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EGREMONT COUNCIL

Council met July 28th pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Mr. Hastings waited on council, claiming damages to the amount of \$20 to buggy and harness in an accident on O.S. Road.

Robb-Ferguson-That we instruct the clerk to write to clerk of Norman- Ontario, at the Police Village of Holby Township in reguard to matter, stein in the Township of Egremont, It merely weighs them down and Mr. Hastings agreeing to accept \$18 in view of settlement.-Carried.

The Reeve reported meeting the Commissioner from Proton re the water grieveance on Egremont and Proton town line opposite Con. 14, and

Robb-Gordon-That the Reeve's re- on Friday evening, August 20. All persistence, sir.-Boston Transcript. pert be adopted and he receive \$2,00 are invited.

Commissioners fees.-Carried.

J. A. Ferguson-Robb-That we instruct Commissioner W, Ferguson to look after water greiveance at Gore A Concession 22, re communication from Anthony Lawrence.-Carried.

Commissioner Gordon reported road jobs. Donald McQueen, Patimaster the amount of \$29.00, repairs to Gardiner's Bridge amount to \$23,50, railing at culvert on O.S. Road opposite John Hastings, timber and labor \$2.00, David Holiday 2 men shoveling gravel \$3.00.

W. Ferguson-Robb-That Commissioner Gordon's report be adopted and he receive \$3.00 commissioners fees .-Carried.

Commissioner Robb reported road jobs-Walter Horsburgh, Pathmaster to the amount of \$49.00, James Hunter, Pathmaster to the amount of \$18.00. A. McMillen, drawing tile, digging ditch and putting in tile \$6.75, Geo. Eakitt, drawing and putting in tile \$3.50, L. B. Nicholson, plank for bridge 80c, J. Caulfield repairing 50c, Dan O'Connell, 52 rds. wire fence \$13,00.

W. Ferguson-Gordon-That Commissioner Robb's report be adopted and he receive \$2.00 commissioners fees .- Carried,

Commissioner W. Ferguson reported road jobs-Nelson McGuire, Pathmaster to the amount of \$25.50, Thos. Harrison, Pathmaster to the amount of \$7.75, George Hargrave, Pathmaster to the amount of \$35.00, D. McCannel, Pathmaster to the amount of \$14.00, James Tucker, Pathmaster to the amount of \$7.50, J. J. Wilton, Pathmaster to the amount of \$45.75, Wm. Aberdeen, operating grader \$17.60 J, M. Lawrence, putting in culvert \$16.00, David Hopkins, 40 rds. wire fence, \$7.00, W. J. Wilson, 100 rds. wire fence \$25.00, Archie Allan, 52 rds. wire fence \$12.00.

Gordon-J.A. Ferguson-That Commissioner W. Ferguson's report be adopted and he receive \$9.00 commissioners fees,-Carried.

Commissioner J.A. Ferguson reported road jobs-John Eccles, Pathmaster to the amount of \$36.00, W. J. Parris, Pathmaster to the amount of \$31.50, Geo. Allis, Pathmaster to the amount of \$17.00. Chas. Lewis, Pathmaster to the amount of \$1.50, Alex. Henderson, to the amount of 75c, Chas. McQueen, to the amount or \$6.75, Alex Henderson, contract repairing bridge \$10.00, W. J. Eccles, digging ditch \$12.00, Thos. Watson, putting in culvet \$4.00, Geo. Banston, Pathmaster to the amount of \$6.00, Geo. Aitkins, Pathmaster to the amount of \$6.75, W Aberdeen, operating grader \$9.25.

W. Ferguson-Gordon-That Commissioner J. A. Ferguson's report be adopted and he receive \$10.00 commissioners fees.-Carried.

Resolved that the following accounts be paid-James Hamilton sheep killed 17.00, John Sinclair inspecting sheep 1.00, George Libby sheep killed 8.32, John Caulfield sheep injured 2.00, Geo. Woolis sheep killed 47.32, John Durrant inspecting sheep 5.25. Allan Mc-Dougall inspecting sheep 75c, Steve Seaman Commutation money expended 75c, A. P. Moyer Commutation money 3.00, Wm. Smith crop destroyed road through fields 1,00, Thos. Keith crop destroyed road through fields 1.00, Geo. Hargrave, Commutation money expended 6.00, Jas. Hunt for tile 23.50, Samuel Lamont taking John Lamont to House of Refuge 1.50, C. Ramage & Son for Printing 65.40, King Edward Sanitorium re Herb. McLean for month of July 31.00. Councillors Pay Sheet 15,00, John McGrath, use of council room 2.00, Gravel accounts amounting to 203.52.

Robb-Gordon-That we now ad journ to meet on September 1st to receive applications for Assessor, strike the rates and general business.-Car. DAVID ALLAN, Clerk.

A special meeting of council was held Saturday evening July 31st, members all present.

Robb-Gordon-That by-law of the Municipal Corporotion of the Town ship of Egremont be now read a first and second time.-Carried.

S. A. Ferguson -W. Ferguson-That By-law No. 304 of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Egremont to take the vote of the ratepayers of the Police Village of Holstein entitled to vote on money by-laws, on a question to be submitted as to whether the said ratepayers are in favor of a supply of Electric Power from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in Bylaw book .- Carried.

Gordon-J. A. Ferguson-That Bylaw of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Egremont to authorize the borrowing of the sum of \$3000 by the issue and sale of debentures to provide for the cost of a plant to distribute electric power to be supplied by the Hydro Electric Commission of be now read a first and second time,-

The Hampden garden party will agreed to put in a culvert on town line be held on Mr. Wm. Little's lawn Collector-Only a compliment on my

Carried.

What a Revival Is.

The word "revival" is often given a meaning which primarily does not belong to it. Many emphasize the conversion of sinners as the essential element in revival work, but that is the secondary meaning of the word. Essentially "revival" means the quickening of God's people. You cannot revive a dead man. The unregenerate sinner is spiritually dead. He must be born again. Now, you may revive a partially drowned body or a partially frozen body. The regenerate soul's life often weakens and wanes until the flame almost flickers out. But if there be the least spark of life left it can be fanned into a flame, and, like the apparently dead cinder in the smithy's forge, that spark will touch others and kindle a flame that will enthuse a church, a city or even a nation. A revival of religion, then, must logically begin with the church. Such is the divine order.-Christian Herald.

Freaks of Language.

A peculiar kind of blundering known as "folk etymology" is responsible for some of the queerest freaks of language. An easy example will make this clear. Our American word "carryall" for a kind of vehicle is not a compound of "carry" and "all," but a slight distortion of the French "carriole," a diminutive car. The change was made in obedience to the universal tendency to assimilate the unknown to the known, to make words mean something by associating them with others which they resemble in sound, Often there is no etymological relation between the words associated, as when sparrowgrass is made out of asparagus. This particular corruption was once in such good colloquial use that Walker, the lexicographer, wrote, "Sparrowgrass is so general that asparagus has an air of stiffness and pedantry."

Movies Taken For Ghosts.

According to a missionary, the first display of moving pictures in the province of Szechuan, China, 2,000 miles up the Yangtze, caused a mob disturbance of alarming proportions.

When the bodiless, yet vigorous shadows began to move silently across the screen in the visible but immaterial simulation of life murmurs arose, soon increasing to shouts and uproar, that foreign devils had possessed the locality and were in league with the spirits of the dead. Actual destruction and perhaps bloodshed was prevented only by the clubbed guns of the native soldiery. Later, when the pictures were explained, the natives became ardent fans. The first feature films shown in Szechuan caused the outburst of superstitious rage.-Photoplay Magazine.

Devil Ships and Fire Ships.

Two warlike contrivances of ancient days were devil ships and fire ships. A devil ship is a ship that has been filled with explosives, which discharge either by means of a fuse, or clockwork, or when the ship hits another ship or obstacle. They were employed as long ago as 1585 by the Dutch, when the Prince of Parma besieged Antwerp. In those days they were sent down the river to explode against a wooden bridge built by the defenders of Belgium's most important city. The fire ships were usually filled with dry wood smothered in pitch, oil and other inflammable material, and when fired were sent drifting against any defense work or ships of the enemy.-London Opinion.

Old English Fairs.

Fairs and feasts were formerly held in churchyards in honor of the saint to whom the church was dedicated. In consequence of these popular gatherings being much abused they bad to be suppressed in the thirteenth year of the reign of King Edward III., as appears by the following extract, quoted by Spelman: "And the Kynge commandeth and forbiddeth that from henceforth neither fairs and markets shall be kept in churchyards for the honour of the Church. Given at Westminister, the VIII of Octobre, the XIII yeare of Kynge Edwarde's reigne."-London Mail.

Lightning.

Lightning appears in three formszigzag and sharply defined at the edges, in sheets of light, illuminating a whole cloud, which seems to open and reveal the light within it, and in the form of fire balls. The duration of the first two kinds scarcely continues the thousandth part of a second, but the globular lightning moves much more slowly, remaining visible for several seconds.

The Boob.

"Yes," said the young lady, "1 spent the entire evening telling him that he had a terrible reputation for kissing girls against their will."

"And what did he do?" "He sat there like a boob and denied it."-Kansas City Journal.

Bad Situation.

"I think I'll have to get rid of Fido," pouted the great emotional actress. "Why, the ki-yi is getting all kinds

of mention in the papers." "That's it. I am not receiving as many press notices as my dog."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

Trouble.

Trouble doesn't make people patient. crushes them so they cannot complain, which is a semblance of patience.-DAVID ALLAN, Clerk. Deseret News.

Poor Pay. Boss-Has that fellow Everbroke paid you anything on account yet?

MAN AND WIFE BEAT UP A BRAMPTON MAN

On Saturday night on Queen Street. West, close by his home, Harry Barrett had an encounter with James Bailey and his Amazonian wife, as a consequence of which Harry is in bed with his right leg broken in two places between the knee and ankle. Bailey was in the police court on Monday and was let go on his own bail and that of T. W. Duggan, manager of Dales, for \$1000. Baily is a rose grower and with his wife arrived here about seven years ago supposedly from the States.

The account of the affair that we

hear from Harry's friends is that when near his home on Saturday night he was met by Bailey on the sidewalk. The latter accused Harry of calling his (Bailey's) two boys berry thieves. A quarrel ensued and the two men got into a fight and Bailey, who must have been getting the worst of it, for his wife, who until this moment had not been visible, came from behind a howthorn tree and joined her husband. This Mrs. Bailey is said to be quite the biggest women in town in height, weight and muscular development. What they did to him is not very clear to Harry, but when Dave, his brother and Councilor Worth, and perhaps others had persuaded the Bailey's to let up, Harry was found with a broken leg, a badly cut forehead and many bruises .- Brampton Banner.

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