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VANDELEUR CHAMPION BASEBALL TEAM

Reading from left to right :—Top Row—Elmer Warling, Sam Buchanan, George Buchanan, Dave Graham and Harry Baker. CENTRE ROW—Russell Freeman, Russell Graham, Chas. Boland President, Wilfred Graham and Howard Graham. SITTING—Albert Buchanan, pitcher, and Harold Bowler, catcher ; Howard McGee was absent.

The Vandeleur Baseball Club have enviable record of winning 23 out of 26 scheduled for the season, and scoring 260 runs over their obponents' 89. When the League started in the spring of 1921 it composed Vandeleur, Dundalk, Ceylon, Flesherton, Rocklyn, Eugenia and Glenelg Centre and finished in the order named. Besides the League championship, they also won the all-day tournament at Meaford on August 1st, beating seven good clubs.

PROTON STATION

Miss Georgina McGirr visited with her aunt, Mrs Hugh Hodgins.

Miss Gertie Lyons has returned home after a month's visit with her sister in Toronto.

Mr and Mrs H B Becker and son, Jack, are visiting with friends at Williamsford.

Mr Sam Wright was the guest of his brother, J O.

Walter Wyville has returned home after spending the summer out West.

Jack Hanley is relieving one of the C P R agents at Fergus.

Mr and Mrs Jack Hodgins of Owen Sound visited with friends here.

Mary Wyville is visiting her cousin, Miss Dorothy Nichol.

Allan McDonald of Ceylon visited at Thomas Wauchope's.

Mr and Mrs Dave Bradley have gone to Berkeley to spend the winter with the former's parents before going on their new farm in that vicinity.

Mr Simpson, Field Secretary of the L O L is addressing our lodge tonight (Monday).

The pupils of our school intend holding their Christmas entertainment on Dec. 23. The young people are preparing a humorous play entitled Waiting for the Trolley.

PRICEVILLE

Election Echoes : Huh ! Canada doesn't need Meehan, Tory Dame—What a shame ! Two of my three sons voting to upset the government ! Village Growler—Three more curses coming 'round the schoolhouse corner to vote for McPhail. Old Widower—If that McPhail girl needed a husband as badly as I need a—a—housekeeper, she wouldn't be trotting off to Parliament, gosh hang it !

Hello, Artemesia !—If you feel sleepy the adjoining municipalities would be willing to place some of THEIR men around your council board next year ? Ans.—No, mind your own business. Old Artemesia will elect her own citizens alone to fill her council board for 1922, and don't you forget it !

Two or three inches more snow would make nice winter roads.

The concert in Watson's hall last Friday night was a very enjoyable affair. The attendance was not large, but a pleasant evening was spent. Proceeds over $41.

Priceville Fox Co., Limited, has been formed here with a capital of $40,000, shares $100 par value. Officers—Pres., Mr W M Moore, Toronto, fur merchant ; Vice Pres, H B McKinnon, Toronto Globe ; Sec Treas, J M McGillivray, Toronto and Priceville. Directors—F G Karstedt, Priceville, and F G Jordan, Prince Edward Island.

[illegible] wood is considerably lower in [illegible]ket this year—abundance of [illegible] offered at $3.50, dry at $4 [illegible] cord.

Ceylon U.F.O. Celebrate Miss McPhail's Victory

The Ceylon U. F. O. club entertained themselves and their friends at an oyster supper at the Park House in Flesherton on the evening of December 9. About 400 people joyfully ate the very delicious supper provided by the families of the members of the club. A spirit of sociability was abroad and every one was in good humor. After all had eaten Mr. Harry Shaw called the meeting to order from the stairway in the hall and in his able way made a short, effective chairman's address, reviewing his connection with the U. F. O and the great need of all Canadians, both urban and rural, working together to improve Canada, our home land. He then called on Dr. Geo. M. Leeson, M.P.P., who in a short but well connected address emphasized his desire to keep in close touch with the people and to work at all times to perfect democracy. Dr. Leeson is a very modest man, and it is only those who know him personally who know his true worth.

Agnes C. McPhail, M. P. elect, was the last speaker and briefly outlined the National Policy of the Progressives, thanked the electors for their wonderful support and promised to serve truly.

Music and dancing brought the joyous occasion to a close at 12 o'clock. Mr Thos. Sled, President, and Roy H. Piper, Secretary, and the whole club, are to be congratulated on the success of the evening—Com.

FEVERSHAM

Mrs Geo Hudson of Hawarden, Sask., is visiting her sisters near Robrey.

Mr and Mrs John Black of Hatherton visited with the latter's father, Mr. Jos. Ferguson, recently.

Mrs. Silas Udell and son George, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Geo Brown at Maxwell.

Mr Andrew McGir of Rob Roy is slowly recovering from a severe attack of heart and stomach trouble.

Mr Will Heitman is going to be manager of the skating rink this winter. Young couples who go skating will need to watch or he will be trading partners for them, as Will is a great hand at making exchanges.

Mr McGirr of South River visited with his uncle Robert last week.

Mr John Tyson is feeling a lot better and we hope to see him as well as usual very soon.

Miss Lily Ottewell, who has been on the sick list for some time, is recovering nicely.

Now, John, it is coming near Xmas, and you know what we promised you if you don't let us see how you will hitch up double. Get busy, John.

Mr and Mrs Frank Curran and babe, of McIntyre, spent Sunday with Mrs Henderson.

CEYLON

James Sargent left the past week to spend the winter months in Owen Sound

Mr and Mrs Percy Hunt and two children of McGee, Sask, arrived here Saturday on an extended visit with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs George Arrowsmith.

The Misses Valens of Hamilton visited Mrs John Kennedy last week.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Bailey of Shrigley visited the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs D McPhail, for a couple of days last week.

Miss Myrtle Hemphill has returned home from Toronto.

We are sorry to report Ross McMullen on sick list, but hope for speedy recovery

The Ceylon Union Sabbath school intend holding their election of officers on Sabbath afternoon, Dec 18.

Rev Mr Uphrm was a guest of George Snell over the week end

The church here held its first anniversary on Sabbath afternoon and evening, when Rev Mr Upham, a former pastor, took charge of both services. assisted at the afternoon service by our pastor, Mr Marks. Mr Upham gave two well received sermons. The church was very prettily decorated with flowers for the occasion and the choir rendered music. On Monday evening an entertainment was given to a crowded house. Mr Archie Sinclair occupied the chair. The programme consisted of choruses by the school, dialogues, recitations and readings. Revs Jones and McCarten of Priceville and Oke of Flesherton each gave splendid addresses which will be long remembered. At the close of the program a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to all who assisted to make the entertainment such a success. The proceeds for Monday night amounted to about $22

VANDELEUR

Miss A. Pritchard of Williamsford spent a couple of weeks with Mr and Mrs Pritchard.

The Orange Lodge of this place had a very successful box social in the school house on Friday evening, Dec 9th. A good program was rendered of recitations music, etc, also addresses by Rev Oke of Flesherton and Rev Thurburn Conn. Mr Geo Pritchard acted as Chairman.

People of this section are greatly pleased over the election of Miss Agnes McPhail with such a large majority. The vote at the poll here was— McPhail 99, Ball 11. Hastie 2.

ROCK MILLS

Mr and Mrs C D Meldrum and babe visited with W T Pedlar and family.

Isaac Smith spent a few days the past week with Mr and Mrs Frank Taylor, Osprey.

W Higgins is spending a few days with friends here.

The Ladies' Aid are holding their monthly meeting this Wednesday at the home of Mrs Ned Croft.

Quite a number of the farmers with their wives attended the oyster supper last Friday given by Ceylon U F O and report a splendid time.

Mrs John Robertson and two daughters, Edith and Ruby, of Maxwell, spent the week end with the former's brother, Levi Betts, wife and family.

We are sorry to report Lewis Pedlar on the sick list, but hope it is only temporary.

Sam Croft, wife and children, spent Sunday with relatives at Vandeleur.

Tucker Phillips held a very successful shooting match on Friday last and everything went pretty good.

Neil McKay of the 12th con. Elderslie sued his neighbor, Stanley Herron, for $90 for the loss of two head of cattle by poisoning through Heron's carelessness. McKay sold a granary on his property on the 14th con, Elderslie, to Herron, who took it down and removed it. In the building was a quantity of paris green which was left among the debris. Two of McKay's cattle got the poison and died of its effects. McKay entered a suit against Herron for the value of the poisoned cattle and was allowed $90 as the judge held that Herron had shown carelessness in leaving the poison where the animals could get at it.

OFFICIAL RETURNS

Riding of South-East Grey

ARTEMESIA			
1	20	3	110
2	19	5	90
3	44	5	84
4	29	10	144
5	31	53	128
6	11	2	99
7	25	8	81
8	13	3	93
Total	222	94	913
BENTINCK			
	272	174	761
CHATSWORTH			
	96	79	42
DUNDALK			
	190	104	51
DURHAM			
	574	266	89
EGREMONT			
	241	193	817
FLESHERTON			
	119	54	53
HOLLAND			
1	38	20	79
2	91	21	96
3	165	7	77
4	40	53	109
5	117	25	12
6	56	7	65
Total	507	133	474
HANOVER			
	398	697	232
GLENELG			
1	58	8	160
2	8	15	132
3	22	3	163
4	18	18	105
5	39	8	120
Total	145	52	680
MARKDALE			
	312	95	63
NEUSTADT			
	31	116	25
NORMANBY			
	248	334	617
OSPREY			
1	44	3	44
2	90	6	103
3	138	2	113
4	48	1	37
5	37	9	71
6	16	2	80
7	53	5	91
8	37	0	28
Total	463	28	568
SULLIVAN			
	232	213	752
PROTON			
1	33	9	123
2	39	34	156
3	50	5	189
4	29	18	89
5	76	8	36
6	13	1	99
7	28	12	87
8	42	0	42
Total	310	87	821
Total vote	4360	2638	6958
Majority for Miss McPhail			2598

Close To a Tragedy

W. W. Bruce of East Luther had a rather harrowing experience about 2 o'clock Sunday morning that, on top of his recent troubles, is enough to make one shudder. He had retired about midnight and a couple of hours afterwards was awakened by a smothering sensation. Jumping out of bed he found the upstairs full of smoke and he hastily picked up his little ones and placed them outdoors in their night clothes. He dashed back, grabbed a pail and attacked the flames, which had now reached the ceiling and burned through it. He succeded in putting out the fire but it was a close call. The heat was so intense that the telephone receiver on the opposite side of the wall was melted. The fire was supposed to have started from a piece of wood left on the damper for a time becoming heated and replaced in the woodbox. The whole affair was a close call on a tragedy—Grand Valley Star.

For Sale By Tender

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of lots 148, 149 and 150, 3rd range N E T & S Road, Artemesia, 100 acres, of which 80 acres are cleared and balance in timber, with roughcast dwelling and log barn, 1¼ miles east of Flesherton, Wm. Trueman proprietor Tenders to be sealed and marked "Tender for farm," and will be received up to the first of January, 1922 Terms —Ten per cent on accepatnce, and $1000 in 30 days, balance to be secured by mortgage for five years with interest at 6 per cent. Principal may be made payable by yearly instalments, or will accept all cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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