

CANADIEN AND ORMSTOWN GAME ENDED IN DRAW

Saturday Night's Hockey Match Drew Good Crowd Game Ended 1-1.

Scoring a goal in a scramble in front of the Huntingdon nets during the last few minutes of play in last Saturday night's exhibition hockey match between Ormstown and the local Canadian sextette one goal to one.

Play opened with the ice in bad condition which slowed up the game that otherwise would have developed into a clean, fast and open tilt. Both teams played heavy defensive hockey in the first period, and play saw-sawed up and down the ice, each team getting in a few shots at the goals. Neither team scored until three minutes of the period remained to be played when Perry for Huntingdon shot from outside the defence and followed in for the rebound, which he got and put the locals one goal in the lead. The argument followed but the goal was allowed.

Ormstown had the upper hand in the second period but were unable to even the score, owing to Lefebvre's good work in the local's defence. The Huntingdon players keeping the opponents covered. Ormstown was on the offensive and either overshot or shot wild, missing many good chances to score. Lalonde in the visitors' nets played excellent hockey.

The locals' idea in the third period was to play defensive hockey and win the game 1-0, and the game looked like a win for them, but in the closing minutes of play Murphy of Ormstown shot from outside the locals' defence and forward line followed in, determined to do or die, and they did for in a scramble at Huntingdon's goalmouth the disc was batted in to even the count one-all.

Owing to the unfit condition of the ice overtime was not played but when these two teams again meet on hard ice a good game may be expected. All the locals played good hockey. Receipts amounted to \$41.

The teams lined up:

Huntingdon	Ormstown
Lefebvre	Lalonde
Capriello E.	Williams
Ferry G.	Winter
White N.	Cooper
Beaudin H.	Boyle
Lassalle	Murphy
Bergevin A.	Keogan
Laberge	Cartier

First period: Huntingdon, Perry. Penalties: Perry and Williams. Second period: No score. No penalties. Third period: Ormstown, Murphy. Penalties: White and Murphy.

VALLEFIELD

Mr. P. Molynaux returned home on Wednesday after spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. C. Philbin returned to town on Saturday. He has been visiting friends in Illinois for the past two weeks.

Mr. E. Talbot returned to McGill University on Thursday last.

The people of Vallefield were sorry to hear of the sudden death of Mr. P. Demers on Thursday last. The Gault Institute re-opened on Monday. The pupils were eager for work after their two weeks' vacation.

Due to unfavourable weather conditions on Sunday the hockey game between Vallefield and Lachine was postponed.

The many friends of Master J. Lowe are glad to hear that he is slowly recovering from his sickness.

Mr. A. Hill returned to Macdonald College on Saturday.

Miss A. Bates was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill last week.

Mr. C. Baugh spent the week-end in Coteau.

The Misses Eleanor and Annie Mavoh entertained a party of friends at their home on Friday last. The guests had a very enjoyable time.

BROOKLET

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. N. J. Farquhar on Saturday afternoon last. The usual number present. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. W. B. Levers, who also was chosen along with Mrs. W. J. McCracken and Mrs. G. A. Rennie to attend the conference to be held in Huntingdon, Wednesday, Jan. 11th. Lunch was served at the close by the hostess.

Miss Beatrice Boyd, who has spent the past few weeks in Plattsburg, N. Y., is at present the guest of her sister, Mrs. Leland Maitner.

Mrs. Thos. Rankin of Chateaugay, N. Y., has been spending the last few weeks with her daughters, Mrs. W. J. McCracken and Mrs. J. O. Levers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Winter and Mrs. Geo. Winter of Malone, N. Y., spent a day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Blair. On their return Mrs. Blair accompanied them, returning on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Maitner were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shattuck, Burke, N. Y.

The Misses Florence and Marguerite McCormick and Mr. Clifford McCormick have returned to their various duties after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix McCormick.

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NEW MINISTER FOR HOWICK U. C. CHURCH

Rev. Donald Morrison Inducted Into Pastoral Charge.

Prominent Clergymen Present

Rev. Dr. Leslie Pidgeon Addresses Congregation.

The congregation and elders of the St. Louis de Gonzague and Howick United Church formally and officially welcomed Rev. Donald Morrison, B.A., of Kirkhill into the pastoral charge of the church following his having been inducted into his official duties by Principal James Smyth of Montreal at an impressive and imposing service held at 11 o'clock Friday morning in the church at Howick. The congregation of the church turned out in large numbers for the ceremony which lasted until nearly 1 o'clock and which was attended by a large number of prominent clergymen.

The service was held in the church's temporary quarters owing to the fact that their new church now under construction and which is costing \$30,000, is not completely finished. Clergymen officiating were Rev. J. Greig of Valleyfield, who was in charge; Rev. Dr. Leslie Pidgeon of Erskine Church, Montreal, who addressed the congregation; and Rev. Dr. Douglas Currie of Ottawa, who led in prayer. Principal Smyth inducted the new minister, Rev. Dr. D. L. Ritchie, Dean of the United Theological College, who was supposed to have been the officiating minister, unfortunately owing to an accident could not come. He had attempted to motor from Montreal, but his car was held up by snow at Laprairie. Regrets at his absence were expressed by all.

Mr. Greig prior to the inducting of the new minister in a few words recalled how the Howick congregation had been fortunate in obtaining Rev. Mr. Morrison to administer to their spiritual needs. Mr. Greig during the time that Howick was without a minister, had undertaken the position of Moderator to the United Church. He announced that he was retiring in favor of Mr. Morrison. He pointed out that he had fully enjoyed his stay in Howick and had appreciated the noble efforts of the people in helping him in his work.

Dr. Pidgeon in addressing the congregation dwelt at length on the importance of the church as an institution in a community. He said that the church of new ideals for the community and the greatest of power as an institution. It is not merely a matter of purely individual relation to the community but is a permanent institution, he said. The services conducted in the church, he added, give the congregation an opportunity to think in wide and universal terms and enabled them to get away from concrete thoughts and adopt and advance universal and spiritual ones.

"The church as a whole," he said, "is a moral and mental being that tends towards a momentum that expresses itself in actions of its own organization."

"The duties towards the church are many," he added. "Loyalty is the main one and means as much as the devotion of a person to a cause. It is a permanent institution that breaks down the confidence of the children in the church and its minister. You cannot disturb the spiritual tranquillity of your minister and obtain from him the same work you demand of him. Be dependent on your minister and to your minister; be dependable as a friend; be dependable at your service; do not come to church asking yourself, 'what am I going to get out of church?' Rescind the spiritual atmosphere in church for the church is a permanent institution and is of the greatest of moral and spiritual help to a community."

Dr. Pidgeon then commented on the fact that Howick United Church's new minister, Mr. Morrison, was one of the former students of the United Theological College. He congratulated the congregation of their choice in choosing him as their minister, and also congratulated them on their noble efforts toward the erection of a new church. He then addressed the minister on his work in administering to the needs of his congregation and stressed the importance of the fact that a congregation always looks up to its minister and he always commanded their respect.

QUEBEC WINS GRANITES IN TROPHY BONSPIEL

Local Teams Make Fine Showing in City on Saturday.

INCLEMENT WEATHER.

Only Games in Which Out-of-town Clubs Were Scheduled Were Played.

The Quebec Curling Club carried off the laurels for the best average score among the out-of-town clubs, which played in the Edinburgh Trophy competition in Montreal on Saturday. The victors had an average score of a win of seven points for each game played. Next in line were Howick and the Victoria Curling Club, of Quebec, with average wins of four points each. Huntingdon, Shawinigan, Ormstown, Jacques Cartier, of Quebec, and Grandby were the remainder of the out-of-towners who had averages in the plus side of the column.

Weather conditions, which were unforeseen and entirely unexpected, prevented play in all scheduled matches except those in which visiting clubs were to participate. Most of the games in which the out-of-town teams were to play had been arranged to take place on Saturday morning, thus enabling the visitors to take advantage of the best of the fast disappearing ice.

None of the games in the newly-inaugurated Ladies' Edinburgh Trophy competition was contested.

The entry for this year was the largest in the history of the competition, 190 teams taking part. Curlers from 25 clubs enlisted in the play. The out-of-town entry was unprecedented, 13 clubs being represented. The clubs in the vicinity of Montreal have delegations of unexpected size.

Local Teams Entertained.

The first luncheon of 1928 was held on Saturday at the St. George Curling Club. Justice A. Rives Hall of the Court of Appeals, addressed the usual large attendance, which was augmented by visiting curlers from Huntingdon and Quebec. Judge Hall chose as his subject "Curling in Hell," and entertained his listeners in his usual witty manner. C. F. R. Jones, president of the St. George Snowshoe Club, occupied the chair.

The averages of the out-of-town clubs follow:

Quebec	X7
Howick	X4
Victoria	X4
Huntingdon	X2
Shawinigan	X1
Jacques Cartier	X1
Ormstown	X1
Grandby	X4-5
Lennoxville	-2
Sherbrooke	-2
Lachine	-31-3
Vankleek Hill	-9
Hawkesbury	-18

Edinburgh Trophy

Caledonia	W. Nesbitt	(Skip)—12
Montreal West	G. P. Omond	(Skip)—12
A. B. Jarvis	Dr. W. S. McLaren	(Skip)—12
J. Leone	Dr. W. S. McLaren	(Skip)—12
G. E. Tremblay	R. Lindsay	(Skip)—12
W. T. Tremblay	J. G. McGerrigle	(Skip)—12
Ormstown	J. B. Cullen	(Skip)—6
W. Cullen	S. J. Cottingham	(Skip)—6
S. J. Cottingham	W. L. Price	(Skip)—6
H. H. Chambers	F. C. Nash	(Skip)—6
W. J. McGerrigle	P. D. L. Lyall	(Skip)—6
Lachine	Ormstown	(Skip)—3
J. F. Davidson	H. Campbell	(Skip)—3
F. W. Evans	H. G. McLaren	(Skip)—3
L. F. Hamilton	J. M. Darby	(Skip)—3
F. A. C. Bickeridge	G. E. Baird	(Skip)—3
(Skip)—15	(Skip)—7	(Skip)—7
Thislie	Howick	(Skip)—7
E. A. O'Meara	H. Cannon	(Skip)—7
W. A. C. Hamilton	A. J. Ness	(Skip)—7
Rev. M. Campbell	W. A. Peddie	(Skip)—7
L. H. Boswell	S. Stewart	(Skip)—7
(Skip)—6	(Skip)—15	(Skip)—15
Thislie	Huntingdon	(Skip)—15
J. E. Johnson	A. A. Lunan	(Skip)—9
(Skip)—8	(Skip)—9	(Skip)—9
Huntingdon	Caledonia	(Skip)—9
S. D. Popeck	J. B. O'Brien	(Skip)—9
J. A. McCracken	G. C. Read	(Skip)—9
J. A. Lanktree	Dr. P. Holiday	(Skip)—9
F. H. McLaren	G. W. T. Nicholson	(Skip)—9
(Skip)—14	(Skip)—7	(Skip)—7
Howick	Lachine	(Skip)—7
A. E. Ward	O. Clapham	(Skip)—7
W. Logan	A. Keyworth	(Skip)—7
J. E. Melkie	A. B. Stalker	(Skip)—7
T. G. Gebbie	W. S. Johnson	(Skip)—7
(Skip)—12	(Skip)—8	(Skip)—8
Huntingdon	Pointe Claire	(Skip)—8
C. M. Oney	J. A. Coote	(Skip)—8
N. W. Sparrow	R. Mitchell	(Skip)—8
C. A. Boyd	C. Say	(Skip)—8
F. I. Batcheller	W. Craig	(Skip)—8
(Skip)—8	(Skip)—10	(Skip)—10

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Municipal Council Elections

Councillors Elected

Councillors Retired

Mark Sample

Thos. Bustard

John Boileau

James Brink

W. H. Crawford

Andrew Stark

Robert Anderson

John McGinnis

Wesley Goodfellow

James Ruddock

George Colburn

Matt Rankin

Gordon Davidson

Albert Dupuis

Wm. Reid

Arch. Craig

D. J. McEwen

Alex. McGregor

Adelard Lemieux

Albert Degrosselliers

Lorne Cascadin

Arnie Sample

Martin B. Fisher

L. Lavalle

Robert Blair

Nap. Gauthier

H. H. Chambers

James M. McGerrigle

J. E. D'Aoust

Andrew Ross

George Colburn

R. D. McNeil

Clarence McFarlane

James C. Coulter

J. Herb. Sparrow

Felix Dupuis

D. S. Smellie

Oliver Barbeau

Pierre Senecal

W. B. Stewart

W. Prevost

James McKeegan

John Kilgour

M. Trudel

Nap. Lauzon

Donat Vallee and Z. Tremblay to contest seat vacated by Mr. Lefebvre.

Joseph Supernault

Octave Tremblay

Romeo Billette

Mederic Caza

Huntingdon Town Council

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Addresses Delegates From

Temperance Organizations

REACTION SIGNS.

Is Grateful to Bureau of Hygiene

Whose Work is Revealing the Evils of

Alcoholism.

HOWICK.

Rev. Donald Morrison

assumed his duties as pastor of St. Louis de

Gonzague and Howick congregations

on January 8th, preaching morning and

evening at Howick and at 3 p.m. at St. Louis de

Gonzague. In the morning his text was

from Luke 4-18 which gives the

words of Jesus as he spoke in the

synagogue. His analysis of the text

was eloquent and inspiring. His

evening text was from Philippians

3:13.

Prof. Corbett's address in the

Hall here on the 13th inst. is creating

much interest and it is expected

there will be a large attendance

to hear what the noted lecturer

has to say on that most important

institution, the League of Nations.

Six or eight men are continually

working in the new United Church

building which is closed during the

outside frost and heated with the

two furnaces. The workmen are

gradually finishing the woodwork

from the ceiling, which is about

50 feet from the basement floor.

Every requirement is made according to plans and

specifications to make the roof and

ceilings as heat and cold proof as

possible. The left and right walls

will be 23 feet from the floor. Temporary

electric lights are facilitating the

work.

The premises, vacated by Mr.

Donald MacDonald, who has taken

possession of his own residence

situated on the property once owned

by Rev. Mr. Mackay, are being

installed with electric lights

which will complete the modern

conveniences required, and the

minister, Rev. D. Morrison, and his

family will enter the furnished

house the end of this week.

To Send Money

use the Money Orders sold at all branches of this Bank.

They are safe, cheap and convenient, and are readily cashed in all parts of the world.

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The Law-makers Gather.

The first of the major governing bodies to assemble this winter is the Quebec legislature. It is the first session of the new House and it may be a short session because the government has an overwhelming majority and the opposition is weak in numbers and divided in mind as to its future form of policy. Several months ago Mr. Sauvé agreed to lead the opposition for this session, but at the same time expressed the opinion that a provincial conference of Conservatives should be held to decide what they wished done.

Troubles for the Government should, therefore, not be anticipated from the Conservative members, but the cabinet has a heavy task to cope with in the handling of an unwieldy support in the back benches. There will be a tendency among the members to demand expenditures and the adoption of policies which would not be pressed were the balance of power narrower. Consequently the Government will have to use a strong hand lest the general excellence of the present government be impaired.

The question of roads is bound to come up again, for recent moves in the automobile world point the way towards larger sales of automobiles this year. There are now several popular cars on the market which will sell at a price within the reach of the many, and, as the models are cheap in price but not in appearance, pride of ownership will encourage many to buy. The result will be that automobile traffic on our roads will be heavier than ever.

The government cannot control who shall or shall not be permitted to buy automobiles, but it can regulate who may drive them on the highways. More stringent regulations governing the granting of drivers' licenses are needed, and also stronger traffic forces to deal with traffic laws. Most of the traffic laws needed for regulating traffic are now on the statute books but if they are not put into effect they are useless. One of the worst offences is to permit a driver under the influence of liquor to operate a car, and that offence is too general.

There is talk of increasing the speed limits and also of requiring all vehicles to carry lights at night. The question of speed is not a serious one, provided proper attention is paid to the capacity of the drivers and to the condition of brakes of the car. There is no particular harm in permitting a car to run forty miles an hour in the open country and over an oiled road, but there is a positive danger in permitting the cars to run at 25 miles an hour through towns and villages. The density of the traffic in cities causes pedestrians and drivers alike to be cautious and observant of the traffic laws, but in the villages people cross back and forth over the roads wherever they feel like it, and drivers take their own chances at intersections. Instead of increasing the speed limits in the towns and villages it would be a move in the right direction were the speed limit lowered.

The question of requiring lights on vehicles does not leave itself open to controversy. Every year many serious accidents, some of them fatal, arise out of collisions between horse-drawn vehicles and automobiles, and every automobile driver knows that the hardest thing to identify at night is an approaching wagon, particularly one of the milk or express-type design. Why certain farmers should be willing to gamble with their lives for the price of a couple of cheap dash lights is a puzzle to most people.

Canadian Dairying.

Due to personal acquaintanceship and to his status in the Canadian dairying industry most of us in this district hold Dr. Ruddick, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, in high respect. The Doctor started his career in the cheese factory at Lee's Corners in Huntingdon county, so he has a practical background that we can appreciate. The other day Dr. Ruddick addressed the Dairymen's Association of Eastern Ontario, and in the course of his address commented on the fact that Canadians are large consumers of milk products, the estimated annual consumption per capita of milk and dairy products being the equivalent of 1000 pounds of milk. In other words, every 23,000 persons consume the equivalent of a million pounds of butter. This means that the increase in population alone this year has required an additional five million pounds of butter, which otherwise would have been exported.

Commenting on the growth of our dairy exports to the United States the Dairy Commissioner stated that until recently he had thought that the high prices prevailing in the Republic would encourage production. Apparently that is not the case, for while in 1890 there was one cow for every four persons, in 1927 there was one for every five. The result has been that the United States has had to import more dairy produce, with the result that 36 per cent. of our dairy exports, in the last period for which calculations could be made, went to the United States. He quoted some statistics showing the phenomenal growth of these exports, for in 1911 we exported 8,045,757 pounds of butter fat and in 1927 the exports had increased to 21,543,597 pounds. These figures represent the fat content of our milk and cream exports alone. If we incorporate all dairy exports the pounds of fat exported to the States this last year amount to 27,599,925 pounds. The importance of this market is emphasized by the fact that this past year Canada as a whole consumed in milk and cream the equivalent of 25,000,000 pounds of butter.

What is Wealth?

On Friday of last week a leading financial paper printed an article on the increased values of Canadian stocks during the year 1927. For the sake of his comparisons he used the quoted rates on the stock exchanges and decided that stockholders were one billion dollars better off than a year ago. In other words, the increased values of stock companies' shares was equivalent to nearly 50 per cent. of the national debt of the Dominion. Offhand we would be inclined to congratulate ourselves on the happy condition, but when we read in the Montreal Gazette on the same day that a sweeping reaction on the New York stock exchange had wiped out half a billion of dollar values on stock listed thereon, doubt arises. Stock values are legitimately increased when the business of the company merits it, but when it is a result of wild speculation, it is hardly proper to call that new wealth to the country. The financial surveys of Canadian industries published by the leading newspapers last week give all reason to be proud of the progress made in 1927, but a continuation of frenzied financing on the stock exchanges will hinder the actual business growth of the industrial companies.

HUNTINGDON

Huntingdon, since Tuesday, is being supplied by St. Timothée power. Mr. M. J. Kelly, local manager of the Beauharnois Electric Co. appeared before the council on Monday evening and announced the change in power, stating that the officials of the company would consider it a special favor if any disruption or lack of good service be reported to them at once. For these matters can easily and immediately be remedied. The power company deserve congratulations upon the excellent work they have done for the district and the short space of time in which it took them to supply us with St. Timothée power, taking into consideration the many obstacles which had to be surmounted.

On Tuesday evening a social evening was held in the Chateauguay Lodge Masonic rooms. 500 was played at 17 tables. The winners of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walsh. All present report having had a very enjoyable evening. Refreshments were served at the close of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Serrurier and family visited with friends and relatives in the city last week. Mr. and Mrs. T. Vincent of Montreal spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. Serrurier.

Mrs. J. E. Galerneau of Huntingdon spent Sunday at Chateauguay Basin, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Galerneau.

Mrs. Robt. Small has returned home after spending a few weeks with her sister in Chatham, Ont.

Mr. Andrew Phillips, M.L.A. and Mrs. Phillips are in Quebec this week attending the formal opening of Parliament on Tuesday.

Mr. George Ferns of Saranac Lake, N.Y. spent a week with his mother recently.

Mr. Charles Shriffr, a player for the Canadian Bank of Commerce team has severed his connection with the bank in Montreal and has gone to Sherbrooke Falls.

Mr. John Rousseau has gone to Guelph, Ont. where he has registered as a student at the Trent Institute.

Mrs. Norman McCrimmon spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Fulton, in Montreal.

Mr. Wm. Cunningham of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cunningham of Broadview, Alta. and Mr. John Cowan of Edmonton, Alta. have been visiting with Mrs. John Miller and Miss Jessie Cowan. The Western visitors are at present visiting with friends and relatives along the Chateauguay River.

Messrs. John and Cecil Brown spent a few days in the city this past week.

Miss Elizabeth Brown returned to Macdonald College Saturday.

Mrs. (Dr.) M. Riggs of Gloversville, N.Y. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Will, and sister, Miss Meriba Will.

Mr. H. T. Cunningham has purchased the old Moir Hall. Reported price \$4,300.

Mr. John Purcell has sold his farm to Welburn Bros. Reported price, \$8,000. Mr. Purcell to have joint possession of house, pastures and stable until October 1st next.

Messrs. Adelard Lachance and Bernard Coursol spent the week end in the city.

Mr. Chas. Faillie has gone to Montreal where he has accepted a position in Phillips Square Garage.

Mr. Irwin Orr of Model City recently visited with friends in town.

Mr. Billy Boyd spent the week end in Montreal and attended the Montreal-Boston hockey match in the Forum Saturday evening.

VALLEVFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cluff have returned from their honeymoon and are residing on Boul. de Havre.

Mr. R. Rousseau visited friends in Montreal for the week-end.

Miss A. Mayoh entertained a few of her friends on Friday evening.

Miss Gladys Stables is ill with a grippé.

Mr. Carl Philbin has returned from Utica, N. Y., where he spent the New Year holidays.

Miss Gladys Corcoran has returned to Montreal.

Miss Alice Brownlee, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fisher spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. Gontran Saint Onge transacted business in Beauharnois on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Walsh entertained at a card party on Friday night.

The Mutual Improvement Society held their weekly meeting on Tuesday night. The subject was Sweden. A lecture was given by Mr. A. Remborg, followed by views of that country.

On Saturday night the store of P. Bellette was burglarized and a quantity of men's clothing was taken. Two suspects are being held in Montreal pending the arrival of Chief Lemieux.

CONNAUGHT

On Friday evening, Dec. 30th, 1927, the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Todd gathered at their home to commemorate and celebrate with them the 20th. anniversary of their marriage. The happy couple, although entirely taken by surprise, were the recipients of a Lincolns China dinner set of 97 pieces, and a double hall seat. Rev. J. B. Maclean, D. D., in a eloquent manner made the presentation on behalf of the guests to which Mr. and Mrs. Todd made a very appropriate and pleasing reply. At the close of which all joined in singing, "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Congratulations followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd then adjourned to the dining room where a dainty lunch was served to 169 guests. Supper being over dancing was indulged in until the wee hours of the morning, when all dispersed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Todd many more happy years together.

NEW ERIN

Friday afternoon a personal shower was given at the home of Mrs. Ward MacLean for Miss Margaret Feeny on the occasion of her marriage. The bride elect was the recipient of many beautiful gifts for which she thanked all present. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her sister, Mrs. J. P. Smith. The guests departed after wishing Margaret many days of joy and happiness.

Mr. Thomas Kirman of Tupper Lake, N. Y. spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Lattulpe returned to our midst and school re-opened Monday, January 8th.

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When you give me the contract to decorate your home you know that the work will be done to your satisfaction. The right kind of paint and paper properly applied assures against decay and beautifies your property. When you think of decorating think of ALFRED KIDD, Painter and Decorator, Phone 49, Huntingdon.

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Remnants of every kind at less than half price. Cottons, Prints, Curtain Nets, Cretonnes, Silks, Dress Goods.

Children's Flannel Dresses

Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12, 14.

at cost price.

Just a small quantity of these left, get a bargain while they last.

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Every Sweater to be cleared out, regardless of what they cost.

Boys' Separate Coats

Norfolk Style

Just a small quantity to be sold. Sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 15 years. A bargain in every Coat.

Martha Washington

HOUSE DRESSES

All sizes up to 44. Regular \$1.98 to clear at \$1.19

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COVEY HILL

The regular monthly of the Presbyterian W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Churchill on Wednesday, January 4th, with 22 ladies present. The work for the day was the piecing of a comforter. Mrs. Steele, Mrs. John Jackson, Sr. and Mrs. W. R. Perry were appointed as delegates to the Presbyterial. The next meeting is to take place at the home of Mrs. O. Mannagh.

Mrs. W. D. Hamill, Cor.-Sec. reported having received the following letter in acknowledgment of the boxes sent to the Old People's Home.

Montreal, Dec. 23, 1927 Dear Madam: On behalf of all the old people I wish to tender you my heartfelt thanks to all who sent the boxes of goodies to the old people.

We had our usual Christmas-tree on Tuesday when each one received a gift. It was one grand evening and I would have liked to have had some of your ladies here to see the expression on the faces.

I am glad to say that the boxes came in excellent condition by rail. Thanking you all again for your kindness and wishing you all a prosperous New Year. Yours very truly, Wm. Sabin, Supt.

Evangelistic services were held last Wednesday at the home of Mr. E. E. Perry.

The account received by relatives here of the death of Mr. Thos. Louden of Calvin, N.D. states that after dining on Christmas Day at a friend's house he was returning home when he was seized with an attack of illness and almost immediately passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hendrickson of Long Island were holiday visitors at Mr. Hamill's.

Mr. Kenneth Semple returned to Macdonald College on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Louden has been paying a visit to her brother, Mr. Geo. Sutton of Frontier, N.Y.

Miss Wrinkle Petch of Hemmingford was a recent visitor at Keithburn.

Mr. C. B. Edwards has been seriously ill with influenza.

COVEY HILL

Last Friday evening a large crowd of young people attended a dance in the Orange Hall, Havelock, given by Miller Bros. to their friends.

On Sunday next Rev. Mr. Hinchcliff intends conducting his service in the form of a lecture on the topic: "Why do I believe that the Bible is true?"

Messrs. I. Waddell and G. Bourdon motored to Huntingdon on Thursday.

Mr. N. M. Brooks and family were recent guests of friends here.

Mrs. Steele spent the week end with her daughter at Aubrey.

Mrs. E. Louden and children were guests on Monday at Mr. R. C. Whyte's.

Mrs. Thos. Waddell accompanied her son to St. Lambert on Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Ellerton and little daughter spent a few days with friends here last week.

Mr. Edward Louden who utilizes his tractor to run a grinder was overcome on Saturday by carbon monoxide. Fortunately there were men around who went to his aid and carried him out of danger.

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Individual style and beauty - the efficiency and patience of our expert hairdresser's work gives milady that personal charm and bloom of youth so desired by feminine-kind.

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9 x 3 ft.	\$ 3.25	9 x 9 ft.	\$10.00
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10 lbs. white with 10 lbs. yellow Sugar	\$ 1.00	Men's Felt Shoes	\$ 2.50
25 bars yellow Soap	1.00	Men's heavy Wool Pants	3.25
5 boxes Chipso	1.00	Men's heavy Wool Underwear	2.50
4 boxes Gold Dust	1.00	Men's Fleece lined Underwear	1.35
10 boxes Lye	1.00		
10 boxes Gillex	1.00		
2 lbs. 65c. Tea uncolored	1.00		
SPECIALS FOR 50c.			
12 lbs. Oatmeal	.50		
12 lbs. Corn Meal	.50		
12 lbs. Rolled Oats	.50		
7 lbs. Rice	.50		
4 cans Tomatoes (large)	.50		
4 cans Corn	.50		
4 cans Peas	.50		
4 cans Beans	.50		
4 cans assorted Soup	.50		
2 bottles 35c. Jam	.50		
2 bottles 35c. Catsup	.50		
2 bottles 35c. Mustard	.50		
7 large boxes Matches	.50		
SPECIALS FOR 25c.			
4 lbs. Beans	.25		
4 lbs. Peas	.25		
6 lbs. Onions	.25		
3 boxes Corn Flakes	.25		
2 boxes Puffed Wheat	.25		
2 boxes Puffed Rice	.25		
2 boxes Shredded Wheat	.25		
5 lbs. Epsom Salts	.25		
5 lbs. Sulphur	.25		
5 lbs. Honey	.65		

We are paying the highest price for eggs and all farm produce.

1 piece of Granite Ware with each \$10.00 purchase.

Have about 30 tons stove and Chestnut Coal.

Oyster Shells, \$1.25 bag.

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"INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS" BY T. J. FITZPATRICK

Would Advocate Custom Houses On Every Road In Place Of Various Patrols.

A short time ago Mr. T. J. Fitzpatrick gave the following talk on "International Relations" which we believe will be of interest to many of our readers. This address was given at the Rotary Club luncheon held in Chateaugay.

There probably is no one thing that has caused more annoyance, inconvenience and business loss to our north country than the present methods of handling the public who wish to go or return from Canada on business or pleasure. The freedom to come and go across the international line on legitimate business was one of the great assets of the communities on both the Canadian and United States territories adjoining the border up to within the last few years. To be sure there was a little smuggling done, but the amount was negligible. It was assumed, and properly so, that the people of both countries were honest and law abiding, and experience showed that this confidence was, in the main, well founded.

Since the change of conditions following the war and the advent of the 18th Amendment, it seems as though all had changed, and now the north country, not only along the immediate border but for one hundred miles or more south of the border, is constantly patrolled by armed officers of one service or another. The result is that no traveller is safe from being stopped and searched at the point or the bark of a gun, at any hour of the day or night, no matter what highway he may be travelling.

The general, decent public does not relish being halted by flashlights or gun shots, and taking their chances as to whether they are being stopped by officers or thugs. We who live on this territory must, of necessity, stand for such treatment, however annoying it may be. However, we should not be surprised that the tourist on pleasure bent, should avoid these north counties as though infested by pestilence. And they cannot spend their money here while they are afraid to come through our communities.

To my mind, there are two main reasons for the present unsatisfactory conditions. The first reason is that our government is trying to do business in our customs and immigration offices on an ox cart basis in this age of automobiles. It does not take into consideration that 100 miles is now a two hour instead of a two day journey, and very little more provision is made for border service than was in effect when all travel was by horse and wagon or by railway train. It ignores the fact that now thousands of people cross the international line by highway for each one who crossed the line by highway fifteen or twenty years ago.

The second reason is that the whole system seems to be based on the proposition that every traveller is a criminal; that the travelling public is to be viewed and handled as potential criminals; that no one can travel within 100 miles of the Canadian border, going either to from or paralleling the Canadian line, without having criminal desires.

The results of these two states of mind is the present unbearable condition. It would seem as though, by a little mixture of common sense, and co-operation between the Customs service and the Immigration service, a plan could be

worked out whereby decent people could travel about their private affairs without being constantly harassed and humiliated and treated as criminals by a lot of armed "peeping Toms." That such a plan would not only save the decent law abiding people from molestation, but at the same time be much more effective in curbing the law breaking element than the medieval methods of operation now in effect.

If there is any good reason why the duplication of efforts by the Customs Department and the Immigration Department should exist? It seems to me that there is no real reason why a customs officer who inspects a car for contraband or dutiable merchandise, should not also be able to inspect that car at the same time for contraband or inadmissible humans. Instead of having a double inspection by customs in immigration officers.

To be sure, the customs men are under the Treasury Department, and the immigration men are under the Department of Labor. However, we pay both outfits, and co-operation between the departments should be possible, so that either could perform the duties of both and the expense account be divided between the departments. In any event, we do not care which department pays it because both departments are paying with our money. The rent and maintenance of the office at Chateaugay, which is used by both customs and immigration service, is adjusted on some basis between these departments. Why should not the expense of men be handled on a somewhat similar basis?

To start off with the place for a customs house or immigration office is on the international line. In the second place, there should be a customs house at the Line on every road crossing the Line. In the third place, there should be 24 hour service in every customs house on every road. With such a system there would be no necessity of patrolling our highways with armed men. No necessity of stopping, searching and shooting at the law abiding citizens throughout the whole north country. Illicit importations would be stopped at the source. The travelling public would not be afraid to journey through our territory. The respectable resident citizen would not tend to feel that the government is his enemy, and that he might as well be an outlaw since he is treated as one anyway.

The first step to go up by officialdom at the suggestion of 24 hour service on every road crossing the Line, will be based on expense. However, we pay the expense, and if there were enough common sense in the departments to invoke co-operation instead of departmental jealousy between the customs service and the immigration service, the number of men on the pay rolls in customs service, immigration service, customs border patrol, immigration border patrol, special agents and so forth, would be sufficient largely to man an intelligently organized system and the amount which we now pay for automobiles, gasoline and ammunition for the various floating officer outfits, would make up the financial deficit.

If inspection were made at all roads intersecting the line, the numerous armed patrols would not be necessary. People desiring to drive through the Adirondack counties would know that they could do so without the danger of nerve racking experiences and the chance of getting their heads or tires shot off.

With this system of inspection there might and probably would be a certain amount of across the fields traffic, but that traffic being necessarily on foot, the amount of merchandise transported in pack baskets would be negligible. All such cross the fields traffic would be by criminals only, and could be effectively dealt with by severe punishment of all violators. It could not grow to any great proportions at any point without attraction, comment, and consequent detection.

The question of expense should not deter the installation of some intelligent system which would relieve the present unhealthy condi-

300,000 H. P. HYDRO DEVELOPMENT ON ST. LAWRENCE

Beauharnois L. H. & P. Company Applying to Dominion Parliament.

BUILD NEW WATERWAY Lake St. Francis And Lake St. Louis to be Connected by System—Up at Next Session.

Ottawa, January 4.—An important projected power development, which indirectly affects the St. Lawrence waterway scheme, is likely to come to the attention of the federal Parliament this session. The documents respecting the proposal are now before the Department of Railways and Canals.

In 1909 the Minister of Public Works, then Hon. William Pugsley, granted a lease of certain waters between Lake St. Francis and Lake St. Louis. Now the Beauharnois Light, Heat and Power Company, through R. O. Sweezy, vice-president, and U. B. Griffith, secretary, both of Montreal, are seeking rights for the development of water-power, the ultimate development to be 300,000 horse power. A bill to amend the charter of the company was submitted at the last session of the Quebec Legislature, but was killed. It is likely that the measure will be presented there again this session. If they are successful this time all of the water affected is within the province of Quebec they will come to Ottawa to get certain approval from the Department of Railways and Canals and Public Works.

It is proposed to construct a new waterway from Lake St. Francis to Lake St. Louis, connecting with the latter at Melocheville, the new waterway to virtually parallel the Beauharnois canal. Precautions will be taken by the federal authorities to see that the proposed scheme would not affect the level of Lake St. Francis, as that, in turn, would affect the entrance to the Soulanges canal. Between the two lakes there would be created an eighty-foot level of water. Another restriction, pertaining to navigation, is that it would not affect the flow of water through the Cedar, Coteau and Cascade Rapids in the River St. Lawrence, which are used during the season by eastbound passenger boats. Aime Geoffrion, K.C., it is understood, is acting as counsel for the promoters.

QUEBEC LEADS FOX FARMING INDUSTRY

Latest Statistics Show Prince Edward Island in Second Position.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—The number of farms devoted to raising fur-bearing animals in Canada is increasing and figures issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics here show that for 1926 there were over 400 more such establishments than in 1925. In the latter year 2,283 were recorded, but in 1926 the figure had risen to 2,702.

Curiously enough, the province with the greatest number of fox farms is not Prince Edward Island, which had 575, but Quebec, with 586; Ontario was a close third in 1926 with 496, while Nova Scotia with 241 and New Brunswick with 220 followed. All of the nine provinces and the Yukon Territory are in the fox raising industry, and all provinces indicate an expansion of the business.

The total value of fur-bearing animals in 1926 throughout Canada of Lake St. Francis, as that, in turn, would affect the entrance to the Soulanges canal. Between the two lakes there would be created an eighty-foot level of water. Another restriction, pertaining to navigation, is that it would not affect the flow of water through the Cedar, Coteau and Cascade Rapids in the River St. Lawrence, which are used during the season by eastbound passenger boats. Aime Geoffrion, K.C., it is understood, is acting as counsel for the promoters.

ada was \$11,007,530, with the total value of property adding another \$14,888,705 to the capital amount.

Census of the various farms shows that silver fox is the most favored among the fur-bearing animals, the number in captivity at the end of 1926 totalled 47,404, valued at \$10,591,054; patch or cross fox accounted for 1,742, red fox 1,163, blue fox 1,050 and mink 1,650 with various other animals such as raccoon, skunk, marten, lynx, coyote, badger, Siberian hare, chinchilla rabbit and karakul sheep making up a grand total of 56,216 animals.

The death rate among silver fox is very high, amounting to about 20 per cent. In 1926 of the 37,912 cubs born 7,912 died.

The Thought Has Limitations—It is said that a grown-up bear can't climb a tree, but we don't suppose anybody is going to stop at a crucial moment to ask a bear how old he is.—Ridgeway Dominion.

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"All right," responded the husband. "Call her in."

Leaving 'em Round—A man in New York was fined \$15 for stealing a kiss. Oh, well, a lot of owners of kisses are awfully careless.—Vancouver Province.

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Everyone has been canvassed by the pedler at some time or other, who may be selling brushes, kitchen utensils, cloth for suitings, linen, vacuum cleaners or any of one hundred or more other things, all of which you very well know, and have been proved to you, that they can be more profitably bought at the local stores.

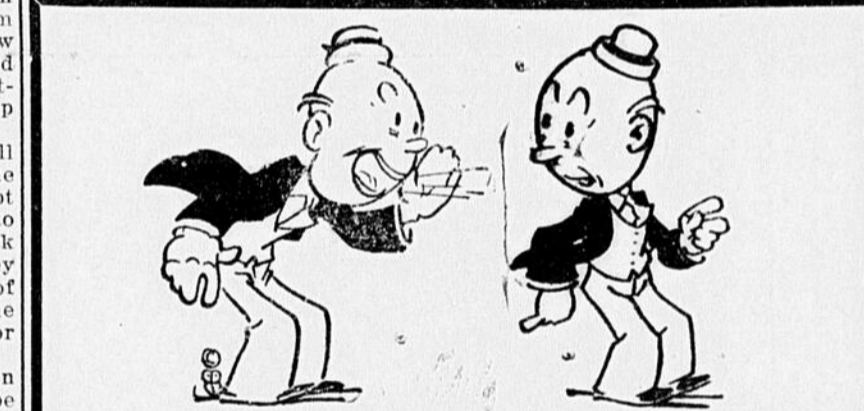
What To Tell The Pedlers

When a pedler calls at your home inform him that you buy your goods from the local merchants. The pedler will tell you that he sells his goods cheaper and that he sells direct from the factory and that you are getting the goods at factory prices. True, he may get them from the factory but the price is sufficient to pay the factory for the goods, the man's time and his excessive selling expenses. The merchants goods come from the wholesale who handle goods on the quantity basis with a small margin of profit, and the merchants sell that article as well as thousands of others in the store. Therefore, the pedler must always have a larger margin on which to do business legitimately than the local merchant.

If you don't read local advertisements and buy from your local merchants you are a loser

Trade With Your Local Dealers.

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| Ferguson & McGibbon | General Merchants | St. Agnes de Dundee |
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| E. W. McCaffrey | General Store | St. Agnes de Dundee |
| Gordon McHardy | General Store | Athelstan |
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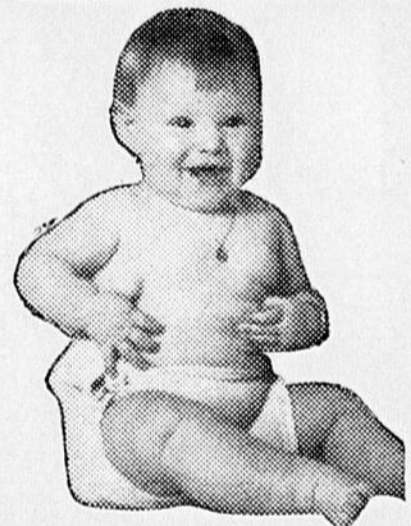


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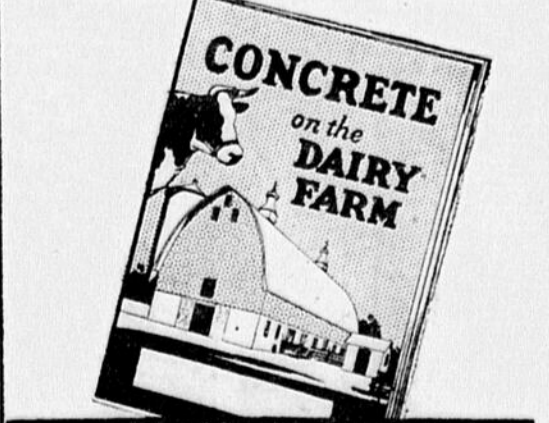
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CHAPTER XXIV

What struck George Pevensky first on returning to his own part of the bank was the silence of the type-writers. As their click-click hummed to all the working hours, the present hush was like the stoppage of the engines on a ship at sea. A big throb had been stilled. With averted faces people stood about and wondered what the trouble was.

The first brief news had spread rapidly. Clerks, stenographers, and messenger boys had heard that the Big Chief was dead, but had heard that business, as if too stricken to go on, was to be suspended for the day, and as it flew each occupant of desk or pen stood up. Nevertheless, as George limped by, no one ventured to question him, no one in any way, he was always distant, and they recognized the fact.

Billy Maggs alone felt warranted in striding forward, lowering his voice confidentially. "Say, how did it happen, George?"

George pressed the hand which had taken his wrist as if it was that of one in grief. "I know no more than you do, Billy. All I can tell is that he's gone. Theo was with him and he seems to have collapsed while they were talking." He added, as if to escape more details, "I came from calling up the undertaker."

As Billy went away George took up his hat and stick, meaning to leave the bank and to leave it finally. Though he had said nothing to Harrison, to whom he should have given his notice, he had had no means repented of his words that he was through with a family of cad. The fact that Theo would be coming in for money was above all things to make no difference. If he was going in any case, he must now do it quickly. Self-respect required it.

His one remaining duty was to report to Mr. Stone, in the latter's private office, the answer received from Mr. Watersby. This was simple. The undertaker and his men would be on the spot as soon as they could get there. Stone thanked him, taking him by the arm and leading him the few steps down the passage to the door behind which lay the dead man.

"Theo's there with her father, George. Better go in."

He stammered out the readiest excuse, "I don't think she wa-wants me."

"Sure she wants you. Besides, it is not a question of what she wants, but of what you want. You are master. Be master, George. Do not begin to rule your life by what your wife wants and doesn't want. It's her business to want what you do."

He left him at the door. George turned the knob and went in. But the room was empty except for the figure on the couch. That could be deserted now, could in a measure be ignored. Those whose steps had depended on the will which up to an hour ago had been exerted here were going their ways independently. His own feeling was of stealthiness, like a burglar's, in being in the room at all.

But he was looking for Theo. Stone having taken off the repression which since last night he had put upon himself, the longing to see her came back with a force that thought he had overcome. Just to see her!—to murmur a few words, a few loving words perhaps, and then go on forever. It was easy enough to say last night, in a minute of mutual resentment, that the less mitigation the better; but it wasn't so. He didn't forgive her, he wasn't asking for her back; but he knew that if he could only get a glimpse of her it would give him fortitude.

So he waited, standing by the couch. There being two doors to the room, she might come through either. To the couch he turned his back. Even he could forget the object lying there.

A door opened softly, but it was only Gentry. George felt the need of explaining his presence in the room. "I'm waiting for my wife, Mr. Blent's daughter."

Gentry informed him that Theo had left some ten minutes earlier. She had gone out by a side door and had said something about "going home."

It was now a question as to what she meant by home. It might be Blentwood. On the other hand, it might be Butter Street. It would be the more natural that it should be Butter Street. When a woman has a family home and her own home, it is the latter she calls home. If she had not meant Butter Street she would have used the words Blentwood or Old Tibbury even in speaking to Gentry.

But when he reached Butter Street there was no one there. The flat was chill and sinister. He had often come back to it earlier than she, but never when he didn't expect her. He expected her now. To expect her was in the nature of the situation. She might not come to stay with him, he didn't ask for that; but in view of what had happened through the day a few more words would be essential. He himself had only reached there first; she must be on the way.

of course, but Theo would like him to know when it was to be. She would want him to attend it, or would she? After the bitter things he had flung out that morning she might hesitate.

But five o'clock came, and six, and seven, and eight, and there was no ring at the telephone. With nine, and ten, and eleven he understood that she would not call him up that night. He understood even more. She was gone. When she had left the flat that morning she had left for good. There was nothing more to wait for or look forward to.

And as a matter of fact Theo was saying the same thing about him. She, too, was waiting to be called to the telephone. Five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven! When eleven o'clock struck she, too, was making up her mind that since he hadn't called already he wasn't to call at all. There was nothing more to wait for or look forward to.

Not but what the thought was as inconsistent with her purposes, as it was with his. She was far from seeking a reconciliation. Forgiveness was out of the question. It was more so from what had happened. But at least he might speak a word to her. She had grown used to the comfort of his arms, to the soothing invigoration of a voice which had never failed to help her even when he himself had been helpless. In this hard experience she needed it more than she had ever needed anything in her life, and he said nothing.

She had left the bank hurriedly and secretly so as to be alone. If Mr. Stone were to see her he might send her down to the motor car with Spen. In the streets, in the subway, in the train, she could draw within herself and think. She could hardly reach the family quickly enough to tell them she was ready with her expiation.

She had seen from a man, who admitted her, that Spen had arrived about half an hour earlier and had broken the bad news. The shock of the past few minutes having made an other matter trivial, he showed no surprise at seeing her.

Come in, Miss Theo, come in, you must have card."

"All the family's in the living room, just as if he was coming home to dinner. But he won't. There's only one why he'd come."

"I'm not sure of the grade, room, where, as she stood at the top of the three steps, the group below stared up at her, it was formed as she had so often seen it in her mother, Sheila, and Spen in the center of the room, Aunt Katy in one winged chair, apart and independent, a newspaper spread across her knees. It was he who gave the first welcome.

"Lost no time in getting back, did you, now that there's no one to keep you away?"

Miss Blent had risen and bustled forward. "Oh, my darling, have you heard the awful news? Your father—"

She had Theo in her arms as Spen said, indignantly: "She was there and saw it all, mother. Isn't that what I've been telling you? If she only got home when he'd have been home as usual."

Sheila was prompt in her sister's defence. "How can you say that, when you don't know anything about it? Theo's done the best she could. I hope that now she's coming back to us."

Released from her mother's arms, Theo threw herself into her sister's. "Oh, Sheila darling! I've missed you so much. Nearly a year! Yes, I'm back for a little while, but after that I don't know. She turned to her mother. "Mother, dear, could I have a cup of tea? I had hardly any breakfast and of course no lunch at all—and everything's been so awful."

"You'll get over it," Aunt Katy croaked, cheerfully. "Heavens! the people I've seen die! Cried my eyes out over some of them, and now I don't care a hang. That's the way, in fact, that it had begun to be already. Subconsciously Theo was aware that to the family the blow had been one of consternation rather than of grief. There was some grief, of course. They had loved him, but with a stormy love in which there was always something to be afraid of. In subtle ways she noticed a relief from constraint. For her mother, for Spen, for Sheila, a pressure at once mighty and capricious had been taken off. They had all been crying, even Spen; and yet, now that their tears were dried, they had a

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sense of being able to relax with a long, sure relaxation. She, Theo, alone must take the situation as a tragedy.

Though it was only three o'clock time had so lost its significance that tea was brought for them all. They took it with relish. Restored from her faintness, Theo felt the necessity of explaining herself and her part in her father's death. With her impulsive nature, so ready to make plans, she was eager to announce her programme of amends.

"You see, George and I had made up our minds to separate."

"Oh, Theo, you hadn't," Sheila cried, reproachfully.

"Or, rather," she steeled her voice with an effort—"he'd made up his mind, and of course I—I couldn't go living with a man who didn't want me."

"If every woman left her husband because she knew he didn't want her," Aunt Katy commented, "there'd hardly be a married couple in the country."

"Go on, dear," came sympathetically from Mrs. Blent.

"I don't want to go into it all again," Theo took up, bravely, "but for a long time past I'd begun to see him as—what darling papa said he was. It wasn't his fault; he couldn't help himself. He was caught, and couldn't get out. The more he tried, the more he was pushed back into the machine, to go on as he'd been before."

Sheila was loyal as George's champion. "Well, you could not blame him for that."

"But it was your fault," Spen put in, "that you wouldn't listen to any of us when we told you so."

"Darling, what do you mean by that," the mother asked, anxiously "live as if you had got over it?"

"To begin with, I mean that it's not worth while living any other way when he doesn't want me to. He said to papa this morning—but I can't tell you. It was all too dreadful. One of the things was that he was done with papa and all who belonged to him—that included me, of course—for life, and that we were a family of—no, I'm

not going to say it. It's no use. What it comes to is that he does not want me unless I bring him money."

"But you can do that now, can't you?" Sheila reminded her. "I suppose papa will have left some money to us all."

"When a man says of you what he said to darling papa this morning—"

"What was it?" Spen demanded. "When darling papa asked him if in case he didn't come across with the money he'd want me back, he said that he'd put it even more strongly—that if darling papa didn't come across with the money he wouldn't take me back. I know he didn't mean it, that he said it only to make us think that he despised us—but he said it, and when you've heard a thing like that it doesn't matter to you that it isn't true. The sound of it is what hurts."

"Oh, if you're just going by the sound of things," Sheila was beginning again, but Theo interrupted her.

"Besides, if I did go back to him I couldn't bring him any money, because darling papa was putting a codicil to his will in which he said I mustn't."

"But he didn't sign it or have it witnessed. It couldn't take effect."

"But I know what he meant; and now that he's gone— You see, she declared with a passionate cry, "I did kill him. Spen is quite right. If I hadn't gone near him he'd have been home this afternoon."

She went on to detail the stages by which she had crushed the life out of one who had had so slight a hold on it. First there had been the announcement that her disastrous marriage had ended in disaster and that she was coming home. Then there had been the scene with George, in which a proud old man had been pelted with insults from which he had not been able to defend himself. Lastly, she herself had assailed him, had struck at the spots where he was tenderest. She had denied his love, and scoffed at the father-

ly goodness which had never failed her till the day when she had put him to defiance. And there had been the end. Up to that he had borne everything. That he couldn't bear. If ever a heart broke, his had broken. It had broken under her eyes as she looked on, and through her acts and words.

All this she narrated dryly, with the kind of hard emotion which seeks only to make itself convincing. But having drawn up her indictment, she went on to inflict her sentence. She knew what he had hoped to bring to pass, and she was going to see that it was done. She would take what money he left her; she would divorce George; she would marry any man with a high position and a sounding name who would marry her. It would be too late now to do darling papa any good, but if those who went before could still see what was happening here, he would know what she was doing to make amends to him. What she had willfully refused him on earth, she would offer him now in heaven, always in the hope that her sacrifice and love would do something to enhance his bliss.

"But Theo," Sheila objected, "you wouldn't marry a man if you didn't love him, would you?"

"I've had enough of love." The contrast notes vibrated in rejection. "It's not a standby. It's not a guide. George Pevensky loves me, but he puts me out of doors. I love him, and yet I wouldn't go back to him, not if—"

"Oh, but he didn't put you out of doors," Sheila insisted. "He couldn't have—not George."

"Well, let us put it that he begged me to go. I cost him too much money; I ran him into debt. We had so little to live on that when you overstepped your margin by a dollar it became the biggest problem in the world as to how that dollar could be paid. Love didn't matter. Life was a question of dollars and cents, and chiefly of cents. What it simmered down was this; that though he loved me and I loved him, we couldn't afford to love, and so I must go back."

Hannah appeared to say that Mr. Stone wished to speak to Mr. Spen on the telephone. Within a few seconds Spen had returned.

"They'll bring him down about ten o'clock."

"I'll stay up," Aunt Hatty declared promptly. "Some one tell Hannah to set my place at dinner. Always said I'd bury Jackson Blent, and here I am doing it."

"And Mr. Stone," Spen explained, further, "said he thought the funeral had better be on Friday. If we considered the day suitable, 'Suitable to me,' Aunt Katy assured the company. 'Friday or any other day, so long as I'm a chief mourner.'"

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THE FUTURE OF ONTARIO DAIRYING

An Address by J. A. Ruddick, Dairy Commissioner, at the Annual Convention of the Dairy-men's Association at London, Ont., January 11th, 1928.

I am afraid it must have been in a moment of weakness or indiscretion that I gave your secretary "The Future of Ontario Dairying" as the title for an address at this Convention. I hasten to explain that I have no intention of posing as a prophet. It is said that indulgence in prophecy is a sure way of losing one's reputation and I have none of any shreds of reputation that I may have left. No, if I may say something about the future of dairying in this province, it will be merely an attempt to point out some of the probabilities that attend any given set of conditions that may develop.

I recall the forecast, made some 20 years ago, by a man very prominent in the trade, which was to the effect that in four years' time there would be no Canadian cheese to export. Or to go back only to the year 1924 in which year we had a surplus of over twenty million pounds of butter for export, and the unanimous opinion was that this surplus would continue to increase and might easily reach 50,000,000 pounds in five years. Nothing seemed clearer than that the buttermaking branch of the industry, or rather the export of creamery butter was on the eve of important developments. It was this feeling which promoted the recent legislation affecting the packing and export of butter. This optimistic outlook, which seemed to be so fully justified, had been falsified through the export of cream and milk to the United States, and a decrease instead of the expected increase in the prairie provinces. Another factor which was not taken into account is the increase in home consumption due to growth in population and greater per capita consumption as the result of improved industrial conditions. The average annual consumption of milk and its products per person in Canada is equivalent to 1,000 pounds of milk, so that for every increase of 23,000 in the population, the additional consumption is equal to one million pounds of butter. The Bureau of Statistics estimates the increase in population in June last as compared with June 1926, at fully 100,000.

For some weeks past there has been a good deal of interest displayed in the daily and financial press over the alleged decrease in dairy production in Canada, largely the result, I should say, of a misconception as to the real position. It is a fact that Canada has practically ceased, for the time being at any rate, to be an exporter of butter. This attracts much more attention than the further fact that we are now exporting annually the equivalent of 25,000,000 pounds of butter as cream and milk. So far as production is concerned, the preliminary statistics show that we produced practically the same quantity of creamery butter in 1926 as we did in 1924 (178,000,000 pounds). Actual figures for the 1927 production in all Canada are not yet available, but it looks as though the total would be as large as in 1926.

Butter Production in 1927
We are told that there was a decrease in the prairie provinces of at least 10,000,000 pounds in 1927, but the statement that there was "a decreased make of butter and cheese in every province" is not warranted by the only evidence available. There was a decrease in the butter graded in the prairie provinces in 1927, of 103,174 boxes (5,777,764 pounds) as compared with 1926, but there was an increase in the gradings in Eastern Canada of 50,691 boxes (2,838,496 pounds). The net decrease in the butter graded therefore, was 52,483 boxes (2,941,848 pounds). If the gradings, which are only about 25 per cent. of the total butter made, bear the same relation to production in both years, it is obvious that there must have been an increase in the eastern provinces to make up the difference between this shortage and the known decrease in the prairie provinces of about 10,000,000 pounds. A calculation based on holdings and exports, allowing for the usual home consumption, produces a similar result.

Cheese Production in 1927
When we come to consider the cheese situation the showing is not so good. There was undoubtedly a decrease in 1927. The gradings of cheese, January 1st. to December 31st, 1927, were 1,472,333 boxes as compared with 1,845,811 boxes for the same period in 1926, a shortage of 373,248 boxes, or approximately 21,000,000 pounds; but even

so, the production of 1927 will be as large as that of 1922. So far as the gradings are representative of actual production, and practically all cheese are graded, the percentage decrease seems to have been largest in Western Ontario. The total gradings for 1926 and 1927 are shown for Ontario, by districts, in the following table:

Cheese Graded		1926	1927
		Boxes	Boxes
West. Ont.		234,949	168,288
Cent. Ont.		286,654	231,351
East. Ont.		776,801	634,212
North. Ont.		6,807	6,282
		1,305,211	1,040,133

The decrease in Quebec was 104,186 boxes, or 20 per cent. **Export of Cows to United States**
The Customs Department does not distinguish in the export returns as between milk cows, beef cattle or breeding stock. Only the total number of cattle is given, so there is no way of finding out just how many cows were exported in 1927, or how the number compares with other years. It is popularly believed in some sections that the number was much larger than usual, but estimates for the whole country based on local knowledge are not a very reliable guide. On the whole, I think it is a fair assumption that if it had not been for the unfavourable start in the spring of 1927, that is to say, if the first half of the season had been as good as the last half, the production of cheese would not have been very much below that of the previous season. In any case, producers have some consolation in the fact that the reduced output was not without influence on the world price.

Total Number Milk Cows

After all, the crux of the matter lies in the fact that the Bureau of Statistics estimates the number of milk cows in Can. in June 1927, at 3,894,311, as compared with 3,829,191 in June 1926, an increase of 55,120. The increase in Ontario is put down at 19,000. This is only an estimate, but it is made on a system which has proved in the past to be very close to actual count when checked up with the decennial census. Assuming these figures are correct, the statements which have appeared in the press and some of the discussions on the subject would look merely foolish if they were not so harmful. If a sufficient number of people tell a man that he is looking ill, and persist in it, the chances are he will be ill through the power of suggestion. On the other hand, nothing hurts a man more than to be told that he is looking well. So it is with an industry like dairying, and those who have been responsible for the rather false impression which has been created recently have something to answer for.

Of course, this sort of thing is nothing new. It seems to me as I look back over the years in which I have occupied a position of some responsibility connected with the industry, that I have spent a good part of my time attempting to correct wrong impressions of the dairy situation which somehow or other have become current. I do not accuse anyone of deliberately misrepresenting the situation; it is the result of jumping at conclusions from imperfect information and fragmentary data.

Increased Demand for Canadian Dairy Products in the U.S.

The most outstanding development in our corner of the dairy world during the last few months, and one that does not lack signifi-

cance for the future of the industry hereabouts, is the increasing demand for Canadian dairy products in the United States. I have thought, until recently, that the high prices prevailing in the United States would encourage production sufficiently to meet all demands, but apparently that is not the case. It is evident that for some years now the population of the United States has been increasing faster than the number of cows. In 1890 there was one cow for 3.9 persons, in 1910, the ratio was 1 to 4.2; in 1920 1 to 4.9; and on January 1st, 1927, it was one cow to 5.2 persons. No doubt, the yield per cow has increased, but that is offset by increased per capita consumption. If this shrinkage in the number of cows in proportion to population continues in the United States, the time will come, sooner or later, when our surplus of dairy products, I say "if" this shrinkage continues; I have no means of knowing whether it will or will not, but the possibilities of the situation are sufficient to give us something to think about.

The present position is that while the United States still requires some dairy produce, the imports exceed the exports and the excess of imports is increasing. For the year ended December 1926, the exports of all dairy products from the United States, when reduced to a fat basis, amounted to approximately 16,000,000 pounds, while the imports on the same basis and for the same period were 60,000,000 pounds, or a net import of 44,000,000 pounds. For the twelve months ended October 1927, Canada's total exports of dairy products, expressed in terms of fat, amounted to 72,794,397 pounds, of which 26,704,617 pounds, or 36 per cent. went to the United States.

There has been an export of dairy products from Canada to the United States for many years but it is only in the last six or eight years, if we omit the war period, which was abnormal, that the trade has assumed any real importance.

The following table shows all exports reduced to their fat equivalent, for years ending March 31st, 1919, 1923, 1927.	
Lbs. Fat Exp. from	Exp. to the
Canada	U.S.
76,232,282	6,286,582
72,287,145	12,564,093
84,903,135	27,599,925

Practically one-third of our total exports was to the United States during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1927. The proportion will be considerably larger during the present fiscal year. Cream is the largest item in these exports at present. It was in 1911 that cream and milk were first listed as separate items for some years previously. In 1919 the exports of cream were 485,915 gallons and the exports of milk were 827,973 gallons. In 1923 the cream exports were 1,122,241 gallons and the milk exports were practically the same as in 1919. In 1927 the exports of cream were 4,496,528 gallons and of milk 4,886,445 gallons. The increase in the exports of cheese is also very striking. In 1919 there were only 150,065 pounds of cheese exported to the United States; in 1923, 5,902,300 pounds, and in 1927, 14,000,062 pounds.

Godmanchester Council

A regular session of the Municipal Council of the Township of Godmanchester was held at the usual place and hour of its session on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January 1928 in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec. Councilors all present, except Coun. Quenneville. Mayor W. J. Sherry presiding. The minutes of the previous regular session were read and approved and signed.

The following resolutions were adopted:
That the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to borrow sufficient money to pay off the outstanding notes as they become due.
That the following bills be paid: James McCaffrey \$57; A. Thompson \$18; B. A. Rankin \$8.
That all arrears of taxes still due for 1926 not paid on or before January 20th, 1928, be handed in to an attorney for collection.
That this Council stand adjourned to Tuesday the 10th day of January, 1928 at 3 o'clock p.m.

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Ladies' Winter weight English Cashmere Hose, 95c.
Penman's Silktex Hose, 75c.
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5 pair men's grey Wool Sox, \$1.00.
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Good solid Tweed Work Pants, sizes 34 to 44, \$1.49.

Men's Shawl Collar Pull-over Sweaters, \$1.00.
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Men's lined Mule Mitts, 50c.
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A sale of O. V. Pure Wool Yarn, 60c. lb.

Scotch Fingering, \$1.00 lb.

Balled Wools in many colors ball	.10
Grey Cotton Aprons for Embroidery work	.25
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Children's Bibs for Embroidery work	.25
Cheese Cloths in 5 yd. pkgs., 25c. pkg.	

Special Broom Sale

5 Brooms for	\$ 1.00
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Mop Handles	.15
Dust Pans	.15
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Alarm Clocks	.95
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2 lbs. pail Peanut Butter	.50
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5 lb. pail Buckwheat Honey	.50
5 lb. pail White Clover Honey	.60
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WOOD FOR SALE—Soft wood and hard wood limbs, \$2.25 per cord in bush, 96 in. App. Elmer Daoust, Phone 603-1-3, Huntingdon.

FOR SALE—Two pure bred Holstein bulls, seven and eight months old. Fully accredited. Bred from outstanding dams and sire. Apply Wilfred M. Kelly, Huntingdon, Phone 638 r 2-2.

FOR SALE—8 roomed house on King St., belonging to the estate Margaret Tully, in good condition. Large house, large lot. Immediate possession. Price \$3,000. Apply to Mrs. Joanna Hamilton, J. R. Tully, W. Black.

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FOR SALE—Six pigs, three months old. Phone 605-4-2. Beaver Hugh Cameron.

FOR SALE—Fifty tons pressed hay. Apply Toussaint Ouimet, Huntingdon.

TIMBER FOR SALE—A quantity of long timbers on skid, 25 to 45 feet in length. Hickory and Red Elm. John Murphy, St. Anicet, Phone 627 r. 1-5.

FOR SALE—A crosscut saw, almost new. Apply Box 5, Gleaner Office.

FOR RENT—House, possession May 1st, 1928. E. M. Egdar, Town.

LOST—One side rack for Ford truck, between Huntingdon and Athol Station. George Clauson.

LOST OR STOLEN—Russian wolf-hound dog, colour white. Anybody knowing information about dog please notify. Reward if returned. Mrs. C. W. Whealy.

WOOD WANTED—Tenders for wood will be received by the undersigned Secy.-Treas. for wood for the following schools: 10 cords for Nos. 1 and 2 combined, 8 cords for No. 3 and 8 cords for No. 5. Must be all sound hardwood, 20 inches long, delivered at the schools and piled in the sheds before May 1st. Tenders to be in by the 23rd inst. C. W. Potter, Secy.-Treas. Havelock, Jan. 10th, 1928.

WOOD WANTED—Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Jan. 21st, for 15 cords hard, sound, body wood, 16 in. long to be delivered at Zion Church, Dundee, by April 1st, 1928. Tenders to state kind of wood. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. John Fleming, Secy.-Treas.

I am buying all kinds of furs, also horse hides, beef hides, calf skins and calves and hens. Am paying best prices. Phone No. 6. E. Betnesky, Huntingdon.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its present session, on behalf of Beauharnois Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation having its head office in the City and district of Montreal, for the passing of an Act amending its Charter: (a) By permitting it to change the location of the entrance and exit of the canal which it is empowered by its Charter to build; and (b) By increasing the area which the Company is empowered to appropriate and providing additional appropriation powers. Meredith, Holden, Heward & Holden, Attorneys for Petitioners, Montreal, January 10th, 1928.

SCHOOL MUNICIPALITY OF ST. ANICET. TENDERS FOR WOOD. Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to January 18th, 1928 for wood delivered to No. 3 La Guerre School. 8 cords hardwood, 18 inches long, to be all body wood and free of large chunks. J. A. Leslie, Secy.-Treas.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT of the Huntingdon Protestant Cemetery Company for 1927. Receipts: Cash in bank, perpetuity fund \$ 579.42, Assessments paid 236.75, Lots paid in perpetuity 507.50, Interest on bonds 319.26, Interest on deposit 8.53, Premium on bonds exchanged 400.54. Expenditure: Dominion of Canada bond \$ 518.75, Balance due Secretary 329.50, Neil D. Currie, caretaker 205.40, Charles T. Dalgleish, caretaker 72.95, David McMeekin, acct 24.00, Water rate 11.90, J. B. King, acct 7.20, E. C. McCoy, acct 6.03, Glenner, acct 4.00, Frank Allard, acct 5.30, John Small, acct 4.00, Phoenix Assurance Co., prem. 3.50, John A. Hunter, acct .80, Pringle, Stark & Co., acct .70, L. N. Dupuis, acct 1.00, Postage 9.85, Secretary's Salary 125.00, Balance in bank Perpetuity acct. 581.25, Balance in bank on hand, Ordinary acct. 140.87.

GENERAL STATEMENT Perpetuity Account. City of Edmonton bonds \$5,000.00, Bell Telephone bonds 1,000.00, Dominion of Canada bonds 500.00, Cash in bank 581.25. Ordinary Account. Cash on hand \$ 140.87, Arrears of assessments 88.70. \$229.57. Having examined the foregoing statement with the books and vouchers of the Secretary, we find the same correct. John A. Hunter, J. W. Stark, January 11th, 1928.

ROCKBURN The regular meeting of the Presbyterian W.M.S. Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. W. G. Gibson Wednesday of last week. The usual routine of work was accomplished and lunch was served to 53 members and visitors. Proceeds amounted to \$12.30. A telegram received Saturday last summoned Mr. Alfred Waller to attend the funeral of his brother Robert, whose death had occurred suddenly at Hartford, Conn. Mr. Waller was a former Rockburn boy and his passing leaves Mr. Alfred Waller the sole survivor of a family of twelve brothers and sisters. Mrs. Waller accompanied her husband on the journey. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pollock entertained a large number of friends on Monday evening. Games and dancing were indulged in and the affair proved an enjoyable one.

NOTICE Having been appointed Curator of Michael W. Duncen, farmer, of the Township of Godmanchester, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by others than myself. Elmer Caza.

NOTICE Would the party who took the Minimum Thermometer from box at the Gleaner office return same immediately before the matter is referred to the owners, viz: The Dominion Meteorological Service, of Toronto.

RE: ESTATE PETER KING In his lifetime of the Township of Elgin, farmer. All persons owing the above Estate are requested to make payment forthwith to the undersigned. James W. Ross, Atholstan, P. Q. Andrew Coffey, Glenelm, P. Q. Executors. Donald M. Rowat.

TOWN OF HUNTINGDON NOTICE A discount of five per cent (5%) will be allowed on all water rates paid for the year in advance, provided the same is paid before the 15th of January. W. K. Philips, Secretary.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. District of Beauharnois. No 5167 Superior Court. Dame Helena Chateau, of the village of Nouveau St-Jacques, wife of Joseph Souquet, of the same place, plaintiff; vs. Joseph Souquet, of the same place, defendant. An action in separation as to property has this day been instituted in this case. NUMA E. BROSSIOT, Attorney for plaintiff, Valleyfield, November 29th, 1927.

NOTICE All ratepayers in Howick School Municipality are ordered by the school board to pay their arrears of school taxes before Jan. 20th, 1928, or they will be handed to a lawyer for collection. Thos. T. Gebbie, Secy.-Treas.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Municipality of the Township of Godmanchester. To the inhabitants of the aforesaid Municipality. PUBLIC NOTICE Is hereby given by T. W. Furey, the undersigned secretary-treasurer of the aforesaid municipality, that at the Nomination for Councillors which took place on Wednesday the eleventh day of January nineteen hundred and twenty-eight, the following are the results: Nominations for the office of Councillors were received for the following candidates: Mr. James Ruddock, Seat No. 2, re-elected by acclamation. Mr. John J. Fannahill, Seat No. 4, re-elected by acclamation. Mr. Sparrow, Councillor for Seat No. 6 having retired. Mr. Matthew I. Rankin was duly elected for said Seat No. 6. Given this eleventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight. T. W. FUREY, Secy.-Treas.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC Municipality of Township of Elgin. TENDERS WANTED For the laying of about 300 feet (more or less) of stone bottom for road, near west end of 3rd. Concession road. Stone to be laid 12 ft. wide and 6 inches deep, with top well broken down. Specifications for the above work may be seen at the residence of the undersigned. Tenders will be received on or before Jan. 16th, inst., 1928. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accept. Glenelm, Que. W. R. Stewart, Jan. 4th, 1928.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC Municipality of Hinchinbrooke. By-Law No. 175. Respecting the Closing in of Dogs. At a regular session of the Municipal Council of the Township of Hinchinbrooke in the County of Huntingdon held at Herdman in the Town Hall on Tuesday the 3rd day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight at which session were present the Mayor and Councillors James C. Coulter, William T. Coulter, Henry E. Munro and John McGinnis. Whereas notice of this by-law has been given according with the provisions of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec. Whereas certain dogs have been found in this Municipality suffering from the disease of Rabies. It is ordained and enacted by by-law as follows: Any owner or guardian of a dog in this Municipality who does not keep him safely muzzled or confined so as to prevent his escape, or who allows him to run at large unmuzzled shall be guilty of an offence under this Act and shall be liable for each offence, upon summary conviction before a Magistrate, or a Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction at the place where the offence was committed or upon appeal action before the Circuit Court or the Magistrate's Court having jurisdiction, to a fine not more than twenty dollars and on failure to pay such fine and costs to imprisonment to not more than thirty days. This by-law shall come into force within twenty days after its approval by a majority vote of this Council. Given this third day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight. J. M. Wallace, Mayor. Wm. Cameron, Secy.-Treas.

ST. AGNES Miss Simonne Leblanc spent a few days in Valleyfield visiting friends and relatives. A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olivier Leblanc on Thursday when the neighbours, friends and relatives called and danced till morning. At 12 o'clock lunch was served by the hostesses. Many thanks were given to Mr. and Mrs. Leblanc. Mr. Arthur Lalonde was a business caller in Huntingdon on Monday. Mr. Nelson Guyer, who spent a few weeks at his sister's, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ouimet, has returned to Chasms Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leblanc and daughter Léa of Fort Covington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olivier Leblanc on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leblanc and daughter Gabriel of Fort Covington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Olivier Leblanc on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leblanc of Tupper Lake, N. Y., visited friends and relatives in this vicinity. Messrs. Adeler Demers spent a few days at Coteau du Lac, visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Emile St. Onge visited her mother, Mrs. John Marathy and family on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Euclide Marchand served supper to a few of their neighbours Sunday after which a pleasant evening was spent. Mr. Damase Lezault from Casselman spent a few days at Mr. Alexis Quenneville's visiting his daughter Claire. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Latulipe of Ste. Agnes spent a few days in Montreal, visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Lalonde were business callers in Fort Covington, Tuesday.

DUNDEE Mr. Will McLean of Washington and his sister, Mrs. J. Stewart of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Fraser Sr. Miss Viola Waudie of Huntingdon, visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Cameron.

BEAVER The Mission Band of the Presbyterian congregation, Dundee, met at the home of Mrs. J. C. McMaster on Friday afternoon, Jan. 6th. Owing to a few of the members being sick, there was not as large a meeting as usual. After the business hour, the members and visitors made a few blocks for a quilt, after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. Mrs. Harold McCaffrey and son Roy returned to their home at Atholstan, after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cameron. Miss Mabel Stowell of Saranac, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Donald Sutherland. Miss Marjorie Legros was the guest of Mrs. H. A. Cameron, Dundee, on Thursday. Miss Stella Cushman, Malone, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Reynolds on Tuesday.

Hinchinbrooke Council Met on Tuesday the 3rd inst. Members all present, Mayor Wallace presiding. On motion By-law No. 175 regarding the muzzling and closing in of dogs was passed. On motion Councillors McGinnis and Anderson with the Mayor and Secretary were appointed to procure a suitable person to enforce the by-law. On motion the Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to have the County Secretary sell the property of Robert Fortune for taxes. On motion the financial statement was adopted and ordered to be printed in the Gleaner. On motion the following bills were passed, viz: J. G. Laurendeau for advice \$8.00; A. Traviess for supplies and care of Town Hall \$7.27; Secretary-Treasurer for extra services \$34.25. On motion John Boyd was appointed road officer in division No. 16. On motion it was decided to move Mrs. Carrigan and family to a home in Beauharnois, the Council agreeing to pay the sum of \$40.00 per month for three months. On motion Joseph Anderson, Norman Fennel and J. H. McCracken were appointed to visit the County Council at its next meeting with regard to the closing in of dogs in the County.

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REDUCED RAILWAY FARES—Round trip railway fare will be one and one half regular one way fare plus twenty-five cents, on identification certificate plan.

Elgin Council Met 3rd. inst., Councillor Crawford absent. The financial statement for year ending Dec. 31st, was presented and read and after due consideration was accepted and ordered to be published in the Gleaner. Councillor Elder gave notice of motion that at an adjourned session to be held on Feb. 6th. a By-law No. 146 will be presented for adoption authorizing this Council to borrow on short term loans sufficient money for current expenditure. The following accounts were ordered paid: D. G. MacFarlane, cleaning ditch \$4.12. The Secretary was authorized to advertise for tenders for the laying of about 300 feet of stone bottom near west end of 3rd. Concession road and a committee composed of the Mayor and Councillors Coffey, Stark and Elder were appointed to arrange re-letting of contract. The Secretary was authorized to proceed to collect with costs all arrears of taxes. Adjourned to meet Feb. 6th. at one o'clock p.m.

ELGIN The Presbyterian Y.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Robt. Rutherford on Saturday afternoon, January 7th. The following officers were present: Pres. Miss Janet Arthur; Vice Pres. Miss Mary Macfarlane; 2nd Vice Pres. Mrs. Donald Hamilton; Secy. Miss Ida McDonald; Treas. Miss Merle Alexander; Work Sec. Miss Mary Macfarlane; Home Sec. Miss A. Rutherford; Welcome and Welfare Sec. Mrs. David Small. A delicious lunch was served at the close.

HEMINGFORD Miss Martha Simpson returned to Macdonald College on Saturday to resume her studies in the Intermediate Teachers class.

HAVELOCK (Intended for last week) Mrs. Wm. Ball and little niece, Beatrice Waddell of Carlsbad Springs, Ont. are visiting her brother, Mr. Indell Waddell at Havelock. Mrs. Henry Sayer spent the holidays in Montreal visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Mayhew. Miss Elma Bustard is home from Macdonald College where she received her diploma for teacher. Mrs. Payton spent the holiday week visiting his congregations of Russelltown, Zion and Covey Hill. Dr. Ernest Moore of Regina arrived home Monday night. A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gilmore Monday evening in honor of their mother's birthday, she being 82 years of age. New Year's Day.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWN OF HUNTINGDON FOR THE YEAR 1927. RECEIPTS. Cash on hand as per audit 1926 \$ 417.57, Taxes for 1927 collected 13099.91, Arrears of taxes collected 1140.28, Water rates for 1927 collected 4820.95, Water rate arrears collected 812.75, Business tax collected 1321.50, Dog tax collected 72.00, Loans from Can. Bank of Commerce 13500.00, Bail. Filter Plant grant 1734.38, Insane accounts collected 226.00, Fines collected 28.00, Machinery sold 125.00, Received for hydrant 114.13, Amusement tax collected 54.80, Sundries 53.50. \$40223.83

EXPENDITURE. Water bonds \$ 2395.74, Filter Plant bond and int. 2345.00, Bridge bonds 1496.15, J. A. Elliott & Co., acct. fire station 7500.00, Can. Bank of Commerce, notes 7051.30, Donald McNair, sidewalk 1700.95, John Kiel, roads 797.73, Provincial Govt., roads 6131.99, Beauharnois Electric Co., contract and acct. 1591.87, George A. Munro, wages 2133.30, John Macrow, wages 877.13, Nichols Chemical Co., acct 594.78, Insane account, elec. 542.00, W. B. McLean, acct. 343.80, Frankie Varin, wages 273.15, Pringle, Stark & Co., acct. 272.25, Frank Allard, acct. 266.20, Can. Nat. Ry., freight 170.81, Huntingdon Gleaner, acct. 170.30, J. G. Laurendeau, acct. 149.05, Bell Telephone Co., acct. 143.41, County Council, acct. 135.60, Francis Hankin & Co., acct. 98.22, K. Alex. Small, rent 96.00, Armand Longtin, acct. 97.15, Township of Godmanchester, taxes 90.00, David McMeekin, acct. 90.00, Provident Insurance Co., prem. 70.00, Grayhwaite Bros., acct. 61.50, Bannock Co., Ltd., acct. 62.61, Municipal Service Corp., acct. 61.98, Southern Press, acct. 60.32, A. C. H. Picard, acct. 57.39, Provincial Police, acct. 55.85, John A. Hunter, acct. 55.05, E. A. Henry & Son, acct. 54.01, Edouard Boulanger, wages 52.50, W. J. Walsh, rent 50.00, School taxes 48.00, Moses Galipeau, wages 47.95, McNair & Kyle, acct. 42.00, Tully Lumber Co., acct. 34.12, Charles T. Dalgleish, acct. 30.50, Provincial Secretary, acct. 30.00, Gauthier Salt Co., acct. 27.81, Deslandes & Gariepy, acct. 27.00, John Findlay, acct. 27.00, W. E. Lefebvre, acct. 24.22, D. A. Nicol, acct. 23.90, Drummond McColl & Co., acct. 23.00, Stanstead & Sherbrooke Ins. Co., premium 21.00, Norman McCrimmon, auditor L. N. Dupuis, acct. 20.00, George Irwin, acct. 19.08, Erle C. Martin, acct. 19.00, Sam King, wages 10.25, Union Assurance Co., premium 15.70, J. Alex. Henry, acct. 10.00, King's Printer, acct. 10.00, John A. Ness, acct. 14.50, Henry Laurin, wages 14.70, R. H. Crawford, acct. 13.00, Star Publishing Co., acct. 13.00, H. T. Cunningham, acct. 12.60, George W. Clark, acct. 12.00, Building and Jury Fund 12.00, Joe Kiel, wages 10.75, Union of Municipalities, acct. 8.68, James D. Brown, acct. 8.00, Amable Legros, acct. 8.00, W. C. Hunter, acct. 8.00, W. K. Philips, acct. 8.00, Rufus Kelly, acct. 8.00, John T. Gardner, acct. 7.45, Joe Recor, wages 7.35, Dominion Rubber Co., acct. 6.49, Montreal Stencil Works, acct. 6.45, Alfred Kidd, acct. 6.45, Walter Lefebvre, acct. 6.00, James Robertson Co., acct. 5.92, R. W. Warden, acct. 5.00, Peter Myre, acct. 5.00, S. Malloy, acct. 4.75, Peter Lefebvre, wages 4.50, Empire Garage, acct. 4.25, Wallace & Tiernan, acct. 4.20, Darling Bros., acct. 4.39, James D. Bicknell, acct. 4.00, Harry K. Martin, acct. 3.50, E. R. Laberge, acct. 4.05, Martin Komick, acct. 3.50, A. B. Barrie, acct. 3.00, James Brossiot, wages 3.00, J. A. Elliott, acct. 3.00, Legal Blank Print Co., acct. 2.75, E. C. McCoy, acct. 2.00, New York Central, express 1.50, John Hunter & Sons, acct. 1.50, Joseph Lefebvre, wages 2.00, James Humphreys, acct. 1.50, Cemetery Tax 1.50, J. A. McCartney, acct. 1.00, Comfort Clothing Co., acct. 1.00, William Ewing & Co., acct. 1.00, C. H. Lamb, acct. .60, Postage and Excise stamps 35.12, Secretary's salary 700.00, Balance in bank 460.05. \$40223.83

GENERAL STATEMENT. Assessment on \$762580. at 17 mills \$ 12963.86, Assessment on \$13225. at 10 mills 132.25, Commutation tax Bannock Co. Ltd. 100.00, Arrears of taxes 1141.28, Business tax imposed 1321.50, Dog tax collected 72.00, Water rates imposed \$5797.90, Dis. on yearly rates 67.00, Arrears of water rates 827.50. \$22289.29. Taxes and arrears collected \$13220.19, Water rates and arrears col. 5033.70, Business tax collected 1321.50, Dog tax collected 72.00, Arrears of taxes 1117.20, Arrears of water rates 924.70. \$22289.29

ASSETS. Cash on hand \$460.05, Arrears of taxes 1117.20, Arrears of water rates 924.70, Government grant, promised Fire Station, 40% of \$10500, engineer's estimate of work to date 4200.00. \$6701.95

LIABILITIES. Due Bk. of Commerce notes \$ 6500.00, Bal due on fire station 3000.00. \$9500.00. Net liabilities \$ 2798.05

Having examined the books of the Secretary with the foregoing statement, and checked the vouchers therewith, I find the same correct. N. McCRIMMON, January 7th, 1928.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Municipality of Hinchinbrooke. To the inhabitants of the aforesaid Municipality. PUBLIC NOTICE Is hereby given by William Cameron, the undersigned Secretary-Treasurer, that at a regular session of the Municipal Council held on Tuesday, January 3rd, 1928, By-law 175 was passed to compel owners of dogs to keep them muzzled or confined in safety so as to prevent their escape unmuzzled. Any owner of a dog in this Municipality who allows him to run unmuzzled shall be guilty of an offence and held liable according to the provisions in said by-law. Given this seventh day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight. William Cameron, Secy.-Treas.

Radio Batteries recharged, called for and delivered for \$1.25. J. M. Brethour, Phone 75W. Huntingdon. COMING EVENTS. PUBLIC MEETING. A meeting of those who are interested in celebrating the 78th anniversary of the founding of Huntingdon Academy will be held in the Jubilee Building on Tuesday, January 17th, at 8.00 p.m. All cordially welcome. R. N. Walsh, Chairman, H. S. C.

O'CONNOR HALL 3 Nights of Unusual Jollification Starting Thur. Jan. 12 with Your Favorite Stock Company. H. WILMOT, MARJIE. Young-Adams COMPANY. Thursday "Why Men Marry" A Vital Question For All. Friday "HUMAN CARGO" A Love Romance of the African Jungle. Dance After The Show Music by Young-Adams Orchestra. Saturday MICKEY or the Crimson Nemises New Players—New Plays—New Novelties. Vaudeville and Cabaret Numbers. NOVELTY ORCHESTRA H. Wilmot Young's Novelty Sensation is packing the houses Everywhere. Popular Prices—Children 25c., Adults 50c., plus tax.

Important Milk Producers Meeting. The Annual Meeting of Huntingdon branch of the Montreal Milk Producers will be held at the County Building, Huntingdon, on Tuesday the 17th. day of January, at 1 p.m. Copies of the Annual Report and financial statement of the Central Association will be distributed at this meeting. Come and hear about the new system of financing the Association. All milk producers shipping to Montreal are invited to attend. J. F. SMELLIE, President. W. L. CARR, Secretary.

Beauharnois District Dairymen's Convention will hold it 46TH. ANNUAL CONVENTION in MacDougall Hall - Ormstown, Que. Friday, January 20th., 1928. Live Stock Judging Competition. 10.00 a.m.—Open to young men under 21 years of age. Draft horses, Ayrshire and Holstein cattle. Prizes in each class \$5., \$4., \$3., \$2., \$1. The Hon. J. A. Robb has offered a silver cup to the competitor making the highest score. Annual Convention. PROGRAMME. Afternoon Session. 2.00 p.m.—Reports and business. 2.30 p.m.—Live stock address, Mrs. S. J. Chagnon, Department of Agriculture, Que. 3.00 p.m.—Feeds and feeding, Prof. Crampton, Macdonald College. 3.30 p.m.—Cow testing in district, Mr. Carl L. B. Wheeler, Huntingdon. Evening Session. 8.00 p.m.—The Economics of Dairy Farming, Dr. Lattimer, Macdonald College. 8.30 p.m.—Address, Miss McCain, Macdonald College. 9.00 p.m.—Farm Objectives, Prof. H. Barton, Macdonald College. It is expected that the representatives of the Federal and Provincial Parliaments will be present and give short addresses. Ladies are cordially invited to attend, especially the evening session. Music and entertainment will be given between addresses. All interested are cordially invited to attend. R. R. NESS, President, Howick, Que. ROBERT J. ROY, Secretary, Howick, Que.