THE CANADA LANCET.

Naturally, the federal authorities declared that these claims and a number of others equally preposterous were "false and fraudulent" and were applied "knowingly and in reckless and wanton disregard of their truth or falsity." The company pleaded guilty and the court imposed a fine of \$50.—(Notice of Judgment No. 3770.)—Jour. A. M. A.

REBELLION IN HELL.

Big sparks flew from Old Satan's eyes, "What's this I hear?" said he, They say that when the Kaiser dies He'll be consigned to me. Old Hell, to me, is mighty dear, The place is very fine, But if they send that guy down here Believe me, I'll resign. I'll stand for murderers and crooks The worst thugs ever known. But my boys would get sore, I fear, I know they would rebel; The Kaiser cannot enter here For he would corrupt Hell. Our sulphur is too clean for him, Our brimstone lakes too pure, And if in one he took a swim He'd ruin it I'm sure. Our company is not so swell, Vile beasts we won't reject: But keep the Kaiser out of Hell We have some self-respect.

SAVING THE BABIES.

Much of the infant mortality in large cities can be prevented when Public Health Officers are vigilant. In one "block" of the city of Detroit during the early part of last summer 24 out of 100 babies were born that did not survive the first month. City nurses were employed to visit all homes in the "block", to instruct expectant mothers in the care of infants, and to help them in their preparations. As a result, the mortality rate in this district dropped from 24 to 13.

The ravages of war have challenged the science of the world to deal at once with the preventable waste of child-life. In Europe and on this continent that challenge rings. It will be answered. Everywhere Pub-