THEY'RE DOWN ON DURNAN.

LOCAL SPORTS DECLARE THAT THE RACE WAS SOLD.

Sunnyside Should Withdraw the Entry from Saratoga—Scullers Off for the National—White Wings Spread Before the Breeze at Rochester—Toronto Cricketers Beaten by Phenix of Chicago—Lacrosse, Turf, Baseball and General Sporting News.

Last Thursday morning that promising young sculler, E. Durnan, could count his aquatic friends by the hundreds. To-day his limited few will scarcely say a kind word for him. Scarcely a man can be found in the whole city who will pretend to defend the Sunnyside sculler's peculiar stroke in the first race Thursday afternoon.

Members of the C.A.A.O. Executive Committee have already secured damning evidence of crooked work. The president of the Sunnyside club has been asked to withdraw Durnan's entry at Washington. And in deference due manly sporting men in Toronto the Western club should not allow the name to stand. This city should not send out a dishonest so-called amateur to complete with upright men anywhere.

The trap was cunningly laid but most akwardly planned. Had Durnan turned pale after his fruitless effort and faltered in the double plausibility would have been given to the fake. But he pulled a sturdy scull in the last race and declared he would beat Hedley and the other ducks at Saratoga.

The talk around town yesterday was all about the dump. Mr. Laxton stopped the payment of a $100 check. Fred Mossop demanded the stakeholder to keep his money. The schemers tried to entrap Joe Rogers, but that veteran was too wide awake. The plot was laid late in the day; Durnan was late in going to the start; the schemers did not get all their money up, and other circumstances show this.

Durnan and Ryan left for Saratoga last evening on the Chicora. They took with them a double and two single shells. Joe Wright of the T.R.C. also took his shell. The Argonauts' champion senior four left on the same boat.

ROCHESTER'S L.Y.R.A. RACES.

Cinderella, Whitewings, Zelma, Vedette, Vision and Nox Win.

ROCHESTER, July 22.—The third regatta of the L.Y.R.A. circuit came off successfully here to-day under the management of the Rochester Yacht Club.

A large fleet is here, lying at the piers or anchored off the club house. All the yachts arrived on time.

The morning was bright, with the wind blowing from the southwest, and it freshened considerably until two or three o'clock, when it hauled round the north and northeast. The course was a 12-mile triangular one in the lake to the west of the mouth of the river, twice round for all except the 25-foot class and once for them.

In the first-class Oriole, Vreda, Onward and Cinderella crossed the starting time. The latter soon proceeded altogether too speedy for her rivals and drew out a long lead before the first buoy was reached, and although she carried out her topmast on the second round in getting around buoy No. 2 she kept her place and crossed an easy winner. The Vreda, who had got a new bowsprit put in at Oswego, followed the winner all round, but in spite of her accident could do no better than take second place. Onward and Oriole had a fairly close race for third place, and the former came out on top.

In the 46-foot class the Verve, White Wings and Aggie were the starters, but the Verve, who had only entered to make a second prize, dropped out almost immediately and left the Hamilton sloop and the Oakville cutter to fight it out. The former led all the way, but lost on corrected time.

In the 40-foot class Dinah and Zelma started, Yama not yet being ready for business after her accident, but the Dinah carried out her bobstay at the conclusion of the first round and gave up. The Zelma was leading at the time, and after her opponent's mishap she sailed round alone and took first prize.

Vedette and Erma were the only 30-footers, and although at first the cutter held the lugger down, yet when the weather commenced the Vedette climbed ahead and finished nearly five minutes before her rival.

Three started in the 25-foot class and all finished. Nox, the little Fife lugger, proved her speed again and was an easy victor, Salala of Hamilton second and Quicksteps third. Kelpie, Mona and Grace L. finished in the order named, but did not take a place.

In the contest of 35-footers Cyprus carried out her boom at the end of the first round, and as Majel dropped out Vision had an easy victory. She has not been officially measured this season and the result of the award depends on the measurer's certificate. Cyprus finished second.

An 18-foot skiff race between Dot and Undine resulted in favor of the former. In the evening a grand banquet was tendered to the visitors by the Rochester Yacht Club and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The following are the official times:

First Class:

	Start.	Finish.	Time El.	Time Cor.
Cinderella	10.40	2.49.45	3.59.45	3.55.28
Vreda	10.40	2.53.03	4.13.03	3.59.09
Onward	10.40	3.33.13	4.55.13	4.48.00
Oriole	10.40	3.41.57	5.01 57	5.01.57
45-foot Class:				
Verve	10.50	did not finish.		
White Wings	10.50	3.43.20	4.53.20	4.53.20
Aggie	10.50	3.45.57	4.55.57	4.49.01
40-foot Class:				
Zelma	11.00	5.13.50	5.13.50	
Dinah	11.00	did not finish.		
30-foot Class:				
Vedette	11.20	5.14.05	5.54.05	
Erma	11.20	5.16.23	5.56.23	5.57.57
25-foot Class:				
Vision	11.10	4.52.38	5.42.55	
Cyprus	11.10	3.50.48	6.40.48	
Majel	— —	did not finish.		
25-foot class:				
Nox	11.30	229.40	2.50.40	2.50.13
Salala	— —	229.45	2.59.45	2.9.29
Quicksteps	— —	233.30	3.03.30	3.0.3.30

The judges of the races were H. H. Warner, Hon. Charles S. Baker and President Max Brickner of the Chamber of Commerce. These gentlemen, together with a few invited guests and the representatives of the press, went over the course on Mr. Warner's elegant steam yacht, the Siesta. Numerous other steam yachts from the home and foreign ports followed the white-winged flyers with large parties on board. The Rochester Yacht Club chartered the handsome steamer Carmona for the use of the ladies.

The prizes in the various classes are as follows:

	First.	Second.	Third.
First class	$40	$30	$15
46-footers	25	25	15
40-footers	25	15	10
35-footers	25	15	10
30-footers	20	10	5
25-footers	20	10	5

Hanlan and O'Connor Will Row on Sunday.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—All arrangements are now complete for the single and double scull race at River View, on the Potomac, to-morrow and Sunday. In the single scull race $1000 divided has been offered, and William O'Connor, Wallace Ross, George H. Hosmer, Jake Gaudaur and James Ten Eyck have entered. The purse for doubles is $1500 and O'Connor and Hanlan, Hosmer and Gaudaur and Ross and Ten Eyck will row.

Stevenson After Gaudaur.

Stevenson, the Argonauts' Australian trainer, has failed to get on a race with Wise and now is after Jake Gaudaur of Orillia, whom, he announces, he desires to row at Hamilton, Toronto or Orillia for $500 or $500 a side any time after Aug. 20. Stevenson will give or take expenses.

TORONTO BASEBALL LEAGUE.

The Games To-Day—The Benefit for St. John's Sufferers.

There will be good attractions at the baseball grounds to-day.

At 2 p.m. the Dukes, with McGarry in the box, will meet the Excelsiors. Atkisson will do the twirling for them. At 4 p.m. the Nationals and Dauntless meet, and as both are evenly matched a good game may be expected.

The Toronto Baseball League deserve great credit for their action in giving a game for the benefit of the sufferers through the St. John's fire. The champion Dukes, with such players as McGarry, Fitzgerald, Synge, Chambers, Humphreys and Schnappoff, will meet the champions of two years ago, the Parkdale Beavers, among whom are such crack players as Lawson, Ewing, Prentice, Snyder, Ward and Blakey. Atkisson will pitch for the West Enders.

National League Games.

At Boston:

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—	3	7	3
Chicago	0 1 1 4 0 0 0 0 X—	6	9	3

Nichols-Kelly; Hutchinson-Schriver. Hurst.

At Brooklyn:

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—	3	10	2
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 2 0 4 0 X—	6	8	3

Chamberlain-Harrington; Haddock-Kinslow. McQuade.

At Philadelphia:

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2 0 1 0 0 4 0 0 0—	7	7	2
Philadelphia	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—	1	8	4

Cuppy-Zimmer; Weyhing-Clements. Easdie.

At New York:

		R.	H.	E.
New York	0 0 1 6 1 0 1 0 0—	9	10	0
St. Louis	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—	1	9	2

Crane-Doyle; Caruthers-Buckley. Gaffney.

At Baltimore:

		R.	H.	E.
Baltimore	1 0 7 3 1 0 0 0 6—	18	16	2
Louisville	1 2 1 0 0 0 2 1 1—	8	15	8

McMahon-Robinson; Viau-Weaver. Mitchell.

At Washington:

		R.	H.	E.
Washington	8 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2—	12	16	1
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—	1	6	9

Killen-Duryea-McGuire; Baldwin-Mack. Lynch.

Baseball Brevities.

Schoch of the Baltimores broke an arm Wednesday in preliminary practice.

Fred Burton, the baseball player, has returned to London, the Evansville, Ind., club having disbanded.

The Capitals play the Western Stars on the cricket grounds, Bloor-street, this afternoon.

The Alerts of London play in Galt to-day. Last Saturday Pete Woods' Tilsonburg Blues defeated Galt by 14 to 9.

PALO ALTO WAS WORTH $1,000,000.

About Stanford's Priceless Stallion That Died In California.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—Palo Alto's death was caused by pleuro-pneumonia. He was the king of trotting stallions. His death occurred at Senator Stanford's noted farm, after which the horse was named. His age was 10 years. For this horse Senator Stanford would not have taken $1,000,000, in fact he was priceless.

Palo Alto was a bay horse standing 16 hands in height, and was foaled April 15, 1882.

He was not campaigned as a 2 or 3-year-old, but showed a trial at 2 of 2.23¾. As a 4-year-old Palo Alto won eight races out of nine and retired with a record of 2.20¼. In 1887 and 1888 the horse was lame and did not start, but in 1889 won all his races, five in number, and wound up the season with a record of 2.12¼, made at Napa, Cal., Nov. 16. In 1890 he won three out of the four races in which he was a starter, and trotted the fastest mile on record—2.13—in a race.

Last year he went against the watch eight times, and on Nov. 17, at Stockton, Cal., driven by Charles Marvin, set a new mark for trotting stallions—2.08¾—which stands to-day as the best on record. His work last year was marvelous, his time against the watch on different days up to the period when he broke the stallion record being: 2.12¾, 2.11¼, 2.10, 2.09¼, 2.10¼, 2.09¾ (last two miles in one afternoon), 2.10¼.

Palo Alto was by Electioneer, sire of 103 in the list from the thoroughbred mare Dame Winnie, by Planet, with four in the second dam Lizzie Mardis, by imported Glencoe, etc. In his career he trotted 154 heats in 2.30 or better, and won 17 out of 19 races he was engaged in, getting second money on the others. No gamer horse ever lived or one that acted better in a race. During the years 1887-1888, and even up to this year, the king of stallions was very lame most of the time, but this season up to the date of his illness he was reported as moving stronger and better than at any time in his career. Senator Stanford, his owner, is in Europe.

Saratoga Racing Rumors.

SARATOGA, July 22.—Rumors have been circulated that the Saratoga Racing Association would run but five days on the Saratoga track this year.

President Walbaum authorizes the statement that the racing will commence on the Saratoga race track on Monday next and will be continued, according to program, every week day, excepting Thursdays, to and including Saturday, September 3. President Walbaum further says that the association, having expended $100,000 on the new grand stand and in track improvements this season, has no intention of abandoning the Saratoga course either this or any other season.

Mr. Withers' Horses Under the Hammer.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The Brookdale yearlings, bred by the late D. D. Withers, were sold at Monmouth Park before the races yesterday by Colonel S. D. Bruce. The bidding was spirited, and the sale aggregated $26,475, an average of $1059.

After the Brookdale yearlings were disposed of three of the stallions owned by the late Mr. Withers were offered. The 8-year-old brother to Kingfisher, by imp. King Ernest—Mimi, was sold to Charles Boyle for $500. The imported horse Stonehenge, now 22-years-old, by Blair Athol—Celimbra, was led into the sales ring, but no bid was made for him. The imported horse Robert Bruce, 9-years-old, by Hampton—Sultana, was sold to N. Finzer for $2100.

Detroit's Blue Ribbon Meeting.

DETROIT, July 22.—Belle Hamlin and Globe, C. J. Hamlin's team, beat the regulation track trotting record of 2.18¼, made in Philadelphia, by a quarter of a second for a purse of $1000.

2.19 class—trotting, purse $2000:

Martha Wilkes	1	1	1
Nightingale	2	2	2
Steve Whipple	3	7	3
Prince M	5	3	5
Elko	5	4	4
Coralford	4	7	6
Una Wilkes	6	6	5
Margaret M	7	8	dis.

Time—2.16¼, 2.17¼, 2.15.

Merchants and Manufacturers' Consolation Stake, 2,24 class; trotting, purse $2000:

Five Points	2	1	3	1
Prospect	1	2	2	8
Bonbonne	9	3	1	3
Favora	3	7	8	2
Brother Dan	5	4	5	2
Clay Herr	4	8	5	4
Racine	7	4	6	7
Miggul	8	6	7	6
Col. Bismarck	5	9	9	dr.

Time—2.21½, 2.19, 2.22¾, 2.19¼, 2.23.

A Dead Heat at Washington Park.

CHICAGO, July 22.—First race, ⅝ mile—Ella Blackburn 1, Uncertainty 2, Snoshone 3. Time 1.15.

Second race, 1 mile—Alary and Tillie S. dead heat, Alice D. 3. Time 1.42¾. Run off—Tillie S. won.

Third race, ¾ mile—King Lee 1, St. Croix 2, Linger 3. Time 1.15.

Fourth race, 1 mile 70 yards—Forerunner 1, Homer 2, Woodcraft 3. Time 1.45¾.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Minnie Cee 1, Empress Frederick 2, Lucinda 3. Time 1.15¼.

The Gloucester Results.

GLOUCESTER, July 22.—First race, ⅝ mile—Gyda 1, Bias 2, Weezgeister 3. Time 1.03½.

Second race, 6½ furlongs—Slabtown 1, Eolic 2, Leather Stocking 3. Time .25¼.

Third race, 4½ furlongs—Knick Nack filly 1, Anarchist 2, Kingsclere 3. Time .55¾.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Cloverdale 1, Capston 2, Pluto 3. Time 1.46 1-2.

Fifth race, 4 1-2 furlongs—Elmstone 1, Zingara 2, Comrade 3. Time .56¼.

Sixth race, 6 1-2 furlongs—Battle Cry 1, Pete 2, Bella 3. Time 1.26¾.

Westmoreland Over the Jumps.

BRIGHTON BEACH, July 22.—First race, 1¼ miles—Larchmont 1, John Winkle 2, Jack Star 3. Time 2.12.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Morello 1, Marguerite 2, Brookdale 3. Time 1.02¼.

Third race, ⅝ mile—Remorse 1, Casanova Third 2, Rose Dance 3. Time 1.31.

Fourth race, 1½ miles—Tea Tray 1, Lepanto 2, Nomad 2. Time 1.50¼.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Lord Dalmeny 1, Waterson 2, Early Blossom 3. Time 1.02.

Sixth race, steeplechase, long course—Westmoreland 1, Sam Morse 2, Futurity 3. Time 5.16.

Track and General Topics.

Fred Scott, a New England boxer and all round athlete of Providence, R. I., died suddenly at Quebec on Tuesday of inflammation of the bowels.

The Victoria Lawn Tennis Club sends a team to play in Hamilton to-day.

The Coney Island Club offers a purse of $1000 for a fight between Hall and Pritchard.

At Monmouth Park Colonel Rupert's Ajax is receiving fast work and will soon be in racing condition.

It is singular that a race is not made in which Lamplighter, Locohatchee, The Pepper, Victory and His Highness could start at even weights says N. Y. Tribune. His Highness is rapidly getting into form and will certainly be ready before the close of the meeting. The Lorillard distance, one and three-eighths miles, would be satisfactory, as it would be a compromise between one and a quarter and one and a half miles.

They All Get Footballs.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 22.—Though the Yale football eleven will not report for duty at Newport before Aug. 20, the management of the team is making every effort to induce the candidates to practice at their homes all summer. To this end a football has been sent to every member of the team and the substitutes. Twenty have been sent out. The backs will practise punting and drop kicking and the rushers passing and dropping on the ball at their homes.

CHICAGO'S CRICKET CRACKS.

Another Queen City Team Beaten by the Phenix Club.

The Phenix cricketers proved themselves harder nuts to crack than their Hamilton experience indicated. Their victory at Rosedale was followed by another from Toronto, the latter eleven only putting together 45 runs, and 18 of these by Rogers, the Trinity College School captain. Play was continued at intervals in the afternoon on the Varsity lawn between the rain showers. The visitors batted and bowled in good form. Score:

PHENIX.		TORONTO.	
Macpherson, c Leigh, b Jones	22	Jones, b Kelly	3
Shaw, run out	0	McCarthy, l b w, Kelly	1
Davies, b Jones	10	Terry, b Kelly	0
Wright, c Collins, b Wood	5	Goldingham, b Kelly	12
Dougall, stp. Terry, b Jones	3	Leigh, c Wright, b Dougall	0
Balster, b Wood	5	Winslow, run out	4
Edwards, b Wood	1	Collins, c McMaughton, b Dougall	2
Kelly, b Wood	2	Rogers, b Dougall	18
McMaughton, c Leigh, b Wood	11	Alton, b Kelly	0
Davies, not out	14	Wood, not out	1
Jaffray, b Wood	4	McMaster, b Dougall	1
Extras	4	Extras	3
Total	81	Total	45

PHENIX.	O.	M.	R.	W.
C. Wood	104	28	30	6
Jones	100	49	5	3

TORONTO.	O.	M.	R.	W.
P. F. Dougall	80	19	7	4
F. F. Kelly	75	28	7	5

Cricket Slips.

A cricket match was played at Chatham yesterday between Chatham and London, which resulted in favor of Chatham by 110 runs to 57.

The following will play for East Toronto against Norway to-day on the Don grounds at 2 p.m.: Flynn, Bottomley, D. L. Thompson, W. Thompson, Corley, Mayor, F. Smith, C. Smith, S. H. Smith, Stevenson, Youens.

Rosedale meets East Toronto on their new grounds to-day with this team: Lyon, Ledger, Clement, Bowbanks, Pelman, Howard, J. Martin, Montgomery, Stokes, Pegley, Plaskett.

Messrs. Chandler, Harrison, Jordan, Forrester, Pentland, Vandyke, Crosby, Berry, Clarke, England, Sadler and G. B. Smith will represent East Toronto at Rosedale, starting at 2 p.m. to-day.

The following team will represent Riverdale in their match with Toronto Junction on the latter's ground to-day at 2.30: T. Abbey, G. Lawson, T. Collins, Jackson, A. H. Harris, H. Harris, E. Taylor, Freeman, Cook, Souter and Strange.

SHAMROCKS OR CAPITALS.

The Lacrosse Struggle at Ottawa To-day—Both Teams Confident.

OTTAWA, July 22.—The lacrosse struggle of the year takes place here to-morrow. Whether the Capitals or Shamrocks are superior will be determined.

The possible claims of either club on the championship trophy are virtually to be established, and as both teams are pretty evenly matched and contain the best men in the field at present, such a game may be expected as has not been seen for years. Already the betting is heavy, but mostly even money, for although the Shamrocks are well backed, a great majority of people continue to pin their faith on the Capitals.

Both clubs are exceedingly confident. The Capitals have been out every evening this week and are in great condition for the match with the Shamrocks on Saturday. Outside of Quinn the Capital team will be the same that played against Cornwall. There is great excitement here over the match, and it is generally expected that the Capitals will win. The Shamrocks will not be without friends in the Capital City, for, with their usual thoughtfulness, the Shamrock committee has provided for a large special train, with sufficient room to accommodate and seat all who may wish to witness the contest.

The teams will be:

Shamrocks—McKenna, Duggan, Dwyer, Bark, Murray, Hinton, Kelly, Neville, McVey, Moore, Tucker, Tansey, O'Meara.

Capitals—Crown, Patterson, Taylor, Devine, H. Carson, James, Bissonnette, Carleton, G. Carson, Kent, Murphy, Ketchum.

T. W. McAnulty, referee; Ross McKenzie and Larmonth, umpires.

The Athletic Team For Brampton To-Day.

The Athletics send the following team to Brampton to-day:

McIlroy, McDonald, Wilson, Creelman, Breckenridge, Anderson, Todd, Rose, Graham, Dempsey, Turnbull, Wilson, Marshall; field captain, G. Jackson.

The players and other friends are requested to meet at the Union Station at 12.45 p.m.

The Athletic second twelve will play the Eglinton team on the old U.C.C. grounds, corner King and John-streets, at 3 p.m. sharp. Admission 10 cents. The following are the second team: Booty, McVicker, Black, Ferguson, Girvin, Nell, Neff, Allen, Crealman, Jenson, Smith, Craig; Willet, field captain.

Montreal Expects to Down Cornwall.

MONTREAL, July 22.—The Montreal team have put in faithful practice this week for their meeting with the once famous Cornwall team on Saturday. The team will leave by G.T.R. special train Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, returning immediately after the match. A large number of friends will accompany the team, and it is generally conceded that the Montreal team will come home winner.

Lacrosse Points.

At Stratford yesterday the home twelve defeated Niagara Falls in a championship lacrosse match by 3 goals to 2.

The members of the Excelsior Lacrosse Club are requested to attend a special practise Monday night and throughout the week, as a good match is being arranged for the following Saturday. The Deer Parks have so far refused to play off their tie.

The Tecumseh Lacrosse Club will play the Stars of Mimico on the old Rosedale grounds this afternoon at 4.30 with the following team: Pringle, Irwin, Revell, Yorke, Douglas, Brunnell, Lyon, Bilton, Baker, Burns, Lugsdin, Thompson; H. B. Clemes, captain.

The final lacrosse match for the championship of the Saugeen district was played at Port Elgin yesterday. Kincardine scored the second, third, fifth and seventh goals, Walkerton the first, fourth and sixth.

THE SILENT STEED.

Toronto Bicycle Club Races To-day—Civic Holiday Sport.

At the racing board meeting of the Toronto Bicycle Club last night several prizes for the Civic Holiday races were decided on. Many entries were reported from Buffalo and outside places. The Toronto Bicycle Club's handicap races to-day should prove interesting to riders and spectators.

The course will be from top of Norway hill to the Halfway hill and return twice, making 15 miles. The officers will be: Referee, C. R. Lailey; judges, W. Hyslop, sen.; J. F. Lawson; judge at turn, F. J. Whatmouch; starter, A. F. Webster; timers, J. P. Langley, Dr. Doolittle, C. W. Hamdall. Scorer, C. F. Lavender. W. Lavender will try to make a record over the course. The handicaps will be as follows:

Wm. Carman	scratch	A. Moyer	8
D. Nasmith	scratch	Stuttaford	9
G. Stevenson	4 min.	S. Rutherford	9
W. McClellan	4	G. Bagg	9
J. Mills	5	C. C. Harbottle	9
H. Syms	6	J. Stansbury	10
E. Parker	6	A. M. Baker	10
H. Love	6	A. Bee	10
W. Robins	6½	J. Readman	11
H. Irish	6½	G. Logan	11
F. Doran	8	H. Logan	11

The A.B.C. Races.

The Athenæum Bicycle Club had a run last night to the Woodbine, where a race was held, about 25 started. The result was: Riggs 1, Lyon 2, Byron.

The club intends holding a series of club races beginning Tuesday evening. They will come off each evening at 7 in Dufferin Park. The races will be a two mile handicap and a quarter mile dash.

The club will start to-day at 2.45 for Victoria Park, returning in the evening to the Half-way House for supper.

Col. North Gets the Liverpool Cup.

LIVERPOOL, July 22.—The race for the Liverpool Cup to-day was won by Colonel North's Nunthorpe, Baron De Hirsch's Windgall second, Maple's Clarence third.

The Wanderers' Program.

The Wanderers will run to Lorne Park to-day, leaving the club house at 3 p.m.

McMaster Wins Over the Nets.

The final in the Rosedale lawn tennis tournament resulted in a victory for McMaster over Muir, he winning two out of three sets after many closely-contested games. Rosedale's double tournament begins this afternoon.

Trophies for Tennis Players.

The International cup and the all-comers jug, two elegant specimens of sterling silverware offered for competition at the tournament of the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association, may be seen in the window of Ellis & Co., the King-street jewelers.

Disorder at the Point.

Among the visitors to the Point last night were several toughs, who distinguished themselves by their disorderly conduct; while Mr. Hodgson, the hypnotist, was exhibiting his peculiar powers. They even threw eggs and other missiles on the stage. It was an excellent opportunity for Manager Conner to make one of his famous rhetorical efforts, but J. C. was out of sight for the occasion. The police were unable to secure the names of any of the offenders. One of the men, who was under the influence of liquor, went on the platform and offered to assist the hypnotist for a consideration. He was ejected. The entertainment passed off as usual, successfully.

Niagara Falls and Thousand Islands Special.

Commencing June 27 the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in connection with the R. W. and O. Railroad, will run a solid vestibule train of drawing room, cafe, smoking and library cars, and elegant new vestibule coaches from Niagara Falls via Buffalo, Rochester and Syracuse, through to Clayton, leaving Niagara Falls at 7.55 a.m., Buffalo 9.00 a.m., Rochester 11.00 a.m., Syracuse, R., W. and O., 1.00 p.m., arrive at Clayton at 6.10 p.m. Alexandria Bay at 6.15 p.m. This train runs at the speed of the fastest limited trains. The Niagara Falls and Clayton sleeping car is now running, leaves Niagara Falls at 8.21 p.m., Buffalo 9.15 p.m., Rochester 11.05 p.m., arriving at Clayton at 5.45 a.m., and a through sleeper to Portland leaves Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Rochester same time, arriving at Portland 8.00 o'clock next evening, giving a daylight ride through the White Mountains.

Their New Camp.

Camp No. 100, Sons of Scotland, was opened in grand style in Brampton last night. Members of the order from Toronto, Guelph, Georgetown and other places turned out strong. The new camp is named Kelsin Grove, and already has 42 chartered members. Alexander Fraser of this city presided and the following officers were elected: Past chief, Kenneth Chisholm; chief, Archibald McKechnie; recording secretary, David Blair; treasurer, William Smith.

The Sons of Scotland bid fair to soon be the leading lodge of that nationality. In 1891 there were only 638 members, now there are 3200.

Extraordinary! Deadly Strychnine Removed.

Was blood poisoned with strychnine 25 years ago? Many attempts by skilled physicians failed to arrest the ravages of the horrid life-destroyer. One year ago tried *St. Leon Mineral Water*, took copious draughts, which cleared my system of the deadly poison, the outbreaking, it has done for raised me to a higher state of health, strength and enjoyment of life than ever before experienced. No money consideration could equal its value to me. I prize St. Leon above everything. H. W. Lockwood, Westport, Ont. Palace at Springs is now open. M. A. Thomas, manager. 36

Taxes Better Paid Than for Years.

The first instalment of this year's taxes has been better paid than for many years past. The total amount to be collected inclusive of $593,210 local improvement rates is $2,790,850, the first instalment of which is $1,136,688. The amount collected was $1,301,000, or $235,000 in excess of the first instalment, and about $20,000 more paid than in the first instalment in 1891. The percentage of taxes paid on the first collection last year was 44.2 per cent. of the whole. This year it is 49.60 per cent.

30,000 in Line.

Grand Encampment of Uniformed Knights of Pythias at Kansas City in August. The Wabash Railway will sell excursion tickets at lowest first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold Aug. 19 to 22 inclusive, good up to Sept. 3. The Wabash is the shortest and best route to Kansas City, and the only line that can take Knights from Canada through St. Louis and return them via Chicago and (vice versa) finest equipped train on earth, passing through six states of the Union. Further particulars from any Railway Ticket Agent, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont. ed

How Books Are Selling.

"No, the book trade is not good," remarked a second-hand dealer to a World Young Man yesterday. "Scarcely anyone seems really anxious to buy."

"Do you mean all kinds of literature."

"Well, I can't say that I do," he quietly replied, as he carelessly handled some of the standard works within his reach. "Fact is, my remarks apply more particularly to the better and more solid class of books. In light-reading stuff there is a fair business done."

James Cullen, Pool's Island, N.F., writes: "I have been watching the progress of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil since its introduction to this place, and with much pleasure state that my anticipations of its success have been fully realized, it having cured me of bronchitis and soreness of nose; while not a few of my 'rheumatic neighbors' (one old lady in particular) pronounce it to be the best article of its kind that has ever been brought before the public. Your medicine does not require any longer a sponsor, but if you wish me to act as such, I shall be only too happy to have my name connected with your prosperous child."

A Canadian Favorite.

The season of green fruits and summer drinks is the time when the worst forms of cholera morbus, diarrhœa and bowel complaints prevail. As a safeguard Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry should be kept in the house. For 35 years it has been the most reliable remedy. 246

Parmelee's Vegetable Pills contain Mandrake and Dandelion; they cure Liver and Kidney Complaints with unerring certainty. They also contain Roots and Herbs which have specific virtues truly wonderful in their action on the stomach and bowels. Mr. E. A. Cairncross, Shakespeare, writes: "I consider Parmelee's Pills an excellent remedy for Biliousness and Derangement of the Liver, having used them myself for some time."

Infants' Food.

Volumes have been written upon this important subject, but volumes of testimonials can be shown to prove that Dyer's Improved Food for Infants is the very best in use 25c per package. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Mr. John McCarthy, Toronto, writes: "I can unhesitatingly say that Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is the *best medicine in the world*. It cured me of Heartburn that troubled me for over thirty years. During that time I tried a great many different medicines, but this wonderful medicine was the only one that took hold and rooted out the disease."

It's healthy, aids digestion and is delicious to chew. Goody-Goody Chewing Gum.

FOREIGN NEWS OF A NIGHT.

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The Government has therefore lost two-sevenths of its share of the 89 seats, and upon the assumption that its losses will be equally heavy in the remainder Mr. Gladstone proceeds as follows:

Unionist members 1886	393
Less 4, who have changed allegiance	4
	389
Two-sevenths of 389	111
	278
And if we give to the Liberals, now 213, an addition of 111, their force is thus raised to	324
And there is shown a Liberal majority for Great Britain	46

SARAH LOST HER ASP.

Madame Bernhardt's Jeweled Serpent Wanders in London Streets.

LONDON, July 22.—A new story is told about Bernhardt. It is that on Wednesday last a lady, who has never been suspected of exaggeration or liquor, was walking through Alpha-road, St. John's Wood, and saw on the pavement before her a small snake. The lady gave the accustomed feminine shriek, and was about fleeing in another direction when she noticed that the creature wore a ring studded with gems, to which was attached a slender gold chain ending in another jeweled ring.

The female passion for jewelry overcame the timidity of the lady, and she secured the creature, with its valuable accompaniments, in the folds of her umbrella.

When she was wondering what to do with it, the gates of the villa opposite were flung violently open, and a tall, excited Frenchwoman rushed into the street, making a terrible uproar, followed by several weeping maids, who were searching in every direction for something that had evidently been lost.

Spying the timorous female, who stood clutching the serpent in her nervous fingers, the crazed Frenchwoman ran toward her, shouting "My asp!" Then, of course, the lady realized that it was the deadly creature Mme. Bernhardt uses in her performance of Cleopatra, and while that exquisite artiste was caressing the slippery pet the finder cleared out of the neighborhood.

SURVIVORS OF THE TAHITI.

Singular Story Related by One Who Barely Escaped With His Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 22.—According to a story told by Leon Martell, who has arrived here from San Diego, Cal., two of those who were supposed to have been drowned by the capsizing of the barge Tahiti were seen in Manzanilla, Mexico, in April.

Martell says he was told by Felix Johnson, one of the survivors, that when the brig capsized on Oct. 10 the latter and four Gilbert Islanders, including a woman, succeeded in leaving the vessel.

They were 16 days in an open boat without food and water. The woman died on the fourth day and the rest ate a portion of her flesh to keep themselves alive.

One member of the party became insane and jumped overboard. One died, but Johnson and the fourth islander finally succeeded in reaching shore and were cared for by fishermen.

The Canadians at Bisley Camp.

BISLEY CAMP, July 22.—The garden party in the Canadian camp yesterday was a great success and was largely attended. Among those who were present were Earl Waldegrave, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Casimir Gzowski, Sandford Fleming, General Sandham, Macdonald, Laurie and Sir Donald Smith. A great many ladies also graced the camp by their attendance. Mrs. Massey and Mrs. Macdonald performed the functions of hostesses, and in a very efficient manner.

The Duke of Cambridge, Commander-in-Chief, inspected the Canadian camp to-day.

Sir Donald Smith will give the team a dinner on Tuesday next.

The team won ten prizes in the match for the Alexandra competition.

Four of the Canadian team have won places in the second stage for the Queen's Prize.

Lieut. Ridell of the 22nd Battalion came in fifth for the Prince of Wales' prize, and Lieut. McAdam of the 3rd Battalion seventh.

Flashes From the Cable.

The British steamer Milton, from Penang for Langkat, sprang a leak and foundered in deep water. Some of her passengers and crew were saved and have been landed at Singapore.

Sir Charles Euan Smith, the British Minister to Morocco, who some time ago went on a mission to Fez, and concerning whose safety anxiety was felt has arrived at Tangier on board the British warship Amphion.

Archbishop Vaughan has issued a letter to the Catholic clergy in his jurisdiction asking them, in view of the fact that probably 90 per cent. of the St. John's sufferers are Catholics, to open collections in their churches for the purpose of helping to relieve the distressed.

Ex-Premier Sagasta's daughter Esperanza was married yesterday in Madrid. The presents to the bride were valued at over $200,000, including a rich gift from Queen Regent Christina.

The St. Catharines Collision.

Editor World: I notice in you paper issued Tuesday morning an account of the St. Catharines collision, a paragraph of which I desire to call your attention to, namely: "Some lazy Salvationists stood the whole time without lifting a hand." Having been present at the time of this accident I wish to say that this statement is unfair and shows a partiality on the party who made this statement because these were Salvationists.

Two officers of the Salvation Army were on the mail train when the collision occurred, but escaped any injury. The names of these officers were, T. Beatty from Hamilton, and W. Feard from St. Catharines. They at once left the car and on hearing the cries of the newsboy hastened to deliver him and lifted him out of the wreck. Both officers ran after this to inform the railway men and others of the fatal accident. One informed the section men and returned with them, while the other ran to St. Catharines to break the news, arriving almost breathless and being the first on the spot. The consequence was that some cabs, etc., drove to the place, a few Salvationists, who were waiting for the boat train, also running to where they thought help was needed. By this time quite a number had gathered from the neighborhood of the catastrophe and most of the urgent work was done and therefore it was more expedient to keep to one side and let those work who had tools to do so, rather than to be an obstruction, as others were by standing in the way.

It is evident that the party who made the statement referred to arrived at the scene somewhat late and did not take any trouble to find out what the Salvationists did, which would have been a credit to him had he done so.

I thought it my duty to make known these facts, as my principle is let honor be given to whom it is due.