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a Holiday

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cidents Across the Border.**

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**Five Deaths in Chicago Alone Recor  
-Disastrous Explosion of Fire-  
works at Macon, Mo.**

New York, July 6.—There were fires and 41 accidents reported to the police up to midnight. The accidents were all small, and none of the accidents caused by the discharge of arms or fireworks are serious. The police, looking at the day from

Nonquitt, Miss., July 6.—Henry Stone, of Chicago, vice-president of Chicago, Burlington and Quincy F. way, was instantly killed by the

possession of a bomb at his summer home here yesterday. The children were charging fireworks on the lawn. Stone's little daughter asked him to fire off a bomb. He lighted it and threw it from him, but the explosion did not occur. After waiting a short time Mr. Stone approached the spot where the bomb lay and bent over it.

see what the trouble was, just a  
exploded. Large fragments struck  
in the forehead, and he fell, instantly  
killed.

Macon, Mo., July 6.—At Ethel a  
directed Roman candle struck an  
mense package of explosives, w  
shot off in the midst of the crowd

teming the festivities. Horses re-  
and plunged and tore through  
crowd, knocking people down right  
left. A number of people were st-  
by the flying fireworks and wound  
various characters inflicted. A  
King was struck in the thigh by a  
rocket, which tore its way through  
limb, inflicting a fatal wound.

Chicago, July 6.—Patriotism claf  
five lives yesterday, and there wa  
unusually long list of maimed an  
jured people as a result of the 4  
July celebrations.

The dead—James W. Keene, str  
in the head by a stray bullet.

Charles Smith, frightened by the  
place of

John Hoffweter, 5 years old, killed by the explosion of powder in a glass bottle.

John Thomas, 12 years old, killed in exactly the same manner as Hoffweter.

William Allen, 8 years old, killed by a firecracker.

Little Rock, Ark., July 6.—An accident occurred on the river last night which resulted in the drowning of two people.

Miss Sanders, Miss Arber, and Dante brothers were in a skiff on the river, where they had gone to view fireworks. When the dynamite was

the pleasure steamer U. K. Riggs down their skiff.

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## DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

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St. Laurent, Que., Suffers a Loss

Montreal, July 6.—A fire broke out at 9:30 a.m. yesterday in the village of St. Laurent, about seven miles from this city. Two dwellings were destroyed, and a third badly gutted. The loss is about \$8,000.

Hastings, Ont., July 6.—About 11 m. yesterday fire broke out in front of John Kelley's carriage blacksmith shop, and destroyed the following buildings: John Kelley's carriage and blacksmith shop; loss, \$1,000. Dwelling house owned by John Kelley; loss, \$250. Dr. Berry lived in part of the building.

Mr. McGuire in the other part loss was \$300. W. T. Tate's under-  
ling and cabinet shop and dwell-  
ing on contents, \$1,500. Dwelling  
ed by Mrs. Orro; loss, \$1,200. Town-  
ship, \$3,500; insurance, \$2,000; Pres-  
byterian Church; loss, \$5,000; insur-  
ance, \$2,000. In the town hall, county

rifles and ammunition was destroyed. The Catholic Church caught fire numerous times, but was saved. The brigade worked hard, and but for efforts the Clarendon House and buildings adjoining would have been with the rest.

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as though there was nothing to  
for. There, however is a cur-  
box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pil-  
do wonders in restoring health  
strength. Mandrake and Dan-  
are two of the articles entering  
the composition of Parmelee's

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—Browning.

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## The Governor-General's Oppor-

tunity.

The governor-general has consented to preside at the great public meeting which will be held in Toronto next month to welcome the British Association for the Advancement of Science to Canada. This is the first time that the distinguished body has met outside of Great Britain, and it is announced that the gathering will be unusually well attended. Several hundred eminent citizens of the motherland, many of them in the front rank of the great professions, will be in attendance, and an opportunity will be presented to Lord Aberdeen to do a good stroke for this great Dominion such as has not come to him up till now. The governor-general can tell this representative gathering what his own experiences of the Dominion have been. He can give them the best of evidence as to the salubrity of our climate, whether in summer or in winter. He can tell them of our rich mineral and agricultural resources, but requiring development to add enormously to the prestige of this Greater Britain Beyond the Sea. Lord Aberdeen is himself a Canadian farmer and fruit-grower. He invested capital in our new lands years ago, and he has proved their capacity to produce in plenty that which only a nation most advantageously blessed in point of climate could yield. With all this experience, what more appropriate in this jubilee year, with Canada and her premier so much in evidence in the old land, than that the governor-general should embrace the opportunity presented to him at the coming gathering to make such a truly Canadian address as he is well capable of making? It is a chance to serve which the noble earl is not likely to let slip.

A miniature tornado alarmed the Westminster people for a few minutes. "How would they like to live amid the excitements of Mexico?" The official commission sent by President Diaz to the city of Tehuantepec, in that republic, has ascertained that the city, which had about 7,000 inhabitants, was destroyed by the recent earthquake, and the people are living in tents.

## Elevate Sport.

Everyone who desires to promote and to enjoy clean and decent sport should frown down any attempt to cause degeneration in healthful outdoor amusements. Too often the few are guilty of impropriety, and the many silently suffer rather than appear fastidious. Yet there comes a time when it is necessary to speak out. The attempt by a few young men and boys, who ought to have known better, to incite the dissatisfied to do bodily harm to a baseball umpire in this city was a case in point. It is true the man brought a good deal of it on himself by "sassing" the crowd, and by arming himself with a baseball bat when the players guaranteed him safety; but nevertheless it was hurtful to the game for any portion of a crowd to act in a semi-lawless manner, and the great mass of the 4,000 people so held. At Chatham, too, a correspondent writes, the reputation of the wheelmen was imperiled by the foolish conduct of a comparatively few Toronto young men, who seemed to look upon babyish and rowdyish tricks as first-class "fun," no matter how much their neighbors and the people of Chatham were menaced by their conduct. These young men acted as if half-crazy. They refused to go to bed the first night of the meet, and they kept everybody awake in their hotels by marching up and down and singing. To further prove their breeding, they set on fire the handsome arch which the citizens of Chatham had set up, and after the police had pulled down the structure, to save adjoining buildings, the amateur incendiaries once more fired the inflammable material. All this was done in the name of "sport." But was it sport? We venture to believe that the large majority of the wheelmen repudiate these transgressions against public

and private order as truly representative of the bicyclists who participated in the meet. It could hardly be seriously contended by anyone that the best interests of either ball-playing or wheeling can ever be promoted by practical joking carried to an outrageous extent or by incitements to ill-treat even an incompetent umpire. The sports will endure and draw crowds in proportion as conductors and spectators alike agree to banish from them all tendency to rowdiness. We in London have had little to complain of on this score, but it is just as well to be on the watch.

Yesterday, the people of St. Stephen, N. B., crossed over to Calais, Maine, and aided their neighbors to celebrate the 4th of July. On Jubilee Day, the Calais people celebrated at the Canadian town. Thus is international good fellowship promoted. There should be more of it.

## Great Britain Takes the Solomon Islands

A cable dispatch says that a British man-of-war has hoisted the Union Jack on certain islands of the Solomon group. This, no doubt, means that the government, on the advice of the colonial premiers from the antipodes, has resolved to add these interesting islands to the British Empire.

The Solomon Islands are a group of the South Pacific, lying southeast of New Britain and east of New Guinea, the area of the whole being estimated at 10,000 square miles. Mountains, often of considerable height, traverse them. The shores are generally low, and in some places bordered with mangrove swamps. They are watered by numerous streams, and the temperature is cooled by copious rains. The islands are very fertile. Bananas, yams, sugar cane, and ginger are cultivated; and the bread-fruit, cocoa, and clove trees abound. The inhabitants are negroes and Malays. In 1568, the Spanish navigator, Mendana, sent out by his uncle, Lope de Castra, Viceroy of Peru, discovered the islands. He named them Solomon Islands on the pretense that the riches of Solomon's treasure were brought from them. Mendana died in Santa Cruz group in 1595, while on his way to colonize them, and they were not again visited till discovered by Carteret in 1767. Some partially successful missionary efforts have been made among the natives. They are not of a very high type.

A city legal firm received a business communication this week which incidentally referred to the Queen's jubilee and the feeling over the border with reference to international relations. It concluded: "Next to the United States, there is no country on earth that an American would rather tie to than England. There is no true American who does not feel the greatest admiration for her Majesty the Queen, and who does not rejoice in her jubilee. Here is to her! May she live long!"

## Not Rebels but Canadian Citizens

Two of the ablest of the half-breeds who were goaded into rebellion by Conservative misrule and neglect in 1885 are Messrs. Nolin and Lepine. With others they were afterwards granted full amnesty by the late government. Lepine, being a man of influence and ability, was employed by the Conservative minister of the interior in the land office at Winnipeg. Nolin was elected M. P. P. for Pointe de Chene, and was made minister of agriculture by a Conservative lieutenant-governor on the advice of a Conservative premier. In the evolution of events, these men are now employed by the Dominion Government respectively as interpreter and farm instructor. The changes that have enabled Hon. Mr. Sifton to effect economies in his department have at the same time displaced certain other Conservative office-holders who happened to participate in the suppression of the rebellion, and a foolish attempt is made to raise an outcry against the ministry for partiality to "rebels." The less said about this matter by the opposition critics the better it will be for the reputation of their leaders. The rebellion, as Mr. W. P. R. Street, of this city, proved, when he made his award in the hundreds of cases where neglect was shown, was the outcome of the misgovernment of Conservative ministers. And when an amnesty was granted to the participants all reasonable Canadians reached the conclusion that it would be most unwise to pursue with malignity those who voiced the sentiments of the misgoverned. The amnesty was no half-way measure. It purged the participants in the outbreak thoroughly, and confirmed them in their rights as citizens. The Conservative leaders have already shown, by their indorsement of these men, that they so regarded the final act in the remedying of the wrongs done to the settlers, and it will become any patriotic Canadian to now attempt to stir up strife by shouting "disloyalty" because these men, repre-

sentatives of a type of settler who has done much for the Northwest, are retained in the service of their country.

Everywhere there are indications of a good harvest in this province and in the Northwest.

## School Examinations.

For some days past school examinations have been in progress all over Canada. It is a point well worth the consideration of the educational authorities whether it would not be better to change the period for holding the examinations to some less trying season. With the thermometer dancing in the eighties and nineties, it is almost impossible for a student to do his or her best in an examination on any topic. Indeed, positive harm to the health of students is apt to flow from exciting, hard work incident to passing examinations on difficult subjects. The examinations ought to take place in moderate temperature—say either at Christmas, or during the Easter holidays. What objection could there be to the change? There are many positive advantages.

Australia continues to be ravaged by the rabbit pest. All efforts to exterminate it have failed. In seven years New South Wales has expended over \$4,000,000 in fighting the pest, while since 1890, 955 miles of barrier rabbit-proof fence has been erected. But to little purpose. And what is most alarming is that the rabbit is reported to be developing new and alarming capacities. It can climb trees and fences, crawl through the meshes of wire fences supposed to be rabbit proof, and generally triumph over all the arts employed against it. Queensland is trying, with great patience, to enlist battalions of microbes in the warfare against the all-invasive rabbit. The bacillus of Pasteur's chicken cholera is cultivated and concealed in pellets of pollard, and these are to be scattered over the country. The question is, will the clever little animals eat them, and may not other animals eat and die?

## Bellamy's New Book.

Mr. Edward Bellamy's new book, the first he has published since he wrote "Looking Backward," has been published by Mr. George N. Morang, 63 Yonge street, Toronto. After years of preparation, the author puts forward a work which will command universal attention. The new book, the title of which is "Equality," is larger and more comprehensive than "Looking Backward." The scene is the same—that is to say, the world of the 20th century—and the same characters reappear. But while the new book tells us much that is fresh about the institutions of the world of tomorrow, its especial purpose, as distinguished from that of "Looking Backward," is to account for those institutions by explaining not only their righteousness and reason, but likewise the course of historical evolution by which they were born out of the very different order of things existing today. In this part of his work the author has much to say of the meaning of the events of our own times, which he links with the future by predictions of changes now close upon us. Publication has been simultaneous in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, France, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, Spain, Italy, and other countries. It is of interest to recall that over 400,000 copies of "Looking Backward" have been sold in the United States alone. The book has been translated into the language of almost every civilized country, and its total sale is almost beyond computation. Quite recently the demand for literature dealing with sociological questions has led to the printing of a quarter of a million at a low price in England. The price of this new book is: In paper covers, 75 cents; cloth, \$1 25.

Treating of labor topics in the July North American Review, Miss M. E. J. Kelley writes eloquently upon the virtues of "The Union Label," asserting that the development of industry and the progress of economic thought have lately evolved in the union label an economic force which promises to grow constantly stronger as it becomes more widely known. All the labels indicate a struggle for improved conditions, and in many instances furnish a guarantee that certain evils have been abolished. They have been adopted by more than twenty national trade unions.

## ANYTHING FOR A CHANGE.

Cleveland Plaindealer.  
So hot it was that July day—  
I say it very boldly,  
I almost wished that gentle May  
Would look upon me coldly.

## DIDN'T NOTICE IT.

"Terrible day for perspiration, wasn't it?"  
"I didn't notice it."  
"Didn't notice it? Why, where were you?"  
"In the bathtub all day."

## EVIDENCE—OF A KIND.

Toronto Telegram.  
Conservative journals announce that Hon. J. Israel Tarte has bought a house, and therefore infer that he must be wealthy. If every man who buys a house is wealthy Toronto's assessment book in the boom days was a muster roll of millionaires.

## PAINSTAKING.

"Henrietta doesn't seem to believe anything she sees in the newspapers," said Mr. Meekton thoughtfully.  
"It's a good thing not to be too credulous."  
"Yes, but she goes too far. She can't even read the advertisement bargain sale without going in person to find out whether it's true in every particular."

## Briefs by Wire.

The Montreal board of trade has decided to tender a banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his return.

Paul Cayasque, of Thetford, while out hunting near Sudbury, on Saturday, mistook Peter Potvin for a bear, and shot him dead.

Lieut.-Col. Irwin, who retires from the position of adjutant-general of artillery, will receive, besides the retiring allowance of \$7,500, his imperial army pension of \$1,000 a year.

There is an understanding that the case of Mrs. Nock and Thorne will be brought before the grand jury in New York, and an effort made to secure their indictment for the murder of Goldensuppe.

Rev. John Burton, late pastor of the Northern Congregational Church, Toronto, is now in charge of the Presbyterian Church in Gravenhurst, is lying dangerously ill at the latter place.

One of the smallpox cases at the Montreal hospital has resulted fatally. J. H. Godard, a well-known insurance agent, who was taken ill with the disease a few days ago, died at the civil hospital Monday afternoon. The other patient is recovering.

Robert Gray, employed in the livery stable of John Temple, Hamilton, was thrown from a trolley on Saturday, and the hind wheels passed over his chest. He died on Sunday morning. Gray was 45 years of age, and leaves a widow and several children.

The first of four big conventions to be held in Toronto this summer is the 24th national conference of charities and corrections, commencing on Wednesday next. The other three are the 18th annual conference of the U. G. and the British Science Association.

John C. Gibson, secretary-treasurer of the O'Keefe Brewing Company, and a well-known hotelier, was taken into the Toronto police court to the embezzlement of \$5,000 of the company's money. He was sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary.

The freight passing through the Soo Canal in June amounted to 2,810, 973 tons, an increase of 123,766 tons over June, 1896. The number of craft passing amounted to 2,634, of which 1,297 went through the American and 707 through the Canadian canal.

McLean & Ockley, one of the largest bicycle firms in Canada, have decided to close out their business, the reason given being that the breaking up of the pool on high-grade United States wheels will prevent their firm from continuing manufacturing at a profit. It is said that several other Canadian firms will follow the example.

The returns of the Toronto health officer show a decrease in scarlet fever, 180 cases having been reported in June against 212 in May. Of these only 51 were in the second half of the month. Diphtheria has dropped from 78 to 51, and typhoid from 12 to 7. The water supply is reported to be thoroughly satisfactory.

## DROWNINGS.

## Three Bathers Lose Their Lives in the Treacherous Stream.

Vancouver, B. C., July 6.—William Gardner, wholesaler tea and coffee merchant, and pioneer resident of this place, was drowned on Sunday at Harrison Lake, while bathing.

Toronto, July 6.—A small boy was drowned in the River Don last night. He was in swimming with a crowd of boys, and when the rest came ashore he was missing. No one appears to have seen him go down. He was about 8 years old.

Orillia, July 6.—A young Englishman named a Sid Clark, a painter, went swimming off the end of the town wharf about 10:30 o'clock last night, and was drowned. He lived here for some time, but has no relatives in town.

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## Mrs. Northup's Lodger.

It was a warm June morning, and birds caroled in the tall elms along Grove street. Housemaids were opening parlor shutters or sweeping off verandas with a snaf of song on the lips, and that peculiar stir of the bloom that betokens fine weather and a light heart. The milkman's milk cry was expiring at one end of the long street just as the milkmaid's shrill yell broke the silence at the other. Shadows lay cool on the brown road, and the town gardens exhaled their sweetest odors.

It was just at this moment that Mrs. Northup's lodger turned into Grove street on her way to the postoffice. Mrs. Northup's house was a small, humble little house, with a garden the size of a pocket-handkerchief and a bit of drying lawn at the back, on that fashionable thoroughfare. All the dwellers on Grove street were carriage people, with ample incomes and everything handsome about them. Mrs. Northup was only the wife of a conductor on the Appellate line, with a salary of less than a thousand a year. Her house stood in Ford's alley, and the bit of garden above mentioned abutted on the railway, so that the house was sheltered by passing trains many times a day. The alley was filled with small mechanics' houses and stables, and was not a conspicuously clean little street, and the nearness of the main line, where day and night the trains whizzed past, and steam whistles emitted unearthly shrieks, made it not an ideal country residence.

But Mrs. Northup's house was a shining oasis amid the litter and disorder of Ford's alley. Northup was what the neighbors called a snug man. Fond of doing his own housework, he spent his spare time, and with an inherent streak of neatness, much furthered by Mrs. Northup's good management, Northup was away much of the time and there was only one child, Margery, a quiet little maid of five, Mrs. Northup let two of her rooms to lodgers. It was the new lodger who had the most corner room, and who, after now, as she walked away toward the turning of Grove street, a reserved, quiet young girl, Mrs. Northup could make nothing of her, and the expression on the good woman's face was puzzled and disquieted.

Miss March seemed always to be writing, and the landlady, when she looked into her room, saw a table covered with papers between her and the light. But Mrs. Northup, while in the act of slaving, that the new lodger, though she kept so close to the door, and about her folks, and never made free with anybody, was a perfect lady. Though she looked a trifle older than the month, John Northup had only caught sight of the young lady two or three times as she sat at her typewriter, and a little garden gate, but his wife had imparted to him all her ideas concerning the new lodger, and he had a mysterious respect for this girl—as if her presence in his household had raised the standing of his family in Littlefield.

"Pays her rent right on the nail," said his wife, as she served his breakfast, "and has got a brother at college named Willard. There are only two of them in the world and she expects Willard to do great things. I mistrust she is helping pay Willard's way by her writing, and doing for him what a stranger she has to live and keep soul and body together, poor thing. Do you know, John, I wake up in the night and think about that girl sometimes. I've noticed marks of crying round her eyes, and it's been borne in on me she is very poor."

"You always was soft-hearted, Nelly," said the laconic John, as he took his hat to go to the station. On this fine June morning Mrs. Northup watched Miss March as she went down the alley—a tall, slender young girl, with abundant brown hair and large gray eyes.

"She's got style," thought Mrs. Northup, "if her dresses are poor, sleeky stuff, all black, and without a frill or plait, I never could get my mind to set like hers anyway whatever. But it's her finger, I guess. Yes, she has got a beautiful finger and I am dumpy, and always was. And the becomingness of that black hat of hers, without ever a plume or an ornament, is something wonderful. I do hope she'll get a letter today with good news. Sometimes I think I can tell by the way she steps whether the right kind of a letter has come."

Miss March went slowly up Grove street toward the center of the town breathing the early morning freshness. She, too, was thinking of the letter or no letter that lay at the end of her walk to the postoffice with a kind of shivery dread, half hoping it would not be there, that the matter might still

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hang in doubt, and the fatal day be put off to give her courage to go on with the work. She raised very slowly up the street, lingering like a timid schoolboy who dreads the felling he is sure to get at last. If only the letter should not be there the chances would seem brighter. She had dreamed the night before of a ship sailing before the wind. A bad sign. But now a flock of pigeons came over from the right of Foster's pigeon coots, three black and two white. How superstitious she had grown! What a poor, feeble-minded creature! And she almost laughed aloud at her folly.

Miss March was not a very strong-minded young woman, I am sorry to say. She put considerable faith in a number of foolish little signs and omens. She had an imaginative belief in presences. Now, the little cold shudder that ran down her spine, the sudden bad news, and the walked dejectedly to the postoffice. The clerk at the window knew her face and gave her a glance of recognition as he pushed out a large bulky envelope. Miss March's hand trembled as she reached it forth, and there was a terrible sinking sensation, as if her young limbs had suddenly given way and refused to sustain her. She thrust the sad, tell-tale packet into the pocket of her gown, as if afraid the loungers about the postoffice might guess that her story had been rejected. "Poor Willie! Poor Willie!" she kept saying to herself, and her mind would shut out the truth of presentiments.

She hardly knew how she got through the long passage to the street, or down the steps without falling, things looked so dark to her young eyes, and the feeling of despair was in her heart. The morning sun had mounted higher and was casting down waves of steamy heat. The smell of the June rain, which had been falling for some time, and which made her faint. She made a long detour on the way home, not knowing just where she was going, and the crossings and turnings, but with an inward necessity of keeping on her feet. She passed the little lake, the unassuming where she was accustomed to buy her breakfast rolls; for the walk to the postoffice was taken before the morning meal, and on her return she habitually fired up her little oil stove, boiled water for coffee, and cooked an egg.

But now all thought of breakfast had gone out of her head with the total departure of appetite. She wandered along feeling nothing but the acute-ness of her disappointment, that sent a coldness through her limbs and made her fingers chilly until she woke up out of this blackness of darkness, this dunn and gloom, to find her feet in a pool, ill-smelling part of the Irish quarter, where the untidy houses stood close together, and children were hanging about the doors. Among these tains and odors, with white curtains and windows, and in front a neat bed of nasturtiums and scarlet geraniums, the Yankess thrift of the little house was in such marked contrast to the other tenements in which it was bedded. Miss March glanced at it with a feeble ray of interest. A tall, thin old woman in faded double gown and slippers, who wore gray curls, was out in the yard watering her plants and plucking away the dead leaves. A certain gentility and elegance, an air of old-fashioned grace and good breeding clung to the old lady's figure, and printed its image on Edith's mind. For a moment the trouble seemed to melt away from her heart, and she turned her steps dejectedly towards Ford's alley.

Mrs. Northup, that discerning woman, had been looking out for her lodger. She saw her approach, and said to herself, "She's had a blow of some kind, poor thing. She looks perfectly beat down and discouraged." The landlady's ample person filled the doorway, and her broad smile had a kindly and human kindness. "Come right in and breakfast with me," was the greeting she gave to the young girl, who looked so sad and warm from your walk, and Margery was so glad to have you eat with us. I never saw a child that looks company as she does. Northup had to get off on the early run and we were just getting down. There are plenty of strawberries, and I have made a fresh cup of coffee."

Miss March could not resist the landlady's pleading. She went languidly into the neat little dining-room, where the table was set out with its snowy cloth. The fatal package in her pocket weighed like lead, and she suspected Mrs. Northup of having detected its presence through the folds of her gown. Margery came from the kitchen and sidled up to Miss March with a bunch of old-fashioned cinnamon roses in her hand, and was made happy by being allowed to fasten them to the young lady's bodice.

(To be continued.)

## COUNTY REGISTRAR.

All Also Failing Mr. Geo. C. Ward Is Cured by Eight Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Port Hope, July 5.—No case of recovery from serious illness that has ever occurred in this community has caused as much talk as that of our esteemed fellow-townsmen, Mr. Geo. C. Ward, registrar of this county, residing here. For a long time it had been well known to his intimate friends that he was a sufferer from kidney trouble. For the past year he grew worse, and all efforts to regain his strength were without avail. He is now cured, as he says, by using eight boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and is as well as ever he was in his life.

The longest distance that a shot has been fired is a few yards more than fifteen miles, which was the range of Krupp's 130-ton steel gun, firing a shot weighing 2,600 pounds.

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Owing to the frequency of rabies cases, the privy council of Ireland is about to issue a dog-muzzling order, similar to that enforced in England.

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## The City Council.

The Doctors' Manifesto Referred to the Hospital Trust to Report.

Speakers For and Against the Diamond Jubilee Hospital.

The Fee for Selling Cigarettes Fixed at \$25.

Band Concerts Will Be Given Once a Week

In Victoria Park—Proposal to Muzzle Dogs Laid Over—\$200 for Pasture Institute Expenses—Council Adjourns for One Month.

The perennial jubilee hospital scheme was canvassed from two points of view at the city council meeting last night. Mr. P. W. D. Brodick and Dr. John D. Wilson appeared on behalf of the new hospital movement, which the council had previously indorsed, and Mrs. Moorhouse, Eccles, Gardiner, Cl. T. Campbell and Waugh were present to buttress the already published manifesto signed by 46 physicians, in favor of enlarging the present hospital.

Speakers were allowed five minutes each. The first was Dr. Moorhouse, who said the delegation represented the large majority of the medical profession. The present hospital was erected 22 years ago, and had served a very useful purpose, but since then there had been a great increase in the city population, and almost an entire revolution in hospital methods. The local hospital accommodation had not kept pace with that of other cities. The doctors, as a profession, believed that all hospital accommodation should be under public control. They asked the council to take action at once to enlarge the present hospital.

Dr. John D. Wilson, on the other side, maintained that the medical profession did not differ on one point, that London required a new hospital. From a perusal of the manifesto referred to, it would seem that this was the view of the doctors. He did not coincide with a number of the medical profession in thinking that they should take what they could get now. It would be better to work along for the present without any muzzles, the government inspector, had condemned the present hospital as unfit for the purpose, and he proposed to add pavilions to a building already under official stigma.

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Dr. Wilson said that the manifesto was possible that a sufficient amount of money had been raised now. It would require \$100,000 to erect and equip a new hospital, and all they could do now was to collect some money to form a fund and let it accumulate, but when the entire amount would be raised no one could tell. In the meantime the poor of the city were suffering for want of hospital accommodation. This was a matter for the city council to take hold of, and they should secure from the hospital trust an estimate of the cost of the required improvement, and then ask the council to vote the sum. A new hospital, even if built by charity, could not be maintained by charity.

Mr. P. W. D. Brodick replied on behalf of the diamond jubilee hospital promoters. He said it was the duty of the doctors of London, that the profession was taking an interest in the poor. The doctors had just discovered this since the jubilee committee had begun work, and had been the cause of the insufficient hospital accommodation all this time, while the present institution was under official condemnation. The doctors had taken this action because they were afraid there was to be a new hospital. They were well-founded; there would be a new hospital. Mr. Brodick read the manifesto signed by the 46 doctors. He pointed out that they declared themselves in favor of a new hospital, if the funds could be raised, yet only 6 of the 46 had contributed in the least towards it. They claimed that the burden should be borne by the taxpayers, yet how many of the doctors would feel the taxation? He ventured to say, not 20 per cent of them. Mr. Brodick displayed the charter of the Diamond Jubilee Hospital Company, which had been sent to the government. They could already lay their hands on \$50,000, and he had no doubt \$60,000 could be raised. He thought it significant that the names of three physicians, unusually well qualified in hospital work, should be signed to the manifesto—he referred to Drs. Haffour, Belton and James D. Wilson. Why were they not on the present hospital that it had the best operating room west of Toronto; but he had heard professions made that it had no ventilation. "We have no axes to grind," said Mr. Brodick, "and if the doctors are afraid they will not have control in the new hospital, they may purchase plenty of it. They are working only from philanthropic motives."

Ald. Carrothers moved that the matter be referred to the hospital trust, the latter to report back to the council. Seconded by Ald. Parnell.

Ald. Taylor said he was surprised at Ald. Carrothers going back to the previous vote. He moved that the manifesto be referred to the jubilee hospital committee, seconded by Ald. Rumball.

Ald. Parnell said that the motion approving of the jubilee hospital was passed at the last meeting of the council at the end of a late session, and that no one paid particular attention to it. The hospital trust knew more of the requirements of the sick than the council. Ald. Winnett moved an amendment

that the matter be referred to the hospital trust and the provisional directors of the diamond jubilee hospital. The motion to refer it to the trust alone would be a direct slap in the face to the diamond jubilee committee. The doctors, he said, took offense at some joking remark made by a member of the diamond jubilee committee, and in consequence refused to send representatives to that committee, although requested time and again to do so.

Ald. Rumball said the member of the jubilee committee who made the remark about the doctors was not far astray, as the doctors did not seem able to agree. He had no objection to seeing the matter going to the trust and jubilee committee. They were the mayor voted nay, negating the amendment.

Then Ald. Carrothers' motion to refer the manifesto to the hospital trust was put and carried by the mayor's casting vote.

THE CIGARETTE LICENSE.

The first clause of Ald. McCallum's report (No. 3 committee) recommended that the petition of the city tobacconists for a reduction of the cigarette license be granted.

Squire Smythe spoke for the tobacconists. He said the prices of tobacco to the smokers had risen, and the hotel-keepers could now sell cigarettes without a license fee. The tobacconists, however, did not feel able to pay a \$50 cigarette tax. They were willing to obey the law and to refuse to sell cigarettes to youths under 18. The proposed fee of \$50 would not stop the sale as intended, as they could still be purchased in hotels.

Ald. Carrothers suggested that the fee be reduced from \$50 to \$20.

Ald. Winnett suggested \$25. Ald. Carrothers opposed any change in the \$50 bylaw.

Ald. McCallum also favored the \$50, on the ground that the intention was not so much to tax the tobacconists as to compel the muzzling of cigarettes, which were pernicious.

Ald. Taylor's amendment was carried. Yeas—Taylor, Johnston, Rumball, Stevely, Cooper, Nutkins, Draney and Parnell—7.

Nays—Ald. Olmstead, Winnett, Nutkins, Parnell, McCallum, Gerry—6.

MUZZLING DOGS.

The fifth clause of the report recommended that a bylaw be passed for the present without any muzzles, of all dogs in the city. This was the suggestion of the board of health.

Ald. Draney opposed the clause. There was a great deal of imagination when ever one wanted a muzzle for a dog. It was not the suggestion of the board of health.

The bylaw was subsequently introduced, embodying the motion. It provided that any constable or such official should be at liberty to seize any unmuzzled dog running at large, and deliver it to the poundkeeper, who should keep the dog until claimed; if not claimed, the dog to be shot.

Ald. Olmstead moved that the bylaw be put off six months.

The bylaw was laid over on this objection.

The seventh clause recommended that the tender of the People's Coal Company, for coal for city buildings, be accepted.

Ald. Winnett moved that the company handled Bernice coal, which was 50 cents a ton cheaper than any other. He carried the motion.

Harold Richardson, the next lowest, be accepted.

Mr. Beddome & Brown's tender for the insurance of the firemen, was accepted.

SALVATION ARMY AND THE PARK.

Ald. Parnell read the report of the board of health.

Clause 2 and 3 recommended that the petitions of Mrs. C. H. Blackwell to hold religious meetings and of A. Cass to hold musical Salvation Army meetings, in Victoria Park, be filed.

Clause 2 was carried by a vote of 10 to 2.

On clause 3, Ald. Taylor said he thought Salvation Army music in the park would do harm to the young people. He moved that they be permitted to hold services in the park once a week.

Ald. Cooper suggested twice a week. Ald. Rumball said there were people who objected to the noise, and wanted the park quiet.

Ald. Carrothers said the army had quite enough privileges now. He moved that the petition be referred to the board of health. The motion was lost.

"Yeas and nays," cried Ald. Taylor. Ald. Carrothers (sotto voce)—The barometer is low in No. 1 ward. (Laughter.)

Clause 9—that the petitions of Jas. S. Marshall et al. for the sewer on Picton street, and George N. Kernohan et al. for the sewer on William street, from King street hall, to York street be filed, being insufficiently signed. Carried.

Clause 10—that petitions for asphalt walks be granted as follows, viz: H. C. McBride et al. for one on the north side of Queen's avenue, from Colborne to Maitland streets; R. Hueston et al. for one on the north side of King street from Wellington to Waterloo streets; and W. J. Clark et al. for one on east side of Burwell street, from King to Dundas streets.

Other clauses were unimportant.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Ald. Rumball's report, apart from the accounts, was brief.

Clause 4 gave Edward Rice \$200 to pay the expenses of sending his daughter to the Pasture Institute, New York. A motion to pay his full salary was carried.

Other minor clauses were adopted with one or two exceptions.

BAND CONCERTS.

Ald. Cooper moved that \$300 be appropriated for the band. The money to come out of the unexpended funds granted the jubilee committee. He thought the committee should report on its expenditures.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 48-62; Edmonton, 41-70; Qu'Appelle, 52-70; Winnipeg, 54-65; Port Arthur, 60-72; Parry Sound, 70-88; Toronto, 74-83; Ottawa, 74-83; Montreal, 72-82; Quebec, 70-85; Halifax, 50-64.

**PROBABILITIES.**  
Toronto, July 6-1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region: Moderate to fresh winds; fine and very warm.

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**Stuffed Squash**—Choose a small summer squash with tender skin, wash it, cut out the stem end, remove the pulp and seeds without breaking the squash, mix them with a sausage meat or cold meat chopped fine, season very highly, replace in the squash and bake about three-quarters of an hour.

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When done mix sugar with the reserved white of egg until stiff enough not to drop from the spoon. Apply with a cloth.

**Almond Soup**, with Custard—Four ounces scalded sweet almonds; scald and rub off skins; pound to a smooth pulp in a mortar, adding a few drops of milk to prevent oiling. Gradually mix in a quart of milk and four ounces sugar. Heat over a moderate fire. Meanwhile mix smoothly the yolks of two eggs, a wineglass full of milk and a little salt and pepper. Put into small pan rubbed with salad oil, set into larger pan containing hot water. Heat until the custard hardens. Cut into inch thin strips. When the soup boils mix a half-cup of it with the beaten yolks of two eggs and stir them with the rest. Pour into a tureen and cool. Before serving add the strips of custard and a little nutmeg. (A hot weather dish to be eaten cold.)

**Scalloped Mutton or Lamb**—Chop fine cold cooked lamb or mutton. Put a layer in bottom of baking dish, then a layer of fresh or canned tomatoes, then a layer of bread crumbs, and so on until the dish is full. Season well with salt, pepper and butter. Bake until the bread crumbs are brown.

**Stuffed Eggplant**—Cut an eggplant into halves, scoop out the flesh, leaving a sufficiently thick rind to hold it in. Chop the flesh fine and mix with an equal amount of chopped bread, two tablespoons melted butter, a teaspoonful of salt, a quarter-teaspoon black pepper and a dash of cayenne. Mix thoroughly and put into shells. Bake in the oven until a slice of bacon and bake in a quick oven 40 minutes.

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## A Local Budget

—Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Fletcher have returned from their wedding trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Shepherd, Toronto, are visiting at 502 York street.

—Miss Annie Dickson, of Galt, has returned from visiting friends in London.

—Mr. Frank Lovett, of this city, is spending a couple of days with Galt friends.

—Miss Lena Milne, St. Thomas, is visiting Miss J. Griffin, Victor street, South London.

—Mrs. S. Drewe, of this city, is visiting her parents, Robt. Armstrong and wife, Brussels.

—Miss Minnie Dwyer, Richmond street, has left on an extended visit to relatives in Buffalo.

—Remember the social at King Street Presbyterian Church this evening. A good time expected.

—Mr. R. B. Goulding leaves this week on a business trip of two months through the Maritime Provinces.

—Miss Jennie Kent, of Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Nichols, Wharfedale road, London West.

—Mr. Sam Ewart, of Askin street, was removed to the city hospital on Sunday, suffering from a tumor.

—Mrs. R. Parsons is spending a few weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Parsons, Owen Sound, Ont.

—Miss Ada Potter, of Port Huron, is spending her vacation with friends at Toronto, Hamilton and London.

—A new mail train between Port Huron and Chicago, on the Grand Trunk, commenced to run yesterday.

—Miss Mabel Smith, formerly of this city, but now of Exeter, is visiting Miss May Wyatt, 371 St. James street.

—The very latest designs in all classes of job printing at The Advertiser Job Department. All orders delivered promptly.

—Mr. R. N. Kirkpatrick, who has been visiting J. K. Black at St. Catharines for the past week, has returned home here.

—At a meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association yesterday Rev. Messrs. Lloyd and Ford were received as members.

—Mr. George Powell is calling for tenders for a new store to be erected on King Street, opposite the Grand Opera House.

—Mr. Matthew J. A. Gilmour, of Ypsilanti, Mich., spent the Fourth with his mother, Mrs. William Gilmour, 765 Talbot street.

—The cautious man who hesitated about changing his winter flannels probably has convinced himself that the time is at hand.

—The city assessors have practically completed the assessment of wards 2, 3 and 4. They report the city to have more than held its own.

—Messrs. Daniel Allen, of Malta, and Wm. Allen, of London, have returned home, after visiting their father, Mr. L. B. Allen, Market street, Galt.

—Posters and doggers printed in most attractive style, and on shortest notice, at The Advertiser Job Department.

## The Chilly Evenings

of late have caused a great deal of hoarseness and sore throat, which if left unchecked, generally runs into a deep-seated cough. **Bartwell's Branchial Balsam** is especially adapted for throat and lung affections, and can always be relied on to effect a cure.

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Lamb and O-Tongues.  
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Delicious Coffee.  
Drink New York Ginger Ale.

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ment. Union label attached if desired.

—Work has been commenced on the erection of a 50 by 60 feet three-story addition to the present stores occupied by Runlans & Butler. Mr. H. C. McBride is the architect.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lumsden, of Charlevoix, Pa., are the guests of Mr. F. Moore at Ingersoll for a few days. Mr. Lumsden will visit his mother in this city before returning home.

—In the list of names furnished The Advertiser of pupils who passed from grade III to IV in Victoria school, the name of Willie McCallum was omitted. The lad, however, passed most creditably.

—Messrs. C. B. Edwards and R. A. Gray, of the Collegiate Institute, leave today for Toronto, where they will officiate as examiners in the education department. They will travel by bicycle.

—Rev. J. G. Stuart, of South London, preached an excellent sermon in Knox Church in this place at the service preparatory to the Lord's Supper on Sunday. Nineteen new members were received, two of whom were baptized by Rev. Dr. McMullen.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

—For some time past rails have occasionally been placed across the Vancouver road, near the London View Hotel. It is supposed this practice has been the work of some lads living in the vicinity. A number of wheels and wheelmen have been injured in consequence, one rider receiving a very serious fall. The county police have been notified, and they will take steps to have the perpetrators of the offense prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

—Pte. Chandler, of Wolseley Barracks, was very much exercised last night after purchasing some pars green for use in the garden, he went home and placed it on the window sill, and in the absence of his parents for a few minutes, a 3-year-old boy investigated the parcel, and, as usual in tasting it, spilled it all over his pretty little suit. This excited his parents, who feared that he had swallowed some of the poison. An emetic was administered, but no traces of paris green were found.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. M. Webbe, Waterloo (formerly of London), will be pained to hear of the sad death of their 7-months-old child who died on Friday evening.

The little boy had been ill for only a short time, and medical aid was called in on Friday morning. The physician pronounced it to be a case of diphtheria, and despite all that tender care and the physician's skill could avail, his young spirit took its flight on Friday evening. The remains were interred this morning. The grief-stricken parents have the sympathies of the Twin City and community in this bereavement.—[Berlin News-Record.]

—The services in St. Peter's Cathedral on Sunday were very impressive. At 8:30 Right Rev. Bishop O'Connor celebrated mass and administered the Holy Communion and sacrament of confirmation to about 80 children and nine adults. At 10:30 high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Tierney, assisted by Rev. Fathers McKeown and Tobin. In the afternoon the meeting of the newly-confirmed children and adults was held, for the purpose of consecration and renewal of their baptismal vows. Father McKeown delivered the usual address, which was full of helpful suggestions. The girls of the class were attired in white, with long white veils, and many of the boys carried bouquets of natural flowers.

**A MATTER OF COLORS.**  
"Sister Millie wants to know if you won't let us take your big awning? She's going to give a party tomorrow night, and wants to have it on the piazza."

"Wants my awning?"  
"Yep. She would have borrowed the awning, but theirs is blue, you know, and Millie's hair is red."

**A SERIOUS CHARGE.**  
Squire J. B. Smyth and Mr. James Magee, were occupied from 10 in the morning until late in the afternoon at the city hospital yesterday, taking the deposition of Nellie Nicholl, of Westminster, who is in a very delicate condition, as the result of an alleged criminal assault by Louis Rundle. Miss Nicholl is under 14 years of age, and

well connected, and the accused is also a member of a respectable family. According to the girl's statement the offense was committed near Tempo, in September last, and true to her promise she refused to divulge the name of her alleged assaulter until compelled to do so. The child is a healthy one and doing well, but a surgical operation will have to be performed on its mother this week. Rundle was committed for trial.

**SCHOOL MATTERS.**  
No. 2 committee of the board of education held a meeting last night and decided to recommend the board to proceed with repairs to the city schools. An inspection was made a few days ago, and the committee reported the schools in very good condition this year.

**TERMINATED FATALITY.**  
It will be learned with deep regret that the accident to John W. Fogg, engineer on the Northern Pacific suburban train near Chicago, the other day, has terminated fatally. Mr. Fogg was a native of London, and Mrs. Fogg of Hyde Park. The sympathy of a large circle of friends will go out to her in the great bereavement she has sustained.

**AT PORT STANLEY.**  
The Cynthia, owned by Mr. Mills, Detroit, will proceed on a pleasure trip to Montreal shortly.

The L. E. and D. R. R. will stop at Westington street, St. Thomas, going to and from Port Stanley. Passengers must secure their tickets at the depot. The A. J. Tymon arrived at Port Monday morning from Cleveland with a large number of passengers and a large amount of freight. The steamer left at 10 a.m. for Port Burwell.

The Talbot Street Baptist Sunday school, of London, and Trinity, of St. Thomas, picnic here today.

The Flora brought over several crates of crockery, a quantity of mattress wire and some forty tons of iron on Saturday, and left at 10 p.m. with about 75 excursionists for Cleveland.

Rev. J. H. Courtenay was welcomed back from his vacation by his congregation Sunday.

This evening a social will be held at Mr. Ralph VanSickle's by the Ladies' Aid of the Dexter appointment.

Revs. A. H. Goling, B.A., and S. L. Tole, the new ministers of the Methodist Church for this circuit, commenced their work here Sunday.

The steam yacht Pastime, belonging to Senator McMillan, left Detroit on Saturday afternoon for Charlotte. The Pastime expects to meet her at the Welland Canal.

The first hop of the season at the Fraser House was held on Saturday night. The attendance was larger than the first event of last season. Smith's orchestra, composed of Messrs. L. Bert Billings, Harry Bray and Miss Bromell, furnished the music.

Mr. J. P. Treble, of the Buffalo Fish Company, has been spending a few days at Port Stanley. Rumor says he is withdrawing his interests from the Port on account of not getting a license this season.

Rev. C. Purton preached two very acceptable sermons in Christ Church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Steele, the newly-appointed incumbent, is expected to arrive here, and take up residence permanently during the week. He has lately married, and will occupy the pulpit of the English Church next Sunday. His wife was Miss O'Connor, of Brusse.

The steam yacht Pastime, of Detroit, owned by Mr. F. H. Walker, (Capt. Fred Wilkinson), has arrived here. She is the way to Toronto, where she will be joined by her owner and party on Wednesday, and a week's sport will be enjoyed there before returning. A crew of eight men are in charge.

Capt. F. Jackman, of the tug McRae, registered at the Russell hotel. Capt. Tymon expects to leave for Toronto today.

Recent guests at the Fraser House: James E. Wilkoff, Miss Plunkin, Miss Roblyn, London; D. O. Wilcox, St. Thomas; Miss Jackson and Mrs. Watson, London; Marion Murdoch, Florence Buck, Alice D. Bradley, Arthur Bradley, Cleveland; Harry L. Stark, and friend, Toronto; S. N. Sirling and wife, M. B. Kilgour, Mrs. Beatrice McCann, Mrs. T. Williams, W. Merritt, Mrs. Ferguson, London; Mabel Kent, Wingham; Mrs. W. T. Nicholson, Miss Mabel Westland, W. F. Nicholson, Arthur Lawson, T. E. Lawson, S. P. Lawson, H. H. Young, Fred Henry, A. A. Borg and wife, Miss C. Alexander, W. S. Westland, John I. A. Hunt, London; Willard McChapman, Rochester, N. Y.; H. M. Little, G. B. Slight, E. H. Graydon, St. Catharines; Geo. D. Watt, London; Andrew Pattullo, Woodstock.

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No. 1 Company, 387 153 137 191—368.  
No. 2 Company, 319 207 203 272—1,201.  
No. 3 Company, 338 217 163 209—927.  
No. 4 Company, 248 159 119 197—713.  
No. 5 Company, 179 118 88 80—463.  
No. 6 Company, 312 183 149 147—832.  
No. 7 Company, 335 229 141 190—904.  
No. 8 Company, 178 93 78 111—460.  
No. 9 Company, 363 196 200 238—1,017.

Total .... 2,651,170,5 1,376,172,74,555.  
No. 1 Company, 38 men—Average, 23 points; highest score, Sergt. Ross, 55 points.

No. 2 Company, 37 men—Average, 32; highest score, Corporal R. Carrick, 58.

No. 3 Company, 32 men—Average, 29; highest score, Sergt. McTaggart, 52.

No. 4 Company, 22 men—Average, 32; highest score, Sergt. McVitty, 53.

No. 5 Company, 18 men—Average, 26; highest score, Sergt. W. S. Armstrong, 59.

No. 6 Company, 24 men—Average, 35; highest score, Pte. Harding, 47.

No. 7 Company, 39 men—Average, 29; highest scores, Pte. Elliott and Wood, 49 each.

No. 8 Company, 17 men—Average, 27; highest score, Sergt. Henry, 52.

No. 9 Company, 36 men—Average, 28; highest score, Pte. A. Wilson, 48.

**NOTES.**  
Pte. W. Wilson, No. 4 company, Clinton, Huron Battalion, has been called home on account of the death of his mother.

Lieut.-Col. Smith was to have delivered a lecture to the officers last night, but the lecture was postponed.

The baseball cranks of the Thirty-third Battalion are anxious to hear from some of the city amateur teams. The books of the Thirty-third have been inspected by C. L. Smith and found in good condition.

Lieut. Archie Becher, of this city, has been temporarily placed in charge of No. 2 company of the Thirty-third Battalion, sustained a painful cut in the forehead. He was standing out in the ball game between two picked

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**CREPONS** "Crinkled loveliness" is the term that best describes these airy, fairy crepon weaves—all colors, light and dark, especially light green—28 inches wide—were 12½c a yard, now... 8c

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**ENGLISH PRINTS.** Only a very few of these English Prints left—we had a full range of colors, but now only blue, green, pink and heliotrope are left—full 30 inches wide—were a York shilling..... 9c

**SATEENS.** These are wash goods that will stand the washing—many colors that are advertised as "fast" prove their "fastness" only by "running" the first time they're introduced to a wash tub. Our guarantee goes with these sateens. All the newest checks full 32 inches wide, cheap at 15c..... 10c

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