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KNOX CORNERS

Our pastor took for his subject on Sunday "The Brevity of Life." A suitable one for the beginning of the New Year. Our lives need not be long in years to be successful.

Mr and Mrs David Marshall spent a few days last week with Mr and Mrs Irwin Ferguson of Egremont. Mr and Mrs Palmer Patterson visited on Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Harold Watson.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER

Thursday, January 11th, at the Anglican Church, Rev. S. W. Hirtle will speak on "Faith in the Future". Friday, January 12th, at Knox United Church, Rev. H. S. Herrington of Toronto, will speak on the work of the Bible Society.

"The FIRESIDE PHILOSOPHER" By ALFRED BIGGS

Truth needs no alibi. Success cannot be measured in money. Go against nature and it will get you. Think straight and you'll go straight. Common honesty is uncommon in politics.

HOLSTEIN LEADER

Death of Mrs. Geo. Fenton

At her home in Holstein, at midnight, Monday, Jan. 8th, Mrs Rachel Fenton passed away in her 71st year. Deceased was Rachel Sarah Crawford, widow of the late Geo. Fenton. The funeral is being held Thursday, Jan 11th at 1.00 p. m. from her late residence, and interment will be made in Tara cemetery. An obituary will appear next week.

VARNEY

The many friends of Miss Janet Kerr will be to know she is recovering from her recent illness in Guelph Hospital.

The Women's Association met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs Hann, with a good attendance. Mrs Harry Caldwell, president, presided over the business meeting.

Duties of Co-Operative Store Boards — Hugh Bailey, President of First Co-Operative Packers Ltd. and Joe Crutchley, President of the Durham Co-operative Store.

The Church's Place in Society — Rev. Mr McEwen, Minister of United Church, Mount Forest.

Co-Ordinating Co-Operatives — R. J. Scott, President of the United Farmers' Co-operative Co. Ltd. Credit Unions — Harvey MacDougall, Educational Sec'y of the United Farmers of Ontario.

The Changing Village — Donald R. McLean, Educational Sec'y of Co-operative Packers, Barrie.

Art Exhibit — From Art Gallery. Music Appreciation — Elizabeth Aitken.

Home Beautification — T. L. Cooper, District Representative of Grey County.

The basic principles of the Saugeen Folk School are: (1) Economic Security. (2) Industry for profit versus for service. (3) Religion, idealism, and personality. (4) Building democracy from the ground up. (5) Educating the adult. (6) The industrial revolution and our world today. (7) Trends in rural society. (8) Cultural growth. (9) The interdependence of economic, social and political action.

Its objectives are: (1) A County Chamber of Agriculture. (2) A federated wholesale for local co-operatives. (3) Regional program. (4) A national policy for agriculture. (5) A credit union. (6) A regional library. (7) Fine Arts Clubs. (8) Neighbor Nights. (9) Recreation program and drama festival.

The registration fee is \$4.00 for the course. It is open to all desirous to enter. Students bringing food-stuffs will have their value deducted from amount of fee. The registrar is Art Haas, Holstein.

EGREMONT COUNCIL

Met in Holstein January 8th. After devotional exercises by Rev. R. F. Mercer of Holstein, members elected subscribed to the statutory declaration of office and took their seats as members of Council for 1940. Reeve, S. M. Patterson; Deputy Reeve, Wm. Aldcorn; Councillors, Finlay Clark, Thos. Hattie, Henry Cowan.

Letters were read from the Ont. Association of Rural Municipalities, The Ont. Good Roads Association, the Ont. Municipal Association, also from the Dept. of Highways re new system of Accounting.

By-laws were given their several readings and passed appointing the following: Auditors, H. McDougall and Ewart Allen, salary \$25. Member of Local Board of Health for 1940, Andrew Stewart, salary \$15; School Attendance Officers: Victor Adams, Jno Stevenson, Herman Harris; Weed Inspectors: Robt Keith, John Wilkinson.

The Road Supt. presented Pay Sheet No. 1, amounting to \$32.95 with Supt. salary of \$4, which was passed and ordered paid. The Clerk was instructed to order seven copies of the Municipal World.

The following accounts were passed and ordered paid: Members of Council, meeting to date \$12.50; Mrs M. Christie, use of room \$2; J. M. Nicholson, clerk, 1 old axe pension application \$2; S. M. Patterson, trip to Durham meeting Guelph Council, \$1; Wm. J. Pike, relief \$2; R. Irvin, relief \$3.10; Wm. Aberdeen, relief \$12.21; H. W. Harris, duties as S-h. Att'ee Officer \$1.70; G. Fenton & Son relief \$9.35; Bert Dickson, relief, \$20.38; Miss A. Dyce, grant to Holstein Public Library \$10; Thos Yake refund dog tax re lot E 26, W 27, con 15, \$2.00.

Council adjourned to meet on Feb.

DROMORE

Dromore Women's Institute held their January meeting on the 3rd at the home of Mrs Jcs. McNulty, with a good attendance. An interesting topic was prepared by Mrs. Gordon McCannell, and read by Mrs. Robt. Taylor, on "Cheese." The roll call, "Products made in Canada" was well responded to with a good variety. Mrs Russell Taylor and Miss Dorothy Taylor sang a duet, and an interesting contest "names of people" closed the meeting. Lunch was served. Any one wishing to knit for the Red Cross will be able to get yarn for same at Robt. Taylor's store.

The Dromore Young People's meeting was held on January 8th at the home of Mr and Mrs Wm. Leith with an average attendance. Harvey Leith read scripture, Dorothy Taylor led in prayer, Sandy Taylor gave reading from study book No. 1, and Maxwell Kaye from study book No. 2. Special music was given by Harvey and Ken Leith and social part was taken by Dorothy Taylor. Next meeting will be on Jan. 22 at the home of Mr and Mrs John Eccles. The social part will be a skating party on the Dromore rink. Lunch was served.

Lost Return Game in Walkerton

(Continued from Page 1) was able to score. Walkerton broke out in the last frame, however, to wipe out Durham's slender lead, and establish themselves definitely in the driver's seat. Two minutes had elapsed when Craig slipped in the equalizer on a pass from Stedman. Kramp put them in the lead shortly after the half way mark when he banged in Pentland's pass. Craig got another with both Stedman and Louis Schnurr figuring in the play, and Pentland slapped home the last goal of the game.

Dean drew a misconduct penalty in the last period for fighting and his loss was a serious one to the Durham unit. Walkerton's well organized attack was responsible for their victory. Durham getting most of their goals through dogged effects about the nets.

DURHAM — Goal, Watt; defence, O. McDonald, Dinger; Centre, McGirr; wings Lawrence, Belger; alternates, H. McGirr, N. Tucker, Dean, G. McDonald, Kress and Cassidy.

Walkerton — Goal, Caruso; defence, Trushinski, Blue; centre, Stedman; wings, L. Schnurr, Craig; alternates, Pentland, Kramp, McCarter, Leo Schnurr Vansly, Tischarhart.

Referee — K. Summers of Wingham.

Organization for Canada's air effort is well under way and Ontario is to share in the sites and buildings for the 67 air schools to be established. It is announced close to 50,000 volunteers will be asked for when the recruiting campaign begins in the early spring. In the meantime, recruiting is to be repeated for men to act as reserves for the Canadian battalions already overseas.

The whistling swans still seem to choose Niagara Falls waters for a stopover on their northern migration each spring. Last year, however, only about 20 were swept over the Falls, and nine of these lived, surviving the awful plunge. Efforts to frighten these fine birds away from the danger zone have been largely fruitless.

In 1816, at Black Rock, near Buffalo, a diary records two and a half feet of snow on March 9th, four inches of snow on April 12th, heavy frost on May 20th, three or four hours of snow on June 6th a little frost on June 28th, another frost on August 24th, which ruined vines and corn in some places; and eight inches of snow on October 17th.

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Anger kills justice. A quick temper ruins judgment. Indiscretion has ruined many a reputation. Diplomacy often arises from lack of courage. Don't bargain with those who have nothing to lose. Mental idleness will destroy anyone's possibilities. You need real courage to go forward when you're afraid.

Col. Fraser Hunter Enlists in Canadian Forces

Chief speaker at the annual Red Hackle dinner of the Toronto Black Watch association on Saturday evening Col. Fraser Hunter, M. P. P., whose war experiences date back to the Boxer rebellion in China, announced that he had rejoined the army.

"I was accepted on Saturday," he said, "if they had refused to take me or if any hitch occurs from now on, I intend to take a division to Finland and then we can do away with the red tape and all you old soldiers can come with me."

He refused to disclose what unit he had joined. The Red Hackle dinner included not only the members of the Toronto branch, but also a large representation from the sister veteran association, the Royal Highlanders of Canada and the senior officers and N.C.O.'s from the 1st Battalion the Black Watch Regiment (R.H.R.) of Canada and some senior officers from Montreal.

AUTO LICENSES OF 1940 TO EXPIRE DEC 31ST

Although Ontario 1940 auto license plates need not be purchased until March 31st they will expire Dec. 31 of the present year, as the Government is reverting back to the calendar year for the issuing of plates. March 31st is the end of the government fiscal year. The new ruling means that motorists waiting until end of March before purchasing plates will have the use of them for only nine months.

No reason was given for the change, but an Order-in-Council passed a few days ago provides for alteration of the license period and the penalizing of motorists who delay purchasing new plates.

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