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**FARM FOR SALE**  
175 acres of lot 8, con. 2, Ekdrid, frame house, fruit barn and other improvements; good sugar beet land. For particulars apply to Thos. Howe, Route 3, Appin.

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WILL PREACH IN GLENCOE TOWN HALL

**THURSDAY, DEC. 16, at 8 p. m. Subject, "A Thirsty World."**

**FRIDAY, DEC. 17, 8 p. m. "Sin, and God's Remedy."**

**SUNDAY, DEC. 19, at 2.30 — "The Battle of Armageddon." And 8 p. m. — "Will the Coming of the Lord Change Things?"**

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**ALL WORK GUARANTEED.**  
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### DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Mrs. John Bedford died on Friday of pneumonia at her home in Tyrone.

Blenheim school teachers have all resigned, following the refusal of the board to grant them increases in salary.

Four crews have been laid off the G. T. R. in the London division and the staff of the car shops reduced 70 men.

The Ontario Deputy Minister of Highways is contemplating planting nut-bearing trees along the provincial highways.

Mrs. John McTaggart, a former resident of Alvinston, died at the home of her daughter in Detroit after a year's illness.

London city council is planning constructing sewers and other work this winter to give employment to some of those out of work.

The ratepayers of Dutton will be called on early in the new year to sanction an expenditure of \$18,000 for a community hall.

Some Alvinston citizen is accused by the local paper of electric power traps have been laid to catch the wire-tappers.

The Methodist church board in Brussels are charging \$2. per year to all who wish to stand horses in their sheds while in town on business.

L. C. Kumble's butcher shop at Blenheim was burglarized the other night. The thief was not content with the \$75 in the till, but carried off the till also.

Passenger and freight rates on all Canadian railways will be reduced on January 1st. A reduction of 10 per cent. will be made in passenger rates, while the freight rates will drop five per cent.

The funeral of John Downey, whose death occurred at Duart, was held at Wardsville and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Husser. He was 59 years old, and besides his aged mother is survived by three brothers.

The Columbia Journal records a strange but reasonable fatality. A patient, suffering from dumbago, called on a doctor. The doctor rubbed his back with alcohol, and the patient broke his neck trying to lick it off.

Warton council has purchased 230 cords of fire wood which will be sold to the citizens at \$3.75 a cord. A council of this kind would be welcome in some other small towns where the farmers are asking \$6 and over a cord.

The Ontario Government intends introducing legislation at the next session of the Legislature requiring all persons intending to be married in the province to give public notice one week in advance of the proposed nuptials.

Essex county tobacco growers, alleging the loss of 800,000 pounds of tobacco through the failure of the Dominion Tobacco Co., Montreal, and the Foster Co., Leamington, to carry out their contract, are suing for \$8,000 damages.

Tilbury flax mill, owned and operated by the Ontario Flax Company, was destroyed Thursday afternoon by fire supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss, estimated at \$7,000, is partly covered by insurance.

Windsor police commission and the pool room proprietors had a conference following complaints of citizens, at which the proprietors pledged their best efforts to have propriety and other offensive talk and misconduct barred from their establishments.

A teamster at Mimico was fined by the magistrate for fixing the roof of his house on Sunday. He appealed the case and the judge quashed the conviction. He said it was not a violation of the Lord's Day Act because the man was not pursuing his usual vocation.

The butchers of Milton have reduced the price of meats ten cents a pound. They will do no delivering nor take orders by phone and give no credit. There is unemployment in that town and the butchers have taken the steps to save themselves from bad debts.

Any excuse goes these days for keeping up prices. In New York Christmas shoppers are told that Christmas trees cut in Canada in October are now buried under 15 feet of snow, hence the doubling of prices.

Evidently the meteorological department of Canada has failed to report this heavy snow fall.

Abraham Kittle, 114 years old, believed to be one of the oldest men in the United States, died at his home in Detroit on Sunday. Kittle was also the oldest Free Mason in the world, having been made a Master Mason in New York State in 1827. He was an inveterate smoker up to the age of 106. His longevity he ascribed to the fact that he invariably retired not later than 8 p. m. and rose at 5.

It is stated that the Dominion Government will place a rigid embargo against shipment of corn out of the province of a number of Western Ontario counties in which the European corn borer appeared the past summer. The whole of Middlesex, four townships of Kent, one township of Huron and parts of Welland, Haldimand and Oxford will be under the regulations. This will cover all classes of corn, and in any form not subjected to some process of manufacture that will destroy the pest.

It is a matter of great convenience to Glencoe people that Templeton's Rheumatic Capsules and RAZ-MAH for Asthma can now be secured at H. I. Johnston's.

### COUNTY-PROVINCIAL ROAD

**Board of Trade Discusses This and Other Matters**

The regular monthly meeting of the Glencoe Board of Trade was held on Monday evening and took the form of a smoker. A good representation of the citizens was present. Among other business it was decided to continue affiliation with the Ontario Board of Trade Association.

Good roads and bad roads were discussed at some length, and the meeting favored the proposition to have the Mosa and Ekdrid townline designated as a county-provincial highway to link up the provincial highways London to Windsor and London to Sarnia, passing through Glencoe, Alvinston, Petrolia and on to Sarnia, or Dutton to Kerwood. A committee was appointed to take the matter up with the boards of trade of the other municipalities and otherwise look into the feasibility of the scheme and report at next meeting.

Reeve McPherson addressed the meeting, giving an outline of what action had been taken in the county council at its recent meeting in regard to highway improvement. Besides a grant of \$3,000 towards improving our main street the county had been induced to designate this highway as a county road from Strathburn northward to the Grand Trunk railroad, and from Symes street to the Mosa-Brooke townline. This left the

length of but two business blocks to be looked after by the town council, and the matter of paving this section was now a live issue.

### CALLED TO VANCOUVER

Rev. E. McGougan, M.A., B.D., who has been unanimously invited by the session of Chalmers' Presbyterian church, Vancouver, to become their minister in succession to Rev. Dr. Henry, is a graduate of McGill University and Montreal Presbyterian Theological College. He took honors in philosophy and theology and was one of the most popular students of his day. He won a medal for public speaking, and was a member of the inter-university debating team.

During college days Mr. McGougan was assistant to Dr. Mowat in Erskine Presbyterian church, Montreal, and upon graduation went to Alberta, where he took charge of the church at Wetaskwin. After one year there he was called to Knox church, Edmonton, of which he has been pastor for nine years.

Knox church is one of the largest in Edmonton, having a communicant roll of 891; during 1919 the congregation raised for all purposes \$11,417.

Mr. McGougan is a former Glencoe boy and received his high school training here.

The Merchants Bank of Canada has voted a bonus of ten per cent. to its employees throughout the Dominion.

### WANTS BETTER LIQUOR LAW

The grand jury at the Middlesex Sessions of the Peace in its presentment to Judge Macbeth blamed the present abnormal amount of crime in Canada on liquor and to unemployment and recommended that the importation of strong drink be stopped and that the Legislature be petitioned to place the sale of all liquors under Government control and strictly enforce the law. Steps should be taken, said the presentment, to provide for men out of work.

Stricter censoring of motion picture films was also suggested.

**REFUSES TO HELP COLLEGIATE**  
The Middlesex county council adopted a resolution unanimously refusing to contribute at this time towards the cost of a new Collegiate Institute in London. The council, however, named a special committee to secure an adjustment of relations with the city in regard to educational matters.

The fee system and its evils in regard to the county constabulary were discussed at length and finally laid over pending the announcement of the result of the inquiry now being conducted by the Government Commission. Reeve Grieve said the whole county constabulary system should be torn down and rebuilt.

In Glencoe the municipal pot is not yet as much as simmering.

## Christmas Suggestions

ONLY 7 SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS

To help you decide the question "What to Give," we offer a list of suggestions for every member of the family. The list may contain just the very thing you want to give, but if not, come into our store and we will cheerfully aid you in selecting something appropriate. Mark this list and bring it with you.

### WHAT TO BUY - WHERE TO BUY IT

#### FOR BABY

Feeding Spoon.....50c to \$2  
Knife, Fork & Spoon.....\$1 to 2.75  
Napkin Ring.....75c to \$2.50  
Silver Mug.....90c to \$3  
Set of Pins.....25c to \$2.50  
Single Pin.....15c to \$1.75  
Bib Holder.....75c to \$1.75  
Ring, 10k gold.....75c to \$2.50  
Locket and Chain.....50c to \$5  
Bracelet.....75c to \$1.50  
Ivory Brush & Comb.....\$1 to 2.50

#### FOR FATHER AND BROTHER

Scarf Pin.....25c to \$12.50  
Signet Ring.....\$1.50 to \$12  
Stone-set Ring.....\$2.50 to \$15  
Diamond Ring.....\$12 to \$150  
Watch.....\$2.75 to \$50  
Watch Chain.....\$1.50 to \$18.50  
Watch Fob.....\$1 to \$8.50  
Cuff Links.....25c to \$7.50  
Wrist Watch.....\$1.50 to \$20  
Waldemar Chain.....\$1.50 to \$5  
Military Hair Brushes.....3.85 to \$12  
Safety Razor, Gillette or Auto  
Shave.....50c to \$10  
Locket.....50c to \$10  
Spectacles.....25c to \$5  
Clock.....\$1.75 to \$15  
Cigar Case.....\$1 to \$2.50  
Pipe.....\$1 to \$7  
Purse.....35c to \$1.50  
Bill Fold.....\$1 to \$4  
Tie Clip.....25c to \$2  
Umbrella.....\$3.50 to \$8  
Reading Glass.....\$1.25 to \$3.50  
Shaving Set (Ivory).....\$3 to \$12  
Shaving Mirror.....\$1.50 up  
Diamond Stick Pin.....\$12 to \$10 up  
Signet Engraved Tie Pin.....\$1 to \$3  
Collar Button.....10c to \$1.50  
Regina Watch.....\$12 up  
Boy's Watch.....\$2.75 to \$6.50  
Alarm Clock.....\$2.75 to \$5.50  
Souvenir Spoons.....75c to \$2.50  
Auto Goggles.....25c to \$2.50  
Eversharp Pencils.....\$1

#### FOR SISTER AND MOTHER

Bracelet Watch.....\$10.50 to \$45  
Bracelet Watch (Waltham).....\$23 to \$60  
Diamond Ring.....\$15 to \$150  
Signet Ring.....\$1.50 to \$6  
Stone-set Ring (Onyx, Pearl, Cameo, etc.).....\$2 to \$25  
Pearl Necklace.....\$6.50 to \$25  
Gold Pendants, stone-set.....\$4.75 to \$20  
Gold-filled Pendants.....\$1.25 to 4.50  
Gold Watch.....\$15 to \$50  
Manicure Set, Ebony or Ivory.....\$1.50 to \$15  
Manicure Rolls.....\$3.50 to \$30  
Toilet Set, Ebony or Ivory.....\$3.75 to \$40  
Locket and Chain.....\$1.75 to \$15  
Pearl Brooch, 10k gold.....\$3.50 up  
Gold-filled Brooch.....50c to \$3  
Silver Thimble.....30c to \$18.50  
Manicure Pieces (Files, Buffer, etc.).....25c to \$3  
Toilet Pieces (Brush, Mirror, etc.).....\$2.50 up  
Fountain Pen.....\$1.25 to \$7.50  
Hand Painted China Piece.....25c to \$10  
China Dresser Sets.....\$2.50 to \$4  
Silver Tea Spoons, Rogers, dozen.....\$2.75 to \$10  
Knives and Forks, silver, dozen.....\$5 to \$32  
Silver Sugar Shells, Meat Forks, etc.....65c to \$4.75  
Photo Frames, Ivory or Silver.....25c to \$5  
Hat Pins.....25c to \$1  
Mantel or Kitchen Clock.....\$4.50 to \$17  
Bedroom Clock, Ivory or Gold.....\$2.50 to \$12  
Spectacles.....\$1.50 to \$7  
Eye Glasses.....\$3.50 to \$5  
Souvenir Spoon.....75c to \$2.50  
Watch Fob.....\$1 to \$6  
Bracelet.....\$1.50 to \$10  
Beads.....25c to \$5  
Pearl Beads.....50c to \$25  
Ear Rings.....50c to \$2.50

#### FOR THE FAMILY

Community Silver Spoons.....\$3.50 up  
Community Silver Pieces.....\$1.25 to \$4.25  
Silver Pie Dish.....\$2.50 to \$9  
Silver Casserole, pyrex lined.....\$8 to \$18  
Silver Tea Set.....\$14 to \$45  
Silver Casserole, brown lining.....\$3.50 up  
Silver Bake Dish.....\$7 up  
Silver Knives and Forks, dozen.....\$5 up  
China Fern Dish.....\$1.25 to 7.50  
China Vase.....65c to \$7  
China Nut Bowls.....\$1.50 to \$5.50  
China Chocolate Sets.....\$4.50 to \$8.50  
China Cream & Sugars.....75c to \$5  
China Berry Sets.....\$2.25 to 5.50  
China Cake Plates.....50c to \$4  
China Salt and Peppers, pair.....25c to \$1.25  
Oak Trays.....\$1.85 to \$5  
Umbrellas.....\$3.50 to \$12  
Pyrex Ovenware Pieces.....35c to \$5  
1847 Silver, Old Colony Pattern  
Community Silver, Adam Pattern

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