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THE TENNIS TOURNEY.

Foulkes Again Distinguishes Himself at Seattle—Entries for the Home Handicap.

Angeles "Stars" Win From the "Maple Leaves"—On the Cricket Field.

SEATTLE, Wn., July 25.—(Special)—The final day of the tennis tourney brought a measure of consolation to the home club, for although Foulkes again defeated Pelly in the match for the Carter cup, Foulkes and Card lost to Hurd and Wright in the doubles. The Carter trophy, generally known as the old challenge cup, was won by Pelly from Hurd in 1895 and was worthily defended by him to-day, the score closing, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.

The Post-Intelligencer has the following to say in regard to the championship game of Friday in which Foulkes demonstrated his superiority over Pelly, the crack of the Seattle club, whom he defeated in straight sets, 6-1, 7-5, 6-4: "Although he won, it was by no means an easy victory, as the score of the last two sets of the match will show. Numerous times he was forced to his utmost to win a point, so cleverly did Pelly place, and it was only by the greatest head work and self-possession that he saved the second set. Brilliant plays followed each other so closely that almost a constant chain of applause burst from the very large and fashionable audience that occupied nearly all points of vantage about the grounds. The play of the two men was similar, both rushing the net when the opportunity occurred, and both as often lobbing, but Foulkes' superb coolness stood him in good stead, and by a clever stroke and pass down the side lines he pulled himself out of many a hole. He made a start very similar to that of Thursday, when he defeated Hurd a love set, getting five love games on Pelly before the latter scored, and then he only allowed him to take a lone game. It was tennis that will linger in the minds of those present for many days, and will also cause the winner, when he glances on the handsome Post-Intelligencer cup, to ponder over the battle royal he had to win it."

FOULKES TAKES THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

SEATTLE, July 24.—(Special)—In the tennis tourney to-day Foulkes, the British Columbia champion, added to his title that of champion of Washington, defeating Pelley in the final of the singles on a score of 6-1, 7-5, 6-4. Card and Foulkes, the representatives of the V.L.T.C., also qualified for the finals in the doubles to-day, defeating Power and Cole 6-2, 6-4. The playing of the Victorians, including Miss Arrowsmith, has been particularly strong and steady all through the tourney, winning for them the unqualified commendation of the local players and press. To-day's match in the singles wins for Mr. Foulkes besides the championship the magnificent challenge cup presented by the Post-Intelligencer.

THE HOME CLUB HANDICAP.

To-morrow and every day thereafter for ten days at the least, the courts of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club on Belcher street will be bright with pretty summer costumes and radiant with active fashionable life—the club handicap singles opening Monday and continuing through the week, to be followed by the open tournament that is now looked upon as the chief event of the year in Northwest tennis circles. The courts have been closed for several days past, during which the ground man has not been idle, and in consequence they are in admirable condition for the work to be put upon them. This from the number and standing of the players that are entered for the handicap promises to be close and exciting. Here is the list:

C. J. Prior (rec. 15)—a bye.
T. H. Laundy (rec. ½ 30)—a bye.
R. Harvey (rec. ½ 15) vs. O. H. Van Millingen (rec. 30).
A. W. Jones (rec. 30) vs. Geo. C. Johnston (rec. ½ 15).
R. Dunsmuir (rec. ½ 30) vs. H. B. Haines (rec. 15).
A. J. O'Reilly (rec. ½ 30) vs. F. B. Pemberton (rec. 30).
J. M. Miller (rec. ½ 15) vs. J. D. Pemberton (rec. ½ 30).
J. F. Foulkes (owes 30) vs. A. T. Goward (owes ½ 15).
F. T. Cornwall (rec. ½ 30) vs. B. H. T. Drake (rec. 15).
Harvey Combe (owes 15) vs. G. E. Parkes (rec. ½ 30).
G. H. Barnard (rec. 15) vs. A. P. Luxton (rec. 30).
C. R. Longe [owes 30] vs. E. A. Jacob [rec. ½ 15].
S. Y. Wootton [rec. 30] vs. J. A. Rithet [scratch].
F. B. Ward—a bye.
T. E. Pooley—a bye.
W. T. Williams—a bye.

To-morrow afternoon the following will be played:

G. H. Barnard v. A. P. Luxton, and C. R. Longe v. E. A. Jacob, at 5:15; and S. Y. Wootton v. J. A. Rithet, and F. T. Cornwall v. B. H. T. Drake, at 4:15.

THE WHEEL.

HOLDING THE TWO-MINUTE CLIP.

LONDON, July 25.—The 24 hour race for professionals was suspended an hour this afternoon while Chase and Walters made a successful attempt to lower the tandem record for one hour. In that time they rode 30 miles 855 yards. Goodwin won in the amateurs' race for the Cuca cup. Hunt finished second and Pepper third. The records of the riders in the professional race at the finish were as follows: Hurey, 460 miles; Nelson, 414 5 laps; Buffet, 354 3 laps; and Lebruo, 280 2 laps. The others did not finish.

A NEW STAR ASCENDANT.

TORONTO, July 24.—Cecil Elliott, of Toronto, won the mile open professional at the Ingersoll bicycle meet to-day, beating out champions McLeod and Davidson.

TO TRY FOR A CENTURY.

The first century trial yet arranged in British Columbia will, it is expected, be brought off on the 8th of August, under the auspices and rules of the newly formed Canadian Road Club. Several routes have been proposed, including that to Rocky point and return, to and from Sidney, and between Duncan and Alberni, but no choice will be made until the district centurion has had opportunity of obtaining the views of all probable aspirants for century honors on the subject. Under the rules the hundred miles must be ridden within 10 hours (if by men), or 14 hours (if by lady cyclists). The consent or acquiescence of the highway authorities is necessary, and rigid rules to ensure the validity of times or records are provided.

CRICKET.

VOLUNTEERS DEFEAT THE NAVY.

The match played on the canteen field yesterday between the Fifth Regiment and Navy elevens proved very interesting, the citizen soldiers winning by 17 runs in the first innings. Captain Drake elected to bat first, and the first three wickets fell in rapid succession for two runs. When T. R. Futcher joined W. York a good stand was made, the fourth wicket going for 33 runs. B. H. T. Drake was next in and treated the spectators to a fine exhibition of free hitting, making 28 in fine style. Scholefield contributed a useful 10, and the innings closed for 103. The Navy went in to the bowling of McTavish and W. York; Captain Adair was chief scorer, making 26 in rattling good style, while Mainprice and Homer were the only others to reach double figures, with 10 each. The Navy innings closed for 86. Appended are the scores:

FIFTH REGIMENT C.C.

A. Maclean, b Backhouse	1
R. C. Trimen, c Capt. Adair b Luard	0
W. York, c Luard b Backhouse	23
L. B. Trimen, c Davis b Backhouse	0
F. Futcher, c Davis b Mainprice	17
B. H. T. Drake, c Capt. Adair b Luard	28
A. Booth, b Backhouse	5
F. Futcher, run out	3
H. E. scholefield, run out	10
W. T. Williams, c Capt. Adair b Backhouse	0
J. McTavish not out	0
Extras	16
Total	103

NAVY.

Mainprice, c Williams b McTavish	10
Homer, b W. York	10
Luard, c Williams b McTavish	0
Ward, b McTavish	6
Capt. Adair, c F. A. Futcher b York	26
Fellowes, b McTavish	8
Speke, c York b McTavish	0
Ley, run out	6
Davis, c Scholefield b York	0
Ellis, b York	7
Backhouse, not out	4
Extras	9
Total	86

VICTORIA C.C. V. ROYAL MARINE ARTILLERY.

This match was played yesterday at the Barracks and ended in a drawn game in favor of the R.M.A. The ground was in fine condition and the game was most enjoyable both from the batsmen's and fielders' point of view. The Marines went in first at 2:35 p.m. and were not disposed of till a few minutes after 5 o'clock, the scoring being somewhat slow considering the excellence of the wicket. The innings closed for 163, of which Capt. Barnes made 66 by sound cricket.

At 5:15 p.m. the Victoria men went in and played a forcing game with the endeavor to obtain the runs in the hour and a quarter left to them. Wallis and Smith commenced batting and carried the score to 56 in twenty minutes before being separated, Wallis being then bowled by Barnes for a hard and quickly hit 40, including three sixes and five threes. Morley then joined Smith and the score was taken to 90, Smith then being bowled by Kelly for 33. Ninety runs had now been scored in 35 minutes, leaving 74 runs wanted to win the match. Forty minutes still remaining an attempt was made by the Victoria team to obtain the necessary runs, but the time expiring the game ended in a draw. The following is the score:

R. M. A.

Corp. Glover, c Wallis, b A. Goward	2
Gr. Frain, b Wallis	4
Capt. Barnes, c Gamble, b Fox	66
Capt. Poole c Warden, b Morley	19
Gr. Barraclough, b Warden	19
Br. Kelly, c Fox, b Warden	7
Sgt. Spong, c and b A Goward	9
Sgt. Sweet, b Fox	1
Gr. Sawyer, b Fox	0
Gr. Cannon, not out	6
Bugler Rann, b Fox	7
Lyons, c Morley, b Fox	12
Extras	11
Total	163

VICTORIA C.C.

W. Wallis, b Barnes	40
A. G. Smith, b Kelly	33
S. F. Morley, b Kelly	14
A. Scroggs, c Rann, b Barnes	2
A. T. Goward, run out	6
C. Gamble, b Kelly	2
Q. D. H. Warden, b Kelly	0
T. E. Pooley, b Barnes	4
W. P. Gooch, not out	5
G. C. Fox, c Barraclough, b Kelly	0
B. Goward, not out	0
T. H. Paterson, did not bat	0
Extras	5
Total	111

WINNIPEG CRICKET TOURNAMENT.

WINNIPEG, July 24.—(Special)—The finals in the Manitoba Cricket Association tournament were played here today between the C.P.R. cricket club of Winnipeg and the Portage La Prairie eleven. The C. P. R.'s scored forty-four in their first innings, with Portage seventy. The C.P.R.'s in their second declared the innings closed for ninety-five for six wickets down. Portage then went to bat and were disposed of for fifty-four runs, eight minutes before time was called. It was a most exciting finish.

THE OAR.

THE PACIFIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP.

The winner of the Duplissis-McCausland amateur scull race to take place in San Francisco on the 7th of August, will row R. N. Johnson, of Vancouver, for the championship of the Pacific Coast.

CHESS.

SIXTH ROUND OF THE TOURNEY.

NUREMBURG, July 25.—The sixth round of the international chess tournament was played in this city to-day, the pairing being as follows: Charusek vs. Steinitz; Blackburne vs. Tarriasch; Leichmann vs. Janowski; Showalter vs. Walbrodt; Winawer vs. Porges; Schallopp vs. Albin; Marocsy vs. Pillsbury; Marco vs. Schiffers; Sachlechter vs. Lasker; Tschigorin, a bye. Up to the time of adjournment the results arrived at were the following: Albin beat Schallopp in a French defence after 26 moves; Marocsy beat Pillsbury in a 4-K after 34 moves; Sachlechter and Lasker drew a Scotch gambit after 21 moves.

BASEBALL.

IT WAS A GREAT GAME.

The Port Angeles Stars dropped in all unexpected on their Victoria friends and rivals yesterday, and although the notice was uncommonly short the Maple Leaves succeeded in getting together a team that worthily defended the honor of the club in an interesting match at Beacon Hill. It was largely a pitcher's battle, the batteries on both sides doing most effective work and the game being so stubbornly contested at all quarters that an extra inning was required to decide it—the final half of the ninth finding the score 1—1. That extra inning enabled the visitors to reverse the verdict of the 4th of July match over the Straits, a lucky run by Gubbins doing the work. Both teams put up practically errorless ball for juniors, and well deserved the applause that was liberally accorded by the spectators during the progress of the game. The score by innings is appended:

Stars	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2
Maple Leaves	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

"NEWSBOYS" AND "BAYS."

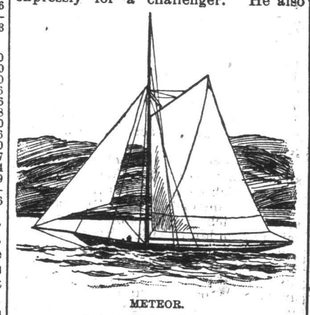
Mr. Jack Smith umpired a very good game yesterday between the Newsboys and the James Bay nine, which ended in a victory for the Newsboys on a score of 22 to 14. Allen pitched a good game for the victors, striking out 10; while Northcott did fair work for the Bays, with a record of 4 struck out.

YACHTING.

THE "METEOR" AGAIN A WINNER.

KINGSTOWN, July 23.—The Emperor William's Meteor won the fifty mile race under the auspices of the Royal Yacht Club to-day. The Ailsa won the second prize. The Britannia and Satanita also sailed in this race.

Notwithstanding the denials, semi-official and otherwise, of Lord Lonsdale's reported statement at the launch of the Meteor that the Emperor of Germany would challenge for the America's cup in case she proved faster than the Britannia, the Clyde correspondent of the Boston Globe says the representative of the Emperor was very frank and unconditional in his statement. He said that it has been an open secret on the Clyde for months that the Meteor was building expressly for a challenger. He also



METEOR.

announced that Richard Allen of Glasgow had been selected to come over as the Emperor's representative on board the Meteor. The success already attained by the Meteor in her races with the Britannia and other crack British yachts makes it still more probable that she may try conclusions with a representative American craft. If the Emperor should challenge, the American yacht would have some stiff work cut out for her, for the Meteor is a swift and sturdy craft.

NOT WITHIN THE TIME LIMIT.

The Noreen, Capt. Mulcahy; the Viola, Capt. Langley; the Gee Whizz, Capt. Gore; and the Annie, Capt. Neaves, were the only starters in yesterday's Class B yacht race. These sailed over the entire course but stayed out ten minutes beyond the time limit and will therefore be obliged to sail the race over again, Tuesday evening, at 6 o'clock, when all the craft which entered for yesterday's event will be eligible to compete. The yachts got a good breeze soon after starting yesterday and everything went pleasantly until opposite the lighthouse on the return when for half an hour they were becalmed. The Noreen led home, the Gee Whizz followed, and then came the Viola. This was the first time the Viola has been out since she received her new set of sails and she worked splendidly.

THE TURF.

VICTORIA'S SUMMER MEETING.

Every stable was out in full force at the track yesterday morning. Galbraith gave Black Prince a fast quarter; Wyanashott, after a slow gallop, was sent a pipe-opener over the mile; Bertie Powell was given walking exercise and then went a half in 55. The sorrel mare went fairly well. Gannon gave Messina walking exercise, the two year old looking in fine condition. Compton gave Wag good work over three-quarters of a mile. Millington had Elsie and Mayflower out, both the Victoria mares reflecting great credit on their trainer by their excellent appearance. Williams gave Mink three miles better than 2:30. Johnson jogged Traveller Wilkes, and then sent him two good miles. He only gave Snohomish Boy two slow miles, the fast bay gelding not being at his best. His forelegs is sore, and it will be two or three days before he can do fast work. Stanley takes his string to the track to-day, and this experienced trainer may be relied upon to have his horses well to the front next week. The meeting promises to be the most successful ever held here.

The following is the programme of the summer race meeting at the Driving Park on Friday and Saturday next, July 31 and August 1:

FIRST DAY.

Purse, $100; ⅝ mile; all ages. Weight for age.

Purse, $100; 1 mile; all ages. Weight for age.

For horses nominated by members of the enclosure:

Purse, $150; 1 mile and repeat; all ages. Weight for age.

Plate, $50; ½ mile; polo ponies. To carry 150 pounds each.

SECOND DAY.

Purse, $200; free-for-all; trotting and pacing; 3 in 5.

Purse, $150; 1¼ miles, over five hurdles. Handicap.

Purse, $100; ½ mile and repeat; all ages. Weight for age.

Purse, $150; 1¼ miles; all ages. Weight for age.

Entries close to B. J. Perry, secretary of the Driving Park, on Wednesday, July 29, at 6 p.m.

CANTERBURY PILGRIM WINS.

LIVERPOOL, July 23.—Lord Derby's three-year-old Canterbury Pilgrim won the Liverpool cup to-day. Lord William Beresford's Paris III was 2nd; Mr. J. Wallace's Spook, 3rd. Mr. Richard Croker's Santa Anita was not placed.

At Huntington, England, to-day the race for the Apethorpe Welter plate of 100 sovereigns, one mile, resulted in a walkover for Mr. E. Wishard's b.g. Wishard, three years old.

TORONTO, July 24.—During a gale on Wednesday night a skiff containing W. Darby and Miss Jennie Thompson, was driven into the lake off Victoria park. There are no tidings and it is feared that both are drowned.

SENIOR LACROSSE.

Vancouver Succeeds After a Hard Struggle in Winning From the Capitals.

A Great Crowd of People at Caledonia Park to See the Game.

The series of victories which the Capitals have hitherto enjoyed this season was broken yesterday by Vancouver winning the senior lacrosse match by a score of five to three. It was the better combination play of their team that won the day for Vancouver. It was a vital match for the Terminal City team, and they had worked hard to get their men in good shape. The way in which play started off it looked as if the pace was too fast to last, but the game was hot and spirited throughout. There was a big crowd of people present and as the games were short and the score kept close till near the end the spectators were kept at fever pitch throughout and shouted their appreciation of some fine bits of play and encouraged the men to greater exertion. The ground was rather hard and the turf would have been the better for an occasional watering to keep the grass in better condition, still the field was very fair taking it altogether, and the weather was pleasantly cool.

The teams were the same as published yesterday morning, and the referee, Mr. H. Senkler, placed the ball for the first game at 3:25. Messrs. R. L. Drury and S. D. Schultz were behind the flags. Victoria did not seem to be as good at combination as Vancouver, and there were several weak spots in their play. Coldwell, for instance, was too much away from the goal, and two or three of the team seemed off their play. Bland, Schnoter and R. Campbell were specially noticeable for combination play, while the whole Vancouver home played into each others hands well, Quigley, Williams and Campbell doing the shooting on the flags.

In the first game Vancouver set a hot pace and Victoria was for a few minutes strictly on the defence. Then the scene shifted to the other end, Snider doing good checking while the home tried to score. Suckling and Miller were, however, too sharp and the ball came up field again. The play was very fast and excitement ran high, though neither team had quite settled down to steady play. The Vancouver defence closed in on their flags when danger threatened, but the Capitals' defence were not so cautious and allowed themselves to be strung out with the result that Hawman improved his opportunity and scored first game for Vancouver; time 4 minutes.

From a scrimmage in centre Vancouver carried the ball down field. Ken Campbell threw on the flags and the ball rolled quietly through almost before anyone was aware of it. Second game for Vancouver in 30 seconds.

The third game opened with a beautiful run from centre by Dave Smith, of the Vancouvers, and a few minutes later the visitors nearly scored on a combination of Smith, Williams and Campbell. Tite did some good work for the Capitals, and one or two long shots were caught and returned from near centre field by Stewart Campbell, who played very steadily. Jimmy Bland settled things by a pretty run up field and a cool shot that went between the flags before the Vancouver defence could close in. Time, 5 minutes.

It was a day of short games and the next goal came very near going to the visitors. Belfrey, hard pressed in the defence, dropped the ball backwards to Coldwell, but the latter was off to one side and Williams, running in, caught up the ball and made a shot on the flags with no one to stop him. As luck would have it, he was just a couple of feet too far to the side to get an opening and did not score. Tite relieved, and a few moments after Stewart Campbell passed up field to Bland, and with a second hot long shot Victoria's second goal was scored. Time, 5 minutes.

With an even score the excitement was well kept up, as so far it was anyone's game. The fifth game was the longest of the day—8 minutes—and stops had to be made for Frank Cullin, who got a nasty crack on the arm, and Schnoter, who got one in the wind. A little combination between Dave Smith, Williams and Quigley won this goal for Vancouver, Quigley, after two shots, putting the ball through in 8 minutes.

The sixth game was very short. The ball was worked to the visitors' end, and Schnoter shot and scored. Time, 2 minutes.

Without taking the usual rest play was resumed, and with a combination of Ken. Campbell, Quigley and Hawman the ball went to Williams, who scored again for Vancouver. Time, 2 minutes.

There remained only 23 minutes to play and to win Victoria had to score twice, while Vancouver was determined to hold the advantage it had gained. Victoria opened with a determined attempt, but the visitors had the best of it. C. L. Cullin once saved a goal by rushing out and checking Wright just in time, and Coldwell made a good stop in the flags of a hard shot from Ken. Campbell. Campbell soon after passed to Williams, who scored again for Vancouver. Time, 6 minutes.

There only remained 7 minutes time and Victoria had now to play altogether on the offensive. A little bout of fisticuffs between Snider and J. Quann resulted in both being sent to the fence to cool their heads and nothing else happened up to time.

When all is said the match went to the best team. However, the Capitals need not grudge one match, and the result will be that, now Vancouver has a fighting chance for the pennant, the interest will be kept up better than if Victoria was a sure winner.

SUMMARY.

Game.	Won by	Scored by	Time.
1	Vancouver	Hawman	4 min.
2	Vancouver	K. Campbell	30 secs.
3	Victoria	Bland	5 min.
4	Victoria	Bland	5 "
5	Vancouver	Quigley	8 "
6	Victoria	Schnoter	2 "
7	Vancouver	Williams	2 "
8	Vancouver	Williams	6 "

THE LEAGUE STANDING.

Team.	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Victoria	5	4	1
Vancouver	5	3	2
Westminster	4	0	4

NANAIMO INTERMEDIATES DISBAND.

The intermediate lacrosse match which the Nanaimo lacrosse club were to have played at Brockton Point yesterday with the Beavers, of Vancouver, did not come off, as Nanaimo forfeited. The cause of this was that the Nanaimo club has disbanded owing to a want of support by the public of the Coal City, the Free Press giving the following as the reason for the collapse:

"This course was rendered inevitable owing to the disgusted resignation of the members of the executive, public neglect, and the general demoralization of the players. So there will be no more lacrosse this season, and the citizens have only themselves to thank for this state of affairs, since had they accorded the club even moderate encouragement no such result would have been entailed. But they have all along regarded with profound indifference praiseworthy efforts of the club to promote legitimate sport in our midst, and now enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that for this season at least they have nipped this object in the bud."

THE CITY.

POOR Haggerty, the unfortunate half-wit who has been the butt of all the inconsiderate practical jokers about town during recent weeks, will be again admitted to the asylum as soon as there is room in that institution for him. In the meantime he is being properly cared for at the provincial jail.

THE Victoria & Sidney railway carried three carloads of happy youngsters and their parents and friends to Sidney yesterday to enjoy the St. James Sunday school picnic. The children amused themselves all day eating, playing and bathing, and the grown-up people also put in a very enjoyable time.

THE following commissioned officers of Canton Victoria No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, I.O.O.F., were installed last evening by Past Captain A. Henderson: Captain, J. Sears; lieutenant, A. G. Day; ensign, C. W. Ross; clerk, F. A. Billingsley; accountant, J. Smith, and standard bearer, W. H. Huxtable.

A FINE nugget of gold from the North Fork of the Quesnelle river was sold in this city last Friday for $130, and it is worthy of note that several nuggets have recently been unearthed in the same district, worth from $10 to $70. A gentleman in Quesnelle Forks had almost a handful, ranging from $3 to $5 each, a few weeks ago.

C. MARKER, of the Dominion dairy commissioner's staff, left this morning for Chilliwack, where he will assist in getting the new creamery started. He will join Mr. Ruddick at Agassiz in the beginning of August, and from there they will visit the various farming districts of the province with a travelling dairy similar to that which was in Victoria last year.

WAN ON PONG, the Chinese military attache, who with his interpreter, Leong Poon, arrived on the steamship Tacoma on Friday, called upon several of the leading men of the city yesterday. He is the guest of Lee Mong Kow, customs interpreter, and intends remaining in the city for a few days. His next move will be to San Francisco, whence he goes to New York to meet Li Hung Chang.

ALTHOUGH yesterday was rather too chilly to be an ideal picnicking day, the boys and girls of the Congregational Sunday school were so busy enjoying themselves that they never once thought of it. They had selected Cadboro Bay as the place of their jollification and the "Young America" conveyed them to and from that pretty resort, where they passed a thoroughly delightful afternoon.

THE Chief Justice yesterday gave judgment on the argument heard last week on the reference as to the amount of damages due to the sealer Beatrice for her seizure and detention in Behring Sea last year. The judgment allows damages on a catch of 720 skins for the season less the amount realized for 202 skins which the schooner had aboard when she was seized, and certain other small deductions.

MR. WM. JENSEN has returned from a trip to Valdez, Therlow and Chenn islands and to Frederic and Phillips Arm, above Bute inlet. At each of the places visited he says gold mining is extensively going on, work being advanced night and day with highly satisfactory results. Gold claims are being discovered nearly every day, and there is no doubting that a second Kootenay is on the eve of springing up in that section of the country. The mines, Mr. Jensen says, are being operated mainly by Vancouverites and Americans and very little is heard of them.

PROVINCIAL CONSTABLE HOOSON, of Rossland, had a narrow escape from drowning on Wednesday, while attempting to save a Chinaman who had jumped into the Columbia river. The Chinaman, an old man, recently arrived and without money, was travelling on the steamer Nakusp from Trail. When near the Wigwam he deliberately jumped into the swift-flowing waters of the Columbia. Constable Hooson, who happened to be a passenger, sprang overboard to the rescue. The Chinaman was drowned and Hooson with great difficulty managed to get ashore with the help of a buoy that was flung to him from the steamer.

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Provincial Organization Reported Upon Adversely by the Synod Committee.

The Diocese Divided Into Two Rural Deaneries, Victoria and Nanaimo.

The proposal first put forward some two years ago to complete the organization of the Anglican church in this province by the formation of a British Columbia archbishopric, has for the present at least been laid on the shelf, the recent session of the synod deciding that the time is not yet ripe for so important a step. A committee had since the 1895 meeting of the synod been looking into the subject, and it was on the recommendations contained in their report that action was taken.

There is now one general synod of the Church of England in Canada, the Eastern provinces being divided into the archbishoprics of Canada and Rupert's Land. Two propositions were considered relative to British Columbia, the one being to affiliate with Rupert's Land, which was deemed not to be feasible, and the other to form the three dioceses west of the mountains, Columbia, Westminster and New Caledonia—into one independent organization, which also was pronounced inexpedient by the committee in view of the few churches and scattered character of the dioceses.

Acting on the suggestion contained in the annual address of the Bishop, the committee to which this document was referred reported to the synod in favor of the early division of the diocese into two rural deaneries, of Victoria and Nanaimo, with lay representation in the chapters, and this having been approved by the synod will shortly be carried into effect. Other advances in the diocesan work arising out of the suggestions in His Lordship's address include the formation throughout the diocese of branches of the Men's Help Society and St. Andrew's Brotherhood, the former of which will first have a trial here in the parish of St. James; the appointment of a diocesan committee on temperance with a view to the promotion of parochial branches of the Church of England Temperance Society, the Bishop being requested to name the committee; the formation of a diocesan Sunday school organization; and the establishment as speedily as possible of missions on Gabriola and Denman islands and at Alberni.

The Quebec system of administering the mission funds of the diocese and for the maintenance of the clergy in the various parishes, has been adopted here on the distinct understanding that it is only applicable to such parishes as may voluntarily come into its operation, except in the case of vacancies and new parishes, which will be required to conform to its rule.

THE I.O.O.F., Board of Union, consisting of five members each from Victoria, Columbia and Dominion lodges, met in the library adjoining the hall last evening, when, it being the first meeting of the new board, officers were elected as follows: James Pope, president; Fred. Davey, secretary; Walter Walker, treasurer; J. York, J. H. Meldram and R. A. Anderson, trustees; James Pottinger, A. McKeown and E. Bragg, auditing committee. The meeting nights of the board were fixed for the second Saturdays in September, December, March and June.

NO NEWS came yesterday of any further damage by bush fires and it appears that the fire has about burned itself out on the Island. By this time it is expected that hydraulicing on the Duke of York claim at Alberni is in full swing again, as Mr. G. A. Kirk had a telegram stating that the monitors would be at work again yesterday. The telegraph went down last night, but whether due to fires in the woods or not has not yet been ascertained. From Vancouver word is received that the forest fires are increasing in area, although no further reports of very serious damage are at hand. The smoke on the lower Fraser is so dense that it is difficult to navigate the river.

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