

VII. Canadian Sport

W - 1 Mott, Morris. "Flawed Games, Splendid Ceremonies: The Hockey Matches of the Winnipeg Vics, 1890-1903," *Prairie Forum*, 10, No. 1 (Spring 1985), 169-187.

In the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries the Winnipeg Victorias had one of the best hockey teams in Canada. By the technical standards of later years, Vics' games were neither well-played nor well-organized. However, these games were full of meaning to the people of Winnipeg. In fact, from a ceremonial perspective, Vics' matches were usually more successful than games played in the city in later decades. Based on primary sources and secondary works; 60 notes; 9 illustrations.

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VII-2 Wetherall, Donald G. "Some Aspects of Technology and Leisure in Alberta, 1914-1950," *Prairie Forum*, 11, No. 1 (Spring 1986), 51-67.

In Alberta, a number of economic, political, and moral factors combined to shape differing responses to the various technological innovations of the early twentieth century- that had a major impact on leisure. Movies were subjected to government censorship in order to protect local values. The radio and the automobile were viewed much more favorably. Based on primary and secondary sources; 63 notes; 2 photographs.

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