## EVENLY MATCHED

First Rugby Match Between Victoria and Vancouver Results in a Draw.

Senior and Junior Association Football Matches Played Here on Saturday.

The much talked of meeting between the Victoria and Vancouver football clubs took place on Saturday afternoon at the Caledonia grounds, and ended in a draw, the score being three all. The day was hardly an ideal one for the game. The ground was heavy and a raw wind out of the south-east brought with it a sprinkling of rain that made mackintoshes and umbrellas very desirable for onlookers, yet the character of the play was decidedly above the average, and the five hundred enthusiasts who sat on the grand stand saw a close contest played to an exciting finish.

The play was quite as even as the score would indicate. Victoria was unfortunate in losing the services of Goward in the second half through an injury to his back, and therefore had to play one man short. The Vancouver men were short two of their players, Rose and Branch, and their places were filled by two Victorians, O'Brien and Corn-

It was after three when the referee, Mr. J. D. Quine, of Nanaimo, gave a toot to his asthmatic whistle and the men trotted out to take their positions,

Victoria-Back, H. Haines; threequarters, C. Wilson, C. Gamble, K. Scholefield and F. Cullin; halves, A. Goward, A. Belfry; forwards, A. G. Langley, F. J. Naftel, W. R. Atkins, W. L. Loveland, A. D. Crease, J. K. McCrae, J. D. Pemberton, L. B. Bul-

Vancouver-Back, H. Senkler; three quarters, Tait, W. Miller, H. C. Akroyd and Warren; halves, Jenkinson, R. C. Spinks; forwards, W. O'Brien, Needham, J. E. Cornwall, T. Cornwall, C. Worsnop, Morley, Parham and Wood-

Vancouver won the toss and took advantage of the quartering wind. Crease's kick-off was well followed, but Warren returned with a punt which Gamble fumbled at centre and the ball was sent into touch. From the throw out Spinks secured and made a clever run to Victoria's twenty-five, where he was neatly nailed by Haines. A series of close scrimmages followed, in which Vancouver gained ground slowly, until at last from a neat heel out Goward secured. There was some clever passing, Wilson, Scholefield and Cullin in turn handling the pigskin, and the last-named reached Vancouver's twenty-five with a splendid run. Here a forward pass spoiled things, and Tait securing from a scrum made a splendid punt a long way into Victoria territory. The ball was wet and slimy, and Haines fumbled the return, but managed to send into touch at his own twenty-five line. For off side play of their opponents Vancouver got a free kick, but gained little by it. Goward got in one fine run and reached the centre, but a long punt by Miller changed places with Haines for the rest of the heavy cost of transportation of the half. Morley made a good dribfive, where Scholefield brought him to province which were more easy of acgrass by a hard tackle. Scholefield, by cess, naturally retarded mining operations ball was in scrum at Victoria's twenty- completion of the Crow's Nest Pass some of the home men, and the referee gave Vancouver a free kick. Tait, who is a Scotchman with an international building is giving a marvellous impulse to record, took the kick and placed the

Vancouver 3, Victoria 0. half, but the play was slightly in favor mated, nor will the full extent of its min-of the visitors. Twice they had the oall almost on the Victoria goal line, but were beaten back. Wilson saved vigorously prosecuted with most gratifying once with a splendid run, and the second time Victoria cleared with a free kick for Vencouver's off side play. The for Vancouver's off side play. Then how wide their distribution is can only be Victoria's stock went up. From a determined by actual search. Prospectors scrum at centre the ball was well heeled | find here magnificent opportunities for to Wilson. down the field like a scalded cat through a back kitchen. Senkler failed to stop hitherto labored, in the long stretch of him, and he almost reached the Vancouhim, and he almost reached the Vancou-ver goal line before he was collared. Moyle lake on the south; and the silverat Vancoaver's twenty-five.

When play was resumed it was seen

that Goward had been forced to retire, and Pemberton went to full back. Vancouver's kick-off was smartly returned, ble group towards the Bull river are merely a few successful camps where there are and the ball was held at mid-field. pass to Tait, who punted well into Vic- gold, copper and silver-lead, East Kootenay toria's territory. This was followed by a series of well followed punts by Vancouver. The visitors' scrimmage was obviously stronger, for they got the ball obviously stronger, for they got the ball within short distance. With the proximity of these two minerals there is every prosby Senkler sent the oval to Victoria's pect that great manufacturing centres will goal line, but McCrae saved with a run arise in Dast Kootenay whose coal measto the twenty-five. Belfry and Haines did a neat bit of passing, which gained its own smelters and for those of West enemy's tightly packed scrum and Wilson went through. He ran twenty yards and punted. Senkkinson, who played good football throughout, saved by a fine dribble to centre, where Gamble grassed him. Victoria got a free kick for Vancouver's handling in scrum, but the Victoria forwards went off-side and the advantage was lost. Cullin made a good run and passed to Scholefield, who missed the catch, but started on a dribble. Senkder should have stopped him, but he to-morrow.

made a bad mess of it, and, to the delight of the on-lookers, the Victoria man got across the line and fell on the ball Gleanings of City and Provincial News for a try, not an instant too soon, for he was pounced on by half a dozen quickly following Vancouverites. Gamble tried the kick, but failed to score.

Vancouver 3, Victoria 3. This finished the scoring. Darkness was fast coming on, and the slippery condition of the ball made really good football an impossibility. The play was of an in-and-out order for the balance of the time, and though it was nearly always Vancouver's ball, the visitors failed to realize. Time was called with the pigskin in dangerous proximity to the Victoria goal line.

CROW'S NEST BRANCH! One Hundred and Ten Miles of the Roadway Has Been Graded.

Ross Mackenzie, who is one of the officials connected with the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass branch of the C.P.R., is in the city on a visit to his brother, A. B. Mackenzie, the local agent of the C.P.R. Mr. Mackenzie rode from Macleod to Rossland on horseback, the journey occupying two weeks. He could have made the journey in much less time, but as he was on official business he was detained at several points during the trip. He re-ports that the Crow's Nest branch has been graded from Lethbridge to Macleod and from Macleod to Crow's Nest Pass lake, a distance of 110 miles. On a considerable portion of this district the rails have been laid. In fact, rails have been put down as far as the crossing of Pincher creek at Le Grandeur, about 22 miles from Macleod. A permanent bridge, with cement piers, being put in there. Mr. Mackenzie is a noted athlete, and excels as a lacrosse player. For a long time he was superintendent of the Niagara Falls Park and River railway, and at another time was superintendent at Mont-real for the C.P.R. Ross Mackenzie and his brother Archie have not met for some time and did the long-lost brother act when they met yesterday.

-Rossland Miner.

COWICHAN INTERESTS.

To the Editor:-I see in the Semi-Weekly colonist of the 5th inst. that Mr. J. R. Anderson says my statements in the Times are incorrect, which shows that Mr. Anderson did not read the whole of my commu nication or else he is entirely ignorant of the whereabouts of Cwichan district. stated plainly that I did not refer to the electoral district or the municipality of Cowichan, still Mr. Anderson quotes eetings held at Duncans and Cobble Hill, which he will find by studying the mar are not in Cowichan district, the former being in Quamichan, and the latter in Shawnigan district. I reiterate the statements I made in the Times, that neither Mr. Patterson nor the inspector of fruit pests has been seen in Cowichan district by me or any one whom I have enquired The majority in Cowichan subscribe to the Semi-Weekly Times, and therefore do not see so many notices and advertisements concerning the appoint ments and movements of governmen cials as the favored readers of the Colonist, hence my mistake about Mr. Patterson be the provincial government. COWICHAN SETTLER.

EAST KOOTENAX

Its Great Resources Which Will Be Opened Up by the Crow's Nest Pass

East Kootenay is a wonderfully rich attorney. country now on the eve of development was again missed by Victoria's back, and expansion. The great wealth of this ble from centre to Victoria's twenty- the rich discoveries in other parts of the the way, was one of the few Victorians seriously and prevented the work of develwho displayed the slightest acquaintance opment reaching those immense proporwith the proper way to tackle. The five when it was plainly handled by way, now under rapid construction by the the development of its boundless resources. By this road easy access will be gained to ball beautifully over the bar. It was a this hitherto almost sealed region, and a clean bit of work, considering the wind, new mining empire—second to none in all that makes wealth-will be opened to the world. The magnitude of the latent riches There was no further scoring in the of this vast track can now scarcely be estialthough the work of prospecting has been Haines made a good pass to Gam-who gained ten yards and passed covery and practical mining men and capi-talists an unsurpassed field for investment. The big Victoria man went Mining operations are being carried on suc-Half time came with the ball in touch lead mines of the North Star and Sullivan groups, the extensive hydraulic works on Wild Horse creek, the placer mines on Weaver, Perry and other streams, the St. Eugene group on Moyle lake and the Dib-Miller, securing from the scrum, made a other equally rich propositions. Besides ures will also supply the coke required for

the centre of the field again, and a fine punt by Wilson sent the ball into touch The resources of Bast Kootenay, unlike punt by Wilson sent the ball into touch five yards from Vancouver's goal line. Some fierce scrimmaging followed, but the Victoria forwards were unable to of whose product is said to be the purest of hold the advantage their back division ever discovered; and in the wide valleys had gained. Twice the Vancouver men are great stretches of arable land on made dangerous rushes, and both times which the most favorable conditions exist Scholefield cleverly saved into touch at centre. Then Victoria managed to break up the enemy's tightly packed the settler being assured an excellent cash

market close at home.
While Bast Kootenay is still in its infancy, it has many towns-Golden. Donald. ler muffed the catch, and the ball was beavermouth and Palliser on the main line held close to Vancouver's goal line. Jen- of the Canadian Pacific; Wardner, Oranbrook, Swansea and Moyle City on the main line of the Crow's Nest Pass railway, and with the anticipated coming develop-ment these will not only increase in pop-ulation and wealth, but others will arise in the different sections.—East Kootenay

Col. Domville, M.P., and Mrs. Domville leave for Skagway on the City of Seattle

BRIEF LOCALS.

in a Condensed Form. From Friday's Daily. -Hamilton Byers has been appointed a member of the boards of licensing and police commissioners, Kaslo.

-Mr. R. Anderson and Miss Tillie Carlson were married yesterday by Rev. D. Macrae at the manse, Victoria West. -At a recent meeting of the Victoria Kennel Club Mr. Wm. J. McKeon, Jr., was elected secretary, vice Mr. Emil

-At the next sessiom of the legislature Alexander Begg and sons will apply for a charter for a railway to run Burrough's Bay, Behm Canal, to Glenora, with power to construct a branch line to Portland canal.

-The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital netted \$207.60 for the children's ward by the annual ball, the receipts be ing \$390 and the expenses \$182.40. The ladies wish to thank those who assisted in any way to make the ball a success. -In the current issue of the Gazette

are published the certificates of incorporation of the Yukon Pioneer Gold Fields Co., Ltd., of this city, particulars of which have been published, and of the Ashcroft, Lake Teslin and Yu- next. kon Transportation & Trading Co. Ltd., of Ashcroft, cap.tal, \$250,000.

-Messrs, Gemmill & May, of Ottawa, give notice of their intention to apply the next session of the legislature, as well as to the Dominion parliament, for a charter for a railway from Cranbrook. East Kootenay, to the headwaters of the Fraser river, and thence by way of the Parsnip and Finlay rivers to Yukon,

Charles Harris, who in company with his brother, James Harris, and Leon King, is accused of stealing a pacycle from Mr. White, the station maslice court this afternoon and remanded to Monday next. His brother and King are out on bail.

-Messrs. R. B. McMicking and Flem ing leave in a few days on a lecturing which is being financed by a Victoria company. They will start from Portland and work east, telling of Victoria's advantages for outfitting for the Yukon. The lecture will be illustrated Ogilvie, F.R.G.S.

-Much favorable comment has been made regarding the new concrete sidewalk surrounding the Hotel Victoria, corner of Johnson and Government streets. The work reflects the highest credit on the contractors. Messrs. Hales & Bell, who are now engaged in similar work for a Wharf street firm and have many orders ahead.

-Yesterday's Gazette contains the notices of two companies which have been registered under the provisions licensing extra provincial companies The companies are the Fairview Gold Mining Company, of London, eapital, £100,000, John R. Mitchell, of Vancouver, attorney; and the Scottish Colonial Gold Fields, of Scotland, capital £100 .-000, D. H. Macpherson, of Three Forks,

-Brigadier Howell, who has charge defensive. Goward had his back severely strained in a serimmage and changed places with Haines for the rest brigade, and the junior soldiers will conduct meetings in the S. A. barracks on Saturday and Sunday next, four meeting being held on the latter day. will be assisted by Adj. and Mrs. Philips Capt. Jublin, Capt. Bowers and Lieut. Gaines.

-Superintendent Hussey, of the provincial police, has received word from Constables McKenna and Murray, the officers sent up to investigate the Offitsino murder mystery, which leads him to believe him that a murder has been committed. The two officers have gathevidence in proof of this, and enough has been discovered to bring the crime home to Louey, the accused Indian. In fact, the Indian boy has been found to whom Louey confided his crime, which from the evidence gathered up to the present seems to have have been committed from the same cause that a large percentage of crimes are committed-jealousy. It seems that Louey enticed the murdered Ne-Cay to a lonely spot by the river side and murdered him, cutting his body into pieces discovery of one piece and of the bloodstained club and moss was the first clue obtained. The murderer and Daisy, his klootchman, fearing the retribution of the law, fled to the wilderness, but will in time be arrested, for both officers McKenna and Murray are getting together the chain of evidence to fasten the crime onto him.

-Walter Johnson W.Ison this morning elected for a speedy trial and at pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing and forgery, and was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment by Chief Justice Davie. Mr. S. D. Schultz appeared for the accused and stated that Wilson desired to make a statement in extenuation of the punishment the court would impose. Wilson then told his story in a fluent manner and made a good impression. Although not a hard drinker, he said he had a very hazy recollection of forging a cheque, after which a friend came to him and told him that he had given the cheque; in desperation he then took the typewr.ter to Aaronson's as a temporary expedient to meet the cheque. wife and family are on their way from Chicago to Victoria. In conclusion he attributed his present position to the sole fact that he had 'yielded to liquor; it would be a lesson to him, and he implored the court to deal as leniently as possible with him. After sentence was passed Chief Sheppard asked that the \$20 found on the at the time of his arrest, and being the amount advanced at Aaronson's for the typewriter, be paid over to Mr. Aaronson. His Lordship made an order to ed the police that a typewriter had been pawned with him and gave such useful information that Chief Sheppard day, November 23. D. M. Bernard and Boston Transcript.

a member of the Uhio State Legisla-

-Mr. R. Hansen, of the Danish colony, Cape Scott, who is in the city, intends purchasing a saw mill, which he will erect at the colony.

-F. J. Coleman, of the San Fran- up for the C.P.R. telegraph office. cisco police force, is here in connection with the endeavor being made to ex-tradite J. G. Benntee, wanted for assault with intent to murder his wife. Mr. Coleman was an eyewitness of the affair, and will give evidence was quite a heavy fall on Sooke and when the case comes up before the Chief Justice on Tuesday.

-The charge of perjury entered by day night and Sunday morning. Joseph Smith against Hermann and charge against Kurth, senior, was gone into in the police court. Smith testified that in the county court Kurth swore that he (Smith) was not a brewer, whereas he had worked in a brewery for a few months when he was a partner in the Tiger brewery, and had been working at the Milwaukee brewery since 1896. In cross examination he said he was not an expert brewer. The case was remanded until Tuesday

-The masquerade ball held under the auspices of the Sons and Daughas the pleasure and convenience of act as judges of the different characters represented. The supper providter at Sidney, was brought before Police ed at this masquerade has always been Magistrate Macrae in the provincial police one of the foremost features in the past, and this year the daughters of St. George promise to eclipse their former

-Capt. Clarence Cox, of the sealing schooner Triumph, has received a letter latter does not speak of any shortage of provisions, in fact it gives the inference that there were enough provisions there, for the party bought 400 pounds of food the day after their arrival. The weather was very cold at the time the letter was written, and in consequence of the cold weather the epidemic of typhoid which had been raging had abated. According to the information received there by Mr. Shaw no new strikes had been made this summer.

From Saturday's Daily. -The officers of the lands and works department have taken up their offices in the new parliament buildings.

-Squire Hilton, the well-known expressman, died to-day at St. Joseph's hospital. Deceased was taken suddenly mur, Fletcher, Skinner, Dunlevy, Lubbe, and we have a big fleet, we can take ill last evening and expired this morning. Burnes, Johnson, Madigan, Paton, Aik-He was 52 years of age, and a native man, Patterson, G. Riley, Gore, Keast, of Lancashire, England. His remains were removed to Hanna's parlors.

-W. Rice, a storekeeper and trader, who has stores at Dyea, Skagway and Wrangel, as well as a brewery at Dawson, is at the Oriental. He came down on the steamer City of Seattle, which arrived this morning, and will remain here for a short time to outfit for the spring trade.

-Mr. A. B. Fraser, of Liverpool, England, who has been here visiting his son, Mr. A. B. Fraser, of Lee & Fraser, has purchased Marvin & Tilton's hardware ousiness. Mr. Walter S. Fraser will come from Liverpool to manage the business, the new firm being styled Walter S. Fraser & Co.

-Several parties will leave nere next week for Dawson City, their intentions being to make the trip from Dyea or Skagway by dog train. Mr. Hayward, of the Daily Mail, London, intends to attempt the trip. He will be accompanied by a prospector, whom Mr. W. J. Partridge is sending in. Mr. Hayward has had considerable experience in Arc tic travelling. He has with him a very and casting them into the river. The light and strong sleigh, which has seen considerable service, and a team of strong-looking dogs. Mr. Shaw-Safe, of the London Telegraph, will also attempt the trip, and Norman Macaulay, of this city, also hopes to see Dawson before Christmas. His dogs are due to arrive to-night from the Northwest, Mr. Macskilful men. In the meantime they are anlay will take in a mail and also some

> From Monday's Daily. -It is understood that Mayor Redfern will be a candidate for re-election

-A mail for Dawson City and way stations was dispatched by the City of Topeka last night.

The money levied under Admiral's House by-law will be refunded about the first week in December. The treasurer will advertise the day when cheques are ready.

-A. Lindsay, John Bryden and R. Dunsmuir left yesterday morning for Germany, crossing the continent by the C.P.R. and the Atlantic on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm

-Charles Johnson, a seaman on the steamer Bristol, has taken an action against the owners of that vessel, Messrs. Dunsmuir & Sons, to recover \$65 for wages. The case was brought before Police Magistrate Macrae this morning and remanded until Wednes-

that effect. As soon as Mr. Aaronson Sydney were brought before Police Masaw the notice of the arrest he inform-

was pleased to make the request that James Coffrey, accused of stealing a the \$20 be returned. Wilson is about calf from a Sooke Indian, were also re40 years old, and it is said was once—n anded until that date.

-The offices of the Bank of Montreal have been removed to the bank's new building at the corner of Government and Bastion streets, the most handsome ly fitted offices in the province. The old premises, at the corner of Government street and Trounce alley, are being fitted

-Victoria felt the first touch of winter early this morning, when there was a very light fall of snow which quickly disappeared. On Saturday night there Goldstream hills and some even reached Langford Plains. There was also a little snow storm at Vancouver on Satur-

Hans Kurth having been dismissed on a technicality, Sm.th laid new charges against the Kurths. This morning the ner, Isaac Jones, and who is suspected -William A. Gordon, who is accused of murdering the missing brought before Chief Justice Davie this morning and remanded until the first day of the spring assizes. As these assizes will not be held until May next, Gordon will spend the winter in jail. Bail has boy, for eighteen months he was a been fixed for him, but he has been unable to secure sureties. -The other day one of the greates

agricultural experts in the States, in talking to one of the leading American editors said, "Right over there in Canada they have a weekly newspaper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star, that this country cannot touch. ters of St. George promises to be the have tested it thoroughly, and find it most successful ever held. The prizes the most excellant thing of the kind exare beautiful and costly, and tickets tant. Many of my acquaintances sub-are being rapidly bought up. Only a scribe to it and all admit its pre-eminlimited number of these will be sold, enge. The publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star have discovthose attending is the first consideration. The Hon. J. H. Turner has for a dollar. It's well worth emulating." kindly consented to distribute the This is not bad for Canada, and Canaprizes, whilst H. D. Helmcken and dians know it is all true. The splendid first, said: prizes, whilst H. D. Helmcken and Claus know it is a factory to be different char
Dieut.-Col. Gregory have consented to position of the Family Herald and "We do not need Pearl harbor. They have ceded Pearl harbor to us... But it

-The steamer City of Seattle will carry dogs innumerable on her next trip north. There are the dogs of Messrs. Hayward and Shaw, the correspondents respectively of the London Daily Mail and London Telegraph; those will take Norman Macaulay's party from Richard Shaw, dated at Dawson through to Dawson, and another lot for City on September 6th. Shaw was a the Humber expedition. Mr. Macaupassenger on the Islander on her first lay's party will go right through to trip, and in company with his partners, Dawson, taking the mail, provisions and James Daly and N. McNeil, he pushed in coal oil. Mr. Macaulay himself will with views furnished by Mr. William at once on arriving at Skagway. This not go any farther than White Horse party were the first of the Victorians to rapids, around which a company that he arrive at the Klondike metropolis, which represents propose to build a tramway. city was reached on September 4th. The Mr. Hayward will remain in Dawson just long enough to gather reliable information, which his paper wishes to publish before the spring rush commences.

-Donations have been received at the St. Catherines Home for old ladies from the following to whom the matron So far no vote has been cast in the matwishes to return thanks: Messrs. Brady. Geo, Skinner, Shore, Pottinger, Shears, Goodacre, W. H. Croyhan, Sayward, The statesmen who now threaten our John Crowther, Bird, Douglas, Hutcheson & Co., Victoria Flour Mill Co., Victoria Phoenix Brewing Co., Rahy Bros., John Bros., McGregor, Pendray; Mesdames Allen, Acre, Agorthie, Denny, McDowell, Williams, Fredette, Holland, Bickford, Barnsley, Bantly, Dodd, Bucton, Keafe, Barry, Daly, Senney, Hancock, Wiggins, Quagliotti, O'Brien, Stei- 'If we do not have the Sandwich islands A Calder, Ryhcet, Cox, Leblanc, Steele, Erskine, Shaw, two friends.

THE ASSIZES

List of Cases to be Tried at the Session Commencing To-Morrow.

The autumn assizes will commence to-morrow morning and the chief justice will very probably preside. The list is as, follows: Regina vs. Antonio Reda, unlawfully wounding; Regina vs. John Aitken, shooting with intent to murder; Regina vs. Hock Taw alias Ah Lue, forgery: Regina vs. Thomas Cummings. shooting with intent to murder; Regina vs. Gang Pak Hok, unlawfully ing, and Regina vs. Jen Wing, theft In the Aitken case the charge may be changed to the more serious one of murder as George Brown some time ago died from the effects of the bullet wound.

OUTBREAK OF GLANDERS. It Has Made Its Appearance Among the Horses of Boundary.

The horses in the Boundary country are afflicted with the glanders and Robert S. Hickingbottom, Dominion veterinary surgeon, made a visit there recently and under his direction several horses were killed who were found to be infected with the dread disease. He received advices yesterday that there has been a new outbreak of the disease and left for there immediately for the purpose of investigating the matter. If he finds that the animals are infected liam and the University of Berlin furwith glanders he will direct that they be slaughtered. Glanders is a very dangerous and most contagious disease and a military government. The monuof the horse, ass and mule, communicable to man and to other animals. The equestrian compositons in the disease is caused by a specific bacillus made by the foremost sculptor of his day, and is characterized by an inflamed paid for by a grateful population, and state of the nasal mucous membrane upon which small sores appear, discharging a viscid humor.—Rossland of arts and letters. This monument, Miner.

BOGUS EGYPTIAN ANTIQUES. The Royal British Antiquarian and after the manner of the Albert memori-Archeological Societies have lodged a a in London. petition with Lord Salisbury protesting against the peculiar form of prison labor in Egypt since the khedive's peniten-tiaries and jails have been under English management. It seems that the convicts, of whom there are 1,200 in the Jourah prison alone, are employed in manufacturing bogus antiques, for which there is reported to be a large market, especially in America. The petitioners declare that the forgeries are lever as to be scarcely distinguishable from the real article. As yet only antiques of relatively small dimensions have been produced, but the prison authorities express the hope of being able in Charles and James Harris and Leon King, the young men accused of stealing a bicycle from the railway station at Sydney, were brought before Police Magistrate Macrae in the provincial court this attornoon, and at the request of the crown they were remanded until Tuesday, November 23. D. M. Bernard and Bern

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## HAWAII'S DESTINY

The Massachusetts Referm Club Dines and Talks Over the Annexation Question.

Speakers Divided on the Subject-Hawaiians Fit To Become American Citizens?

Boston, Nov. 13.—The Hawaiian question was discussed at the dinner of the Massachusetts Reform Club at Youngs last night. There were about 100 members present and Edward Atkinson presided. Captain Julius Palmer, formerly secretary to Queen Liluokalani, and Hon. Morfield Story spoke in opposition to annexation, and P. F. Hollis, of Harvard University, and Gorman D. Gilman, consul general of Hawaii, spoke in favor of it. Captain Palmer, who spoke

is of no use. Now, I would like my naval friends to explain what they call stragetic importance. I cannot see how, if we were at war with Spain, the

Azores would be an advantage to us. "The Hawaiian islands should be neutral ground. They are neutral ground at this moment, by the guarantee of four great nations. By our treaty of reciprocity the islands agreed to allow no other power to assume a protectorate. Now, if we propose to assume control in Hawaii, we should have the ill will of all the great powers. We do not want to teach land getting, but to teach the principles of Christian religion." Morfield Story said:

"The question of Hawaiian annexation is perhaps as important a question as the country has been called to pass on for a long time." The speaker said the present government of Hawaii is in power simply through a revolutionary act, which depends for success on the support offered by American bayonets. ter. We have no right to steal it. It is said we need the islands in case of war. peace are not of foreign governments, the perachers of war are all to be found. under the dome of our own capital. "If we take these islands we shail. have to begin by spending enormous sums for fortifications. I think the opinion of a naval officer on the subject expressed the situation. He said to me: them if we have them as cannot keep them.

"The citizens of Hawaii are not fit t be admitted to citizenship of the United States. Annexation means the intro duction into our body politic of corrupt ing elements; it is a crime for us to con-

Professor Hollis said: "I do not believe either; that the Sandwich islands are governed by a lot of unmitigated liars, nor do I believe that the United States are governed by a set of scoundrels."

The speaker drew a picture of the inhabitants of the islands and said their discovery was made by Captain Cook only in the last century.

"The Sandwich islands have come to be almost a part of the United States, and I believe it is for the best interest of the islands to be annexed. The only salvation for the natives depends upon us and us alone. The islands are right in the way of Pacific commerce and are sure to become very important, and I believe that when it becomes necessary for this nation to take control of them no international guaranty will stand in the war."

The discussion was closed by Mr. Gillman, who took the ground that there was but one solution of the Hawaiian question and that is the annexation of the islands.

FREDERICK THE GREAT.

The magnificent monument to Frederick the Great which adorns the space between the palace of old Emperor Wilnishes a striking illustration of the radical difference between a constitutional ment I refer to is one of the grandest made by the foremost sculptor of his day, commemorating a monarch not only glorious as a soldier, but also the patron as every American tourist knows, is sup posed to bring together all the great men who lived under this king-semething

Among the dozen who crowd in effigy about the base of the statue I could discover but two whose profession was not exclusively that of killing their fellow-These two were Kant and Lessing, the only names in the whole crowd that would to-day be generally known g fairly educated people.-Harper's

Weekly. UNFORTUNATE INITIALS.

Miss Nellie I. Taylor and Paul D. Quiggs were engaged, and Neille was out of town for a few days. They exchanged the following telegrams, and thoughtlessly signed them by their initials only:
"Dear Neille; Come home to me.
"P. D. Q."

"Dear Paul: Am coming, my love. -New York Journal.

Neil McArthur, the Yukon miner, turned last evening from a visit to his former home in Durbam, Ont. Provincial New

GRAND FORKS. Grand Forks, B. C., Nov. rick O'Connor, one of the owner famous Humming Bird property North Fork, while repairing th ney on Mr. Jeff Davis' store afternoon slipped on the icy roof some 20 feet to the ground, str a piece of brick and breaking below the knees.

VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, Nov. 11.—The jurassizes to-day acquitted Mr. N who had been charged with fi assignment, with intent to det creditors. The case was regardene of more than ordinary imand the counsel were Messrs Wilson, Q.C., Deputy Atorney Smith and E. P. Davis, Q.C., crown, and Mr. D. G. Macdon Mr. J. Martin for the prison Davis, Q.C., originally held a brief for the creditors, but crown was anxious to have h assistance in the case, he was brief for the crown. In his op marks to the jury Mr. Davis them of the facts of the case th would seek to establish, relat on the 11th of September last oner, being as was really cla solvent, made an assignment moneys, about \$1,800, with in alleged, to deceive and defra cerditors, the sum being part amount of \$2,500 received by oner, and of which he did not any satisfactory account. Fo time past he had not kept a cas and the circumstances, it would tended, went to show that the had been preparing for the tim insolvency by setting aside money for his individual use la Conservatives attended a to-night for the purpose of or an association. Ald. William

was elected president: Chas. Q.C., vice-president; Mr. Bull, & Harris, secretary; and W. man, treasurer. The census of the city is being as usual. The population will to be growing but slowly, as t will not enumerate more than

whereas as far back as 189 were 13,641. Vancouver, Nov. 12.-Info has just been received of anoth dike victim in the person o Gale Adams, of this city. He' some months ago and met his the very spot where ex-Mayor this city, perished. The boat deceased was in was overload capsized. Adams and another medrowned, the third occupant be

There were two accidents on line betwen Vancouver and No minster yesterday afternoon. p.m. the work car, otherwise the Dutchman, collided with repair car. The scene was ha between the Burnaby power he what is known as the junct place where the old line to Wes meets the line now in use. that both cars were running speed, and the fog prevente from seeing one another until t only about two pole lengths ap "Tower" car was badly smasl the "Dutchman" Was se aged. The men on the Tower c ed off. Mr. Semple, section Mr. Arthurs, the superintender on the front of the "Dutchm they both stayed at their post

crash came. Mr. Semple had somewhat bruised. A new arrival in the city is I Suckling, late of Toronto, who associated with matters mus many years. Te has come to vince with the intention of r

his home. When the new trolley wire Westminster and Vancouver is completed, it is said that will easily be able to cover the in thirty minutes. Miller, the tool of Harris, w ed forged cheques here recent

change for goods, was to-day ed to eighteen months' impriso J. W. Haskins, charged with spiracy to defraud the shareho the Orphan Boy Mining Compa continued all day to-day at the court. Before the final addr counsel Mr. Justice Drake said prosecution had made out no olish people would buy doll at five cents, they would only themselves to blame if disaster ed. According to law there was dence that Haskins had cons defrand the creditors. His acti suing the writ and selling the

was legal. The other directors were awa the manager and secretary has themselves, while directors, sal the amount of \$250 a month there was but \$17 in the trea but \$2,000 in stock was sold a and still no action was taken, these other directors were notif company was never solvent start, and it was evidently plan in issuing the writ and for sale to try and get all he cou the hope of carrying on opera the mine was gone. The evid not show, however, that he had fully taken legal proceedings in judgment against the company Vancouver, Nov. 13 .- Dr. Ca the result of the advice obtain the court the other day, has sait against the Golden Cache mpany. Ltd., and the Golde Syndicate, who sold the pres

perties to the Golden Cache C asking as follows: 1. For interpretation by the the agreements under which fully paid up and non-assessible of the defendant Golden Cach pany were to be held by the pla rustee for the defendant, and declaration of the trust thereof 2. For an order that the decompany do issue and deliver plaintiff a certificate of the ba the shares unsold. 3. For an account by the de

company of the moneys received from the portion of the share and its dealings with such mor 4. For an injunction restrain defendant company from sell