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WHEN ST. JOHN BALL PLAYERS WENT TO DEFEAT IN BANGOR

Story of An Old Time Ball Game Played in Bangor on July 4, 1876, Between Bangor Orients and Mutuals of St. John.

(Bangor Commercial.)

The Commercial has received a letter from Charles F. Olive of the St. John Times asking that it publish the account of the baseball game which was played in this city, July 4, 1876, between the Bangor Orients annd St. John Mutuals.

As there is considerable local interest in happenings of these early days, the Commercial takes pleasure in publishing the complete story which was printed in the Commercial of July 5, 1876

As far as the Commercial can ascertain, a number of members of the Bangor Orients are still alive. Flemming is in San Francisco, Ball at Bucksport, Eugene M. Hersey died recently, and David J. McGraw has a grocery store at the corner of Grove and Garland streets, and Fred Woodbury is a railway mail clerk, while the other members of that famous nine cannot be located.

The account was as follows:

Perhaps the most exciting feature of yesterday's entire programme was the match game of baseball between the Orients of Bangor and the Mutuals of St. John, for a silver ball, offered by the city of Bangor.

Somehow or other the people got an inkling that the game would be a very hotly contested one, and, as a result, 200 people, in carriages and on foot, gathered to witness the sport. The carriages occupied the streets and "outfield," while the pedestrians crowded close to the lines of the diamond, on the third and first base sides. The St. John visitors occupied a position at the side of the catcher's stand and opposite the scorers.

The grounds were not in excellent condition, but were, nevertheless, much better than formerly. During the forenoon sawdust had been distributed in places needing it, especially in wet spots.

The Orients won the toss and sent the Mutuals to the bat. Each club scored one on the first innings.

The Mutuals went in on thir second innings, and, through unfortunate playing on the side of the Orients, succeeded in making five scores. The Orients took their half of the innings in a blank.

Again the Mutuals took up the bat and succeeded in entering five more scores before the third man was out. The Orients went in for another one, two, three—out.

On the fourth innings the Orients held the Mutuals down to one score, and by hard work made three for themselves.

The game now stood 12 to 4 in favor of the St. John boys, and Bangoreans began to grow down-hearted. How our boys were going to pick up they couldn't see—but they picked up, nevertheless. The Mutuals, confident and happy, went in on their fifth. But alas for them, the Orients had commenced business in earnest and without adding a score to the list, our provincial cousins gave up the bat to the Orients. By good playing on the part of the Orients and errors with the Mutuals, our boys succeeded in making five scores. The shouts, yells and hurrahs which greeted this unmistakable improvement on the part of the Orients was deafening.

The Mutuals went in for another blank on sixth innings, while our boys succeeded in adding two runs to their score. This left the game standing at the end of this innings 12 to 11 in favor of the Mutuals.

On the seventh innings the Mutuals scored two and our boys three. This tied the score and caused a great shout.

Again the Mutuals took up the bat on the eighth inning and got two runs, when the Orients ran around the bases four times and for the first time in the game went ahead. This, too, was greeted with shouts.

And now the Mutuals step to the striker's plate for the ninth and last time. The Orients are two ahead of them and have yet another chance at the bat. The Mutuals got one man as far as the second base when the third baseman took a fly and one man was out. Another Mutual struck the air three times and he retired. Then another Mutual put a fly down to second base and was taken—three out, side out and our boys victorious.

Hurrah for Bangor! The crowd was almost frantic with joy and crowded around so it was hard work to clear the field. The Orients then went out in one, two, three order, but the game was theirs and don't you forget it!

Below we give the score in full. Lest some of our readers may not understand what the words over the figures opposite each player's name mean, we will take the first man on the list. For instance, McGraw is marked: runs, two; put out, two; assisted, two; 1st base, two; it means that he got two scores, put out two Mutuals, assisted in putting out two more and reached his first base twice.

ORIENTS.

	RS.	PO.	A.	FB.
McGraw, p.	2	2	2	2
Decrow, c.	1	8	6	2
Goodale, 1b.	2	9	0	3
Ball, 2b.	1	2	3	2
Flemming, s. s.	2	1	2	2
Robertson, 3b	4	3	2	5
Hersey, l. f.	1	0	0	2
Woodbury, c. f.	2	0	0	2
Carter, r. f.	3	2	0	3
	18	27	15	23

Home runs—Hersey, 1.

MUTUALS.

	RS.	PO.	A.	FB.
Crandall, p.	3	3	1	4
Turner, l. f.	1	0	1	4
McLaughlin, c.	2	5	4	2
McMichael, 1b	1	12	0	5
Bennett, 2b.	0	1	1	2
Doherty, 3b.	1	3	0	2
Snider, ss.	4	0	0	4
Rollins, c. f.	3	3	1	5
Olive r. f.	1	0	0	2
	16	27	8	30

Mutuals.. 1 5 5 1 0 0 2 2 0—16
Orients .. 1 0 0 3 5 2 3 4 0—18

Flies caught, Mutuals, 9; Orients, 6. First base on errors, Mutuals 0, Orients 11. N. R. Witham, umpire.

THIS EVENING.

The Every Day Club meets as usual.

Kirk Brown in The Christian at the Opera House.

New programme at the Nickel.

Band at Victoria Roller Rink.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs in Wonderland.

Band at the Queen's Rollaway.

Monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Seamen's Mission, at 184 Princess street, at 8 o'clock.

Annual inspection of both companies Scots Boys' Brigade in St. Stephen's school room at 7.45 o'clock.

Painters' Union, monthly meeting.

Cygnet Co. U. R. K. of P. meet in the armory Germain street, at 8 o'clock.

No. 3 R. C. A. will meet at 8 o'clock for drill, Fort Howe.

THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Moderate to fresh westerly to southerly winds, fair today, light showers in some localities during the night and on Tuesday.

Synopsis—Unseasonably cold weather still prevails generally, winter temperatures obtaining in the western provinces. Winds to Banks, fresh westerly to southerly, and to American ports, moderate southerly. Sable Island, west, 26 miles, clear. Point Lepreaux, south wind, 12 miles at 1 la. m.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.

Monday, May 6, 1907.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours	50
Lowest temperature during last 24 hours	36
Temperature at noon	44
Humidity at noon	78

Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 dgs Fah.), 30.16 inches.

Wind at noon—Direction south, velocity 18 miles per hour. Fair.

Same date last year—Highest temperature 55; lowest, 42. Showery.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

LATE LOCALS

No. 7 Co., C.A.S.C., will meet in their armory, Canterbury street, at 8 o'clock, sharp.

Ex-Mayor White was a visitor at City Hall this morning. Dr. White is looking first rate after his trying illness.

Cygnet Company, U. R. K. of P. will meet in their armory, Germain street at 8 o'clock this evening. Several matters of importance will come up for discussion, including the subject of new uniforms.

Donaldson line steamer Indrania, Capt. Mitchell, passed Brier Island this morning at 8 o'clock and arrived in port this afternoon from Glasgow with a large general cargo.

Stetson, Cutler & Co. recently purchased the Nova Scotia tug Help. She arrived yesterday from Liverpool, N.S., and will be used in towing pulp wood from Musquash to the pulp mills at Musquash.

Two teams of the St. John Amateur Base Ball League had a practice game on the Victoria grounds on Saturday afternoon. There will be some snappy ball games between the teams of this league.

The Young Roses road race will take place May 10th. Entries are open at Warren & Mitchell's, 135 Elliott Row, and R. Pendleton, 51 Summer street. Entry fee only ten cents. The nine prizes are on show at Park hotel. The age is 16 tnd under. F. Morral, timer. G. Casson, starter.

THE KNOCKER

THE TELEPHONE SERVICE.

On page 3 of the new telephone directory issued to subscribers by the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Ltd., the following paragraphs appear under the caption of "Rules for Calling Subscribers Connected with St. John and Suburban exchanges:"

"When the office is called the operator will say 'number'

"You will then give the name of the exchange and the number of the subscriber wanted.

"The operator in all cases will repeat the number and name of the exchange required.

"If the line is found in use the operator will answer 'Line Busy.' Otherwise she will make the connection and the way will be open for conversation as soon as the subscriber answers the call."

That is the way it reads in the book. That is the way telephone solicitors will tell you the service will act—if they are soliciting you to have a 'phone placed in your office or residence.

Looks real nice and convenient, doesn't it? Seems as if all you have to do to enjoy all the benefits of a 'phone is to pay your subscription promptly, have the 'phone installed and then sit back with your feet on your desk and wait for the bell to ring.

That's what you quite naturally have the right to expect, but what you get is another story.

You do your part of it all right, and taking down the receiver you listen for the word "Number." Finally it comes in a feminine tone and with an air of importance you say "Main 41144." Just here you are in luck if central does not reply, with just a tinge of hauteur in her tones, "line's busy." But if she does not, you wait not longer than 20 minutes when a voice says "Hullo." You reply "Is that Main 41144," and the answer comes back "No; this is Lemon 23" Then for the first time you realize you have been stung by the young lady with the haughty voice.

Again you follow directions and after a brief wait you hear "Hullo." When you ask for your number someone says "Why don't you ring off." As you attempt to explain a sharp Brrrrrr-bur-biz-burr rings in your ear and, thoughtfully, you replace the receiver on the hook and go and kick the cat. After you have said a few things and have mustered up courage to try it again you address the maiden of the chilly tones and at last you get the connection. For a few seconds all goes well, but when your friend at the other end of the wire is about to supply the information for which you phoned him, his voice suddenly stops and you hear nothing. Then you again call the central office and say, "Pardon me, Central, but I am afraid you cut us off." In an instant your ear is almost frozen to the receiver by the chilly reply which comes back. "I did not cut you off, your 'phone is still connected." With a sigh you—but what's the use. Every user of a 'phone can supply the rest ad. lib. But suffice it to say that the telephone service St. John is "enjoying" just now is about the worst ever, and a sudden change is surely due.

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1.50	36x80 in. Canvas Weave, Pillow, Spreader, and Valance, Red Fancy, Green Fancy.
2.10	37x80 in. Canvas Weave, Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, Red and Black, Gold and Green, Blue and Ecru.
2.10	40x84 in. Heavy White Canvas, Extra Strong cords, and Spreader without Valance.
2.50	43x83 in. Frilled Weave Pillow Spreader and Valance, Red and Gold, Green and Gold.
2.75	40x80 in. Frilled Weave, Pillow and Spreader and Valance, Orange and Black, Red and Black, Gold and Green.
$3.20	38x81 in. Frilled Weave Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, Bright Fancy Stripes.
3.50	41x82 in. Frilled Weave, Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, Colors Black and White, Red and Black, Black and Gold, Green and Gold.
4.00	43x83 in. Heavy Frilled Weave, Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, Black and Gold, Green and Gold, Black and Red.
4.50	45x84 in. Extra Large Frilled Weave, Lay back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, in Two-tone Green only.
5.00	40x84 in. Frilled Weave, Lay-back Pillow Spreader and Valance, in Fancy Stripes.
5.25	40x84 in. Frilled Weave, Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, in Green and White.
5.25	40x84 in. Frilled Weave, Lay-back Pillow, Spreader and Valance, in Tapestry Patterns, Colors Mahogany and Gold.
5.25	The "Utopia" with adjustable Slat Seat, Red and Green

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