

SPORTING EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

FULFORD HARBOR DEFEATS THE STRONG LOCAL NINE

The fast Fulford Harbor team took the locals into camp on Sunday afternoon last by the comfortable score of 18 to 13. The visitors got one run in the first and Sidney two. In the second Fulford brought in two more and Sidney got four men over the plate. The third was a shutout for both teams, but after the fourth Fulford Harbor took the lead and the local boys could not head them off although Sidney got within two of their score in the sixth, the score then being 12 to 10. Fulford added six more before the ninth while the best Sidney could do was to get one man over the plate. For the winners Peters pitched the game through and although he was batted pretty freely he never got excited. The in and outfield made many errors but most of them were at a time when it was not critical. They were, as a team, heavy hitters, fairly fast and cute on bases, and on the day's play were decidedly the best team.

Jack Roberts, while pitching at times very good ball, fell off towards the last and asked to be relieved. In fairness to him it must be stated that he should never have started, having hurt his shoulder while shooting at Vancouver on July 1st, but being a good sport and having the interests of the club at heart, he took a chance of pulling through. Teitz finished the game in the box but the change resulted in no material benefit to the locals. Roberts went to right field to relieve Fred Pfister, who was ill and had an off day both at the bat and in the outfield. The locals loomed large in the error column, and these coming at critical times generally meant runs. The locals batted fair but not up to their mark and were never fortunate in bunting their hits. At least four two baggers came along when there was no one on the bases.

Fred Humber umpired the game and was subjected to considerable "rattling" by the local fans on several close decisions. We do not for a minute wish to take away any of the credit due the Fulford team, but we may point out the fact that the Sidney team was unlucky in the breaks, though this does not excuse some very careless errors or bonehead plays.

INDIANS WERE SCALPED

A terrible tragedy occurred in Sidney on our local athletic grounds Friday evening last when nine Indians from the South Saanich Reserve were metaphorically "scalped" by a like number of another tribe known as the Sidney Baseball Team. Instead of using a tomahawk, as their ancestors did, the weapons were a baseball bat and ball. In the old days when a man was scalped he stayed scalped but on this occasion they did not play up to the old time traditions. They whacked away at each other seven times, each time being known as an innings, and when it was all over Big Little Chief Pridham figured out that his side had fourteen of the enemies scalps (called runs) while the other tribe could only account for seven of the local scalps. This only makes the South Saanich Indians anxious for revenge and another pitched battle will likely take place next week when they hope to scalp the local tribe good and plenty.

Chief Hole-in-the-Face Simpson led the local attack (i.e. pitched) and was nobly assisted by Chief Heap Fat Tietz. The following warriors represented the different tribes: Chief Johnson Bob led the enemy into ac-

tion and acquitted himself well while Chief Big Thunder Humber, of the Sidney tribe, captured two scalps very sensationally:

Sidney—Sid Humber, 1b; Gehrke, 2b; Pridham, s.s.; F. Humber, c.f.; Norton, 3b; P. Humber, 1.f.; Simpson, p.; Mould, r.f.; Teitz, c.

S. S. Indians—Daniels, 3b.; John Williams, p.; Samuel, 2b.; Isidor, r.f.; John Sam, s.s.; Moody, c.f.; Johnson Bob, 1b.; Willie, 1.f.; Marshall, c.

Ben Jamieson, the well known "Apache," from Northern Ontario, was the final arbitrator in the interests of law and order.

NEW LACROSSE SCHEDULE WILL GO INTO EFFECT

A meeting of the Senior City Lacrosse League took place Monday evening in Dr. G. A. B. Hall's office, Victoria, when the entries of Sidney, Oak Bay and Victoria West were received. The schedule which was drawn up brings Sidney to Macaulay point for their first game, Victoria West being their opponents. Each of the three teams play home and home games against the others and the season opens on Monday, July 13th.

The following gentlemen will be asked to referee the games: Messrs. Moresby, L. Patrick, Fleusach, R. Dewar, Boss, Johnson, Art. Belfry, Fred White and Forman, of Victoria, and F. J. Roche, of Sidney.

Following is the official schedule:

July 13—Victoria West vs. Sidney Evening game.
July 18—Sidney vs. Victoria West.
July 22—Oak Bay vs. Victoria West.
July 25—Sidney vs. Oak Bay.
July 29—Victoria West vs. Oak Bay.

Aug. 5—Oak Bay vs. Sidney.

LENGTHY RACES FOR BOATS OF NORTHWEST

Power Craft Will Compete From Seattle, Then Back to Brentwood, Saanich Inlet.

Another motor boat racing event has been added to the list of aquatic sports which will centre around the Tilikum Potlatch and the Lipton cup races in Seattle this month. This will be known as the Brentwood International Cup race, and will start in Seattle the day following the finish of the Lipton Cup races and end at Brentwood, the new summer resort and watering place on Saanich Inlet. It is more than probable that a number of local power boats will enter this race.

The Brentwood International Cup is a magnificent trophy, valued at several hundred dollars.

The race will be under the auspices of the Pacific International Power Boat Association, said Mr. Daniel L. Pratt, secretary of the association, and will be open to both American and Canadian boats. The Brentwood cup will become the property of the yachtman winning it three times. This means that the race will be an annual affair for the next five or six years at least. In addition to this handsome challenge cup, the Brentwood people will give a smaller replica to the winner each year to be his property.

The scheduling of this event at this time means a good attendance of power boats in Seattle during the Potlatch. The three days of racing for the Lipton cup will draw yachtmen from all parts of the Northwest. On July 15, the day previous to the Lipton Cup races, the Pacific International long-distance race for power cruisers will start in Vancouver and

finish at Seattle. This will attract many boats from Vancouver, Victoria and Tacoma. Then following the Lipton races, the Brentwood Cup race will give these yachtmen a chance to race back, ending at Saanich Inlet, north of Victoria. Both of these races will be over 100 miles in length and should, therefore, prove very interesting.

THE MANN CUP.

The second and final game of the V. A. C. vs. Brampton series for the Mann Cup ended in favor of the Vancouver boys after a great game which was enthusiastically applauded by five thousand spectators, who deeply appreciated the greatest contest on the lacrosse field seen in many years. The V. A. C. notched six goals to Brampton's two and thus made it V. A. C. 10 to Brampton's 7 on the round.

Previous attempts by eastern teams to lift the cup from the V. A. C. have been more or less of the nature of a joke, but this time it was no joke and the many friends of the V. A. C. are mighty glad the struggle is over, for it was a pretty close go for the holders. The V. A. C. made three changes, each one of which improved their work and this, coupled with the fact that the defence held their checks close and the fine work of Davis in goal, and the two lucky goals scored by the V. A. C. in the first half which Campbell, the Brampton goal keeper let by, just about accounts for the difference in the score of the two games. Stevens, in centre for the visitors, was the star and probably the best man on the field and he it was who scored Brampton's two goals.

Joe Kelly, the chief trustee of the Mann Cup, refused to let Kendall play holding him to be professional, and no threats or kind words could make him change his decision. Of course the V. A. C. howled and groused but Joe Lally is recognised everywhere as a good all round square sport and is above everything mean and despicable and no doubt he has good grounds for his statements.

Lester Patrick and Joe German refereed the game to the satisfaction of both teams.

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SIDNEY PUPILS PASS MUSICAL EXAMINATION

Mr. M. Waring Davis, secretary for Canada, of the local examination board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, has reported the result of the examinations in music held in Victoria in May and June by Dr. Alderson. The following local names appear in the list:

Pianoforte Playing, Advanced Grade—Ruth A. Simister, pupil of Miss Irene Long, L.R.A.M., Victoria.

Elementary Division—Elsie Armstrong and Grace Evelyn Moses, pupils of Mrs. Emery Sidney.

Margaret V. Simister, pupil of Miss R. A. Simister, Sidney.

Primary Division—Myrla M. Moore, pupil of Miss R. A. Simister, Sidney.

Rudiments of Music—Miss Ruth A. Simister.

H. A. McKILLICAN WINS TRADING CO'S. MEDAL.

The Sidney Gun Club held a very successful shoot on Friday evening, July 3rd, a large number of the members turning out to shoot in the competition for the Sidney Trading Company's medal. This competition was under handicap rules, which worked out splendidly, causing keen interest from start to finish, the winner having only turned up at the eleventh hour in the person of Mr. H. A. McKillican, the dark horse who nosed out Mr. F. Pfister by one bird. In order to do this Mac had to break his last nine birds and he delivered the goods. Pfister shot in fine form, breaking twenty-two out of twenty-five in his last string.

Following are the scores and handicaps in the Trading Company's contest last Friday.

	B	Handi.	T.
W. D. Byers	36	3	39
J. J. White	26	14	40
J. H. Downey	33	8	41
F. Pfister	40	10	50
D. A. Downey	34	9	43
E. Johns	41	6	47
J. Roberts	45	scratch	45
F. Roche	32	scratch	32
F. North	36	scratch	36
Geo Brethour	42	scratch	42
J. Nichol	40	6	46
C. Brethour	30	10	40
H. A. McKillican	31	20	51
D. Horth	44	scratch	44

LADIES GIVE SHOWER

Mrs. W. R. Armstrong, of "The Maples," on the East road, was the hostess at a most successful shower on Tuesday last, given in honor of Miss Pearl Harrison, whose marriage is announced to take place on Wednesday, July 15th. A floral guessing contest occupied the attention of the guests during the earlier part of the afternoon, and was won by Miss Slater, of Victoria, after which the guests seated themselves on the veranda in order to more thoroughly enjoy the beautiful weather. Suddenly around the corner of the house appeared a very small boy in the person of Austin Wilson, dressed in pure white and wearing on his cap the initials of the bride and groom, and dragging after him a heavily laden waggon. The little fellow marched bravely onward until he came to a stop in front of the bride-elect, in