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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Wolfe Island Hockey Situation.
Kingston, March 8.—(To the Editor): In your issue of yesterday, March 7th, you published an interview with Mr. Cosgrove, of Wolfe Island, and in that interview, you quoted Mr. Cosgrove as follows:

"The first they knew that the Wolfe Island team was to play in the finals with Verona on Monday evening was when one of the members saw a bill posted on a street car announcing it."

This statement, Mr. Editor, I beg to inform you; is not in accordance with the facts, for on Friday morning, March 4th, at 8.30 o'clock, I called Mr. Davis, the manager of the Wolfe Island team, on the telephone and notified him that the final game would be played on either Saturday, March 5th, Monday, March 7th, or Tuesday, March 8th. He informed me that the team could not play on Saturday, but that any time during the next week would be suitable, Tuesday preferred. Unfortunately, the rink authorities stated that the only night available was Monday, and the rink was, therefore, engaged for that night. I then notified the two teams concerned by letter, mailing the same at noon on Friday, March 4th.

As to my reasons for not calling a meeting of the executive to deal with certain remarks contained in a letter addressed to me by Mr. Cosgrove, I can only say that the executive met twice and settled the question which was raised; once on February 2nd, and again on February 25th, at which meetings Dr. Sargent, of Sydenham, E. Noble Steacy, Kingston, and the secretary attended.

You also published an interview from Mr. Garvin, of Sydenham, who states that according to O. H. A. rules, it is necessary for a referee appointed to declare the game by default. In this connection, I desire to point out to Mr. Garvin, who apparently has a great deal to learn about what is just and right, that any tribunal in Canada, after hearing that the Sydenham team failed to put in an appearance for two duly authorized matches, would have no hesitation in granting the games to Verona by default, notwithstanding the fact that there was no official referee present, through no fault of the Verona team.

There has been far too much idle gossip of the venomous kind in connection with these matches. There have been statements made, without any regard for the truth, by certain people in the county, who have become enthusiastic over the games. It has been widely circulated that Dr. Edwards, the donor of the cup, influenced the executive in their decisions. This statement is absolutely false, and I speak now as representing the executive, mentioned above, that Dr. Edwards has not interfered in the administration of the county league in any particular. A question was submitted to him once, as to what constituted a resident of the county, and he replied that he knew nothing about hockey regulations, but referring to the regulations for the guidance of voters in voting at a federal or provincial election, he would say that a man's domicile is where his parents live, unless he takes up a permanent position in some other town or city and severs the link in the chain which binds him to his home.

I want to thank you, Mr. Editor, for the valuable space you have given to this matter.

LT.-COL. GEO. H. GILLESPIE,
Secretary, County Hockey League.

Opposes Medical Monopoly.
Toronto, March 8.—(To the Editor): The British Whig of March 5th contained an extract from a memorial to the government by the Ontario Medical Association, which, among other things about Christian Science, stated: "A careful study of.....the textbook of this denomination reveals a deplorable condition of ignorance about disease."

Christian Scientists have ever spoken of the medical doctors with respect. In fact, it would be impossible to find in the authorized literature of the Christian Science movement anything but the most charitable comment on their efforts to aid humanity.

But, as we are here accused of possessing a "deplorable condition of ignorance about disease", we might examine this statement in the light of published statements by well known physicians, just to see where it leads. Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., a surgeon we all know by reputation, delivered an address before the Chicago Medical Society in November, 1915, in which, speaking of one of the best known hospitals, he said: "A report from the Bellevue Hospital shows that in over fifty per cent. of all autopsies extending over a considerable period of time, the diagnoses were incorrect, both as to medical and surgical cases." This statement was reported in the Chicago Medical Recorder of Dec. 15th, 1915.

A few years ago Richard C. Cabot, M.D., of Boston, one of the best known physicians in the United States, compared the pathologic conditions discovered by postmortem examinations with the diagnoses made

during life in the case of three thousand patients who had died at the Massachusetts General Hospital. These cases included twenty-eight diseases, and the percentage of mistaken diagnoses varied from five in one class of cases to eighty-four in another, the average of mistaken diagnoses in the twenty-eight kinds of cases being 45.5 per cent. This was in one of the leading hospitals in the country where all available aids to correct diagnoses ought to be had. (See Journal of the American Medical Association Dec. 28th, 1912, and Dec. 12th, 1914).

Is the practice of medicine, therefore, safe and certain enough to be a natural monopoly? If it were, it would not need to be imposed upon the public by statute. But, since it is not safe and certain enough to become a monopoly by the natural law of supply and demand, to give it a statutory monopoly of all healing would be nothing less than a monstrous violation of human rights.

—GAVIN W. ALLAN
Committee on Publication for Ontario

BUTTER MAKER'S COURSE

Is Now in Progress at the Eastern Dairy School.

A special buttermaker's course opened at the Eastern Dairy School this week, and there is a large class in attendance from all over the eastern part of the province. The students arrived Monday and Tuesday, and the lectures opened on Wednesday. The short course given the creamerymen last year was such an unqualified success from every standpoint that it was decided to repeat the course this session. It includes a practical demonstration of butter making by the latest scientific means. In addition to lectures by Prof. Zuffelt and Chief Inspector G. G. Pullow, and the regular staff, lectures are being given by John H. Scott of the municipal abattoir, Toronto, Mr. Stainton, of the Dauphin Creamery, Dauphin, Manitoba, and George H. Barr, chief of the dairy division, department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

The product of the dairy school is regarded by the citizens of Kingston as the highest grade butter, and it is the aim of the school to produce butter of the same superior quality throughout the province, and the short course for buttermakers is of inestimable value, as it provides the opportunity to makers to check up their work and start anew in their respective localities. Only in this way can a uniform standard be maintained, and Canada's butter hold its high place in the markets, whether domestic or foreign. In this work the officers of the Eastern Dairy School have displayed great zeal and to them is due the great advance made in dairying in this part of the province.

As practically all of the creamery butter made in the province is produced from cream obtained by the use of the cream separator; operated on farms, the instructor given takes account of the mechanical construction, care, and operation of the separator itself and deals with the sanitary and other conditions affecting the quality of cream from the time it is produced on the farm till it reaches the creamery. The school maintains and operates a model creamery the entire year, and offers exceptional opportunities for students to obtain a practical knowledge of present day methods. Cream grading, pasteurizing, neutralizing, control of moisture, etc., in fact the whole art of butter-making is demonstrated in such a manner that each student becomes thoroughly familiar and trained in the most up-to-date methods. Sight is not lost of the fact that it is a school, rather than an experimental station, and the greater part of the work consists of instruction in what are regarded as the best methods.

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Kingston	4:45 p.m.	Ottawa	2:30 p.m.
Kingston	11:15 p.m.	Ottawa	7:45 a.m.
RETURNING		ARRIVE	
Ottawa	9:30 a.m.	Kingston	2:30 p.m.
Ottawa	1:00 p.m.	Kingston	2:30 p.m.
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