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E. Trelevent, teacher  
S S NO. 2 EGREMONT  
Sr IV—Margaret Aberdeen, Kenneth Allan, Jessie Marshall, Ritchie Campbell, Jeannetta Campbell, Jr IV—Isabel Davis, Violette Kerr, Sr III—John Allan, Lloyd Allan, Minnie Lennox, Alice Lennox, Bobbie Wilson, Jr III—Edith Kerr, Margaret Wilson, Gladys Aberdeen, Sr II—Carmen Queen, Katie Davis, Tillie Allan, Beckie Allan, Annie Campbell, Jr II—Jean Aberdeen, Bert Gordon, Sr I—Mary Campbell, Jr I—Elmer Tucker, Pr.—Joe Campbell, Tommy Davis, Norman Tucker, Clifford McNamey, Eileen Aberdeen, Sadie Davis, Pearl Gordon, Vera Johnston, Norma Ferguson.  
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**HOLSTEIN LEADER**

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

**Ideal seeding weather.** Quite a number are well advanced with spring work.

Miss Brown of Regina is visiting her aunt, Mrs Petrie and other friends.

Mr J. D. Roberts spent Sunday with his sister Mrs Mitchell in Protton who is in very poor health at present.

Mrs Hershie of London is at present with Mrs Hershie, who is not improving as her many friends would like.

On Tuesday evening in the school room, Mr L. B. Nicholson was a delegate to the Education Association convention in Toronto gave a report, dealing with the different subjects and discussions which took place. After which considerable discussion was entered into on costs, consolidation of schools, medical and dental inspection, etc. It was a profitable meeting and should have been taken advantage of by more of the rate-payers.

Mrs A. Hamilton, Fergus is with her mother, who is still in poor health.

Mrs —, sister of the late Mrs Bunston, arrived on Saturday evening, the first time in thirty years.

Mr and Mrs Coleman renewed acquaintances one day last week.

Mr and Mrs J. Smith spent Sunday afternoon at Mr G. T. Calder's.

County Inspector Johnston and Mr W. Calder was through here on a road over-seeing expedition lately.

Miss Effie McMillan visited over the week end with Mrs Hincks, Protton.

Mrs Thorne assisted Mrs Eric Sharp in a duet last Sunday afternoon at Letter Brean.

**Death of Mrs A. R. Hershie**

Despite all that medical aid and loving care could do, Mrs A. R. Hershie, passed away about 10 a. m. Thursday morning, May 4th after a months illness from some form of sleeping sickness. She was about 35 years of age, and has been tenderly cared for by her mother, Mrs Robinson and nurse, Miss Mark. The funeral arrangements have not been made at time of writing.

**Presentation to Mr and Mrs J. R. Hunt**

The Lorburn, Sask., Herald thus narrates the farewell tendered to old Holstein residents:

"A social evening was held in the United Church on Thursday evening last in honor of Mr and Mrs J. R. Hunt, who on the following Friday left for Hanna, N. D., where they will engage in business. A large number of people were present and a very enjoyable time spent. During the evening Mr and Mrs Hunt were presented with an address and a purse containing forty-two dollars."

**IN MEMORIAM**

In loving memory of my dear wife, who died May 3rd, 1921.

Oh, this month of May, my dear wife  
This fair month of flowers;  
God sent you to brighten this weary life,  
And gladden the passing hours.

But my heart is sad, God has recalled  
The precious gift He gave,  
For one long year ago to-day,  
I wept by an open grave.

Alone, in that city of the dead,  
The Angels pined, as I knelt  
Upon that holy ground.

Oh, the bright May sun to my aching heart,  
Seemed black as a funeral pall.  
As I gazed upon the new-made grave,  
Of the dearest one of all.

But when I see your face again,  
In that blessed heavenly sphere,  
Our home will be all the brighter, dear,  
For what we suffered here.

Jno. Hunt.

**School Report**

S S NO. 9, GLENELG  
Sr IV—Hunter Ritchie, Jr IV—Mima Hargrave, Freeman McFadden, Adolphus Lawrence, Sr III—Reg Arnett, Bertha Ritchie, George Collinson, Jr III—Roy Hargrave, Annie Arnett, John Dunsmoor, Sr II—Reg. McFadden, Louise Jacques, Mary Hopkins, Orval Hopkins, Dorothy Arnett, Kenneth Dunsmoor, Jr II—May Collinson, Irene Collinson and Grace Hopkins, eq. Jr I—Eddie Lawrence, Vera Robins, Jr Pr.—John Collinson, Lucy Robins, Margaret Dunsmoor, Roderick Dunsmoor, Susie Greenwood, Doris Lawrence, Lillian Collinson, Olive Ball, Gordon Greenwood, Dave Aljoe, Elmer Dunsmoor.  
E. M. Park, teacher.

**Miss McPhail in Action**

We give below the Hansard report of Miss McPhail's speech on the question of reducing the \$1,400,000.00 grant for annual drill in summer camps:

Miss MACPHAIL: Mr Chairman, the duel of bomb-throwing we have witnessed has been very interesting, and when we who are new to this theatre of war see the great vigour with which the bombs are thrown, and hear the whiz of them in the air as they pass over the green carpet, we feel that there is really going to be something doing some of these times. But we are disappointed to find that the bombs are always duds and that nothing really does happen.

I think there never was a time when the people of Canada were looking for a lead, a real lead, as they are to-day, a real lead in progress not towards war but towards peace. I think the people are heartily sick of war and talks of war, and particularly sick of voting for war expenditures. When it is noted that the total amount to be voted for the Departments of Justice, Health and Labour, and the government of the Yukon Territory, are altogether \$28,701.68 less than what is asked for annual drill, it does seem that too much is being demanded for the last named purpose. Of course, it is quite true that someone will be thrown out of pleasant employment if we drastically cut this estimate; but I think the world will go on just the same, certainly Canada will go on just the same, if we do this on this occasion? I believe it would like to see us make a drastic cut in these expenditures. For that reason I am going to support the amendment that has been suggested by our military friend who has just sat down, and I am glad the gentlemen on the Government side are proving themselves this evening so favourably disposed to reductions of this character.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of Elizabeth Bunston, late of the village of Holstein, in the County of Grey, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Elizabeth Bunston, who died on or about the 22nd day of March, 1922, at said Village of Holstein in said County, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor herein for the Executor, under the Will of the said deceased, their names and addresses, and full particulars, in writing, of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities—if any—held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 15th day of May 1922,

the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the liability for the said assets or any part thereof to any person whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Mt Forest this 17th day of April, 1922.

R. O. KILGOUR,  
Solicitor for Executor  
Elizabeth Bunston Estate,  
Mt. Forest, Ont.

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**Russian Famine Fund**

Below is the list of those who have contributed to the Russian Famine Relief Fund, opened by the "Canadian Greys" Chapter, I. O. D. E.

Previously Acknowledged..... \$44 50  
Mr Ed. Fee, Varney ..... 1 00  
..... \$45 50  
Ann E. Kearney, Treasurer

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TORONTO

**The Hog Market at Holstein**

Dear Sir:

In taking a retrospective view of what may well be termed, "The Hog Industry of the Farmers in the vicinity of Holstein" we may well exclaim that it has expanded to a degree remote from the most sanguine expectations of its own combined promoters. It has grown from the day of small things to be one of the most if not the most valuable adjuncts of the farmer. Prevailing to thirty years ago each farmer contrived to raise a litter of pigs in number anywhere from five to twelve which he kept until they were about one and a half or two years of age. When after feeding them on peas until they were so fat they could scarcely walk they were slaughtered at home in the winter season sometime between November and April, sold to the local grain dealers to be by them shipped to the packers there to be cured and distributed.

The Wm. Davies Co. of Toronto were leaders in the pork business. The prices paid and received then like now varied almost daily and the two extremes the writer experienced was lowest, three dollars, highest ten dollars for choice dressed pea fed hogs. Two lbs a hundred was docked of the weight although the hogs were freeze as hard as a bone. We leave your readers of to-day to solve the problem of profit and loss on the prices stated. About that time Toronto papers published a statement referring to the dividend paid by the Wm. Davies Co, which it might not be safe to quote in these days of varying law-suits and commissions of enquiry and progressive parliament. But this we know that the pig products made millionaires of the heads of the packing house at the expense of the producer and consumer. And the revelations of later dates testify to the continued inequality in prices between the said parties.

The changing of the business from the dressed hog to the shipping of live hogs to a station to the Hog Industry, which facilities had much to do with this, but even before the railways, the door porkers, some enterprising dealers went through the country; and bought live hogs by the dollar and drove them in large numbers to Guelph and other Railway stations.

The advanced prices during the war period proved a boon to the farmer who fed pigs and need less to say the Pork Packing Co's also increased their profits and accumulated great wealth again at the expense of the consumer.

The prices paid during the last twelve months has varied so much that we, the producers are at a loss to solve the problem.

The consumer on the other hand has to pay a price out of all proportion to what the producer gets and finds very little relief from the slump in prices.

It seems strange that hog products (live hogs) should change in price daily. Who is responsible for the uncertainty in price? A difference of one dollar a hundred in a week for select bacon hogs with bacon unchanged is a conundrum that the producer cannot solve. The packer has a solution but he keeps it in his safe.

Now that hogs are shipped on two days every week from Holstein with different prices on each day, we ask you this? There is insufficient yard room and enough weighing accommodation to provide for the weekly glut of hogs to be properly handled all on one day? If this was done as is done in Mount Forest and other nearby towns, buyers and sellers would meet together and the hogs could and should be bought on their merits and something like publicity given to one of the most extensive and lucrative industries known to Ontario to-day.

We admit that the price of feed stuffs for hogs as quoted by our dealers to-day leaves a small margin for the feeder of pigs and as nearly all farmers have to buy concentrates because of the shortage in crops last season, he feels a little too much pinched when on Saturday market he has to take fifty cents a hundred less than the price on Thursday. A loss of one hundred dollars to the farmer on a deal of hogs is shaving the producer's altogether too close for to say nothing of gain.

Keep the lime fires burning by pulling together, for the best of every body, producer, shopper and consumer all three.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of James Bookes, late of the Township of Egremont in the County of Grey, Laborer, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that any person having any claims against the late James Bookes, who died on or about the 18th March, 1922, at the said Township of Egremont, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor for Major Eccles of said Township, the Administrator of the said deceased their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and statement of their accounts in writing, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 15th day of May, 1922

the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Mount Forest, this 17th day of April, 1922.

R. O. KILGOUR,  
Solicitor for Major Eccles, Administrator of Estate of James Bookes, deceased.

**North Egremont**

Last week's budget

We are pleased to know that Mr Eddie Sills has returned from the Hospital at Fergus, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis a little over two weeks ago.

A worthy commendable act! We have seen at least two obituaries issued by Mr John Brown, live stock buyer of Holstein, who evidently realized more on the large shipment of hogs shipped on a recent Saturday, than he was led to believe by phone was being paid for them, 50 per cent was the pleasing increase. John is following loyally in the footsteps of his worthy father in this regard, and though he may lose money at times, will not lose the respect of his fellows who wish him well in his youthful venture. Success to you Jack.

Mr W. H. Hunter attended the Trustees Association meeting at Toronto as a Delegate from No 12.

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| Sovereign Manitoba Patent Flour, per 98 lb sack | 4.50  |
| Eclipse Flour Blend, per 98 lb sack             | 4.15  |
| White Lily Pastry Flour, per 98 lb sack         | 3.75  |
| Bran (ton lots) per 100 lbs                     | 1.75  |
| Shorts (ton lots) per 100 lbs                   | 1.80  |
| Feed Flour (Middlings) per 100 lbs              | 2.30  |
| No. 1 Mixed Chop, per 100 lbs                   | 2.25  |
| Oat Chop per 100 lbs (old oats)                 | 2.25  |
| Crimped Oats, per 100 lbs (old oats)            | 2.25  |
| Blatchford's Calf Meal, 25 lb sack              | 1.25  |
| Custom Chopping, per 100 lbs                    | 7 cts |
| American Corn, whole, per ton                   | 32 00 |
| do chopped, per ton                             | 35 00 |

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**Tea Going Up**

The unrest in India has caused more or less serious labor troubles on the tea plantations, and has resulted in the price of tea rising considerably for the past year. Between October 1920 and to-day costs have advanced between 12 and 15 cents a pound. As the crop is much less than estimated consumption this year, it is probable that the price will go still higher.

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The Prize Ticket of the Rocky was last Wednesday last. Clark landed a beauty measuring the largest this season. For Sale—Rug table, oak bedstead, arm chair upholstered writing desk, etc. Mrs. A. W. Phone 76

A public meeting of the Children's Aid Society's Methodist Church this week at 8 p. m. Trout of Owen Street speak. All are welcome.

Broken Spoons, Dillane, mother of suffering a severe evening, at the latter been bathing her feet, slipped on the floor, cut or blade in the foot. Mt. Forest today, with examination being a recovery will be somewhat unfortunate mishap but be sure.

ANNUAL MEETING of Durham Branch Women's annual meeting at Thos. Henderson and of ladies were present. H. Smith contributed on "Social Service" and which showed in preparation. The business meeting was of interest. Institute voted \$25 to the of the library and \$25 to Amusement Co. for the Election of officers was a gram and this resulted in officers' re-election. This year: Pres.—Mrs. S. Vice Pres.—Mrs. Mrs. W. Byth; District Director, Mrs. Kinsley; Program Com.—Mrs. Mrs. (Rev.) Cook; Mrs. J. Mrs.—Misses Annie Sturton. A tasty lunch with the hostess at the close.