

Corner Concerns
(Our Own Correspondent)
The death of Mr. George Pollock last Thursday caused a feeling of sadness over the neighborhood. He was amongst the oldest of the second generation of this neighborhood and has lived continuously in this part of the country as farmer and framer, and was always upright, inoffensive and obliging. His family of six children were all at the funeral on Saturday, which was largely attended. As a fuller account of the deceased will appear in another column we will merely express sympathy for the sorrowing friends.

Mr. William Lennox, who accompanied his brother Joe from Elbow, Sask., after the death of their brother, Robert, is this week visiting at John McNally's, near Traverston. Accompanying him are Misses Alice and Minnie Lennox.

Messrs. Wm. Hunter and your scribe are in attendance at the County Council this week.

The very stormy weather of the past three Sundays has been hard on church services, but all must remember that preachers require food, fuel and clothing till the storms go rolling by.

The fellows who have buzz sawing machines are again after wood cutting jobs.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Peter Black is so ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. McClymont of Durham. We hope to hear of his recovery soon.

Mr. James Tucker last week had a visit from his nephew, niece and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCrie, of Saskatchewan Landing, Sask., and this week Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker, banker, of Welwyn, Sask., are making a flying visit to their relatives here.

Mr. Thomas Wilson is busy at his log hauling contract from Blyth's bush to the Durham Furniture factory. He has had a lot of experience in bush work.

Priceville
(Our Own Correspondent)
Mr. Angus McVicar has purchased the Sandy McDonald property across the street from his own place. The lower part is occupied by the Bank and the upper by Mr. John McMillan and family who moved into town last fall and rented the annex to the West of the building and has it fixed up for a butcher shop. The barber shop previously held there is moved to the front parlors of Mr. Allan McLean's residence and in which the voting is usually held.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Carson and family visited Saturday at Mr. Arthur Richardson's, Swinton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermie McLean and family of Toronto intend moving back to Priceville and will be welcomed by all.

Mrs. Neil McCannell has recently received an interesting letter from her niece, Miss Florence McQueen of Stayner, who is teaching in a Presbyterian Mission school at Mistalivasis, Sask. She is well qualified by previous experience to undertake this work. The Indians from the chief town were overjoyed at the thought of a new teacher coming among them and actively prepared for her arrival. Miss McQueen is a sister of the Rev. Donald McQueen of the Presbyterian charge of Essex, and is also a cousin of the Hincks and McCuag families. We wish her every success.

Mr. Murray Nichol and sister Jessie, and Miss Olive McMeekin visited Tuesday night at Mr. A. L. Hincks.

Messrs. Fooks & Stodhard shipped a carload of cattle to Toronto Saturday.

The Willing Helpers met on Friday last in the hall with a good attendance; Mrs. W. J. McMillan is secretary-treasurer. A box of fruit was sent to Mrs. Dave Nichol. It was decided to have a parlor social in the manse on Friday night.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Archie McArthur, a son. Congratulations.

Calderwood
(Our Own Correspondent)
Lots of skating now in the country as the rain of last week made quite a few ponds.

Mr. Irwin Krellar has left Mr. John Leibold after being with John for the past year.

Misses Marjorie Schenk and Etta Shiel returned to school in Mount Forest on Tuesday after their holidays.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Walter Hermiston is quite ill with jaundice.

Mr. Donald Nelson has been helping Mr. Roy Adair for the past few weeks.

Miss Mary Dillon spent Sunday at Mr. Jasper Smith's.

Mr. James McMaster is also on the sick list.

Miss Justina Leibold is in Mount Forest taking the short course in domestic science.

Kaufman Bros. were busy last week hauling the wood to the school.

Swinton Park
(Our Own Correspondent)
We have experienced real winter weather at both ends of the week and a real January thaw at mid week which has made lots of ice on the roads and in the low lands.

The flu has made its rounds and has departed again but a lot of people are still keeping in as a great number have had coughs.

Mrs. McMillan, an old and respected lady passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. McLean, near Dromore on Saturday the 12th.

The funeral was held on Wednesday last from the home of her son Hugh, on Wednesday last to the Swinton Park cemetery and was well attended by friends and neighbors. She had reached the great age of 93 years. She leaves to mourn, two sons, Hugh at Swinton Park and John of Webbwood, New Ontario, and one daughter, Mrs. McLean of Dromore, Donald, deceased who passed away a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardy visited at Mr. Hugh Coplens on Friday.

Mr. W. A. Richardson, who has been for the past two weeks or so in poor health, we are glad to say is much improved.

Mr. J. Hay also has been under the doctor's care and is getting along satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Scarlett of Holland, Wellington County, who were here for the funeral of Mrs. Scarlett's father, Mr. A. Ostrander, have returned to their home.

Mrs. G. Black is confined to her bed and is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. J. Black, who was dangerously ill with pneumonia is on the road to recovery.

(Too Late for Last Week)
A very mild January was the prediction that Mr. Bowes gave out. I wonder what he would call stormy. There seems to be only one storm this winter so far.

Mr. J. H. Richardson and Russel Brown have returned to Berkeley to do the season's cutting at the timber lot that McLean and Richardson have purchased.

Mr. Andrew Ostrander, an old and esteemed resident of Proton-Artemesia township, passed away on Wednesday night after a short illness. He reached the good age of over eighty years and was a strong, healthy, robust man all his life. He leaves to mourn four daughters, and two sons, Mrs. R. Watson, Proton; Mrs. W. A. Richardson, Proton; Mrs. J. Eckhardt, Glenelg; Mrs. A. Scarlett, Damascus; Oscar, Vineland and Eli on the homestead, George, deceased a few years ago.

Mr. Sam Wilson spent part of last week visiting Boothville and Hopeville friends.

The sick here are making satisfactory gain and are all on the road to recovery. In a few days things will again be normal and school will be up to average attendance.

Election day in Proton township was very quiet and resulted in electing, for Reeve, Mr. William Jack; for Councillors, P. Buckley, J. McEachern.

Rocky Saugeen
(Our Own Correspondent)
There has not been service in the church for the past three Sundays on account of the stormy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Reay and family have moved to the Middleton farm. We welcome them to the neighborhood.

The U. F. W. O. meeting, which was postponed in January will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Turnbull the second Friday in February.

The flu has cleared up pretty well in our neighborhood and the pupils are nearly all back to school.

Old neighbors are very sorry to hear of the continued serious illness of Mr. Dan McArthur, Durham, and hope he will soon be feeling better.

Mrs. Elias Edge and family spent a pleasant evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKechnie.

Mr. A. D. McIntyre was a guest with Mr. Campbell McLean over this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker, Bracebridge, Sask., are visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. J. W. McKechnie and other friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Chas. Wepler was fortunate in trapping a fox recently which will amply repay him for his trouble.

Holstein
(Our Own Correspondent)
Miss Florence McMillan left on Tuesday to spend some time in Toronto.

Miss Margaret Christie returned to Detroit on Tuesday after a month spent at her home here.

Mrs. Clarence Fenton spent the week-end at her parental home at Arkright.

Mr. Marshall Burrows returned home last week after spending several weeks with his daughter at River-view.

Miss Marion Calder of Durham was a visitor with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Calder on Monday.

The attendance at our churches on Sunday was not too bad considering the stormy weather. The sacrament of the Lord's supper was dispensed in the United Church.

A fine lot of new books have been received at the library. The reading of even a few would well repay anyone for the cost of a year's subscription.

A New Year's service was held in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Owing to sickness and stormy weather this service had been postponed from the first of the month.

Miss B. Christie had the misfortune to fall on the ice on Main street and break her left arm one of those days last week when walking was dangerous for the most sure-footed.

Wedding bells were ringing Saturday. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eccles (nee Miss Emma Aitken) who were married and left on the train Saturday afternoon amid a shower of confetti from a jolly crowd of young people who met at the station to see them off. Mr. and Mrs. Eccles have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy married life.

The juvenile hockey team of Holstein went to Palmerston Saturday afternoon and defeated the Palmerston boys by a score of 2-1. The game was a good clean one. A number of other young people of the village went down too and enjoyed watching the game.

A good meeting of the Community Circle was held on Wednesday evening last. These gatherings are much enjoyed by the young people and are both educational and recreational. In commencing sharp on time, 8 o'clock, more can be accomplished and all will derive more benefit.

The annual meeting of Egremont Agricultural Society was held in the hall on Friday afternoon. The usual business of the year was gone over. Election of officers and directors for 1929 resulted as follows:
President, Wm. McDougall; 1st Vice Pres., Henry Cowan; 2nd Vice Pres., Chas. McGillivray; Sec. Treas., George Fenton; Directors, S. Patterson, P. Adams, Stanley Williams, C. Schenk, Wm. Reid, James Nicholson, A. Nicholson, A. Aitken, A. Hunter, Geo. Burrows, James Lewis, Robert Sim, Jas. Shand, Wm. Rogers, James McDougall, I. Robb.

Executive Committee: Wm. McDougall, Hy Cowan, Chas. McGillivray, George Fenton.

This year's Fair will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24 and 25.

Crawford
(Our Own Correspondent)
We are sorry to report that there is no change in the condition of Mr. Andrew A. Milne, who is still seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McDonald visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamont of Brant.

C. Y. P. S. Meet
The postponed meeting of the C. Y. P. S. met on Thursday evening, January 17. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. W. Campbell and Mr. Wilbert Anderson. A fine crowd was in attendance and a splendid program had been prepared. Mr. Wilbert Anderson presided over the meeting. Following the opening hymn all joined in repeating the Lord's Prayer. A paper "Thoughts for the New Year" dwelling particularly on the words of the Psalmist "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom" was given by Mrs. Edgar Boyce. Miss Alma Anderson and little

D. Wilsher, W. Wright. There are two new men on the Council and a new Reeve.

January 14th. Members elect present took declaration of office, having previously taken declarations of qualifications as follows: Thos. J. Brodie, Reeve; John A. Boyd, John McGirr, and Samuel H. Wright, Councillors. Mr. John McKechnie, the other member was unable to get through owing to blocked condition of sideroads.

The following Bylaws were passed: No. 706, appointing Henry Beaton and Arthur Robinson auditors for 1929; No. 707, appointing Wm. Banks care-taker for hall for 1929; No. 708, appointing members of local Board of Health for 1929 as follows: Dr. A. M. Bell, M. O. H.; Thos. J. Brodie, Reeve, Geo. Binnie and H. H. MacDonald, members; sanitary inspectors, as follows: Div. 1 H. H. MacDonald, 2 Geo. Binnie, 3 R. J. Torry, R. R. 6, Markdale; 4, John Ellison, R. R. 6, Markdale; 5, Thos. J. Brodie. Bylaw No. 709 appointing Eldon A. Wepler assessor for 1929 at a salary of \$100.00.

McGirr-Boyd: That R. C. McKnight, Township engineer, be paid \$184.15, being 3 per cent commission on McQuarrie bridge.—Carried.

McGirr-Boyd: That Dennis Callaghan be paid \$4.00 for sheep injured by dogs and that S. H. Wright be paid \$9.00 for 6 inspections in 1928.—Carried.

Wright-McGirr: That Superintendent's payment voucher No. 1 for Road improvements be passed and payments be made amounting to \$874.55.—Carried.

Wright-Boyd: That Malcolm Black be appointed collector of taxes for the Township of Glenelg, he to collect

1928 taxes now remaining unpaid at 3 per cent on amount outstanding.—Carried.

Wright-McGirr: That the rate of wages for 1929 for winter work, 40 cents per hour for man and team and 20 cents per hour for man; for summer, 50 cents per hour for man and team and 25 cents per hour for man.—Carried.

Boyd-Wright: That the following be appointed sheep inspectors for 1929: Ward 1, Wm. Edge; Ward 2, Malcolm McInnis; Ward 3, Malcolm Black; Ward 4, Colin McArthur.—Carried.

Wright-McGirr: That we accept the statement of road superintendent "Total expenditure on roads and bridges for 1928" \$14,179.86" as correct.—Carried.

McGirr-Wright: That the Reeve be paid 1/2 day inspecting roads, \$1.50, telephoning \$1.00.—Carried.

McGirr-Wright: That Lucar and Henry Barristers, be appointed solicitor for the Township of Glenelg for 1929.—Carried.

Wright-Boyd: That the members of Council in each ward be authorized to see after the winter roads.—Carried.

Boyd-McGirr: That Council meetings for 1929 be held on the following dates: February 9, March 2, April 6, May 4, June 1, July 6, August 3, September 7, October 5, November 15, December 16.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet on February 9th, to receive Auditors' Report and for general business, at 10 a.m. H. H. MacDONALD, Clerk.

Evelyn Hastie gave recitations which were heartily applauded. A solo "Face to Face" was well rendered by Miss E. Petty and Miss Elsie Boyce and Mr. Edgar Boyce sang a duet "Smiling Thru". Mr. William Anderson gave a very interesting sketch of the life of Paul. Mr. William Campbell read a paper on "The Big Little Word 'No.'". "God Save the King" was then sung and Mr. William Anderson closed the meeting with prayer. A nut contest and a Bible contest were enjoyed while Mrs. W. Campbell and Wilbert Anderson treated the crowd to candy.

Varney
(Our Own Correspondent)
The saying was a short time ago that if we had some cold weather the flu would disappear. We are getting the good old kind of weather now to freeze up the germs.

Mrs. William Caldwell is spending a few days with her daughter, here, Mrs. Norman Kerr.

Dr. G. M. Leeson has not been feeling the best of late. The trouble is his heart. We hope to hear of him feeling better soon.

Mr. Joe Lennox arrived home from the west over a week ago, accompanied by his brother, Will, who will remain for a few weeks to visit friends before his return to the west again.

Misses Minnie and Alice Lennox are visiting their aunt, Mrs. John McNally at Waudby, near Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Leeson visited his father, Dr. G. M. Leeson, last Sunday.

Mr. Vic. Blyth attended the motor show in Toronto last week.

Mr. Richard Allan, since arriving here on a visit, received word a few days ago from his sister, Mrs. James Gray of Saskatchewan that their little child had passed away from an attack of croup. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones.

Mr. William Finnigan's little child is real sick and under the doctor's care. We hope to hear of her recovering soon.

There has not been any church here for the past four Sundays on account of flu and bad storms. We hope the weather clears up and we have some bright sunny days soon.

We are pleased to know Mrs. John Kerr and a few others are around again after an attack of flu.

January Clearance SALE
A great many broken lines to clear at Greatly Reduced Prices
For the balance of the month, we are offering the following goods at greatly reduced prices:
Pure Linen Table Cloths, reg. \$1.50 for ... \$1.29
Ladies' Underwear, vests and drawers, reg. up to \$1.10 for75
Flannelette Blankets, per pair 1.89
Striped Flannelette, reg. 25c. per yard, @ 5 yards for 1.00
Men's Print and Broadcloth Shirts, reg. up to \$2.25, to clear at, each 1.49
Overalls and Smocks, reg. \$2.25 for 1.90
Brooms, good 5-string broom @ \$.49
SWEATERS and SWEATER COATS at 20% OFF REGULAR PRICE.
Rubbers and Galoshes at greatly reduced prices.
These are only a few of the bargains we have to offer. Come in and see for yourself! These prices are for cash only.
A. A. ALJOE - Durham

Mr. Harold Moffat of the staff of the Sun-Times, Owen Sound, attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. John Moffat, on Saturday, and was a caller at The Chronicle office.

Mr. Howard MacDonald left Tuesday morning for Brampton and Toronto, and will remain in the latter city for the winter months, where he has secured work.

Mr. Oscar Hahn left Tuesday morning for Battle Creek, Mich., to undergo treatment for an ailment that has troubled him for some time. He expects to be gone for a couple of weeks or more.

Mrs. H. Jones, Owen Sound, and Mrs. A. Porter, Hepworth, visited last week with their sister, Mrs. W. Falkingham. Mrs. Falkingham has been seriously ill at her home on College street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCrie of Saskatchewan Landing, Sask., who have been visiting relatives here for the past couple of weeks, left Saturday for their home in the West, and will visit with relatives in Toronto en route.

Mayor and Mrs. Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Elvidge and Mr. George Kress of the local Hydro Commission are in Toronto this week attending the annual meeting being held at the King Edward Hotel.

Mrs. E. D. McClocklin left yesterday for Milverton in response to a call stating that her mother, Mrs. Schoenhals was quite ill. As the patient is nearing the century mark it is impossible to anticipate the outcome of her illness.

Mr. W. B. Ard of Allenford, Ont., an ex-resident of Durham was successful at the poll on January 7th, being elected Reeve of the Township of Amabel, Bruce county. Mr. Ard was employed in the office of the Cement Company here for about two years, and is son-in-law of Mr. William Vollett, Queen street, Durham.

Glenelg Council
The inaugural meeting of 1929 was held in the Township hall on Monday,

Hunter's Bargain List
Cross Cut Saws
Woodman's Special, \$3.95
Improved Racer, 5 1/2" \$7.50
Atkins Meteor, 5 1/2" \$7.50
Handles, per pair 50c.
Saw Set, Lincoln pattern 75c.

Stair Treads
Special value given in Stair Treads of Rubber, 7 x 18, 2 for 25c
Stair Treads, with special moulded nosing for front of steps 25c.

Hack Saws
Special offering of hack saws with adjustable frame. Complete with blade 25c

Butcher Saws
A handy household 69c
Useful Heavy Meat Saw, with tightener, a real \$ 3.00 saw

Stable Shovels
D handle, heavy scoop 80c
Long handle, heavy scoop 65c.

Work Mitts
Heavy lined Mitts in either horsehide or buckskin 95c per pair
Pullovers, per pair 75c.

MacBeth's Drug Store
AND DOCTORS have reason for specifying MacBeth's. They know that in this Drug Store prescriptions are compounded accurately and with great care. They know that this Store is equipped with every need and stocked with every Drug necessary to the proper filling of prescriptions. If you were to investigate you, too, would insist on MacBeth's as a regular habit.

John McGirr He Fall Fair
Field Crop Competition To be in Fall Wheat Inst. Providing a Sufficient Entries Can be Secured Business of Annual Meet. Through.

There was the usual present at the annual South Grey Agricultural last Friday afternoon, but lacked in numbers was enthusiasm and a good business was done.

Amongst changes made was the decision to have fairs in fall wheat inst. There was no object in the as oats had been the pre for a good many years it a change to wheat might interest. Wheat was not in this section. The loophole whereby the field might fall down though stipulated that the comp be held in wheat only if number of entrants could otherwise the competition to oats.

Had Good Year
The society this year fairly successful year with others. It had been off some \$300 of the most their property and still have in the bank with ahead this year. The County School Fair in been a contributing factor of the society last town and country had son that it might be a from all that could be had put the proposition more success than was anticipated.

During the meeting that there were some about the charging of some of the winners in fairs from schools which first place in these complaints were misunderstanding by them. The only "tree" the grounds on School those children who were ning schools parade. It stood alike by the busin mittee and the fair did there was any fault must be placed on the argument of these fairs any one local board.

When the school fa under discussion here was distinctly under school children in the admitted free, and in o this parade they had their various schools, ners in their respective

Invite Fair Here
The holding of a Co is a big proposition. I good many communi hold successfully. Thi ing when it was ann 1928 Fair was to be The place was too big event had taken no more of this talk put the thing over "say in the show bus "darb." There will be merits of this nature dealing with the size of the town is. More to the point and the surrounding tends to work it. We than our own that it was considered a st than that, Durham in in the county to ta surprised everyone selves.

With their past re it was felt right an Agricultural Society. Bell, should make a exhibition. Last y what we would try are in a position to what we have done time promise that last year will be a ing it more of a suc society will not be d help not secure the want it known that experience they are ous to try it again other town puts in

Thanked To
The meeting wen ing very thankful o of Durham, the Wo Red Cross, the Da pire, and all others success of the Fa help it simply coul across. Thanks we the women for th This is the first th years that we ha business men pett thustastically by and we trust the much for them.

Elected
Mr. John McGirr elected president.

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