

longed to the two towns mentioned. Then the enthusiasm was genuine. Fancy a team going through a season without a single defeat! That is what the Maple Leafs did in 1879.

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The value of swimming as an accomplishment was amply demonstrated in the terrible disaster to the "Empress of Ireland." It is almost certain that none escaped who could not swim—unless they had life-preservers. And many had no life belts. A well known members of the Civil Service, Mr. G. Bogue Smart, of the Department of Interior, was one of the latter number on board the ill-fated "Empress." He could not find a life-preserver, and was one of the last to leave the steamer. But he had learned to swim in his boyhood, and that saved his life.

A remarkable story was told by a young woman who was saved. She had never swam a stroke in her life, but when thrown into the sea struck out instinctively and swam to safety.

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Dr. C. E. Moyses, Dean of the Arts Faculty at McGill University, has donated a challenge cup for competition by the cricket clubs of Eastern Canada.

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The Civil Servants of Regina are doing well in the City Soccer League, and at last reports received the team held fourth place out of ten teams competing.

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The C. S. Baseball League of Ottawa opened its season on Tuesday, June 2nd, when the champions of last season, the Customs Department, clashed with the Transcontinental Railway team, to which has been added the Railway Commission. There was a grand struggle between the

Customs and Interior Department teams on June 8, the clubs being tied at the 12th inning, when the game was called on account of darkness.

The standing of the league on June 21st was as follows:—

	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.
Customs	2	0	1
W. Block	2	1	0
Interior	2	1	1
Trans. Ry.	1	2	0
Post Office	0	3	0

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INTERIOR RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF OTTAWA.

Scores for June 13th.

	600	500	200	
	yds	yds	yds	Tl.
A. W. Joanes	28	33	31	—92
J. M. Roberts	27	35	30	—92
W. A. Purdy	29	30	32	—91
A. A. Cohoon	24	33	31	—88
R. Callander	29	29	29	—87
W. Thompson	25	33	27	—85
E. Tureotte	25	32	28	—85
P. A. Wood	25	29	29	—83
J. L. Crawford	21	30	31	—82
A. E. Shore	16	33	30	—79
A. J. Smith	15	33	31	—79
P. Sherrin	24	26	27	—77
C. V. Shannon	14	25	30	—69
H. R. S. Gow	12	25	28	—65
J. J. Carr	15	26	23	—64
C. A. E. Clendinnen	15	20	29	—64
F. W. Brander	13	22	28	—63
G. S. Wallis	5	28	28	—61

First class spoon, presented by Mr. J. Cowan won by A. W. Joanes.

Second class spoon, presented by Mr. H. L. Mainguy, won by P. A. Wood.

Spoon for possible, presented by Mr. A. A. Cohoon, won by J. M. Roberts.

Mr. Geo. A. S. Sparkes presented a spoon for the 3rd class marksmen scoring 80 or over, to be competed for by shots who had not previously scored 80. It was not won and will be put up again for competition.

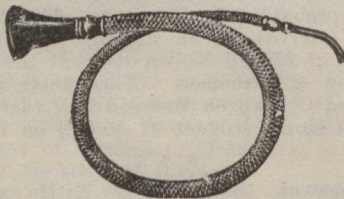
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Scores for June 20th.

	800	1000	
	yds.	yds.	Tl.
W. A. Purdy	42	35	77
A. A. Cohoon	45	28	73
A. W. Joanes	41	23	64
H. R. S. Gow	28	30	58
J. M. Roberts	40	18	58
P. Sherrin	33	19	52
A. J. Smith	41	8	49

First class spoon, W. A. Purdy.
Third class spoon, P. Sherrin.

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