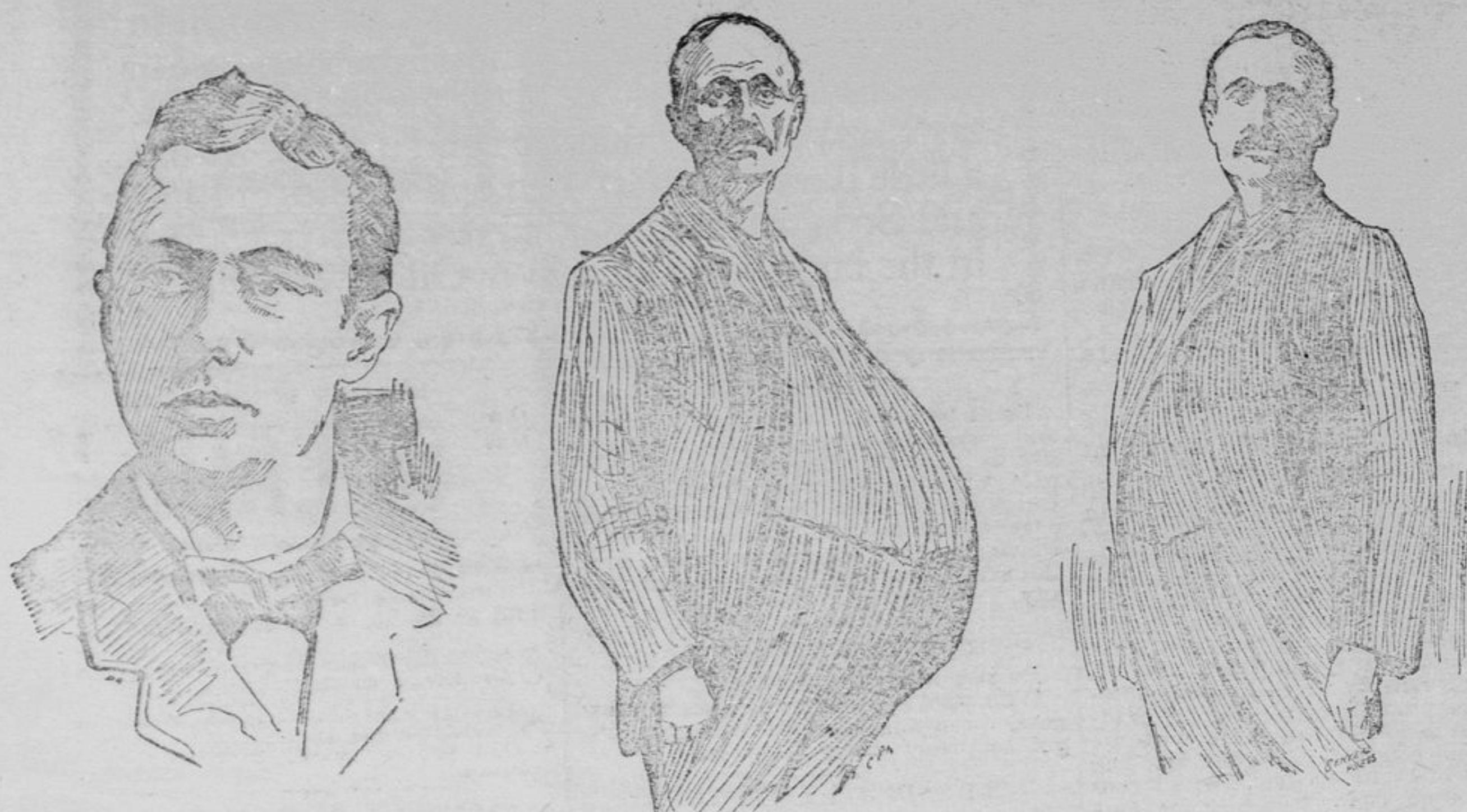


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Probably no one is better known to the printing trade of Canada than Maxwell Johnston, of Maxwell Johnston & Co., 72 Bay street, Toronto. His many years of experience have acquainted him with almost every person in the entire trade. To many of his friends it has been known that he has suffered during very severe illness the past year, and in regard to the same Mr. Johnston writes the following letter:

TORONTO, Dec. 3, 1896.

Messrs. T. Milburn & Co.:

Dear Sirs.—For over ten months I suffered from dropsy, caused by kidney trouble which followed an attack of la grippe. The symptoms rapidly became serious and medical aid was called in. Among others who were consulted were Dr. Wallace, Dr. Norman Allen, Dr. Weir and Dr. Glass, all of this city, and I can truly state that they made every effort that medical skill could provide. Seven operations were performed within six months, during which time I visited at different periods for the purpose of these operations the following hospitals, viz: The Toronto General Hospital, St. Michael's Hospital and Grace Hospital. Although all that could be done for me was faithfully and skilfully performed, I received only temporary relief, the operations only serving to remove the enormous quantities of water which constantly accumulated. As a matter of fact, 17 gallons of water were removed during the last two operations. After the last operation I was given up to die and was given only six to twelve days to live.

In addition to the best medical skill which money could procure, I used all kinds of patent medicines which promised relief, but without effect. All the family remedies suggested, such as Milk weed Tea, Pumpkin Seed Tea, Mullein Leaf Tea, Spanish Onion Tea, Sweet Nitre and Buchu, etc., were faithfully tried but gave not the slightest relief, so that I had lost all hope, when I was persuaded to try Doan's Kidney Pills, together with Laxa Liver Pills. To my surprise I received almost immediate relief. At this time I was unable to lie down and for three and a half months previously was forced to sleep in a chair. My waist measure was then 49 inches; it is now 33 inches since the wonderful cure made by these pills.

EGREMONT COUNCIL.

Council met Jan 11th. Members elect subscribed to the required declarations and took their seats as follows:—P. Dickson, reeve; R. Bye, 1st Dep.; Chas. McInnes, 2nd Dep.; D. Leith and F. Rusnell, Councillors. Minutes of previous meeting confirmed. The reeve appointed John Ross, Auditor and upon resolution of Council John A Swanston was appointed as the other. By-law 84 for appointing Auditors blanks with foregoing names filled in passed the usual readings, etc. By-law 85 for appointing Tp officers, blanks filled in as follows: T. Brown treasurer salary \$100; D. Allan clerk salary \$140; W. H. Kingston, Solicitor, passed the usual readings, was signed, etc. By-law 86 for appointing Health officers blanks filled in as follows: Dickson-Allan-Bye-Leith-McInnes with Dr. Brown health-officer passed also the usual reading, was signed, etc. Bye-Rusnell—that bill of G. B. Van Blaricom, printing Financial Statement amounting to \$10 be paid.—Carried. McInnes-Leith—that D. R. officers be paid the sum of \$8.50 each divided as follows D. R. O. \$4, use of house \$3, Poll Clerk \$1.50.—Carried. McInnes-Leith—that the petition of George Morrison and 31 others re the establishment of a Union School between this t'p and Normanby be

laid over till next meeting of Council and the clerk notify the trustees of all school sections affected by this petition.—Carried. Jas. Allan reported on Calvert's bridge as follows. That approach requiring filling was so rotten that it would be costly to break it up but was perfectly secure till spring. Bye-Rusnell—that foregoing report be adopted and Mr. Allan received \$1 for his services.—Carried. McInnes-McInnes—that R. Burrows be paid \$2.10 in payment of goods furnished to John Kholes.—Carried. Bye-Leith—that the reeve and the never consult Mrs. Tribe re John Kholes and report to this council.—Carried. Said Committee reported as follows:—That Mrs. Tribe had agreed to keep John Kholes for \$1.50 per week. Leith-McInnes—that foregoing report be adopted. Carried. Rusnell—Leith—that the Council give the scrub timber on base line opposite G. A. con 14 to P. Thair.—Carried. Leith-McInnes—in consideration of the account sent us by the clerk of Normanby we remit \$4 with statement from clerk.—Carried. McInnes.—That W. Wilder be allowed the sum of \$1.25 per week for the maintenance of W. Williams from this date and that the clerk notify W. Wilder to that effect and if he refuse to accept this amount, then W. Williams will be removed to

Mrs. Tribe's.—Carried. Rusnell-McInnis—that the clerk notify Alex. Dodds that he give no more flour to A. Bogle, as indigent, on this t'p.—Carried. Rusnell-McInnis—that Mrs. Barclay be supplied as formerly viz:—40 lbs flour and \$1 in goods per month.—Carried. Bye-McInnis.—That the petition of Rev. J. M. Millar and 11 others re Mrs. KoPesch, indigent, be granted and this council make a special grant of \$4 to her.—Carried. Leith-Rusnell.—That Chas. Ramage receive the sum of \$5 balance on printing account also 50¢ postage.—Carried. McInnis—Leith—that the reeve examine Registry office re Treasurer's sureties and report to Council at next meeting.—Carried. Bye-Rusnell.—That the clerk be paid 25¢ express charges on ballots.—Carried. Rusnell—Leith—that council now adjourn till Feb 13th, to receive the Auditors' report, tenders for printing, appoint an assessor and pathmasters for 1897.—Carried.

D. ALLAN, Clerk.

We owe an apology to some of our correspondents, inasmuch as we have, through want of space, to leave a number of budgets over till next issue.

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BIRTHS.

ELLISON—At Traverston, on Sunday, Jan 10, the wife of Alex. Ellison of a son.

MARRIED.

DEFORD-SHARP—At the residence of the bride's mother, in Egremont, on Monday evening, the 18th inst., by Rev. Mr. Kitching, Mr. Deford, of Mich., to Miss Sarah Sharp, of Egremont.

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The Chronicle Leads

AUCTION SALE

Of Farm in the Township of Egremont, County of Grey.

PURSUANT TO THE POWER OF
Sale contained in a mortgage (which
will be produced at the time of sale) there
will be offered for sale at Public Auction at
the Middaugh House in the Town of Dur-
ham in the County of Grey, by Mr. James
Carson, auctioneer, on

FRIDAY THE 22ND DAY OF JANUARY

1897, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. the following
property, being composed of lots number
sixteen and seventeen in the third con. east
of the Garrafraza Road in the said Town-
ship of Egremont, containing Two hundred
acres more or less.

The said land is situate within about $\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Holstein Station on the G. T. R. about six miles from the Town of Durham and about 9 miles from Mount Forest.

Upon the said property are a frame
dwelling house with stone cellar about
30 by 20, frame barn about 50 by 30 and a
wing about 11 feet wide with stone stable
thereunder, also an orchard.

Terms of Sale—10 per cent on the day of
sale, 20 per cent more on the 22nd day of
February next and the balance on the 22nd
day of February 1897, with interest at 6 per
cent per annum, payable yearly, to be
secured by a mortgage on the property.

The Vendors have a reserved bid.

Other terms and conditions of sale will be
made known at the time of sale and in the
meantime can be ascertained from the
undersigned. Dated December 24, 1896.