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ALLAN'S CORNERS

The Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's Church, Egremont expressed their sympathy by sending boxes of cheer to the following members of the parish who were patients in the Red Cross Hospital: Mrs Arthur Lee, Mrs Wm. Marshall and Miss Mary Matthews.

The annual meeting of S. S. No. 2 was held recently with Mr Robert Wilson as chairman and Thos. Tucker as secretary. The retiring trustee was Mr Wm. Atcheson, who was re-elected for the 2nd term, with J. C. Queen and T. B. Tucker.

Mrs Arthur Lee has been a patient in the Red Cross Hospital, Durham. She is the mother of a baby girl, "Betty Jean". Congratulations!

Miss Jean Brown of Toronto, spent the Christmas and New Year vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs T. Brown.

Visitors recently at the home of Mr Dan Kerr were Mr and Mrs Wm. Porter, Knox, Mr and Mrs Geo. Hooper of N. Egremont.

Miss Lenore Davis is spending a few days in Durham with her sister, Mrs May Wallace.

Mr and Mrs Farr Lawrence visited on Sunday with Mr and Mrs W. Atcheson.

There was no school at S. S. No. 2 on Monday last owing to the illness of the teacher, Mr Christie.

Mr W. P. Pollock was the recent purchaser of the estate of the late Mrs Margaret Eden and is at present engaged moving his effects.

Mr Walter Ferguson has been on the sick list and under the care of Dr Hergott.

50 YEARS IS A LONG TIME

Congratulations to George G. Albery, K. C., Meaford's capable town Clerk, who first began in Municipal affairs when he was 13 years of age, with his father, the late John Albery. Mr Albery has been the clerk and solicitor for many years, and he completed his 50th year in Municipal work on Saturday last.

HOLSTEIN LEADER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr Dave Horsburg of Souris Manitoba who has been visiting friends at Guelph and Hanover spent a week or two with his brother Mr Horsburg of the village and returned home on Friday.

Mr and Mrs Jno Fettes of Mt. Forest were visitors with Mr and Mrs Aberdeen on Sunday afternoon.

On Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs Geo Aitken.

On Sunday Rev. Mr Williams of Harriston took the service in the Presbyterian Church. On Monday afternoon at 2.30 p. m. there was a joint meeting of the two congregations, Fairbairn and Holstein at Holstein to make arrangements for the hearing of probationers as regards a call for these two stations. Rev. Mr Williams presided over the meeting.

Don't forget the Institute meeting at the home of Mrs Jno Leth, Thursday Jan. 19, at 2.30 p. m. Dr. Hergott is the guest speaker.

Mrs Clarence Fenton entertained a number of friends in her home on Tuesday evening, in honor of her brother, Mr J. Corbett of Winnipeg who is spending a few days with the Fenton family.

Mrs Jas. Smith received word of the death of her brother in Los Angeles. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr Hetherington received a card from his parents who are en route to Florida. It was written at Chattahoochee, Georgia. They had a wonderful trip so far. From the mountain 4 1/2 miles up and 2450 ft above sea level they could see seven different states. A wonderful sight! Poor us! To-day sometimes you can hardly see one-quarter of a mile.

On Monday Jan. 9th Community Circle met in the schoolroom of the United Church. The meeting opened with a hymn followed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. The scripture reading was taken from the 16th of Matthew and was read by Bryce Mercer. The story from "Hurlbut's Story of the Bible. 'The Glory of Jesus on the Mountain'" was read by Miss Ramsay. The topic of the evening was given by Arthur Haas on the "Co-operative Way Living". It was discussed under several headings, three of them being: Co-operative living has to offer: Co-operation as a Business; Co-operation as Philosophy of Life; Co-operation as a Religious Expression.

Murray Aitken had charge of the games. The closed with the National form of a social. The losing side of the membership drive to put on the program and the winning side to provide the lunch.

Mr Jack Switzer spent a few days in Toronto this week and reported the roads good as he motored down. Mr and Mrs. Ed Watson motored to Clifford Friday evening to visit Mrs Watson's parents, Mr and Mrs Ferguson.

KNOX CORNERS

There was a larger attendance at the services at Knox on Sunday. Our pastor gave a good message from the scripture passage "From that time many of his disciples went back and walked no more with him" John 6:66. Jesus had the twelve chosen disciples but there were very many more who listened to His teaching and followed Him for a time but when He explained to them what it meant to be a real disciple many, we are told, went back and followed Him no more. We do not know why but maybe they were afraid of persecution or even of death as many gave their lives for their faith. It is a sad picture, and yet it is a common one even in these modern days. Let us then hold fast to the faith, for God's word says, "He that endureth to the end shall be saved." Mr. Kaye also gave a most interesting talk to the boys and girls on "The Life-Line."

Mrs Andrew Plecken visited on Thursday at our home and spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs Grasby, Sr. of Bentinck.

Our sympathy is extended to the family, the brother and sisters, and to all who will mourn the passing of the late Mrs Thos. Park who died on Monday evening of last week. The deceased was of a quiet nature and a good wife and mother. She also spent her school-days at No. 1. Another of the former pupils, many of whom have passed on.

We have had some pleasant visits recently after being shut in by snow-drifts since Christmas. On Friday we visited with the Watson family. We spent Sunday evening at the Standard.

Wallace home and listened in to a good service on the Radio. On Monday we visited with Mrs Stanley Mountain.

DROMORE

Mrs James McGillivray, after having a month's holidays with her daughter Beth in Trenton returned home last week.

Mr Arthur Renton is shipping a carload of stock to Toronto from Holstein today, Monday.

We were sorry to learn that our good teacher, Miss K. Smith, had resigned and was leaving for a school near the Rocky, after spending over four years in our midst. We will always remember her as among the best teachers of No. 13, and our loss will be the pupils' of the Rocky gain.

The young people will hold their meeting tonight at the manse. We are all looking forward for the Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion this summer, and we will all need to get behind it and boost it to make it a success.

NORTH EGREMONT

Clarence Wilkinson and Bob Keith are gathering cream since the trucks quit.

Miss Elsie Wood of Toronto spent last week visiting in this burg. Mr Martin Wilson moved this week from the Daly farm to the farm formerly owned by Joe Wilson. Raymond Hornaby killed two foxes with one shot recently. The animals were taking a snooze on a knoll when Raymond came on the scene.

Alex. Eccles buzzed over 125 cords of wood for Cecil Eccles one of these stormy days last week. Rev. Mr Brodie of Hopeville was unable to take the service in the hall Sunday night as he had the flu. Rather than cancel the service, Mrs. Brodie walked the nine miles and although half an hour late, service was held as usual, conducted by Mrs Brodie.

Mr Young B. A. of near Brantford, is the new teacher at S.S. No. 13. Miss Kathleen Smith who was teacher the past four and half years, having resigned at Christmas holidays.

Glad to have the January thaw to settle the two feet of snow on the level. The only way one could get around before was on skis or snowshoes.

Mr and Mrs Reg. Ramage visited Mr Robt. Aitken's Jr. on Sunday.

YEOVII.

Our local club met on Friday evening in the home of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Ross. The women in their meeting, heard a splendid paper on communicable diseases. Mr Jas Nicholson led a good discussion on the limitations of Township council's control over general expenditure, the assessments and school levies of the various school sections, and the average cost for each child per annum. Some facts and figures which were enlightening to the group as ratepayers. Consolidated schools were discussed and there was scant sympathy shown toward the idea, as was the case when Inspector Pentland called a meeting in the school recently. The remainder of the evening was spent in progressive whist. Miss Sharpe and Cliff Rogers were the winners.

Misses Laura and Ada Ellis are visiting their sister Mrs Art Neal, and Mr Neal, Arthur Township.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Lamont entertained the Lamont and Nicholson families on Tuesday evening.

Mr Clifton Rogers spent the weekend at Orangeville with Mr. Wm. Ferguson.

Mild days again, after ten days of really rough weather. The thaw has helped the supply of water.

ONE GUESS IS AS GOOD AS ANOTHER

Mr John A. Davis, Reeve of Artemesia, is in the running for the Wardenship of Grey County for 1939. Jack has had several years experience in the County Council and is well qualified to fill the position. This year he was Chairman of the Finance Committee, which is usually the stepping stone to the higher office. He may have opposition when the county council meets in January, but our guess is that it will be John A. Davis, Esq. Warden of Grey County in 1939. —Markdale Standard.

EGREMONT COUNCIL

Holstein, Jan. 9, 1939 Council met here on the above date. Members elect subscribed to the statutory declaration of office and took their seats as members of Council for 1939: Reeve, S. M. Patterson; Deputy-reeve, Wm. Aldora; Councilors, Finlay Clark, Thomas Hattie, and Henry Cowan. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

By-laws one to five were passed, appointing Hubert McDougall and Ewart Alles auditors for the 1938 accounts; Andrew Stewart as a member of the Local Board of Health; Robt. Nicholson, relief officer for 1939; Victor Adams, Nichol McDougall and Herman Harris, School Attendance officers; John Wilkinson and Robt. Keith as Weed Inspectors for 1939.

By-law No. 6 authorizing the reeve and treasurer to borrow if necessary the sum of \$25,000 from the Bank of Montreal, Holstein, to meet current expenditures of the township. The Road Supt. presented Paysheet No. 1, amounting to \$167.27, with Supt. salary of \$6.90 which was passed and ordered paid.

Also the following accounts: Members of Council, meeting to date \$12.50; Mrs Christie, use of room 2.00; B. H. Willis, Egremont's share Division Court fees 12.80; Durham Review, printing acct, 1936 to 1938 46.00; H. W. Harris, duties as school Attendance officer 1.32; J. M. Nicholson, 1 Mothers' All. app; 1 Old Age Pens. appl. 4.00; G. Fenton & Son, relief (wood) 3.00; A. Nicholson, 1 trip insp. sheep Municipal World, 7 copies 7.7; Meeting adjourned to meet Feb. 7 at 1.00 o'clock, to receive the auditors' report and general business. James M. Nicholson, Clerk.

SUDDEN CALL COMES TO ALEX. RENWICK

This whole community grieves over the sudden death of Mr Alex. Renwick, one of Dromore's best-known and highly respected citizens. He was stricken with a heart attack while working on the west end of con. 18, near Ben. Woods', where he was cutting down a small tree, when he passed out without a moment's warning. Alex. was born near Dromore in the year 1889, the eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Renwick. He spent the most of his life in this community and the rest out on the prairie. The last three years he has spent on the home farm where he tenderly cared for his aged parents, who have passed on, his father three months ago, and his mother sixteen months ago. Alex. will be sadly missed in the home, in the community, and in the church, where he was an active worker. He was chairman of the Managing Board and was always looking after the church and manse. He carried wherever he went, the love and respect of a wide circle of friends, who will mourn with his brothers and sisters in life's sudden termination. His life was made of little kindly acts that now bring tender memories to the fore.

The members of the family are: Mrs McNeil (Nettie) Fairlight, Sask; Mrs. Sam Patterson (Mandy) of North Egremont; Florence at home Wilfred at Dromore Percy at Holstead, Man. Christopher was wounded and missing in the Great War.

The funeral was held from his late residence on Tuesday, Dec. 27th where a short service was held, followed by the service in the church. His pastor, Rev. H. Kaye, spoke feelingly to the sorrowing relatives, taking for his address "Does a man live after death?" Mr. Kaye being only recently in our midst, spoke highly of the deceased.

The pall bearers were Robert Taylor, John Eccles, Allan Hattie, Jas. McGillivray, Robert Keith, William Eccles, Norman Bunston, Sandy McKenzie. The flower bearers were: Harold Eccles, Gordon McGillivray, Russell and Alex. Taylor, Ervine and Walter Ferguson.

Beautiful flowers were in evidence, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held. They were from brothers and sister; nephews and nieces Amos congregation; the Managing Board; Young People's Society; Mr and Mrs Robert Taylor; Mrs John Dunston and family; Harry Coppitts, Carman, Man.; Mr. and Mrs. Dashwood, Dunnville.

Percy Renwick from the West, was present for the funeral. Mr Colin McMillan of Holstein had charge of the burial to the family plot in Amos cemetery. God only knows how we miss him. Never shall his memory fade; Ofttimes our thoughts do wander, To the spot where he was laid.

Int. Hockey Schedule

- Jan. 11—Walkerton at Durham.
Jan. 12—Manover at Durham.
Jan. 13—Walkerton at Chesley.
Jan. 16—Kincardine at Chesley.
Jan. 17—Durham at Walkerton.
Jan. 18—Chesley at Kincardine.
Jan. 20—Kincardine at Durham.
Jan. 20—Kincardine at Hanover.
Jan. 23—Walkerton at Kincardine.
Jan. 24—Durham at Chesley.
Jan. 25—Hanover at Walkerton.

Junior Schedule

- Jan. 10—Walkerton at Teeswater.
Jan. 12—Kincardine at Ripley.
Jan. 13—Paisley at Hanover.
Jan. 13—Teeswater at Kincardine.
Jan. 16—Ripley at Walkerton.
Jan. 16—Teeswater at Durham.
Jan. 17—Kincardine at Paisley.
Jan. 19—Ripley at Teeswater.
Jan. 19—Kincardine at Walkerton.
Jan. 19—Durham at Hanover.
Jan. 23—Hanover at Teeswater.
Jan. 23—Ripley at Paisley.
Jan. 24—Walkerton at Hanover.
Jan. 24—Kincardine at Durham.
Jan. 26—Durham at Ripley.
Jan. 26—Teeswater at Paisley.
Jan. 27—Walkerton at Kincardine.
Jan. 30—Paisley at Walkerton.
Jan. 30—Durham at Kincardine.
Jan. 30—Hanover at Ripley.
Feb. 1—Teeswater at Hanover.
Feb. 1—Ripley at Kincardine.
Feb. 1—Durham at Paisley.
Feb. 3—Durham at Teeswater.
Feb. 3—Hanover at Walkerton.
Feb. 3—Paisley at Ripley.
Feb. 6—Walkerton at Durham.
Feb. 6—Kincardine at Hanover.

BREAD WAR AT FORDWICH

Bread at Fordwich took a sudden drop when E. A. Schaefer, baker, put the price down to five cents a loaf, J. H. Rogers who handles Zurbrigg's bread from Listowel, set the price at six cents. Milton Pries, who also handles an out-of-town product sells it at seven cents, or four for 25 cents. Ed Orth sells Knipe's bread from Clifford at eight cents. The public is wondering where it will end. (In Durham bread is 9c. per loaf.)

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF EGREMONT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

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