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MILTON, Dec. 22, 1927.

THE WARDEN'S DINNER.

Following the final meeting of the Halton county council on Tuesday, at which many well deserved compliments on the able manner in which he presided over its meetings during his year of office, Mr. Agnew gave his Warden's dinner at the Milton Inn in the evening. Smiling faces around the banquet tables reflected the happy spirit that has prevailed at all deliberations of that body during the past twelve months. The spacious dining room was filled to capacity, the menu was of the choicest and the decorations tasteful. J. F. Little, a former Warden, was toast master, and one of the best. Among other guests were county officials and prominent citizens of the county.

The following was the toast list:

"The King," proposed by J. F. Little, Toast Master, responded to by all rising and singing the National Anthem.

"Canada, Our Country," proposed by W. J. L. Hampshire; responded to by Dr. R. K. Anderson, M.P.

"Our County," proposed by Duncan Campbell; responses by Warden Agnew, Reeve Blain, of Milton, Reeve H. J. Foster, of Nelson, and Reeve W. H. Morden, of Trafalgar.

"Our Guests," proposed by the Warden; responses by Judge Elliot, Squire Crawford, W. J. Aiken and Warden Elliott.

"Our Host," proposed by John Marshall, of Nassagaweya; responded to by Warden Agnew.

The proceedings closed by singing Auld Lang Syne, and giving three cheers and a tiger for the Warden.

David Bell, of Lowville, Killed.

Wm. J. Bell, aged 75 years, Lowville, received fatal injuries on Tuesday afternoon when he stepped in front of a car on the Dundas highway at No. 2 village and was thrown to the pavement, suffering a fracture at the base of the skull. He did not regain consciousness and died within half an hour of the time of the accident. Samuel Canning, 161 Peel street, Brantford, was the driver of the auto to whose pathway the unfortunate man stepped. He was detained by Traffic Officer Darby of Waterdown until an investigation had been made, but was allowed to go later.

Mr. Bell had only arrived at Nelson village a short time previous to the accident on a visit to his brother, George A. Bell of Nelson, with whom it was his intention to spend Christmas. Not finding his brother at home and being apparently anxious to greet him, he decided to walk down the Dundas highway to the Nelson town hall, where George A. Bell was at the time helping with Christmas decorations.

Dr. Hooper, Waterdown, was called, but on his arrival found life extinct. Coroner Dr. J. W. Pearl, Burlington, was notified and an jury was empaneled. After a preliminary investigation the inquest was adjourned until Dec. 28th to be held at the Township hall, Nelson.

Mr. Bell is survived by his wife at Lowville, three sons, William, Lorne in Acton, Walkerton, Milton, California, one daughter, Mrs. Henry, Walkerton, two brothers, Thomas, Goderich, and Geo. A. Bell, Nelson, four sisters, Mrs. Vivian and Mrs. Hunt, Nelson, Mrs. John Mills, Milton, and Mrs. Powell, Nelson.

OBITUARIES.

MRS. ANNIE HORNELL.

The death occurred on Sunday evening last of Annie Latimer Burgess, widow of David Hornell. Deceased, who was in her sixty ninth year, was an Anglican, a member of Grace Church. She is survived by an only son, James Hornell, at home. The funeral, which was private, took place from her late residence, Victoria Avenue, Tuesday afternoon. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Canon Nelles, assisted by Rev. N. A. Hirlbut.

GEORGE JAMIESON.

George Jamieson, formerly of Toronto, passed away on Monday, at the home of his son, Wm. Jamieson, who recently purchased J. R. Elliott's farm on Martin Street, adjoining the town. Deceased, who was in his 73rd year, had lived here for his son's home lately for a few months, after living with his wife and daughter-in-law for the past two years. The sudden death was precipitated. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wingfield, 128 Harvie Ave., Toronto, interment being made in Prospect Cemetery.

R.B.P. Elect and Install Officers

The annual meeting of Royal Black Preceptory, No. 36, was held on Monday evening and was largely attended. The Preceptory which is in a flourishing condition, financially and other wise, had a substantial increase in membership for the past year. On night W. J. Lindsay occupied the chair for the election and installation of officers. They are as follows:

W.M. Preceptor, Sir Knight M. J. Ash.
Deputy Preceptor, Sir Knight J. F. Wilson.
Chaplain, Sir Knight R. O. Graham.
Recording Registrar, Sir Knight T. H. Mackey.
Financial Registrar, Sir Knight A. E. Bradley.
Treasurer, Sir Knight Chas. Brooks.
Lecturers, Sir Knights G. J. Chapman and J. H. Coulson.
Critics, Sir Knights R. J. Graham and E. J. Lindsay.
Standard Bearers, Sir Knights J. B. Lindsay and Jas. McDowell.
Lieutenant, Sir Knight S. D. Barkley.
Committee, Sir Knights W. J. Lindsay, J. Hiatt, J. M. Mackenzie, Geo. Haver, G. Chisholm, Dr. R. K. Anderson, M.P., H. Newell.
Auditors, Sir Knights S. D. Barkley and Jas. M. Dowell.

ASHGROVE.

The A. L. I. held a very successful entertainment in the basement of the United Church on Dec. 14th. A first-class programme was given by Bethel Choral Society, consisting of twenty-seven voices, Miss McKormick, elocutionist, Toronto, Miss H. Tuck and Miss Wilma Sterling, pianist, Oakville, Irvin Fell, tenor, Toronto, and Chas. Tuck, Oakville, followed by the impromptu speaking contest, open to county, for the mantle clock. The judges were, D. A. Andrew, District Representative, Miss Ruth McCann, Omagh school teacher, and Chas. Tuck, Oakville. The judges gave their decision in favor of Miss McCullough, Georgetown R.R. The next entertainment will take the form of a box social and is expected to be held in Stewarttown hall, with a silver cup, donated by Esquesing council, as the trophy for the speaking contest. Watch the Champion for full particulars.

Dufferin School Concert.—Upon request, Dufferin School, S. S. No. 10, Esquesing, will repeat their concert on Friday, Dec. 23rd, at 8 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

The annual meeting of the W. M. S. was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. B. Clements, when excellent reports of the work of the year nine months were given. The officers for the ensuing year were elected, and a social time was enjoyed.

The Christmas Supper served by the Ladies' Bible Class in the school room on Friday evening was very well attended by all the classes of the school and was, as usual, a real treat. Following the supper an excellent program was given, consisting of songs, drills, recitations, dialogues and pantomimes, after which each pupil received an orange, and many were made merry by the generous gifts of whistles and toys presented by Mr. Rose of the Walker Store.

The excellent Christmas program given by the Y. P. L. on Monday evening was very appropriate and entertaining. Carol singing was a pleasing feature, with Christmas readings by the Misses Stewart and Laurene Gadsby, a violin solo, "O Holy Night," a vocal solo by Mr. Ernest Merrett, who responded to an encore with a song, a solo by Miss Mary Stewart, and two piano numbers by Miss Frances Greenside, also the story of Van Dykes "The Other Wise Man," was well told by Mr. C. McFadden. The next meeting will be held on Monday, January 9th, 1928.

SUNDAY, DEC. 25TH, CHRISTMAS SUNDAY

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HOCKEY.

[illegible] Hockey League, on Wednesday evening of last week, the Speltabakers gave Clifford Houston, of Milton, a considerable share of the credit for winning the game. It says:

"Croatian supporters can thank Clifford Houston for winning the Red and White their first point in four starts, as the diminutive goalie from Milton gave an exhibition of net tending which witnessed in City league games in locking the Wentworth Radios from scoring. Houston replaced Halsey, and the change made the Croatian team look like pretzels. The Radios could not find the range in their proper manner, and when they did, Houston, former O.H.A. player, in the Croatian net, had them foiled."

HORNBY

[illegible] Kennedy has been working hard with a number of men to get his chopping mill into working shape. It will be equipped with very soon. This means a busy convenient service for the farmers in the district.

A willing band of workers completed the re-shingling of the Orange Hall.

The blacksmith shop has been repaired after the storm and the kalsominer took it in order again for business.

It was very unfortunate that an extension of friends of the United Church had a bad night for their Xmas concert. However, it was well attended, with a first-class programme.

The Boston Choir is putting on the Nativity of Christ, Sunday next, at 11 a.m.

To all the members and friends of the church the pastor desires to wish a most hearty and joyous Xmas. The outstanding characteristic for the Xmas season is joy. Everybody is happy, and we wish that gladness and contentment might follow us home and cheer and make radiant every face. We exchange our gifts, and we are happiest when we can make others happy. This is the Xmas spirit God gave Himself to us. May we all catch the true meaning of Xmas.

The regular services of the Presbyterian Church next Lord's Day: Boston, 11 a.m.; Omagh 2.30, Hornby 7 p.m. Come along. Special music and a bright Xmas message. Rev. P. W. MacInnes will preach. Subject, "The Guiding Star." We are looking for you in your place.

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Lasky—At Milton, Dec. 15th, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Lasky (nee Jessie Davies), a son, William Allan.

DIED.

Hornell—At Milton, on Sunday, Dec. 18th 1927, Annie Latimer Burgess, widow of the late David Hornell, in her 69th year.

Corner—At Stewarttown, on Tuesday, Dec. 20th, 1927, James Allen Corner, formerly of Milton, in his 72nd year. Interment at Georgetown.

Arbitration Board Meeting.

The Board of Arbitration appointed by the Nassagaweya Township Council in the matter of the Division of S. S. No. 1, Nassagaweya, will meet for a public hearing in Garrett's Hall, Campbellville, on Friday, Dec. 30th, 1927, at ten o'clock in the morning. All ratepayers interested who desire to make any representations before this Board in connection with the above mentioned matter are requested to be present at the hour named.

J. M. DENYES,
Chairman Board of Arbitrators.
L. W. CHISHOLM, Secretary,
Milton R.R. 3.

To Our Patrons:

As we draw to the close of this year we look forward to 1928 with [illegible] hope.

May we extend to you our sincere wishes that your hopes may be realized and that 1928 will bring you and yours many of the good things of life and be a real happy and prosperous year for you.

May we also extend to you our best wishes for a very Merry Christmas.

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Notice of Registration of By-Law.

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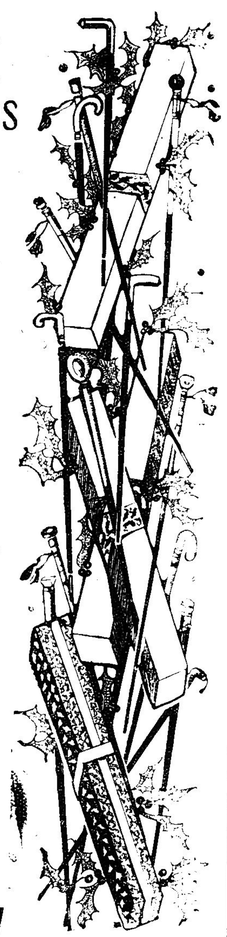

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Templars' Fraternal Visit.

Thirty members of Milton council, R. T. of T., were visitors at the regular meeting of Golden Rule council on Thursday evening, Dec. 8th. They also brought two new candidates who were initiated in an impressive manner by the Golden Rule degree team.

Addresses of welcome were extended to the visitors by H. Humphrey, S.C., H. Litchfield, D.C., and J. H. Turner, P.C., to which replies were made by R. B. Galbraith, J. M. Denyes, E. F. Earl and Geo. Dolby.

An excellent program of vocal and instrumental selections were given by a number of the talented members of the Milton council after which refreshments were served and all enjoyed a social hour.—Oakville Star.

Settle Damage Claims for $50,000.

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 17.—Definite settlement has been effected between the C.P.R. and three widows and families of Albert B. Couch, Montreal and Toronto, J. Kipps and A. E. Jones, this city, the three men killed Oct. 27, 1926, in a motor car accident at Milton. Langs, Binkley and Morwick, of Hamilton, counsel for the three widows, announced to-day that the sum settled for is $50,000. Damages of $150,000 were originally asked, but the jury disagreed. The late Mr. Couch was owner of the Zimmerknit factory, this city. He resided in Montreal and Toronto, where he had wide business connections.

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