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president of the women's social organization. The actual construction of the memorial has been entrusted to Eddie Doherty, a man well past three score and ten, and a master mason, who is now scouring the country round about Arthur for granite stone, much of which will be actually carried in by the people of the town, so that the memorial may be peculiarly their own. It is Arthur, not a contractor, that is raising its memorial. The architectural design is by Walker and Gibson. Major Gibson having commanded many of the Arthur boys overseas.

**Mulock.**

(Our own correspondent.)

The Ladies' Aid meeting for January, 1923, was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Chittick on Thursday, the 13th. In spite of the threatening weather there was a good attendance of members and also some visitors. The business part of the meeting was conducted as usual. Mrs. William Fulton then read the following address and Mrs. Aird presented Mrs. Chittick with coffee and teapot combined:

Dear Mrs. Chittick,—We as members of the Mulock Ladies' Aid regret very deeply your removal from our midst, as you have been one of our most valued members and were always willing and ready to do all in your power to make our Aid a success. For two years you very ably filled the office of Treasurer and we feel we cannot let you leave us without showing some appreciation of your good work and efforts you have put forth for the welfare of our Aid since it was organized in March, 1920. We ask you to kindly accept this coffee and teapot as a small token of remembrance, and as you use it from day to day it will bring fresh to your memory the members and work of Mulock Ladies' Aid. May God richly bless you in health and strength, and that you may be spared to continue your good work and enjoy your new home for many years to come and find it convenient to frequently renew the warm friendship which you have made during your residence here.

Signed on behalf of the Aid.—Mrs. Aird, President; Mrs. Fulton, Sec.

Mrs. Chittick, who was completely taken by surprise, made a very appropriate reply and thanked the ladies for their kindness and said that she would always have an interest in the work of the Mulock Ladies' Aid, and invited any of the members to visit her in her new home. A dainty lunch was served before the meeting closed, after which Rev. Aird closed with prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKechnie entertained a number of young people from Lamash and Mulock Friday evening. All report having an ideal time.

Wonder who the Western Chesleyite was who visited in our burg recently.

Mr. Edgar Boyce, who has been holidaying with friends in Hamilton, the past three weeks, returned home Friday wishing he were a banker instead of a farmer, so he might remain in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spiesz were welcome visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lunney recently.

We were pleased to note by the paper last week that Mr. J. H. Chittick has again taken the Clerkship for 1923. Mr. Chittick is the right man in the right place.

Miss Eva V. Fiddis was the guest of her friends, the Misses Irene and Katie McDonald, over the week-end.

Mrs. William Lunney and daughter Margaret, visited Crawford friends Sunday.

**THE TRIALS OF A MAYOR**  
(Municipal Journal.)

Some years ago when conversing with a wealthy public man who had had a large experience in civic government, we asked him why more men of leisure did not take up public work. The answer he gave was significant: "I have many friends who have the time and the means to go in for public life but all are afraid of becoming the butt for all kinds of slander. Why, I never knew what an awful liar I was until I became an alderman." As the man in question was the soul of honor and truth, his remarks could not help but make one appreciate the trials of those who conduct public affairs, especially municipal affairs. The conversation was recalled to our mind in reading the experience of ex-Mayor P. W. Johnson of Marian, South Carolina, who, after six years of office, lost his election. Mr. Johnson is editor of the local newspaper in which he summarizes his term of office as follows:

We have settled land disputes, family disputes, dog disputes, and some unfair accounts. We have been insulted, disgusted, spat upon and imposed upon. We have locked up culprits for wrong-doing, and then envied them their place of limbo.

We have been blamed for stopped sewers, blocked streets, heavenly showers, poor telephone service and the present price of cotton.

We have been cursed for cutting down trees and threatened with death for allowing other trees to stand.

We have been blacklisted for the bum work of one policeman and ostracized for the sterling work of another.

We have been called a liar until we almost believe it.

We have become widely known as a grand rascal, an arch criminal, a desperado, a policy player and a bigoted fool.

We have been accused of attempting to give the Presbyterian Church title to the town hall.

Mothers have accused us of overrunning the town with dogs, and the dog owners have blamed us for the deluge of babies.

One bunch wanted hogs in town while another said there were too many hogs already.

They cursed our name when mosquito time came.

They yelled at us when the ditches ran over after having been filled to capacity by the good Lord.

They blamed us for the many peculiarities of their neighbor's dog, chickens, manservant, maidservant, and mule.

**STAMPING OUT TUBERCULOSIS  
AT ITS SOURCE**

The Dominion Department of Agriculture has taken a further step towards the eradication of tuberculosis in cattle. By an Order-in-Council of December 11, eradication by prescribed districts will be undertaken by the Health of Animals Branch. The Department is prepared to apply quarantine to restricted areas on the request of a provincial government and to test cattle for the disease. The quarantine will be applied, insofar as bovine tuberculosis is concerned, under such conditions as will prevent contact with cattle from outside. Owners of cattle within the area will be required to assist the veterinary inspectors by collecting the cattle when required and by giving such help as may be reasonably demanded. Testing will be performed by accredited veterinarians and will be completed as rapidly as possible.

Compensation up to two-thirds the appraised value will be paid for such reactors as are destroyed. Provision is made for saving for breeding purposes valuable animals that react to the test. These, if the owner desires, may be segregated under what is known as the "Bang system," this being virtually a quarantine from which only the newly-born calves may be saved and returned to the healthy herd.

The above is issued under the authority of the Director of Publicity, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

**MEAFORD SUFFERING FROM  
EPIDEMIC OF COLDS**  
(Meaford Mirror)

Meaford and district are suffering from an epidemic of very severe colds which in some cases is said to be the simon-pure flu. In town the telephone office has been hit and the well operators have been forced to work long shifts in order to keep the service going without interruption. Several stores have been decidedly short of salespeople and have been merely making the best of it. In many homes the mother is sick and friend husband is called upon to be the cook, nursemaid, janitor and everything else, as well as looking after the business between times.

It is in the country, however, that conditions appear to be the worst. On New Year's Day we learned of many cases on the 7th line north, but now the condition seems to be general.

South of the town are many farm homes where the entire household is down and practically the only assistance they receive is from the doctor when he calls.

One man we heard of is doing the chores for four of his neighbors, as well as looking after his own household and work. That is genuine neighborliness.

All the doctors are rushed by the calls on their time but are doing everything in their power to cope with the situation.

**"WIRELESS" MYSTERY Baffles  
MEAFORD THEATRE OWNER**  
(Meaford Mirror.)

After having spent hundreds of dollars in trying to instal wireless in the Star Theatre, Mr. J. A. Morrison was forced to discard the first two machines tried and now has a third outfit with which he is persisting in his efforts.

For some reason or other it seems

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River Desert, Que.—"I used to have a severe pain in my side. I would be unable to walk fast and could not stand for any length of time to do my ironing or washing, but I would have to lie down to get relief from the pain. I had this for about two years, then a friend told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had had good results. I certainly got good results from it, too, as the last time I had a sore side was last May and I have not had it since. I am also glad of having good nursing for my baby, and I think it is your medicine that helped me in this way."—Mrs. L. V. Budge, River Desert, Quebec.

If you are suffering from the tortures of a displacement, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness, or a pain in the side, you should lose no time in trying Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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impossible to get good results from the equipment in his theatre. Further mystery was thrown on the matter when this week he took the outfit to another radio fan's home and hooked it up, with perfect results. Mr. Morrison now thinks that it must be something in the wiring of his theatre for lighting purposes that is disturbing the wireless.

When it was grounded on the water pipes there was interference, which was escaped when a separate ground was made. There is still much to be learned about the action of the stray juice that is floating through the air and carrying such melodies, market reports and messages on its silent wings. Mr. Morrison hopes he may have his new outfit operating this week.

Says an agitator: "There are crooks in high places, but the man on the street is upright." Not if the speed artists see him.

**EGREMONT COUNCIL**

Council met January 8. Members elected subscribed to the statutory declaration and took their seats as members of the Council for the year 1923.

Reeve—Gilbert McEachern.  
Deputy Reeve—Neil Calder.  
Councillors—Allan McDougald,  
William M. Groat and William Aberdein.

The Reeve addressed the Council. Minutes read and adopted.  
Comr. McDougald reported Thom-Yake, repairing bridge and supplying timber, \$2.00.

Comr. Groat reported W. Hunter, balance on gravelling Egremont and Proton Town Line, Egremont's share \$2.50.

Groat—Aberdein—That a grant of \$5 be given to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.—Carried.

McDougald—Groat—That the Deputy Returning Officers be paid the same as last year.—Lost.

Calder—Aberdein—That the Deputy Returning Officers be paid \$9.50 each, divided as follows: D.R.O., \$4.50; Poll Clerks \$2.00; Polling places \$3.00.—Carried.

Calder—McDougald—That Clerk be instructed to order seven copies of the Municipal World.—Carried.

Aberdein—Groat—That the Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors receive \$3.00 per day while attending Council meetings and that By-law be amended accordingly.—Carried.

McDougald—Calder—That Councillor Aberdein be instructed to examine the Registry Office re Treasurer's surties and report at next meeting of Council.—Carried.

Calder—McDougald—That the rate of payment for winter work on roads be as follows: Man and team, 40c. per hour; man, 20c. per hour.—Car.

McDougald—Groat—That Dr. McLellan's account for medical services re Mrs. Fiddler to the amount of \$40 be paid and that the Dr. be authorized to attend upon Mrs. Fiddler if necessary.—Carried.

McDougald—Calder—That 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 the amount expended upon the township roads during the year 1922.—Carried.

Calder—McDougald—In reference to the Grand Trunk Railway station at Holstein. Whereas it is in the interests of the travelling public to have the station maintained for passenger service up to the time of the departure of the night train, and whereas during the past few years it has not been so maintained, we, the Council of Egremont Township in meeting assembled desire that this matter be brought to the attention of our member of parliament Miss A. Macphail, requesting her to use her influence in our behalf to have this matter remedied.—Carried.

By-laws were passed appointing John McPhee, John R. Philp and Hugh Lamont School Attendance Officers; James H. McDougald a member of the local Board of Health; W. W. Ramage and Walter Hastie, Auditors.

McDougald—Calder—That the following accounts be paid: John Brown, William Leith, William Rogers, Charles McInnes, Val. Giles and Peter Keith, for services and expenses as Deputy Returning Officers, \$9.50 each; C. Ramage & Son, printing account, \$3.25; A. Allan, erecting crossing signs, \$3.50; V. Giles, extra services re polling subdivision No. 5, \$1.50; Municipal World, seven copies for 1923, \$7.00; B. Gibson, use of room, \$2.00; members of Council, \$15.00.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet Monday, February 12, to receive the Auditors' Report, appoint Pathmasters and general business.

—David Allan, Clerk.

**Standing By Him.**

Brown, a newly wedded suburbanite, had promised to be home from town at six o'clock. At midnight his wife frantically sent six telegrams to as many of his friends living in town, asking each if her husband was stopping with them over night.

Toward morning hubby and his broken-down auto were approaching the house when a messenger boy rushed up with six telegrams.

All of them read: "Yes, John is spending the night with me."

**NORMANBY COUNCIL**

The Council elect met in the Clerk's office, Ayton, Monday, January 8, at 11 a.m. The Clerk administered the oath of office to each member. The Council organized as follows:

Reeve—Charles Holm.  
Deputy Reeve—William Miller.  
Councillors: William Ovens, R. Barber, Henry Miller.

Barber—H. Miller—That M. E. Murray and J. W. Forbes be Auditors for 1923.—Carried.

Mr. Barber introduced By-law No. 1 of 1923 re appointment of Auditors, which was given its proper readings.

William Ovens introduced By-law No. 2, re remuneration of township officials, which was given its proper readings.

The Council organized into the following road divisions:

Division 1—Henry Miller.  
Division 2—William Miller.  
Division 3—Richard Barber.  
Division 4—William Ovens.

The Reeve and Deputy Reeve and the Commissioner in whose division a bridge is situated constitute the Bridge Committee. The Reeve may add to the committee any other member he may see fit.

The following were appointed as Sheep Inspectors:

Division 1—John Oehm.  
Division 2—H. B. Feick.  
Division 3—Henry Ford.  
Division 4—William Marshall.  
Division 5—William Carson.  
Division 6—J. L. Murphy.  
Division 7—John R. Anderson.

Barber—W. Miller—That the Assessor be instructed to take a census of all the bulls in the Township as per instructions of the agricultural representative of the County of Grey.—Carried.

Ovens—Barber—That the following accounts be paid:

W. Seales, 16 yds. gravel.... \$1.60  
A. Hill, acct. steel for bridge...2000.00  
Council meeting at date..... 17.80  
Board of Health, mtg. at date 8.70  
O. Widmeyer, printing..... 63.00  
Election expenses, 1923..... 77.82  
W. G. Hastie, Treas. Bentinck,  
bal. acct. Nor. & Bent..... 17.00  
John Philp, Treas. Egremont,  
bal. acct. E. & N..... 31.37  
Sick Children's Hosp., grant..... 5.00  
Municipal World, 7 copies..... 7.00

The Clerk was instructed to receive applications for Assessor up to February 5.

The Council adjourned to meet in the Clerk's office, Ayton, on Monday, February 5, at 10 a.m., to appoint an assessor and for general business.

—R. H. Fortune, Clerk.

**ARTHUR VILLAGE HAS  
UNIQUE WAR MEMORIAL**

The village of Arthur has under construction, says Toronto Star Weekly, a war memorial which for originality of design and beauty of conception cannot be equalled as yet in the province. Many towns have decided on what they term a "practical" war memorial, such as a public building, a school or skating rink which the community badly needed, but which they were unable to secure except with the sentimental aid of the dead boys of the village. The village of Arthur would have none of that. Neither would it have a gravestone or a bronze statue. It evolved something of its own to mark its respect and love for the boys it knew who never came home. This beautiful cenotaph is made of field stone selected from the countryside about Arthur. It is to stand in a little park 130 by 100 feet, right in the centre of the town, at the crossing of two highways. From the inner corner of the park it will face the crossroads, the central motif being a wall 21 feet long and 8 feet high, in which will be set a stone cross and on the cross an inverted sword of bronze and the victor's laurel wreath. Two tablets will bear the names of the fallen. Two flanking walls at an angle are 12 feet long and 2 feet high. Before the cenotaph, beneath the symbolic sword, is a tomb. And concealed by shrubbery will be low stone benches. The whole scheme will be backed by dark evergreen trees and lombardy poplars. Rixon Rafter, editor of the Arthur Enterprise-News (who, though blind since his boyhood, went through Queen's and is now a leader in his community) is one of the most active promoters of this unique memorial, as are Mr. and Mrs. Brocklebank and Mrs. D. T. Small,

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