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HOLSTEIN LEADER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr and Mrs Chas Duncan of Conn. visited at Mr and Mrs Jno. R. Philp's on Monday.

Miss Floyd visited with Mr and Mrs John Weir of Dromore over the week end.

Mr Koch, accompanied by Miss Edwards, motored to Stratford for the week end.

Mr John Manary returned to Toronto by motor last Thursday, accompanied by his sister, Miss Eida Manary, who intends spending a week with friends in the city.

Miss Jean Morrison is now in Toronto as delegate of the Holstein Institute of Women's Institutes, at the annual Convention of Women's Institutes.

Mr R. J. Arnill made a business trip to Toronto the first of the week.

Mr Earl Bunston, Mr Albert Sturrock and Miss Ada Manary motored from Toronto Tuesday, where Miss Manary has been visiting for the past month.

"Our New Minister" will be given in the Agricultural Hall, on Dec. 14th. Plans of Hall will be opened December 7th.

Mr and Mrs D. McLellan of Mount Forest, visited with their son, Dr. McLellan, one day last week.

Mrs Andrew Murdock who has been staying with her parents, Mr and Mrs Hiscok, is now visiting friends in Mount Forest.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Coburn of Mount Forest visited Mr and Mrs J. R. Philp on Sunday last.

Mr Ed. Pratt has moved his well drilling outfit to Mrs. Petrie's, after getting water in bed rock at Mr Bert Breshner's at a depth of 185 feet.

The shooting match on Tuesday was enjoyed by all who attended it. Those who secured fowl with the shot gun were: For Geese—Geo. Seaman (1), John Brown (2). Ducks—Geo. Brown (1, 2 and 4), B. Nelson (3), John Brown (5 & 7), H. Lamont (6).

Ducks got with rifles—H. McDougall (1 and 2), E. Sharp (3), N. Schenk (4), Geo. Peters (5), J. Blythe (6), H. Pinder (7). Anyone who wishes to shoot for geese or ducks with the rifles, up to 32, on Saturday afternoon may do so up in the Park. G. Seaman

The young people of both churches met in the Presbyterian church to re-organize the Community Circle. Mr Robt Haas called the meeting to order and stated the object of the meeting. Mr Wm Thorne was elected chairman of the meeting while Mr Bert Eccles was appointed Secretary. The following officers were elected:

President—Bert Eccles
Vice Pres.—Miss Florence Main
Secretary—Mr Koch
Treasurer—Miss Davidson
Group Leaders: Misses Floyd and Thorne, Messrs Hubert McDougall and Merton Reid
Organist—Miss Rose West
Special Music Com.: Mr Koch, Miss Edwards, Miss Thorne and the President.

It was decided to hold the meetings on Monday night as usual and the first meeting is to be held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church Monday evening December 3rd. Let us have a good attendance.

ORCHARD

The beautiful moonlight nights of last week, although so entrancing, failed to produce the desirable effect on the loves and lovers of this community. No "swanky outfit" was seen or heard sporting on the fresh gravel. Maybe they are timid in the awe-inspiring presence of the man in the moon. But we'll see what the evenings of next week will produce.

"If you have tears, prepare to shed them now." Our friends on the road have all gone. But it seems that there is a tuning at their heart strings towards Orchard. That they were loath to go has been seen by the small-like rattle the steam shovel has been crawling. "Half-a-foot, half-a-foot, half-a-foot onward!"

There are three big porkers at Kellar's ready for the hangers this week. Mr Adam Kellar is wondering if 1000 lbs of pork will carry him over the winter. Of course he must not forget that there will be frying sausage, summer sausage and headcheese to be devoured.

Mrs R. Robertson, who has been spending the last two weeks in Toronto, arrived home. She has been feeling better than she did previously. We sincerely hope she will continue to improve and become her cheerful self again.

Mr and Mrs J. Stewart have been having a jolly time at Henry Brown's Pike Lake. Mr Stewart left with the intention of shingling Mr Brown's driving shed for him.

Pastor West had some good exercise when he trudged over the road from Holstein to Orchard last week. His interest in the folks of this locality has not slackened. His friendly greeting in each home is welcomed, to be sure. Have we appreciative hearts?

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Pte. Roy Eccles, who died in France Nov. 30, 1917. No more you'll hear the bugle call.
No more the cannon's roar;
No more the shrapnel round you fall
You're safe on heaven's bright shore—
Father, mother and family

YEovil

Messrs J. A. Ferguson and W. McDougall are the delegates appointed by our U. F. O. to attend the Convention in Toronto next month. The local Club are expecting another car of screens in right off.

Mr and Mrs Wm Groat visited at Mr and Mrs Wm Halliday's last Sunday and attended Letter Brea church.

Miss Bessie Driambe returned to her home this week after spending a fortnight at home regaining her strength after an attack of tonsillitis and la grippe.

Little Willie and Alice Driambe have been sick but we are glad to hear they are getting better.

Eilly Troup is also recovering from a severe attack of colic.

Mr and Mrs J. M. Robb and family of Arthur recently visited at Fleming Reid's.

The Mesdames Bruce of Holstein visited at D. Bruce's last week and called on former neighbors.

SOUTH BEND

Mr and Mrs Gordon Legge, Kitchener, were recent visitors with friends here.

Mrs Will Stevenson and little son are visiting friends in Kitchener this week.

Mrs P. D. Sturges returned home last week after spending a couple of months visiting friends in Toronto.

Mrs McKenzie and daughter, Miss Audrey, visited at Mr Alvin Hopkins Woodland, over Sunday.

Wonder if anyone can explain the Great noise there was to the east of us, late last Friday night. You might imagine we were in the war zone and a fierce battle going on, to judge by the awful sounds.

The fall of the beautiful snow, we had last week, has about all gone and we hope to have another spell of fine weather. Surely every one will get their fall work done up this year, having such exceptionally good weather.

Fined \$200 and Costs

At Owen Sound Police Court on Thursday afternoon last, Sinclair H. Gibson, proprietor of Holstein hotel, was fined \$200 and costs, on a charge under the O.T.A. in connection with the finding, on Oct. 30th, of a quantity of wine, over the required strength, in his hotel. He pleaded guilty to the charge previously. The cases against the Canadian Wine Company, and the Ontario Wine Company, were adjourned, and Magistrate Crescor reserved judgment. In connection with the two cases against each of the companies, The point of law, which was very prominently brought forward, was whether the Police Court in Owen Sound had the jurisdiction to try the case.

Each of the wine companies was charged with soliciting, and with selling, in the Canadian Wine Co. case Gibson, the proprietor of the hotel, stated that he could not identify the traveller who had sold him the wine, which caused the trouble. W.G. Peay, a representative of the company, was present but he objected to giving evidence against his own company.

Thursday afternoon, the Ontario Co. representative stated that he had called up Gibson from Mount Forest, and during the long distance conversation Gibson had asked him to send him a barrel of native wine in about a month. C. S. Cameron, K.C. counsel for the prosecution, held that in using the telephone to talk to Gibson in Holstein, was actually soliciting in Holstein. James Haverson, K.C. of Toronto, appeared for the companies concerned.

The cases required from ten o'clock in the morning until five o'clock the same afternoon.

Mr Cameron stated during the trial of the Ontario Co. that he had information from the Department that Ontario Co. had now no valid license to operate in Ontario. The license produced by Topping expired on April 1st last, but he stated that he had picked up this license supposing it was the proper one to bring. Mr Haverson stated that he would produce a license.—Sun-Times.

Registered Herefords by Auction

Mr G. E. Reynolds, of Fairmount Stock Farm, 2 miles south of Elora, and 10 miles north of Guelph, on the Harrison main road, will hold an Auction Sale of high-class Registered Hereford Cattle on Thursday, Dec. 13th, 1923, starting at 1 p.m. There are 30 head to be sold, divided into 19 lots. Ten cows, some with calves; five heifers and eleven bulls. Stock bred on Bonnie Brae, Beau Donald, Repeater and Majestic blood lines. Catalogues and full information on application to G. E. Reynolds, Elora, Ont., or to J. A. McIntyre, box 163, Guelph, Ont.

NOTICE

NOTICE: Came to my premises last week in August, a red steer, dehorned, rising two, with a white spot v shape on face and a few spots about flank and back legs. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.
DAVID BRUCE,
R. R. No. 2, Holstein

Donald and Sandy Enjoy a Quiet Chat

Sandy McLean, after having finished his evening chores, and having lit his pipe, settled himself by the open fire as usual. But instead of perusing the daily papers, as his custom was, he settled down to an evening of retrospection.

Had he been a few years younger and less infirm, he would have defied a much more violent storm than was raging outside tonight. But though absent in body, his very soul was down at the old schoolhouse, which he had so ardently fought for. And in the chair to-night, as he had been, forty years ago, advocating for another.

So profound was his meditation that his old and trusty friend, Donald McBeth, had entered and had begun to salute him ere Sandy was aware of another presence save his own at the fireside.

"Sit down, Donald, sit down," said Sandy, his whole being now tense with excitement, "and tell us a' about the meetin'." And ho did it the time they did he tell them about the time their fathers had tried to erect the present school and kirks, and hoo they wrought and sacrificed themselves mony a comfort that their children and their children's children might develop mentally and speerually as weel as physically?"

"Aye, aye, Sandy, and that he did. He fair took ma breath away wi' his logic."

"And were there nae kickers there, Donald?"

"Aye, aye, an' that there were, Sandy man mon. An' they were kickin' wear than ony moolie cow that ever landed on Devil's Island."

"Weel, weel, Donald an' dinna ye mind hoo that some critters tried to droon our endeavors forty years gone by. The scampus."

"Aye, aye, Sandy, an' what became o' them? Dinna ye ken?"

"Indade that an' I extra, Donald? They wudna pay the dace tax, so they sold out, an' went away back ta the bogs, makin' room for thers. They did a fair turn there, Donald, aye a fair turn, only they didna ken it!"

"An' hoo was the best speaker o' the night, Donald?"

"Aye, an' it was the lad Donald, ye're an bairn, Sandy. He tell them all about evolution. Evolution, min' you, Sandy, that was the very word he used. He tell them that the Law of Life was progression; that each generation had its own especial duties to perform, an' he aye dwelt on hoo nobly their fathers had done theirs. Theirs it was to lay the foundation."

An', he said, this building in which we have met together the night is a memorial to their integrity. We wha are gathered here the night or at least maist o' us, he said, represent another generation. An' oor duty is not to lay the foundation—that has already gallantly been done, even at a sacrifice which we in this generation can scarcely conceive of. We are howsomever asked to build thereon. This is oor privilege; this is oor solemn duty. An' can we who were the comforts of life, be less faithful to this, oor an' last generation?"

"An' did the lad really tell them a' that, Donald?"

"Aye, aye, an' that he did, Sandy, an' he tell them that jist sae far as they developed mentally an' speerually, in jist that proportion were their superior ta the brute creation."

"An' dinna ye ever recognize ony who might be forty-second cousins o' the brutes, Donald?"

"Hoot mon, Sandy; that's no' oor ta e say" replied Donald, valmly trying to hide a humorous twinkle in the eye. "It disna' always pay tae think over loudly, Sandy, ye ken."

"Aye, aye, I ken weel your meanin' Donald, but for a' that, we dinna want ony o' oor bairns or oor neighbors' bairns, kith or kin o' oor brutes. Sae we'll keep the pigs in the pig-pens, an' oor bairnies in the schule, eh, Donald?"

"Amen, Sandy, good nicht."
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BLYTH'S CORNERS

Very mild weather and mud galore. The Provincial Highway from R. Moffatt's corner down half a mile below Orchard, is about as deplorable a piece of road as one would care to venture upon. The present Minister of Highways, could well afford to sit at the feet of Biggs and get a few practical pointers on road building.

Miss Florence McIrvine left on Monday for Stratford Normal School having recovered fairly well from the injury she received to her knee cap a fortnight ago.

Mrs Andrew Stewart went to Fergus last week to see her sister, Mrs. Jas. Reid in the hospital there who is reported to be very low from a month or so ago. Small hopes are held out for her recovery.

Mr Henry Damm carries a good head of cattle at any time but when he went past the other day with in the neighborhood of 30 head of fine feeding bullocks, he carried an unusually fine bunch of cattle were purchased from Mr Jas Lawrence but possibly so, as Henry thinks there is no one like Jim.

That those premium notes made use of by most Fire Insurance Companies can be made a very real and binding obligation is forcibly brought in the attention of all policy holders in the Howick Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Wroxeter, notices having been sent out lately for an extra 10 per cent to put the Company on a good financial basis.

When the real facts of the greater part of Insurance Companies are known, there appears to be considerable flaws in most of them and policy holders do not get the square deal they are entitled to.

Pastor Burnett's sermon was a very thoroughly thought out and inspiring one on Sunday last, taking as his text Revelations 5: 6, "The Lamb in the midst of the throne." Lack of time prevents us from further comment.

Mrs Elgin Wilton visited her cousins, the McArthur family in Egremont a few days last week.

Mrs John Sharp, her daughter Myrtle and baby son, Wm. John of Hampden, visited one day last week with Mrs D. McIrvine.

NORTH EAST NORMANBY

Mr and Mrs R. R. Watson are spending a week or so with his brothers in Detroit.

Mr Elmer Fee, Mrs. Thos Stewart, Mrs John Morice and son Murray, visited last Thursday with Williams' friends.

Rev. Mr Burnett called on a number of families on this line last week. Mr and Mrs Wm Adlam and family of Mulock, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs Geo. Sharp.

Miss Elsie Grant of Durham High School, spent over the week end with her cousin, Miss Margaret Watson.

Mr Wm. Sharp of Hampden who has been seriously ill in recent months has so far recovered as to be able to visit his son George L.

Chicken picking is the order of the day.

Ask Conn to Markdale Road to be County Highway

An important piece of legislation was urged by a deputation at County Council last week, favoring taking over as a County Road the township lines between Proteon and Egremont and between Artemesia and Glenelg, between Conn and Markdale in this County, forming a link between two Provincial Highways: the Guelph-O. Sound one and Toronto-Owen Sound the other. The Council viewed the plan with favor, and if the Provincial Highway Department will assume it as a Provincial Highway, and the townships concerned do their share, it will go through. Reeve McEachern of Egremont was spokesman for the delegation from his Township. A few members were fearful that if this were granted, there might be similar requests, but no similar situation exists in the County.

The County Engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for Dromore bridge, and advertise for tenders.

Breeze re House of Refuge.

Reeve Currey of Durham, at County Council last week, caused a breeze that blew towards the House of Refuge at Markdale, by presenting complaints made to him by an inmate. Some of these had been investigated before, and the person making them some thought was not to be taken too seriously. A resolution was passed "That complaints made against profligate and insane persons being admitted to the House of Refuge be referred to the House of Refuge Committee." In the discussion it was the general opinion that Manager and Matron were doing good work. Another point all were agreed upon was that the medically unfit should not be admitted to the present House of Refuge. Reeve Taylor of Onprey made a suggestion that before long a home for feeble-minded might need to be established.

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Bazaar and Entertainment at Dromore

On Friday last a very successful function was staged in Russell Hall, Dromore, to a full house, by the Women's Institute in aid of Durham Hosmen's Institute in aid of Durham Hospital. The bazaar part proved satisfactory. The ladies who organized it, netting them over \$125, and the entertainment which followed was a pleasant and profitable one.

Community singing led by Mr Wm. Ramage was the opening number, after which Chairman Rev. W. J. Barreter made his address. He expressed his appreciation to the Women's Institute for their hospital activities, which were typical of this century. The ideals of the brotherhood of Science were being successfully applied to the brotherhood of man. They were "taking up the torch" immortalized by Col. McCrae in "In Flanders Fields."

A violin solo by Mrs G. Swanson, accompanied by Miss Grace Ramage, caught the audience, and received hearty encore. The soloist exhibited great skill and taste in her playing of great skill and taste in her playing of great skill and taste in her playing of seconds, and in aftertime following enclosed notes, and merited the applause which was given. Miss Tough, teacher at S. S. No. 11, sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Agnes Renwick and was also enclosed. Later Mrs Swanson gave another violin solo, which was heartily applauded. Other popular numbers were Miss Nellie Bunston's solo and a violin solo by Mr W. Small, heartily encored. Near the close, on request of Dr. Jamieson, M. P. P., Mr Wm. Ramage gave a patriotic selection "The Veteran's Song."

This comprised all the musical part of the evening, except that during the gathering of the audience, there were phonograph selections from Mr Robt. Taylor's fine instrument.

The feature of the evening was Dr. Jamieson's speech, who expressed his pleasure at the object of the meeting. He gave credit for the success of the hospital in no small measure to Miss Fettes, the matron, sent from that neighborhood. He apologized for the absence of Mrs Jamieson, who was largely instrumental in starting the effort for an Hospital. He made interesting reference to Dr. Banting and others for their success by research work in discovering serums for curing the ills of humanity. He made in passing some facetious remarks regarding local politics, and was reminiscent about old and famous statesmen. Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir Wilfrid Laurier were mentioned, and another outstanding figure was G. W. Ross, the most powerful speaker he had heard.

He paid compliments to Mr John A. Graham, the Secretary of the Hospital Board, who had helped largely in its success.

Mr F. Irwin was called upon and made brief remarks, expressing his pleasure at the opportunity to honor the cause for which the meeting was called.

Mr John A. Graham was glad to be present, complimented the chairman on his opening remarks, and Dr. Jamieson on his reminiscence contribution to the evening's entertainment. He had congratulations to the ladies for the laudable work they have entered into.

Dr. Sneath in fitting terms, moved a vote of thanks to all who had assisted; it was seconded by Mrs Walter Hastie, President of the Society, and was heartily responded to.

"God Save the King" was sung and the audience dispersed, leaving a fine flavor for the next meeting of this nature. Russell Hall is admirably adapted for such double functions.

A Women's Institute meeting will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 5th at 2:30 p.m. in Russell Hall. A full attendance of all members and others in sympathy with the movement is urgently requested with a view to straightening up accounts. Over \$125 was taken in at the bazaar and entertainment.

DROMORE

A meeting was held on Sunday evening in the church to discuss the Christmas S. S. entertainment which is to be held on Dec. 21st.

Another meeting is slated for Thursday evening in Russell Hall for the laudable purpose of re-organizing the Young Men's Club, which was so popular and edifying last winter.

Mr and Mrs Harry Lemon have taken up residence in Mr Donkes' house and in March will enter into contract with Mr W. H. Hunter.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Wells rejoiced last week over the birth of a daughter.

Miss Gladys Eccles visited her parents over Thanksgiving and took in the service and entertainment at Dromore, returning to Toronto Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Alex. Henderson journeyed to Markdale on Saturday last on a business trip.

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