and elected the following team to play the Island on Easter Monday at Nanaimo: Back, Wood; three quarter backs, Campbell, E. Miller, Lefroy and P. Woods; half backs, Lugrue, F. Miller; forwards, Allison, Woodward, Kelly, Coles, Taylor, I. Hall, Mahoney and Leamy. An excursion will be run and a large contingent is guaranteed.

CHESS.

THE TOURNAMENT SCORE.

Class.	Name.	Won.	Lost.
1	T. Piper	33	0
1	J. R. Hunnex	24	6
2	B. Williams	17	10
2	C. Schwengers	20	7
2	Dr. Hands	17	6
2	W. Marchant	23	8
3	F. C. Berridge	16	6
3	A. Gonnason	15½	12½
3	P. T. Johnston	17	19
4	Capt. Clarke	11	18
4	B. J. Perry	29	17
4	B. Schwengers	20½	4½
4	R. H. Johnston	12	14
5	J. Scowcroft	7	17
5	E. Wolff	13	17
5	Sgt. Phillips	5	9
5	H. Lawrie	6	11
5	T. Lawrie	9	16
5	B. Gowland	11½	12½
5	E. C. Bour	6	11
5	Gr. Ayton	16½	11½

THE WHEEL.

THE COURSE DECIDED.

The course for the Good Friday road race of the Victoria Wheelmen's Club has been definitely decided. The start will be from the corner of Yates and Douglas streets, and the race will be thence up Yates and Fort streets and Cadboro Bay road to Oak Bay avenue; down Oak Bay avenue to Mount Baker hotel, and thence via the road following the beach to Beacon Hill, where several circuits will be required to make the distance. Captain E. W. Bradley went over the course yesterday and pronounces it in satisfactory condition.

LACROSSE.

AMALGAMATION PROBABLE.

The James Bay and Star lacrosse clubs are considering the desirability of amalgamating in order to more effectually represent Victoria on the intermediate field. It has been arranged that a delegation of seven from each club shall meet to-morrow evening to see upon what basis a union can be formed. The prospects are that the amalgamation will take place.

THE PROVINCIAL ASSOCIATION.

The secretary of the Victoria Lacrosse club yesterday evening received word from Mr E. A. Quigley, as secretary of the B.C. A.L.A., that the delegates from Westminster and Vancouver are anxious to have Victoria represented at a preliminary meeting to be held at the Hotel Vancouver next Wednesday evening, when the resignation of the Victoria Lacrosse club is to receive consideration. The annual meeting of the association is to be held in this city on the 13th inst.

PICTURED FAME.

A recent issue of the Toronto Saturday Globe contains an excellent group portrait of the officers and team of the James Bay Lacrosse club, intermediate champions of British Columbia.

WHIST.

PYTHIAN TOURNAMENT.

Far West lodge, K. of P., opened their whist tournament on Friday night in Castle hall, with every prospect of a keen contest and plenty of entries from the lodges of the order in the city. Play will be continued on Tuesday, Thursday an Friday evenings until the tournament is finished. Entries close next Tuesday evening. The standing so far is:

	Won.	Lost.
E. Kaufman and George Gilbert	1	0
M. Meiss and J. Kirkwood	1	0
M. J. Conlin and W. P. Smith	1	0
J. Hughes and L. McNeill	1	0
T. Deasy and D. Henry	0	1
F. LeRoy and H. Petticrew	0	1
J. Byrne and J. Meiss	0	1
S. Jones and J. Cameron	0	1

BASEBALL.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS VICTORIOUS.

The return match between the High School baseball team and the Junior Fernwoods, resulted in a second victory for the former by a score of 16 to 7—with an inning to spare.

VICTORIA BASEBALLERS ORGANIZE.

At the meeting of baseball enthusiasts held here last evening it was resolved that an association be formed to be known as the Victoria Baseball Association. If proper arrangements can be made the newly organized club will assist in forming a British Columbia league, consisting of Victoria, Vancouver and Nanaimo. Mr. Thos H. Baker was elected chairman, and William Duck secretary pro tem., while different committees were appointed to arrange details, etc.

HERE AND THERE.

The Burrard rowing club are very enthusiastic this year. At a meeting last night $210 50 was subscribed for a new shell; when the amount grows to $500 the best paper shell made will be ordered. Mr. McLean, formerly trainer for Stanbury of Australia, will train the crews for 1895.

At the annual meeting of the Westminster canoe club the following officers were elected: Dr. D. W. Bogue, commodore; F. J. Coulthard, vice-commodore; F. C. Blomfield, sec.-treas. The committees were struck as follows: Executive committee—Dr. R. E. Walker, J. I. M. Gray, C. B. Innes, A. B. Homer, and C. Leamy; regatta committee, G. C. Scott, J. I. M. Gray, C. B. Innes, A. B. Homer, and C. Leamy. It was decided to hold a club regatta on the 11th May. Several members have ordered racing canoes. The new boathouse is now ready for use, and the prospects for a lively season are very bright.

THE CITY.

MR. WILLIAM B. HALL and Miss Josephine Merrill, both of this city, have been united in marriage and have taken up their home at 99 John street.

PROF. GREASON gave his farewell performance at the market hall last evening. The Victoria engagement has been both profitable to him and pleasurable to the large audiences his entertainments have brought out.

ALD. MACMILLAN has given formal notice of a resolution to be presented to the city council to-morrow evening, "that applications be invited for the position of city engineer, receivable until the 22nd instant, the duties of the newly appointed engineer to commence May 1 and his monthly salary to be $175."

AMONG the numerous friends of their youth who a few days ago extended congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobinson on the occasion of their golden wedding, were Mrs. John Weiler, Mrs. Canaday, Mr. and Mrs. Keeler and Mrs. Mathews, whose names were unintentionally omitted from the list of visitors already published.

SEWELL SIMS was yesterday sentenced to two months' imprisonment by Magistrate Macrae on conviction for theft. The carpenter's tools found on his person were not taken from the residence now building for the Drs. Duncan but were stolen from George Voltz, who had provided Sims with a home in his cabin, and whose generosity he thus rewarded.

THE funeral services of the late John Holman were conducted yesterday at I.O.O.F. hall, Douglas street, and at the graveside, by Noble Grand E. Hoosen, of Victoria lodge No. 1. Many old friends, associates of the deceased in Cariboo days, attended. The pallbearers were Messrs. F. Carne, sr., D. Dale, R. Borthwick, Capt. Christensen, T. R. Mitchell and James Pope.

THE Winnipeg Tribune publishes the following concerning Rev. Alfred Fowler, B. A., who has just arrived in this city to take charge for a time of the Central Presbyterian church: "Rev. Alfred Fowler, B.A., evangelist, passed through the city on Monday on his way to the coast, to take charge of James Bay Presbyterian church, Victoria, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. P. McF. Macleod, who has gone to Europe for a three months' trip. Since leaving Winnipeg last November, Mr. Fowler has conducted evangelistic services at North Bay, Carleton Place, Appleton, Barrie, Bradford, Duntroon, Ottawa, Collingwood, etc. At every one of these places he has had great success. In some cases the press reports of the services have been very flattering, and Mr. Fowler is described as a convincing speaker, as well as a pleasing vocalist. Mr. Fowler, after leaving Victoria, will continue in the evangelistic work between Moosejaw and Victoria, having already six months' engagements ahead of him between these points."

A FINE church bell has been presented to St. Barnabas church by Mr. Robert Ward. The bell, which is made by the well known Blymeyer & Co. of Cincinnati, weighs about 400 lbs. and has a sounding capacity of four miles. A bell tower, also the gift of Mr. Ward, is to be erected, and the bell will be placed in position and ready for use on Easter Sunday. The gift is a very acceptable one.

MR JORGENSON was out at Beaver lake yesterday to start the work on the water works improvements. He made a survey for the temporary supply pipe to be used while the filter beds are being built. The putting in of the temporary pipe will be done by day work and a gang of men will be given employment immediately. Ald. Hall accompanied Mr. Jorgenson to the lake yesterday.

THE funeral of William C. Bryant took place Friday afternoon from his late residence, Johnson street. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, while a large number followed the remains to their last resting place. Rev. Canon Beanlands officiated at Christ Church cathedral and at the cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. Porter, Mitchell, Elliot, Partridge, Shaw and Styles.

THE hackstand nuisance which has been a cause of complaint for many years is to be given consideration by the city council during the present week, and citizens of Victoria can only hope for good results. Ald. Macmillan is the mover in this matter, he having announced his intention of moving at to-morrow night's council meeting that the hackmen be asked to send a delegation of five of their number to confer with the council in regard to a re-arrangement of hackstand privileges.

THERE was a large attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Butler yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Solomon Cleaver in the Metropolitan Methodist church, where the procession halted en route from the residence, Pandora street, to the grave. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Walsh, Jewell, Lane, Ballen, Pendray and Raymur. The funeral of Mrs. Gerrie also took place yesterday, many friends attending and others sending floral tokens of their sympathy. Rev. Dr. Campbell conducted the services at the residence, Pandora avenue, and at Ross Bay cemetery; the pall-bearers were Messrs. S. G. Spense, T. Hick, J. Erskine, J. Simpson, E. B. Dean and J. Carlton.

THERE was a good attenance last evening at the concert in the Y.M.C.A. hall; the programme as published in the COLONIST of yesterday morning was faithfully carried out and much appreciated by all present.

No. 1 COMPANY of the Boys' brigade, connected with the Y.M.C.A., had their first march out, two hours' drill and inspection, at Beacon Hill Friday evening, Lieutenant Northcott in command. On returning to the room they found that the ladies' auxiliary had provided a substantial lunch, to which they did full justice. Music, games and three cheers for the ladies, closed the evening.

THE meeting of No. 1 Company association announced for last night has been adjourned till Tuesday the 16th inst., when the committee trust there will be a large representation of the members. As this is the annual business meeting, the election of office-bearers for the ensuing year and other matters of importance to the individual members of the association will be brought up for consideration.

A RADICAL change in the method of dealing with corporation tenders is proposed by Ald. R. T. Williams, in a resolution of which he bulletined formal notice yesterday, and which reads as follows: "Resolved that a change be made in the form of receiving tenders for corporation work, and that a suitable box be made for the purpose of receiving tenders therein; that said box be properly sealed by the Mayor, City Clerk and City Purchasing Agent, and that any alderman who may wish to place his seal on the same be entitled to do so; and that the said box be opened only by the Mayor in the presence of the full board."

ARGUMENT has been concluded and judgment reserved by Mr. Justice Walkem in the case of the V. & S. Railway v. Elford & Smith. This is an appeal by the company from an award of two of the arbitrators at the reference to arbitration to estimate the amount of compensation to be paid to Elford & Smith for certain lands taken by the company for the purposes of their railway. The amount of land required was 14-100ths of an acre, for which the company offered $395, which was refused, and the reference ensued on which Elford & Smith put in a claim of $10,206, based on all grounds of damage to the property by severance and otherwise. The two arbitrators allowed $5,645. The company have appealed from that award.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys.

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The South West Kootenay and Osoyoos Divisions of Yale District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines to date, are destined in the next year or two to be the richest and most important mineral centres in the world.

These localities are rapidly settling up and as farm land is limited great inducement is offered to any person or corporation having capital and knowledge necessary to develop and work these estates. A store, hotel and blacksmith shop could be run in connection with the farm.

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ALBERTA SETTLING FAST.

(From the Edmonton Bulletin.)

Immigration has commenced in earnest, every train is getting larger, and the question is asked: Can they be coming into other parts of the Territories as they are flocking into Northern Alberta? During this month 370 settlers have arrived and settled north of Calgary, and this in the month when nothing more than locating the land and perhaps getting out a few logs or fence rails can possibly be done. The bulk of these settlers have come from the Western States, our nearest neighbors, and are people who know exactly what the country is like before coming, having either sent delegates to inspect the country's resources, or have heard from their friends who have been here before them. These settlers are not coming empty handed. Thirty four car loads of stock and effects were brought in by them. There were 85 settlers on the last train leaving Calgary, over half of whom came through to Edmonton; 12 of these came from Ontario, 4 from England, and 69 from different parts of the United States, as follows: Forty from Minnesota, 20 from Dakotas; 1 from Nebraska, 1 from Iowa, 3 from Michigan, 3 from Washington, and 1 from Wyoming Territory. They chose different points along the line as their destination: Nine to Innisfail, 3 to Red Deer, 9 to Lacombe, 19 to Wetaskiwin, and 47 to Edmonton. Six cars of stock and effects were brought in by these settlers, of which 5 came to Edmonton, and 1 to Wetaskiwin.

CHURCH HOLDINGS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—When Col. Merriam's bill which proposes to repeal the old law giving the Roman Catholic archbishop of Chicago the power to act as a corporation, sell and hold real estate of any description exempt from taxes, was reported favorably in the house to-day by the chairman of the committee on revenue, a motion was made by pre-arrangement to send the measure to the committee on education. The motion was put hurriedly and carried with a rush by the Republican majority in the absence of the framer of the bill. This was a scheme arranged by the steering committee to put the bill to sleep, the party managers fearing its passage would cost many thousand votes. Col. Merriam declared he would resurrect the bill and thrash every Republican on the floor if necessary to defeat alleged tricksters.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Gen. John G. Farnsworth, of Albany, died of paralysis to-night.

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST.

WINNIPEG, April 6.—(Special—Telegraphic reports from many points in Manitoba and the Territories state that seeding is becoming general. Rain is badly needed in some parts.

REGINA, April 6.—J. H. Ross, of Moosejaw, has been sworn in as a member of the executive of the N. W. Assembly.

SELKIRK, April 6.—An old settler named Joseph Loue was drowned yesterday afternoon. He was crossing the river on a dog sleigh when the ice broke and he and his sleigh went down.

GLEICHEN, April 6.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the shooting case was that Frank Skynner came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by the Blackfoot Indian (Scraping Hides), and that Constable Rogets lawfully shot the Indian while he was resisting arrest.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Secretary Gresham has been advised that the British foreign office has, within the past 48 hours, informed Ambassador Bayard that England does not want any Nicaraguan territory, that her colonial possessions are already large enough to satisfy her ambition and that all she desires of Nicaragua is the payment of indemnity. Assurances have also been given that while England will show an earnest determination to collect this indemnity there is little probability of Greytown being bombarded by a British fleet in the event that Nicaragua does not comply with England's request. No dispatches in regard to Venezuela have been received.

CHICAGO, April 5.—J. S. Clarkson states positively that ex-President Harrison is a candidate for the presidency. "General Harrison is not an active candidate," he said, "perhaps, but he certainly is a receptive candidate. Indeed he is, I think, one of the most prominent, if not the most prominent, presidential candidate now before the public. As to who will be the party's choice in 1896 I am, of course, unable to say, but it is very certain that General Harrison will accept the nomination if it is tendered him."

A LONG discussion was provoked at Friday's meeting of the Teachers' Institute by the introduction of the subject of payment due to temporary substitutes required in emergencies on the teaching staff. The matter was finally left in the hands of a committee, who will wait upon the trustee board.