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FIRST SILVERWARE OF THE SEASON



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Dear Members

I am struggling to keep Lanark Rocks going due to lack of material.

Please send me ANY NEWS that would be of interest to our members ie holidays, funny stories, family occasions etc.

If you wish this wee newsletter to continue then please help me out.

Thanks—Anne, Editor



President: Hugh Campbell

Presidential Musings



Hello

We are approaching the half-way stage of our curling season and Lanark CC has picked up some silverware.

Firstly, I must apologise to skips and members for my lack of playing time so far this season.

My latest injury happened on the ice: I was preparing to deliver a stone and just as I pushed away from the hack I felt something go behind my right knee. Initially I thought it was cramp but I knew as soon as I tried to stand up that it was something more serious. Anne Hood and June Faulds came to my aid and lifted me up then came Jack to give support with a Bear HUG. Lockhart was immediately called and he ultimately fetched a wheelchair—flat tyres and no brakes. Well, that was the start of a long evening—an ambulance was called and I was taken to Wishaw General and ultimately discharged at 3 am with a diagnosis of a burst Bakers Cyst. With great faith in NHS this was not to be ended—I was back in A&E on Friday (accident happened on the Wednesday evening) as my foot had changed colour and left, again, with a new diagnosis of Lateral Ligament Damage and was told not to drive or engage in sports for approx 6 weeks.

I have serious thoughts of changing my sport to Tiddlywinks.

Our first silverware of the season was the Hozier Cup. Two teams are fielded by each club and scores are accumulated to determine the winner. Lanark's Team 1 (Ian Reid, Anne Hood, Jack Hood and Martin Yuill) handed over +7 shots to Team 2 (Alistair Mackintosh, Gregor Noble, Dorothy Noble and David Glennie). Team 2 amassed +4 shots so victory came Lanark's way with an accumulated score of +11. Well done to all those who took part.



HEATLIE LEAGUE:

Winners this year are Ian Reid, Hugh Campbell (Sub: Anne Hood), Robin Brown and June Faulds.

PRESIDENT'S LEAGUE:

This League is still currently being contested with Bob Thomson's team ahead, and, Alistair's team holding up the League—come on Alistair, you don't want the wooden spoon again.

(Editor's Note: Eh, the Wooden Spoon only applies to the Glaister so you're safe Alistair).

PAIRS:

The Final of this competition was due to be held on 22 November—between lain Reid/Hugh Campbell and Tom Steele/Robin Brown. As my accident happened only a couple of days prior to the Final a decision was taken that the Final would be postponed to a later date to give me to time to recover.

All the results of the competitions taking place can be seen on our web-site which is kept up-to-date by Jack.

Our **Xmas Bonspiel** will be held on 18th December and I look forward to seeing many of you in festive jumpers. Numbers are low for this so please try and make the effort to come along.

Hugh

Editor's Note:

We all wish you a speedy recovery, Hugh.







Here is an interesting set of Teacher's Rules from Australia. It was kindly given to us by **Harry Waugh, Boswall CC.**

It is a set of Teacher's Rules, from 1872, from the shale oil and paraffin refinery in the bush in the Southern Highlands of NSW about 40 miles south west of Wollongong.

Thank you for sending this in, Harry.

Now, who has memories of this?





Rules tor Teachers

1872

Teachers each day will fill lamps, trim the wicks and clean chimneys.

Each morning teacher will bring a bucket of water and a scuttle of coal for the day's session.

Make your pens carefully. You may whittle nibs to the individual taste of the pupils.

Men teachers may take one evening each week for courting purposes or two evenings a week if they attend church regularly.

After ten hours in school, the teachers may spend the remaining time reading the Bible or any other good books.

Women teachers who marry or engage in unseemly conduct will be dismissed.

- Every teacher should lay aside from each pay, a goodly sum of his earnings for his benefit during his declining years so that he will not become a burden on society.
- Any teacher who smokes, uses liquor in any form, frequents pool or public halls, or gets shaved in a barber shop will give good reason to suspect his worth, intention, integrity and honesty.
- The teacher, who performs his labour faithfully and without fault for five years will be given an increase of twenty-five pence per week in his pay, providing the Board of Education approves.





In-Turns





CONGRATULATIONS TO

lain Cogle who popped the question, to Yvonne, in April. We wish you both well.



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I NEED SOME NEWS AND STORIES!!!!

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