

CONTRACTS LET FOR COUNTY BRIDGES

(Continued from page 1) \$14,000.00 and the Neustadt bridge which is a lot higher and considerably longer span, will likely run up to \$18,000.00.

No Paving for Hanover

In conversation with members of the committee while in town, the people asked about the proposed paving program for Hanover this year, quoting the Hanover Post as authority for the statement that the county council intended to start paving this year. According to the Post, a motion by Holm and Calder, at the meeting held there on Monday last week, and carried by the committee, "the meeting went on as if recommending that the county council make a start in paving this year." This, according to the committee here on Monday, is not right. The County Council does not favor paving this year at all, but the matter will likely be taken up by the Council at its session, commencing next week.

The committee was not in favor of the adventures for paving, especially this year, when extra heavy taxes face them, and in this year, they were backed up by S. L. Squires, the Deputy Minister of Highways.

As far as the County Good Roads committee stand, they will oppose paving program for Hanover this year, as were Hanover to be paved this, then other towns and villages in the county would be expected to like treatment, and the county finances will not permit of a program this year at least.

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DURHAM HIGH SCHOOL

The School is thoroughly equipped to take up the following courses: 1. Junior Matriculation, 2. Entrance to Normal School, 3. Member of the Staff is a University Graduate and experienced teacher. Pupils should prepare to begin at beginning of term. Information as to Courses may be obtained from the Principal. The School has a creditable record in the past which it hopes to maintain in the future. The school is an attractive and comfortable town, and good accommodations can be obtained at reasonable rates.

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INSTITUTE BRANCHES WELL REPRESENTED AT DISTRICT MEETING

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Miss Ethel M. Chapman, assistant superintendent of Institutes, was the speaker of the day. Miss Chapman said it was not the biggest things that counted the most but the details. What the Institute had done and what it meant to the thousands of women meant a lot. A woman who never goes out anywhere, and you think, oh, there's no use asking her, she won't come, is the one to go right after. Show her she is needed, how she can help, and she will surprise herself what hidden talents lie undeveloped. In securing convenors for the different projects, select the woman who is best fitted and most interested in the particular subject. One woman is always a little better in one line than another. Discuss sidelines for girls and provide help, perhaps in poultry, bee keeping, etc. Arrange a poultry culling demonstration where someone will be sent from Guelph, who will demonstrate the good and bad points in your pullets, and you will discover which will be the best producers.

Home Beautification

Another committee may be formed on "Home Beautification." Have an open meeting with illustrated lecture and slides, and get everyone interested in beautifying their surroundings. Make the young people so proud of their home that they will not want to leave and let it go into other hands. Provide home comforts. We can provide wholesome entertainment for ourselves. Make corn roasts or similar recreation. The radio may bring wonderful music to the music lover, but if it takes the whole evening and no practice is got in, where are our musicians of tomorrow coming from?

Miss Chapman advanced the idea of a "Better School Night." Have a special evening. Get someone to explain to the parents the education in the new subjects taken up in the school. Have the parents understand and not deem the subjects "fads." If some new equipment is advocated, get someone responsible to figure the cost. How much of the amount would be made up in grants? What amount would really be the share on each assessment of one hundred acres? Sometimes when an improvement is thus figured out, the ratepayers will see how little it would advance their taxes.

In a little story, Miss Chapman told how an Institute had "worked" one school board. One man in particular was hard to impress. The local Institute had a "Better School night," had a supper, invited the "notables" of the district, and asked different ones to speak. They then went to this particular speaker, persuaded him to speak on "What the Institutes Can Do to Help the School." Of course to give a speech, he had to say something. The speaker told ways how the Institute could help, and all went well.

Durham Library Complimented

Miss Chapman, before the afternoon session began, was looking over the books in the library, and in her talk, remarked the good selection to be found there. She said she didn't think she had ever come across so excellent a junior section in a library before. She thought with such a good selection of books for children to choose from, the taste for good literature was early developed. Some libraries, Miss Chapman said, have started a Canadian book shelf, selecting the best of Canadian books.

Another department worth considering was the Health Work. Miss Chapman said the mother must learn to look after her own health as well as the health of every other member of the household. In speaking of the short courses offered, she thought the nursing course the most fundamental.

Then in legal matters, the average woman needs more enlightenment. The speaker advised securing a copy of Mrs. Lang's book on legal matters and have one woman read the book and take fifteen minutes at each meeting to explain the different phases, as investments, business principles, mothers' allowances, and in the matter of making wills. If a wife, in the majority of cases, advanced the idea to her husband of making a will, he as a general rule, is very much "put out" at the suggestion. A mother needs the financial aid much more while raising her children than she does after they are twenty-one and able to do for themselves. Making a will doesn't make you die any earlier.

Another work, Miss Chapman advised to be taken up in the meetings was "Historical Research." Quebec has saved its silk loom. At the grandmothers' meeting, Miss Chapman suggested that the oldest grandmothers tell of some of their earliest experiences; the school they attended, their parties, and so forth. An old settlers' picnic would be an enjoyable affair for some of the older people. The speaker told of a picnic every year in Toronto at which men over eighty gather and relate experiences of early days.

Miss Chapman urged music in the homes. Make home a joyous place to be and quoted Edgar Guest's poem on "What Home's Intended For." The speaker said that "Home-making" is a thing that is worth "doing well." Miss Chapman is an interesting speaker and has a pleasant disposition.

Old Officers Re-elected

The Nominating Committee brought in their report favoring the return to office of last year's officers: President, Miss Sara L. Jamieson, Hanover; First Vice-President, Mrs. S. Patterson, Durham; Second Vice-President, Mrs. W. H. Rogers, Holstein; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. J. S. McIlraith, Durham; Auditors, Miss



ROYAL PRINCE TO VISIT CANADA

Crown Prince Gustav Adolphus of Sweden, now on his way to Washington, where he is to unveil the John Erickson Memorial, and thereafter make a tour of Canada and the United States.

M. McGirr and Miss Elizabeth Scott, Durham; Representative to County Convention, Mrs. W. H. Rogers, Holstein; Representative to Provincial Convention, Mrs. R. H. Fortune, Ayrton.

At this point of the programme, the Sewing Class entered. Durham has the largest class of little girls in the province, out of sixty garment making clubs organized.

The Children's Meeting

These little girls conducted a meeting with the Institute as an audience, and everyone was delighted with the excellent way the whole meeting was conducted. Miss Elizabeth Harding, the president, occupied the chair and deserves much credit on the able way she handled the position. The secretary is Miss Evelyn Baird, and the Treasurer, Anna Ritchie. The meeting was opened with "It Isn't Any Trouble Just to S-m-i-l-e." The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted, the business was dealt with, arrangements were made for the holding of a picnic, the treasurer's report given, which showed a creditable balance, and all through the meeting was carried on quite businesslike. Miss Garrig Mitchell gave an address outlining their work. Misses Marjorie Noble and Dorothy Douglas sang a pleasing duet. Certificates of Achievement were presented to the winners by Miss Chapman, who congratulated the girls on the excellent work done. The work was on exhibition and was much admired.

Those receiving primary certificates were: Annie Campbell, Alma Kress, Gertrude Glass, Pearl Falkingham, Elsie Ledingham, Mary Pickering, Janet Watson, Elsie Hunter, Mary Levi, Jean McLean, Jean Grant, Audrey Bell, Ina McDonald, Marjorie Noble, Clara Traynor, Hazel Moore, Freda Ritchie, Louise Jamieson, Ada Holmes, Isobel Henderson, Betty Henderson. The winners of the second year were: Alice Nicholson, Josie Falconer, A. McLean, Islay Allan, Isabel Jamieson, Norma Allan, Mary Moffat, Dorothy Douglas, Dorothy Pickering, Anna Ritchie, Evelyn Baird, Elizabeth Harding, Violet McLean.

Mrs. Harding was called, and in a few words spoke of the eagerness she found among the children to learn the sewing.

Dinner and supper were served in the basement of the library. Following is the report of the session of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario held at Toronto last Easter and read to the meeting by the South Grey District Secretary, Mrs. J. S. McIlraith. The report was written by the Grey and Dufferin representative, Mrs. Sidney Banks of Shelburne, who was unavoidably absent from the meeting here:

Federated Women's Institutes

The Board of Directors of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario held their spring sessions in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto, April 6 and 7.

Much of the first session was spent in routine business, discussion of Institute finances, amendments to the constitution and necessary changes in the management of the Four Fall Conventions to be held in North Bay, Ottawa, London and Toronto.

Directors from Northern Ontario brought to the attention of the Board that many of the newly opened up portions of Ontario were for five months in the year without medical help of any kind. The nearest doctor in many cases was forty or fifty miles away, and during the inclemency of the northern winter, they could not be reached by those in need. Acting on the suggestion of these directors, the Board interviewed Dr. Bell of the Department of Health, asking that the government subsidize doctors in those parts

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Glenelg Council

Council met at Township Hall on Saturday, June 5th, for regular business. The members were all present, the Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The following accounts were paid: John McKechnie, appropriation account, Ward No. 2, \$25.07; William Matthews, refund of dog tax 1925 (error) \$2.00; Cunningham Moore, on salary as Assessor \$75.00; H. H. MacDonald, on salary as Clerk \$75; Municipal World's supplies \$4.00; Canada Ingot Iron Company, for one No. 2 Road Grader, \$150.00.

Brodie-Aljoe: That the Taxes of this Township be collected through the Bank for 1926 instead of by appointing collectors for the various wards as in former years. Carried.

The Council then adjourned and organized as a Court of Revision, each member having taken his oath as member of said court. The Reeve was appointed to the chair. The following appeals were disposed of: J. Armstrong, 106 and 107 T. R., reduced \$100.00; John Wood, 110, 2 T. R., assessment sustained; Dr. Campbell and T. H. Roburn, 65-2, T. R., reduced \$100.00; John Ritchie, lot 13, concession 12, assessment sustained; John E. McGillivray, lots 17 and 18, concessions 3, N. D. R., assessment sustained; Gordon Goldies part 58, 2 E. G. R., reduced \$100.00; William Thompson, part 58, 2 E. G. A., reduced \$75.00; J. G. Wilson, part 59, 2 E. G. R., assessment sustained; Mrs. Jane McCannel, part 58, 2 E. G. R., reduced \$50.00; Mary McGrade of 11, concession 8, assessment sustained; Colin McLean, lot 34, concession 1, N. D. R., reduced \$100.00 on buildings; Margaret McGill, lot 22, concession 3, S. D. R., reduced \$50.

The court adjourned to June 21 at 2 o'clock p.m.

—H. H. MacDONALD, Clerk.

SACRAMENT SUNDAY, JUNE 20

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held by the Presbyterian congregation a week from Sunday, June 20, with preparatory service on Friday, the 18th, at which the Rev. Mr. McKay of Walkerton will preach.

In touch with the Institutes, believing that by so doing, these women who are mainly victims of circumstances, will be placed in positions to help themselves.

The sessions closed by reports of the committees on Historical Resource, Prohibition, Education, Emigration, Social Service, etc.

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CARD OF THANKS

C. H. Darling, brothers and sisters, wish to convey to the many friends and neighbors their thanks for the sympathy and kindness shown during their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

Past.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Anthony James Pust, who departed this life at Christie Street Hospital, Toronto, June 5, 1925.

We shall meet in yonder city Where the towers of crystal shine, Where the walls are all of Jasper Built by workmanship divine. Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters.

ENGAGEMENT

The engagement is announced of Miss Ellen Elizabeth (Eleanor), only daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Swallow of Transcona, Man., formerly of Durham, to Mr. George Glenn James, son of Mr. David James of South Transcona. The wedding will take place the early part of July.

SPIRELLA SALE

DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE OUR complete stock of Spirella Goods will go on sale at Reduced Prices. Ladies will do well to come in and be fitted.—Mrs. J. C. Nichol, Spirella Parlors, 6-10 1

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GARDEN PARTY AT PRICEVILLE

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Columba United Church, Priceville, are planning to hold a Garden Party on the school grounds, Priceville, on Friday, June 25. Watch for further particulars as to program.

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