

Gleneig and Priceville
(Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. Editor.—We are again reminded of the passing of time and this January the 11th day, 1927 is a new born babe only 41 days old. What is still before it is twelve months old no one can tell. The babe will be trying to walk, then, while the funeral procession of 1927 will be a thing of the past. There will be many obstacles in the path of the weary traveller during the intervening months and days of the present year. Many who enjoyed a New Year's feast with friends at the beginning of 1927 probably will be sadly missed at the closing of its existence. We take you back 50, 60 or 70 years ago, Mr. Editor, and take an imaginary observation of what transpired during these long years and compare the manner of living with the present. The home-made suit from the wool of the sheep and spun by the good mothers, often to 12 o'clock at night, so as to have it made by New Year's; the wearer felt as proud as if it were the greatest suit manufactured in the latest style and quality.

The election is over for another year. Gleneig has two new members, Messrs. Whitmore and Weppier. The whole bunch, with the exception of Mr. Weppier, were born and reared in the township, and they should know every nook that needs fixing and every stone that pinches the traveller wearing thin shippers in June of July. But we ask to be excused. There is very little foot travelling these days. The old buggy is laid aside and the big-wheeled car is used instead.

Gleneig had the honor of having four of its reeves Warden, namely, James Edge, Charles Moffat Sr., Geo. Binnie and Finlay. We hope that the time is at hand to have Reeve Weir elected this year. In the year 1858 Gleneig consisted of all its members Highland Scotch, viz. John Black, Reeve, uncle of the late Councillor John Black and cousin of Mr. John S. Black, the late Clerk and Arch. Black; Neil McCannell Sr.; John Butter, uncle of A. B. McLellan, and Allan Cameron, all good Gaelic speakers. But we cannot vouch for the minutes were taken in Gaelic, as the Clerk was a Highlander, a Mr. McIntyre, and his Gaelic was better than his English.

As the Highlanders in general are not a selfish class of people they in a future year gave their good friends the natives of Ireland the benefit of returning to them the compliment by having such good officers as the late James Edge, Reeve, John A. Lampey, Deputy Reeve, and Wm. Morrison, John Travers and Francis Walker, Councillors. All these good old-timers have passed away many years ago.

Now, Mr. Editor, as we are aware that you have a close connection with the Highland Scotch we are assured that you will not criticize their manner of having the proceedings of the first meeting held in the old Section No. 2, Durham Road, in our old home. The meeting was conducted in Gaelic, as the old house was full. The chairman put all the motions in Gaelic and as all had good memories, they carried the minutes in their heads. In years gone by this humble school building was used as a sort of small college when the late Arch. McLellan was teacher in 1863. Such teachers who failed put in six months under the faithful training of Mr. McLellan. They were John and David Alan and Samuel Queen, all of Egremont, and William Campbell of Dornoch. The teacher and the three from Egremont have passed away, but we believe that Mr. Campbell is living yet, a resident of the town of Chesley. The whole of them passed their examinations at Owen Sound in July and went back to their teaching profession rejoicing. Mr. McLellan was a good first-class teacher and had a good manner of delivery.

Priceville has a history of its own. At one time there were no less than six denominations: two Presbyterian, one Methodist, one Baptist, one Catholic and one Disciple church. Now there is only one church, St. Columba, and the determined old Presbyterians in the McKinnon hall, who did not see anything wrong with the religion of their fathers.

Consequently, the split made by Union. The Presbyterians are strong in numbers in the hall and are supplied by students all winter on account of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Sutherland not feeling well. But hopes are that he will be able to resume his pastorate in the early spring. The Unionists have a good congregation also, and good services by Pastor McCormack. It is said a house divided against itself cannot stand. So Union caused the proof of this saying by members of one family differing from one another.

Those who visited friends at Christmas and New Years are all back again. Mrs. McCannell and Miss Geddes of Lamton St., who visited friends in Toronto are home again and had a good time in the Queen city.

Mrs. John McEachern of the South Line, Gleneig was operated on for appendicitis by Dr. B. Jamieson in Durham Hospital and we are pleased to hear she is getting along well.

Teamsters are making good use of the good sleighing by hauling lumber, wood and other stuff such as sawlogs.

Cutting wood with the buzz saw is the general work, also, while some are chumming it by working in company cutting poles, as the large timber is getting scarce.

Our mail man on the Edge Hill Route. Mr. Albert Livingstone makes good time, coming past our residence every morning at 10 o'clock.

Miss Beaton, the young teacher in S.S. No. 3, Edge Hill is getting along well. Mrs. Allan down concession A. Gleneig, drives her two scholars to the corner on Con. 3. E. G. R. every morning, coming two miles

from the east and another mile to the north, making a total of three long miles to the school. Mrs. Allan is a dutiful mother who deserves credit in doing her part in educating the family.

Wishing the editor and staff a happy and prosperous New Year.

Mulock
(Our Own Correspondent)

The obituary of the late Mr. William Brown appeared in last week's Chronicle, the funeral service being held over almost a week to permit members of the family from California and Oregon being present. Friends and neighbors from near and far came to pay their last tribute of respect to one who was so highly esteemed in the community, being a lifelong resident of Bentinck Township. Services were held in the home at his late residence near Ebenezer, conducted by Rev. H. Crickington of Mulock and Rev. C. Harris of Hanover, who gave appropriate and impressive discourses.

The floral tributes consisted of a Gales Agar from the family and pillows, wreaths and sprays from the following: Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Mulock; Mr. and Mrs. W. Jacklin, Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. W. Athens, Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. E. Kress, Durham; Mr. and Mrs. R. Brunt, Hanover; the Ladies Aid, Mulock.

The remains were taken to the Durham cemetery and laid beside those of his son, the late James Brunt, the latter being a dweller for the last 18 years in the house not made with hands.

The pall bearers were Messrs. George Brown, M. Jacklin, Joseph Reay, William Reay, William Backus, William Adlam, George Alexander and James Hopkins.

Deep, heartfelt sympathy goes out from all friends to the bereaved family and grief-stricken wife, brothers and sisters. There are also a large number of grandchildren who will miss "Grandpa."

Only the God of all comfort, the Father of all mercies, can sustain and strengthen and give consolation.

Corner Concerns
(Our Own Correspondent)

Master Irwin Matthews returned to Paisley last Tuesday to resume his duties at the High School.

Mr. John Wood was so unfortunate last week as to lose one of his well matched team which means a heavy loss.

Mrs. James Barbour of Mount Forest vicinity spent a few days last week visiting the Barbour and Lennox families.

Mrs. Mary Grady had a very successful wood bee on Friday and dance at night which gave enjoyment to the youth and beauty of the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baird of North Dakota are visiting old friends and relatives in this part. They were both of Egremont in their youth in fact up to the time of their marriage, and were amongst the bright spirits of those days.

There was a marred folk dance held in Russel Hall, Dromore on Friday night for the old time dancers to revive the memories of the old time dances such as Scotch reels, eight hand reels, strip the willow, nine pin quadrilles, Fatinella, and the reel and loe and compare them with the present day dances such as the Charleston, fox trot, bunny-hug and Toronto Globe waltz. A number from this neighborhood were present and enjoyed it very much.

Mr. Wm. Woods was so unfortunate as to break his arm while cranking his car a week ago. It was a coincident for the two brothers to break their arms in the same way with so short a time intervening.

Mr. Robert Lennox whom we reported very low in Davidson Hospital a few weeks ago is at last on the road to recovery although he went to the very lowest point.

We were all very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Robert Kinnell. His public dealings in this part were of the most satisfactory nature. He was an all round good fellow.

Willowdale
(Our Own Correspondent)

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. William Brown and family in their time of trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. James Atkinson of Toronto have spent the last couple of weeks with their daughter.

Mrs. Ben Coult's is not recovering

as fast as her many friends would like to see her.

Misses Mary and Pearl Alexander spent Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Mighton.

Master Albert Reay and sisters Jean and Ada spent one day last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Hugh McDonald of Durham.

Mrs. George Mighton and son Jack visited Sunday with her brother Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. William Torry spent one day the first of the week with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Park on the gravel.

Messrs. Howard Hopkins and Jack Mighton are engaged cutting wood for Mrs. Hanna Hopkins of Mulock.

A number from here enjoyed a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. John Burn's one night of last week.

We are sorry to report Mr. John Adlam is at present nursing a sore jaw. We hope it may soon be better again.

Mr. Tom Adlam has been assisting Mr. Grant Wise cutting wood for the past couple of weeks.

Teaming and cutting wood is the order of the day in our burg.

Holstein
(Our Own Correspondent)

Sorry to report Mr. W. J. Sharp confined to his room for the past week.

Mr. Wm. Nelson attended the funeral of the late Robert Kennel of Swinton Park on Monday last.

Don't forget the social in the United Church Basement on Friday evening.

Messrs. Clarence Fenton and Louis Woodyard attended the Black Knight meeting held in Mount Forest Monday night.

A hockey team from Mount Forest will play the local team on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. Come and cheer the boys to another victory.

Mr. Joseph Bilton has been laid off work for the past week with a sore foot. His place at the factory has been filled by Wm. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lamont were given a surprise party on Friday evening last. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Lamont and family moved to Mount Forest where he is in the employ of Mr. Wm. Groat and Son.

Mrs. Duffies of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, visited her sister Mrs. Thos. McMillan, the first of the week.

Mrs. John Brown, Sr., returned from Georgetown after spending some two weeks with her daughter and Mrs. Hanley Allingham, Mrs. Allingham and daughter Dorcas returned with her and spent a few days the first of the week with her mother.

The Community Circle visited the Varney Young People on Wednesday evening. More particulars will be given next week.

Messrs. Wm. Reid, Fleming Reid Thos. Reid, Earl Reid, Merton Reid James Reid, Joseph Smith, John Stevenson and Mrs. Thos. Ellis, Mrs. Henry Reid, Mrs. Tuck and Miss Tillie Stevenson attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Crosby of Harrison last Friday.

Messrs. Geo. Hunt, Geo. Burrows, Geo. Fenton and Chas. Evans, attended the District Meeting of the L.O.L. held at McFarlane Lodge, Gleneid. Mr. Geo. Burrows was elected Deputy District Manager and it is rumored that we are to have the 12th of July celebration held in Holstein this year.

The Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, January 20th at the home of Mrs. Robert Sim.

Egremont Council

Council met January 4th. Members elect subscribed to the Statutory Declaration of office and took their seats as Members of Council for the year 1927.

Reeve Neil Calder; Deputy Reeve, John A. Ferguson; Councillors, Noble G. Wilson, Erwin Robb and William H. Hunter.

The Reeve addressed the Council followed by short addresses by the other members of Council and the Clerk. Minutes of meeting held December 15 read and confirmed.

Wilson, Robb—That the amended report of Engineer U. W. Christie, re Drains No's 1 and 22, Proton Township, be adopted and that the clerk be instructed to draft a bylaw to be introduced and passed provisionally at the next meeting of Council.—Carried.

Wilson—Ferguson—In reference to the communication from Messrs.

Clarke and Moon, solicitors, Mount Forest, re payment of 50 cents claimed to be due Mr. Alvin Robb for drawing gravel that the Clerk be instructed to advise Messrs. Clarke and Moon to the effect that the road foreman's report to the Council was that Mr. Robb was offered payment in full for the work he performed drawing gravel, viz., for nine hours at 50c. an hour, that the rest of the men employed were paid at the same rate and they all accepted it.—Carried.

Wilson—Hunter—That a grant of \$5.00 be given to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.—Carried.

Ferguson—Hunter—That the clerk be instructed to order 8 copies of the Municipal World.—Carried.

Robb—Hunter—That the Treasurer be instructed to place to the credit of the Police Village of Holstein the sum of \$405.29, amount of levy for 1926.—Carried.

Robb—Wilson—That the Reeve and Clerk be authorized to sign and submit to the Minister of Public Works and Highways of the Province of Ontario the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Egremont showing that during the period January 1st to December 31, 1926 there has been expended upon the township roads the sum of \$9596.49 and requesting the Statutory grant on that amount as provided by the Ontario Highways Act.—Carried.

Bylaws were passed appointing John McPhee sheep valuer in polling sub-division No. 6 in place of Arch. McPhee, deceased, also appointing James Nicholson and Frank C. Hopkins, Auditors; James H. McDougall a member of the local Board of Health; Victor Adams and Nichol McDougall and John McPhee, school attendance officers.

Robb—Ferguson: That the following accounts be paid: W. B. Rife, express on Financial Statements, 40c.; Agricultural Society, use of hall for Nomination meeting, 85c.; members of Council, meeting at date, \$15; Robt. Christie, use of room, 82c.

Council adjourned to meet Monday February 14, at 10 a.m. to receive the Auditors' Report and general business.—D. Allan, Clerk.

INJURIOUS TO IMMATURE MINDS

Thirty years ago an American magazine was banned from the Canadian mails because it contained a picture of a man shown carrying an actress on his shoulder. The picture was held to be highly immoral. Not long ago the Literary Digest, which runs a department on religion, contained a two page advertisement in colors, showing a male bather carrying a lady, her legs around his neck. This comparison brings up once more the fact that about nine-tenths of the magazines and papers that come into this country from the United States feature sex stuff. In fact they vie with one another to see which can get the most pictures of practically nude women. One New York publication that comes into this country has in two years secured a circulation as large as the Toronto Globe. This is a magazine that is supposed to be made up of "confessions" of women. True Stories they call it. The stuff is pure bunk, being written by a regular staff—no doubt most of them bald-headed old boys who smoke pipes. They have to do something to earn money to support their families, so they write highly colored tales of young girls who are ruined by doctors, dentists and hotel carriers. A man who would be found reading the drivel should be ashamed of himself. It's just slush—the kind of suggestive reading that isn't good for immature minds. It's all very well to yell for the gov-

ernment to ban these publications, but why don't the people ban them from their own homes?—Kincairdine Review.

LOOKING FOR A JOB

A man who does a great deal of building in the suburbs of Boston tells of a man whom he calls "the most original job seeker" he ever met.

Some weeks ago, while I was looking at some houses that I was building in Everett, a travel-stained carpenter accosted me, and asked me to put him to work. The man's shoes and clothing were well coated with dust, and I asked him how far he had walked.

"From Bunker Hill Monument, sir," he said.

"But why from Bunker Hill monument," I inquired.

Then his story came out. "I could not afford to give a week's wages to an employment bureau, so I spent my last quarter to be admitted to Bunker Hill monument. I climbed to the top in hope that the view of the surrounding would show me

where new houses were going up. I saw your partly-erected buildings and I walked out here to look for work."

That man, concluded the builder, got work and has proved one of the most valued workmen in my employ. He is still with me.

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W. J. SHARPE DIED

Passed Away Little Over Heart Trouble at Holstein Years and Months and Much More

The sudden death of J. Sharpe, 65 years of age, was a great loss to the community. He was a well-known resident of Holstein, Ontario, and had been in the town for many years. He was a member of the local church and was highly respected by all who knew him. He was born in Scotland and came to Canada in his youth. He was a successful businessman and had accumulated a large fortune. He was a devoted family man and was loved by all who knew him. He died on January 10, 1927, after a long illness. His funeral services were held on January 12, 1927, at the Holstein Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife and several children.

Mr. Sharpe was a member of the Holstein Baptist Church and was a very active member. He was a member of the Holstein Athletic Club and was a very successful athlete. He was a member of the Holstein Golf Club and was a very successful golfer. He was a member of the Holstein Hunt Club and was a very successful hunter. He was a member of the Holstein Fishing Club and was a very successful fisherman. He was a member of the Holstein Tennis Club and was a very successful tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Lawn Tennis Club and was a very successful lawn tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Badminton Club and was a very successful badminton player. He was a member of the Holstein Table Tennis Club and was a very successful table tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Billiards Club and was a very successful billiards player. He was a member of the Holstein Chess Club and was a very successful chess player. He was a member of the Holstein Bridge Club and was a very successful bridge player. He was a member of the Holstein Golf Club and was a very successful golfer. He was a member of the Holstein Hunt Club and was a very successful hunter. He was a member of the Holstein Fishing Club and was a very successful fisherman. He was a member of the Holstein Tennis Club and was a very successful tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Lawn Tennis Club and was a very successful lawn tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Badminton Club and was a very successful badminton player. He was a member of the Holstein Table Tennis Club and was a very successful table tennis player. He was a member of the Holstein Billiards Club and was a very successful billiards player. He was a member of the Holstein Chess Club and was a very successful chess player. He was a member of the Holstein Bridge Club and was a very successful bridge player.

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