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HOLSTEIN.
Crowded out last week.

As Mrs. P. Brown was coming down the steps in front of Mr. H. Brown's store one evening last week she accidentally slipped and fell injuring herself to such an extent that she has been confined to her bed since.

The Rev. S. Marshall, Clifford, will conduct the service in the Methodist church here next Sabbath morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Main and Miss Hazel are spending a few weeks at present in Mosbora with Mrs. M's friends there.

During the past few months a good deal of change has been made in the ownership of real estate in this vicinity. A few of the changes, very probably, will prove of interest to many of our readers who are away from home. Mr. Jas. Mark has sold his 100 acre farm on the 12 con. to R. E. Micklebrow. Mr. W. Main has also disposed of his farm to R. Irvine. R. Burrows, Esq., has sold out to J. Smith, of Glenelg. Mr. Ira Pennock has again effected the sale of his farm to Mr. J. H. May, of Normanby. R. Irvine decided that the "Nips" were no longer suitable for farming, to the extent that he desired, and hence John Gardiner bid \$2000 and the deal was concluded. Mr. T. Orchard now owns the lot formerly owned by the late Mr. Doyle. There are other farms in this vicinity for sale, and as they are already advertised we shall not refer to them in particular.

The Annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday School was held last Friday evening in the Parsonage. The Rev. J. W. Magwood presided. The chief business was the election of officers, which resulted in the old staff being duly elected for 1901.

The directors of the Egremont Agricultural Society are arranging to give a grand concert in the near future, but as the final arrangements have not yet been made, we are unable to give particulars. Be on the look out, it coming.

The annual meeting of the Holstein Branch of the Bible Society will be held in the Methodist church here, on Sunday evening, 9th Dec. The regular business meeting will be held the following Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian church, when the election of officers will take place.

Mrs. J. Sills, of Bay City, Mich., who was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Pennock, for six weeks, returned to her home last Saturday.

Mr. A. W. R. Burrows, of London, is at present assisting his father in getting ready for the sale that takes place on 28th inst. Mr. B. has decided to farm no more but in future live in retirement.

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CORNER CONCERNS.

Mr. Geo. Mathews has sold the old homestead to his brother Will and has purchased a hundred acres, known as the Watson Farm, from Mr. A. Hunter.

Our S. S. Entertainment was a decided success and this section keeps up its reputation for a large crowd. The entertainers from a distance were much appreciated, and acquitted themselves well. They were Rev. Magwood and Dr. Brown, Holstein, and Misses Jessie Laidlaw and Maud Irwin, Durham. The home talent, pupils and adults showed careful training. The Rev. Ryan occupied the chair. Proceeds \$20.85.

Crowded Out Last Week.

Mr. James Tucker lost a head of cattle last spring just as the snow went off, and they caused him many a weary hunt and many an anxious thought. He found them a week ago within a mile of home, where they had been pasturing in the woods all summer.

Mr. E. Johnston has let the job of cutting a large quantity of logs to Messrs. A. Baird and Ben Crittenden. He is thinking of putting in a portable sawmill to manufacture them into lumber in the woods.

Mr. John Sharp missed a good deal of pleasure last week in attending a sick horse.

A little chap arrived at the home of Mr. Robt. Hillis a week ago Sunday. He has started on a swamp farm, and no doubt as those little chaps grow up the swamp will come down.

Those who had over confidence in the good weather a fortnight ago, had seemingly lost all faith in it last week, for they took their turnips up in the slush before the good days came.

Loud and prolonged cheering at the home of Mr. James Hillis' at periods last Wednesday night, and three Union Jacks floating from the house-top of Mr. R. N. Wilder's on Thursday morning caused us to think something eventful had occurred, but on inquiry we found that it had been another of those social events at Hillis'.

Co. commissioner Allan was in Owen Sound last week attending the session. It is a frequent remark by all who know him that he is the cleverest at the board. Egremonters feel quite proud of this, and won't feel like giving up the honor of destination.

Mr. Jas. McLaughlan has sold his farm for something over three thousand dollars. Mr. Pat. Morrison is the purchaser.

Mr. Wm. Marshall was adding to his comforts last week by digging a well beside the door.

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VARNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Eden were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Carson one day last week.

Miss Susie McKinnon, of Durham, is busy dressmaking in our burg this last week.

Mrs. T. McComb and Miss Jewel McComb, of Bunessan, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Little, for a few days.

Miss Ada Reeding, of Guelph, after spending two or three months with her uncle, Mr. H. Petty, returned to her home Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. E. Gadd.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Orchard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCalmon last week.

Miss Lottie Fee is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. McCalmon, of Dornoch, for a couple of weeks.

Miss Maggie McNeice was the guest of Mrs. John Carson one day last week.

Miss Ella Gadd was the guest of Miss Jessie Marshall for a few days last week.

The Toronto Globe of Friday week says:—There is good reason for believing that Hon. J. R. Stratton contemplates the introduction of an important reform in connection with the License Department. The change in question is to appoint the license inspectors from year to year instead of an indefinite period, as is the case at present. The license commissioners throughout the province are chosen annually, and it is thought the application of the same method of appointment to license inspectors would permit of the choice of more efficient officers, and give a better enforcement of the law. It is stated that before long other license inspectors in addition to the two Toronto officers will receive notice that their services are no longer required. The Provincial Secretary is said to hold the view that the services needs a shaking up in some quarters, and that there are a number of inspectors whom it would be of great advantage to the service to replace by other men. Messrs. Wilson and Dexter, of Toronto, will not cease to be in the government employ until December 31st.

That Cutting Acid that arises from the stomach and almost strangles, is caused by fermentation of the food in the stomach. It is a foretaste of indigestion and dyspepsia. Take one of Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets immediately after eating, and it will prevent this distress and aid digestion. 60 in a box, 35 cents.—16

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Inspector Joseph Rodgers, of the Attorney-General's Department, has returned to Toronto from a trip with several other officers through the province. They were in search for tramps but the tour was fruitless, for not a single hobo was captured. A year ago Detective Rogers went out and raked in a large number of tramps and succeeded in having them sent to jail for vagrancy. All other tramps that were in the province took warning and escaped. The farmers report that they have experienced little trouble this season with tramps and their cellars and hen coops have not been molested. The railway employes have not been bothered either by these travelling gents. Many a crew has been held up for a ride by a dozen tramps in years gone by but none this season. Towns and villages also say they have never seen so few tramps.

Generally the magistrates have carried out the aims of the Attorney-General's department in sending to jail any tramp brought before them. As a result of this there has been fewer burglaries in the province than ever before, while on the other side they have been more numerous, leading to the belief that the tramps that infested Canada in the past seasons, are now doing business in Uncle Sam's territory.

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Halifax, N. S. Nov. 14.—Battery Sergeant-Major Edwards, Royal Artillery, shot himself this morning. When the carriage arrived at the door of the quarters to take him to church he was found dead, having shot himself through the heart. The girl was handsome and two sought her hand. The young lady is Miss Cassie Allan. She was waiting at the altar of Trinity church for Edwards when the news by special messengers came that he had committed suicide in the Citadel barracks. The bride fainted in the clergyman's arms. The news soon reached the ears of the large number present, and an exciting scene ensued. Last night the news of Edward's intended marriage was read at the mess by another sergeant, and the others laughed, whereupon Edwards struck the other sergeant, knocking him down and the officer in charge was called in.

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Of Interest to Farmers.

Mr. G. C. Creelman, Superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, has just completed arrangements for the holding of over 700 meetings during the coming months of December, January and February. All the delegates who have been appointed to address the various Institutes are practical men who have studied closely the subjects they are advertised to discuss.

Besides the regular topics there are three special subjects that will receive attention this winter and the following instructions have been issued to the delegates by the Superintendent:—

"First winter, at the request of the Prov. Minister of Agriculture, the 'Bacon Hog' was discussed at all our meetings. The wisdom of this course is already manifesting itself. A better class of hogs are being offered for sale this fall than ever before. The Report of the Livestock for the Province states that for the first time the bacon breeds lead in the number of thoroughbred animals registered and we are receiving enquiries from all parts of the Province in reference to the breeding, feeding and raising of this class of animals. It is likely, therefore, that this subject will come up for discussion again at many of our meetings this winter. Our duty does not lie along the line of advising farmers to take up hog raising as a business, but rather to assist those who are already pork producers to raise and put on the market a better article than they have done heretofore. We have not a home market now for thick fat pork and we cannot successfully compete with the Americans in their market so long as they have cheap corn with which to feed their hogs. Bacon, therefore, must be our principle product and the kindly reception which our Canadian 'Wildshire Sides' have been accorded on the British market is sufficient to justify us in recommending the farmers to breed to the bacon type. Much has already been done to our progressive swine breeders to improve the bacon classes and it was a notable feature at our fall fairs this year that in all classes of hogs there were longer individual animals and the judges gave the highest premiums to those animals that showed the least indication of carrying superfluous fat.

The subject of cold storage for farm produce will be discussed at our meetings. You must be prepared to discuss this question. New laws have been passed in Ontario relating to this subject and these you should familiarize yourself with. I have already sent you the latest published information and the method and cost of construction of such a plant at a moderate price for the average Canadian farmer. When we assemble in Guelph at the time of the Experimental Union and the Provincial Winter Fair, it is expected that an expert will be there to address you on this topic and we hope also to have a cold storage plant there at that time for practical demonstration.

Another industry that is deserving of more attention than it receives, and which the Hon. Minister of Agriculture is anxious to promote, is that of Poultry Raising and Fattening for the Home and Foreign Markets. I am arranging for a series of special poultry meetings in connection with our regular and supplementary meetings, but the number of farmers who will attend these district meetings must of necessity be limited and I request that you acquaint yourself with what has been done and is being done in this country to promote this industry. Special instruction on poultry matters will also be furnished at the Winter Fair and you will there obtain practical hints and information that should be useful to you in your winter meetings."

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"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her good and sore lungs would collapse. Weak doctors said she was so far gone with consumption that no medicine or oratory help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at all druggists. Trial bottles free.

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A fellow came from a town up north to find work. He became intoxicated two days after his arrival and wound up in the court. He was allowed to go with the injunction to come back and go to jail for the winter. We were struck with the clear, sure and intelligent manner in which some of the magistrates testify in a charge against one of their number with breaking for liberty. It is astonishing how so many people, with more than average intelligence, go wrong—And then there was an exhibition of a mother's intelligence and love for a boy. She did not wish him "sent down" for getting drunk and breaking windows. He'll get work again soon and be all right. And so day after day punishment is handed out in a business-like manner, and the majority of them take it in the same way.

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