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Whoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more in love with his own opinion than with the truth.—WATSON.

Thursday, January 3, 1929

Calendar for January 1929 showing days of the week and dates from 1 to 31.

Editorials

THANK YOU

This issue of The Chronicle is the first of 1929 and on this occasion we wish to give expression of our sincere thanks to our subscribers, correspondents and advertisers, as well as to many others for their patronage during the year just closed.

THE NOMINATIONS

We feel that we must congratulate the citizens of Durham for the manner in which they turned out last Monday night to the annual nominations. While the attendance Monday evening was considerably larger than in previous years, it would have been much larger had the meeting been held on some other night.

IN MEMORIAM

Cain—In loving memory of Joseph E. Cain, who departed this life January 5, 1928. 'Tis hard to break the tender threads, When love has bound the heart; 'Tis hard, so hard to speak the words, Must we forever part.

the first Monday in the new year. As this is being written there is quite a heavy snow falling. Election day next Monday may see the best of weather. Again, it may be stormy. Even with calm weather and a lot of snow, if the weather is cold there will be many who will not brave the elements to come out and vote.

ANNUAL MEETING IN RURAL SCHOOLS

Trustees and Others Elected While Other Business is Dealt With. Wednesday, December 16, was the day of the annual school meeting in the rural schools. Some of these are well attended and some show a very poor representation of ratepayers.

At Edge Hill, Glenelg, Mr. J. Firth was chairman for the meeting and the trustee board for 1929 is as follows: Messrs. J. Heaslip, T. Glenecross and A. Edge. Mr. A. Edge was elected to the board in place of the retiring member, Mr. A. Anderson.

Bunessan, Glenelg, had a goodly number of interested ratepayers present. Mr. J. A. Brown filled the position of chairman and Mr. E. L. McArthur was secretary for the meeting. Mr. William Brown was re-elected trustee and with Messrs. Thomas Moore and James MacGillivray, as fellow members on the board will conduct the school business for another year.

At Green Grove, No. 9 section Glenelg, Mr. Robert Lindsay presided for the business of the day. Mr. William Jacques retired from the board of trustees and Mr. W. G. Lawrence was elected to the position. Mr. G. Whitmore gave up the task of Secretary and Mr. Lawrence G Chapman was appointed for the position.

At Varney, Mr. Palmer Patterson was chairman for the day. Mr. Wilton retired from the trustee board and Mr. P. Patterson was elected in his place. Messrs. Norman Schenk and Wilbert Blyth with Mr. Wilton is the trustee board for the coming year with Mr. E. M. Leeson as secretary.

At Rocky school a very interesting meeting was held. Mr. James Lawrence presided. Mr. Earl Vessie was re-elected as trustee and Mr. Thos. Turnbull as secretary. Mr. Clarence Thompson was secretary for the meeting and Messrs. Stewart McArthur and Murray Ritchie were auditors for the year.

MR. AND MRS. E. GREENWOOD HONORED BY NEIGHBORS

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. E. Greenwood met in their home on Wednesday evening of last week and presented them with community plate knives, forks and spoons and tray as a slight token of their appreciation of neighborliness and interest they have always taken in community affairs.

HELD SOCIAL EVENING

On Friday evening, the teachers and pupils of the Baptist Sunday School met in the schoolroom of the church and spent a social evening together. Lighthearted views were shown and much enjoyed. Each child was treated to candies at the close of the program.

NATURE DOUBTLESS IS GRAND, BUT IT WAS NOT A VERY BRILLIANT SCHEME TO PUT MOST OF THE VITAMINES IN THINGS YOU DON'T LIKE.—SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE.

A man down in New York swallowed ten razor blades the other day. Another sacrifice to science.—New York Telegram. The theatre is a place where any one with a taste for verba-advanta can hear language nobody would dare use in his presence anywhere else.—Osso Argus-Press.

CHURCHES

WEEK OF PRAYER FIRST WEEK OF YEAR

January 7-11, 1929. The ministers of the town have made arrangements for the services as follows:

Monday—January 7 in the Anglican church. Address by Rev. W. H. Smith on "Christ's Call to Repentance". Tuesday, January 8—in the Presbyterian church. Address by Rev. W. Spencer on "Christ's Call to Confession".

Wednesday, January 9—in Knox Church. Illustrated address by a representative of the Bible Society. Thursday, January 10—in the Baptist Church. Address by Rev. E. Hayes on "Christ's Call to Communion".

Friday, January 11—in the Queen Street Church. Address by Rev. B. D. Armstrong on "Christ's Call to Consecration".

The services will begin each evening at 8 o'clock and it is desired that all our church people should keep this week free of other meetings and attend in such numbers as to fill all our churches.

The offerings, as in former years, will be sent to the Bible Society.

A. O. T. S.

The A. O. T. S. class of Queen Street United church met for their regular monthly meeting in the church basement on Thursday night, December 27, Mrs. Fiddes presiding. The meeting was opened by the singing of a hymn, after which Psalm 19 was read responsively. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Following are the officers elected: President, Mrs. Burgess; 1st Vice-pres., Mrs. (Rev.) Armstrong; 2nd Vice-pres., Mrs. J. Morrison; 3rd Vice-pres., Mrs. J. F. Grant; Secy. Miss J. M. Weir; Treas., Mrs. G. McKechnie; Pianist, Mrs. A. W. H. Lauer. Executive Committee—Mrs. H. Hepburn, Mrs. Geo. McKechnie, Mrs. A. McCormick, Mrs. J. McGowan, Miss E. Calder, Miss M. Calder, Miss M. McCracken, Miss P. Davidson, Miss W. Park.

PRICEVILLE PRESBYTERIAN

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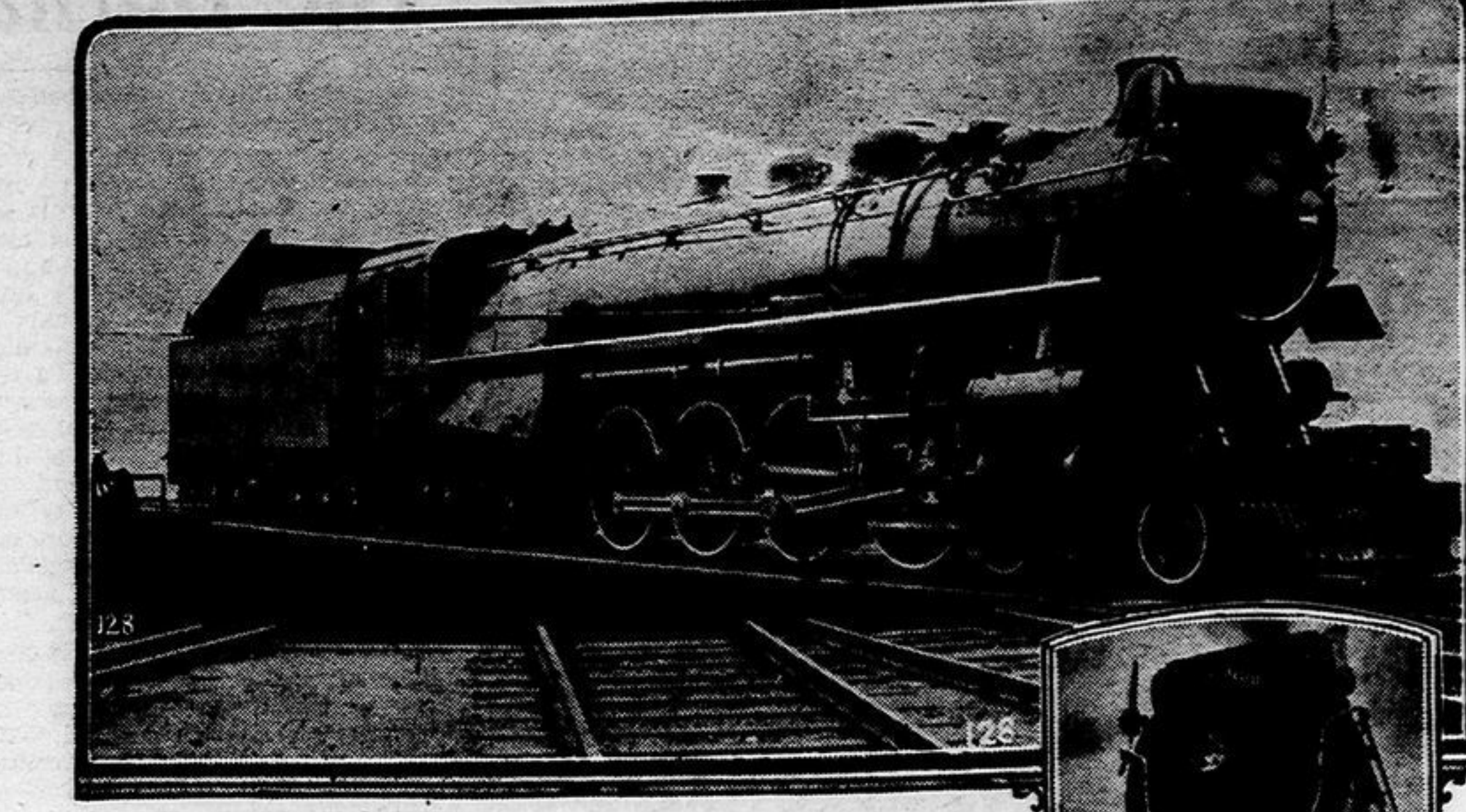
HEARD ROAD REPORT

Mr. J. McArthur, the road superintendent for the township, was called upon to give an account of the monies expended on the roads during the past summer. This he did very thoroughly, though we are doubtful if any were the wiser when he finished. Mr. McArthur quoted the figures for the various amounts spent on the different roads for gravelling, brushing, cutting, weeds, etc., but we all know how dull figures become after a few minutes and while the report was a very full one and well delivered, we doubt if it was worth the time expended on its giving.

REEVE CALDER RETIRED

Coming in late as he did, Reeve Calder was somewhat handicapped, and did not present very much of the finances of the township to the meeting, not knowing what had been touched on by his predecessors. He did, however, give a good address. He thanked the electors of the township for the support they had given him for the past ten years of his municipal life, and though it was like leaving a good friend he had decided that if any members of the old Council decided to stay in the field he intended to retire. He intimated however that if there were any new aspirants for the reeveship outside those who had served on the 1928 council he was in the field.

Largest Passenger Engine in British Empire



When the largest passenger locomotive in the British Empire emerged from Angus Shops under her own steam, close to eight thousand employees, most of whom had contributed something to her creation, stopped to cheer as, her throttle gently opened for the first time, she moved slowly forward. She is a triumph of Canadian design and engineering craftsmanship; a graceful mechanism nearly one hundred feet long, with a tractive effort of 60,800 pounds, equal to 3,685 horse power.

FERGUSON—HUNTER FOR EGREMONT REEVESHIP

(Continued from Page 1) his best if elected, but that if there were any who did not care to support him he hoped they would not allow themselves to be persuaded to vote for him. Mr. Philp told his hearers that there was no relief from the high taxes for several reasons. The building of the roads, the increased expenditure of over \$350 last year by the Board of Health, the fact that over \$1,000 had been paid out for sheep killed by dogs, the expenditure on cutting weeds, and as the winter work on the roads all helped to swell the expenses in connection with running the council and were items over which the Council had no control.

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This Week's BARGAIN LIST

- Carbolic Soap, large cake \$ .05
Castile Soap, long bars, 2 .29
100 sheet fold-over Letter Pad, with 2 packages of Envelopes, 60c. value @ .36
Good strong Envelopes, 100 for .19
1/2 dozen White Cups, Saucers and Plates for 1.19
Plain Glass Tumblers, 4 for .19
Beware of the Flu and Colds
TRY VENOS LIGHTNING COUGH SYRUP
We guarantee it! Per Bottle 35c.

The Variety Store

R. L. Saunders, Prop. PHONE 4 DURHAM

BARGAINS!

- Men's 15" Leather top Rubbers, white sole, special at \$6.45
Men's 15" Leather top Rubbers, Red sole, special at \$5.95
Men's 12" Leather top Rubbers, White sole, special at \$5.95
Men's 12" Leather top Rubbers, Red sole, special at \$5.45 and \$4.95

We only have a limited number of these rubbers so be sure to take advantage of these prices, while we have your size in stock.

J. S. McIlraith

The Cash Shoe Store Durham

Thursday, January 3, 1929. There are two bid other than the... In the first bid... Hearts—9, Clubs—7, Diamonds—7, Spades—7. No score, rub passed, and the type of hand to be bid third... Y, feeling of hearts, B bid. A passed. Y now decided his partner's... Y's these top hearts had indicated to bid five... doubled and... They were... "Won't you... and sit a little... "N-no, I give... hesitatingly... "I wish you... on. 'Tis awfully... has gone out... groaning with... Gene