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County Council.

Reeve Milne, supported by Reeve Ratz, introduced a motion to the effect that in the opinion of this Council the tendency of school legislation has been to build up High Schools and Collegiate Institutes, to the detriment of the Public Schools, and that no public money should be expended for school purposes except for common schools, and we recommend that such legislation be enacted as will make the common schools as efficient as. possible.

In reference to a foot bridge asked for at Wingham, a committee was appointed to confer with the solicitor to see if the county was responsible for it, and if so the bridge to be put on the list of county bridges rebuilt.

A lot of discussion occured over an increase of salary, asked for by Treasurer Dr. Holmes. \$1,500 was first proposed; a motion to leave it where it was-\$1,200 -was voted down, and an amendment making the salary \$1,350 while he is Wednesday of this week. handling the sinking fund, was finally passed.

The executive committee recommended that the usual grant of \$10 be made to Prisoners Aid Association. In reference to a motion that \$8,000 be appropiated to a House of Refuge, it was recommended that no action be taken. The usual grant of \$25 each to be made to the East and West Huron Teachers' Associations. That the request of the Wingham Horticultural Society, for a portion of the county grant, be not reeognized. That the county printing be awarded to F. G. Neelin.

The Treasurer was instructed to allow no member of the Council, or other persons, to know to whom loans of money are made from County funds. In reference to the application of the several ing from Fordwich with his pretty one. high school boards in the county for the This article may be secured by the young of county pupils attending the respective High Schools, the committee recommended that they are to be paid the following sums (less the fees received by them), Goderich, \$828.87; Clinton, \$750. 59; and Seaforth, \$937.06.

Moved by Mr. Ratz, seconded by Mr. Beacom, that for those made wards of the county during the present session the treasurer remit the amount quarterly as in the case of the other wards. Carried

The educational committee reported, report be printed; that one gold and two also. als be provi spectorate to be awarded to pupils at ized and have secured the services of for each inthe public school; that Zurich be a central place for holiday entrance exam-High School; that Geo. Connor be ap. pleased to hear she is recovering. pointed to the Agricultural College; that the motion of Messrs. Kaine and Saunders, in reference to special legislative grants to public schools holding a fifth class, and that the warden and clerk prepare a memorial setting forth the above and forward the same to the Lieut-Governor in Council, be adopted.

A grant of \$300 was appropriated to be divided among the three Riding Shows.

A grant for the establishment of a poor The usual amount of accounts were passed and routine business done, and the council adjourned.

Redgrave.

Miss Martha Scarff, has returned home after spending her holidays with her friends around Paris.

Mr. Richard Lunn is all smiles just now. His wife made him a present of a baby boy the other day.

Mrs. Thos. Workman is lying very ill at her daughters Mrs. James Bacon.

The funeral of Mrs. James Douglas' child, of Gilby, North Dakota, took place here on Friday last. The child was eight months old.

Loyal Lodge, No. 82, I. O. G. T., has

elected the following officers for the ensuing term. W. C.-Bro. Earnest Pritchard Vice—Sis. Annie Foster.

" Sec.—Bro. Selby Foster.
" F. Sec.—Bro. In Wallace. Chap.—Bro. L. A. Mason.

" Mar.-Bro. Joseph Johnston. " I. G.-Sis. Minnie Wallace.

" O. G. -Bro. Samuel Bethswitherick On behalf of the officers and scholars of Redgrave Sunday School they are very much in favor of a township Sunday School convention as there is quite an agitation on this question in the colums of the GAZETTE.

Second Line Items.

Miss Annie Patterson, is home again after spending a couple of weeks with her brother John, in Harriston.

Mr. Ed. Lambkin, was so fortunate as to have a fine day for getting his wood sawed with the sawing machine, on

Mr. Willie and Robbie Dilworth, of Mount Forest, spent a few days at their uncle's, Mr. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Williamson are on their way to Dakota.

Misses Maggie Roadhouse and Victoria Cooper, who were attending High School in Harriston, came home home sick a week ago last Saturday. But we are pleased to learn that the disease was not of a serious nature and both re-

turned to their studies on Monday. Miss Annie Faust, spent Sunday with

Miss Ella Roadhouse is at present keeping company with Mr. Grip.

Lost, strayed or stolen, but I suppose it must be strayed, a slipper belonging gentleman, by calling at Mr. Dunlop's on proving property and paying expenses.

The young people of Mayne had quite a pleasure drive down to Mr. Richmond's of Treecastle.

We are pleased to see the face of Miss Powell around renewing her old friends and acquaintances in this vicinity.

Belmore.

Mr. John Skilling, organized a large singing class here last week. He teaches advising that 500 copies of the Inspectors' a kindergarten class in the Public School

Mr. Skilling as teacher.

Mrs. Adam Darling of the B line has inations in connection with the Goderich been very sick with the grip. We are Mr. Andrew Cornell, of the same line

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