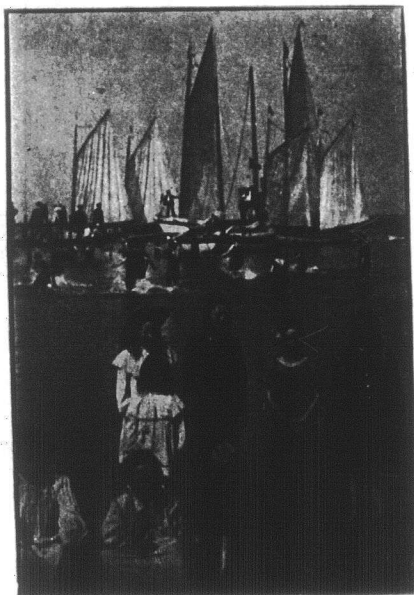


The Stovel Company Outing

At Winnipeg Beach, August 5, 1905.

"All aboard!" sang out the conductor of the heavily freighted C. P. R. special containing the Stovel Stalwarts, together with their families and friends to the number of about 500 in all, and the engineer proceeded to get a move on for Winnipeg Beach.

Everyone of them was in a true holiday humor, fully bent on enjoying himself and in seeing that others did the same, for this was the first annual outing of the employees of the Stovel Co., and they had made up their minds that, wet or fine, it should be



The Kodak Attracts.

a success, both as a holiday as well as financially, for any surplus was to go to swell the coffers of the Stovel Mutual Sick Club, so needless to say the aforesaid coffers were duly swollen, as well as the head of each individual member of the committee, who strutted around in their satisfaction like peacocks with two tails, and after all perhaps they had a right to, for hard work alone had brought them success.

By the forethought of the Stovel Co. the ladies and children were regaled with boxes of chocolate and fruit.

tables to prepare dinner, the little ones to roll about on the beautiful sandy shore, build castles and play

about in the warm water, and the amount of energy shown by these tiny tots was truly a "sight for sair een." Some of them seemed to be in and out of the water the whole day long, and they one and all earned their rest that night.

The sports commenced with a baseball match—Compositors v. Litho-

the trees bordering the lake; then the sports were resumed.

The Engravers and Compositors then met in a baseball match, when a very closely contested game ended in favor of the Engravers by a score of 6 to 4, a defeat which was subsequently wiped out in the water polo event.



Game of Waterball.

On arriving at their destination everybody immediately set themselves to make the most of the time at their disposal, the ladies repairing to the

graphers, which proved an easy win for the former by 17 to 4. Then an adjournment was made for dinner, when piles of fruit and a great store

Baseball finished, a photographic group was taken of the employees; nor was this the only photograph taken during the day, for there were



Getting Ready for a Boat Sail.

of lemonade, provided by the firm, were dispensed and satisfactorily disposed of under the welcome shade of

legions who appeared to be armed with anything between a 2½ x 2½ Kodak to a 10 x 12 fully equipped camera and tripod.

Some of the pictures were taken especially for The Western Home Monthly and are reproduced here for the first time. It is needless to add that the employees of the Stovel Co. are proud of the W. H. M. and delighted with their knowledge of the fact that it now has a circulation of 33,000, and its circulation is still climbing.

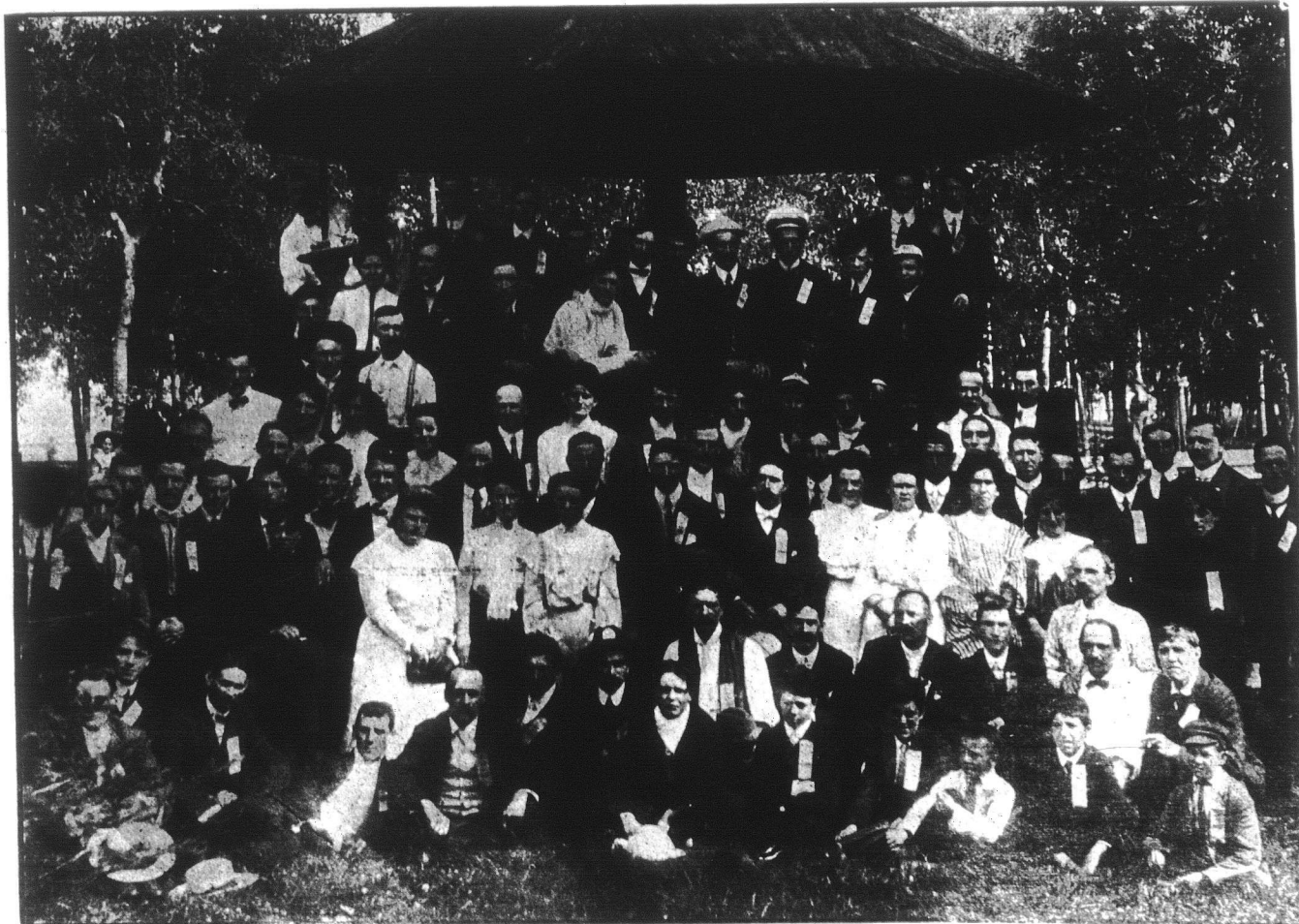


They All Enjoyed It.

The snap shot showing the water polo teams was taken just previous to the final match between the engravers and compositors, which proved one of the most successful events of the day.

It is suggested that next year they put up a challenge trophy for annual competition among the various departments of the firm.

The various events on the list re-



Group Photo Taken at the Stovel Company Outing.

sulted as under:
Married lad
First prize, mi
Mrs. Deslaurie
Mrs. B. Franks
Married men
First, fancy clo
birch bark smol
Single ladies'
prize, plaster
Bishop; second
Miss Lockhart.
Girls' race,
First prize, Mi
ond, jewel case
Boys' race,
inkstand, Frank
erciser, Percy
Single men's
prize, smoker's

second, scho
Winkler.
Little boys
prize, knife,
monkey, Forl
Alex. Perkins
Little girls

The H
prize, Flora
Maud Todhu
Boyd.

Swimming
prize, bronze
second, pipe
Four team
polo match
watched w