Thursday, Novemb

W. J. JASPER DIED IN BRANDON HOSPITAL

Visited Here on Several Occasions Some Years Ago and Was Well Known in Edge Hill Vicinity. Brother of the Late Mrs. Daniel Greenwood.

The following account of the death of Mr. W. J. Jasper of the Hartney district in Manitoba is taken from the Hartney Manitoba, Star. Mr. Jasper was well known in this district several years ago, and was on several occasions a visitor with his sister, the late Mrs. Daniel Grenwood. The Star says in part:

William John Jasper, a pioneer resident of Hartney district, died at the Brandon Hospital on Tuesday, October 26th in his 60th year, after an illness of three weeks, death resulting from blood poisoning from an infected boil.

The late Mr. Jasper was born in Almonte, Ont. and came west with his parents in 1883, arriving in Hartney on May 23rd of that year. For a number of years he farmed with his father, the late Richard Jasper, eventually hamesteading on the land occupied even since as his home. In 1892 he married Miss Agnes Bates, of Norwich, Ont., who with a famliy of three daughters and five sons are left to mourn the loss of a loving husband and fa-

For a number of years he represented his ward on Sifton Council, and also occupied the presidents chair on the Hartney Agricultural Society's Board, being director of that institution for many years. He was secretary-treasurer of Mentieth school board from its inception, and after the Deleau Consolidated school was formed he assumed similar duties on the new board. For many years he was secretary of the Hartney Old Timers' association, and in that capacity kept in touch with all who had been residents of the distriet but had moved to other parts. In the United Farmers' movement he took an active part and was president of the local organization, and since 1901 he was a member of the official board of the Methedist church, and when the United Church was formed he was the first elder elected to the session of the new organization and at the time of his death was clerk of the session.

The funeral service on Thursday October 28th in Hartney Town Hall, was very largely attended. The service was in charge of the local Masonic Lodge, of which Mr. Jasper had been a member for a number of years. Rev. Arthur Lavender, pastor of the United Church conducted the service and was assisted by Rev. Boyle of St. Paul's. In a short eulogistic address, Mr. Lavender spoke of the fine characteristics of the deceased, his modest unassuming manner, his willingness to help out in the furtherance of community enterprise; and his manly Christian character.

ROADS COMMITTEE REPORTS BIG WORK DONE IN SEASON

Both Road and Bridge and County Good Roads Bodies Built Bridges

The presentation of the reports of several of the standing committees of the County Council occupied but a comparatively short time at the session on Friday afternoon, as there was very little of importance dealt with in any of them.

Reeve Buchanan presented the report of the Finance committee, recommending the payment of a number of accounts to a number of hospitals for the care of indigent pa-

There was a little discussion regarding these accounts, as some of them had not been properly vouched for, but the information was soon forthcoming, and the report

No action was taken with respect Your Committee would recom- received. ren's Hospital of London for a this effect. grant.

ed that three bridges had been con- traffic. line of Keppel and Sarawak, \$1,353 .- utment on the North side complet- of town. Rev. Asher P. Latter, oc-56; bridge at Ireland's, Keppel and ed, but nothing done on the South cupied the chair. Sarawak, \$170.30; and McGregor's abutment, owing to high water. bridge, Sullivan and Bentinck, \$1,- Your Committee inspected the wood, Mr. Latter will conduct the

line of Grey and Purham, townline floor. This bridge is now open for M. Morrow, M.A., Ph. D., his sucof Artemesia and Melancthon, was traffic. built by the county of Dufferin, Your Committee inspected the November 28. costing \$796.85, of which Grey Thornbury bridge and found the county's share is \$398.43, which a- abutments completed. The steel for mount was recommended for pay- this bridge will soon be shipped. ment. A large number of smaller accounts were recommended, and the RE-OPENING SERVICES AT entire report was adopted.

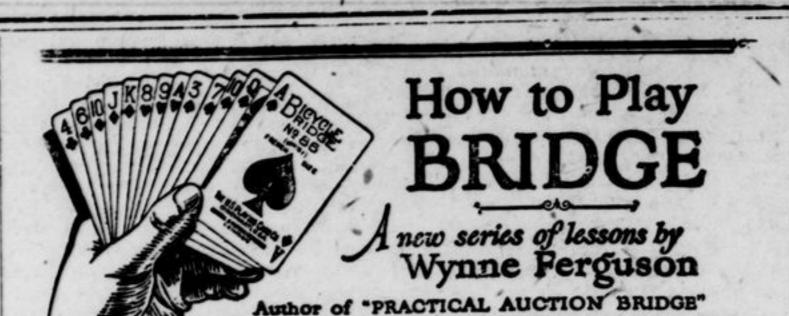
The County Property committee also recommended the payment of a The Lamlash Church having been number of accounts. The report thoroughly renovated and beauti- am ob no consequence.

fied, was re-opened on Sunday of The County Roads committee pre- last week. The greatest credit is sented the following report, which due the committee and co-workers was adopted without discussion: for the wonderful transformation.

A Comittee consisting of the Su- This is now one of the most tasteperintendent, County Engineer and ful and well-equipped of country the Chairman of these Committees churches. Come and see it. Eloopened tenders in Hanover for the quent and forceful sermons were abutments of Hanover bridge. The preached by Rev. R. A. Facey, of lowest was from E. Schickler of Mount Forest, a former pastor, Mildmay, for \$3,066.00 and was ac- morning and evening, and Rev. E. D.

Becker of this town. The local tal-Your Committee would recom- ent had charge of the music, mornmend that no action be taken in ing and evening, while the splenmaking an appointment as traffic did choir of Trinity United Church had this place of honor in the afterofficer for County Roads.

Your committee recommended noon. The services of the day were that no change be made in the de- of a very high order. Large consignation of County roads in Egre- gregations assembled at each ser-



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Diamonds - none

Spades - A, K, Q, J, 2

ARTICLE No. 4

One of the most interesting hands that the writer has come across in a long time was submitted recently, with the request that the proper bidding of all four hands be given. It is as follows:

Hearts - 9 Clubs - none Diamonds - A, K, Q, J, 9, 8, 7, 5, 4, 3 Spades — 10, 7 Hearts-A, K, J, 10, 8, 7, 3, 2 Hearts — Q Clubs — A, K, Q, J, 8, 7, 6 Clubs - 3, 2 Diamonds - 6, 2

Spades — 9

Answer to Problem No. 3

: Y :

: A B:

: 2 :

Spades — A, K, J, 10, 7, 5, 4, 2

idding is not recommended, but is

ven as an interesting example of a

lever departure from normal bidding.

Answer to Problem No. 4

Spades - K, Q, 10, 9, 8, 6, 3

: Y :

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid

one no-trump, A passed, Y bid two spades and B passed. Z bid two no-trump

and A passed. What should Y now bid?

Y should bid three spades. Z's bid of two no-trump should inform Y that Z

has only two little spades or a singleton,

but that he has high cards in the other

Hearts - Q, 10, 4

Clubs - 10, 5

Diamonds — A

Clubs - 7, 4

Diamonds -- 9, 8

Hearts - 6, 5, 4 Clubs - 10, 9, 5, 4 Diamonds - 10 Spades - 8, 6, 5, 4, 3

No score, first game. Z deals and passes. | bid four diamonds, was doubled and What is A's proper bid and the natural lost 500 points - a pretty severe penalcontinuation of the bidding? A should ty for such bad bidding. bid one club but with the firm intention of bidding spades on the next round if the opportunity is offered. It is apparently a freak hand all around and if A finds five spades in an opponent's hand and is ruffed in diamonds at once, he may not be able to make game. For that reason, one club seems the better opening bid with A's hand than one spade. When A bids one club, Y is in a any information about hearts or spades so should bid five diamonds. B is in a position where he can safely bid five hand? When Z looked his hand over, position where he wants to shut out hearts because of A's bid of one club, he thought to himself, "I can make two showing tops in that suit. Z must pass or three spades with this hand but no and A is confronted with the problem of bidding six clubs, five spades or passing. Either bid is sound but the pass seems the better judgment. Next to passing, six clubs is the best bid. What-

ever A does, Y should bid six diamonds.
The bidding should indicate to him the spade strength and endeavoring to that A-B have an overwhelming hand make my opponents think I have an and it is up to him to save the game, if entirely different type of hand." With possible, at the expense of not more this idea in view, Z opened the bidding than 200 points less his honor score. B with one heart, A bid one no-trump, Y should now bid six hearts to show A bid two hearts and B bid two no-trump. that the five heart bid was sound. Z Z wasn't in a position to pass and try and A should now pass and Y, in the to defeat the two no-trump bid for his writer's opinion, should bid seven diamonds. His maximum loss is 300 points therefore, bid three spades, hoping that less 80 honors, or a net loss of 220 A-B would not overbid him. As a matpoints. He also has the chance that if ter of fact, they doubled and here's A-B overbid with seven in hearts that where Z was lucky. His partner also he and his partner may be able to take a trick. B should double seven diamonds the ace and only three spades to the and Z should pass. With A's hand, the writer would also pass. The double of and figured that Z must be trying some seven diamonds is a certain profit and stunt or he wouldn't bid three spades the bid of seven hearts is doubtful. Al- over two no-trump, after he helped the ways play the certainty in this position. heart bid, unless Z had a very good As the cards lie, a bid of seven hearts reason, so he mested Z and passed. could be defeated by one trick if Z Y-Z just made three spades doubled, would open a club. It is a foregone con- whereas A-B had five odd either in clusion that either A or B is void of clubs or in diamonds. Z's trick bid in diamonds and the fact that Z has four this case was well thought out and well clubs and the knowledge that there are supported by his partner. Such trick other void suits around the table would influence a sharp player to open clubs. With any other opening, A-B would make seven hearts. A-B can also make

The test hands given in the preceding article caused a wide difference of opinion, so don't be disappointed if your

seven clubs with any opening so that

Y's bid of seven diamonds was a good

analysis varies from the writer's. Answer to Problem No. 2

> A B : Z : Hearts - 7 Clubs - 8, 4

three suits. With Y's length in spades Spades - J, 10, 4, 3 Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid and such an unbalanced hand, he should one diamond. A bid two clubs, Y passed and B bid four clubs. What should Z spades than in no-trump. The object of all sound bidding is to get the best bid wasn't even able to bid two diamonds over two clubs so must have a pretty weak hand. If Z bids four diamonds, he is sure to get doubled and lose at least rebidding your suit, don't hesitate to 400 points. In the actual game, Z did do so.

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mont and Proton.

Diamonds - A, K, Q, 7, 6, 2

|vice. Liberal thank-offerings were

to the presentation of the Grand mend that the County place signs | On Monday evening notwithstand-Jury, and it was received and filed; at all Railway Crossings on County ing the unfavorable weather, a large the same fate was handed to the re- Roads in Grey County and that the number assembled and were dequest of the War Memorial Child- clerk notify the Railway Board to lighted with a splendid program presented by home talent, and Mr. and Your Committee inspected the Mrs. Padfield, Mr. and Mrs. McDon-The second report of the Road Neustadt bridge and found it com- ald, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Clements of and bridge committee was present-, pleted with the exception of the Durham. Complimentary and ined by Reeve Weir. The report stat- floor. This bridge is now open for spirational addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Young, of Elmwood and structed during the summer Your Committee inspected the Rev. Mr. Facey, of Mount Forest, and months: Indian River Bridge, town- Hanover bridge and found the ab- Messrs. Richardson and Dr. Staples

Owing to his early removal to Oak-Durham Bridge and found it com- service in Lamlash church for the - The Cornett bridge on the County pleted with the exception of the last time on Sunday next. Rev. E. cessor, will preach there on Sunday

Which am the usefulest, Ebon, de sup or de moon ?" "Why, de moon, of course."

"How come de moon ?" "Kose de moon, he shine in de night when we need de light, but de sun, he shine in de day when light

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Former Premier Says Present Prime Minister Has High Sense of Public Duty.

"The Ontario Temperance Act could never have been enacted had it not been for the whole-hearted support, able assistance and active County "White Elephant" Passes Co-operation of Mr. Freguson," says Sir William Hurst. In a letter published in The Globe, Sir William

Hurst's Defeat, quotes the Rev. J. Grey County Council on Friday af-W. Lowry, Prohibition candidate in ternoon, acting on the report of the intention to spend considerable St. George Riding, as making the special comittee appointed early in money on it the first year. Sherbourne Street United Church: Lembke, of Sullivan, and Reeve been made, it was agreed that the following statement at a meeting in the year, and composed of Reeve "The man who assassinated Sir Pringle, of Keppel.

ence to the Prime Minister of this accepted. great Christian Province so uncharjable and undignified, and so absolutely without foundation in fact.

"Charge Unfair

"The charge, however, is so unfair and so false that it is my duty to contradict it without delay. No Prime Minister ever had a more loyal and faithful colleague than I had in Mr. Ferguson. No man ever fought a harder or more unselfish fight for a leader than Mr. Ferguson fought for me in 1919. Not only his loyal support, politically, but his many personal acts of kindness during the trying campaign of 1919 will ever be remembered by me.

"I have known Mr. Ferguson intimately for many years, and know him to be an honorable and upright gentleman, a patriotic citizen, a loyal colleague and a true friend.

Gave Support

"May I add that the Ontario Temperance Act should never have been enacted, had it not been for the wholehearted support. able assistance and active co-optration of Mr. Ferguson. Prior to the session of 1916, while I was ill in bed and unable to attend to my public duties, he was busy drafting the act and laying plans to insure its enact-

"I know Mr. Ferguson as I know few other men, and I am proud to call him my friend. He is a man with a high sense of public duty and a sincere and earnest desire to advance the moral welfare of the Province and help his fellow-man. "It would be base ingratitude on

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lenged so unwarranted a charge whole, and while the majority of with reference toward me of one I the members thought it best to get ever found a loyal colleague, and a rid of the property at aimos any true friend. Particularly when such price, others thought the price was charge is reported to have been too low. made in a church of which I have the honor to be a humble member."

Into Hands of Sheriff Wilson

William Hurst, politically and every In their report they stated that suggestions, and have it ratified by other way, was the honorable, or they had advertised the property, the council. On this understanding dishonorable G. Howard Ferguson. but had received only one offer, that the report was parsed without fur-"The Star must surely have done of Sheriff J. S. Wilson., who bid the ther opposition. the Rev. Mr. Lowry an injustice. I sum of \$1,100, to be paid all or in know Mr. Lowry and nothing short part by January 1, 1928, with inter- Wireless was first referred to of positive proof will convince me est at 5 1-2 per cer. The commit- when Adam exchanged a spare part that he used language with refer- tee recommended that this offer be for a loud speaker .- Punch.

my part if I permitted to go unchal- council going into committee

Reeve Lembke pointed out that several previous attempts had been made to dispose of the property, but without success, that the county was paying \$100 a year taxes, with the house deteriorating every year, and the committee considered the

offer a very fair one. Reeve G. A. Bothwell was of the opinion that the report should have contained a clause dealing with the What has been considered for a question of improving the property number of years as a white ele- during the coming year, if only to "The Toronto Star, in its issue of phant, the building situated on the the extent of \$100, and Reeve Lembke Saturday, 20th inst., under the head- east hill and known as the old child- stated that the reason the puring 'Blames G. H. Ferguson for ren's shelter, was disposed of by the thing down at the part any

After many other suggestions had ment drawn up covering the various

A long discussion followed, the Read the Classified Ads. on Page 7

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