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Mr. F. J. Ross of the Dental College Toronto, is spending the Xmas season at home.

Mr Joseph Bilton, Windsor, and the Misses Bilton of Kitchener are at present with their parents.

C. S. Legge, Detroit, is home for Xmas.

Mr Ed. Haas of Kitchener is home for Xmas holidays.

Mr Merton Reid spent a few days in Toronto.

Messrs Russell and Gordon Scott is spending holidays at the manse.

Miss Susie Tucker, North Egremont was the guest of Miss Lez Allan recently.

Mr Geo. Calder has had the Hydro installed in his dwelling house.

Messrs Herman Schenk and Frank Eccles have returned from the west, reporting 40 below zero.

Both Sunday School entertainments had good weather for the occasion and good crowds. The evenings were spent pleasantly, the programs consisting of recitations, dialogues, readings, choruses, etc.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent on Friday at the closing of the school. The section are to be congratulated on securing such able teachers. They are willing to spend and be spent in the interest of their pupils. To these, who are not much in touch with the system of teaching, it would appear greatly different to the system of a decade or so ago. The pupils have evidently great advantages over those of by gone years. The teachers are gone home to spend a well earned holiday.

Nomination as every one knows will be held on Monday, 29th Dec.

Will those who have taken books out previous to Dec. 1, kindly return same before end of year as requested by the Librarian.

Strayed from Lot 2, Con. 12, on Saturday, Nov. 9th, shearing shropshire ram. Please notify Mr John Troup, Holstein.

For Sale—Pure-bred Jersey calf, two weeks old. Pedigree furnished. J. D. Roberts, Holstein.

On Wednesday, Dec. 17, a quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Geo. Calder, when their only daughter, Helena was married by her pastor, Rev Mr Scott, to Mr G. O. Armstrong, Protton. After a dainty wedding dinner the happy couple left for their home.

On Dec. 17th, a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr and Mrs Geo. Robb, 12th con., Egremont when their second daughter, Miss May was married to Mr Edward Green of Sask., Rev Mr Scott officiating.

Hallman—Bilton—On Wednesday, Dec. 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Bingham, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph Bilton to Mr Hallman of Kitchener.

Wedding bells are still ringing.

The annual meeting of the Egremont Creamery Co was held on the 18th inst. There was a rather small representation present. D. Allan presided and W. J. Sharp acted as Secretary. The auditor's and stock reports were read. D. Grier and R. Christie were appointed auditors. The non-share fees were placed at 20c per cwt. for 1920. The salaries of the Directors and Executive Committee were fixed at \$1.00 each per meeting. It was decided to hold a special meeting of the patrons of the factory in order to gain some information regarding the proper care of Cream in order to produce the best quality of butter. It was pointed out that Ontario butter scored low in the scoring contests. The election of Directors resulted as follows: J. Marshall, W. Ferguson, W. J. Eccles, J. McInnes, J. McArthur, D. Gillies, R. Caulfield, D. Allan. D. Allan was elected President and W. J. Sharp, Sec. Treasurer for 1920. General Statement: Total make of butter, 1919, 115,148 lbs.; total value of sales, \$59,065.77; cost of manufacture, \$1,275.62; non-share fees, \$148.01; buttermilk at 20c per cwt., \$287.87; total patrons of factory, 294. But or fat paid non-shareholders: Sale I, 52c; II, 55c; III, 60c; IV, 50c; V, 57c; VI, 58c; VII, 57c; VIII, 57c; IX, 60c; X, 67c. Shareholders were paid 20c per cwt. more each sale.

**Annual Nomination Day**

Monday next, 29th Dec., is Nomination Day, and every ratepayer is expected to be present. The invitation is also extended to the ladies for under the new "Women's Municipal Qualification Act". She can hold a seat in the Council, or be appointed to any municipal office if she is a voter or tenant in her own right. They are also eligible to be appointed on school boards if owner or actual occupants of farms with their husbands or fathers. Nomination meetings are always interesting. Come out then men and women and show appreciation of your franchise.

**EGREMONT COUNCIL**

Council met December 15; members all present. Minutes adopted, also minutes of special meeting held December 10.

Com. Allan reported re road improvements in his division:—Culverts, \$40; rep. ditch \$10, gravel \$7.04, fees \$1.

Com. Swanson reported:—Winter work \$2, tile draining \$3.50.

Com. McEachern reported:—Rep. road \$4.50, moving grader \$3, use of tackle, Porter's bridge \$20.

Com. McDougall reported:—Rep. ditch \$3.30, graveling \$31.50, dragging road \$2.25, tile drain \$2.50, gravel \$4.48, fees \$2.

McEachern—Allan: That Thomas Bunston be paid the sum of \$5 for putting tile drain across the 40th sideroad in lieu of culvert.—Car.

Allan—Swanson: That an order be drawn on the Treasurer in favor of Colin McMillan to the amount of \$4.25, being refund of taxes by reason of loss of buildings by fire.—Car.

Com. McEachern reported as follows re the construction of the steel superstructure of the Morrison bridge. According to agreement the contractor took out the old bridge and had it piled in a convenient place. The steel superstructure is 78 feet, six inches in length, thirteen feet wide, and guaranteed to carry ten tons with a safety factor of 42 per cent, which is equivalent to 41 tons—400 pounds carrying strength. The rivetting was properly done under my personal supervision. This bridge is now completed, except painting, according to the agreement entered into by the committee and the contractor. I recommend that \$100 of the contract price be retained until the painting is completed.

McDougall—Swanson: That Com. McEachern's report be adopted and he receive \$5 for his services overseeing same.—Carried.

McEachern—McDougall: That an order be drawn on the Treasurer in favor of Alex. Hill to the amount of \$2340 re Morrison bridge.—Carried.

McEachern—Allan: That James D. Morrison's account as rendered, amounting to \$10 for use of roadway through his property during construction of bridge, be paid.—Car.

By-law No. 369, appointing James Myers tax collector, to collect the unpaid taxes, was passed.

The annual report of the Medical Officer of Health reads as follows:

To the Members of the Board of Health of Egremont Township: Gentlemen:—As M.O.H. for Egremont Township I beg to report as follows for the year ending December 1919. The Township has been fairly free from infectious diseases during the year, except for the general epidemic of influenza during the early winter months of the year. Four cases of scarlet fever were reported, with no deaths. Two cases of diphtheria, no deaths. No cases of small-pox. There has been a number of very mild cases of chicken-pox among children during the last few weeks; also some cases of whooping-cough. Four cases of tuberculosis were reported, with two deaths from this disease during the year. Three cases of typhoid fever, with one death. I remain, Respectfully yours,

T. H. SNEATH, M.O.H.

McEachern—Swanson: That the Financial Statement as read be adopted and 200 copies be printed for distribution.—Carried.

Swanson—Allan: That on account of a disagreement between the Police Village Trustees and the Council as to the agreement between the aforesaid parties whereby we are not able to arrive at a basis of settlement for the ensuing year, and whereas the Council are willing to carry out their part of the agreement and also to meet the Trustees on a fair and reasonable basis of settlement, therefore on account of no settlement being effected, we instruct the Treasurer to withhold any further payments of money, or to honor any order of the Trustees until a settlement is arrived at.—Car.

Resolved that the following accounts be paid: Municipal World, supplies, \$10.30; Ramage & Son, printing acct., \$14.45; C. Drumm, rep. Assessor's box, 75c; J. D. Roberts, use of hall, \$2; J. W. Hunt, for tile, \$5.25; John D. Drimmie, sheep killed, \$18.50; Ed. McRobb, sheep killed, \$40; Treasurer, balance of salary, \$62.50; Treasurer, postage and exchange, \$12.74; Clerk, balance of salary, \$150; Clerk, postage and telephone, \$8.48; Clerk, services re taxes, \$25; B. Gibson, use of Council room, \$2; Reeve, com. and work, \$5; Councillors' pay sheet, \$17.20; Reeve, Councillors Allan and McDougall, attendance at special meeting, \$5.70. Treasurer's services re Financial Statement, \$6.00.

Swanson—Allan: That the Reeve vacate the chair and Deputy-Reeve McDougall occupy same. The Deputy-Reeve tendered to Mr. McArthur the thanks of the Council for his gentlemanly conduct and the efficient manner in which he discharged the duties devolving upon him since filling the vacancy caused by the death of the late and much respected Reeve, Mr. George Lothian.

The Reeve replied and thanked the Council, the Clerk and Treasurer for the co-operation and friendly relationship that existed at the Council Board. Other members of the Council, including Clerk and Treasurer, spoke briefly regarding the work of the year. Council then rose.

**VARNEY**

Wishing the Editor and staff, fellow correspondents and readers, a merry Christmas, a happy and prosperous New Year.

Misses Margaret and Janet Kerr of Stratford Normal school, are spending the holidays at the parental home.

Mr John Kerr is spending the holiday at his home here.

Mr Percy Barber of Toronto arrived home for a Christmas holiday.

Messrs Stewart and Campbell Grant from Detroit are spending a few days at home and around the village.

Mr Albert Keller of Kitchener is holidaying at present with his parents here.

Mr and Mrs Jas. Kerr are giving the young folk an evening of entertainment at their home in the village this Christmas eve.

Mr Wm. Mountain lately sold his farm to Mr Earnest Leesou.

Messrs John Picken and Thos. Gray are busy getting out poles. They intend to engage a sawing on fit soon.

Congratulations to Mr Fred Keller and bride who arrived for Christmas from Sask.

Mr John Kerr is making preparations to erect a new roof on his barn. Mr Will Grant is to supply the rafters.

Mr and Mrs Chas. Hutton from Sask. are spending Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs Julius Keller.

Come to the Christmas trees on Christmas night. By the preparations being made, it no doubt will surpass anything previous.

**ALLAN'S CORNERS**

Congratulations to Mr Thos. Wilson who purchased a first class horse, receiving same from Stratford. Thos. is a lover of a good horse and knows one at first sight.

Mr Wilfred Barbour, who is teaching school at — is spending the Xmas holidays at the parental home.

Sympathy is extended to Mr and Mrs Wm. Dodson of Tyvan, Sask. in the sad loss of their infant child named Lloyd Allan.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Vollett Sunday-ed at the home of Mr and Mrs Palmer Patterson recently.

The Women's Guild of St. Paul's church met at the home of Mrs J. C. Queen's on Wednesday last. The January meeting is to be held at Mrs Arthur Lee's.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Leesou accompanied by Mr and Mrs Archie Allan spent Sunday at the home of Mr Wm Mountain, near Durham.

Mr David Gordon of St. Mary's spent a week among friends and relatives of this locality.

**NORTH EGREMONT**

The last threshing of the season was done last week on the farms of Mr W. A. Lawrence, when he finished the remainder of his grain crop and also threshed his large acreage of sweet clover. The straw carrier machine—preferred for this work—of Mr J. G. Johnston driven by his 16 H. P. gasoline engine performed the work satisfactorily.

The electric lighting system installed by Mr W. H. Hunter is giving fine satisfaction. The Hydro Inspector who was invited in, pronounced it first class and should result in a lower insurance rate. It gives the owner more satisfaction than any of the other many fine improvements installed by him.

Messrs W. H. Hunter and W. Ramage represented Tartan Grange at the recent U. F. O. Convention at Toronto, and report an enthusiastic attendance and warm ovation to the new Premier.

Mr Jas. Renwick arrived from the West a week ago and is spending his holidays here for four or five weeks.

Mr Edgar Renwick also came home from the Dental College on Friday last. Mrs Robt. Renwick was able after her recent fall of four weeks ago, to attend church on Sunday last. Many were delighted to see her out again.

Messrs Edna Hattie and Nellie Atchison are expected home for Christmas holidays from Toronto and Miss Louisa Ramage from Wingham is also expected.

Mr and Mrs Hadley (nee Delle Patterson) attend a Amos church on Sunday last. Their home is near Porage La Prairie, Man. They were the recipients of many good wishes from a host of friends of the winning bride.

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