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TELLS HOW VANDELEUR RECEIVED ITS NAME

(By Vandeleur Reporter)

A man named Vandeleur wishes to know how Vandeleur received its name. Your correspondent received a letter last week signed by J. W. S. Vandeleur, Wales, Ont., requesting that, and other information about this important community. The letter also contained a clipping from the Toronto Daily Star regarding a black groundhog which was shot by Alex. Gilvray on Howard Graam's farm recently. We sent the item to the local papers two weeks ago and it was reprinted in the Owen Sound and all the Toronto dailies, and so Mr. Vandeleur's curiosity was aroused. We are sorry that we cannot supply the information at present, but we have written to Ottawa to find out if there are records in the Post Office Department or elsewhere, and if we find out how the "Hub of the Universe" received its name, we will make the information public.

GLENELG ASKS OPEN SEASON ON BEAVER

Glenelg Township Coucil, meeting at Durham recently, with all members present, granted $250 to the Durham Memorial Hospital. The council also adopted a resolution to be forwarded to the Department of Bame and Fisheries asking that the Township be granted an open season on beaver because of the damage these animals do by flooding roads and swamps.

United Church Notes

Services of Worship, Sunday, Aug. 25th, as follows: Flesherton 11 a.m., Inistioge 4 p.m., Eugenia 8 p.m.

Rev. A. G. Macpherson will preach on "The Master Word," dealing with the world's need of a Master Key to its many problems.

Sunday Schools as follows: Flesherton 10.15 a.m., Eugenia 11 a.m., Inistioge 3 p.m. Everyone cordially invited.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Panabaker, Preston, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Margaret (Peggy) Panabaker to Mr. A. Melville H. Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hunt, Ceylon. The marriage will take place early in September.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taylor, Flesherton, wish to announce the engagement of their second daughter, Ethel Irene, to Mr. Russell Lee, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee, Dundalk, the marriage to take place early in September.

An employment agency official suggests picking unemployed folks to serve on juries. Well, it's worth a trial.

We can supply

Bulova, Elco, Tissot and Tavannes

Watches

"BLUEBIRD" and "BRIDAL WREATH" RINGS

SILVERWARE

E. I. HOLLEY

DUNDALK, ONT.

Reception For Soldiers

(By Ceylon Reporter)

The Ceylon community and friends assembled in the Public School to spend Friday evening with L.A.C. Joe McWilliam, recently returned from Overseas, and with Pte. Geo. Jaynes, also recently returned. Pte Jaynes has received his discharge, and L.A.C. McWilliam left for Ottawa Saturday morning, where he will resume duties.

Mr. J. A. Nichol gave the welcome home address to the returned boys. Mr. Geo. Banks, Flesherton, spoke for the Canadian Legion. Mrs. Claude Chislett presented a purse of money to L.A.C. McWilliam, also a purse of money was presented to Pte. Jaynes by Mrs. Joe. Staubles. Pte. Les Edwards could not be present at the school owing to the late arrival of the Friday evening train. On Saturday a few friends assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and presented Pte. Edwards with a purse of money. These purses were given by Ceylon Community and friends. All the boys replied very fittingly.

Mr. John McWilliam gave the address of good wishes at the other presentation of the evening, when a table lamp and coffee table was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace shaw, recent newly weds, by Miss Nancy McWilliam and Mr. Jas McMullen. Mrs. E. Shaw kindly expressed her thanks for the lovely presents to her son and his wife, as they were unable to be present. The evening was spent in euchre and the prizes went to Mrs. Joe Stauble for the ladies and to Mr. Lawson Whitehead for the gentlmen. This is the last of the presentations in connection with our returned soldiers. There was a balance of money, and it is not decided what will be done with it as yet. There is a committee appointed to take care of that end of it. There have been several suggestions on the question. A hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. M. Irwin and her willing assistants was given Friday night, also to Mr. J. A. Richards, Flesherton, for his kindly assistance.

Good People Want To Come To Canada

If Canada waits till all the industrial disputes are settled and until everyone finds gainful employment (which they never will), before drafting an immigration program, many of the good people who would like to come to Canada will have gone elsewhere.

In the British Isles, in Scandinavia, in Denmark, and in the Netherlands are thousands of young people anxious to emigrate and carve out a career in less populated lands. They re good people and we need them here—in spite of what Labour may say, and in spite of the hostile attitude of the Province of Quebec. Canada needs far more people than we can ever hope to acquire in the next twenty-five years through a natural increase in the present population and now that good people are looking for new homes we at least ought to let them know when and under what circumstances we will let them come in.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank neighbors and friends for the cards, treats and for flowers sent to us during the illness of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. McDougall, and for sympathy and kindness expressed in many ways in our bereavement.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Meads and family.

Work has started on a new public school building at Fergus, to cost around $185,000.

Presented Cheques To Local Legion

The presentation of cheques by the local municipal councils was made at the softball tournament at agricultural park Thursday afternoon of last week. The cheque of $800 from the Township of Artemesia was presented by Reeve J. A. Davis and for Flesherton by Reeve K. G. Betts, both of whom spoke their appreciation of being able to aid in the supplying of a home for the local Legion branch. Comrade Howard McCauley was asked by Chairman J. McWilliam to say a few words. He announced that the Michell residence had been purchased and that besides the above amounts the County of Grey had donated $2,200.00 toward the purchase of the building. He hoped that some organization in the village would take up the task of assisting in the furnishing of the building and supply decorations.. Comrade McCauley stated that we have to go forward and do the job promised the boys on the battlefield and assume the obligation to those boys who did not come back by looking after the interests of the returned men in general and our own in particular. He thought the councils were wise in donating the funds and he did not think the ratepayers would object in an raise in taxes for such a worthy cause.

The softball tournament resulted in a win for Flesherton from Dundalk in the final game, Dundalk having defeated an all-star team composed of Rock Mills, Vandeleur and Flesherton players, while Flesherton had won from Feversham. A splendid crowd was in attendance.

RATION COUPON DUE DATES

Coupons now valid are sugar-preserves S1 to S25, butter R10 to R18, meat M40 to M50 and Q1. Butter coupons R10 - R17 and meat M40 to M50 expire August 31st.

Three pounds extra sugar will be given before the end of the year. Under present plans two extra pounds will be given on the 19th of September and the remaining pound early in December.

All unused valid meat coupons may be sent to the Secretary of the local Ration Board at Flesherton. They will be forwarded to the Ration Administration to be used to purchase extra meat, principally tinned meats, to be sent to the starving peoples of Europe. Please note, only valid coupons are to be sent and, as meat coupons up to M50 expire Aug. 31, kindly send your unused ones at once.

Ration Book No. 6 will be distributed during the week of Sept. 9. Distribution centres for this district will be Markdale, Flesherton, Dundalk and Feversham. All persons are urged to get their books during that time, as late applicants will not be given their books by the local branch until Oct. 1st.

In Memoriam

McMULLEN — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Archibald McMullen, who died August 21st, 1941.

Our lips cannot speak how we miss him,
Our hearts cannot tell what to say,
God only knows how we miss him
In our home that is lonesome today.

—Sadly missed by his Wife and Family.

In Memoriam

MAGEE — In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Wm. Magee, who passed away August 24, 1939.

Many a lonely heartache,
Often a silent tear.
Always beautiful memories,
Mother, we loved you so dear;
You were always kind and loving,
We miss your helping hand;
Dear mother, we hope to meet you
In that heavenly, happy land.

—Always lovingly remembered by Husband and Family.

1945 ASSESSMENT ROLL WILL BE USED IN ARTEMESIA

The Assessment Roll for the Township of Artemesia will remain the same as that for 1945, and the taxes will be based on last year's list. Township Clerk A. B. Chard informs The Advance that the new assessment has been completed throughout the township, but due to shortness of time, arrangements could not be made for the Court of Revision, the appeals, if any, making out the tax notices, etc., in time for the collection of taxes this fall.

Receive Applications For Pensions In Grey

The regular meeting of the Grey County Old Age Pensions and Mothers' Allowance Board was held at Owen Sound, in the Court House. Mr. W. McGregor of Desboro presided and other members present were: Mrs. W. Sing of Meaford, Mr. Evans, Keppel Township, Mrs. Dingwall of Hopeville and Mrs. A. E. Ball of Hanover.

Eighteen applications for pensions were received and dealt with, including one from Ayton, one from Meaford, one from Markdale, three from Hanover, two from Osprey Twp., two from Proton Twp., four from Collingwood Township, one from Artemesit, one from Sydenham, one from Euphrasia and one from St. Vincent.

Priceville Women's Institute

The August meeting of Priceville branch of Womens Institute was held at home of Mrs. O'Dell with 11 ladies present. The meeting was opened with usual opening exercises. Roll call was answered by your favourite vegetable and how to prepare and serve. Several ladies offered to help with War brides quilts. Miss B. Waters had charge of the program. Mrs. O'Dell gave a humorous reading and Clare MacLean favoured with selections on the guitar. Two readings followed by Mrs. W. Meads and Mrs. M. McLean. The guest speaker, Hon. F. R. Oliver, gave an interesting talk on conditions on the farm today, shortages of help etc. A discussion followed afterwards. The meeting closed with the benediction.

FOR PROLIFIC EWES

Cross-breeding of sheep for the production of strong, healthy, prolific breeding ewes and first class market lambs at the Animal Husbandry division, Experimental Farms Service, continues to attract considerable attention every year, not only as a means of increasing lamb production, but also as a possible basis for the organization of the sheep industry for years to come.

Outpost Hospitals Need Nursing Staff

The Ontario Division of Red Cross is in urgent need of a dozen or more registered nurses who are either leaving to be married or to enroll for post graduate courses," states Miss F. I. McEwen, Supervisor of the Field Nursing Staff, Ontario Division of Red Cross. "The nursing staff in the Chain of Outposts directed by Ontario Division has been seriously depleted at this time trying to maintain our policy of an 8-hour day with a 6-day week."

Applications should be made to the Outpost Hospital Dept., Ontario Division of Red Cross, 621 Jarvis St. Toronto.

120 Miles Per Gallon

Roy Hahn, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hahn of Crosshill, spent considerable time after work making his bicycle motor, but will soon save time. Roy is employed at Wagner's garage in Wellesley. He used to pedal five miles from Crosshill to Wellesley in half an hour. Now he covers the distance in 15 minutes. With the device he can attain a speed of 25 to 30 miles an hour. The 38-pound motor would have been "just the ticket" during gasoline rationing, as it drives the bicycle 120 miles on a gallon of gasoline. But when Roy "fills her up" he uses only a quarter of a gallon, the tiny tanks holding only a quart of gas. If the motor stalls, Roy won't be left on the road — he can still pedal his way home in an emergency.—Milverton Sun.

MRS. JAS. H. THURSTON

Mrs. Thurston arrived on the Letitia at Halifax with her son, James Douglas, and was met in Toronto by her husband and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thurston. Mrs. Thurston was the former Mimi Claudet, daughter of Col. and Mrs. G. Claudet of Nyeri, Kenya Colony, Africa. While coming across on the boat, Mrs. Thurston lost her wrist watch and Monday it arrived by mail from England, but she does not know the circumstances of its recovery.

Dundalk Won 15-5

Dundalk went to work on Flesherton in the second inning of the third play-off game in the Centre Grey Softball League, and scored seven runs before the side was retired. They had shoved two runs across in the first inning, being scored when Aicheson made a three-base hit. Two of the seven runs were homers by Livermore and Aicheson. Dundalk added three in each of the fifth and sixth innings to make sure of the game and did not take their turn to bat in the ninth.

Flesherton scored one in each of the first, and second innings by Dargavel and R. Best, the latter a home run, while H. Best and Phillips added two in the third. They were then held scoreless until the ninth when Don Banks reached first base an an error, stole second and came home on Roy Best's double.

Both Dundalk and Flesherton were without their shortstops, Springgay and Cairns, and they were both missed.

The series is now tied at one win for each team. Large crowds are attending the series and interest is increasing in the outcome as both are evenly matched. Flesherton played at Dundalk last Friday, but as the game was late in starting and the last two innings played in growing darkness, with Flesherton ahead by three runs in the ninth, the game was ruled as no contest.

Dundalk had 18 hits to 12 for the locals. McKenzie gave up one walk and Dargavel passed three. The latter shaded McKenzie by striking out five to the latter's four, while Dundalk had five errors to four for the Flesherton team. Dundalk had a runners left on bases and Flesherton 11.

Score by innings:

Dundalk	2	7	0	0	3	3	0	0	x	— 15
Flesherton ..	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	— 5

Dundalk: B. Haw, D. Goheen, K. Livermore, K. Soper, G. Aitcheson, J. McKenzie, H. Scilley, O. Stafford, R. Bradley.

Flesherton: G. Boyd, R. Dargavel, H. Best, R. Phillips, K. Betts, D. Banks, J. Milne, R. Best, C. McTavish.

Small Advertisements bring quick results.

Future Events

DANCE IN KIMBEREY

In Kimberley hall Tuesday, Aug. 20, to music by Norm Hartley and his popular dance orchestra. Modern and old-time dancing for everyone. Good refreshment booth. Door prize. Admission: 40c.

DANCE AT MAXWELL

Dance in the Orange Hall, Maxwell, Thursday, Aug. 29, auspices of the Maxwell W. I. Music by the Pedlar Fourth Line Orchestra. Dancing 9:30 to 1:30. Lunch booth. Admission: 40c.

DANCE AT HEATHCOTE

Round and square dancing in village hall, Heathcote, on Friday, August 23, commencing at 9 p.m. Russell Hill and his orchestra. Cafeteria lunch. Admission: 50c.

From Forest To Coal Bin

Where the next ton of coal is coming from is a problem about which hundreds of people are forced to worry even during the heat of August. The Royal Ontario Museum cannot help to obtain that much needed fuel product, but it can demonstrate, by means of its varied collections, many interesting facts relating to the age in which most of the world's coal supply was formed.

Three hundred million years ago vast swamps covered much of the land. In the swamps dense forests flourished, although the trees were different from those of the present day. There were giant club-mosses, huge horsetails, towering seed ferns. Great dragon-flies with a wingspread of nearly three feet flew in and out among the trees. Cockroaches six inches long scampered over the ground. Millepedes crawled sluggishly over the sodden logs.

When the trees died, they fell into the swamps and some were quickly covered over by muddy waters, thus preventing their decay. As millions of years went by, layers and layers of buried forest were changed into coal through heat and pressure, and other agencies.

Butter Production Is Again Declining

The dry weather during July severely curtailed butter production and has dispelled the hopes that were indicated in June that the production might approach that of last year during the summer months, reports C. E. Lackned, Director of the Dairy Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture. Production now appears to have settled back to the decline indicated for the first half of the year, from 10 to 15 percent. With the decline in production, butter prices climbed to the ceiling during the middle of July, something unprecedented for this date since ceiling prices were introduced. Butter grading figures released for June show an improvement in quality of approximately 12 percent over the same period of 1945.

Shorter Hours On The Farm

Farmers generally report that they are getting less than half as much work per man as 10 years ago, says the National Grange Monthly.

From the standpoint of the farmer who pays higher wages even while out-put per man is reduced, that's bad. There is no excuse for loafing on a job and not giving value received for good pay. But what about all these enormous, record-breaking crops this year? Who produced them?

The answer in most cases is that machine production and increased efficiency in field, orchard, and vineyard — plus beneficient nature — are responsible. Let's take a few figures:

In New York State in 1885 there were 241,000 farms and 24 million acres of improved lands. In 1940 there were 88,000 fewer farms and seven million fewer acres under cultivation. Yet crops in recent years have smashed records.

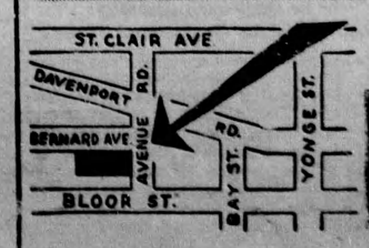
When labor was plentiful and men toiled at back-breaking tasks for 16 hours a day, crop yields were but a fraction of those which tractors, power sprays, and combines make possible. Machinery was designed not only to increase production, but to lighten men's loads. Shouldn't the farmer—and his farm hands— be able to shorten their day and have some time for recreation and cultural pursuits? Why should city workers alone reap the advantages of technical progress?

Self Destruction

It would seem that the old Meditteranean World will not stop short of it's own annihilation. Britain, hoping to avoid another world war, is struggling to keep the Jews and Arabs from each other's throats. Italy is trying to clear her reputation for responsibility for the last war, and a number of the other small Europeans are ready to start all over again if they are not given all they want. Poland, who whined over the slaughter of their people by Germans and Russians, are now busy exterminating the Jews and when Jewish victims are not at hand they hang and mutilate their own.—The Watchman.

CENTRAL LOCATION

Our convenient location is readily accessible by the city's leading automobile and street car thoroughfares.



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