WIND-UP OF THE

Victoria Will Meet a Combined Team at the Hospital Grounds Today.

STRONG ELEVEN HAS BEEN SELECTED

A Brilliant Scene at the Dance Given by Local Club Last Evening.

The grand cricket fournament that has been in progress throughout the week, will be brought to a close this afternoon at the Hospital grounds, when the Victoria winner of the championship will meet a team selected from the players of the other teams. This game is expected to prove the most evenly postested of any that have been played during the week. The Victoria team has proved to be in a class by itself, and none of the visiting clubs have been able to lower their colors, and the supporters of the local club are naturally anxious to see their team go against the best that can be selected from the players who are in the city. The players also are desirous of trying conclusions with the best that can be got together, and an interesting match is expected. In order that all the enthusiasts may have the opportunity of witnessing the

The Championship Cup

lich has been donated by Mr. C. A. Haron of the Dominion hotel, will be pretied to the Victoria club. This intering part of the tournament will take
to on the grounds, and all present will
able to witness the presentation. As
additional feature, the Fifth Regiment
and has been engaged, and will be presduring the afternoon. With good
ather, good cricket, along with the
sic, there should be a big crowd present
encourage the players on to victory.
The result of this tournament has
ught cricket very much to the notice
many people in this city who have
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soin the club as abordary members well as active players, and many who have not belonged to the club in the past will now be seen on the list of honorary members.

Last evening the local club gave a flamel and calleo dance

At the A. O. U. W. Hall in honor of their visitors, and to say that the affair was a success is putting it mildly. The large room had been very neatly decorated, the master hands of the laddes of the hockey club being much in evidence, and with the many different colors of the local and visiting teams, the hall presented a beautiful picture. The decorations were not the only part of the arangements that were in charge of the laddes, and the many pretty cosy corners were not overlooked, and here many of the tired cricketers told how he would have made a century "if" he had not been caught, or "if" the bowler had not been caught, or "if" he had not been caught, or "if" he had not been caught, or "if" he bowler had not been caught, or "if" he poor umpire for calling him out. It is needless to say that these portions of the hall were as much patronized as any other, and the sympathles and good wishes that were exchanged will urge the players to do their best to win the game today.

The merry makers began to arrive early, and it was shortly after 9 o'clock when the orchestra, under the leadership of Miss

BIG LUMBER BLAZE.

Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 24.—Hurd Broi lumber yard on the Blackwell cans was destroyed by fire tonight. Thy yard contained over 2,000,000 feet lumber, valued at \$75,000.

DOCK DEWEY UTILIZED.

States navy department has been informed by cable that the floating dock Dewey was utilized at Olongapo, Manila Bay, for the first time, when the army transport Meade was docked there yesterday.

BOVERIC ARRIVES.

The steamer Boveric of Andrew Weir & Co., from Sydney, Cape Breton, with a cargo of steel rails for the Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern railway construction arrived at Seattle yesterday morning. The rails are intended for railway work in British Columbia. They will be discharged at Seattle and shipped overland.

week on the Banner claim, situated or

the province who has returned to Vic toria after a visit to Vancouver, again saved the day for provincial agricultur ists by holding up at Victoria a ship-

the sacks and the infection would have been carried all over the province. When I explained the situation, the authorities of the steamship company consented to hold the rice over till a time when it could be shipped without danger of infecting other goods.

"This rice, twenty-two hundred sacks in all, reached Victoria from Japan on the steamship Aki Maru. I inspected it there, and found it infected with weevll and the larvae of the engounois grain moth, a terribly destructive insect. I ordered all the rice to be sent to Vancouver for fumigation, and it will arrive here next week."

Clock" which ticked steadily on for ever so many years, so much a part and feature of "Grandfather's" household that "It stopped never to go again, when the old man died"? Following a little along the same lines, is the incident of rehigh

ment presented as any short, and in the characteristic production is all productions and the control of the characterist production is all productions and the control of t

have been done. The formation is said to be similar to that of Franklin. Recent discoveries of large iron cape on the lower slopes of the mountains on the east side of the north fork have tended to revise former opinion respects ing the size of the local mineral belt. Until last year it was supposed that it was useless to look for good ground outside of McKinley and Banner mountains and Mineral Hill, all being west for the river. This fedinson was first shattered when Hanson Bros. of Grand Forks found pay ore on one of their group of four claims occupying the diwds between the river valley and the divide between the river valley and the local fine to the when extended further to the fed to be when extended further to the surface showing at a depth of control feet. The face of the tunnel is minor cap and a thirty foot tunnel is minor cap and a thirty foot tunnel is the state of the surface of the tunnel is minor cap over 125 feet wide. Mineral, principally copper, occupia in number of shallow open cuts.

In the same belt, Neil McCallum, P. T. McCallum and James Little, of Grand Forks, have located the Copper King group. A tunnel already started will crosscut the showing at depth. As the formation is the same as in the main mineral belt across the river claim owners on Hanson mountain feel greatly encouraged over their prospects.

JAPANESE RICE IS

INFECTED WITH WEEVIL

Thos. Cunningham Fruit Inspector for the contingham, fruit inspector for the counting for the continued on severe and dance. The local capture of the programme was followed by a band selection for the second of the control of the mountain. John Holmes, of Grand Forks, owns the Sil-level of the second of the se

YACHTSMEN'S NARROW ESCAPE Several Men Nearly Drowned During Storm at Atlantic City.

Antlantic City, Aug. 24.—During a severe northeast storm, one person was drowned and seven others had narrow escapes from death. The drowned man was Louis Simpkins, formerly of Phila delphia. He and two companions were on a fishing trip in a launch off Brigantine city when they were caught in a whirlpool, caused by cross currents and the storm.

Johnson handsomely.

Later Thomas and Howard Butler, sons of Congressman Butler, of Pennsylvania, were rescued from drowning by the government life saving crew after their little boat had been overturned in a heavy sea.

Rupert, the Pacific terminal of the new transcontinental, which is to be the latest model city of the world, is going ahead very rapidly. Already a dock has been completed, and freight and passenger steamers are calling there; while a mile away an immense sawmill is being constructed by a British Columbia company, to supply lumber ties for the construction work. It is expected that by next spring the actual laying of steel out of the new city will commence. A government party is

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Also Rulers, Rubber Erasers, Erasit, Penholders, Pens, Lead Pencils, Slate Pencils, Pencil Boxes, etc.

Agreement is Entered Into by Which City Becomes Principal Terminal.

Edmonton, Aug. 23.—A special meeting of the city council was called last night to execute the agreement between the city of Edmonton and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, providing for the entrance of the company's line into the city. The agreement has been made for some time, but the council have been trying to secure a right-of-way south of the Canadian Northern at a minimum cost for the location of the company's tracks. The city had from May until July 1 to purchase the property, and after that the nowes the report of the Company's Camp The Company's Camp

of the Canadian Northern Railway's right-of-way from the east side of river lot 14 to First street and the H. B. reserve. The city agrees to use its influence in establishing a union station. If no such agreement is effected by January, 1907, the company shall before July 31, 1907, procure a site within the limits of Kinistino avenue and Sixth street and erect a station. The city grants the right to the company to lay tracks on the south 40 feet of Mackenzie avenue as it exists or may be extended westerly to a distance of 1200 feet, and to operate from such tracks switches and sidings upon al-

The Company's Camp The company agrees that upon the acquisition by the city of the 33-footight of way south of the Canadian

houses.

A bylaw was passed through all its stages empowering the mayor and secretary of the city of Edmonton to sign and execute the agreement.

A Big Increase

Henry Fraser has disposed of 114 acres adjoining the Norwood subdivision and extending north from Rat Creek to the city limits, to Messrs. McDougail. Second and York, for \$85,000. About a year ago the property was offered to the present purchasers for \$35,000. This remarkable increase in value is in a large measure due to the fact that the Grand Trunk Pacific has completed arrangements for placing their terminal yards just north of the city limits.

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NOTICE.

WIII EDWIN ROBERTS, or anyone

who knows where he is, kindly com unicate at once with A. G. HOWARD POTTS

VICTORIA. B. C.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE 1 intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate on Skeena River, two miles below Skeena Canyon, and adjoining J. T. Pheian's property, and beginning at a post planted and marked S. B. Johnson's initial post, thence East 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence North 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Skeena Canyon, B. C., June 29, 1906.

S. B. JOHNSON.

je30 J. W. Graham, Agent.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

To Elizabeth Beer and Jessica Beer:
TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register Charles Edward Cooper as owner in fee simple of the East-erly part of Lot 71, Block G, Victoria West, under a Tax Sale Deed from the Copporation of the City of Victoria, dated the 25th day of September, 1905, and you are each required to contest the claim of said Tax purchaser within twenty-one days from the first publication hereof.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, this 18th day of July, 1906.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

S. Y. WOOTTON, First published the 24th day of August, VOL. XLVII

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