It Was Very Base Ball.

The Londons Have an Attack of Yellow Fever.

Their Twelve Errors Give Hamilton the Victory.

Toronto Defeated Springfield 13 to 2, Without a Slip.

The Canadian Cricketers Easily Outplay the U. S. Eleven.

Why a Plucky Woman Played Golf in Her Stocking Feet.

Racing at Windsor, Fort Erie and in England—Various Sporting Events.

BASEBALL

YELLOW BALL PLAYING.

The Londons put up a game of ball yesterday that would have disgraced any corner lot aggregation outside of St. Thomas. Interest in the league race was waning fast enough without killing it altogether, as they did yesterday. It was a unique exhibition of how not to do it. It was enough to drive Crowe into a lunatic asylum; in fact he seemed to catch the contagion—yellow fever—himself, and stumbled over two chances to retire batsmen. It was bad enough for the audience to be afflicted by the execrable performance of the locals, but it was rendered unbearable by McGinnis' mouth. The crowd didn't deserve that. The mouth was togged out in a striped sweater giving it the appearance of an escaped convict. It certainly was a singing for nine awful innings. In a voice resembling a cross between a buzz-saw and a bull frog, and which shattered the air for a mile around, it gloated over the downfall of the enemy with Mephistophelian glee. If a London man made an error, the mouth chuckled; if he perished on a base it mocked; if he fanned the air it cachinnated; and continually and without ceasing that strident, exulting, fiendish cackle made confusion worse confounded, and everybody wish that the earth would open up and swallow McGinnis, mouth and all.

Crowe was hit 15 times, but nearly half of these were made after he had given chances to retire the side. Had his support been as good as McDermott's, it is safe to say that Hamilton would have scored only three runs. In the second inning the Londons actually made five errors. Cockman was the yellow kid of the schoolboy nine. His throwing was as wild as the man from Borneo, and in the eighth he pulled up stakes and emigrated to right field, Ward coming in to do business at his old stand. Sippi and Sechrist were the only ones who escaped from the wreck.

The base running of the Londons was very much base, and in the first four innings three runs were thrown away by reckless attempts. McDermott was hammered hard enough to win two ordinary games. He was hit for a total of 22 bases, but unlike Crowe, he had a baseball team behind him to protect and encourage him. A detailed description of the game would not be very edifying or interesting. Suffice it to say that most of London's runs were made off the pitcher, and most of Hamilton's off the fielders. Conwell's home run in the second and McDermott's single and McCann's triple in the eighth constituted the earned runs of the visitors. The score:

LONDON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cockman, s.s. and r.f.	5	1	3	2	2	4
Sippi, 2b	5	2	1	1	5	0
Keenan, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	1
Reid, c	5	2	3	8	0	2
Walsh, c.f.	4	0	2	0	1	1
Sechrist, l.f.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Ward, r.f. and s.s.	3	1	1	2	2	1
Williams, 1b	3	0	2	10	1	1
Crowe, p.	3	0	1	2	4	2
Totals	36	7	15	27	17	12

HAMILTON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
McCann, c.f.	6	2	1	2	1	0
Lauer, 1b	5	2	3	10	0	0
Phillips, s.s.	6	0	4	3	5	0
McDonald, r.f.	5	2	1	0	0	0
Dean, 2b	5	0	0	3	3	1
Conwell, c	5	2	4	6	2	0
Hoffner, l.f.	4	1	1	1	3	1
Hickey, 3b	5	1	0	2	1	0
McDermott, p.	5	2	1	0	2	0
Totals	46	12	15	27	17	2

London	0 1 1 0 2 1 0 0 2	— 7
Hamilton	0 1 3 1 0 0 3 1 3	—12

Earned run—London 1; Hamilton 2.
Two base hit—Cockman 2, Reid, Sechrist, Williams, Lauer.
Three-base hit—Reid, McCann.
Home run—Conwell.
Sacrifice hits—Sechrist 2, Keenan, Crowe, Hoffner.
Base on balls—Off Crowe, Lauer; off McDermott, Walsh, Ward, Williams.
Struck out—By Crowe, Hoffner, Dean, McDermott, McDonald; by McDermott, Walsh, Sechrist, Ward, Crowe.
Stolen bases—Cockman, Sippi, Reid, Walsh Lauer, McDonald 2, Conwall, Hoffner.
Wild pitch—Medermott.
Passed ball—Reid.
Double plays—Phillips to Dean, Hoffner to Phillips to Lauer.
Left on bases—London 7, Hamilton 9.
Time of game—2:05.
Umpire—Weber.

NOTES.

Very yellow.

Tell it not in St. Thomas.

The crowd hissed the Londons.

London never did care for the pennant.

McGinnis is a great coacher. He is proficient at anything that requires mouth.

Crowe, the pitcher, did good work but Crowe, the fielder, was a different man.

Cockman was undeservedly roasted—he is lame and not in condition. His stick work partly atoned for his errors.

How do the management hope to fare during the busy week, with only two pitchers?

The Londons play in Hamilton today. Will somebody please cut the telegraph wires?

Hoffner threw two men out from right field.

Pitching has been London's only steady department during the season.

Even Jo-Jo Keenan juggled a bunted ball. Oh, Jo-Jo!

Manager Holman was advised by a small boy to count his team and see if they were all there.

The Hams filled the bases in the ninth with no one out, through a single and two measly errors. Conwell was thrown out at the plate on McDermott's grounder, but Ward's error let in two runs. Lauer's two bagger netted another.

CANADIAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pc't.
Hamilton	37	23	.616
London	29	28	.508
Guelph	23	34	.403

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES—TUESDAY.

At Toronto—	R.	H.	E.
Toronto	13	13	0
Springfield	2	8	5

Batteries—Williams and Casey; Woods and Duncan.

At Syracuse—			
Syracuse	11	13	1
Scranton	0	4	2

Batteries—Kissinger and Shaw; Harper and Gunson and Boyd.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 7.—The Wilkesbarre club missed connections last night, and could not get here in time for today's game. Two games will be played tomorrow.

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Montreal won the scheduled game in the Eastern League series between Montreal and Providence baseball teams today by default.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES—TUESDAY.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	7	3
Cleveland	1	8	2

Batteries—Seymour and Warner; Cuppy, McAllister and Zimmer.

At New York—Second game—			
New York	4	7	0
Cleveland	1	10	0

Batteries—Rusie and Warner; McAllister and Zimmer.

At Brooklyn—			
Brooklyn	4	6	6
Pittsburg	7	10	3

Batteries—Payne and Grim; Hastings and Merritt.

At Washington—			
Washington	7	10	0
Louisville	1	7	1

Batteries—McJames and Farrell; Magee and Wilson.

COCHRAN DENOUNCED.

Manager Stroud and members of the Hamilton ball team are emphatic in their denunciation of the deserting twirler Cochran. He had recently been the recipient of substantial favors at the hands of Mr. Stroud, and had pledged himself to remain with the Hams until the close of the season. His gratitude was made manifest by a sneaky desertion in the still, small hours of the morning. Cochran's future success will not be made the subject of prayers by his old associates.—Hamilton Herald.

AT NEW HAMBURG.

The baseball tournament at New Hamburg on Monday was a great success. About 600 spectators were in attendance in the afternoon. The clubs competing were Stratford, Sebringville, Galt Y. M. C. A., Preston Stars and Hamburg Star B. B. C. The first game, five innings, was played in the morning between Preston and Galt, the former winning by 20 to 7. In the afternoon, the second game, five innings, was played between Hamburg and Sebringville, Hamburg winning by 25 to 14. The third game, five innings, was between Stratford and Hamburg, Stratford winning 10 to 2. Fourth game, three innings, between Stratford and Preston, Stratford winning by 7 to 1. Fifth game, three innings, between Preston and Hamburg, Preston winning by 16 to 4. Sixth game between Sebringville and Galt, not played, owing to darkness. Stratford won first prize, $35; Preston second, $20, and Hamburg third, $10. Mr. Cochran, of Berlin, referee of the Waterloo County League, officiated in all games.

BASEBALL SUPERSTITION.

William Earl is a man known to be a first-class ball player. He is a hard hitter, a fast runner and a man of excellent judgment. But it is said that he cannot get a position on any good baseball team in the country.

The only reason known for this is that some years ago, while playing in the league, he said that he was studying hypnotism. From that time ball players seem to have acquired a superstitious fear of him. So strong has this feeling become that managers hesitate to hire him because they seem to think that Earl is a "hoodoo." Earl was in Baltimore a few days ago when the Orioles and the St. Louis clubs were playing, and sat on the bench with the Baltimore players. Every one who knew him said the Baltimores would lose, but they didn't.

Earle says that when he found this feeling against him he gave up studying hypnotism and has done nothing with it since. But the prejudice hangs on. He has tried to play with several teams but has found the feeling against him so strong that he has had to give up. When playing on the Pacific coast batters would back up to the plate lest he cast a spell on them if he caught their eye. However Manager Hanlon, of the Baltimores, needed an extra catcher last year and he hired Earle. The Baltimores won the pennant. So Earle hopes he may outlive the prejudice against him yet.

NO CHEAP BUSINESS FOR ANSON.

"I find it pays to travel in first-class style with your club," says the veteran Anson. "It's the best kind of advertising, and I find it comes back to you. It raises the tone of the game, it places your club above the others, and it puts the players on their good behavior. You stop at a cheap place, and you cheapen your organization. If there is a club on the road that has a better reputation than the Chicago ball club I want to know it. The same in traveling. I never go round looking for the cheapest rates and give my men the hardest rides. The most comfortable route and the best is what I always look for at any cost." In this respect the Chicago club is entirely in a class by itself. There is nothing of the cheap-John about it.

FLYS.

On Monday the Waterloo nine won the ball game with Galt, 7 to 5, thus securing the county championship.

Galt won by 27 to 7 at Ingersoll on Monday.

Shortstop McMahon and Pitcher Wellner have been released by Wilkesbarre.

At St. Thomas Monday the home team won twice from the West Ends of Buffalo by 9 to 3 and 23 to 3.

Brooklyn, New York and Pittsburg are said to be after Catcher Snyder, of Toronto, says the Philadelphia Record.

The Hay & Co. baseball nine played a double-header at Woodstock on Monday with the St. Thomas Browns. St. Thomas won the morning game by 9 to 3 and the home team the afternoon game 10 to 4. The Bain Wagon team defeated the Clippers of Brantford by 10 to 5.

Pitcher Horten, late of Baltimore, has accepted terms with Syracuse, and will join the Stars at once. He bought his release at Baltimore, but did not sign with Buffalo as announced two days ago. He prefers to play under his former manager. Signing Horten will not mean the release of any pitcher now on the team.—Syracuse Standard.

Newark has signed Second Baseman Al. Johnson, of London, Ont., recently released by Louisville.

Patsy Donovan threatens to prosecute for criminal libel the Baltimore writer who accused him of throwing a game to Boston.

Arthur Irwin, of Toronto, thinks he has the best pitcher of the Eastern League in Dineen.

Kansas City has had 32 men on its pay roll this season, and 14 of these were pitchers.

Tebeau says that when Seymour is right he outclasses any other pitcher he ever saw.

It would not be a bit surprising if the Philadelphia club soon passed into other hands, unless there is a turn in the tide of its fortunes. The price asked is said to be $300,000.

It is universally conceded that Anson has a jewel in Calahan. He is a good fielder, fair batter and very fast on the bases.

"Did you ever see an infielder back up his own throw to first?" asked Manager Patsy Donovan. "No? Well, Padden did it at Washington on Thursday. One of the Senators hit a ball up near first, which Padden fielded, but, failing to recover, threw wild to first. The first baseman could not get it and the ball rolled over to the grand stand. Padden, seeing that the throw was wild, immediately chased after it, and by a quick recovery and accurate shot headed off the Senator at second. He backed up his own throw."

Arthur Irwin is talked of as manager of the St. Louis team next year.

McAlee, the pitcher of the Augusta, Ga., team, recently struck out sixteen men.

Pitcher Hahn, of Detroit, is only 18 years old. Washington may draft him.

George Tebeau has been suspended by President Johnson, of the Western League.

The Clevelands' share of the four games recently played in Boston was near $6,000.

W. K. Cameron, St. Thomas, has received a check from the Petrolea baseball club for $46 95, the amount of judgment and costs secured by the St. Thomas club.

The Point Edward ball team defeated the Port Huron club on Monday by a score of 17 to 4. Port Huron only made seven hits off Fletcher, the Point Edward pitcher.

O'Brien, the Washington second baseman, recently released, has signed with the Providence club, of the Eastern League.

The King Street Methodist and the First Congregational Church ball clubs played on Queen's Park Monday, the Congregationalists winning easily. Score: 35 to 13. Batteries—First Congregational—Willey and Johnston; King Street, Ayers and Ormsby. Umpire—Player.

A very interesting game of ball was played on the Maple street diamond, between O'Connor's team and Jackson's, which resulted in an easy victory for Jackson by a score of 13 to 6. Batteries—O'Connor's, T. Kingsmill and F. Kingsmill; Jackson's, Carter, Spry and Grant.

The game of ball played at Lucan Monday between the Lucan Irish Nine and the Eurekas, of London, resulted in favor of the Irish Nine by 20 to 15. Batteries—Irish Nine, Murdy and Atkinson; Eurekas, Breen and Wooley.

The Junior Stars, of London West, and the Beavers played a game of ball yesterday, the score being 12 to 11 in favor of the Junior Stars. The batteries for Junior Stars were Andrews and Burgess; for Beavers, Routledge and Mitcheltree.

The Junior Stars, of London West, and a picked nine played a game of ball on Monday. The former won by a score of 5 to 10. Batteries for Stars, Andrews and Burgess; for picked nine, Gregory and Padfield.

AQUATIC.

AN EASY WIN.

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—A feature of Labor Day celebration here was a race of one mile on the Red River between Jake Gaudaur, of Rat Portage, and Trainer Dan Murphy, of the Winnipeg Rowing Club, for a purse of $200. Gaudaur was an easy winner.

LACROSSE.

A game of lacrosse, played at Exeter on Monday—Parkhill Juniors vs. Exeter Juniors—resulted in favor of Exeter by 5 to 1.

ATHLETICS.

100-YARDS RACE AT STRATFORD.

A hundred yard foot race was run at Stratford on Monday between S. J. Grosch, of Milverton, and James Murphy, of Stratford, champion of Perth county, for the championship. The race was run in heats, Grosch winning both heats easily in the fast time of 10 2-5 seconds.

GOLF.

IN STOCKING FEET SHE PLAYED

New York, Sept. 8.—It was an odd thing to do, but it was plucky, and so the golfing world will applaud Mrs. W. Butler Duncan to the echo for having played a part of the game it idolizes in her stocking feet.

The way it came about was this: At the opening of the golf tournament at Newport on Tuesday, Mrs. Duncan was a spectator until it was discovered that one of the young men entered had to go over the course alone.

At his earnest request she consented to accompany him as his opponent. Then she remembered that she had on low shoes with very high heels. Now as every golf player knows, it is a perilous thing to try to make the full round of the links in footgear of that sort. The risk of turning an ankle is too great to be taken. Almost any woman but a daughter of dear old Theodore Havemeyer, who was the greatest of our golf enthusiasts, would have been abashed by the situation.

Mrs. Duncan, however, did not hesitate a moment. She ordered her man to drive home, a distance of some three miles, and bring a pair of golf shoes. Before the man could return it became necessary for her to proceed with the game or abandon her purpose of playing.

She preferred the former course, and, calmly removing her high-heeled shoes played in her stocking feet until her golf shoes were brought to her. She said afterwards that the experience was not especially agreeable, but that in this age of golfing and Kneipping she didn't think it was anything to make a fuss about.

WHEEL.

DAVIDSON SECOND.

Buffalo, Sept. 8.—Nearly 6,000 people witnessed the meeting of the Ramblers' Bicycle Club Monday. In the one-mile handicap Davidson, of Toronto, was given second place, when the verdict of half the spectators present was that he had won by several inches. A big kick was made but the Buffalo rider got the best of it. The events were all amateur.

LOUGHEAD WON.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 8.—In the bicycle races of the Connecticut Athletic Association here Monday, F. S. Loughead, of Sarnia, won the mile professional event. Time, 2:18 1-5. Loughead was scratch man. John L. Decker, of Ashley Falls, Mass. (85 yards) was second, and T. Crooks Buffalo, N. Y. (110 yards), third.

THE $2,000 HANDICAP.

Manhattan Beach, Sept. 8.—Saturday afternoon fifteen well-known professional bicycle riders qualified for the final heat of the $2,000 two-mile handicap, which was the principal attraction at the Quill Club's wheelmen's national meet Monday afternoon. The race was won by F. A. Titus, 40 yards; F. A. McFarland, Ran Jor, Cal., 25 yards, second; Watson Coleman, Boston, 80 yards, third; Eddie Bald, Buffalo, scratch, fourth. Time, 4:15 1-10.

A MILE-A-MINUTE BIKE.

New York, Sept. 8.—A mechanical surprise will be sprung on the cycling world within a few days, says the Journal today, and all records of speed will go by the board if the present prospects of the new machine are realized. A well-known Brooklyn lawyer has invented a bicycle with a present gear of 250, and he is confident that he will see a mile close to the minute mark. Albert Schock, the well-known six-day champion, is the only rider of prominence who has seen the new bicycle, and is the only one outside of the inventor who has ridden it. Mr. Schock, who is a conservative man, said:

"I have every belief in the new wheel and really expect it will revolutionize the present bicycle. It is mechanically correct, and with a few minor alterations as to weight and gear I believe the wheel will prove satisfactory. I was very busy in my store one day when a man walked in and introduced himself, stating that he had heard of my ability as a rider, and wanted me to go and look at a new wheel he had invented. He took me to his office, and there showed me what I consider will prove to be the speediest bicycle that has ever been invented. Its present gear is 250, but I advised 150 to 175, although I did not seem to have much more work propelling 250 gear than I did my 90 six-day gear. The speed that you get out of the new bicycle is simply terrific. The inventor is a rather small-sized man, and he tells me that he rode a half mile in 43 seconds, and in a trial I made on the bicycle path the other night, I must have been traveling close to the minute mark. The only difficulty I experienced was in turning, and I think the very high gear is responsible for that.

"I had a private trial at Manhattan Beach at midnight Tuesday, and I am not at liberty to say what time I made. But if I use the machine in the $2,000 handicap on Saturday and Monday I will win the race. I might say that I had trouble at the turns, owing to the high rate of speed attained in the straight, but with a lower gear the inventor is now trying to get I think it will be quite possible to do 1:30 without pace."

The question whether Mr. Schock will be allowed to use the machine in racing was referred to Mr. A. G. Batchelder, the handicapper, and he stated that in the general rules of the L. A. W. racing board clause K covers that point. It is as follows: "The board reserves the right to exclude from the racing path any and all machines which, in its judgment, do not come within the commonly accepted meaning of the term 'bicycle,' either by peculiarity of construction or by undoubted mechanical advantages which they may possess." the new invention undoubtedly possesses mechanical advantages, so it is a question whether the referee, Mr. Mott, will allow him to start in the $2,000 handicap on the new machine.

The power is transmitted by a large central cog wheel, fitted between the large and small sprockets.

SPOKES.

Bay City wheelmen have organized a military division under the direction of the Y. M. C. A.'s physical director. Winter runs will be made, so wheelmen may be hardened to military duty.

THE TURF.

IN ENGLAND.

London, Sept. 8.—At the first day's racing of the Doncaster September meeting yesterday, Mr. Hamar Bassqux's 5-year-old chestnut horse, Carleton Grange, won the great Yorkshire handicap plate. Mr. Leopold de Rothschild's b. c. Jacquemart, second; Sir W. Waldie Griffiths' ch. f. Asterio, third.

AT WINDSOR—TUESDAY.

First race, 7 furlongs—Bombardon 1, Sir Exral 2, Intrigue 3. Time, 1:29½.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Miss Gussie 1, Aspin 2, Hurly Burly 3. Time, 1:02¼.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Alamo 1, Double Quick 2, Logan 3. Time, 1:41½.

Fourth race, 11-16-mile—Deuce 1, Beguile 2, Brier Hill 3. Time, 1:07½.

Fifth race, ⅝-mile, selling—Adam Johnson 1, Mazeppa 2, Bounding Cecil 3. Time, 1:14¼.

In the fifth race of the opening day Tea Rose III. established a new Canadian record at 5½ furlongs, covering the distance in 1:06½, which is within half a second of the world's record.

AT FORT ERIE—TUESDAY.

First race, ⅝-mile, 2-year-old maidens—Spanish Princess won by two lengths; Fleming second by two lengths; Charmeuse 3. Time, 1:03.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling—Savarin won by a head; Kingstone second by half a length; Mohawk Prince 3. Time, 1:28¼.

Third race, ⅞-mile—Langdon won by a length; Earth second by two lengths; Sir Tenny 3. Time, 1:28¾.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Geyser won by a head; Lake Shore second by 1½ lengths; Storm King 3. Time, 1:46¼.

Fifth race, ¾-mile, 2-year-olds, selling—Flying Bess won by a length; Komurasaki second by a length; Olney 3. Time, 1:16½.

CRICKET.

CANADA WON.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—In the international match the United States team averted a single inning defeat, but Canada nevertheless won by eight wickets, making the third consecutive win for Canada. Score: United States, second inning, 129; Canada, second inning, 41 for two wickets. Following is the score of the first inning:

UNITED STATES.

R. D. Brown, b Laing	4
D. Warder, c Hill, b Goldingham	16
W. W. Noble, c and b Goldingham	1
N. E. Hing, b Goldingham	1
W. N. Morrice, b Laing	2
E. W. Clark (captain), not out	34
H. C. Townsends, jun., b Hill	9
G. E. Brooke, b Hill	0
S. Goodman, c Chambers, b McGiverin	0
C. Morton, c and b McGiverin	8
T. C. Jordan, b Hill	1
Extras	9
Total	85

CANADA.

D. W. Saunders (captain), b Goodman	5
W. H. Cooper, c Warder, b Morrice	23
J. M. Laing, b Goodman	0
F. W. Terry, b Townsend	1
P. C. Goldingham, b Townsend	14
M. Boyd, c Morrice, b Brooke	58
A. F. R. Martin, b Townsend	23
George S. Lyon, l b w, b Morrice	28
H. C. Hill, c Morrice, b Goodman	0
A. G. Chambers, b Clark	9
H. B. McGiverin, not out	9
Extras	9
Total	179

A PRINCE'S BOOK.

Prince Ranjitsinhji's "Jubilee Book of Cricket" has just been published and it shows that Ranjitsinhji takes cricket seriously. However, he does not disdain to brighten his pages with an occasional epigram, as when he observes: "The placing of a field is like the losing of a seat in a parliamentary election, it counts two on a division." It has been said that "Ranji," at the wicket, is like a cat batting, so extraordinary an impression of supple agility does he make. Another feline comparison is not inappropriate, for Ranjitsinhji playing cricket must be like a cat watching a mouse, for his eye doesn't seem to have missed the smallest point of the game.

Some pictures in the book are vivid. There is one in particular of a batsman, the last hope of his team, just at the moment when the bowler at the other end is about to discharge the ball. The rest of the story is in the prince's words. There is a little worn and dusty hollow in the turf a couple of yards in front of the crease, and if the bail lights on that, goodness knows what it will do. It may break either way, or it may bump up fiercely, and then one has to take care of one's head as well as one's wicket. Onward rushes the ball, and fair and true it hits the dusty spot. The batsman has followed it every inch of its flight, and his muscles and his nerves turn to steel as it approaches. For the tiniest fraction of a second he loses sight of it in the rising dust, and in that time he endures what seems like a lifetime of painful doubt. But, here it comes. It has taken an ugly twist toward the off stump. In the twinkling of an eye it will be crashing into the wicket. Short time remains to make the decision on which the honor of a county and the fame of a batsman depend. But, "mid-off" has got just a little closer to the bowler than he ought to be; there is a tempting gap in the field. Forward goes the left leg of the batsman, down comes the bat with a straight, strong sweep, and away speeds the ball, a yard or so out of reach of "cover-point," who accompanied by the peccant "mid-off," races vainly after it to the boundary because, of course, the man in the deep field, who ought to have been there, has been sent behind the wicket. As it is, four runs are scored, and the match is won.

Joys such as these are worth living for, and worth reading in Prince Ranjitsinhji's book.

INVADED LONDON.

The Visit of the Cleveland Grays Recalled—A Warm Welcome Here.

The Cleveland Plaindealer of Sunday says:

Just 23 years ago next Thursday the Cleveland Grays made an armed invasion of Canada. They went by invitation, of course, and at the time it was understood that the company was the first Yankee organization that had entered Canada bearing arms since the war of 1812. Anyway special permission was obtained from the Dominion Government before the invitation was issued, and so the Grays entered the Queen's territory with guns and powder and ball.

The powder and ball was taken because the company purposed having its annual target shoot on that day of blessed memory, Sept. 10, rather a singular anniversary to celebrate on British soil, and so on the night of Sept. 9 they went on board the steamer City of Sandusky, Capt. Kirby commanding, and woke up next morning at Port Stanley. Here the boys were met by a committee of the Seventh Battalion, then in camp near London, and after breakfast were escorted aboard the train, the escort being increased by several thousand cheering Canadians when London was reached. Then the company marched out to Camp Kensington, and there they were treated with an amount of courteous and untiring attention that no similar experience in the long history of the command has ever surpassed. The battalion officers were at the Grays' service from the moment of the company's arrival until they marched away at night. And when the company gave one of its characteristic dress parades at sundown the Canadians were quite wild with appreciation. It was something they were not familiar with, and the command certainly presented a beautiful spectacle, dazzling in its Sunday best, the declining sun gilding the polished accoutrements as the men went through the impressive maneuvers. Then followed a big banquet with champaign and toasts, and when it came time to march back to London it seemed as if half the battalion was on hand to escort the Clevelanders to London with flaring torches and exuberant cheers.

The Grays were not a big company at that time, there were only some 40 men in the ranks, but they made a fine impression on the Canadians.

The command came back from its armed invasion without the loss of a man, and with the invading fever strong upon it. The commissioned officers of the Grays on that memorable trip were Capt. John N. Frazee, First Lieutenant Tibbitts and Second Lieutenant Bates.

EXPLANATION OF RECENT TRAGEDY.

Chichester, Que., Sept. 8.—It appears that Mrs. E. Taylor, of Waltham, and her grand daughter Tessie, the daughter of W. O'Brien, of Westmeath, were walking along the shore on Monday when the bank caved in. Mrs. Taylor and the child were carried into the river. She endeavored to save the child by throwing her on the shore, but there was no firm ground left, and both were drowned. Mrs. Taylor was 51 years of age and the child 2 years old.

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To Be Mayor of Greater New York—Thinks Tammany Will Have 50,000 Majority.

New York, Sept. 8.—Richard Croker was a passenger on the American Line steamer New York, which arrived at her dock early yesterday morning. Mr. Croker's fellow-passengers have come to the conclusion that he is to be the Tammany candidate for mayor of Greater New York. "I have not the slightest doubt that Tammany Hall will carry the greater city by 50,000 votes and upwards," said Mr. Croker to the correspondent of the Associated Press. In his sojourn abroad Mr. Croker has made a special study of municipal government, and noticed many ways in which the administration of affairs in New York could be improved by borrowing ideas.

ESCAPED BURIAL ALIVE

The Woman Was About to Be Put in a Coffin.

Erie, Pa., Sept. 7.—The country people in North East township are astounded and greatly awed by the circumstances surrounding the supposed death of Mrs. Mary Marshans, wife of a poor laborer.

Mrs. Marshans has been ill for some time, suffering from a wasting disease. She was supposed to have died on Friday night.

On Saturday evening when the undertaker brought the casket and shroud and neighbors were preparing to enshroud the body they were horrified to find it warm and animated. Restoratives were applied and the woman rallied sufficiently to be able to sit up. She then announced to her friends that she would die in a few hours. At the end of the time she again fixed the hour of her death, but up to the present time is still alive. The supposition is that the woman had been in a swoon and she narrowly escaped being buried alive. The woman has a family of eight children.

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