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ANOTHER SUCCESS IN WATERLOO

The great day for Waterloo for 1911 has gone into the limbo of the past and believe us it was a day. Other things happened in Waterloo on July 1st, but the main source of enjoyment and interest was the meeting of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association in the park.

To have a successful meeting, which this undoubtedly was, a combination of circumstances are necessary.

First—The weather—which should be fine.

Second—The place.

Third—The people.

Fourth—The music.

Fifth—The sport provided.

In this case, the last is the most important, but we will try and describe these different points in detail.

The Weather.—Rain is what wanted in this district but the most ardent agriculturist was willing to allow another day's sunshine. Did we get it? I opine that we did, and some more. The new brand of weather, called the Coronation brand was handed out and it proved good. Notwithstanding the intense heat, we have heard of no cases of sunstroke or prostration.

The Place.—To use a trite term it was ideal. Waterloo's Park appeals to everybody. There is a charm about it that makes it different from many others. Why is this? It is in our opinion because it is a park. Many towns make a mistake in thinking that glazing and formal beds of flowers bunched together without harmony of colour constitute a park. A garden is not a park. Gardening is an artificial device of man and appeals to his aesthetic side. Parks are places where he can enjoy his primeval instincts and the greenness of nature. Green is always restful and our park had it in plenty on Saturday. The umbrageous growth and the grass were very inviting, and the grass seemed remarkably green considering the exceptional weather we are having.

The Music.—Of this more anon and later.

We have thought it better to give our comments on the music in a separate column. Suffice it, say just now that they were a source of strength to the meeting.

The Crowd.—We think that a stranger would be more impressed by the crowd of happy looking folk by anything else in Canada, or, indeed, anywhere, was there congregated a better-looking, better-behaved crowd of people, than the 8,000 who watched these sports. You could not get a more prosperous looking crowd anywhere. The only people we were sorry for, were the special policemen. They had a doleful tale. They had no work to do. Not one case of unpleasantness amongst such a mass of people. It makes one proud of this Waterloo County. This is no empty compliment. It has been remarked by many who have travelled and seen much that everybody around here seems to

be in good circumstances. Without undue flattery, it really was a remarkable gathering. The galaxy of beauty in the stand could not be excelled in Toronto and Montreal. Nearly all Waterloo was present, along with many people from the adjacent villages of Conestoga, Galt, Wellesley, St. Jacobs and the City of Berlin.

So far so good. You can see that all the settings which are so essential make it good for the sports—and they were good.

The Committee in charge made no mistake when they confined their sports to the wheel, with one exception, and that exception was great. Everything went off smoothly. Any little hitch, which often occurs through the mistakes of the riders and officials was easily adjusted.

Talking about officials, who were as follows:—

Robt. Falconer, Pres. C. W. A., Revere.

J. W. Gibson, Toronto.

Lewis Robinson, Ex-Pres. C. W. A.

Julius H. Ross, Waterloo.

H. E. Richard, C. W. A. Official Secretary.

Alf. Snyder, Waterloo, and Oscar Steiss, Heidelberg, Umpires.

J. L. Locke.

A. A. Smith, Toronto, and J. Herb. Smith, Waterloo, Clerks of Course.

E. F. Seagram, Waterloo, and J. J. Hill, Glenora, and Geo. A. Bruce, Waterloo, Timers.

J. L. Mackey, Chairman Racing Board, Starter.

We can congratulate the C. W. A. on having such good men on duty. Everything went like clock work. Did anybody ever hear of Lou Marsh before? If not, you heard him yesterday. He was the life of the sports. Ubiquitous and indefatigable, although he had much reporting to do, he filled the office of announcer to perfection.

"That's a boy."

The excitement in various races was intense. The bills for the show asked if Andrews could be beaten, and he was twice. He only carries away with him two Championships, the mile and the five miles. He is a great rider, and the men he is riding against now are all improved. The most sensational finish seen in Waterloo was when Gus. Hogben in the 1/2-mile championship, although even last year it will be remembered that he gave indications of what he could do. In this race, he seemed to be considered by the older hands as a negligible quantity but he fooled them all. The whole bunch were sauntering around, watching each other out of the tail their eye. Hogben started away and before the others got out of bed, he was too far away to be overtaken, and won.

Percy Macdonald and George Goulding were introduced to the crowd by Lou Marsh in felicitous terms. Both were well received, Goulding getting a well-deserved ovation. This was the last match in which Goulding will take part before going to Europe, and he gave an indication of what he could do. The writer has seen many walkers, but Goulding's style is so absolutely fair that nobody could cavil at it. His is a fair heel and toe style and his leg is looked at every stride, i. e., at one time in each step it is absolutely straight. The motor cycle race was much enjoyed by the crowd. Young Coles only about 15 years of age, won this race easily. He had an excellent "Indian" machine, and took many chances the older men did not. His winning was very popular. The following gives the results in detail:—

First heat, novice—1, F. Shaw, Q.C. B.C., Toronto; 2, George Watson, Q. C. B.C., Toronto; 3, P. Nixon, Q. C. B.C., Toronto. Time, 2.36.

Second heat, novice—1, Ed. Scott, Montreal; 2, Bob Staunton, Q.C.B.C., Toronto; 3, W. Foster, Indians, Toronto. Time 2.36 3/5.

Final quarter mile—1, Gordon McMillan, Indians, Toronto; 2, Bill Smith, Toronto B. C.; 3, "Doc," Morton, Q. C. B. C., Toronto. Time, 33.

One mile, boys under sixteen—1, H. Simons, Indians, Toronto; 2, Bob Staunton, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; 3, Albert Hunt, Q. C. B. C. for pacing. Time 2:32.

Second heat, quarter-mile—1, "Doc," Morton, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; 2, Bill Smith, Toronto B. C.; 3, E. L. Prouse, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Time, 33.

Third heat, quarter-mile—1, Gordon McMillan, Indians, Toronto; 2, Brown, Stratford; 3, Ed. Scott, Montreal. Time, 34.

Third heat, novice—1, F. Brown, Stratford; 2, D. Allen, Stratford; 3,

Albert Hunt, Q. C. B. C., Toronto. Time, 2.19.

Final, novice—1, D. Allen, Stratford; 2, F. Brown, Stratford; 3, George Watson, Q. C. B. C., Toronto, for pace. Time, 2.23.

First heat, quarter-mile—1, Walt Andrews, Toronto B. C.; 2, Tom Bulger, Toronto B. C.; 3, Joe Golden, Q. C. B. C., Toronto. Time, 34 2/5.

First heat, 2.40 class—1, J. J. Golden, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; 2, H. Simons, Indians, Toronto.

Final half-mile championship—1, Gus Hogben, Hamilton; 2, G. McMillan, Indians, Toronto; 3, Walt Andrews, Toronto B. C. Time, 1:19 3/5.

Final, 2.40 class—1, R. Brady, Indians, Toronto; 2, J. J. Golden, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; 3, D. Allen, Stratford. Time, 2:22.

Final mile, championship—1, Walt Andrews, Toronto B. C.; 2, G. McMillan, Indians, Toronto; 3, Tom Bulger, Toronto B. C.

Two mile handicap walk—1, George Goulding, Toronto, scratch; 2, Percy McDonald, Toronto, 15 seconds. Time, 14.47. Goulding's time, 14.32.

Two-mile handicap—1, L. Fry, Q. C. B. C., Toronto, 350 yards; 2, F. Shaw, Q. C. B. C., Toronto, 350 yards; 3, P. Slaterie, Time, 4.35.

Five-mile championship—1, Walt Andrews, Toronto B. C.; 2, G. McMillan, Indians, Toronto; 3, Ed. Scott, Montreal. Time, 13.44.

Great credit is due to the local management for this great success. W. Julius H. Ross and Mr. J. Herb Smith are more responsible than anyone else for the result and the thanks of the citizens are due to them.

WATERLOO COUNTY CERTAINLY HAS SOME FINE HORSES.

The Free Horse Show in the market square was a great function. The Committee in charge allowed great latitude in accepting entries. Anyone with a horse or horses he thought suitable to put in for a prize could drive up and he had a chance.

The judging of Mr. Coutts was received with satisfaction—we heard of no kick whatever. The square was crowded and the scene was one of great animation. The band discoursed music in their usual inimitable style.

The following is the prize list with names of winners:—

1. Single Dry Horse—1, J. E. Seagram; 2, John Schaefer, Berlin; 3, A. Brown, Snider.

2. Pair Agricultural Horses—1, A. Fried, Roseville; 2, Chas. Moser, Berlin; 3, Abram Snider.

3. Pair General Purpose Horses—1, Amos, Groff; 2, Dan. Schweitzer; 3, Ed. Ward, Crosshill.

4. Pair Brewery Horses—2, Amos Groff.

5. Single Express Wagon Horse—(Farmers only) 1, Sam. Meyer; 2, Amos Groff; 3, John Schaefer.

6. Single Harness Horse (Open)—1, John Schuetz, 1, (New Dundee); 2, E. F. Seagram; 3, Herb. Kuntz.

7. Single Harness Horse. (Farmers only)—1, Clayton Shuh; 2, W. Bricker, Hawkesville; 3, P. G. Shantz, Berlin.

8. Pair Harness Horses—1, H. S. Snider; 2, Geo. Glenn.

9. Single Roadster. (Open)—W. T. Blair; 2, Dr. Towers, Berlin; 3, Ch. Moser, Berlin.

10. Single Roadster (Farmer's)—Mrs. Louis Greybiller; 2, Dan. Schweitzer; 3, L. Bauman, Winterbourne.

11. Delivery Horse and Outfit—1, A. E. Sanderson; 1, 2, Geo. Kraft; 3, John Steffen.

12. Saddle Horse—1, Tom Seagram; 2, W. Bringley; 3, A. Billings.

13. Single Pony in Harness—1, Froude Seagram; 2, Rufus Sattler.

14. Saddle Pony—1, Campbell Seagram; 2, Alex. Biersbach; 3, Walter Sattler.

15. Gentlemen's Turnout (Single)—1, Herb. Kuntz; 2, E. F. Seagram; 3, John Schuetz.

Entries were numerous especially in the farmers' classes, in the heavy classes and in the roadsters, some classes had as many as 13 entries.

Committee—Ed. M. Devitt, Chairman; F. G. Hughes, Ed. Seagram, D. C. Kuntz, A. Hergott.

Mr. Ed. Devitt was a host in himself, and he is really responsible for this great success.

Special Prize.—Awarded to Mr. John Petch, for Crosshill, best pair of horses at show.

THE MUSIC AT WATERLOO.

It has been known that Waterloo possessed an excellent band, and lately it was proved most emphatically at Barrie that such was the case. The citizens and the visitors had numerous opportunities of verifying the decisions given at the competition there and can readily understand the judge's verdict which was a case of "Eclipse" first the rest nowhere.

It is difficult and often dangerous for the man in the street to criticize music. A trained musician could give you technical details but for our part we are impressed by the attack and finish of the band. Nothing ragged is apparent. Every instrument starts at the proper time. We were pleased with the appearance of the band. Each member wore a smile and a halo. The brightest halo surrounding the head of Prof. Paul, who is responsible for this fine showing. The band had a strenu-

ous day. They played in the square in the morning; they played during the sports, and they rendered the following program to a crowd of between 3,000 and 4,000, at night:—

March—"The Banner."—Blon.

Overture—"Zampa."—Harold.

"Time, Place and Girl."—Doric Quartette.

"Chole."—Doric Quartette.

Cornet Solo—"Sing Me to Sleep."—Green.

March—"Die Botshafter."—Klein.

"Moonlight."—Doric Quartette.

"Casey Jones."—Doric Quartette.

Intermission.

Selection—"A Night in Berlin."—Pilgrim Chorus from Tannhauser.—Wagner.

"Kiss me my Honey."—Doric Quartette.

"Sweet and Low."—Doric Quartette.

Selection—"Anglo-American Airs."—Jealousy.

March—"Hollenfriedberger."—Friedrich der Grosse.

South—"Doric Quartette.

Selection—"Sounds from England."—Lange.

God Save The King.

Conductor.—Prof. F. W. A. Paul.

Doric Quartette.

Messrs. Geo. Butts, Frank Irvine, Tom Stegman, Wm. Moore.

Nos. 10 and 16 are the selections which were rendered at the Barrie Tournament.

An interesting interlude in the concert, at night, was the introduction of Mrs. McCulloch, the authoress of the words of "O Canada." The gifted poetess thanked the audience for the reception, and the band rendered at once the song, "O Canada" and did it well.

During the sports, the Doric Quartette sang two songs, and at night they also sang two songs. They are one of the finest quartettes ever heard here.

The winning numbers in the prize-drawing contest are as follows:—

First—13,770.

Second—3,543.

Third—10,814.

Fourth—2,912.

Fifth—3,865.

Sixth—2,131.

Mrs. Geo. Glenn and Miss Helem, of Charlottetown, Hamilton, are spending the holidays with her brother, Mr. Joe Harvey, Waterloo.

Acting Mayor Weichel requests all business men to suspend business during the hours of two and four on Tuesday afternoon, out of respect for the late Mayor Levi Givrayhill. The funeral will be held at two o'clock.

Murphy to the Fore.

Kemptville, Ont., July 3.—Ideal weather and splendid attendance marked the Dominion Day celebration here. There were addresses by Hon. Chas. Murphy, Secretary of State, and Howard Ferguson, M.P.P. for Grenville. The marathon race was won by C. B. Cannon of Manotick, and the hundred yards race by B. Nott, Smith's Falls. Kemptville defeated Merrickville at baseball, by a score of three to two.

In the afternoon sports there was a parade from the public schools of hundreds of school children and a boy scout, headed by the band, to Victoria Park. Races for children and adults were indulged in. Tug-of-war, Hesperus v. Puslinch, won by Puslinch team.

Drowned While Bathing.

Toronto, July 3.—There's the cemetery, boys, if any of us are drowned to-day won't have far to go," shouted James Russell, as he and a band of companions from the St. John's Methodist Church entered Eldorado Park, Brampton, early on the afternoon of Dominion Day. Two hours later his body was dragged from the lake, after having been submerged for nearly half an hour.

Russell was a young man of twenty years, and lived with his widowed mother at 45 Goodwood avenue, Earlscourt. Immediately after a heavy picnicers' lunch had been eaten, and several other of the young men of the party made for the lake.

Drowning at Brantford.

Brantford, July 3.—George Newman, 2 years old, was drowned in Mohawk Lake Saturday afternoon while canoeing with another young man. The canoe upset in twenty feet of water, and Newman went down, after grasping in vain for the canoe, while his companion swam to shore. The life preserver life boat was called out, recovering the body in about thirty minutes. Life was then extinct. Newman, who worked at Verity Plow Works, a young wife. No inquest will be held.

Brant County Farmer Dies.

Brantford, July 3.—After living all his life near a farm where he was born 75 years ago, Thomas Brooks, one of the best known farmers in Brant County, died at his home on Mount Pleasant road, near this city, Saturday after a short illness. A widow and four sons survive. He was prominent in politics, being a Liberal, a fine speaker, and an advocate of tariff reduction.

Settlement With Strikers.

Liverpool, July 3.—It is officially announced that the Cunard, the White Star and other "combine" lines and the Harbours line have agreed to re-cognize the dockers' union and to attend a conference within a month for the settlement of the questions of wages and conditions of employment.

Negro Shot Policeman.

New York, July 3.—Patrolman M. Lynch was shot and killed and Patrolman McDonald was wounded by a negro yesterday at West 37th street and Ninth avenue, in a district known as "Hell Kitchen."

The negro, who has not yet been identified, was arrested.

Lubria Is Aground.

Colchester, July 3.—The steamer Lubria is aground on Green Shoal. It will have to be lightened before she can be released.

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Splendid Addresses

this theme, I will try to tell you about it. Some thirty years ago Judge Routhier of Quebec—who was one of those to receive Coronation honours—wrote in French a charming hymn to be sung to the tune of "O Canada" composed by M. Calixte Lavallee, who was a musician well known in Quebec and Boston. He was a brilliant pianist, an orchestra leader and a composer. The hymn appealed to the people of Quebec, especially the college students and the young people and was soon deservedly popular. In Ontario it was practically unknown until the Mendelssohn Choir sang it in 1905, using a translation of the French verses made by Dr. Richardson, a prominent member of the Choir. The composition as rendered by the Choir roused great enthusiasm. In Chicago the audience jumped on the seats and shouted in wild delight. Translations however are as you know usually somewhat clumsy. It is very difficult to put into singable rhythm in one language words that in another are liquid music. "O Canada" did not grow into public favor very rapidly. Several other translations appeared. One by Mr. Weir of Ottawa had considerable vogue, especially in the Western Provinces. Some were adopted here, others under. Then the Editor of Collier's Weekly—one of the most brilliant newspapermen in Canada—had an idea. It came to him that Canada was growing up and needed a real national anthem of its own, one that would suit the entire population, something with catchy melody but more dignified than "The Maple Leaf." Musically, the air of "O Canada" appealed to him and to certain of his friends to whom he spoke considering it, but the French words were Roman Catholic in sentiment and better suited to Quebec than to Manitoba and in the multitude of translations there was confusion. So it came about that Collier's Weekly offered a prize for English words set to the tune of "O Canada," words that could be sung in church or picnic-ground or club-room by clergyman, school-boy, or jolly good fellow. Some four hundred contributions deluged the judges who were Mr. Hector Charlesworth, musical editor of "Saturday Night," Dr. Pelham Edgar, a Professor in Victoria University, and Dr. Broome of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, a leading organist and composer of many solos and anthems. Some contributions ruled themselves out at once because they were set to other tunes such as "God Save the King," "Bonny Dundee," and "The Maple Leaf," and Collier's had declared itself definitely for the air of "O Canada." Some of the poems were lofty in theme and beautiful in metaphor, but they weren't suitable.

Collier's editorials for the few weeks immediately preceding the announcement of the decision were calculated to arouse much interest and curiosity. One speculated as to which of the professional poets who draw salaries and think thoughts in Canada which they sell in the United States had won the prize, or what newspaper rhyme was customed to grind out serviceable verse on any subject. If none of these what man won it anyway? It isn't a man at all—it's a woman. Her name is—but that would be telling."

The woman had been passing through a protracted period of anxiety and loneliness. The air of "O Canada" repented itself in her ears and the words began to fit themselves to it. To be a truly national anthem it must be intelligible to children, who are invariably attracted by martial strains and in whom the deepest principles of patriotism must be inculcated to-day if we would have them loyal men and women to-morrow. So the wording had to be simple. Then the verses had to be sane or men of strength and intellect would not sing them. One of the translations from the French ended "For Christ and the King." In our country there are many Hebrews and some men of other theological beliefs who are good and loyal citizens but who do not recognize as we do that Christ is the Head and Master. No one however, could refuse an appeal to God Himself, and what more appropriate title when addressing the God of a nation than the old Moslem name, "Lord God of Hosts."

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(1) To create stock of the Corporation dividends an amount of 25 per cent of the Company for 1910.

(2) To confirm the Board of Directors' determination of the stock of the Corporation.

(3) To authorize the debentures, perpetual debentures, stock for the redemption of and for the purchase of bonds, debentures, other securities, mortgages, charges or claims on any property assets, the Company, or as may be described or charged, such debenture stock for such amount authorized by the Company as may be determined by the Directors and the Company and the Company's agents making advance from time to time as may be passed by-law for the Company's meeting.

(4) To confirm the Board of Directors' determination of the stock of the Corporation.

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