

WIND-UP OF THE CRICKET TOURNEY

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 tournament that has been in progress throughout the week will be brought to a close this afternoon at the Hospital grounds, when the Victoria winner championship will meet a team selected from the players of the other teams.

Big Match of the Tournament this will be the only game that will be played, and it is expected that a good crowd will be out to witness the struggle.

The attendance on Thursday during the game for the championship was very large, but it is expected that a record will be broken today. The team to represent Victoria will be the same that played in the first match.

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The result of this tournament has brought cricket to the notice of many people in this city who have hitherto been indifferent.

Last evening the local club gave a dance and called 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 merry makers began to arrive early and it was shortly after 9 o'clock when the orchestra, under the leadership of Miss Thain, struck up "The Mermaid" for

The Opening Waltz and till the supper intermission arrived they were very happy.

The floor was in fine condition and was all that could be desired.

Light refreshments were served at mid-night when dancing was resumed.

An innovation that did much towards the success of the evening was the large electric fan that had been placed in position.

Two More Games Played one at Oak Bay, where the Burrows defeated Nelson, and the other at the Hospital grounds, where Washington defeated Portland.

Portland went first to bat, and were all out for 28 runs, which it were made by Shipley, he being the only player to reach double figures.

Portland won the first innings match, following in the score in yesterday's match: Portland—First Innings

Score table for Portland—First Innings with columns for Runs, Wickets, Overs, and Minutes. Total score is 75 runs.

Score table for Seattle—First Innings with columns for Runs, Wickets, Overs, and Minutes. Total score is 20 runs.

Table with columns for Names and Scores: Clarke, Cummings, Lawrence, Cameron, Smith, Lyons, Wingate, Lawrence, Andrews, etc.

Table titled ANALYSES with columns for Runs, Wickets, Overs, and Minutes for Washington and Portland.

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BIG LUMBER BLAZE. Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 24.—Hurd Bros. lumber yard on the Blackwell canal, was destroyed by fire tonight.

DOCK DEWEY UTILIZED. Washington, Aug. 24.—The United 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 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.

Great Specialists in Stomach Catarrh. Though often they fail to give even temporary relief, Mr. W. Seymour of Huntville, Ont., cured himself with Ferrozene.

NEWS OF GRAND FORKS. Diamond Drilling Operations to Be Started on Banner Mountain. Grand Forks, Aug. 21.—Diamond drilling operations will be started this week on the Banner claim, situated on the southern slope of Banner Mountain.

Frightened by a Clock. Who has not read that old poem, which, if I mistake not, has also a musical setting, about "Grandfather's Clock" which ticked steadily on for ever so many years, such a part and feature of "Grandfather's" household that "It stopped never to go again, when the old man died?"

CELEBRATED ARTIST DEAD. Paris, Aug. 24.—Alfred Stevens, the celebrated Belgian painter, died here today. He was born in May, 1825.

THEY GIVE WONDERFUL HEALTH. None are so healthy, so buoyant and full of life and energy, as those who have taken Hamilton's Pills.

LOSS QUARTER OF MILLION. Nearly an Entire Block in New York Burned Yesterday.

JUMPING WITH NERVE PAIN. That's how you feel with neuralgia. But why lie awake at night, grumble or complain about a headache, neuralgia, or toothache, when Dr. Foster's Kidney Pills will cure them all.

have been done. The formation is said to be similar to that of Franklin. Recent discoveries of large iron clogs on the lower slopes of the mountains on the east side of the north fork have tended to revise former opinion respecting the size of the local mineral belt.

Until last year it was supposed that it was useless to look for good ground out of the side of McKintley and Banner mountains and Mineral Hill, all being west of the river. This delusion was first shattered when Hanson Bros. of Grand Forks found pay ore on one of their lower slopes of the range forming the divide between the river valley and the Arrow lakes. They have the characteristic geology of the McKintley and Gloucester mines. The workings comprise a deep open cut sunk in an iron cap and a thirty foot tunnel intended to be when extended further to tap the surface showing at a depth of 150 feet. The face of the tunnel is mineralized.

Further up the mountain, John Holmes, of Grand Forks, owns the Silver Butte group which is traversed by an iron cap over 125 feet wide. Mineral, principally copper, occurs in a number of shallow open cuts.

In the same belt, Neil McCallum, P. T. McCallum, 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 vein belt across the river claim owned by Hanson mountain, these greatly encouraged over their prospects.

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They are exactly as good as the new fall curtains, but being sold down to two or three pairs of a kind, we want them out before the new ones arrive.

Several Men Nearly Drowned During Storm at Atlantic City. Atlantic City, Aug. 24.—During a severe northeast storm, one person was drowned and seven others had narrow escapes from death. The drowned man was Louisa Gray, formerly of Philadelphia.

YACHTSMEN'S NARROW ESCAPE. Five young men who came here in the sloop yacht Virginia from Island Heights left the inlet for the return trip to Seattle on Monday night.

THE PUBLIC IS OFTEN FRAUD. Unscrupulous dealers actuated by large profits often recommend corals as "as good as Putnam's." There is only one genuine Coral Extract, that is Putnam's!

EDMONTON THE CHIEF DIVISIONAL POINT G. T. P. Agreement is Entered Into by Which City Becomes Principal Terminal.

of the Canadian Northern Railway's right-of-way from the east side of river lot 14 to First street and the H. R. C. right of way south of the railway.

The company agrees that upon the acquisition by the city of the 33-foot right of way south of the Canadian Northern Railway, to proceed at once to construct the track therein and upon the south 40 feet of Mackenzie avenue and such switches and sidings as are necessary on lanes running north and south for the accommodation of warehouses.

Henry Fraser has disposed of 114 acres adjoining the Norwood subdivision and extending from the main line to Messrs. McDougall, Second and York for \$35,000.

Where Does Consumption Begin? That first little tickle becomes a cough, the cough grows severe, is neglected and travels down in the lungs. Treat throat trouble before it gets severe.

WANTED—MALE HELP. \$12.00 PER WEEK and expenses to person of energy and good character. State references. The John C. Winston Co., Limited, Toronto. a018-1906.

CROFTON COUNTRY CLUB Duly Opened by a Concert and Dance on Thursday Evening Last.

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Wilton & Axminster Carpets. More Wilton & Axminster Carpets AT ONE DOLLAR A YD. Some Very Desirable Patterns in the selections for Tomorrow's selling. Values \$1.75 to \$2.00. MADE-UP SQUARES, Brussels, 8 only Axminster Squares, Linoleums at 50c sq. yd, Silk Furniture Coverings.

A Few More Days in which to Buy FURNITURE at August Sale Prices. Buffets, Nursery Chairs, Enamelled Iron and Brass Beds, Child's High Chairs, Reed High Chairs. BOOK AND STATIONERY DEPT. For School Opening on Monday, we have provided a large supply of School Requisites necessary for the Scholars—all at lowest possible prices.

EDMONTON THE CHIEF DIVISIONAL POINT G. T. P. 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.

The Sprott-Shaw BUSINESS UNIVERSITY VANCOUVER, B. C. Offers a Choice of 2 to 4 Positions. To every graduate. Students always in Great Demand.

White Visiting Victoria, B. C. Stay at the HOTEL VICTORIA. Which is the most centrally located and best appointed family hotel in the city. Rates, \$1.50 per day up, American plan, and 50c up, European plan.

VOL. XLVII. EVIDENCE IN CHEMICAL. Closed, and Argument in Favor of Bill Thereon Only Now. LOST STEAMER'S Was Cool at the Acc Much Excited in ing. VANCOUVER, Aug. 23.—At the opening of the inquiry on the Chem this morning, Mr. Justice was simply in the habit of stating that there may have been misapprehension of the commencement of the inquiry. He had then stated that it was simply in the habit of stating the disaster, and as it further there would be a contentiousness on counsel. This was very beginning of the inquiry light of developments in the court referred to steel take such steps as they by the act, for the cancel certificates of officers in thought necessary. He an explanation.