A ball game of more than usual local interest will be played on the fair grounds diamond Monday afternoon. It will be between the Minnequa Doctors and the Hamlins. The contest will be for the amateur championship of the city. The Medicos have just captured the pennant of the Pueblo City league, by a good percentage having dropped only one game of the entire series. That was to the Y. M. C. A.'s who won out in an extra inning contest. On the other hand the Hamlins, who were not in the league this year, captured the pennant last season and in the only game played between the Doctors and Hamlins this season the latter were victorious in a close contest. The Doctors claim that they did not play their usual game at that time and are anxious for another trial. Miller, who did the twirling when the Hamlins won, will be on the firing line for them again while Gum will probably be the gunner for the Champions.

Never before has there been so much rivalry existing between two local teams, and as both aggregations have many admirers in the city, there will no doubt be a big attendance at the fair grounds.

While the Doctors have been taking games from all the teams of the city league, the aHmlins have waged war in surrounding towns. The line ups of the two teams and final details will be announced Sunday morning.

Vicious Canine Bites Small Boy

Henry Miller, the 9-year-old son of John H. Miller of 1542 Pine street, is said to be in a serious condition as a result of being bitten by a vicious dog yesterday morning. Young Miller was playing at a neighbor's house with another boy. The two boys had a dead mouse and were throwing it to the dog. The dog was not supposed to be vicious, but when the Miller boy started to take the mouse away from the dog, the animal resented the action and jumped at the boy, sinking his teeth into the little fellow's side. He then bit him on the arms and legs and in places the flesh was badly lacerated.

The neighbor boy succeeded in calling the dog away, and the injured lad was carried to his home and medical aid summoned. The boy is in a serious condition both from the injuries and from fright. The wounds are considered serious on account of the hot weather. A policeman was summoned to kill the dog.

Eyes Burned

Charles Whistler, an employe of the steel works, met with a peculiar and painful accident yesterday morning. While he was working around some chemicals his eyes were badly burned by sulphuric acid fumes. He was blinded for some time and suffered much pain. He was taken to the dispensary where, after receiving treatment, the injury was much relieved and he will be able to be at work again this morning.

Colored Man Cuts Another Seriously

Shouts of murder following a conflict between two colored men at the corner of Elm and Abriendo last night at 11 o'clock brought Officers Sands and Walton to the scene and probably saved the life of Ike Boner. When the officers arrived William Davis, also colored was on top of Boner wielding a razor with vigor and Boner was badly gashed about the head and breast.

It is understood the trouble arose over Davis' suspicions that Boner, who had been boarding at the Davis home, had been paying too much attention to Mrs. Davis. The officers arrested Davis and took Boner to the police station, where his wounds were dressed.

Rush For Tickets

The Bessemer Chieftain newsboys were all getting ready yesterday afternoon for a grand run to The Chieftain office at 9 o'clock this morning to secure tickets for the opening of the Denver and final series of the season. They all agree that The Chieftain is the "Best in the West" and will root at the top of their voices for the Shriverites.

Scholz Returns

Dr. S. B. Scholz, of the C. F. & I. dispensary and inspector general of the national guards of Colorado, returned yesterday morning from Portland, Oregon, where he, with Governor McDonald and staff, were present on Colorado day, last Tuesday.

Cousins Scrap

Mark and Daniel Predovich, cousins who reside in the Grove, were arrested yesterday morning on Northern avenue by Officer Stanco on a charge of disturbance. One of the cousins is employed at Schon-Klinstein's and the other at the Chicago Liquor house. It is not known what started the quarrel, but it resulted in blows. Mark went to Officer Stanco and asked him to arrest his cousin on a charge of disturbance. The officer replied that he would have to take both of them, which he did.

BESSEMER BRIEFS.

F. L. Stephens, of Bay State street, has returned from a week's visit in the San Luis valley.

Mrs. Victor Johnson, of Minnequa Heights, is enjoying a visit from her Mrs. Lou Cummings, of Fort Worth, Worth, Texas. Mrs. Cummings was accompanied by her daugter-in-law, Mrs. Lou Cummins, of Fort Worth. They will visit here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Roberts, of 1310 Cypress street, are the parents of a bouncing baby boy.

Oscar Thrane, of east Northern avenue, is recovering from a few days' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Aubet, of Chicago, who have been the guests of Robert Lalfoot for the past two weeks, left yesterday for a brief stay in Colorado Springs after which they will spend a few weeks in California before returning to Chicago.

Miss Julia Price of Sedalia, Mo., is spending a few weeks with relatives in Minnequa Heights.

Real Estate Transfers.

Realty transfers reported yesterday by the Barndollar-Security Abstract company, corner of Third and Main:

Agostmo Allito to Marietta Porrega, S half lot 20 block 5, Bessemer, ... $800

Charles B. Crawford to P. C. Dunlap, lots 3 and 4, block 5, Moses Bros Sub. $1

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At Pueblo, in the State of Colorado, at the close of business May 3, 1905.

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U. S. bonds to secure deposits ...
Bonds, securities, etc. ...
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Due from state and private bankers ...
Due from approved reserve agents ...
Checks and other cash items ...
Exchanges for clearing house ...
Notes of other national banks ...
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents ...
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:
Specie ...
Legal-tender notes ...
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) ...
Due from U. S. treasurer other than 5 per cent redemption fund ...
Total ...

LIABILITIES

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Surplus fund ...
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid ...
National bank notes outstanding ...
Due to other national banks ...
Due to state banks and bankers ...
Due to trust companies and savings banks ...
Individual deposits subject to check ...
Demand certificates of deposit ...
Time certificates of deposit ...
Certified checks ...
Cashier's checks outstanding ...
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Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers ...
Total deposits ...
Total ...

State of Colorado, County of Pueblo, ss.

I, R. F. ..., cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—A ...

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 1905. A ...

BODIES OF MOTHER AND SON FOUND

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drugs. He states that he questioned his assistant, D. C. Bushby, but that the latter has no recollection of putting up the chloroform or any other poison. Mr. Kennerly, states, however, that it is possible that Mrs. Haver, being a regular patron of the store, might have purchased the chloroform on two separate occasions during the past, in order not to court suspicion, and he believes that on one day about a week or so ago, she did buy some chloroform there to be used for "cleaning dresses," as she said.

Mr. Haver's Statement.

Mr. Haver, in an interview late yesterday afternoon, had the following to say regarding the tragic affair:

"I don't know as I have anything to say further than what is already known. Mrs. Haver has been under a high nervous strain for the past five or six years and has on several occasions during the past threatened to to take her life, one of these instances being only recently. She was a very nervous woman and some of her close friends believe or rather thought that she at times showed signs of mental aberration, but this was only brought about by her high nervous tension.

"I, in company with my 16-year old son Frederick, left Wednesday morning for Rocky Ford, and we returned about 8:30 o'clock that night, when the first news of the sad affair was imparted to me. I immediately went with Superintendent Bentley to the ditch where we found Mrs. Haver's hat and Robert's cap, a short distance from which lay the chloroform bottle, half full of the drug. I realized at once what had happened and we then spent the night searching for the bodies, but I grew so weak under the strain of the terrible affair that I was forced to discontinue the search.

"None of the children, with the exception of Robert, were at home when the mother left. During the morning she sent my little daughter, Emily to her aunt's to stay all day and left a note to my eldest daughter, Jessie, eighteen years old, giving her some motherly advice, but did not mention her suicidal intentions in this epistle."

Woman's Mother Talks.

Mrs. Mary Baird Finch, mother of the deceased woman, and who has attained quite a reputation as a writer of verse, said:

"Mrs. Haver was putting up some curtains at their home Wednesday morning when I called at the place. We had been visiting some friends on the east side and had decided to hitch up the horse and buggy some time during the afternoon and go over there. About 9:30 o'clock that morning Mrs. Haver drove to town, for what purpose I do not know, but I now believe her mission was to secure the chloroform. She returned about noon and I later called and asked her if she was ready to go over on the east side, but she said that she did not believe that she cared to go, but for me to take the buggy. We talked for some little while when suddenly she secured one of Eugene Field's books and handed it to me, saying to give it to one of her young nephews. She then handed me two photographs of Robert and also gave me two, two cent stamps and said to mail them to whoever I wanted to. She expressed sorrow at not being able to have something to give another one of her nieces. I was rather surprised at these actions on her part as her nieces and nephews together with her brother Judge James Finch, and his wife of Neelye, Neb., had already left to visit her in Pueblo. I said: 'Maud, why don't you wait and give the things to the children when they get here?' She did not reply and as she was not feeling well I did not care to question her further about the matter.

"When I got in the buggy to go to town she came to me and throwing her arms about my neck said: 'Goodbye, Mamma,' which caused me to fear that something was wrong, as never before had she bade me goodbye when I had started to town. These were her last words to me as when I returned in the evening I learned of her rash act."

Mrs. Haver was 45 years old and was married to Mr. Haver about seven years ago. Her maiden name was Maud Finch. Besides her husband she is survived by a sister, Geraldine Lanson, at Paonia, Colo.; a brother, Judge James Finch, of Neelye, Neb., now en route to Pueblo on a visit; another brother, D. Finch, in charge of a government trading post in Alaska; her mother and another brother Earl Finch, the latter two living at 1051 Veta avenue. Before her marriage to Mr. Haver, she was a school teacher in the Pueblo county schools.

The step children, by Mr. Haver's first wife who are also living are: Jessie, aged 18; Frederick W., aged 16, and Emily, aged 12 years.

Former Tragedy in Family.

On the afternoon of May 4, 1897, Frances, the one year and nine months old daughter of Mr. Haver's first wife, was drowned in the Bessemer ditch, a few hundred yards from the home. The little one was just old enough to toddle about. Unnoticed she left the house and for a few minutes her absence was not noticed. Mrs. Haver finally began a search for the child and the baby was found in the ditch into which she had apparently fallen and was unable to regain her feet. The ditch had about eight inches of water in it at the time but it was sufficient to strangle the little one. Everything was done to resuscitate the child but all efforts were unavailing. The funeral was held the next day.

Four days later Mrs. Haver died as the result of accidental poisoning by taking an ounce of carbolic acid mistaking it for peppermint. Ever since the death of her little daughter four days previous Mrs. Haver had been greatly depressed and acted quite absent-mindedly. She got up early on the morning of May 8, complaining of cramps and went down stairs intending to take some peppermint. In a few moments Mr. Haver was alarmed by hearing his wife groan. Hurrying down the flight of stairs to where she lay he found that she was unable to speak. Near by an empty unlabeled bottle was found which had contained carbolic acid. She managed to convey to her husband that she had taken it by mistake. Such remedies as were at hand were administered and Dr. A. T. King was summoned, but in spite of all efforts she soon died.

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CZAR WILL STAND BY PEACE TREATY

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Mr. Witte is exceedingly anxious to sail for home on Sept. 12.

In the meantime he is to take leave of President Roosevelt personally and present the thanks of the emperor for the president's assistance. He is therefore doing what he can to hasten the drafting of the treaty, which he would probably be prepared to sign by Tuesday or Wednesday of next week at the latest unless some obstacle should arise. The only difficulties which have thus far appeared have been due to the ambiguous language of certain parts of the daily protocols which form the framework of the treaty. It is expected here that the long experience and recognized authority of the famous international lawyers are proving of assistance to Japan as well as to Russia. Both Mr. De Martens and Mr. Dennison, who is also well grounded in international law, are selecting with great care the language of each article in order that the treaty may furnish no ground for differences in the future and accurately record the exact spirit as well as the substance of the agreements concluded in the conference by the plenipotentiaries. It thus happens that the framers sometimes spend an hour in the selection of one word, to finally find that they are both striving to express the identical idea.

NICHOLAS SENDS HEARTY GREETINGS TO ROOSEVELT

By Associated Press.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 31.—Emperor Nicholas, of Russia, has recognized gratefully the great part which President Roosevelt played in the successful negotiations for peace. In a cablegram received by President Roosevelt today, Emperor Nicholas extended President Rosevelt his earnest thanks for his efforts. The cablegram follows:

"Peterhof, Alexandria, Aug. 31.

"To president: Accept my congratulations and warnest thanks for having brought the peace negotiations to a successful conclusion owing to your personal energetic efforts. My country will gratefully recognize the great part you have played in the Portsmouth peace conference.

"NICHOLAS."

That the Russian emperor should thank President Roosevelt for his efforts to insure peace between Russia and Japan was to have been expected, but it is particularly significant that in his cablegram, Emperor Nicholas extended to President Roosevelt his "warmest thanks for having brought the peace negotiations to a successful conclusion." The dispatch is regarded as one of the most remarkable of its kind ever sent by the head of one nation to that of another.

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