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Lacrosse Notes.

THE OPENING GAME TAKES PLACE IN HANOVER TO-MORROW.

The opening game in District No. 4, intermediate series, will be played in Hanover on Friday, June 13th, between the Lornes of Mt. Forest and the home team. Hanover will put up a plucky fight on this occasion for supremacy.

Durham and Owen Sound will clash together on June 18th in the latter town. Owen Sound claims a fast aggregation and as our boys are in great form a good swift game is assured to lovers of the game.

Durham and Hanover, two teams competing for intermediate C. L. A. honors, played an exhibition game of lacrosse at Durham on Victoria Day, when the aggregation in the embryo cement town defeated the boys of this place by a score of 9 to 1. If the above statement exactly showed the ability of the two teams when playing at their best, the outlook for the local lacrosse team would be far from bright. The score, however, was scarcely a criterion of the play, and there is considerable hope for the belief that the Hanover team will give them a very much different argument when they line up again. The personnel of the Durham team is a very good one, and the Durham sports whose number is legion will put up a red hot fight for championship. Of the collection five are wringers, namely, Dave Winkler, who plays point; Matheson, a Clinton star who plays cover point; Dayman, another Clinton man of repute; Theobald, one of Mt. Forest's swiftest seniors last season, and Jordan, another Mt. Forest man. The Durham team also comprises some excellent players, among whom the best are "Dug" Munro, McCracken, McIntyre and Collison. The strongest player of the Durham twelve is Wes. Theobald. While he plays too much of an individual game to be at home with the best company of to-day, he can feed a home to the king's taste. Of Durham's new men Winkler is probably the next best. "Dug" Munro plays a dashing spectacular article, and his work is also effective. Of the Hanover team individually we reserve comment until the next match. They were far from being in shape for the game, physically and otherwise. The defence put up a plucky fight, but their tactics will have to be improved upon. The home department was decidedly off color. It is reasonably certain, however, that the twelve who will line up with Mt. Forest on the 13th of June will be immeasurably stronger in every way than the boys who went down to defeat at Durham on Saturday. — Hanover Post.

The sporting critic of the Owen Sound Times sizes up the lacrosse situation in this district in the following style: A closer study of the lacrosse situation leads more than ever to the conclusion that the intermediate championship will come this year to the district comprising Hanover, Durham, Mt. Forest and Owen Sound. Hanover is a dark horse. The one who imagines that the Hanover dozen are a weak bunch is away out. They have good players there, and above all they are practising morning, night and noon. According to a straight tip from a man who has fondled a lacrosse stick for 15 years, Hanover has a very strong dozen, and they will fight for the championship from the drop to the bonnet. Durham has a team that will do Cementville credit, and will make their opponents look as wise as owls. They have so much senior league material down there that it sends cold chills down one's back to contemplate what may happen before the finish. Mt. Forest looks to be the toughest proposition on form. A lacrosse town, where lacrosse men have been cradled since the evolution of a lacrosse stick from an Indian chop stick, they play the game down Mt. Forest way more as a sort of idle amusement. Mount Forest lacrosse team in their palmy days would play lacrosse with an opponent much the same as a cat plays with a mouse. Mount Forest is a senior league town but this year they are looking for something easy. They have seven senior players, and the other five are promising juniors who have played all their lives with senior men. Mount Forest is strong. Owen Sound has a very passable outfit. They are all good lacrosse men, and with two or three exceptions are home brewed material. The team has a stronger defence than last year, and the home is a hundred per cent ahead of the 1901 team. They are fast enough to give the other fellows a game, and perhaps they are fast enough to win.

HITS AND MISSES.

He sat in his door at noonday, looking both lonely and sad. The flies were buzzing around him, led by a blue-winged gad; not a creature darkened his portal not a sign of business was there, but the flies continue to buzz and buzz around the old man's hair. He at last in his misery shouted "Great Scott, I'm covered with flies," and the zephyrs that toyed with his whiskers said, "Why don't you advertise?"

A good story is told of a gentleman from Markdale who had never stopped a big modern hotel until he visited Toronto recently. After going

to his room to retire he wanted a drink of water and on looking around to find some saw the words "push twice for water" under a button the wall. He pushed twice, then held an empty glass under the button and in that position the bell boy found him when he arrived with the water.

The lark was up to meet the sun and carol forth his lay, the farmer's son took down his gun and at him blazed away. The busy bee arose at 5, and hummed the meadow o'er; the farmer's wife went for his hive and robbed him of his store. The little ant rose early, too, his labors to begin, a greedy sparrow passed that way and took his antship in. Oh, birds and bees, and ants, be wise; in proverbs take no stock, and like the mossback do not rise till half-past 8 o'clock.

Alarming news comes from Stratford, says an exchange, to the effect that an outbreak of hog cholera near that city is spreading. On Wednesday last five hogs belonged to D. S. McDonald, Hickson, died and four more are expected to succumb. A herd of swine belonging to John King of the same section was burned the same day. The animals were despatched with axes and then piled tire upon tire with lumber and the whole fired. The pens were also destroyed by fire. Farmers and others in this section will need to have an eye to their hogs, especially where any large number are confined in pens.

The report has reached us of a good joke on a young man who resides not a thousand miles from here, who went to Owen Sound last week, and decided to surprise his wife by returning home in a new suit of clothes. When he reached the bridge at the Rocky he halted and pulled off his old duds and cast them into the waters. Then he reached for his new suit, but it wasn't where he had left it. Grouping under the seat in vain with the feeling of a man who has got on the wrong train, it began to dawn on him that the bundle had jolted out of the buggy. Luckily it was dark. He drove home and his wife was surprised.

The preacher may preach, the newspaper reason and entreat, and the old women pray and exhort, but young men will continue to get drunk and commit other social sins just so long as the young women—their sweet-hearts—tolerate it. When we hear of a young man making a shameful exhibition of himself at a social function, of course, we pity the poor, weak little fellow, but have no sympathy whatever for the woman who has been humiliated by his conduct, unless she manifests that righteous indignation and asserts her self-respect by refusing to recognize him or have anything whatever to do with him until he has shown himself to be worthy of it. It all rests with the women of the country. They have it as they will. If the silly, flippant creatures would only do it, they could at least make the young men restrain their passions and brutal appetites while in their presence so as to conform to the rules of decent society. But there are so many society girls of to-day who would receive attention from anything just so long as it has the appearance of a man. Anything, good Lord, a pair of breeches, a little hair on the end of its neck parted in the middle, breath like the effluvia from a festering beer keg, brainless as a baseball and eyes like a rotten persimmon is better than nothing in the estimation of these little things who are to be unworthy mothers of a sorry part of the next generation. It is really a serious matter to contemplate, and it is enough to make the gods weep, if weeping could do any good. But of course, weeping could do no good, unless tears enough could be shed to produce a flood that would drown all of these little human worms. And that would not be possible unless you tied a rock to each one of them for their heads are so much like a circus balloon that they would float like a bubble.

Mistake in Majority.

ED. CHRONICLE:
DEAR SIR,—In the detailed report in last week's Chronicle of the South Grey Election, allow me to make a correction in regards Mr. Binnie's majority in ward No. 1, Tobermory, Bentinck Tp. Mr. Binnie's official majority in this particular ward was 6 instead of 12 as reported in Chronicle and Review of last week. Kindly make this correction in this week's Chronicle and oblige.

Yours etc.,
D. CORLETT.
Votes polled Polling Subdivision No. 1, Bentinck:—Binnie 62, Jamieson 56.
DONALD McLEAN, D. R. O.
May 29th, 1902.

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Local News Item

GATHERED DURING THE PAST WEEK
CHRONICLE READERS

BAPTIST garden party—June 24

McKECHNIE'S pay 13c. per doz. for eggs.

The County Council meets in Court House on Monday next.

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Do you know who carries the best stock of choice fancy biscuits? H. W. Mockerler has some tasty things in that line.

MR. JAS. WHITMORE is recovering nicely from a paralytic stroke he received some time ago. He is able to walk by the aid of a cane.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Fraser, of Vickers, of a short obituary, contributed by a friend appears in another column.

The best washing machine money can buy, absolutely no oil or wear on the clothes—have you it—at The Big Store Hardware.

—J. A. Hunter.

BOOK LOST.—In Durham, Ontario are the words "Hoffellers' Commemorative" no use to any one but owner. A receipt for eighty dollars will be found in book. Book by leaving at this office.—1

On Friday afternoon, June 13, the annual picnic at Allan's Lake, Egremont, will be held in Leaside grove, near Varney. A good program is in preparation, and all attend will have an enjoyable afternoon's outing.

You want blunder twine. You as well get the best from John Kingston, who will give entirely with a lot of 50 lbs. or over of the most useful maps of Western Canada ever published. Over names of villages and towns added so as to be found at a glance. Only the early purchasers can probably secure a map. Come at once.

The Canadian Order of Foresters on Sunday morning last, at Divine Service at the Baptist Church where a very appropriate sermon preached by the pastor, Rev. Newton. There were seven members, all belonging to the Durham No. 446. This organization is making phenomenal advancement and has now a membership of good standing.

The Town Council is not likely to take hasty action towards the streets. Two or three propositions will bring us up to the rains when they'll not need a lot of street lighting, and we are of the opinion that a town so talked about as Durham, should be in darkness. Provisions for course, been made for the erection of a new bridge, but there seems to be very little move in the direction of a new town hall to replace ramshackle old shed that discredits the town. When the time comes its disappearance we hope to see tears over its departure.

THE High School entrance examination for 1902 will begin on Wednesday, 25th June, and last three days. The subjects for the first day are Composition, Geography, Grammar and Diction; second day, Arithmetic, Drawing and History. The third day, English Literature and Physiology and Temperance. The part 1st Junior Leaving examination begins on Wednesday. The subjects for the first day are Geography and Composition; second day, Arithmetic and English; third day, English and History. Part 1 Junior Matriculation begins on July 3rd at 8:45 a. m., and Junior Matriculation II on the 7th at 8:45 a. m.