

Base Ball Match.

A very interesting and exciting game of Base Ball took place on Friday afternoon last, in Brantford, between the first nine of the Beaver Club, Waterford, and the first nine of the Brant Club. The play was very exciting towards the last, and the Brant Club played steadily then for victory, which they failed to achieve; being their first game they were too anxious to win, and played badly at first. Capt. Hamilton played well all through, F. Wilkes made some excellent catches, Keatchie missed several, and the other members of the nine distinguished themselves in various ways, but they all lacked a thorough knowledge of the rules which govern the game. The elements of good players are in the Club, and a little more practice will develop them. The Waterford Club played steadily all through the match, and missed no opportunity of tallying to their score; the members are first-rate good fellows, and honorable opponents. The umpire, Mr. W. Green, gave unqualified satisfaction to all concerned, as his decisions were characterized by fairness and impartiality. Both Nines appeared in neat and tasty uniforms; that for the Brant Club being supplied by Mr. Chas. Duncan, of Brantford. There were about 300 people on the ground to witness the match. The following is the score:—

BEAVER.

	Runs,	H.	L.
1. Beal, J. ....	5	3	
2. McMichael, R. ....	5	2	
3. Squire, J. W. ....	6	3	
4. Likens, J. ....	7	2	
5. McMichael, W. ....	8	1	
6. Palmer, J. ....	3	3	
7. Johnson, H. ....	2	5	
8. Green, J. ....	2	5	
9. Slight, E. ....	5	3	
	43	27	

BRANT.

	Runs,	H.	L.
1. Hamilton, H. ....	6	3	
2. Cameron, J. ....	3	4	
3. Glasco, G. ....	3	3	
4. Crooks, A. ....	5	2	
5. Wilkes, F. ....	3	5	
6. Keschie, M. ....	4	2	
7. Inglis, Jno. ....	4	2	
8. Collins, W. ....	3	2	
9. Howell, C. ....	4	4	
	35	27	

TOTAL EACH INNINGS.

Beaver.—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
11 7 4 9 3 2 0 5 1—43

Brant.—0 1 1 2 4 15 9 1 2—35

Fly Catchers, Beaver—10	Brant—11
“ Fowls, do 9	do 7
“ do missed do 2	do 2
Home Runs, do 1	do 1

Umpire, Mr. W. Green, Waterford Club.

Scorers, Mr. Malcolm, Brant Club; Mr Boughner, Waterford Club.