

Cockneys Succumb!

Worst by Hamilton, Though
Cooper Pitched.

Stratford Lost in a Good Game
With Guelph.

Opening Day of the Guelph
Spring Turf Meeting.

"Mysterious" Billy Smith Knocked Out
by the Sun—General Sporting
News.

BASEBALL.

Canadian League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	Per Ct.
London	12	3	.800
Hamilton	10	5	.667
Guelph	8	7	.533
St. Thomas	7	8	.467
Chatham	6	9	.400
Stratford	4	12	.250

Games Wednesday and Thursday—
Hamilton at St. Thomas, Guelph at
London, Chatham at Stratford.

The inevitable has happened. The
Cockneys have been beaten on their
own grounds. That was bad. They were
beaten by Hamilton. That was worse.
They were beaten through the weak-
ness of Cooper, the idol of the fans.
That was worst.

For the first six innings London played
beautiful ball. During that time,
only four hits were secured off Seiver,
and only one Hamilton player reached
third base. With the exception of a
fumble by Babbitt, and a wild throw
by Frank, the fielding was splendid.

In the fatal seventh, however, Seiver
began by giving McKevitt a charity;
Phillips went out on a pop fly, a
pitcher, and Cooper made a terrific
three-bagger, sending the ball under
the fence at center, and scoring McK-
evitt; Bradford singled to center,
bringing in Conwell and tying the
score.

Then Lohman, with fatal caution,
put Cooper in a bind. Hagerty and
Dean both singled to left field in suc-
cession, and Bradford scored on a
passed ball, pitched rather wild by
Cooper. Seiver struck out, but not be-
fore Hagerty and Dean had scored on
a wild pitch by Cooper. Elton got a
base on balls, and Congalton fouled out
to Swartz, retiring the side, and closing
an inning disastrous to London. In the
ninth, a base on balls to Dean, a two-
tapper by Schrahl, a single by Elton,
and Congalton's out to center, gave
the Hams two more runs.

London had a margin each on second
and third when the second inning closed,
and a margin on third at the end of
the third inning, but the scoring did not
begin till the fourth, when Frank reached
first on Dean's bad muff of a fly,
stole second and came in on Swartz's
beautiful ground hit to left field.

In the sixth London scored another
run. Phillips dropped a high fly from
Cope, who reached second on Frank's
sacrifice, third on a single by Swartz,
and was saved from being cut off at
the plate by Conwell's error, who in
attempting to touch him several feet
from the plate, dropped the ball.

In the ninth Cooper surprised every-
body by making a three-bagger to center.
Howell flew out to Elton, and
Mohler went out at first, Cooper scoring
without any attempt being made
to stop him. McKevitt and Babbitt
both got bases on balls, and Jones hit
safely to left. McFadden scoring. Cope
went out from Dean to Elton, and all
hope of again tying the score was at
an end. The score:

LONDON.

A.B.R.B.H.P.O.A.E.									
Hewell, c.	5	0	0	4	0	1			
Monahan, 2b.	4	0	0	4	0	1			
McFadden, 1b.	4	1	0	10	0	0			
Babbitt, s.	2	0	0	2	3	1			
Jones, i.f.	4	0	0	1	0	0			
Cope, 3b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Frank, r.f.	3	1	0	0	0	1			
Swartz, c.	4	0	2	4	1	0			
Sievers, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Cooper, p.	1	1	1	0	0	0			
	36	4	6	27	13	3			

HAMILTON.

A.B.R.B.H.P.O.A.E.									
Hagerty, 3b.	5	1	0	3	2	1			
Dean, 2b.	4	2	1	5	4	1			
Schrahl, 1b.	4	0	0	1	0	0			
Elton, i.f.	3	0	0	15	0	0			
Congalton, c.	6	0	1	1	0	1			
McFadden, r.f.	4	1	3	1	0	0			
Phillips, s.	4	1	0	3	3	1			
Conwell, c.	4	1	2	1	1	1			
Bradford, p.	4	1	1	0	0	0			
	38	7	13	27	13	6			

Stolen bases—Babbitt, Frank, Sievers, Phil-
lips.
Sacrifice hits—Frank, Elton, Phillips.
Two-base hit—Schrahl.
Three-base hit—Conwell, Cooper.
Base on balls—By Sievers, 1; by Cooper, 2; by
Bradford, 1.
Struck out—By Sievers, 1; by Cooper, 1; by
Bradford, 1.
Innings pitched—Sievers, 6; Cooper, 3.
Hits—Off Sievers, 7; off Cooper, 6.
Double plays—Cope, Mohler, McFadden;
Cope, Dean, Elton.
Wild pitch—Cooper.
Passed ball—Swartz.
Time—1:33.
Umpires—Daley.

RAIN AT CHATHAM.

The Chatham-St. Thomas game yester-
day was postponed on account of
wet grounds.

GUELPH AND STRATFORD.

Stratford, Ont., June 7.—Stratford
lost another game to Guelph yester-
day, which was withal close and ex-
citing enough to the onlookers. Um-
pire England's decisions were evident-
ly rather one-sided, and then in favor

VALUE OF CREAM

As Compared With Meat.

One of the most valuable items in one's
dietary is good, rich cream. The re-
mark is frequently made that "cream
is too expensive to use freely." Such
people think they must have meat
every day at 10 and 25 cents per
pound, and do not realize that 5 cents
worth of pure cream for breakfast will
do more to put on flesh than 25 or 30
cents worth of meat.

An ideal portion of breakfast is that
obtained from say, four teaspoons of
Grape-Nuts and a little, pure, thick
cream.

Made by the Postum Co. at Battle
Creek, Mich.
This is one of the most delicious
dishes imaginable and is served with-
out cooking or trouble of any kind
and cannot be equaled in point of food
value for the human body.

The Grape-Nuts, consisting largely of
grape-sugar have passed through pro-
cesses similar to the first act of di-
gestion and are therefore most easily
digested, and a combination of
cream, they render the cream itself
easy of digestion.

Grocers sell Grape-Nuts

the Toronto team, has been pitching
for about 22 years.
Eddy Reid, of Toronto, is going in-
to the umpire business in Chicago. He
is a twin brother of Andy Reid, the
St. Thomas backstop.

GOLF.

TAIT WINS.

London, June 7.—At the great golf-
ing contest which opened at Sandwich
yesterday for the St. George's chal-
lenge vase, Tait, holder of the cham-
pionship, won the vase by winning the
two rounds. He established a record
over the course by completing the first
round in 76. The second round was
made in 75.

FOOTBALL.

SEAFORTH VS. STRATFORD.

A football match in the senior series
of the Western Football Association
took place at Seaforth on Monday
night between Stratford and Seaforth,
resulting in favor of Seaforth 4 goals
to 1.

CRICKET.

MARYLEBONE VS. AUSTRALIA.

London, June 7.—The Australian
eleven, in the cricket match at Lords
with the Marylebone club, were all out
yesterday in their first inning for 352
runs. The home team, in the first
inning, scored 245 runs. At the close
of play yesterday the Marylebone
eleven, in their second inning, had
scored 105 runs for four wickets down.

TRIGGERS.

BUFFALO CLUB SHOOT.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 7.—Trap shoot-
ing experts from all over the United
States and Canada participated in the
state shoot, which opened here yester-
day under the auspices of the Buffalo
Audubon Club. The weather condi-
tions at the opening were about per-
fect.

FISTIC.

TWO ROUNDS.

New York, June 7.—"Bob" Arm-
strong, of Chicago, knocked out "Ed"
Leone, of Denver, in the second round
of what was to have been a ten-round
bout before the Lenox A. C.
The 20-round boxing bout between
"Mysterious" Billy Smith, of New
York, and Tommy Ryan, of Syracuse,
which was to have taken place before
the Lenox A. C. a week from last night,
will have to be postponed. While ex-
ercising on the road near College
Point, L. L. Smith was overcome by
the heat.

TURF.

TROTTERING AT GENEVA, N. Y.
Geneva, N. Y., June 7.—The Central
New York Trotting Association open-
ed here yesterday. Of the three races
scheduled only one was finished, owing
to heavy rain that fell during the day.
The betting was rather brisk, and the
bookies cleared big money.
The 2:40 trot was won in straight
heats by Bennie Sharper, of Carlton.
Ont. Best time, 2:26 1/2.

In the 2:26 pace, unfinished, Daisy
B., of Ottawa, was fifth in the first
heat, third in the second, and sixth
in the third. Best time, 2:21 1/2.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, June 7.—At the first day of
the Lingfield Park spring meeting
yesterday Lord Wm. Beresford's Lu-
tella (7 to 4), ridden by Sloan, won the
Lingfield spring two-year-old plate of
500 sovereigns. Our best horse was sec-
ond, and Mambrino third. Six horses

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.

Harlem, Chicago—Oneto, Sirdar, Sim
W. John Baker, and Yellow Tail.
St. Louis—Bell Punch, Dutch Bard.
Bit of Fashion, Fireside, Kiss Me, and
Midian.

Latonia, Cincinnati—Corales, His Ex-
cellency, Carly House and Loyalty.
Gravesend, New York—Sweet Cap-
oral, Approval, Virginia Earl, Don de
Oro, Plucky and Central Star.

THE GUELPH MEETING.

The spring meeting of the Guelph
Running and Trotting Association op-
ened yesterday. There was a good at-
tendance, and the races were close and
exciting throughout. Summary:

First race, 2:50 trotters or pacers;
purse \$150.
Anna Gould, W. Barnes
Toronto.....2 3 1 1 1
Boy, Merriham,
Fergus.....1 2 4 3 2
Currie Bal, D. L. Rapelle,
Mount Brydges.....3 1 5 6 7
Henry N., R. B. Henry,
Orangeville.....2 5 4 2 2
Jardine, Black, Blau, Joe also ran.

Second race, class 2:25, trot or pace;
purse \$175.
Leora Wright, Joseph
Lovel, Guelph.....3 4 4 1 1 1
Walter K., S. B. Kaiser,
Cookstown.....1 2 1 4 8 2
Moss, Guelph.....4 3 3 2 2 2

Time—2:24, 2:23, 2:25 1/2, 2:29 1/2, 2:25,
2:25 1/2.
Third race, class 3/4 running; purse
\$100.
Kerr & Egan, Toronto.....4 1 1
Nancy, ch. S. J. McQuillan,
Toronto.....1 2 2
Chetham, Chiquiti, Ralinder, Flori-
dan, Iona K., Lady Bratton, Boundary
Maid, The Bird, Pyramis also ran.
Time—1:04, 1:04, 1:03 1/2.

LITTLE HOPE FOR PARROTT.

Hamilton, Ont., June 7.—The efforts
of Lawyer, E. F. Parrott, the murderer of
Benjamin Parrott, the murderer of his
mother, from the gallows, have failed,
and there is now little doubt that
Parrott will suffer the extreme penalty
of the law on the 23rd of the present
month.

FROM MAYOR TO POSTMASTER.

Brantford, Ont., June 7.—At the city
council meeting, W. G. Raymond,
mayor for the past eight months,
tendered his resignation as mayor of
this city, to take effect at once. Mr.
Raymond has been appointed post-
master in this city, and resigned his
position as mayor of Brantford to de-
vote his entire attention to the duties
in the postoffice.

ANNIE FOUND.

New Britain, Conn., June 7.—Annie
Escholtz, the six-year-old girl who has
been missing since Sunday afternoon,
was found yesterday afternoon in a
clump of trees about one mile from
the place where she was last seen. The
child was alone, and seemed not to
have fared badly. It has not yet been
determined whether she was lost or
whether she was taken off by someone.

THE BEST ON EARTH.

So Says Robert Melkie About Dodd's
Kidney Pills.
London, Ont., June 5.—Robert Melkie,
a member of the staff of the Star
Dining Hall, is kept busy answering
the questions asked him by his many
friends at present. They all want to
know how he recovered from what
the doctors said, was a fatal attack
of diabetes.

And he invariably answers: Dodd's
Kidney Pills cured me, when every
other earthly means failed. They are
the only medicine on earth that can
cure Diabetes, and they do cure it
every time.

It Dodd's Kidney Pills cured Mr.
Melkie they will cure you. Try them.
Any man may make a mistake, but
none but a fool will continue in it—
Cicero.

SHAM BATTLE ON LARGE SCALE

Strategical Movements of the
First and Second Brigades.

Spectators Will Have a Splendid
View of the Evolutions.

Battle Ground Will be Along the
North Branch of the River—Grand
Military Tattoo in the Evening.

Tomorrow (Thursday) a great battle
is to be fought on the north branch of
the River Thames, a short distance
north of the city. The event will be
unique from a citizen's point of view.
All of the battalions in camp will be
formed up on the parade ground,
ready to march off at a moment's notice.
There will be a route march through the
city prior to the battle. The soldiers
will come south on Adelaide street to
Queen's avenue, thence west to Rich-
mond and north to the road which
runs back of the Ladies' College.
The Hussars will do some skirmish-
ing in this vicinity and the infantry
will be marched east to the place
where the battle will occur.
Spectators should go via Adelaide
to the fifth concession road, and thence
east to lane running south from Mr.
Dart's house. N. C. officers of the Roy-
al Canadian Dragoons will be placed
at the cross roads to assist them in
finding the best point for viewing the
operations. The commanders trust that
the citizens will not follow the line of
march, but take the Adelaide street
route to the battle ground. For those
who go Richmond street will only cut
them off from a good view and seriously
interfere with the movement of the
troops, which on this occasion will not
stop for such light obstacles as bugles
and bicycles.

An army of 10,000 men will be
ground at 8:45 a.m. No band is allowed
to play upon a divisional parade
when it is being formed up. The tac-
tical maneuver exercise ordered will
commence about 11:30 a.m. It will
be a frontal attack of the Royal
infantry upon an enemy in position
in conjunction with an attack upon the
left flank and rear of the skeleton en-
emy. The tactical maneuver exercise
will be carried out in accordance with
the following:

An advanced guard of an enemy—red
—marching from Stratford and St.
Marys upon London, Ont., has re-
ached the neighborhood of Ballymore
postoffice, approximately five miles
north of London.
An army of 10,000 men has been con-
centrated at Port Stanley and St. Thomas,
and an advance force (first division),
having been pushed forward to Lon-
don, has reached that place by march
route at 10 a.m. on Thursday, the 8th
of June.

The special idea is as follows: From
the chief staff officer, blue army, St.
Thomas, Ont. To general officer com-
manding first division, London, Ont.:
"We have information to the effect
that an advance guard of the enemy
have reached Ballymore postoffice, has
taken up a position on the right bank
of the Thames. Engage him. The
bridges over the Thames on Adelaide
street, London, and near Fanshawe
postoffice, have been blown up."

"By order."
"X. Y. Z."

Twenty rounds of blank ammunition
per man to be issued. As the troops
will not conclude the day's operation
before 1 p.m., officers commanding bri-
gades and the officer commanding the
First Hussars will be good enough to
arrange for refreshment for the men
immediately after the "cease fire"
sounds, which should be possible, be-
cause the ground and there distrib-
uted. Haversacks and water bot-
tles, filled, will be carried by those
corps having them in possession. Of-
ficers commanding brigades, and officers
commanding units, will be good enough
to make a list of the places nam-
ed, and the general scope of the tac-
tical exercise required. The stretcher
bearers of the First Infantry
Brigade will attend and take part in
the tactical maneuver exercise. The
principal medical officer, first division,
will be good enough to arrange for
casualties, and that the necessary or-
ders are given for the formation of a
collecting station. He will arrange for
manure to be pitched at a place to be
indicated to him by the D. A. A. G.
(a), which, in the absence of a bearer
company, will be used to represent the
dressing station.

The day is being looked forward to
with great expectation by both officers
and men and will undoubtedly present
a splendid spectacle.

TOMORROW EVENING.
Thursday evening, weather permit-
ting, will be the greatest night ever
seen in a military camp in this city.
Major Denison, D.A.A.G., has spared
no efforts or pains to make the big
military tattoo a great event. The fol-
lowing is the committee which has the
affair in hand, which cannot but prove suc-
cessful: Major S. A. Denison, D.A.A.G.
(a), president; Lieut.-Col. Hegler,
Twenty-Second Battalion; Surgeon-
Major Casgrain, Twenty-First Battal-
ion; Capt. Dodds, Thirtieth Battalion;
Capt. Cook, Twenty-Seventh Battal-
ion; Capt. Hobbs, First Hussars; Capt.
Hayes, Thirty-Third Battalion; Lieut.
Evans, Twenty-Second Battalion; Lieut.
Reid, Forty-Sixth Battalion.

The programme:
Gun Fire.....
First Post.....
1. Trumpeters, First Hussars.
2. Massed Buglers of the Division.
Regimental Bands assemble—21st Bat-
talion, Essex Fusiliers; 22nd Bat-
talion, the Oxford Rifles; 26th Middlesex
Battalion of Light Infantry; 27th
Lambton Battalion of Infantry; 28th
Clair Bourdoners; 28th North Battalion
of Infantry; 29th Waterloo Bat-
talion of Infantry; 30th Wellington
Battalion of Rifles; 32nd Bruce Bat-
talion of Infantry; 33rd Huron Bat-
talion of Infantry.

Pipers.....
25th Light Battalion of Infantry
March.....
Massed Bands
Fanfare.....
Bugle March.....
Massed Bands
March.....
Massed Bands
Last Post.....
2. Massed Leaf.
Last Post.....
Trumpeters and Buglers
God Save the Queen.

THE CAVALRY ATTACK.
The First Hussars put in a profit-
able day yesterday. The commanding
officer, Lieut.-Col. Gartshore, having
learned of the location of the enemy,
detached "A" squadron under Capt.
Booker, to the ground between the
western point on Dingman's Creek
and Lambeth; "B" squadron, under
Capt. Stothers, to the ground between
Lambeth and White Oak; "C" squad-
ron, under Major King, between White

A few years ago Blue
Ribbon Beryl Tea was
unknown, today it is a
household word. Why?

Bankrupt Stock of Pantings and Suitings

\$1.00 goods, single width.....	60c per yard
\$1.25 goods, single width.....	75c per yard
\$1.50 goods, single width.....	90c per yard
\$1.75 goods, single width.....	\$1.00 per yard
\$2.00 goods, double width.....	\$1.10 per yard
\$2.50 goods, double width.....	\$1.25 per yard
\$3.00 goods, double width.....	\$1.75 per yard
\$3.50 goods, double width.....	\$2.00 per yard

E. J. PETHICK,

136 DUNDAS STREET.

Oak and L. E. and D. R. Railway;
"C" squadron, under Lieut. Kinsman,
forming a base squadron at Glendale.
"A" squadron was to send one offi-
cer's patrol to Jasper postoffice; "B"
squadron was to send one officer's
patrol three and a half miles south
of Lambeth; "D" squadron were to
send one officer's patrol to Glanworth,
and at these points orders were de-
scribed and returned by mounted troopers
to Col. Gartshore at Glendale. Some
fast work was done, particularly by
Trooper Murphy, who covered seven
miles, including two stops, in an
hour and twenty minutes. On the
completion of the duties the squad-
rons retired to Glendale, where they
were met by the general and staff.
who asked Lieut.-Col. Gartshore to
repeat his orders and disposition, and
also to make his criticism; also that
of Col. Lessard, inspector of cavalry,
after which, in the presence of officers
and non-commissioned officers, the
general reviewed the events of the
day, bestowing compliments where de-
served, and making suggestions as to
the manner the service would have
been best carried out.

The day's work, though arduous,
was very interesting and instructive
to all concerned. The men were over
100 days in the saddle, and re-
turned without mishap.

CAMP NOTES.
The general reviewed the second
brigade this morning.

On Tuesday there were 42 cases
under treatment at the hospital, but
they have begun to thin out now.
Four are suffering from sun stroke.

MIDDLESEX
COUNTY COUNCIL

School Inspector H. D. Johnson Sub-
mits His Annual Report—Other
Communications.

TUESDAY.
Following is the substance of the re-
port presented by Inspector H. D. John-
son to the county council:

INSPECTORIAL DIVISION NO. 1.
To the Warden and Members of the
Middlesex County Council: Gentlemen,
I have the honor of submitting to
you my annual report on the public
schools of the western inspectorial di-
vision of Middlesex for the year 1898-
99.

The trustees' receipts during 1898
were \$1,842.89; the trustees' payments
were \$1,876.82. The increase of ex-
penditure for 1898 over 1897 was \$364.30.
This increase was mainly due to the
cost of four new school houses built
in the inspectorate during the year un-
der the large sums paid by the new un-
der sections by the sections, out of
which they were formed to adjust the
claims of the former. The balance car-
ried over to 1899 is \$9,965, an increase
of \$131. The following table shows the

EXPENDITURE BY MUNICIPAL-
ITIES.

Adelaide.....\$4,292
Caradoc.....8,515
Ekfrid.....7,887
Lobo.....5,907
Metcalfe.....3,051
Mosa.....5,015
West Williams.....2,853
Parkhill.....2,643
Strathroy.....2,218
Alisa Craig.....1,403
Glencoe.....1,593
Newbury.....907
Wardville.....907

In the above statement, Strathroy
model room is counted as an extra
school.

The average cost per room for the
inspectorate was \$475.83. Deducting the
cost of new houses and formation of
sections, the average will be about \$405
per room. Average salaries paid to
male teachers is \$358.95; to females is
\$289.24, a decrease from 1897 to the for-
mer of \$25, and to the latter of \$11.58.
In the rural sections the average sal-
ary paid shows a decrease, the female
teachers suffering the greater reduc-
tion. Keen competition is the cause.

The legislative grant for 1899 is: To
Adelaide \$263, Caradoc \$480, Ekfrid
\$334, Lobo \$336, Metcalfe \$189, Mosa
\$338, East Williams \$184, West Williams
\$162, Parkhill \$156, Strathroy \$377, Alisa
Craig \$34, Glencoe \$125, Newbury \$30,
Wardville \$41, Parkhill separate school \$17,
\$36.

For doing leaving work an addition-
al legislative grant of \$175 was receiv-
ed in the inspectorate.

Fifty male and fifty-nine female
teachers were employed during 1898, and
of these three hold first-class certifi-
cates, fifty-two hold second-class, and fifty-
four hold third-class. Fifty have received
professional training at the Normal
Schools. The number of females in-
creased six over 1897; the third-class
teachers increased two.

The school population was 7,143. There
were enrolled 3,371, 2,777 boys and 2,594
girls; 281 attended less than 20 days,
567 less than 50 days, 1,572 less than
100 days, 2,876 less than 150 days, and
99 over 200 days. There were 1,049 in

Part I, 867 in Part II, 826 in second
class, 1,151 in third class, 1,098 in fourth
class and 280 in fifth class.

AGRICULTURE.
The above ceases to be an optional
subject in the programme of studies
for public schools, and it is intended to
make it a compulsory subject for rural
schools after midsummer. The act
making these provisions may be found
in extenso by referring to the Ontario
Statutes, section 13, of the act to im-
prove the laws respecting public
schools. The present authorized text-
book is written in much simpler lan-
guage than the former one was. Many
of its chapters would furnish very suit-
able reading lessons for pupils in the
third class.