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FORTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of January 4, 1900
The skating rink was opened for the first time this season on New Year's Day. The skaters evidently enjoyed the pastime and good music was furnished by Messrs. A. J. Hume, W. E. Wiley and F. Redditt.
The following is the result of King municipal election held on Monday: For reeve, Crossley, 368; Lemon, 596. For Councillors, Burns, 468; Davis, 435; Gallagher, 477; Legge, 515; Rogers, 451.

The annual entertainment in connection with the Fire Brigade was held in the Masonic Hall on New Year's evening and attracted a large audience. As the principal feature of the programme was the production of a drama, more than the usual degree of enthusiasm was aroused. The play "Under Two Flags", from Onida's celebrated novel, proved unusually interesting and the company of performers under the direction of Mr. H. N. Shaw, the Principal of the Dramatic School at the College of Music, made a favorable impres-

sion. The receipts amounted to \$77.55.

Legge-Palmer

The marriage of Mr. Frank Legge of Oak Ridges, and Miss Elizabeth Palmer of this Village, was solemnized in St. Thomas' church, Toronto, on Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. H. Shortt in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The bridesmaid was Miss Sadie Palmer, sister of the bride, and Rev. Mr. Field, pastor of St. John's Church, acted as groomsmen. After the ceremony the bridal party took luncheon at the Queen's Hotel, and later in the evening the young couple proceeded to their home at Lake Wilcox. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known in this place, and their many friends wish them years of happiness and prosperity.

The Ontario Government have granted \$500 to the Red Cross Society for the benefit of the second Canadian contingent. This action was decided upon at a meeting of the Cabinet on Wednesday.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of Dec. 30th, 1909
The rink was open to skaters on Christmas afternoon. The curlers also had a game in the new rink.

The following are the four councillors elected by acclamation for the Village: John Palmer, T. H. Trench, J. H. Sanderson, George Sims.

The Town Hall was filled with an enthusiastic crowd of citizens on Monday evening when nominations were taken for the position of reeve, councillors and public school trustees. The following nominations were made: For Reeve, W. H. Pugsley, H. A. Nicholls. For Councillors, J. Palmer, T. H. Trench, J. H. Sanderson, H. H. Hopper, H. A. Nicholls, George Sims. Public School Trustees, D. Hill, G. Redditt, G. Cowie. The three trustees were elected by acclamation. After the nominations were closed, Mr. Hume, clerk and treasurer, was appointed chairman of the after meeting, and the candidates for the various positions addressed the electors, previous to which, however, Mr. Hume by request of the council, made a clear statement showing why the taxes were higher than last year, and pointing out that the greater part of the expenditure, including salaries etc., \$507; schools, \$1289; debentures, \$227; county rate, \$410; Public Library, \$100 etc. was beyond the control of the present or any other council. Short addresses were made by the candidates and the re-elected trustees present also addressed the meeting.

The school room of the Methodist Church was crowded Christmas evening when the annual entertainment was given. The cantata "Santa's Mistake" was most enjoyable, and the superintendent, Mr. Sanderson, and the committee in charge, are to be congratulated on the success of the evening. As usual Santa Claus was a prominent and popular feature of the evening's programme.

The youthful performers who took part in the cantata "Cinderella" given in the basement of the Presbyterian Church Thursday evening, and those who contributed recitations and vocal selections, did remarkably well. Before closing Santa Claus made his appearance and everybody went home happy.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From our Issue of January 1st, 1925
At the Yuletide Dance in the Gymnasium of the new High School Monday evening one of the pleasant features of the evening was the presentation of a club bag by Dr. Langstaff on behalf of the Board of Education and the Village Council, to Mr. Harty-Morden who is leaving the Village owing to the amalgamation of the Standard and Sterling Banks. Dr. Langstaff referred to the splendid work of Mr. Morden as secretary-treasurer of the Board for the past year, and to his willingness to assist the young people in clean and manly sport. Mr. Morden was deeply touched by the token of appreciation saying that any work he had done had been a work of love. Three rousing cheers at the close was another indication of the esteem in which Mr. Morden is held in the Village and community.

The year 1924 was a busy year for Superintendent Morrison and his staff at the Jail Farm, at Lang-

General News & Views

A new Reeve and council takes charge in Richmond Hill next Monday.

Richmond Hill does not have an election very often but when there is one it generally is a hot one.

Sub-zero weather this week gives Ontario its first real taste of winter weather.

Reeve James Rennie of Markham Township is a popular candidate for one of the York County Commissionerships this year. Reeve Rennie is well qualified for the position and his colleagues in County Council would be well served if Markham's reeve is chosen for this important office.

Large crowds enjoyed skating at Richmond Hill arena over the holiday week-end. There is skating at this popular ice palace every Wednesday and Saturday.

The annual Vaughan and Richmond Hill Veterans Christmas Tree for the kiddies was held last Thursday evening at Richmond Hill and was a delightful event.

Reeve F. J. MacRae of York Township was returned as Reeve in Monday's election with a large majority over former deputy reeve Cashman.

In Aurora former deputy-reeve Charles Malloy was elected Reeve with a majority of 302 over former deputy-reeve L. K. Farr, C. S. Sparkes was elected deputy reeve, defeating Howard Morton. The council was elected by acclamation.

STOUFFVILLE

Reeve: A. E. WELDON, 314; Walter Brillinger, 188.

Councillors (4): R. E. BROWN, 360; IRA RUSSELL, 258; DELBERT HOLDEN, 234; J. H. SILVERTHORN, 223; Martin Tait, 175; Hugh Boyd, 172; W. E. Morden, 166; Wm. Rennie, 130.

School trustees: DR. HERBERT FREEL, A. V. NOLAN, ROY TURNER (all accl.).

EAST YORK TOWNSHIP

Reeve: JOHN WARREN, 4,495; John Walker, 1,303.

Deputy reeve: JOHN DOGGETT, 4,400; Thomas Carter, 1,320.

Councillors (3): GEO. S. TREADWAY, 3,850; JAMES MICHAEL, 3,699; JOHN HOLLINGER, 3,609; Arthur Williams, 1,635; J. W. McKay, 786; P. A. Hughes, 764; George Elkins, 373.

Board of education (2): GEORGE WEBSTER, 3,201; J. D. MILLS, 2,694; Mrs. May Buttress, 1,294; Charles Saunders, 1,011; T. M. Tonner, 747. Hydro Commissioner (1): ALBERT JENNINGS, 3,536; Clarence Rose, 2,155.

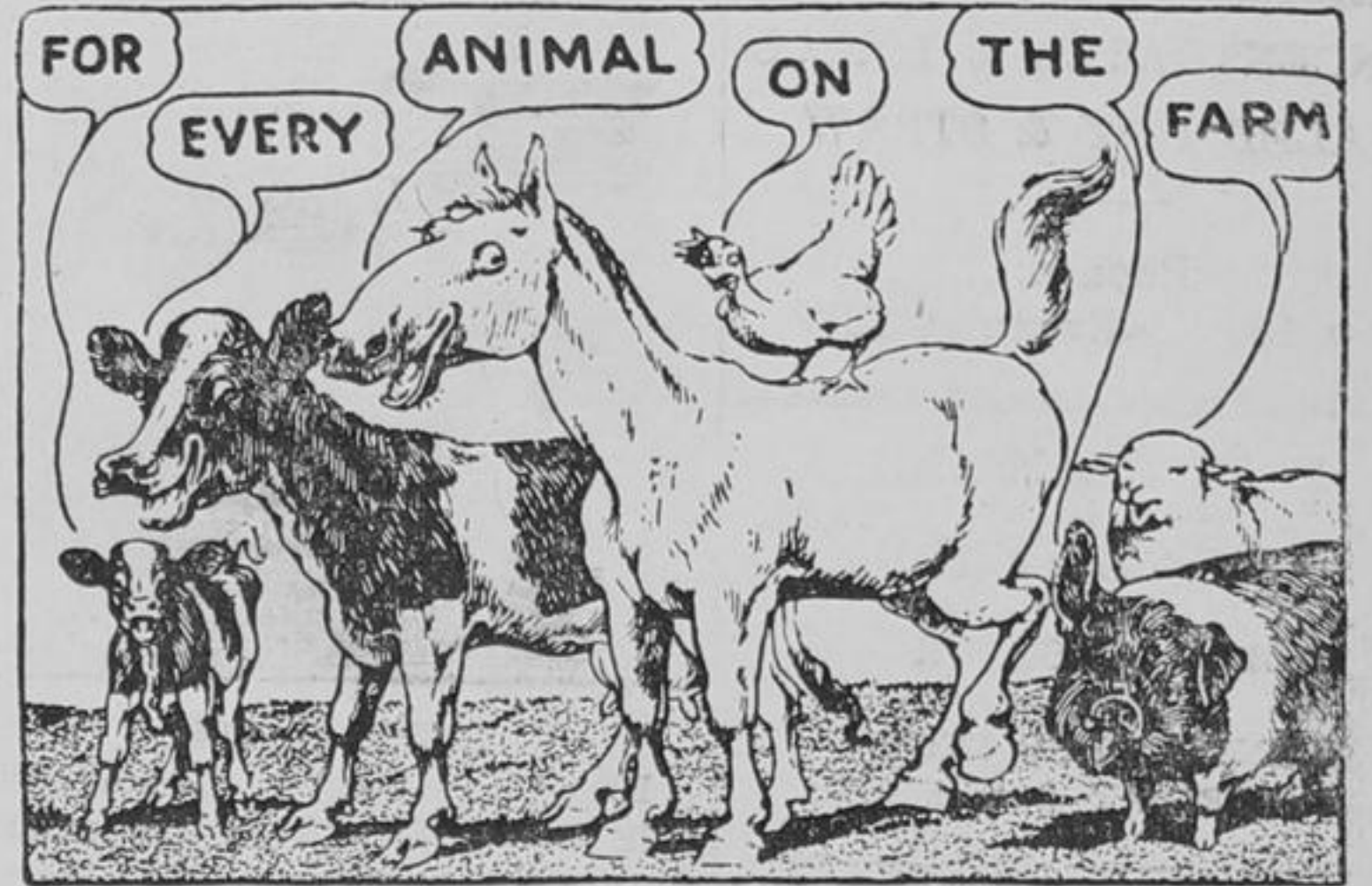
GEORGINA TOWNSHIP

Reeve: J. L. COCKBURN (accl.)
Councillors (4): JOHN LAVIOLLETTE, 383; HERBERT CROSBERRY, 348; IVAN TOMLINSON, 345; J. D. SIBBALD, 306; William Hardy, 257.

Control your emotions. Excitement is dangerous. Take the German who, receiving his butter allotment, was instructed, "Now go out and loudly shout 'Heil Hitler.' We have enough butter." The man in his excitement yelled, "Heil Butter. We have enough Hitler." Poor fellow, he's now in a concentration camp.

oners, including 159 women, have passed through the farm serving sentences ranging from less than a month up to 2 years less one day.

The following nominations were made Monday evening in the Masonic Hall: For Reeve, T. H. Trench, D. Hill. For Councillors, J. McLean, R. Edean, J. Lunau, D. Hill, W. H. Pugsley, J. A. Greene. For Public School Trustees, W. A. Wright, J. Atkinson, Mrs. A. Perry. The above trustees were all elected by acclamation. Mr. Hume who was appointed chairman of the after-meeting referred to the strenuous work the council had during the year, and the large amount of money it was necessary to spend. The trustees and the candidates for reeve and councillors then addressed the meeting, each councillor referring to the particular work of the department over which they are chairman. Mr. Hill, who was nominated for two positions decided after the meeting to contest the reeve ship with Mr. Trench.



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Chick'n Chats

(By E. W. Anstey)

The quality of eggs is affected by breeding, feeding, or handling of the eggs. The right feed carefully fed and proper handling of the eggs will produce as good eggs as the breeding of the birds permits.

To bring a premium, eggs must be of premium quality. Quality is being emphasized more and more in the leading egg markets. The influence of consumer demand for better eggs is being felt all down the line from the large packers and commission houses to the grocery store. It is chiefly this influence that prompts the progressive egg producers to pay more attention to the egg quality.

Aside from extra profit, quality pays in many ways. In order to establish a repeat business you have to put satisfaction into every egg. A good business man will give his customers more quality and satisfaction than they actually pay for. A single bad egg may cost you a loss in your trade.

Quality eggs have a sound clean shell, are free from meat spots, blood spots, bacterial infection and visible germ development.

The air space of a good egg is small, not over 1/8 of an inch deep. It should have a smooth even outline and should be fixed, that is, without movement when twirled before the candle.

The white should be firm and clear. Such a white permits very little movement of the yolk from the center when the egg is twirled.

The question arises, whether or not candling really yields reliable information on the interior quality of the eggs. As regards the detection of meat and blood spots, bacterial development and molds, the answer is in the affirmative, the degree of accuracy depending on the skill and experience of the candler. The inexperienced may encounter some difficulty in detecting these defects, particularly with dark shelled eggs. However on some of the nicer factors of egg quality, candling sometimes gives inadequate or even misleading information.

The egg trade attaches a great deal of importance to the color of the yolk. Preference is mostly given to golden or lemon colored yolk. Regardless of whether or not the discrimination against dark yolks is based merely upon habit, tradition, or prejudice the fact remains that the trade wants light colored yolks and pays a premium for them.

Yolk color is controlled mostly by the feed. Green feed produces dark yolks. Yellow corn has a similar effect. In general, different sorts of greens have the same effect with the exception of rape which gives the yolk a purplish color. When a balanced ration is fed that meets the nutritional requirements of the flock, there is no need for supplementary greens.

The color of the yolk is not necessarily an index of its vitamin A content, as has sometimes been stated. Foodstuffs, such as yellow corn, greens and alfalfa meal, in which vitamin A is associated with a yellow coloring matter, known as xanthophyll, are not the only sources of this vitamin. By proper selection of the feed ingredients, a light colored yolk can be endowed with as much or more of this vitamin as a dark yolk. In the same fashion, it is possible to produce a dark colored yolk with a low vitamin A content.

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