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The Editor's Corner

CHRISTMAS AND HOME

Perhaps at no other time of the year do we think of home as much as we do at the Christmas season. At this glad time our thoughts and feelings turn to that place which we all hold dear and to our fathers and mothers who have done their best to give us a proper start in life. While you are reading this issue of the Herald, we shall be celebrating another Christmas day with our parents—catching up the threads which have become separated by several years absence.

SANTA CLAUS — 365 DAYS

Santa Claus' visit last Saturday afternoon was one of the few public demonstrations of what the Georgetown Lions Club does for the children of this district. It was a small enough thing — a few bags of candy, some oranges, little toys, but it made a lot of kids happy, and it gave most of them their first glimpse of a flesh-and-blood Santa Claus.

WE PRINT EVERYTHING

The December Bulletin of the C.W.N.A. (Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association) has a pertinent article on the fallings of most weeklies to advertise their own wares. It is true that many small weeklies are so busy arranging other people's advertising that they sometimes forget to "practice what they preach" and let people know what they can do themselves.



"He got homesick, sir—I'm missing him for one of those Australian flyers."

Last Meeting of Township Council

Stewarttown, December 18th, 1940.

The December meeting of Stewarttown Township Council was held on Monday, Dec. 18th. Deputy Reeve O. H. Murray, Councilmen G. W. Murray, Edwin Harrop and Geo. X. Cleave were present. Reeve Wm. A. Wilson presided at the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

After the communications were read, the report of the Medical Officer of Health was presented which showed only 1 case of scarlet fever during the year.

Moved by Murray and May, that the Treasurer pay: Town of Georgetown, \$27.50; Division Court costs, \$27.50; Home Office, 1 ton coal for council chamber \$14.50; Bell Telephone account \$3.38; Acton Public Utilities Company, Crescent street lights \$15.00; Department of Game and Fisheries, 600 hunting licenses \$4.25; Campbell, weed inspector \$10.00; Whillier, road Co. supplies \$1.62; J. Sanford, relief account to date \$28.00, stamps \$0.32; James Corner, to splitting and piling wood \$1.25.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave and Harrop, that the Treasurer pay relief accounts as presented by the Relief Officer, \$246.46.—Carried.

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Moved by Cleave and Harrop, that the Treasurer pay sheep claims: A. S. Wilson, 1 registered ewe killed by dogs \$25.00; Paul S. Kennedy, 2 sheep killed by dogs \$20.00; Mrs. Ann L. Murray, 1 sheep killed \$8.00, 3 sheep injured \$3.00, total \$11.00; K. C. Lindsay, valuator \$6.00.—Carried.

Moved by Murray and May, that the Treasurer pay: Cecil Chisholm, selecting jurors \$6.00; A. W. Benton, selecting jurors \$5.00; Frank Petch, selecting jurors \$5.00; Wm. A. Wilson, selecting jurors \$5.00.—Carried.

Moved by Harrop and Murray, that the Treasurer pay: Cecil Chisholm, attending at Judge's Court on voters' lists \$6.35; A. W. Benton, attending at Judge's Court on voters' lists \$6.30.—Carried.

Moved by Harrop and Murray, that the Treasurer pay: Canadian General Insurance Co., G. C. Brown, agent, renewing tax collector's bond to December 9th, 1941, \$37.50.—Carried.

Moved by Murray and May, that the Treasurer pay: Harry Robertson, stamps \$6.00; Dale and Bennett, account to date \$106.02.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave and Harrop, that the report of the Medical Health Officer be filed.—Carried.

Moved by May and Cleave, that the Treasurer pay: Wm. A. Wilson, meetings \$42.00, mileage \$4.20, comm. \$25.00; G. W. Murray, meetings \$42.00, mileage \$11.20, comm. \$80.00, total \$133.20; Edwin Harrop, meetings \$42.00, mileage \$14.00, comm. \$70.00, total \$126.00; G. W. Murray, meetings \$42.00, mileage \$14.00, comm. \$70.00, total \$126.00; G. E. Cleave, meetings \$42.00, mileage \$14.00, comm. \$70.00, total \$126.00.—Carried.

Moved by Harrop and Murray, that the Treasurer pay: Board of Health accounts: C. R. Turner, ambulance to Hamilton Hospital, re indigent August 21st, 1940, \$10.00; Dept. of Health of Ontario, insurance, Apr. to Sept. \$2.92; H. Bingham, meetings \$20.00, mileage \$2.25, total \$22.25; Dr. R. T. Paul, meetings \$20.00, mileage \$1.00, total \$21.00; Wm. A. Wilson, meetings \$20.00, mileage \$1.50, total \$21.50; Frank Petch, meetings \$4.00, total \$16.00; Dr. R. T. Paul, fare to Toronto advanced to indigent \$2.00; attending Board of Health at Toronto \$10.00, total \$12.00.—Carried.

Moved by Harrop and Murray, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to provide for holding municipal elections for the year 1941, and that said by-law be now read a first time.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave and May, that by-law No.— to provide for holding municipal elections for the year 1941, having been read a first time, be now read a second and third times and the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto.—Carried.

Moved by May and Cleave, that leave be granted to introduce a by-law to grant permission to the Reeve and Treasurer to borrow money to meet the current expenditures of the Township, having been read a first time, be now read a second and third times and passed, and the blanks filled in with the sum of Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, and that the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto.—Carried.

Moved by Murray and Harrop, that the Reeve do now vacate the chair and it be taken by the Deputy Reeve.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave and Murray, that the thanks of this Council be hereby tendered to Reeve Wm. A. Wilson for the courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over the meetings of the council during the past year.—Carried.

Moved by Murray and May, that this council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Sunday School LESSON

Jesus Requires Faithfulness

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23rd, 1940

GOLDEN TEXT: "For him whomsoever shall give, of him shall be more abundantly given, and he shall be promoted to a higher position." Luke 12: 48.

I am glad to think I am not bound to make the world go round. But I am glad to discover and to do with cheerful heart the work that God appoints. —Jean Ingelow.

Discipline, 35 - 37

What will make the New Year new? We shall be living in the same houses, wearing the same kind of clothes, working at the same tasks. Yet Christ working at all things new for us. The world is different when we are able to say, "This is my Father's world." Our relatives are different when we love them with Christ's love. Our warfare world may be for us a great opportunity for public service, if we can bring the principles of the Sermon on the Mount to bear upon international relationships. The New Year will be really new if we are different. By the renewing of our minds, our attitude to circumstances may be reformed. It may require a course of rigorous discipline but the results will justify any discomfort. Suppose that for the next twelve months we resolutely set ourselves to live by truth and love. We may rightfully expect to avoid much happiness and to have an inner peace unknown before. God has his own ways of rewarding those who delight to do his will.

A World Scale, 38 - 40

Concerning our own personal affairs, we need to watch constantly lest we enter into temptation. There is need also for alertness and awareness on a national and international scale. Neglect of sanitation can give rise to an epidemic that may endanger the globe. Political opinions may spread that have in them the germ of revolution. A few men may band together and through propaganda circulate ideas that will lead to war. Books, plays, motion pictures, may have subtle effects upon public opinion to such a degree that democracy may be undermined. The trends in education, business, politics and religion, need to be scrutinized carefully because there is always danger of falsehood creeping in. The price of security is eternal vigilance.

Fidelity, 41 - 44

The quality of our work in 1941 will depend chiefly upon our faithfulness in it. For most of us, the work we have to do will appear commonplace. The housekeeper makes beds which have already been made hundreds of times, and they will all have to be made again tomorrow morning. The business man goes to his store to talk about sales, figure on contracts and write letters, the same sort of sales, contracts and letters to which he has been giving attention for years. The teacher enters her schoolroom to face forty restlessurchins none of them eager to be educated. The minister enters his study to prepare two more sermons for next Sunday—he has been busy for the last twenty years getting ready for next Sunday, and here he is doing it again. It is not given to many people in any generation to do startling, heroic or memorable things. You could get all the remarkable people in any century into one small building, leaving the rest of the human race outside doing commonplace things. But when these homely tasks are done with watchfulness and fidelity they take on at once a deeper meaning and a higher value.

Irresponsibility, 45 - 47

Are we developing people who are able and willing to accept and carry responsibility? In business, education and government it is usual to delegate authority. Workers are sought who can be trusted to do their work without watching. In some shops there is such loyalty to the firm that the shop foreman does not need to put on pressure to speed up production and no time clock is necessary. In many schools, lessons are taught as thoroughly every day as when the inspector is present. We become excited about national affairs at election time, but are we building integrity and intelligence into the national character day by day? In a time of war we demand spiritual leadership, but in days of peace did we neglect public worship, religious education, social service and personal evangelism? Can we be trusted to work faithfully on our own?

A Fair Principle, 48

The unfaithful servants who ill-treated others and were drunken while their master was away, were punished. Evil inevitably carries its own retribution with it. Yet an attempt was made to grade punishment just as our law courts seek to make the punishment fit the crime. There are graded demands also. "Unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required." We may well apply this principle to Canada at present. None of our cities has been seized. We still purchase supplies without ration cards. Within broad limits we still have the rights of free speech and public assembly. Why are we so favoured if not to give unselfish service to our nation and to the world? It is Canada's great opportunity. In this peace-minded world each one of us may have a part. Each may rise above inferiority and the same excuse, "My little life does not count," and begin to make life count individually and collectively. Each one of us can do something to mobilize the good will of the world. We may start with a decision to live for humanity and not for self. Millions of war graves are marked by the

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NOTICE, "Are you in favour, as a war time measure, under the Local Government Extension Act, 1940, of the Municipal Council elected for 1941 holding office for the term of two years?" TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing is a correct statement of the question to be submitted to the voters of the Township of Stewarttown at the same time and at the same places as the annual election for the Municipal Council, and the Deputy Returning Officers appointed to hold the said election shall take the vote. I. M. BERNETT, Clerk.

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