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### DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Strathroy barbers close at 10 o'clock Saturday nights.

Duncan McCallum of the 10th concession, Euphemia, died on Saturday in his 87th year.

The Dominion Government may introduce legislation making eight hours a legal working day.

The United Farmers of West Midland are arranging to hold a big picnic at Strathroy on July 1.

The Prince of Wales will visit Canada in August and will open the new parliament buildings at Ottawa.

In Galt the price of a hair cut has dropped from 50 to 35 cents. A drop is due on more things than barbers.

John P. Dubs, Aldborough, had two valuable cattle killed and a third seriously injured, the result of a straw stack falling.

A Scottish club in New York has been barred out of court for playing the bagpipes, on the ground that the sound was a nuisance.

After paying all expenses, the ladies of the Presbyterian church at Alvinston had \$305 to their credit as a result of a recent tea-meeting.

Two sons of Mrs. Welch, formerly of West Lorne, returned to St. Thomas from overseas last week. Mrs. Welch had five sons at the front.

Strathroy's main streets are all torn up in preparation for being repaved. It is expected this work will be finished in July. Over \$65,000 is being spent on the roads.

While dinner was being served in the Methodist parsonage at Mount Pleasant, N. Y., a touring car crashed through the bay window and stopped in front of the table.

A compilation of the death of French youths between 18 and 21 during the progress of the war shows that over half of the young manhood of the country has disappeared.

Farmers near Erie, Pa., were averaging \$50 to \$100 a day hauling autos out of the mud, but the Motor League spoiled their easy money by establishing free "rescue" stations.

A New York man was packing up to go to his summer home. When he finished, his four-year-old son was missing. He was found sleeping in a tightly-nailed case, packed with rugs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Siddall of Bothwell spent a few days in Detroit, attending the graduation of the nurses at St. Mary's Hospital, where their daughter, Pearl, received her diploma.

At the meeting of the London district Methodists the minimum salary for ministers this year was raised from \$900 per annum to \$1,350, which includes an appropriation of \$150 for horse-keep.

A gas well, known as the corn borer, has appeared in different farming communities in the States and there is danger that it will reach Canada. Farmers are urged to be on the look-out for the pest, which attacks oats, potatoes, fodder and garden crops, boring holes in the stalks.

About four thousand returned soldiers have gone on the land under the Soldiers' Settlement scheme, and the number whose applications have been approved is about nine thousand. The settlement scheme is already bringing a million acres into production, and that is what counts in Canada now.

A gas well, with a fairly good pressure, has been discovered on the farm of Ronald Sinclair, in the 4th concession of Brooke. The gas is escaping through an old abandoned well, and if a match is struck a continuous blaze will occur over the mouth. Steps are being taken by interested parties to investigate and if it warrants, it will be further developed.

St. Thomas Times-Journal.—Dr. Cornett, who has been in California for some time, has returned to the city for a few days in order to dispose of his practice, preparatory to moving to California permanently. The many friends of Mrs. Cornett, who was so ill with influenza this winter, will be glad to learn that she has completely regained her good health. She did not return with her husband.

Pedestrians who have started to cross a street at a reasonable distance from an approaching motor car have the right to do so at the pace of an ordinary walk, and the motorist has no right to compel pedestrians to rush or run for safety by the insolent blowing of the horn. Slacken speed when approaching pedestrians, blow the horn if thought necessary to warn them, but permit them to cross the street in safety at a reasonable pace. Remember there are old people, invalids and children.

The Great War Veterans of Ontario at their convention in Windsor last week showed great good sense by overwhelmingly deciding to keep their association out of politics. They were no less level-headed in refusing to demand from the Federal Government a cash grant of \$2,000 for each demobilized veteran, which would increase the debt of the country nearly a billion dollars and add to the burden of every man, woman and child in Canada. The Ontario Veterans also displayed their grasp of what constitutes good citizenship by showing hostility toward the Bolshevists who are endeavoring to overturn the established order of things throughout the Dominion. Having risked their lives for democracy, they have no thought of assisting to plunge the country into anarchy.

It has come to the point where a body has to earn twice as much as he needs in order to get half enough to live on.

### HOME BANK MANAGER DEAD

Mr. Mackenzie of Melbourne Passes Away at His Home in Scotland

Melbourne, May 28.—The people of Melbourne and vicinity were greatly shocked to hear of the death in Edinburgh of H. D. A. Mackenzie, for many years the popular and efficient manager of the Home Bank here. For some time previous to his departure from here he had not been feeling up to his usual standard of health, but it was thought by his many friends that a rest and a visit to his old home in Edinburgh would restore him to his usual health again.

Mr. Mackenzie was a thorough Scotchman of the old stock. He was born in the Western Highlands of Scotland in November, 1869, but shortly afterward the family moved to Burnt Island, Fife, near Edinburgh, where his two brothers and two sisters still reside. Early in life Mr. Mackenzie entered the banking business in Scotland, and after receiving a thorough training there, came to Canada and joined the service of the Home Bank in November, 1906, as ledger-keeper at the Church street branch, Toronto.

In July, 1909, he was appointed manager of the branch at Melbourne, discharging the duties of that position with credit both to himself and to the bank, winning the esteem and respect of all who knew him. In his business life he was most untiring in his efforts to advance the interests of the bank that employed him. Even in the face of failing health his indomitable determination to push ahead was shown in his planning for and opening a branch of the bank at Walkers. To the public life of the village he was ever a constant and valuable contributor. Especially was this seen in the acquiring of the Melbourne park and recreation grounds and in the formation of the agricultural society. He always took a keen interest in the work of this body, and was most untiring in his efforts to promote its welfare. In fact, to him probably more than to any other is due the excellent reputation which the Melbourne fair enjoys at the present time of being one of the most up-to-date of the county fairs.

Mr. Mackenzie was also prominent in the work of the Oddfellows of Melbourne. Some time ago he held the office of Noble Grand, and at the time of his departure was treasurer of the lodge here. During the past year he was also chairman of the board of managers of the Presbyterian church here. For some years Mr. Mackenzie had planned to revisit his native land but was prevented by the war, but on his termination he was granted on March 17th three months' leave of absence with full pay, the bank very generously stipulating that if that was not sufficient he was to take six months. But it was of no avail. Mr. Mackenzie reached Edinburgh, Scotland, on April 20th, and on April 27th passed peacefully and quietly away to the Great Beyond.

WHITTINGTON-WINSHIP

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. R. J. Murphy at the rectory, Wardsville, on May 21st, when Susan Winship, eldest daughter of James Winship, was united in marriage to James Whittington of Newbury. The bride was given away by her father and attended by Cora Underhill of Bothwell, Fred. Underhill being best man. The bride was prettily gowned in white silk, with hat of white georgette crepe. After the ceremony the young couple left by motor for Thamesville, where a wedding supper was served at the home of Thos. Winslow, leaving shortly after amid showers of confetti and good wishes for Detroit.

RETURNED HERO HONORED

An event of interest took place on Monday evening when about a hundred friends and neighbors gathered at the home of James Winship to spend a social evening with Lance-Corporal Hurdle, youngest son of Edgar Hurdle, who recently returned from overseas. The evening was spent in games and dancing. Shortly before lunch, Lance-Corporal Hurdle was called forward and presented with an appropriate address and gift of money. Mrs. James Whittington read the address and Mrs. D. Logan made the presentation. Lance-Corp. Hurdle spent his early life in Moss township and seven years ago went to Enn. Early in 1915 he enlisted with a Port Arthur battalion and spent over three years in France, being fortunate in coming back without a scratch.

THE WESTERN FAIR

London's popular Exhibition, the Western Fair, will be held this year from September 4th to 13th. Prize lists, entry forms, hangers and other advertising matter will soon be ready to mail.

Although the wet weather of last year was the cause of great loss and disappointment the management is not at all discouraged, but is making active preparations for the largest and best exhibition ever held in London. The prize list, which is a very liberal one, has been adjusted by the committees in charge of the different departments, and will be found of great interest to intending exhibitors. A copy of this, with entry form required, will be mailed to any address on application to the secretary, A. M. Hunt, General Offices Dominion Savings Building, London, Ontario.

Pretty soon straw hats will show which way the wind blows.—Boston Globe.

### METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING

The annual meeting of the Ridge-town District was held on Monday and Tuesday in the Methodist church here.

Rev. Mr. McAllister of Ridgetown was in the chair.

A good deal of general business was transacted. A large increase in missionary funds and in ministerial support was reported. The district secretary for Sunday schools, Rev. R. Fullerton, reported a large increase in Sunday school attendance and contributions. Rev. W. L. Hiles was appointed to the stationing committee.

Resolutions were passed asking the Dominion Government to make permanent the present prohibition law, discouraging the practice of Sunday fund-raising where such can be avoided; asking for the prohibition of race track gambling; and to Rev. J. A. Aye-crest, chief license inspector, congratulating him on the result of the recent Government investigation regarding his department.

The next annual meeting will be held in the new church in Highgate.

A DASTARDLY DEED

Saturday night last after the electric light bulbs had ceased to glow and before the church bells had yanked the weary Christian from his drowsy couch, some bold, bad man, armed with sharp and muffled handsaw and with cold-blooded murder in his heart, made a wanton attack on the tieposts that for years have ornamented the main street of Glencoe.

And the tieposts are now a thing of the past, having disappeared as if by magic. Where they have gone to or who made away with them even Olga fails to tell.

Some years ago the council ordered the tieposts to be removed from Main street, and convenient hitching places were provided on some of the side streets. This, however, was considered a drastic action, and eventually many of the business men prevailed upon a newly-elected council to allow them to restore the tieposts, provided they were constructed with uniformity and with some show of the artistic. Nicely turned posts were made, fitted with cast iron hoods representing a horse's head. These were set up and painted a popular shade, but still they were looked upon as more or less of an evil and a menace to public health, if not quite beneath the dignity of a village that in other respects gave it, self city airs.

Perhaps, now that the auto has practically superseded the horse, and flying machines are of the near future, the tieposts can just as well be dispensed with. What is mostly worthy the town fathers as well as the business men is the fact that the posts had an intrinsic value, the heads alone having cost in pre-war days two dollars and a half apiece. And to think they have been stolen—thirteen in all!

CAPTURED A BEAVER

Samuel Leech of Moss captured a beaver in a ditch on his farm, lot 26 first concession, on Sunday. The animal is supposed to have escaped from Springbank Park at London and made its way down the Thames, and up a creek to the ditch. It is many years since beavers were known to inhabit the streams in Western Ontario, and the one now in captivity is quite a curiosity to the countryside, as many as three hundred people having come in one day to see it.

McCOLL-JOHNSON

The marriage was solemnized on Wednesday, May 21st, at the residence of the bride's father, William Johnson, Appin, of Samuel T. McColl and Miss Mary Adah Johnson, Rev. H. D. McCulloch officiating. Owing to a recent bereavement only immediate relatives of the bride and groom were in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. McColl left immediately after the ceremony for a motor trip to London and other points east, and on their return will reside at Appin.

EXCAVATIONS IN HOLY LAND

The end of the war gives a new beginning to the science of archaeology. Because of an ancient Mohammedan edict against disturbing the dead, excavations in the Holy Land were constantly hampered by interference from the Turkish Government. But now that the Turk has been driven from Palestine forever, scholars are already excavating where ancient wonders have lain buried under the dust and ruin of 3,000 years.

The very pavement on which Moses stood when he begged the Pharaoh of the oppression to let the children of Israel depart from bondage; the very throne before which Aaron "cast down his rod" and it became a serpent; the actual room which formed the background for events in the first chapters of Exodus—these have been brought to light by recent exploration in Egypt.

Investigation of Samaria is already being arranged for, and excavations are to start almost at once above the temple. Possibly also there will be no Jewish objection to excavating the vaults and passages under Solomon's temple, where the Ark of the Covenant is said to have been hidden.

You can't begin too early now to clean up, paint up, and buck up and help to make Glencoe just what you think it ought to be. There's a lot to be done around your place, and nobody knows better than yourself just how to do it.

The war must be over. An alienation suit in New York shows that the girls have resumed falling in love with matinee idols.—Detroit Free Press.

### A VICTIM OF THE THAMES

Jesse Nevils Drowns in Sight of Wife While Rafting Logs

On Tuesday afternoon Jesse Nevils, a well-known farmer residing north of Appin in Ekfrid township lost his life in the River Thames in Moss.

Mr. Nevils had been engaged for some time with other men in getting timber out of the Dykes farm in Aldborough for a Thamesville firm. Since spring opened the method was taken of rafting the timber down the river to Thamesville. On Tuesday a raft had about been completed and Mr. Nevils and another man were in a small boat putting the finishing touches upon it. Suddenly the boat in some unaccountable manner upset, throwing both men into the water, which at this point is quite deep and running swiftly. Nevils disappeared almost immediately beneath the water, while his companion managed to keep to the surface and recovering himself made a desperate attempt to rescue Nevils, who rose once or twice. He managed to grasp the drowning man but was unable to retain his hold, and in another moment Nevils was swept away.

A sad feature of the accident was that Mrs. Nevils was on the river bank watching the rafting operations and saw her husband drown. The victim of the accident was a son of William Nevils and was about 35 years of age. He leaves his wife but no family.

The body of Mr. Nevils had not been recovered at time of writing on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY HALF-HOLIDAY.

Glencoe business men have agreed to close their stores every Wednesday afternoon during the months of June, July and August.

DEATH OF EVAN CORNEILLE

A message was received at Melbourne last week stating that Evan Corneille, youngest son of the late "Squire" J. M. Corneille, passed away at his home in Vancouver. It is understood that the effects of the flu. He leaves a young widow and four children, a mother, sister and two brothers, J. B. of Melbourne and C. G. of the West. Evan was well-known in Glencoe and vicinity, the family having resided here for some years before moving to Melbourne.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENED

At West Lorne celebration of Victoria Day on Monday, the opening game in the Ekfrid and Middlesex ball league was played in the forenoon between Glencoe and Appin, the former winning by a score of 5 to 1.

Glencoe lineup: Davenport 2b, Coats, Dobie 1b, Hamilton 3b, Babcock, McLaughlin rf, Luckham cf, Aldred lf, Hicks p.

Appin lineup: A. D. McIntyre 2b, A. McMaster ss, A. Patterson 1b, A. Fletcher 3b, E. McIntyre cf, W. McAllister lf, McIntyre lf, McK. McAllister p.

Games: Campbell, Appin; Parrott, Glencoe.

In the afternoon a game was begun between West Lorne and Dutton, which was unfinished. In the eighth inning a dispute arose which threatened to bring on a free fight. Play after that was out of the question. Neither side scored up to the eighth innings.

A game of ball will be played at Appin on Wednesday afternoon, June 4, at 4 o'clock between Dutton and Appin.

CANADA REMAINS DRY

Dominion prohibition is assured for another year at least. The Dominion Government's bill confirming the country-wide temperance measure enacted by order-in-council early last year was approved at Ottawa last week, not a member of the House opposing the principle of the bill. The attitude of an overwhelming majority of the legislators was that the policy which proved so effective as a war measure is just as necessary in the trying period of reconstruction and readjustment.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Ekfrid township buys road machine. Newbury celebrates Queen's birthday.

Frost May 13 damages early garden vegetables.

Glencoe public school celebrates Empire Day.

Gasoline engine installed to run Transcript presses.

"Auction day" established at Glencoe has a short life.

Middlesex County Y.P.S.C.E. holds annual convention at Glencoe.

Glencoe Oil Company operating in Euphemia with some success.

Dave McAllister, star pitcher, returns to Glencoe for baseball season.

Melbourne Methodists hold annual picnic in Griffith's grove on May 24.

Grand Trunk trackmen strike for raise of pay from \$1 to \$1.25 per day.

Glencoe defeats Knox church, London, in two lively ball games at Glencoe.

Marion Brown hanged at London on May 17 for murder of Policeman Tooley.

Massachusetts farmer sued for sneezing so loud as to cause horse to run away.

John P. Johnson and son John of Aldborough killed at M. C. R. crossing at West Lorne.

Do not expect the bread cast upon the waters to come back in the form of sponge cakes.