

Canadian Championship of England.

The C.E.T.C. baseball team brought their brilliant series of games in the Canadian Championship to a successful close by defeating Epsom in the final game played at Guildford on Wednesday, September 11th, 1918, by a score of 2-0.

In the semi-finals played at Witley the week previous, the C.E.T.C. representing the Seaford area defeated the 21st Reserve Battalion representing Bramshott by a score of 14-2. On the same day Epsom defeated the C.T.S. from Bexhill by a score of 8-1.

In the second round of the semi-finals the S.C.D. of Shorncliffe representing that area were beaten by the C.E.T.C., 9-0, Epsom defeating the 8th Reserve of Witley by a score of 5-3, thus leaving the C.E.T.C. and Epsom to play in the final.

C.E.T.C.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Proctor, R.F.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Willy, 2nd B.	3	0	0	2	4	0
Riley, 3rd B.	3	0	2	0	3	0
Stewart, 1st B.	4	0	1	12	2	0
Gardner, L.F.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Godfrey, C.F.	3	1	0	1	0	0
McDougall, C.	3	0	1	8	1	0
Duncan, S.S.	3	0	2	3	4	0
Devine, P.	3	0	0	1	4	0
Total	30	2	9	27	18	0

EPSOM.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Burrows, 2nd B.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Banns, L.F.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Eagle, L.F.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Masters, 1st B.	3	0	0	10	0	0
Robinson, C.F.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Green, R.F.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Dutton, C.	3	0	1	4	2	0
Thoreston, 3rd B.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Chalmers, S.S.	3	0	0	6	2	1
Raferty, P.	3	0	0	0	7	0
Total	24	0	1	27	13	1

Eagle replaced Banns in sixth.

Score by Innings:—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
C.E.T.C.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	0
Epsom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

Notes on the Game.

The pitching of Devine was a feature throughout the game. He struck out eight men, and only allowed one hit, passing three men to bases on balls, and hitting one man. Just wild enough to be very good.

The fielding of Riley, Duncan, and Willy, and, in fact, the whole team, was good enough for Class A ball.

Duncan came through with the hit that sewed the game up in the fourth innings. Riley's pegging from third was exceptionally good. At one time he threw a man out at first from about 8 yds. behind third, as pretty throwing as has been seen for years.

Proctor's running of bases was very good. Godfrey didn't get his usual hit, but his base on balls resulted in the second run for us.

Gordon was most prominent on the coaching lines: his coaching would get any player's goat. He also hit well.

Godfrey went very deep in centre for Master's long fly, and saved what would have been a run for Epsom.

Proctor may have had a chance to throw Dutton out at first on his hit. The play would have been close.

Devine fielded his position like a veteran.

Hughie Jennings says:—"A pitcher to be in real good form the following day, should sleep on the floor of the club house." I'll say so.

"Dad" Stewart was on his toes all the time. His steadiness and pep, which has carried the team through a brilliant season, was always in evidence.

McDougall caught a splendid game, and worked his batters well.

"Cap" was also there with the moral support.

"FAN."

Personal.

Capt. Ben Bate, M.C., D.C.M., is attached to 1st Brigade, Lieut. Emery, M.C., is attached to 2nd Brigade, Capt. Harvey, M.C., is attached to 3rd Brigade—each as Staff Captain.

Commissions, Promotions, Etc.

Temp. Capts., from W. Ont. Regt., to be Temp. Capts.—C. P. Coatsworth, M.C., W. W. Davis, W. G. McGhie, M.C.

Temp. Capt. C. H. Rogers, from C.A.S.C., to be Temp. Capt.

Temp. Lieut. F. A. Ritchie, M.C., to be Temp. Capt. 500107 Sergt. W. C. Bruce to be Temp. Lieut.

The "Whys" Men's Corner.

SAY, TELL US, NOW!

Why are men so selfish? Every time Heine comes over, we all think he has got a bomb for our special benefit?

Why is it that the sappers recollect that they have a soldier's Testament when they hear the drone of a plane? Who were the two linemen who captured 26 prisoners? And what did they do with them?

Who is the Sergeant who is looking for the man who takes the biscuit? And will he do the cake walk when found?

Who is the Sergeant who said, "The reason Fritz throws over a few shells each night is to destroy the morals of our troops"?

Is it a fact that one of the Divisional Signallers recently warned the Sergt.-Major of Major Weatherbee's Company that the shine on his boots was liable to be mistaken for the rays of a heliograph?

What is the charge for hanging washing on the 1st Battalion clothes line?

If the R.S.M.s get saluted more often, now that they have their £20?

Who is it, in Headquarters, that is known by the fair ladies as "Baby"?

If the Cinema bank book is any bigger now that the N.C.O. i/c Accounts takes "cheques" at the door?

If Denny O'Day enjoys his afternoon issue?

Who is the officer, now taking the Cadet Course, who gives words of command with his right hand?

If the P.T. Instructors, during bad weather, could not halt their squads at other places on the road, than in front of houses? We know they think they are the whole "cheese," but why advertise it to the civilian population?