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COUPON Good for 20 Votes - Free. Abraham Fair and Square Review. Cut out this Coupon and bring it to us not later than Thursday, Jan. 22nd, and receive 20 Votes.

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Invites you to the HAPPY HOUR THEATRE Friday & Saturday Evenings

We will exhibit a Moving Picture film showing the Peabody Overall factory at Walkerville being dynamited by German sympathizers while clothing was being made for the soldiers. See the girls at work, the wall being blown out by dynamite, the interior of the building after the explosion, the men in khaki on guard. Also the Armories at Windsor which were occupied by recruits and which the Germans attempted to destroy the same night, and the finding of the suit case with 24 sticks of dynamite. The story is told in a splendid Moving Picture film Friday and Saturday nights. This is the Factory that makes the famous Peabody Overalls that wear like a pig's nose and are sold in Durham only by ABRAHAM

NOTICE There was such a holler when we discontinued giving 200 votes with each package of TIPPERARY TEA that we were forced to continue giving 200 votes with each package and we will continue to give this special inducement until the end of the contest. Everybody is drinking TIPPERARY.

Bargains Before Stock Taking. Stocktaking will be on in a couple of weeks and before doing so we have several lines which we will dispose of at greatly reduced figures rather than carry over. We quote only a few Furs: 2 only Ladies Short Fur Jackets, reg 33.00 for \$27.50. Only mens black beaver cloth coat, fur collar, reg 22.50. Sale price 19.50. 1 Ladies Fur Stole, reg. 10.00, for 8.75. 1 Ladies Fur Stole, reg. \$9 for 7.75. 1 Ladies Black Fur Set, reg. \$5, for 3.90. Child's Fur Sets at correspondingly reduced prices. Coat Sweaters. We have a few left in Men's, Ladies and Childrens which will pay you to purchase. PRINTS - Making room for new Spring Goods. Regular value 14c, for 12c. Regular value 12c for 10c. Leave us your Orders for the "Delineator," the best Ladies Journal procurable. Per annum \$1.50. Single Copy 15c. JOHN M. FINDLAY Dromore

HOLSTEIN LEADER

DROMORE. New phones were installed last week in the following places: T. Renwick, F. Adams, J. Bunston and W. Hastie. Messrs T. Stansbie and Arthur Rouston enlisted this week and leave for O. Sound Feb. 1st. Pte. W. Braggins, of O. Sound, will be in the vicinity for the next two weeks recruiting for 147th Battalion. Quite a number of our young people attended the Ball in Hopeville on Wednesday. Miss Effie Hastie returned to Mt. Forest, B. C. on Monday. Last week's notice gave Mrs John McMurdo as being Mess. Secy. of the W. M. S. This should have read Mrs C. McMillan. Mrs N. Watson, with her daughter, Mrs Lawrence, Sask., visited at J. Renton's Saturday. On behalf of this (neighboring village) we wish to repudiate the statements made by your N. E. correspondent in last week's issue, re the holding of two Balls at this particular season. We feel sure that had your C. any real grievances to complain of he would have accomplished his end more successful by approaching the supposed Promoters of some rather than giving vent to his feelings by airing the whole proposition before the public. We are aware that these events have always been of a thorn-in-the-flesh nature to the above and judging by the attention given to same, will always continue to be such. For his own enlightenment we might say that the Promoters of the last Ball were neither members nor adherents of the church referred to, nor do they reside in our vicinity and therefore were not aware of the Pre-Communion services being held on that date. The first Ball was held purely for patriotic purposes, the net proceeds of which amounted to \$63.00. This was conducted under the auspices of the Patriotic Society, who deemed it advisable, as previous attempts at raising finances along vocal lines had not proved very successful. It was rather a surprise to us to learn there is in (a. v.) one who apparently deems himself competent to dictate to our young men of their freedom to enlist. We would not care to assume this delicate responsibility ourselves and provided we did, would probably commence the work near our own place of abode. We understand two more Balls are being held this week in neighboring villages and we would suggest your N. E. C. get busy and likewise endeavor to exercise his Resformation Policies in these respective vicinities.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL. Mrs Jno. Horskurg, of Sask., is visiting Mrs Doupe and other friends in this vicinity. Mrs Wm. Geddes, Messrs Jas. Geddes and Alex Henderson attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr Thos. Philip, at Guelph, last week. The Boy Scouts are beginning preparations for the 24th May celebration. Mr John J. Merchant, formerly of Holstein, now of Winnipeg, who has been in training for over a year, expects to sail in the near future for Rogland. The Methodist Church is holding their Anniversary Services on Sunday and Monday evening, Jan 16 and 17. Rev. Mr Magwood, of Toronto, former pastor here, will preach on Sunday and give a lecture on Monday eve entitled "Mind your own Business." Hon. Geo. Brown, Ex Lieut.-Governor of Sask., now of Toronto, will preside over the meeting and give an address. Special music will be given by the choir. Egremont Council minutes held over till next week. Miss Lena Roe has been visiting friends in Mt. Forest this week. In connection with the Patriotic Society of Holstein a list of all who have subscribed to the Patriotic Fund will be published after Feb. 1st, 1916. Those who have not subscribed and wish their name to appear will call on or send to Miss E. Sharp, Treas. The Holstein Branch of the Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs J. R. Philip on Thursday, Jan 20th. Mrs (D.) Ferguson will speak on "What every woman ought to know." The Roll Call will be "Living on an allowance." Mr Duffus, of Niagara, is spending a few days in our village in the interest of the Fox Farm Syndicate. The Holstein Patriotic Society shipped another good bale on Friday last to Shorncliffe, Eg., forty flannel shirts, and forty-two pairs of knitted socks, sweater and mufflers. They expect to have another shipment ready in two weeks. At a meeting of the representatives of the township in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday afternoon of this week, the following organization was completed in connection with the One Hundred Citizens Committee. The township was organized in detail, the six voting municipalities, having captains and teams to canvass for every voter to sign the 100 Committee Petition. Credit Auction Sale of Farm Stock and Hay on premises of late Wm. Horskurg on Friday, Jan. 21st. 12 mos credit given on approved joint notes. 6 per cent off for cash. D. McPhail, Auctioneer. Chas McInnes, Walter Horskurg, Executors. The death took place last Friday night of John Samuel McCaw, at his home in Avonlea, Sask., son of Mr and Mrs Arch. McCaw, Egremont. He had been ill about a month with rheumatic fever, and pneumonia set in, causing his death. His wife (formerly Miss Annie Rawn) and two children, aged 8 and 4 years, survive, who with relatives here, have the deep sympathy of many friends. On Thursday, the 6th inst., the Connor Machine Co., Ltd., of Exeter, erected considerable interest in the village by demonstrating their six-cylinder gasoline engine and 5-hp. plate grain grinder in the barn of Mr G. T. Calder. The engine used was only a 4 H. P., which the Company claims is peculiarly the "Farmer's Engine," as it will do all the work any farmer wishes to do on his own farm on a very small amount of gasoline. On this occasion the railway people were slow in delivering the machines, so the operators were late in getting started. They ran for exactly two hours and ground 688 pounds of very musty and light grain into real fine and even chop. The gasoline was measured in and out by

Mr Calder's men and the amount used was 5 1/2 pints exactly. To those who use gasoline engines, this is a very small consumption and proves the engine to be very economical. The salesman in charge again challenged the makers of water-cooled engines to a public competition. So far none have accepted the Company's challenge. It is evident the makers feel very sure of their product, as they not only challenge the makers of other engines to compete, but they also sell to the farmers on 30 days approval before he pays a cent, on condition that he does not buy a rival engine until he has had it also on the same approval conditions so that he may have a fair comparison. On the morning of the 7th the operators saved a large quantity of poles very smartly before leaving for Mt. Forest. Mr G. T. Calder speaks very highly of the great power of this small plant which cannot only run the 8-inch grinder to grind about 500 lbs. of hard grain per hour, but also run a cutting box and the allo filler manufactured by the company. The outfit certainly is a first-class one. Holstein School Report. SENIOR DIVISION. Sr 4th - Mary Bye 99 (hon.), Sadie Hamilton 95 (h), Mary Myers 83 (h), Ina Meach 72 (h), Anna Cares 70 (h), Pearl Drummond 70 (h), Walter Farrell 67, Allan Aitken 63, Ernie Sutton 62, Edith Abbott 62, Viola McClocklin 62, Merton Pettigrew 58, Jessie Allingham 48, R. W. McKenzie 46, Ethel Haas 45. Sr 3d - Martin Bye 398 (h), Frank Douglas 370 (h), K. the Baird 367 (h), Louis Woodyard 350 (h), Jack Sutton (h), Arthur Irwin 30. Jr 3d - Florence Reid 370 (h), Maud Pettigrew 365 (h), Annie Hamilton 295, Daisy Irwin 288, Lloyd Hamilton 288, Pearl Douglas 277, Marie O'Connell 264, Ruby Keir 255, Laura Hunt 229, Geo Baird 229, Willie McKenzie 219, Burrows Smith 198, Arthur Brown 188, Clinton Rice 185, Melville Hunt 64. J. DE GUERRA, Teacher. JUNIOR DIVISION. Jr 2nd - Elsie Reid 304, Austin O'Connell 384, Ella Matthews 307, Joan Myers 300, Joe Ellis 350, Tom McKenzie 332, Willis Abbott 331, Bernice Petrie 315, Charlie Sutton 303, Addie Haas 260. Sr 1st - Clara Matthews 307, Agnes Evans 304, Grace Baird 300, Emma Aitken 278, Edward Brooks 134. Class A - John McKenzie, Matilda Christie, Willie Ellis, Michael McGrath. Class B - John Mathews, Gladys Rice, Mary McCall, Robena Haas, Murray Hunt, Alfred McClocklin, Edna Dyer, Mabel Sutton, John Heaney. Class C - Lillian McCall, Ruth Smith, Jean Baird, Jean Heaney, Ass. Brooks, Gladys Pettigrew. Class D - Frank Heaney, John Calder, Robbie Aitken, Lizzie McGrath, Ruby Lewis, Jean Ellis, Jim Christie. Class E - Isabel Haas, Howard Reid, Sandy McKenzie. A. ATKINSON, Teacher. ORCHARD. A number of the people here attended the service at the Methodist church, Holstein, Sunday evening. Mr and Mrs A. Tusk visited last week with friends at Priceville. Mrs Jno. Douglas gave a dance on Wednesday evening to many of her friends. Miss Mary is leaving for Toronto this week. Mr and Mrs Thos. Kirby visited Sunday at Geo. Lewis', Knox. SAW LOGS WANTED - The undersigned is prepared to buy at saw-mill or factory logs of the following kinds: Pine, Spruce, Balsam, Hemlock or Cedar. ZENUS CLARK.

THE ONTARIO FUR FARMS, Limited. HOLSTEIN, ONTARIO. Incorporated under Dominion Charter. Capital Stock \$40,000. Present issue \$7,500 - 7,500 Shares of \$1 Each. Par Value of Shares \$1 each. All Shares fully paid non-assessable. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS. President, George Bye, Holstein. Auditor, Dr Ferguson, Holstein. Vice-Pres. John Philip, Holstein. Director, Richard Ellis, Holstein. Secy., L. B. Nicholson, Holstein. Director, T. J. O'Neill, Kenilworth. Gen Mgr. J. P. Duffus, New York. Bankers, Bk. of Montreal, Holstein. Treas., A. J. Baller, Holstein. Solicitor, R. O. Kilgour, Mt. Forest. Head Office, Holstein, Ont. Ranch for present with Niagara Prince Edward Silver Black Fox Company. Ranch at O'Leary, Prince Edward Island, until the Company shall build their ranch near Holstein, Ontario, when foxes will be moved. The first annual meeting of the above company was held at Holstein when officers as above were elected and by-laws passed. A very few shares remaining open for subscription, it was voted to close subscription books on the 24th inst. Applications for shares will be received by the Secy., L. B. Nicholson and allotted in order received, the right being reserved to return applications received before above date if remaining amount open for subscription is sold. The success of The Niagara Prince Edward Silver Black Fox Company which paid 30 per cent this fall and which a number of local people are interested, is commonly known, and you have an opportunity to share in the profits of The Ontario Fur Farms, Ltd., next fall, if you act at once. Prospectus and information may be had from the Secretary or any Director. To secure an allotment, the application blank below. L. B. NICHOLSON, Secy. The Ontario Fur Farms, Ltd., Holstein, Ont. I hereby subscribe for _____ Shares of the Capital Stock of the Ontario Fur Farms, Ltd., at \$1 per share and enclose \$_____ as deposit on same, and agree to pay balance with interest. Signed _____

Table with 2 columns: Clubbing Rates and WINTER RESORTS. Clubbing Rates: The Review and Toronto Daily Star for 1 year 3.00, The Review and Toronto Daily News for one year 3.00, The Review and Toronto Daily World for year 3.75, The Review and Weekly Mail and Empire for 1 year 1.75, The Review and the Family Herald and Weekly Star for 1 year 1.90, The Review and Weekly Witness for 1 year 1.00, The Review and Weekly Sun for year 1.50, The Review and Weekly Advertiser for one year 1.93, The Review and Toronto Daily Globe for 1 year 3.43, The Review and Toronto Daily Mail and Empire for 1 year 3.00, The Review and Daily Free Press for 1 year 3.00, The Review and Weekly Free Press for one year 1.90. WINTER RESORTS: Special round Trip Fares. Long Hints - stopovers. Asheville and Hot Springs, N. C., Charleston, S. C., Nassau, N. P., Hot Springs, Ark.; French Lick Springs, Ind.; Jacksonville and all Florida points; Havana, Oahu and New Orleans, La. via New York and rail (or steamer according to destination) or via Buffalo, Detroit or Chicago. Bermuda and West Indies Other Health Resorts: Mount Clemens, Mich.; Battle Creek, Mich.; St. Catharines, Well. Ont.; Preston Springs, Ont. Tickets and full information on application to Grand Trunk Ticket Agents.

CANADIAN PACIFIC. The "Transcanada" The Rideau to Ottawa. From Toronto Daily 8:40 p. m. PORT ARTHUR, FORT WILLIAM, WINNIPEG, VANCOUVER. Through Equipment. Electric lighted Compartment. Observation car, standard and tourist sleepers, dining car, first-class coaches. The frequent C.P.R. Service passing through the Business Centre of each City is an asset to the Traveller. ATTRACTIVE WINTER TOURS to California, Florida, etc. Limited Trains connect at Detroit with through Sleepers to Florida; also connection 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. Particulars from R. MacFarlane, Agent, Durham, or write M. G. MURPHY, Dist. Passgr. Agt., Toronto.

BORN. ISAAC - In Toronto on Jan. 3rd to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Isaac a daughter. Inactivity in Municipal Affairs. Meaford had an experience this year. Only two council men qualified and another nomination must be made. Barrie had many nominees but they, like Durham, fell off to acclamation proportions. Chatsworth had six nominees, two couldn't qualify and three wouldn't, so another nomination must be held there. This and much more leads the Meaford Express to say that the inactivity is "alarming," and that a radical change must take place and civic activities be placed in the hands of Commissioners, who would be paid for their services. The light slipway nominations are made, the carelessness of many even to record their vote, the repugnance of some of the best citizens to give their services all point to an unhealthy condition of civic affairs, needing mending or remodelling. One cause is generally assigned: "A thankless job." It is too true and we would recommend as a New Year resolution to every citizen outside of the council, to search rather for points for which praise can be given rather than for slips for which blame can be attached.

DIED. McCaw - At Avonlea, Sask., Samuel McCaw, aged 32 yrs., 10 months. GILLIES - At his son's residence, 10th con., Egremont, Mr Chas. Gillies. Ag. Society Annual Meeting. The Annual Meeting of Egremont Agricultural Society will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Holstein, on Tuesday, January 18, at 2 o'clock. Full attendance of all members is requested. W. M. GHOAT, President. L. B. NICHOLSON, Secy.-Treas.

PUBLIC SALE. of our Entire \$9000 stock of Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishings, Groceries, Crockery, Boots, Shoes, Patent Medicines, Stationery. Before Stock-taking we must largely reduce our Stock,—everything is being sacrificed. The goods are first-class—come and share in the bargains. For 15 Days Only Commencing Monday, Jan. 10. You will find hundreds of real snaps here. See large bills for partial list. Be on hand early in the Sale—let nothing keep you away. Store open every evening. H. ALLINGHAM, Holstein.

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