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Berkeley Won First in Softball Series

Berkeley softball team, under suspension for a time, were reinstated on Saturday last and ordered to play against the Troy aggregation in the semi-final series. The first of the home and home games was played at Berkeley on Wednesday and the home team won by a score of 5 to 4. Genoe pitched good ball for Berkeley and he was given good support in the field. Six men were struck out by Genoe while the Troy hurler had but two to his credit.

In the first innings Troy went out one, two, three on flies, Mitchell getting the first and third and David the second. Bowler struck out; Genoe was out at first; Rowe was safe at first; Adams went out on an infield fly.

Second inning: First batter struck out; second safe on hit to outfield; third safe on grounder; out at first with runner scoring; struck out. Ward made second on a grounder; Boales safe on hit; Singleton went out on a foul; Ward caught trying to steal third; David was out on a fly. Score 1-0.

Troy safe at first but caught at second when batter knocked grounder to Singleton; safe on bunt; struck out; struck out. Mitchell out on a grounder; Bowler made home run on long drive to left field; Genoe out on fly; Rowe out at first on grounder.

First batter safe on grounder; safe at second on drive; safe on grounder to right-field and two runs in; safe on grounder to pitcher; struck out and runner caught at third; safe at first; out at first. Adams out at first; Ward out on bunt; Boales at third on hit to left field; Singleton safe and Bowler counted; David out on grounder.

Out on grounder to Adams; safe at third on long drive to left field; out on fly to Singleton; batter walked; out on grounder to Adams. Mitchell struck out; Genoe and Bowler out at first.

First and second out at first and third caught trying to reach third. Rowe out at first; Adams safe on grounder; Ward safe on drive to left field; Boales out at first when Adams scored; Singleton safe at first when Ward scored; David out at first.

First and second out on grounders; third and fourth safe on grounders and run in; fifth out at first. Mitchell safe on grounder to right field; Bowler safe on drive to left field; Genoe out at first and Mitchell out trying to steal home. Rowe out at first.

Out at first on grounder to pitcher; struck out; out on grounder to Adams. Adams safe at second on liner to centre field; Ward out on grounder to pitcher; Boales out on foul; Singleton made third on long drive to right field, and Adams scored; David out at first on grounder.

Out on fly to David; safe on grounder to short; struck out; out on grounder to Adams.

Game ended Berkeley 5; Troy 4. The next game will be played at Troy, near Galt, on Friday. The visitors were not as good as the Hepworth aggregation and it looks as though Berkeley might win the round.

Schools Closed

Owing to cases of infantile paralysis in the territory from which pupils come to the High School the local Board of Health, has closed the schools in the village. Notice will be given when they are to be reopened. In the meantime illness among children should be reported to the family doctor immediately. The authorities are to be commended upon taking every precaution.



FRANK DAVIS

President of Markdale Agricultural Society, who had the courage to call off the 1937 fair to assist in preventing the further spread of infantile paralysis.

Brant Tories Name Teacher As Candidate

Brantford, Ont., Sept. 16—R. W. E. McFadden, science master of the Brantford Collegiate Institute and Vocational School, was the unanimous choice of the Brant Conservative Association convention last night to contest the riding in the Ontario election, Oct. 6th.

He will oppose both Mayor J. M. MacBride, Independent, who has the endorsement of Premier Hepburn, and Leonard Lear, Co-operative Commonwealth candidate.

Hon. Earl Lawson, member of the Federal cabinet under R. B. Bennett, was the chief speaker, Arthur Hetheridge, association president, presided.

High tribute to Hon. Earl Rowe was paid by Mr. Lawson when reviewing the provincial Conservative leader's political career. The speaker contended Premier Hepburn had tried to make the Committee for Industrial Organization an issue. If one international union could enter Canada, so could another, he asserted. Any union had a right here provided it proceeded under Canadian laws.

He charged Mr. Hepburn had drifted from Liberalism and been aggressive against democracy, that Mr. Hepburn had fired civil servants and replaced them with his own followers, that he had brought religious issues to the fore, that he acted the autocrat within his own party, never consulting even the members of his cabinet nor the party caucus.

"He even went to the people with a bob-tailed cabinet with four vacancies," Mr. Lawson said.

One evidence of dictatorship was the fact Premier Hepburn held five portfolios himself, Mr. Lawson said, and charged there was operation of a "toll gate" in Toronto in the issuance of beverage room licenses. Liberal members had used their position to endeavor to place men in the beverage rooms, he said.—Globe and Mail.

Dr. Brad. Jamieson Held Meeting In Markdale

A meeting in the interests of Dr. Brad. Jamieson, Conservative candidate in South Grey, was held in the Armouries here on Friday evening last. There was a fair attendance and A. E. Colgan acted as chairman. Mr. Clem. Rowe of Durham was the first speaker and he was followed by Dr. L. G. Campbell of this place.

Dr. Jamieson spoke briefly and made clear his position with regard to the school tax question and the beer parlors. Mr. T. D. Bell of Toronto spoke at some length and gave a resume of the work of the Hepburn government, directing attention particularly to the weaknesses of the present administration. Hon. Dr. Jamieson, father of the candidate, spoke briefly at the close of the meeting.

Robbers Visit Town Again This Week

Several shops were broken into during the night of Wednesday or early on Thursday morning. About six o'clock this morning Mr. Walter Elliott noticed a man step into the Markdale Garage Co's building through the opening where a pane of glass had been broken. In a few moments he came out again with a battery. Mr. Elliott sent for Mr. Geo. Alton, the garage mechanic, who arrived and in company with Mr. Fred Robinson of the F.T. Hill & Con. staff made a tour of the village in a car but could see no person. Just as they returned to the garage a car came over the hill from the south and this Alton followed north. When about the north limit of the village the car was again met coming back. The car went into the lane at Scott's blacksmith shop but backed out in a few minutes and started east. At George Walker's farm Alton and Robinson forced him to the side of the road and Constable Freeman, having arrived, arrested the occupant. He made a dash for liberty, but was caught by Jimmie Stephenson. On being locked up he gave his name as Rupert Keyvageskig. On his person was found about \$18.00 in bills, silver and coppers.

It was later discovered that the Variety Store had been entered where \$18.00 and some goods were taken. Nesbitt's grocery was entered and cigarettes and oats taken. At Ryan's grocery about 50 cents in silver and coppers was taken. At the Markdale Garage besides the battery a rifle and some ammunition was taken.

It is suspected that the man arrested had company and that he was trying to locate them when he returned to town. Constable Freeman and Provincial Policemen are working on the case.

The goods taken from the Variety Store were later found in one of the church sheds.

Western Relief Committee At Work In Markdale

The Western Canada Relief Committee convened in the basement of the Library on Wednesday evening, under the chairman, Mr. Albert Rusk. A report was made by some of the committee living in and near the village, while the general secretary, Mr. S. D. Sawyer read reports from several of the other rural committees.

The reports rendered so far have been very successful and upwards of six ton of fruit and vegetables has been promised. These parties have been canvassed by about six of the committee appointed and it is expected that the others will report during the next few days.

Word was received by the secretary that a car would be placed in Markdale on the second of October for receiving the produce. The Toronto headquarters office are very pleased with the work that has been done and hopes that all those canvassed will be as generous as possible, as the food is sorely needed.

A depot will be established in the village immediately where the produce can be stored until ready to be loaded, as it will assist considerably in getting the car away. The list of donors will be published in The Standard following shipment.

Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at five cents per line for each insertion with a minimum charge of 25 cents.

Harkaway annual fowl supper, under auspices of Ladies' Aid, Wednesday, Oct. 27th. Admission: 40c and 20c.

MARKDALE FAIR CANCELLED

At a meeting of the Directors of the Markdale Agricultural Society held Thursday evening it was decided to cancel the fair this year. This action was taken because of the presence of infantile paralysis in the districts from which people would come. The officials of the fair are to be commended for their courage in this connection. It is no easy task to cancel a fair date when all arrangements have been completed but the directors took the view that to risk contracting one case was too great a chance. Deaths have been quite numerous from the disease, throughout the province and we believe this could have been avoided had the authorities taken strict measures when the outbreak commenced. There are no cases in Markdale or the immediate vicinity and we want none. The Standard took the matter so seriously we held this issue until Friday in order to make a definite statement.

Richard John Shiel Died In Owen Sound

The funeral of the late Mr. Richard John Shiel was held from his late residence at 865 5th Ave. W., Owen Sound, on Monday afternoon, and was largely attended by a host of friends built up through a long life of service in this community.

Rev. Mr. Lehman of the Menonite Church was in charge of the impressive funeral service, and spoke fittingly of the life of the late Mr. Shiel, offering comfort and encouragement to those bereft by this great loss. Mr. G. Brooks of the Salvation Army, a close friend of the deceased, led in prayer.

Mr. Chas. Boorman rendered a very touching solo, "The City Four Square."

The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Dageer, Hutchinson, Thompson, Catchpole, G. Brooks and G. Perkins.

Following the service at the residence in Owen Sound, the remains were brought to Markdale, the old home of the deceased, for burial. A host of old friends of the late Mr. Shiel were at the cemetery to pay their last respects.

Countless floral tributes that banked the casket bore mute testimony of the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Among those present from a distance were: Mrs. R. Shiel, Toronto; Miss Adams, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. H. Davidson, Toronto; Mrs. J. Wilcox, Toronto; Mr. W. Douglas, Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. F. Douglas, Markdale; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Meaford.

Infantile Paralysis Victim Jack Williams Dead

Stricken only on Sunday in the prime of his young boyhood the death occurred on Tuesday evening shortly before 7 o'clock of Jack Watt Williams, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Williams, of the 2nd concession of Glenelg, about three miles from Durham. It was only on Monday that his illness was diagnosed as that of infantile paralysis, as there was no sign of it prior to that, and death came quickly on Tuesday evening. He was but 17 years of age and was born and always lived on his father's farm. He had been working as usual on Saturday and appeared to be in good health. His death comes as a great shock to the community where he had spent all his life. He was active in the work of the junior farmers of the district, and was also interested in Sunday School and church work. His parents and friends will have the sincere sympathy of their many friends in their loss. In addition to his sorrowing parents he is survived by two sisters, Margaret and Jean, at home. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning, and was private.

John Reburn Died Sunday

A very highly respected resident of this district, John Reburn, passed away at his home, west half of Lot 10, Con. 2, E.H.S., Mulmur Township, on Sunday, Sept. 19th, in his 70th year. Mr. Reburn was a former reeve of Mulmur Township, a former warden of Dufferin County and at one time contested the Provincial riding in the Conservative interests. He was very prominent in the work of the Anglican Church at Whitfield. He was a Past President of Dufferin Central Fair, and at the time of his death was Honorary President of the Society. Deceased was a splendid type of citizen and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. The funeral, which took place to Shelburne Cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, under Orange and Royal Black Knight auspices, was very largely attended.—Shelburne Economist.

Cooke's Church Y. W. A.

The Y.W.A. of Cooke's Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. H. Breadner. A good attendance being present. The Scripture was taken by Mrs. W. J. Messenger, followed with a missionary hymn. The missionary travelogue (topic) was given by the leader, Mrs. Gemmel. She explained there were three classes of Christian workers. "Canal barges, sailing ships and Atlantic liners," and the two real assistants in our work were available to all, "co-operation and planned methods." We are proud to report that we have an increase in membership and givings for 1937. And the allocation has been met for the year. The Y.W.A. Secretary, Miss Anna Haslem, presented the leader, Mrs. K. Gemmel, with a Life Membership Certificate in appreciation of her splendid services rendered throughout the year. The ticket for the quilt was drawn, and the lucky number was won by Mrs. Ben. Sewell. The meeting closed in prayer, and a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

SCHOOL FAIR CANCELLED

Owing to the spread of infantile paralysis throughout Ontario it has been decided to call off the School Fair in connection with the Markdale Fall Fair. While there are no cases of the disease in the immediate vicinity it is thought best to prevent the congregating together of children.

By Order of the BOARD OF HEALTH