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NINETEEN SIXTEEN

NOTICE

Contestants will please take notice that all votes must be in by next Monday, January 3, when the standing will be made up and published.

With the near approach of the New Year, we again come to our many customers to tell them of our continued success.

The DESIGNER one year for only 40 cents

Just think, by joining our Club to-day you can get the DESIGNER for the whole year for 40 cents.

Durham School Report

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
Forms III—M McElraith, H McDougall, G Campbell, M Marshall, E Carson.

Durham Nominations

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town, amongst them being a new High School and the Hydro System.

HOLSTEIN LEADER

ORCHARD

The trustees have engaged Mr Stewart, of Dundalk, to teach for the coming year. We wish Mr Stewart every success.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Rev. W Hunt and family, of Norval, spent Xmas with relatives here. Gilbert Durant is spending his holidays with friends around Holstein.

Miss Mary Long is home from Midland visiting her mother and friend over Xmas and New Year's holidays.

Mr and Mrs G. P. Leith spent Xmas with Mrs Leith's mother at Brooklin, Ont. Mr Mesnard, of Buffalo, was a guest at the manse over Christmas.

The Ontario Fur Farms Limited

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the first part of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada 1906, known as "The Companies Act," Letters Patent have been issued under the Seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1915, incorporating George By, gentleman, John Richard Philp, capitalist, Leslie Bernard Nicholson, miller, Alfred Joseph Bulger, manufacturer, all of the town of Holstein in the Province of Ontario and John Peter Duffus of the City of New York in the state of New York, and of the United States of America, Industrial broker, for the following purposes, viz: (a) To buy, sell, exchange or otherwise deal in furs and other fur-bearing animals for breeding or any other purpose, and of pelts and other furs, and to carry on a general fur business including all lines incidental thereto.

DROMORE

Miss Nellie Atchison, Toronto, spent Christmas at her parental home here. Mr and Mrs D. Leith of Normanby called on friends in the village on Monday and attended the Anniversary Social at Amos Church.

Address and Presentation

[The following kindly communications explain themselves. War cannot kill—it even suggests—the Christmas spirit.]

To Mr. Ernest McGirr, Teacher, Friend and Soldier Boy.—We, the pupils of S. S. No. 2, Egremont, take this opportunity at this joyous season of renewing acquaintance with you, wishing you all the blessings possible and telling you of how disappointed we were at your not coming back to teach us after midsummer holidays and how grieved we felt at the time. But now we begin to realize it was all for the best, that you have taken a higher position on our behalf and we know what a valiant soldier you will make as you were always so manly and courageous in all affairs both in and out of school as well as being considerate and kind in reproving us for our waywardness.

That we know that when with our assistance the enemy is captured, you can do nothing to bring shame or dishonor to our good Canadian flag. We hope you may soon reach to one of the higher floors over men so they may recognize your worth as an instructor as we do.

I conclude we hope this dreadful war may soon end in a lasting peace for every body and that you may return home safe and sound. We now ask you to accept this shaving set not for its intrinsic value but as an expression of good wishes for a derry Christmas.

Signed on behalf of the School Inez Mead Cecil McMeekin Durham, Dec 27, 1915

Dear Pupils and Friends, It was with considerable surprise on reaching home that I received the beautiful gift with which you presented me. Accept my heartiest thanks for it. As the army regulations call for a shave every morning, it shall be a reminder to me at least once a day of the many enjoyable times spent among you during my year there.

Once again thanking you for your good wishes and wishing you all a happy and prosperous New Year. I remain, Yours sincerely, P. A. J. McGirr

No. 2, EGREMONT. Sr 4th—Jean Kerr 715, Elizabeth Woods 604, Jr 4th—Isene Barbeau 519, Ruby McMeekin 484, Sr 5th—Willie Marshall 601, Rets Barbeau 550, Elva Nottle 578, Inez Meade 519 (misses some tests), Daniel Kerr 507, Alvin Noble 597, Jr 5th—Ella Wilson 587, Minnie Pollock 480, Cecil McMeekin 468, Bessie McMeekin 400, 1st—Ken Allan, A—Sadie Noble, Jessie Marshall, B—Alice Lennox and Minnie Lennox, C—Robbie Wilson. Percy Ross, Teacher.

Cattle Astray Strayed from the premises of the undersigned lot 54 con 3, Egremont, on 11th December, 13 head of young cattle. Suitable reward for information that will lead to their recovery. G. D. RAY, R. E. No. 3, Mt Forest

BRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

New Year Fares

Single Fare Good going Dec 31st, 1915 and Jan 1st, 1916 Return limit — Jan 3rd Fare & One-Third Good going Dec. 28th, 1915 to Jan 1st 1916, inclusive. Return limit — Jan. 4th, 1916

Telephone Directory

A NEW ISSUE of the Telephone Directory is now being prepared, and additions and changes for it should be reported to our Local Manager at once.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

The "Transcanada" The Rideau to Ottawa

From Toronto Daily 6:40 p. m. FORT ARTHUR FORT WILLIAM WINNIPEG VANCOUVER Through Equipment Electric lighted Compartment Observation car, standard and tourist sleepers, dining car, first-class coaches

ATTRACTIVE WINTER TOURS

Limited Trains connect at Detroit with through Sleepers to Florida; also connections via Buffalo, Washington and Cincinnati. Improved service via C. P. R. and M. C. R. to Chicago connects with all through service Chicago to California.

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He asked Mayor and last year's Council "What are you going to do about it?" Three courses were open: 1. Let the debt next year at a higher rate, make a new by-law or go to the government and get the debt consolidated, extending it over 30 or 40 years.

He charged that labor installing the hydro should have been better supervised, "some man up a pole and three or four looking at him." Unwisdom or unbusiness methods had prevailed in the purchase of hydro supplies, there was a going back in everything even in receipts from market scales, showing that neighboring villages were stealing a march on us.

Mr. Calder followed again and Clerk Voller, chairman, very wisely closed the meeting by gathering up his books and leaving the chair.

TORONTO

Election Card

To the Electors of Egremont Township: Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited as Councillor for 1916. Wishing you a Happy New Year. Yours sincerely, CHAS. HUNT

For Your Holiday Baking

We have been fortunate to secure a good supply this season of all varieties of food stuffs which will be necessary for your holiday baking. The quality is the best obtainable. Let us suggest a few of the most important lines:

Fresh Water Herring and Lake Trout

have just arrived. Other varieties expected soon. Herring per doz 25c We quote— Trout per lb 12c

JOHN M. FINDLAY Dromore