

McHenry Advocates Cheaper Base Ball

Baseball enthusiasts of McHenry are interested in forming a home players league, representing the towns of McHenry, Binford, Coopers-town, Hannaford, Sutton, Glenfield, Grace City, and Brantford. The plan is similar to the one organized along the Soo line last season, and which, from all reports, proved very satisfactory.

The idea is to eliminate, as much as possible, the high-priced ball clubs which to some towns have become a burden. In this respect, however, Binford is one of the few fortunate ones in having practically a full team of home boys, with the exception of pitchers. Others, less fortunate, have been obliged to support a full salaried team in order to compete, with very disastrous financial results and often discouraging from a playing standpoint.

Just what attitude the other towns will take on the McHenry plan is not known, and while The Times has not felt out the sentiment here, we believe Binford fans will take kindly to the proposition. Certain it is, no encouragement can be expected in the way of hiring more than one salaried player and even that is doubtful.