

Grocers' And Butchers' Picnic Scored a Big Success

Mohawk Park Was Crowded With Merry-makers Yesterday Afternoon

SPORTS EXCELLENT

Mohawk Park was the mecca of hundreds yesterday afternoon, travelling by street car or automobile, by wagon or on foot to the seventeenth annual picnic of the grocers and butchers of Brantford, held at the Park and signalized by one of the largest attendances on record. The excessive heat, far from proving a detriment to the picnic, was probably responsible for the presence of many drawn by the lure of the lake's cool breezes, who would not otherwise have made the trip. Nor did rain, which threatened during the later part of the afternoon, hamper the festivities, for it hung off long enough to permit of a safe return in the evening by the majority of the picnickers.

Picnics may come in many guises, but to Brantfordites there is one which has become an established institution, an annual event of universal interest—the "grocers' and butchers'." For seventeen years past it has been to hundreds one of the attractions of the summer season. Niagara Falls, Port Dover and other places have been embraced in its itinerary. This year a stay-at-home policy was adopted by those in charge, and the result was yesterday's gathering. The usual program of sports was augmented by many special features, both serious and amusing, and the prize list was one of unusual extent. The placid waters of the lake held an attraction for many of the younger generation disporting themselves in the water, while older and more sedate picnickers enjoyed a row or a sail. Afternoon and evening the swings, seesaws and other amusement devices were crowded while the refreshment booths did a rushing business.

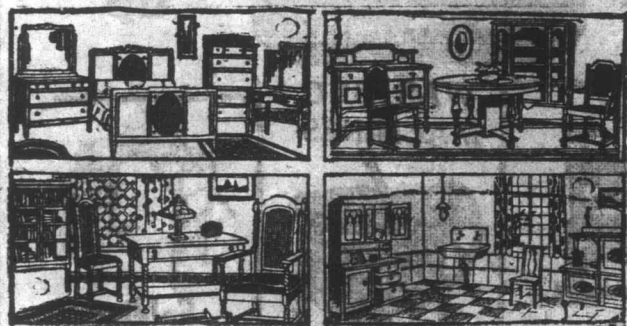
So large was the crowd that the street car service proved totally inadequate for its accommodation. Every car bound to or from the park was crowded to the very doors while many were forced to walk either one way or both, in the sweating heat of a July afternoon. Even such drawbacks, however, could militate but little against the success of the event and the seventeenth annual grocers' and butchers' picnic passed into history as among the most momentous on record.

The full list of prize winners is as follows:
Baby Show (babies under 15 Mos.)
 Mrs. Nickelboro, 6 Grandview.
 Mrs. Dingman, 129 Chestnut Ave.
 Mrs. R. Gowman, 25 Princess St.
 Mrs. Lynn, 11 Grand St.

Twins
 Mrs. Bailey, 10 Duke St.
 Mrs. White, 17 Market St.
Girls' Race, under 15 Years
 Fanny Rosenfeld, Catherine Pearce, Veronica Luck.
Boys' shoe race, under 15—Austin Doyle, Harold Reinshagen, P. Carter.
Girls' biscuit eating contest—Ada

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DETAILS OF THE ROBERTSON ESTATE

Goodwill of Telegram is Placed at Half Million

The will of the late John Ross Robertson was entered for probate yesterday. It has already been published. The following is the inventory of the estate:
Real Estate—Premises known as numbers 79 and 81 Bay Street, Toronto, occupied by The Evening Telegram newspaper, frontage 54 feet, depth 140 feet—\$420,424.72.
 Premises known as number 291 Sherbourne Street, Toronto, frontage 28 feet, depth 180 feet, \$39,993.32.
 Premises known as number 295 Sherbourne Street, Toronto, frontage 57 feet 10 inches, depth 180 feet—\$12,312.36.
 Premises known as number 44 Castle Frank Road, Toronto, frontage 100 feet, depth 400 feet, more or less (irregular)—\$32,163.43.
 Total—\$504,593.84.

Book debts, Promissory Notes, etc.
 Sundry Trade creditors of The Evening Telegram, as shown on books of account, which may be inspected at any time during business hours—\$107,563.92.

Securities for Money, Life Insurance, Cash on Hand, and in Bank
 Dominion Victory Loan Bonds—\$48,937.50
 Canada Life Insurance Company—\$10,000.00
 Canada Life Insurance Company—\$2,250.00

Aetna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut—\$10,000.00
Canada Life Insurance Company, cash surrender value, policy for \$10,000 on life of Irving Earle Robertson—\$1,566.00
 Cash on hand—\$10,339.91
 Cash in bank—\$331,073.69
 Total—\$414,166.10

Bank Stocks and Other Stocks
 24 shares Bell Telephone Company, common, par value, \$2,400, fair market value \$3,072.
 10 shares Dominion Telegraph Company, common, par value \$500, fair market value \$400.

120 shares Masonic Temple Company, Ltd., common, par value \$5,000, fair market value, \$1,500.
 1 share Canadian Press, Limited, common, par value, \$100.
 1 share Canadian Associated Press, Limited, common, par value \$100.

1 share Island Aquatic Association, common, par value, \$100.
 8 shares Motordrome, Limited, common, par value \$30.00.
 Total—\$4,972.

Miscellaneous—Household goods and furniture—\$8,000.00.
Personal effects and jewelry—\$250.00.

Stock-in-trade of Evening Telegram business—\$47,813.21.
 Plant, machinery, tools and equipment—\$251,524.15.
 Automobiles and delivery cars—\$16,150.00.

Good-will of Evening Telegram business—\$500,000.00.
 Sundries—\$3,323.00.
 Total—\$327,060.00.
 Grand Total—\$1,358,350.63.

HONOR FOR SIR HENRY.
 By Courier Lensed Wire
 Kingston, July 23.—Sir Henry M. Pellatt of Toronto has been made an active member and Honorary Vice-Commandant of the Army and Navy Veteran of this city.

BELLS OF HELL GO TING-A-LING

For You, But Not For Me, Sings Tommy to the "Haters."

IS HIS PHILOSOPHY War Too Serious a Thing to be Taken Seriously

Behind the British Lines in France, July 17.—A striking feature of the British soldier's war songs is their humor. Even the French find it difficult to understand how it is that the Tommy dares to sing in such a manner, especially when he is in the midst of a battle. The truth is that the British private discovered a new philosophy appropriate to modern war, he has discovered that it is too serious a business to be taken seriously. Humor and flippancy is the only antidote to its unutterable ghastliness. In all the British soldier's songs, the contrast to the songs of the German army is most striking. Here is one which might well be called the British soldier's Hymn of Hate:

"The bells of Hell go ting-a-ling-a-ling.
 For you, but not for me,
 For me the angels sing-a-ling-a-ling.
 They've got the goods for me,
 O death, where is thy sting-a-ling-a-ling."
 Where grave thy victor?
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"I want to go 'ome."
 There is one song in particular which might well be called the Song of the British Army. Every soldier at the front can sing it. It is to be heard in every trench dug-out and bullet in France. The words do not scan and the music cannot be commended for martial grandeur or delicate harmonies, but it is Tommy Atkin's masterpiece. It is almost a dirge or lament, colored with just that touch of elusive cockney humor which shows that it is not to be taken seriously. These are the words:

"I want to go 'ome."
 "I want to go 'ome."
 "I want to go 'ome."
 The shells and the whizzbangs they ruz and they roaz,
 I want to go over the sea,
 Where the Allomans cannot catch me.
 Oh, my!
 "I want to go 'ome."
 "I want to go 'ome."
 "I want to go 'ome."

One can imagine a German over-hearing this song and drawing certain inferences as to the singer's morale. But the British soldier will utterly confound those inferences every time.

He has a great weakness for sentimental love songs, which remind him of home and of associations that lift him out of the somber surroundings of his camp or billet.

Tommy Atkins has all the intense reserve of the Briton. To sing about fighting for freedom against the enemies of right, for the sake of the flag, and all the rest of it, strikes him as indecent. Such things make him blush, they are not mentioned in polite military society. The more flamboyant type of patriotic songs

which proclaim with gusto that a soldier's life is the only life for me, and so forth, he frankly ridicules. He has no illusions as to the horrors of modern warfare. One of his favorite songs begins:

"When this bloody war is over,
 O how happy I shall be."

WHAT IS A CALORIE?
 People Have Asked If It Is a New Breakfast Food.

Since food conservation has become a vital factor in carrying on the war against Germany, the layman has encountered in his reading the new word "calorie." This word, which formerly appeared only in scientific journals, now jumps at once from the daily papers, from the magazines, agricultural and trade press. In a way, the Food Administration is partly responsible for the increased use of the word, and as a result has received letters from all parts of the country asking: "What is a calorie?" Some people have gone so far as to suggest that it is the name of a new breakfast food. In one instance the enquirer stated he had heard that it was a new type of explosive discovered by the War Department and wanted to know what the Food Administration had to do with it.

When fuel is thrown on a fire under a boiler heat is produced. This heat is required in order that the engine may perform its work. To do work of any kind requires energy. Food used or burned in the human machine produces energy to maintain the normal heat of the body and to do its work. Work done by the body comprises not only that which requires muscular or mental exertion, but also involuntary exertion, such as the beating of the heart, the expansion of the lungs, etc. The chemical process within the body which transforms our food into energy is similar in nature to the process which takes place when fuel is burned over fire—though, in the body, the burning takes place very slowly and in every tissue, instead of in one central place. The value of food is determined by the amount of energy it yields to the body; and it also has a building and regulating function.

It was necessary that a unit be established for measuring the amount of heat produced when food was completely burned. The unit chosen or universally adopted as the unit for measuring fuel value or energy value for any kind of food is called the calorie. It represents the same principle in measuring as the inch or foot, the units of measuring length; the pint or gallon, the unit of volume; and the ounce or pound, that of weight.

The calorie is the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one kilogram of water 1 degree Centigrade, or one pound of water approximately 4 degrees Fahrenheit. Our requirements of food, so far as the amount is concerned, can therefore be expressed in the number of calories needed for each person a day. It must not be forgotten that the calories must be derived from the proper kinds of food.—N. Y. Herald.

HUNS HAVE ALBIS GALORE
 Amsterdam, July 23.—German war correspondents are still sending to their newspapers voluminous explanations as to why the southern bank of the Meuse was evacuated by Heliger, of the Tagelucht of Berlin, explains that the capture of the heights on the southern bank of the Meuse was essential to provide for a flank protection for the troops advancing further eastward on the

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 By Anabel Worthington.

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