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The Milestone Mail (Sask.) reports temperatures last week more than 20 degrees below zero.

At the North Gwillimbury nomination meeting Councillor Harry Babb charged the Reeve had collected \$5.00 from the Township for attending the Good Roads Convention and "that he was not at the convention ten minutes."

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Winter is away to an early start. | Tonight York County banquets a champion plowman.

> elected by acclamation for the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gould of Aurora celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary last week.

Ontario has had a fine taste of

real winter weather, and a generous helping of snow to inspire the Christmas spirit. In our war effort, too many peo-

ple are sure things will turn out al-

right but show little inclination to do

anything about it.

of Crosby Memorial Rink, Unionville, Other trustees are W. C. Gohn and James Russell. .

Continuing Daylight Saving Time throughout the winter has been a boon to alarm clock sales, it is authoritatively reported.

Stop! And let the train go by. It takes only a minute. Your car starts out again intact - and better still - you're in it!

"ROME was not built in a day" is a very true saying. But the boys in the R.A.F. have their own idea of how soon they could level it.

HEARD on the street corner; but isn't it the truth? "Everybody wants the old home town to go ahead, but they all think it's somebody else's duty to do the pushing."

It cannot be repeated too often, that old remark: "It takes hundreds of nuts to hold an auto together, but only one to scatter it all over the landscape."

W. H. Helmer has been elected president of Newmarket Bowling Club for 1941. During last year the club distributed \$78.00 in War Savings Stamps as prizes.

Walter Hornell, a former member of the Richmond Hill Bank of Commerce staff and for the past three years located in Aurora has been transferred to the Dundalk branch of the bank.

Unionville's A. M. Hill, public school principal, won the Treasure Trail Pot of Gold last week by cor- in Kent's jewelry store. rectly answering that "Mitch" Hepburn is Ontario Treasurer. He received a cheque of \$222.00.

A local weather prophet of note gives it as his considered opinion that it will be a cold winter. He bases his prediction on the observation that men are wearing heavy overcoats.

Lanark Township Council is putting the two year term question up to the electors. This shows the reeve and his colleagues do not consider themselves married to municipal life until death do us part .-- Almonte Gazette.

A Newmarket youth, former member of the "Jehovah Witnesses" re-Auction Sales conducted on short | fuses to take military training. A good stiff pick and shovel job should Phone 92R | be provided for the thirty day training period.

> are the words of the King to cheer most successful event both from a and inspire:

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FORTY YEARS AGO

East Gwillimbury council was From our Issue of Dec. 6th, 1900 It is hinted that the village council purpose having the rink open for skating only on Saturday evenings. This might not suit some people, but when it is remembered that the hockey club have the rink two nights a week, and the curlers two other nights, we do not wonder that the council think of reserving one night for repairs. A good skate every Saturday night should fill the bill.

A few weeks ago it was thought that the purchase of the Metropolitan Railway by the Toronto Street Railway Company was completed. A hitch afterwards occurred, and proceedings were stayed. On Tuesday Howard Stiver is the new truseee of this week the officials of the Toronto Railway went over the Metropolitan and it is understood an offer has been made which will be accepted by the Metropolitan.

Weston High School will have three teachers commencing in January. Mr. Maclean, M.A., has been engaged as principal, Miss Hawkins, B.A., and Miss Tennant, B.A., as as-

Headford School Trustees advertised for a teacher and had 106 applications.

The annual meeting of the Curling Club was held in the council chamber Saturday evening, December 1st, 1900. The auditors' report of the secretary's and treasurer's books showed there were last year 31 members, and that the treasurer had on hand a balance of \$3.93. The report was adopted. Mr. Farquharson was voted to take the chair which was vacated by President Storey, and the election of officers took place as follows: Patron, Hen. N. C. Wallace; President, P. G. Savage; 1st Vice-President, F. McConaghy; 2nd Vice-President, J. F. Rowland; Treasurer, H. A. Nicholls; Secretary, T. F. Mc-Mahon; Auditors, G. McDonald, J. H. Brydon; committee of management, W. T. Storey, J. H. Sanderson, M. Boyle, W. H. Pugsley. The Vice-Presidents and the Secretary were appointed a committee to wait on the village council relative to renting the rink for the coming curling season securing if possible Tuesday and Thursday nights. The joining fee was placed at \$1.00 and the secretary was instructed to get printed 50 members' tickets.

Mr. Harry Sanderson went to the city on Monday to take a position

THIRTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of Dec. 1st, 1910 Mr. H. A. Nicholls reports this week the sale of Mr. Fred Hopper's house and lot on Elizabeth Street to Miss Mary Ross.

Mr. Lorne Patterson has purchased from the Helmkay Estate the residence on the corner of Arnold and Elizabeth streets.

Mr. J. O. Herity who recently took a partnership in a newspaper plant at Belleville has sold The Markham Sun to Mr. O. S. Hicks of Belleville. The new proprietor took possession on the first of December.

At the opening of York County Council on Monday Reeve Pugsley gave notice that he would move that the council memorialize the Govern-'ment to put a special tax on automobiles for the support of the roads. The annual meeting of the Stand-

ard Beef Ring held at the residence However the battle may go, here of Mr. and Mrs. C. Topper, was a social and business standpoint. The "Put into your task, whatever it members first settled up the busiof which you are capable. Keep your to continue the 20 share ring for anshaken. Let us go forward to that gret at losing their President, Mr. with the following result: President, Garnet Duncan; Managers, Wm. Rohinson, James Hunt; Sec.-Treas., Jas. McLean. The supper which consist-J. F. Lynett | ed of oysters, roast geese and chickens was one of the best. After supper, good speeches were made by the past president, the new president, the secretary-treasurer, and Mr. A. E. Glass, the last named, who championed The Ladies, making the speech of the evening. About 75 men, women and children were present.

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On "Laughter"

Laughter makes good blood.-Ital-

The loud laugh bespeaks the vacant mind.—English. He is not laughed at who laughs

at himself first.—English. He that laughs at his ain joke

spoils the sport o' it .- Scotch. A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market .- B. Franklin. He who laughs at impertinence

makes himself an accomplice.-Chin-The laughter of the cottage is the

most hearty.-Latin. A laugh costs too much if it is bought at the expense of propriety. -Quintillian.

Men show their character in nothing more than what they think laughable.-Goethe.

A good laugh is sunshine in a house.—Thackeray.

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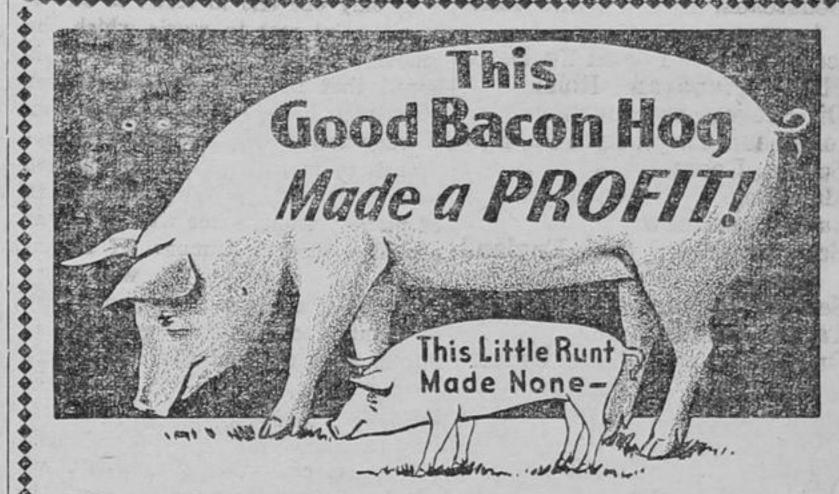
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