WILL NOT BUY SPRINCER QUARRY

Project Defeated by a Vote of 10 to 9.

SIDEWALK WORK PASSED.

Ald. Nicholson Fails to Get the Agreement With Geo, Stroud for Sawar Right of Way Reconsidered -Committee Appointed to Make Civic Holiday Arrangements.

The City Council had a two hour ession last night, at which the fea tures were the defeat of the pro posal to buy the Springer quarry; the failure of an effort to re-open the settlement with Mr. Geo. Stroud Birch avenue sewer right of way and the appointment of a special committee to boom Civic Holiday. Mayor Teetzel presided, and there were present also: Ald. Evans, Mc-Donald, Reid, TenEyck, Hobson, Dunlop, Findlay, Hurd, Nicholson, Dwyer, Nelligan, Massie, McFadden, Hill, Walker, Fearnside, Pettigrew and Dixon.

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Among the petitions received and referred to various committees were the following:
From Staunton & O'Heir, for Samuel Garritty, chaiming the \$100 reward in connection with the third main by law personating.
From R. O. MacKay and others against the opening of West avenue, between King and Main streets.
From Wm. Kavanagh, asking for a grant to the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

From a number of ratepayers ask ig that T. J. Stewart's guy pole be slowed to remain on Merrick street Won't Buy Springer Quarry.

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Chairman Findlay was not in favor of all the recommendations of the Board of Works, and Ald. Hill moved the adoption of the report.
Chairman Findlay moved that clause No. 6, recommending the purchase of the Springer quarry be struck out. Ald. Reld seconded the motion.

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Ald. Nicholson said that he had hoped that when the Council had voted \$800 for an \$80 privilege at the last meeting it would stop its extravagance for the year. He considered that, if presented to the city, the Springer quarry would be very dear. The City Engineer, Chairman Findiay and other practical mon considered the Springer quarry useless for city purposes, and he hoped that the Council would not vote \$7,000 on the ground, purely, of charity.

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Ald. Findlay thought that if the city wanted to buy a quarry it had beter consider an offer such as that made by Mr. Ritchie. The City Engineer's opinion, in which he was backed up by an expert employed by Mrs. Springer, was that the stone could not be got out at less than 42 cents a foot, yet Hamilton can buy curbing at 24 cents. It would be a laudable thing to buy a quarry and have the stone cut here if it could be done to advantage, but to pay 42 cents at home when the curbing could be laid down at 24 cents he thought was going too far. He pointed out that Mr. Carscallen, who was advocating the purchase, did so as a pald solictor. When Mr. Carscallen was an alderman he opposed it from beginning to end.
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Ald. Findlay's amendment striking the clause out carried, the vote being: Yess—Ald. McDonald, Reid, TenEyck, Dunlop, Hobson, Findlay, Nicholson, Hurd, Neiligan, Dixon—10. Nays—Ald. Evans, Kerr, Dwyer, Massie, McFadden, Hill, Walker, Fearnside, Pettiersw—9.

Unauthorized Clauses. Ald. Kerr objected to clauses No. 5, on the ground that no such recommendation had ever passed the Board.
Ald. Findlay explained that he was not responsible for clauses No. 4 and 5 being in the report, and agreed to the withdrawal of both. They read as follows:

Your committee reports that the Grand Trunk Railway Company has asked permission to raise the Hugh-son street, John street, Catharine

son street, John street, Catharine street and Mary street bridges. Your committee is of opinion that the railway company should proceed under the statutory powers possessed by it, making due compensation to all persons whose learns may be injudiously affected by the raising of grade of the streets in making the necessary approaches to the bridges as the railway company propose to rebuild them; the company to restore the highways as company propose to rebuild them; the company to restore the highways as required by the statute, and to afford all proper facilities for street traffic; the new bridges to be made of steel or iron so as to raise the grade of the streets as little as possible, while giving the additional head room required above the car.

James Smith's Appointment. Ald Pettigrew asked the Enginer, through the Mayor, if he had appointed one James Smith as a coment walk foreman. If so, he predicted that there would be trouble before the year was even.

Engineer Wingate replied that he had appointed Mr. Smith because he knew what his work had been in the past, and he believed him to be a competent man. If he proved to be incompetent he would not be retained, but he would get a fair trial.

City Building Lighting.

In presenting the report of the Markets, Police and Jail Committee Chairman Hill moved that all the clauses relating to the lighting of city buildings be referred back. Ald. Nicholson asked if the Chair-Ald. Nicholson asked if the Chairman had received new light.
Chairman Hill replied that the secretary had admitted that he had made a mistake in regard to sertain figures. Moreover, the flat rate figures which had been sumitted by the Electric Light Company were interpreted by the company to mean one thing, but by the committee to mean another thing entirely. Moreover, the Electric Light Company, in its letter, had falled to go into the City Hall lighting, which, as he figured it out, would cost \$1,000 or more, according to the company's flat rate figures. He thought it best that the whole thing would e reconsidered.
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Chairman Hill also suggested that the Chairman of other committees using light and the Chairman of the Board of Hospital Governors be asked to meet the committee when the question is considered. This was exreed to and the report, with the lighting clauses struck out, carried. In the report of the Fire and Water Committee was the recommendation that the tender of F. Hamilton for 45 tons of pig lead at \$4.40 per 100 pounds, be accepted.
Chairman Dixon moved that this clause be struck out and that the committee be authorized to ask for tenders anew and to accept the lowest satisfactory tender.
This motion carried.
Sewage Works Coal Supply.
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Ald. Nelligan, and Findlay moved that all references to tenders for coal Ald. Nelligan and Findlay moved that all references to tenders for coal for the sewage disposal works in the Fire and Water report be struck out. In support of his motion Ald. Nelligan complained of the Fire and Water Committee interfering with the Sewers Committee's business. He said he believed that the Sewers Committee could save \$200 by getting its own tenders for coal. Moreover, he said, the small dealers complained that they did not get a chance when tenders were asked for the various departments at once. Ald. Dixon referred the Mayor to the minutes of a previous meeting, at which the Fire and Water Committee was empowered to ask for tenders for the various city departments. Having been passed upon by the Council, the Fire and Water Committee had nothing to do but follow instructions.

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Ald. Nelligan said he did not know of any such resolution. He also said he had an offer to supply the 1,200 tons required at the disposal works at a saving of \$200.

Ald. Dixon replied that if Ald. Nelligan could show the Mayor a bona fide offer of that sort he would consent to the Sewers Department advertising for its own coal.

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The only supporters of the Nelligan-Findlay amendment, besides the mover and seconder, were Ald. Nicholson, Hurd and Fettigrew.

The Dust Nuisance.

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Ald. Nicholson called attention to the numerous complaints of the great clouds of dust caused by the electric sprinkler. The trouble, he said, had been going on for weeks and monthsperhaps years, and seemed to be getting worse all the time. The merchants and other sufferers should have relief. Ald. Dixon stated that the trouble wass not so much with the street Aid. Dixon stated that the trouble was not so much with the street watering. As long as the accumulation of dust and dirt was allowed to remain on the streets there would be dust, no matter what sort of street watering there was.

Lawn Sprinkling Hours.

Aid Evans brought up the matter

Ald. Evans brought up the matter Court House lawn sprinkling, ask-The that some arrangement be made by which that lawn could be sprinkled at times not allowed under the by-law. If this were not done the Court House Committee would be put to the neces-sity of putting in more taps and buy-ing extra hose. Ald. Dixon replied that the hours for

Ald. Dixon replied that the hours for sprinkling were fixed by by-law and could not be changed without amending the by-law. He had notified the Parks Board that park sprinkling must be conflined to by-law hours. Ald. Evans moved that sprinkling on the Court House lawn be allowed between 2 and 6 o'clock p. m., but got ao seconder.

out got no seconder. Cement Sidewalk Work.

Ald Findian brought in for its second reading the by-law to authorize the laying of certain cement sidewalks under the local improvement by-law. In committee of the whole, with Ald. Walker in the chair, Ald. Evans raised the question of the vote necessary to carry the by-law. As he understood it, either the by-law then before the Council, or the by-law to be passed later on to raise the funds later on, required a three-fourths vote.

Solicitor MacKelcan replied that the by-law was put through, and carried without a dissenting voice, so it got a four-fourths vote.

No Suspicion of Crookedness. Cement Sidewalk Work.

that there had been anything improper in connection with the purchase of the cement supply, and he therefore did not feel called upon to

Birch Avenue Sewer Again.

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Ald, Nicholson once more brought before the Council the question of the right of way for Birch avenue sewer through the property of Mr. George Stroud by moving the re-consideration of the report of the Sewers Committee, adopted at the special meeting of the Council, on June 21st. Ald, Dunlop seconded the motion.

There was a short, hot passage between Aid. Nicholson and Ald, Nelligan, at the close of which Ald, Nelligan, stated that if the officials of the Sewers Department or Solicitor's Department, had done their duty last year there would be no trouble now. The city had already gone on Mr. Stroud's property, and Mr. Stroud could proceed against the city for damages at any time.

Solicitor MacKelcan replied that in June, 1899, he had drawn up an agreement to be signed by Mr. Stroud and handed it to the then City Engineer. In October, also, he wrote recommending that the Birch avenue sewer be not gone on with until all the parties through whose property it would pass had signed such agreements.

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Mr. MacKelcan replied that he then supposed that the agreements had been signed.

Mayor Testrel agreed with Ald Nichlolson that the city was paying too much for the right of way, and favored arbitration, but the motion to reconsider received the votes of only Ald. Nicholson Dunlop and Dixon.

Mr. Stewart'e Pole.

Ald Pettierrew brought in a motion

Ald. Pettigrew prought in a motion to reconsider the report of the Board of Works of Juns 21st. There was no objection, and Ald. Pettigrew then moved that Mr. T. J. Stewart be allowed to maintain a guy pole on Merick streat, he to indemnify the city.

against loss on account of any action for damages, etc.

At the suggestion of Chairman Findley, the matter was referred to the Board of Works.

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For Civic Holiday.

Mayor Teetzel suggested that the Council should take some action, without going to great expense to make civic holiday, August 13th, a good holiday. He suggested that the Council should co-operate with the Street Raiway, and other interested bodies to give the London and St. Thomas bodies that are to run excursions here, a right good time.

On motion of Ald. Evans, a special committee consisting of Ald. Nicholson, Reid, Dunlop, Kerr, Dwyer, Mc-Fadden and Dixon, was appointed to take up the matter.

Ald. Fearnside suggested having the L. X. R. A. regatta here, and the suggestion will be considered by the committee.

If necessary a special meeting of the Council will be called to receive the committee is report.

Chairman Ten. Eyck warned the Council that there is no money for any demonstration.

If no special meeting of Council is needed the body will not meet again till Monday, July 30th.

FROM HAMILTON KLONDIKERS. McAulifie Well Fixed Financially-

McAuliffe Well Fixed Financially—Devine Sick.

In a fetter to Mr. C. D. Mills, of this city, Dan. McAuliffe, writing from Eureka Creek, on June 3rd, says that he is well fixed just now. He mentions, too, that Devine, who was working on the same lay with him, took sick and threw up his job after six weeks' work. After paying for wood at \$15 a cord they had a good "dump" and had three or four men hired on it. After getting through there he went to Australia Creek, a tributary of the Indian River, in March, for the Dome Yukon Co., and from there went to Eureka Camp, about the middle of May. The party lived like fighting cocks, having everything the best and plenty of it. Eureka is about 60 miles from Dawson. Forty miles further on a strike had been reported on Stuart River. A big copper strike was made at White Horse, and there is now a town there larger than Dawson. The railroad is to have its terminus there this summer. Rohr was still working on the Last Chance. Jack Roy had a good Job on the fire department. Many people were leaving for the Keokika country, where a good strike had been made. Dan and his companions were, at the time of writing, prospecting four claims, and had found as high as ten per cent. to the pan. He asks how the war is progressing, what horse won the Queen's plate, and how Ed. Harris is getting along. Writing again on June 6th. Mor Auliffe says that Rohr, Jack Roy and the two Davidson boys have arrived there and bought a claim on Eureka Creek. He also mentions that Skinner, of the A. D. Stewart party, has obtained a place in the, Post-office.

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A letter from Rohr, by the same mail, says he has just returned from staking his claim. On the way back they saw a number of bears, includ ling a great grizzly, with two cubs. She would not budge an inch for Robr and party, so they did the moving—and were glad to get out of her way, although she looked as if she would give them a fond embrace if they had given her the chance.

JUNE MILK REPORT.

In Spite of the Dry Weather the Showing is a Good One.

Following is Inspector L. A. Mac-lonald's report of milk tests for June:
4.80 per cent. butter fat—W, H.
Ptolemy, Dr. Alway, D. McDonald, H.

Speer.
4.60-D. Duncan, J. Wilkinson, W. McDernott, Thos. Smith.
4.40-Mrs. N. Allen, J. E. Henry, S. McNeil, F. M. Carpenter, Geo. Millen, W. J. Anderson, Mrs. N. Allan.
4.20-J. Hopkins, G. H. Parker, J. Newman, J. A. Hutton, Jos.-Fletcher, D. McNah, J. O. Pyckman, No. 1. Newman, J. A. Hutton, Jos. & Letcher, D. McNab, J. O. Ryckman No. 1. 4—J. I. Baker, J. B. Telfer, E. A. Ryckman, Buttrum Bros., J. O. Fleld, Chas. Sclater, Thos. Macklem, Mrs. Pettigrew, J. O. Ryckman No. 2, J. Robertson

Robertson.

3.80—F. Dairy Co. No. 2, S. Watton,
W. Harmer, J. Long, N. Dyment, R.
Hutton, Thos, Morden, Thos. Connell,
J. Gathercole.

so it got a four-fourths vote.

No Suspleton of Crookedness.
Chairman Findlay, of the Board of Works, called attention to a paragraph in the Spectator of some days ago about a "oo" in connection with the transaction with Mr. Strond, and also in connection with Mr. Strond, and also the connection with the purchase of cement. On behalf of the members of the Board of Works, he asked that the Mayor take such steps as might be necessary to have a complete investigation in regard to the cement matter.

Mayor Teetzel replied that if any investigation was desired it was for the Council to order it. For his own part, while he had heard the matter talked of he had never for a moment thought that there was any foundation in fact for the suggestion that there had been anything improper in connection with the purchase of the cement supply, and he therefore did not feel called upon to

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The following donations to the Girls'
Home, during the month of June, are
acknowledged with thanks: Wm. Lees
& Son, \$1.15 off account for May;
Mr. Pecover, 3½ loaves of bread, Mr.
Chilman, 29½ loaves of bread, besides
buns and cakes, weekly; Harold
Dowry, S. S. papers; Mrs. Spraig,
clothing; Mr. Crawford, pies, buns or
cakes, weekly; Walter Dowry, S. S.
papers; Mr. Edwards, buns and
cakes; Mr. S. H. Moore, representing
Pugeley, Dingman & Co., Toronto, 50 cakes of soap; James Street
Baptist Church S. S., Mr. Somerville,
supt., 1 can of mustard, large clothes
basket of sandwiches, large clothes
basket of cakes, etc.; Mrs. Geiger, 5doaves of bread; Mr. Ogg, 4 loaves
of bread; Mr. McCabe, vegetables; Mr.
Tovil & Wilcock, vegetables; Messrs.
Fearman, Lowry, Harding and Wilson, meut weekly; Mrs. Anderson,
son, bread, meat, cakes and dripping.

In the Jaws of a Lion.

The gallant Major Swaine tells of being knocked senseless by a lion that lacerated his arm. His thrilling escape from the jaws of death is only equalled by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved thousands from desperate Throat and Lung troubles. "All doctors said my wife would soon die of Consumption," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Eigin, Tenn., "but your wonderful medicine completely cured her, and saved her life." Satisfaction is guaranteed by Parke & Parke, who give trial bottles free. In the Jaws of a Lion.

One of the few parts of Windsor Castle which has remained unchanged since its first construction in 1161 is the royal kitchen.

One Trooper Killed and an Officer Missing.

CANADIANS' CASUALTIES.

Death of Cornoral Irvine, of St. Catharines-Many Ill-Kruger Denies He is Suing for Peace-His Old Terms-Courtney and Beer in the

London, July 3. — Stratheona's Horse, with Gen. Clery's force, was engaged for the first time in July 1st, in the neighborhood of Standerton. They lost one killed and one officer missing.

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The Boers probably mistaking them, rode to within fifty yards of them, enabling a subaltern to effectively use his revolver.

Whe is Captain Cooper?

London, July 4.—Nothing decisive has yet been heard from the columns seeking to hem in Gen. De Wet. All of Lord Roberts' field transport is engaged apparently in supplying these columns. Operations elsewhere are necessarily relaxed. One shows and Boers are hanging on General Clery's right flank in his advance to Greylingstad. Strathcon's Horse on July 1st, received its baptism of fire, in which one trooper was killed. Capt. Cooper is reported as missing. Herr Kruger, replying to correspondent at Machadodorp, who enquired if there was any truth in the report that he had opende peace negotiations, wrote: "The President sad people of the South African Republic most earnestly desire peace, but only on two conditions: The complete independence of the Republic and amnesty for the colonial Boers who ought with us. If these conditions be not granted, we will fight to the bitter end." Who is Captain Cooper?

There is no Cooper attached to the Strathcona Horse.

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London, July 3.—The War Office teday issued a return of the British casuaities in South Africa since the
beginning of the war.
The total losses, exclusive of sick
and wounded, have been 29,706, of
which the killed in action were 254
officers and 2,403 non-commissioned
officers and flo non-commissioned officers and men; died of wounds, 70
officers and fun; missing and prisoners,
65 officers and 2,624 non-commissioned
officers and amen; died of disease, 133 cers and men; missing and prisoners, 65 officers and 2,624 non-commissioned officers and men; died of disease, 133 officers and men; invalided home, 844 officers and 18,433 non-commissioned officers and men; invalided home, 844

Maine Returns to England.

London, July 3.—The American hospital ship Maine has reached Southampton with another batch of wounded soldiers from South Africa. A distinguished party, including Frincess Louise, Lady Randolph Churchill, and Mesdames Blow, Ronalds, Adair and Chamberlain, met her in the Solent.

MORE CANADIAN CASUALTIES. Corporal Irvine, of St. Catharines, is

Dead.

London, July 3.—The War Office, in its daily report of casualties, reports the death at Bloemfontein of Corporal R. Irvine, of B Company, Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry. Irvine, who was formerly a member of the 19th, St. Catharines, Battalion, was wounded at Black Mountain, on May 1st last, and has been ill ever since.

Corporal J. Macaskill, of E Battery, Royal Canadian Artillery, is dangerously ill at Kimberley. He joined the battery at Montreal, having come up from Sydney, C. B., where his mother lives. Dead.

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The War Office announces the illness at Wynberg of "133, Green," No. 138 in the second contingent muster roll is Pte. Sherwood Herchmer, of Regina; there are three Greens in the same battalion: H. F. Green, of Pincher Creek, N. W. T., G. W. Green, of Pincher Creek, N. W. T., and A. E. C. Green, of the Northwest Mounted Police.

The following Chandians, invalided home on the troopship Montfort, are now at Woolwich Hospital: Pte. Jas. Stewart Walker, of G Company, R. C. R. I., late of the S2nd Queen's County Battalion; Pte. Barry Thos. Warene, of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Mounted Rifles, he formerly being a member of the Northwest Mounted Police, Pte. Robert Henry Weir, of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Mounted Rifles, he being a native of Fermanagh, Ireland, where his father resides; Pte, C. A. Donaldson, of D Company, R. C. R. I., late of the 41st Brockville Rifles; Corporal I. C. Vallee, of F Company, R. C. R. I., late of the 65th Mount Royal Rifles.

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St. Catharines, July 3.—(G. N. W. Despatch.)—The death of Corporal Robert Irvine, of the 19th Regiment at Bloemfontein, caused very sincere regret in this city. He was the son of Mr. Robert Irvine, of the Great Western Hill, and it is only two or three weeks since a brother of young Irvine was drowned in the Twelve Mile Creek. Robert was one of the first to volunteer for service in South Africa. He was accepted as a private, but since arriving in South Africa was promoted. This is the first death to occur among those of the contingent who went from here. The flags on all the public buildings are at half-mast to show a mark of respect.

ing a sweater and has also received a fine rug.

"I can assure you," writes Dr. Ryerson, "they need these things. Every night there is a frost and ice an inch thick on the pails. At midday it cannot be less than 100 degrees in the sun. These great changes of temperature are productive of diarrhoea. There are now only about 400 men fit for duty in the fist contingent, including the draft. Enteric fever has been epidemic in the army. There are at Bloemfontent 4,800 sick and a few, wounded at Norvals Pont, about 2,000 or so on up and down the line. In all not less than 15,000 men are hors de combat. They are shipping 500 invalids a week to England. You will see there is enough for the medical department to do and for us to supplement their efforts. We are spending £5,000 a month in Cape Colony, beaddes the large contributions from Capada, Australia, Cape Colony and the main supply, from England. It would be no exaggeration to place the expenditure at £200,000."

Dr. Ryerson concludes by announcing that he sails from Cape Town July 4th for England on his way, home.

Courtney and the Beer.

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London, July 3.—In the House of Commons to-day Samuel Woods, member for Walthamstow, questioned the Rt. Hon. Jos. Chamberlain in regard to Corp. Courtney, of "A" Battery, Kingston, being reduced to the ranks because he refused to distribute beer

to the men.

The Colonial Secretary, in reply, stated that he had no information on the subject. The Imperial Government has no right or desire to interfere in questions solely concerning one of the self-governing colonies. to the men.

Brave Johnny Canuck.

When Johnny Canuck comes home from the war, All covered with glory, with many a Scar, We'll give him a welcome—glad welcome we'll give—
We'll sing his brave deeds as long as we live.

Vhen Johnny Canuck comes home from

With the war,
With the din of the battle still loud
in his ear,
We'll twine him in a wreath of laurel
and gold.
To shine on his brow so dauntless and bold. When Johnny Canuck comes home from

the war, From Africa's fields of battle and fame, We'll place a bright star upon his brave breast— We'll honor our hero with banner and When Johnny Canuck comes home from

the war, With victory crowned on many a field, We'll gather bright flowers to strew in his way—
garland his steed in richest We'll Bold Johnny Canuck, brave Johnny

Canuck! first in our hearts, the first in the war—
Miss Canada's welcome to you will be
grand
When you come from the war—the war
in the Rand.

The name you have made, the deeds you have done,
The battles you've fought, the fields
you have won.
With lustre shall shine on history's page, Untarnished by time, illumined by age.

Perth, June 9, 1900.

REUNION IN GLANFORD. Annual Affair at the Home of Mr.

Annual Affair at the Home of Mr.
Robert Shaw

On Monday at the old homestead of Mr. Robert Shaw, Glanford, where a fine, new house has been erected since last gathering, the annual reunion of the family took place. There were present, with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan, formerly of this city, who came in unexpectedly from Winnipeg to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Horning, of Ancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaver, of Ancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Ithajmar Shaw, of Glanford; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates, of Glanford; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates, of Glanford; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Espohn, of Ancaster. There were 48 in the party of children and grandchildren, and they spent the day most happily, providing sports for the children, lestices quoti pitching and baseball. Mr. Robert Shaw, who is in England at present, was the only member of the family not there.

Plenty Like Her.

Mrs. Spankers—I. wish to get a house in a quiet neighborhood.

Agent—Yes, madam, we can accommodate you. I have a vacant house in a street which is as quiet as a Sabbath morn all the year round. No barking dogs, no children, no nuisance of any kind.

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Mrs. Spanker—That's exactly what
want. How lucky I happened to
ome to you! How many rooms has Agent—Ten.

Mrs. Spanker—That's just right
We want a good deal of room. We
have nine children. I hope there's
space at the back for a dog house,
We have three.—Parson's Weekly.

CHOLERA INFANTUM

Oarries off hundreds of babies every summer who could be saved by the timely use of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

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Pte. Lutes III.

London, July '3.—The War Office publishes a list of firity-three deaths from disease and fix from wounds in South Africa. B. Lutes, of the Canadian contingent, is dangerously ill at Cape Town. It also publishes the names of three soldiers killed and 23 wounded in various engagements.

Pte. B. Lutes is a member of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, and accompanied the second special service batalion. His mother resides at Hintonburg, Ont.

The Canadians and the Sick.

Ottawa, July 3.—From a letter written by Dr. Ryerson to the Minister of Militia, under date of Kroonstad, May 30th, it appears that the men of the Royal Canadians have been provided for in the matter of winter olything. Each man is wear-

II, I3 and I5 King Street East, Wednesday, July 4th, 1900.

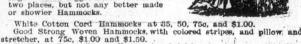
Refrigerators \$10, \$12, \$13 and \$16.

They're the best refrigerators we know of. Each one is made of the early best polished hardwood, entirely free from knots or imperfections, any kind. They are scientifically constructed to exclude all heat, regalvanized iron lined, and have strong moves ble shelves, and extra rege iceboxes. Each refrigerator is mounted on castors, and the door provided with a solid brass combination lock and estite. As we said effore, these refrigerators are the very best we know, of. We have:

Large size at \$10. Extra large at \$12 and \$13. And one very fine Hotel or boarding house size, with double front ir, regular price \$20, now for \$16.

Hammocks. Beach Pails, Etc.

You couldn't find a better assortment of Hammocks than ours if you looked into every store in Canada. Might find a bigger stock in one or two places, but not any better made or showier Hammocks.



stretcher, at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.59.
Handsome Large Strong Hammocks, bright, attractive and thoroughly fast colors, pillow, steel stretcher and deep fringed sides, \$2.25, \$2.75 and \$4.50.
Children's Beach Pails, 5 and 10c. Beach Sand Shovels, 5c, Sailboats at 5, 10, 15, 25 and 50c.
Croquet Sets at 85c, \$1.15 and \$1.35 per set.

What a splendid success our Hosery Department, has made of its spring and early summer selling We're quite sure it will do equally we'll in mid-summer.
Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose,
seamless feet and double toes, and
heels, in three weights, at 10c,
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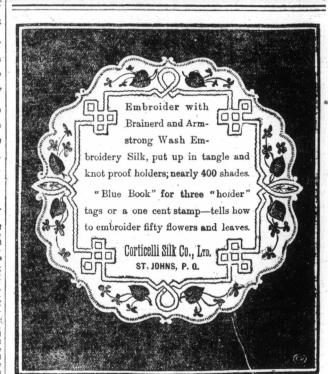
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