

ONTARIO ... UMPIRE.—Mr. J. Atkinson, Hamilton.

About the same time (8 a.m.) a match in the third class, between two winning clubs—the "Beavers," of St. Mary's, and the "Morning Stars," of London—was commenced in the Infantry Barrack Square, a larger attendance being present at this game than that on the Cricket Field. The contest was rather one-sided all through, the "Beavers" batting and fielding handsomely, and winning the game by 23 runs. There was considerable dissatisfaction expressed by the "Stars," on account of the "Beavers" having members of another club playing with them, but whether a protest will ensue therefrom we are not prepared to say. The score stood at the close: Beavers, 46; Morning Stars, 23.

In the afternoon, and long before the hour of calling the game between the first-class clubs, the spectators commenced to throng the stands and grounds, manifesting the greatest interest in the match about to come off. There could not have been less than 2,000 people present on the ground, both stands being completely filled, while on the west side of the square, the crowd was very large. At about 2.30, the contesting clubs—"Maple Leaf" of Guelph, and "Victoria" of Ingersoll—appeared on the green, dressed in very pretty uniforms, the former having a suit of gray, with purple stockings, and the latter wearing their new uniform, consisting of a white cricketing flannel shirt, light grey trousers and scarlet stockings, with a neat cap. Very few bets were made, the "Maple Leaf" having the odds in nearly every instance.—The captains chose Mr. E. M. Moore, of the "Tecumseh" as umpire, and in a few minutes afterward the game was called. In the first and second innings it was quite evident that the "Vic.'s" had but a poor nine playing, and their opponents one of the most compact and best-placed teams that could be put on any field. The sharp fielding, splendid catching and general behaviour of the Guelph men were much admired by the spectators, who applauded them at every opportunity. The Ingersollites received a fair share of applause also, but nothing in comparison to their opponents. The latter nine "muffed" a good deal, and did not play their usual game. One of them, Mr. Berry, was taken sick on the third innings, and was relieved by Mr. Rodenhurst, who seemed sadly out of practice. Their opponents, however, were more than a match for them in any position, and won by a score of 76 to 32.

MAPLE LEAF.				VICTORIA.					
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Coulson, 2 b.....	4	8	Jackson, c f ...	1	6				
Steele, r f.....	2	10	Hearn, c.....	5	3				
Nicholls, c	3	9	Gibson, p	3	3				
Smith, s s.....	1	10	Crotty, l b.....	4	3				
Sunley, p	3	9	Bickerton, l f...	5	2				
Goldie, l f.....	4	7	J. Taylor, 3 b...	3	4				
Stevenson, l b...	6	6	Berry, 2 b	2	2				
Maddock, 3 b ...	1	10	W. Brown, r f...	3	4				
Hewer, c f.....	3	7	W. Taylor, s a.	1	5				
		27	76			27	32		
INNINGS.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
MAPLE LEAF	4	12	9	8	12	3	7	17	4—76
VICTORIA	6	7	0	0	0	0	9	8	4—32

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