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Council Asks More Police Protection

Esqueping Township Council held a meeting on Wednesday evening, July 23rd, with all members present and Reeve George Leslie presided.

Esqueping Agricultural Society was given a grant of \$200.00 to be used in connection with their building program.

Council authorized the Road Superintendent to have a representative from the Green Cross Weed Spray Company visit the Township, regarding failure to kill carrot on the Township roads.

The Road Superintendent was instructed to take the necessary steps to make repairs to a bridge on Lot 4, Concession 4 and 5 in Esqueping Township.

The regular meeting of Esqueping Township Council was held on Tuesday evening, August 5th. Deputy-Reeve Wilfred Bird; Councilors Walter Linham, George Currie and William Schenk were present. Reeve George Leslie presided at the meeting.

A petition signed by 24 ratepayers was presented, asking for Street Lighting in Stewarttown. A deputation asking for police protection in Glen Williams, addressed the Council.

The following accounts were paid:
Bell Telephone Co. \$10.00
George C. Brown, premium 10.25
Burner, Ontario Hospital, Woodstock 46.00
R. W. Cunningham, Alex Lawson, Duncan Waldie, fenceviewers 12.00
Relief accounts as presented by the Relief Officer were paid, totaling \$148.72.

A by-law to assess the School Sections and School Areas of the Township for the year 1952, was read a second and third time and passed.

The Clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law to increase the salary of the Collector of Rates and the salary of the Clerk.
The petition of the ratepayers of the Village of Stewarttown was to be presented to the Hydro Commission, asking for a price for installation.

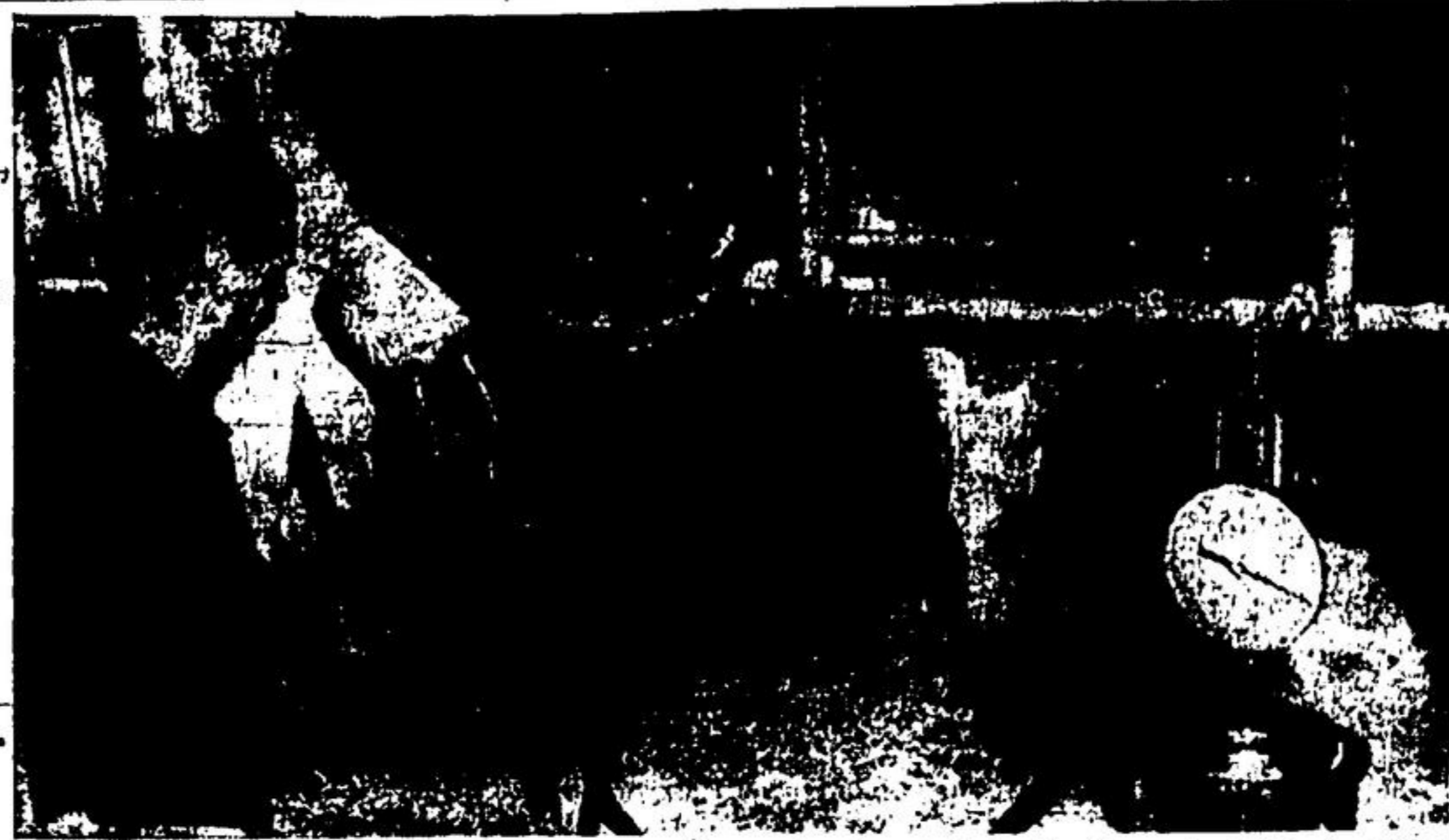
Road accounts as presented by the Road Superintendent, amounting to \$5,454.51 were paid.

A letter was sent to the Georgetown Council, that the Council of the Township of Esqueping is prepared to pay \$500,000 as standby time per year and \$50.00 a fire call should a Fire Area be formed.

Acting on the request of the ratepayers of the Township of Esqueping, Council requested that more police protection be placed in the northern portion of the County of Halton and a copy of this resolution was sent to the Department in Toronto.

The Clerk was instructed to write Bowman, Black & Shoemaker, regarding the delay on making a report on the river in Glen Williams.

The only Mormon Temple in the British Empire is at Cardston, Alberta.



FIRST IN HALTON COUNTY is the milking parlor on the farm of L. P. Emerson, R.R. 1, Milton. Shown here Mr. Emerson is seen adjusting the milking machine from the pit. The cow, one of his favorites, is on the raised concrete platform. The milk passes from the cow to the glass cylinder at the lower right corner in which the milk is weighed as seen on the scale. From there the milk goes by pipe to the milk house and directly into the milk cans. Mr. Emerson feels this almost guarantees bacteria-free milk. —Staff Photo

HALTON'S FIRST MILKING PARLOR OPERATING AT L. P. EMERSON FARM

Halton's first "milking parlor" has been operating on the farm of Luther P. Emerson, R.R. 1, Milton, for about two months now and Mr. Emerson still claims, "It is the keenest thing."

For some years the "parlor milking" was used by retail dairymen and was a costly and elaborate system. For their purpose it usually had a glass enclosed observation room for spectators who could come to the farm and watch milk being produced under ideal conditions and it was a splendid advertisement.

Through these early installations numerous advantages were found that gradually brought the system into popularity in cold parts of the country as well as the warmer sections.

Mr. Emerson, a graduate engineer reports that he did three years of reading and study on the milking parlor before deciding to install one. At that time he was fully convinced that the system had advantages that outweighed the disadvantages.

Just what is a milking parlor? The principle seems to be that the cow carries the milk to the farmer. Used in conjunction with the loafing barn, where cows are free to roam in a specified area, the cows climb a small ramp to the milking parlor. The milking parlor at Derry Dale Farm has accommodation for three cows at one time. The cows enter the parlor from the loafing barn and walk into one of three stalls that are located on a raised concrete platform with a pit for the farmer from which all doors and stall gates are controlled.

The cow is milked, with the milk passing through hose to a sterilized glass cylinder where it is also weighed allowing complete records for the accredited Emerson guernsey herd that is on record of performance. Milking completed a valve is opened and the milk travels through a pipe line to the milk house where it is immediately deposited in a covered milk can, vacuum sealed.

While the cow is being milked she is also being fed from a trough in her milking stanchion. Mr. Emerson feels that he can be sure of getting bacteria free milk. The cows were trained to the new type of milking in three weeks. They enter the "parlor" are milked and fed, then exit to the loafing area.

Milk is piped to the milk cooler room that is equipped with a 14-cm cooler and is located at the bottom end of the milking parlor.

This was located in apparently an awkward position, so all the farm traffic and visitors did not have to pass through, and the truckers have access to the milk house almost as easily as if it were at the other end.

Accommodation for the milking parlor has been made on the Emerson farm by the addition of a lean-to. This allows the barn for a loafing area and provides accommodation, in the lean-to for the milk house.

The Emerson family are all "milking parlor" enthusiasts and enjoy the regular event of milking in the parlor that is a first in the County of Halton.

Hens To Horses, Expect New High

Enthusiasm expressed by agricultural exhibitors on the Agricultural Committee of the Canadian National Exhibition gives promise that entries in all classes from poultry to heavy draft horses will set a record this year.

Prominent Canadian breeders of cattle, sheep and swine have already started preparations to enter exhibits this year in many additional classes.

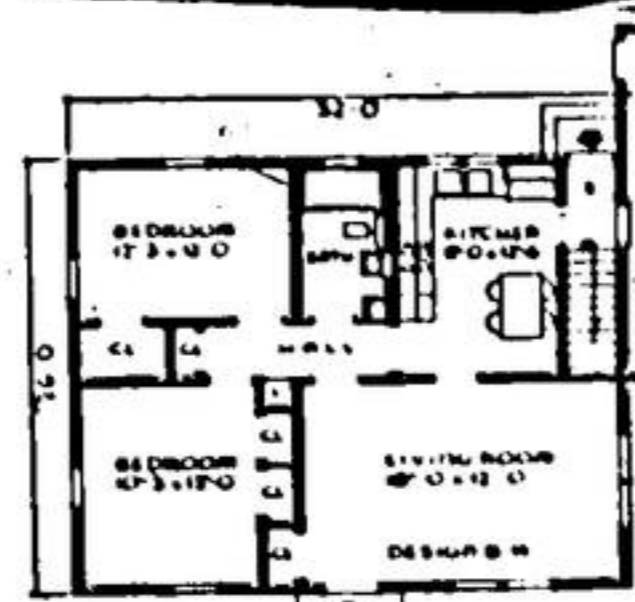
Changes have been made in the dates for the dairy cattle show this year so visitors to the C.N.E. over the Labor Day week-end — the biggest days of the exhibition — will be able to see all of the dairy cattle exhibits as well as the livestock exhibits. In other years there were no dairy cattle at the C.N.E. over Labor Day.

These changes will also result in the parade of champion entries in the Coliseum on Agriculture and Livestock Parade Day, September 3, being the most representative ever staged.

Dates for the breeding horse classes have been announced as August 26 to September 2. This represents no change from last year.

Utility types of fowl will be featured this year in the poultry exhibits. The importance of the meat and egg producing qualities is being stressed but not to the exclusion of other breeds.

A six-wheel drive vehicle which can operate under water with the aid of a "snorkel" breathing device is in production for the Canadian army.



THE BROOKS is a two-bedroom house with an attached garage that is entered from the street. All the rooms in The Brooks open on a small hall which is equipped with a linen closet and a handy general purpose storage closet. The Brooks' front bedroom has 6 1/2 feet of wardrobe space. There is a large walk-in closet in the rear bedroom.

The kitchen in the Brooks provides plenty of cupboard space as well as a large dining area.

The plan of the Brooks calls for a full basement. The basement is

accessible from the rear, the kitchen and the garage.

The simplicity of the Brooks' framing, floor, walls and roof makes for economy in construction.

Dimensions of the Brooks are 32 feet wide and 26 feet deep. This does not include the garage. Exterior walls are of frame with siding or shingles. The roof is covered with asphalt shingles.

There is an area of 332 square feet and a volume of 16,640 cubic feet. However, these measurements again do not include the garage.

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