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ANOTHER "LEAP IN THE DARK"

In the British general election next year, what has been flippantly termed the "flapper" voters will go to the poles for the first time. The law now provides that all women 21 years of age and upward can vote, and thus the lists have added to them 5,245,000 nmes of young women, bringing the total vote up to 26,750,000. It will be extremly interesting to watch the result of this great increase to the electorate. When Disraeli extended the franchise to householders he admitted that it was "a leap in the dark," and so it proved, for in the following election Gladstone got the popular ear, and the Tory chieftain had to bewail the fickle ungratefulness of the electors.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The farmer who has good cattle for sale can make money these days. We heard a housewife declare the other day that the beefsteak she had purchased was gilt edged!

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Homer, Dante, Shakespeare, and Goethe are now declared to be the four literary giants of the world. When will Canada produce in this class a "highly commended."

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Half the jails in England have been closed, because of the lack of customers. The British are smoking more and drinking less. An improvement. Smokers do not beat their wives.

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We are getting along very well with the reduction of the death rate from tuberculosis, typhoid fever, diphtheria and kindred diseases, when along comes the automobile, with the many reckless drivers. "Accident" prevention must have increased attention, if the record of the longevity is to be kept up with credit to modern civilization.

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Still there is no word of the authorities providing walks on the highways for the safety of pedestrians. Some politicians, when appealed to, reply in effect that the highways are for autos and trucks, and that foot passengers must look out for themselves. And the slaughter goes on. Why not apply a portion of the increased oil tax to the provision of footpaths.

The Onward Protest

The executive of the Centre Grey Softball League met one night last week to deal with the protest, lodged by the Onward team, on a certain decision given in the last game played. This decision meant a difference of 3 runs in the total runs scored by the Maxwell 9, as 3 runs came in after this decision, before the third man was retired in that inning, and at the finish the score stood 10-12 in favor of Maxwell. The result of the game hinged on that particular play The game in question was with a runner on first base and a runner on third base, with the pitcher standing left first base and ran down to second. The Onwards claimed he was out, Maxwell claiming that the batter had to be in his box, as well as the pitcher. The advice of outside umpires was sought and the decision was that the runner was out for leaving his base and that it was not necessary for a batter to be in his box. The executive, after looking into the matter, voted to sustain the protest and have the game replayed with only one opposed. Since this meeting a fourth decision has come from Toronto which reads: that the catcher must be in his box, as well as the pitcher, but nobody seems prepared to say definitely that the catcher was or was not in the box. The game was to have been called for next Saturday, but owing to the "Flu" epidemic among the Maxwell players the manager has called it off for this week at least. Maxwell is undecided as to whether they can play next week or not.—Com.

Cecil Dillon, former Meaford and Owen Sound hockey player, has signed a contract to play in Springfield,

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Priceville Fair Awards

CATTLE — Thoroughbred

Durham — 1 yr. old bull—J. Meads Milch cow—H. Karstedt, J. Burnett 2nd and 3rd. Hereford Bull—Roy Tucker. Cow—Roy Tucker. 1 yr. old heifer—Roy Tucker.

GRADE—Milch cow for dairy purposes—W. G. Watson., A. J. McVicar. Beef animal — Jno. Livingstone, J. Reiley, J. Livingstone. Calf —Roy Tucker.

HORSES

Heavy Draft, 1 yr. old—McDonald Bros. Agricultural team—Stanley Williams, Jno. Burnett. D. Hincks. Brood Mare—D. Hincks & Son 1 and 2, Harrison Bros. Sp. Colt—Harrison Bros., W. J. McMillan, D. Hincks and Son. 2-year old — Harrison Bros., Wm. Aldcorn. 1 yr. old—Harrison Bros. A. Hincks.

Gen. Purpose—2 yr. old—S. Williams, E. Ashley. 1 yr. old—J. F. McDonald Bros. Sp. colt—D. Hincks and Son.

Carriage Horses—2 yr. old—Harrison Bros.

Roadsters—team — A. McCuaig brood mare—And. Hincks. Sp. colt—A. Hincks. Single driver—Harrison Bros., McDonald Bros., A. McCuaig. Lady driver—A. McCuaig, Harrison Bros. Best team on grounds — S. Williams. Best comic outfit—Harrison Bros.

POULTRY

Buff orpington, male—T. Nichol. female—T. Nichol, 1 and 2. Buff orpington, male, young — T. Nichol 1 and 2. female—Nichol 1 and 2. Black Orp., male—Mrs. J. C. Adams. Rh. Is. Red, male—Mrs. Adams. Toulouse goose, male—F. D. Cairns 1 and 2. female—F. D. Cairns, Geo. Cairns. Chinchilla Rabbit, male — C. F. Sheffle, H. Karstedt. Female—Sheffle Karstedt. Best pair of Plymouth Rocks—H. Karstedt.

GRAIN AND SEEDS

Fall wheat, white — Geo. Cairns. sp. wheat, marquis—J. C. Adams, R. Ramage. Bu. barley, 6 rowed — F. Cairns, Ramage. Oats, large — Cairns, Ramage. Peas, large—Ramage, Fisher. Peas, small—J. Burnet. Buckwheat—T. McDougall, Ramage. Field corn—J. J. McRae. Timothy seed— T. McDougall, J. C. Adams. Colored Beans—T. McDougall, J. J. McRae. Red Clover seed —L. A. Fisher, J. C. Adams. Alsike clover—Fisher.

ROOTS & VEGETABLES

Green mountain potatoes—R. Gardiner, W. J. McMillan. Cobbler—T. McDougall. P. Gardiner. Potatoes, a. o. k.—T. McDougall, J. F. Collinson. Coll potatoes—T. McDougall, W. J. McMillan. Swede turnips, Derby—Jno. Burnett, J. F. Collinson. Swede a.o.k.—T. Nichol, Wm. Aldcorn. Mangolds, Globe — W. A. Beaton. long, red — W. A. Beaton. Sugar beets — P. Gardiner. Carrots, Shorthorn — T. McDougall, T. G. Davis. carrots, a.o.v.—W. J. McMillan, R. Vause. Table turnips—Fisher. A. F. McDonald. Beets, long blood—Fisher, McMillan. Beets, turnip rooted—Vause, J. F. McDonald. Parsnips—McMillan, Vause. Radishes winter—Fisher, T. McDougall. Cabbage, exheart—W. A. Hawken. T. J. Davis. pickling—Davis, Hawken. a.o.v. — McMillan, Reiley. Cauliflower — Hawken, Thurston. Potato onions—Davis, T. McDougall. Dutch sets—McMillan, J. E. Nichol. Pumpkin, corn yellow—Gardiner, McRae. Squash, table—Thurston, Geo. Cairns Marrow—J. E. Nichol, Ramage. Celery, white—Hawken, Dan Campbell. Citrons—Geo. Cairns, Gardiner. Tomatoes—Fisher, Davis. Watermelons—T. McDougall. Muskmelons—T. McDougall, Fisher. ripe—Davis, T. McDougall. Table corn — Davis. Best coll. of vegetables—T. McDougall, Thurston. 6 stalks ensilage corn—J. J. McRae.

DAIRY & DOMESTIC

5 pounds of honey—Mrs. Fisher. 5 pounds of butter—G. Cairns, W. A. Beaton, Robt. Vause. 5 lb. crock—G. Cairns, Vause, Collinson. 10 lb. blocks—G. Cairns, H. Karstedt, T. G. Davis. Maple Syrup—R. Ramage W. Brown. Maple sugar—Fisher. pumpkkin pie — J. E. Nichol, T. G. Davis. Lemon pie—F. Cairns. Cambell. Oatmeal cakes— F. Cairns, H. Harrison. Custard pie—Hawken, G. Cairns. Cream pie—G. Cairn H. Harrison. Mince pie — Davis, Collinson. Layer cake, light—G. Cairns. Campbell. Layer cake, dark—Fisher, Aldcorn. Homemade bread — Vause, J. F. McDonald. Brown bread — Davis, Middaugh. ½ doz. plain rolls—Davis, G. Cairns. ½ doz. plain buns—Vause, G. Cairns. tarts —Fisher. G. Cairns. Scone — G. Cairns, Campbell. Coll of Canned Fruit—Campbell, G. Cairns. 3 sealers pickles, sweet—T. McDougall, Davis. 3 sealers pickles, sour—Collinson, D. L. McArthur. 2 loaves of bread "O Canada" (Karstedt's special)—T. G. Davis, Karstedt's special from "Canadian Beauty" pastry flour—W. A. Beaton.

LADIES' WORK, DOMESTIC

Quilt piece, cotton — Hawken. Campbell. Comforter—G. Cairns, Adams. Fancy Quilting—Nichol, J. F. McDonald. Bedspread, fancy a. o.k., — Karstedt, Thurston. Bedspread, crochet — Campbell Adams. Bedspread, knit. — Adams. Man's Sleeping garment—Campbell, Davis. Child's dress from old garment—Campbell. Kitchen apron—Davis, F. Cairns. Hand hemmed sheets—Collinson, G. A. McAuley. Sweater Coat—Fisher, Davis. 1 lb of home spun yarn — Adams, George Cairns. Hand knit socks, coarse — Middaugh, Fisher. socks, fine—Davis, McAuley. Mitts, double—Adams, Davis. fine—Middaugh Fisher. Darning on woollen socks —Geo. Cairns, Fisher. Laundry work cotton dress—Davis, Campbell. Floor mat (rag)—Fisher, J. Sinclair. wool —Fisher. Plain unlaundered garment—Davis, Campbell. Pillow slips unlaundered—Collinson, Hawken.

LADIES' WORK, FANCY

Irish crochet — McAuley, Davis Filet crochet, cotton—Thurston, Karstedt. Tatting—McAuley, Vause. Drawn thread work—F. Cairns, McAuley. Convel embroidery, colors—F. Cairns, Collinson. Hand hemstitching—F. Cairns, Fisher. Emby, eyelet—E. Karstedt, McAuley. solid, — Fisher, Campbell. Hardanger—Collinson, Fisher. Roman Cut—Fisher, Middaugh. Modern floral emb., colors—T. Nichol, McAuley. Luncheon set and doilies—Campbell, Davis. Table mats, crochet—Davis, Campbell. Tray cloth—Hawken, Fisher. Tea cosy—Collinson, Fisher. Centrepiece, white — G. Cairns, Collinson. Sideboard scarf—Campbell, J. E. Nichol. Pillow slips, hand trimmed — McAuley, Davis. Towels, emb.—Collinson, Campbell. Pr. towels, other hand trimming — McAuley, Vause. Dresser cover—T. Nichol, Collinson. Pin Cushion—McAuley, Collinson. Emb. night gown — J. E. Nichol, Middaugh. Buffet set—T. Nichol, Davis. Table runner — E. Karstedt, T. Nichol. Badroom slippers — Vause, J. McLean. Ladies' handkerchief — Campbell, Collinson. Serviettes—McAuley, Campbell. Jacket and bootees, child's—Davis, Adams. Child's short dress —McAuley, Collinson. Colored centre piece—Adams, Nichol. Sofa pillow emb. colors — Adams, J. E. Nichol. Modern cross stitch—Campbell. Appilque—J. E. Nichol, E. Karstedt. Sofa pillow, other hand work—Campbell, Adams. Coll. 5 pieces each kind embroidery—E. Karstedt, Hawken. Coll. other fancy needle work—Hawken, E. Karstedt. Tea cloth emb. and crochet trimmed — Campbell, J. E. Nichol. Shopping bag—Davis, Adams.

FLOWERS

Hand bouquet—J. McLean, Ramage Table centrepiece — G. Cairns, T. Cairns. Coll. house plants—Campbell, Ramage. Geranium in bloom—W. A. Beaton, McAuley. Coll sweet peas—Middaugh. W. Brown. House fern—Vause. Fuschia, any kind—Campbell, J. E. Nichol. Begonia, any o k—Adams, H. Karstedt. Gladioll—Geo. Cairns, Campbell. Hydrangea —Vause, Adams. Dahlias—F. Cairns, Middaugh. Coll Dahlias—F. Cairns, Middaugh. Coll. foliage—H. Karstedt, Adams. Asters — Hawken, McAuley.

FRUIT

Apples, northen spy—F. D. Cairns Ramage. Golden Russets — F. D. Cairns, W. A. Beaton, a.o.v.—winter —Ramage, McMillan. snow—Ramage Colbert — J. J. McRae. Alexander—H. Karstedt, Ramage. St. Lawrence—F. Cairns, Ramage. A. O. V., fall—Ramage, Cairns. Wolfe River—Vause Ramage. Collection — Ramage, F. Cairns. Crabs, large — Hawken, Crabs, medium — Beaton, Adams. Plums—Reiley, F. Cairns. Pears, fall —Hawken, Adams. Pears, winter—Vause.

J. I. Graham, W. Groat, Judges.

CHILDREN'S WRITING & DRAWING

Last verses o "Abide with Me", letters and figures and map of Grey Co.—1st Kathleen Mephail; 2, Jean McLachlan, 3rd, Hazel Bender.

Medal, (N. B. College) to 1st—Fountain pen and pencil. (Seely) to 2nd; one quarter gross steel pens (N. B. College) to 3rd.

Map, Miss Bessie Cairns (Subscription to Ont. Farmer.)

Rev's J. Corry & F. Sullivan, judges.

FINE ART

Painting in oil, landscape—J. Sinclair, F. D. Cairns. Painting in oil, fruit or flowers— Hawken, F. D. Cairns. Pen and ink sketch—McAuley, Hawken. Pencil drawing — Geo. Cairns, L. A. Fisher. Crayon drawing—Sinclair, G. Cairns. Water colors—Sinclair, G. Cairns. Any other picture of merit—E. Karstedt, Sinclair. Extra to school children, pencil sketch, special by judges, Rev's Sullivan and Corry.

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Anniversary Services Held at Vandeleur

Anniversary services were held in Ebenezer church on Sunday, October 14th, afternoon and evening and were largely attended. Rev. R. J. McCarten of Holland Centre was the special preacher and delivered excellent sermons at both services. The choir of Annesley United Church, Markdale, under the leadership of Mr. J. H. Dundas, rendered splendid numbers, both afternoon and evening.

Miss Jean Wright and cousin, Miss Gilray of Toronto visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright recently.

Miss M. K. Graham visited her sister, Mrs. F. Huson of London a short time ago,

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Warling and family visited Chatsworth friends recently.

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