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PLANET ADVERTISEMENTS PAY

WEAK GAME OF LACROSSE

Disappointing Exhibition
with the Team of Young
Lads From Brantford

Listless Playing and Juvenile Opponents
Cause Criticism—Chatham
Team Needs an Awakening

The game between Chatham and Brantford yesterday resulted in a tie, each team scoring four goals. It was not a very large crowd which attended the game, and it is, probably, to the advantage of the Chatham team that more of the admirers of the boys did not turn out, as the great majority of those who did attend were not enthusiastic over the brand of lacrosse put up.

To begin with, Elliot and Ross were delayed in arriving on the grounds, consequently the game did not start until 3.15, and then Ross was not on the line-up, whereas the scheduled time was 2.30. It would be so refreshing if these games could start on time. The game was listless on both sides, with spasmodic bursts of speed at intervals. Brantford appeared much younger and lighter than Chatham, but when they woke up to the realization of the fact that it was lacrosse they were playing, they were speedy and effective. Chatham was lacking in the quick, snappy play which puts the fans on their feet, yelling, Grace, Marron and Quessall, however, shone luminously. Grace was everywhere and stick work brought the fans to their feet. Marron works hard and is not afraid to drill in on the flags—the only kind of work that counts. He is a star and a "shooting" star at that. Quessall was the big man of the defence. He has the happy faculty of intercepting passes and rushing the ball back to the enemy's goal before their home men have a chance to fall back. The weakest spot in the home team is goal. Nearly every shot on the goal resulted in a score. Local enthusiasts will hear with pleasure that a dicker is being made for the goal-tender of last year's Orillia team.

Before J. W. Young kept the game as clean as possible, his work being much appreciated by the spectators.

First Quarter.
The play started off with a rush by Grace and some shooting on the Brantford flags. Picketing saved the home goal once or twice, but Brantford scored in about seven minutes on a shot that should never have gone by Grace and Marron were playing the game, and only good goal-keeping saved the Chatham goal from their rushes. At last Stewart tied the score just at the close of the quarter.

Second Quarter.
Quessall started during the first part, saving scores several times. Elliot was given an ovation when he appeared. Leavenworth made the score 2-1 near the end of the quarter.

Third Quarter.
Grace and Moffat were sent to the fence for taking liberties with the rules. In their absence Stewart scored—score 3-1 for Chatham. Brantford reduced this to 3-2 in a few moments. While Stewart was off, Brantford tied on a long shot.

Fourth Quarter.
The ball travelled up and down the field until Stewart got it and passed to Grace, who, catching it on the run in front of the goal, made the prettiest score of the day—score 4-3 in favor of Chatham. Leavenworth and Slattery, the Brantford goal-tender, gave a fluster exhibition, for the one prize of admission, on a long rush Brantford tied the score by a quick shot from the side of the goal. The time was out short to allow Brantford to catch their train.

Following was the line-up:—
Chatham.
Goal—McKinlay.
Point—Quessall.
Cover—Webb.
1st Def.—Picketing.
2nd Def.—Elliot.
3rd Def.—Crookshanks.
Centre—Grace.
3rd Home—Marron.
2nd Home—Wilson.
Outside Home—Stewart.
Inside Home—Leavenworth.

Brantford.
Goal—Slattery.
Point—Waterhouse.
Cover—Gilligan.
1st Def.—F. Hearne.
2nd Def.—F. Ton.
3rd Def.—Moffat.
Centre—Slattery.
3rd Home—Campbell.
2nd Home—Adams.
Outside Home—Cassidy.
Inside Home—Shaver.

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Brantford.

WELCOMING ADDRESSES

International Sunday School
Keynote Is Brotherhood.

Delegates Welcomed to Canada by the
Lieutenant-Governor, His Worship
Mayor Urquhart, Speaker Hon. J.
W. St. John and Rev. Canon Cody.
—International Barriers Removed
and Only Principles Remaining.

Toronto, June 24.—All the incoming trains and stagecoaches brought their numbers of Sunday school delegates, and by noon yesterday it was estimated that almost all of the 3,000 accredited delegates to the Sunday school convention of the International Convention, State and Province on the continent has its Sunday school interests represented at this meeting.

The Entertainment Committee were on hand at Massey Hall and by systematic handling of the crowd on the part of the Reception Committee's chairman, Rev. W. E. Hassard, were able to send every one to his temporary home.

Convention Opened.
The convention opened yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Metropolitan Church. Rev. B. B. Tyler, president of the International Convention, pastor of Broadway Disciples Church, Denver, Col., made his annual address, and was followed by an hour's preparation service, led by Rev. Floyd W. Tompkins, D. D., pastor of Holy Trinity Church, Philadelphia.

Addresses of Welcome.
Last night at Massey Hall addresses of welcome were delivered to the delegates by His Honor, W. M. McKinnon, Mayor Urquhart. They expressed briefly their pleasure at the presence of the Sunday school workers of the continent in this city of churches and the duty of co-operation.

The first response was made by Rev. Alan Hussen, an old Toronto boy, and now pastor of the First Congregational Church, Brockton, Mass. He spoke at length of the Anglo-Saxon brotherhood which could conquer the world, and upon which from its very power lay the duty of Christianizing the world.

The second reply was by Rev. Carey Bonner of London, England. He spoke very briefly of the duty of saving the children if the nations were to be saved.

Advocates Church Schools.
It was a message of prophecy, a message of advice and a message of hope that Bishop Vincent thereafter gave to the delegates. He prophesied the loss of civilization and the loss of the "church school" Church school, he called it, because it could not be called a Sunday school. It worked not only on Sunday, but all throughout the week. The church school was the best of education and the best of conversation, where the children were taught by men and women of a strong personality of the Bible with its stirring metaphors and its great lessons. This Bishop said resolved with prolonged cheer. He was introduced by Prof. Marshall, who called for the Chatham salute to the Sunday school veterans, an hour every day. The 4,000 delegates and visitors in the hall was standing. The next the whole auditorium was a billowy sea of pocket handkerchiefs, a deluge of white that seemed to fill the hall. It was one of the prettiest sights ever seen in Toronto.

In Metropolitan Church.
The keynote of the large gathering that assembled in Metropolitan Church in the evening was brotherhood and international unity. After the opening exercises Rev. W. F. Frixall called upon Hon. J. W. St. John to extend a welcome.

The speaker of the Legislature was greeted with hearty applause as he rose to do the chairman's bidding. He was pleased, he said, to welcome the visitors because all were children of the same ancestry. The work of the delegates was for the cause of Christianity, the greatest power on earth. He was glad that while Canada and the United States might vie with one another there was a greater wealth in the integrity and good citizenship of the people of Canada and the United States. The speaker looked into the future and saw the removal of international barriers when no other principle would be known than that of brotherhood.

Canon Cody was glad to welcome the visitors under the old banner that has always stood for truth and righteousness, and he was also glad that the delegates came from the land over which waved Old Glory, a land that was rapidly advancing towards a like standard. Canada should exert an influence to draw the motherland to its long lost daughter. What the convention was bringing about was more than a mere exchange of international courtesies. It was a meeting together for a great work in the cause of humanity. They were all dealing with the great problem of winning and holding the young.

New Spanish Cabinet.
Madrid, June 24.—King Alfonso yesterday approved the new Cabinet, as follows: Premier, Gen. Montero Rios; Minister of Interior, Senor Garcia Prieto; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Senor Sanchez Roman; Minister of Finance, Senor Urdaz; Minister of War, Gen. Weyler; Minister of Marine, Senor Villanueva; Minister of Agriculture, Senor Romero; Minister of Justice, Senor Gonzalez Pena; Minister of Public Instruction, Senor Mellado.

His Head Cut Off.
Ottawa, June 24.—Michael J. Shea of Vinon, formerly of Culmuth Island, Quebec, was a horrible death while working in Kelly's saw mill. He slipped and got caught in the circular saw while it was running. His head was cut off.

BORDEN'S AMENDMENT

To Readjust the Divisions of
Alberta Rejected.

Leader of the Opposition, However,
Riddled the Test of the Population
By the Census of 1901, But Premier
Laurier Still Maintained That the
Government Plan Is Based on a Fair
Calculation.

Ottawa, June 24.—Most of the day in the House was spent in a discussion of the Alberta autonomy bill. The alternative proposition offered by R. L. Borden with respect to delimiting the constituencies which will elect the new Legislature was rejected, the Government having evidently determined to make no concessions.

Speaker Sullivan announced that he had received the certificate of the election of Hon. Charles Hyman. The announcement was received with Liberal cheers.

Mr. Oliver in response to a question by Mr. Foster, said that orders had been issued that no more locations should be allowed on scrip until the charges made in connection with the matter had been investigated.

Mr. Borden offered the amendment of which notice had been given. It called for the allotting of members of the provincial Legislature, six each, to the Federal electoral districts of Strathcona, Edmonton and Calgary, five to the Federal district of Alberta, one to Medicine Hat, and one to Athabasca. This proposal he defended by citing an array of figures, showing that it was a fair division, whether judged by the standard of votes polled at the last election or by the number of names on the voters' lists.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier declined to admit the relevancy of the figures which had been quoted. Then he proceeded to give some of his own, based upon the census of 1901, to show that the divisions proposed by the bill were quite fair. According to his view, the census, the number of postoffices and the school districts showed that there are more people in the northern part of the Province than in the southern.

Mr. Borden riddled the test of the population by the census of 1901 allowing the new provinces twenty-five members of a population of 550,000. The Government established a unit of 10,000 per member. Yet it was proposed to give two members to the portion of Athabasca, the highest estimate of whose population was 5,000. As to Mr. Oliver's contention, that the Legislature of the Territories should have been asked to pronounce upon the distribution proposed in the bill, Mr. Borden pointed out that the Northwest legislature had only two years ago readjusted the boundaries of its constituencies, and upon lines totally different from those now proposed.

At midnight a division was taken on Mr. Borden's amendment, and it was rejected. Mr. Borden said he had some other amendments to offer. He also notified the Minister of the Interior that he wanted further information about school attendance and some other matters relating to population.

CITY'S HOLIDAY

Mayor Cowan Issues Proclamation
to Celebrate Dominion Day on
Monday, July 3.

His Worship Mayor Cowan this morning issued a proclamation announcing that Chatham will celebrate Dominion Day, which this year falls on Saturday, on Monday, July 3rd.

This declaration is issued at the earnest request of the merchants, who thought the transferring of the Saturday market would cause great inconvenience and loss.

AN INTRICATE CASE

The County Court case of Wallace vs. Tilbury East is still proceeding before his honor Judge Dowlin. The plaintiff brings action to recover some \$1,200 balance of contract price for repairing the Asker train, and scores of pages of contradictory evidence has been submitted. The township alleges in defence that the work hasn't been fully completed, which plaintiff disputes, also the necessity of having the engineer's certificate. O. L. Lewis is acting for the plaintiff and J. G. Kerr for the defendant.

THEIR THANKS

The teachers and pupils of McKee's school desire to thank the following ladies and gentlemen who so generously contributed prizes for the ladies' class. Misses K. Brunker, G. Irving, W. Colville, A. McArthur, M. Loring, E. Humphrey, J. Dunlop, E. Eason, A. Fairbairn, E. Bell, J. Blackburn, E. Stanton, H. Loxon, M. Goodland, M. Fleming, E. Kime, G. Stephenson, L. Newman, M. Hoag, Mrs. Spencer Stone, Mrs. Black and Messrs. E. Dickinson, L. Burroughs, E. W. Watson, D. Bell, N. Bell, J. Edmondson, E. Humphrey, M. Wilson, G. McKee, W. Goodland, A. McFarlane, G. W. Dyer, A. Riley, W. N. Morley, J. Kenney, H. Macdonald, J. N. Edmondson, G. W. Sullivan, W. C. McArthur, W. E. Ropin, E. Bell, Shoemaker, Fielder, McMath.

OVER THE NEW ELECTRIC ROAD

Planet Representative Goes
Over the Route and Notes
the Rapid Progress Be-
ing Made

Many Advantages Noted—Farmers
Generously Donate Right of Way.

A Planet reporter took a trip over the route of the electric road. As the citizens of Chatham probably know the line runs out St. Clair street, keeping to the middle of the road until the second concession is reached. The line then crosses the ditch and runs along the farms on the Dover side of the town line, keeping close to the fence. Near the third concession, on the Paxton farm, there is a curve, the road then running along the third concession. At the farm of Geo. Twell, between the town line and the Baldoon on the third, the line crosses the third concession and, cutting across Mr. Twell's farm reaches the Baldoon near the farm of Frank Mount. Along the Baldoon, hugging the fence, the road runs until about 15 miles but, then it cuts across to Wallaceburg.

From the Third street bridge outwards for ten miles the scene is a very busy one. At the wharf was the steamer, Clark of New York, from which was being unloaded a cargo of cedar ties, which teams were hauling out and dropping along the line. Other teams were carrying loads of steel rails—ten rails to a load, each rail weighing six hundred pounds, i. e. three tons a trip. Still others were drawing poles on which are to be run the power wires. All these building materials are very expensive, the ties being especially so, it costing about a thousand dollars per mile for these alone.

The work of grading has not started until the Baldoon is reached, but from there out for about nine miles the grading is completed—a strip varying from twenty to twenty-eight feet being blazed straight through next to and inside the fence. The company erects a line separating their right of way from the farmers' land. The road ditch affords sufficient protection on the other side.

About nine miles out the Italian's camp is pitched at present—two large sleeping tents and a cooking shanty. As the work moves on so do the tents. Those along the route with teams to spare are receiving a rich harvest, \$3.50 per day being paid for a man and team. The plows come first and break the soil at the side of the track; after these come the Italians throwing the loosened earth to the right where the track is to be. Then come the scrapers leveling the ditch and the track. The work is arduous on those hot days, as is shown by the fact that several teams have to leave the job a few days ago, bleeding at the nose on account of the heat.

That the residents along the route expect the road to benefit them greatly had enhanced the value of the farms is shown by the fact that they have donated the strips of their land used by the company for its right of way, receiving no pay, except in a few exceptional cases where a man is damaged by reason of the road rendering part of his land useless for cultivation. The line passes very close to some of the houses—so close to the new St. Andrew's church that one could easily step from a car right onto the church steps.

The road's charter allows it to build to Lake Erie. It is expected that the branch from Wallaceburg will be running by October 1st, and the remaining line to the lake will then be rapidly pushed. It is the intention, if possible, to establish a pavilion and pleasure park on the lake shore, so that making Chatham it will be able in hot weather to lie themselves to the invigorating breezes of the lake. That the road will be of incalculable benefit to both those along and in the vicinity of its route as well as to the Maple City is beyond a doubt. The facility it affords for moving produce and the ease with which one might be whisked into Chatham, especially when roads are impassable, must appeal to the farmer, while the influx of freight and the distinction it must lend the city ought to appeal to the city dweller.

Moreover, the new power house and offices of the company, on the corner of King and Third Sts., will be a very handsome structure. The first story is to be of concrete block, to the right being the venting rooms and, to the left, the offices of the company. Back of these will be the power house. The chimney will be over 130 feet high, made of steel ribs, around which concrete is built—the first of these chimneys to be built in Canada.

Mrs. A. J. Bedford returned home from St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Saturday, where she was staying with her sister, Mrs. White, who has been very ill there for three months, under the care of Dr. Meek, of that city, and though at one time her life was despaired of, we are pleased to report to Mrs. Bedford's friends that her sister was able to be taken to her home in St. Thomas some days ago, and they have every hope of a speedy recovery to perfect health.

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Sign of the Big Clock.

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