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Whole No. 2530

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, August 14, for the construction of the Lethbridge tile drain in Moss. Plans may be seen at my residence.
F. J. JAMES, Commissioner,
Wardville P. O.



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Association of Canada
(Incorporated)

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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Parkhill school board had seventy applications for the vacant position of principal of the public school.

Two London men were fined \$50 each for using a device around their hydro-electric meters to prevent a record of the current consumption.

Peter D. McDonnell, a well-known farmer residing on the Longwoods road, Zone township, dropped dead while engaged in work in a field on his farm.

On July 15 Inwood elected its first trustees a newly-incorporated village, the successful candidates being J. P. McVicar, J. Vance, S. S. Court-right.

Ellwood Landis, a 12-year-old newsboy of Erie, Pa., found a wallet containing \$18,000 in cash and securities. He found the owner, who gave him \$2 and promised to pay for him.

The office of the Governor of Jerusalem, once occupied by Pontius Pilate, is now held by Colonel Ronald Storey, a graduate of Cambridge University and son of the Dean of Rochester College, England.

A Grand Rapids, Mich., man gave his daughter a \$4,500 house when she married. She found a \$4,000 mortgage against it and is suing her father for that amount, claiming he told her it was free of encumbrance.

The scarcity of cement is holding up many works in Ontario. The scarcity, it is said, is due to the lack of coal for the cement manufacturing plants, and many have closed down entirely until matters are restored to normal condition. All the cement or the province, except for rare cases that are absolutely necessary to be finished. Only one cement company is turning out cement just now on account of the lack of fuel, and orders for roads as well as buildings have been cancelled.

M. Flammarion, the famous French astronomer, attributes the present turmoil among nations as the result of a "fever" on the sun. A Paris paper quoted him recently as saying: "The sun is displaying a prodigious activity at this moment. It is in fever, and this fever has a repercussion on the earth and an influence on the brains of men." The astronomer said further that he was convinced inter-stellar communication will not be accomplished, though he believes it will not be brought about by light rays, but by some as yet concealed magnetic force.

DEBENTURES FOR SALE
The Township of Metcalfe offers for sale \$2,000 worth of drainage debentures bearing 5 1/2 per cent. interest and running 3, 5 and 10 years. Will be sold in bloc or in small lots.
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MISS SADIE LETHBRIDGE DIES

Sad and Unexpected News Received From China by Her Parents.

Miss Sadie Lethbridge, daughter of J. G. Lethbridge, M. P. P., and Mrs. Lethbridge of Glencoe, is dead at Honan, China, where she had been engaged in mission work for six years, according to a cablegram received by Mr. Lethbridge last Thursday morning. It was not known that Miss Lethbridge had been ill and the news of her death was a great shock to parents and friends here.

Miss Lethbridge was one of a party of nurses for whom the late Dr. Menzies gave his life recently while defending the mission station at Honan from an attack of bandits.

The late Miss Lethbridge was quite young and was well known here by Mr. Ekfrid, where she spent her early days. She was planning a trip home from China when she had completed another year of work there.

DEVELOPING FLAX INDUSTRY

The development of the flax industry in Western Ontario was considered by the growers of the district at a conference held in London last week.

It is claimed by the growers that the present annual acreage of about 20,000 in Ontario could be expanded to 300,000 if a successful pulling machine could be developed. Much interest attaches to the operation of a machine that has been brought to Kent county after satisfactory trials in South Carolina. The machine, it is stated, does the work of about 25 hand pullers, harvesting seven acres a day. The cost per acre for hand work is now about \$20, while the machine reduces the bill to \$7.

DEATH AT CRINAN

Miss Agnes McEachren Passes Away at Home of Her Brother

The death occurred at the residence of her brother, Wm. McEachren, Crinan, with whom she resided, Thursday afternoon, of Miss Agnes McEachren, aged 62 years, after an illness extending for several months past.

Miss McEachren was a daughter of the late Archibald McEachren of Glencoe and resided here for a number of years. She was very much esteemed by a large circle of relatives and friends.

The funeral took place on Saturday, the attendance being very large. The service was conducted at the residence of 222 Main St. by Rev. C. and Stalker, after which the remains were interred in Oakland cemetery.

MAY OBVIATE COAL FAMINE

The Grand Trunk Railway is now receiving 600 cars of coal a day at Niagara Falls, and the officials are working feverishly to keep the coal moving to consumers. The latter are said to be co-operating in a splendid manner and cars are not being delayed at any point. If the present movement keeps up for a few weeks the danger of a coal famine in this part of Ontario next winter will be obviated.

SELLING SHEEP AND HOGS

Clandeboye, Aug. 3.—Already the low price of wool is having its effect. Whole flocks of sheep are being sent to market, and the farmers are quitting a game that no longer looks profitable. The sheep industry was never any too popular in this vicinity and this set-back will make sheep a rare animal soon.

The hog population is also diminishing as farmers are not anxious to feed hogs on dear grain even with live pork at \$20 per hundred. It is apparently just as profitable and vastly easier to sell the grain and let somebody else raise the porkers.

Many oil men believe that the big production at Petrolia came from much lower horizon from which the oil had migrated to a point within four hundred feet of the surface. Geological conditions at most of the shallow wells throughout Western Ontario are similar to those found at Petrolia and there has been a persistent belief that new sources of supply will be found in the lowest sedimentary beds.

The Herbert well, in the township of Zone, near Thamesville, was the greatest single well outside of Petrolia. Its flush production was 1,500 barrels per day, and though this was over twenty years ago it is still yielding oil. It is on the west side of the two wells recently brought in by the Inland Oil and Gas Company. The Oil and Gas Producer, however, hold the lease of the Herbert well. They also have a lease of a considerable area adjoining the inland, on the east. On one of these parcels it is their intention to drill a deep well. A drill to the depth of 3,500 feet would pass through the whole of the sedimentary series and would seem to have an excellent chance to strike oil in quantity.

Part I. and II. to Junior Second—Total 350—May Leach 305, Fred Brennan 305, Percy Connelly 288, Jessie Bayley 287, George Kelley 283, May Bayley 267, Earle Hurdle 261, Roma Haghigh 259, Willie Campbell 250, Russell Degraw 250, Fergus Foley 242, Howard Duffey 234.

Junior Part I. to Senior Part I.—Lester Armstrong 202, Edna Gauthier 201, Glenn Stocking 198, Gar. McNaughton, Herbie Armstrong, George Hurdle 190.

Primer to Junior Part I.—Ollie Pickering, Lorna Miller, Borden Armstrong, Evelyn Kelley, Annie Cruickshank, Annie Gauthier.

Promoted to Senior A—Verna Blain.

PUBLIC SCHOOL PROMOTIONS

S. S. No. 3, Moss

Entrance to High School—Howard Edwards (honors), Roy Whitfield, Junior Fourth to Senior Fourth—Fred Squire.

Junior Third to Senior Third—Richard Fry, Donald Coyne, Jean Moore. Senior Second to Junior Third—Dora Squire.

Junior Second to Senior Second—Mary Watterworth.

First to Junior Second—Gordon Squire, Margaret Whitfield, Gordon Squire, Primer to First—Jimmy Squire, Alex. Giles.

Junior Primer to Senior Primer—Nellie Squire, Margaret Watterworth, H. C. Wonnagat, Teacher.

S. S. No. 32, Moss

Entrance—Sarah Mitchell (honors), Wm. A. Quick.

Third to Fourth—Barbara McVicar, Jean McVicar, Bruce McLean, Winnie McLean, Sara C. Purcell.

Second to Third—Malcolm C. McVicar, James Mitchell.

Union S. S. No. 2, Ekfrid

Entrance—Nancy Wardell (honors), Barbara Warren, Edward Boud.

Junior Fourth to Senior Fourth—George Philips.

Third to Fourth—Deborah Rae, Bernadette Dillon, Angela Dillon, Loretta Gallagher, Joseph Edwards, Rustin Tasker.

Junior Third to Senior Third—Stanley Beattie, Joe Kellestine, Vula Kellestine.

Second to Third—Truman Edwards, Mildred Horne, Orville Hathaway.

First to Second—Rae Ford Horne, Alex. Rae, Cecil Boud, Gladys Tasker, Violet Kellestine.

Junior First to Senior First—Melvin Kellestine, Winnie Smith, Rhea Border, David Border.

Primer to First—Emery Hathaway, John Dillon, Campbell Rae, Irene Hathaway, Francis Tasker, Fernie Edwards.

Primer—Warren Philips, Carson Boud.

S. S. No. 6, Ekfrid

Third to Fourth—Dorothy McIntyre 423, Garton Chisholm 365, Kenneth Webster 361, Margaret McAlpine 344, Murray Webster 335, Harold Brownlee 334, Lorna Hodgson 333.

Second to Third—Hazel Lotan 393, Ethel Lotan 385, a Donald McMaster 338.

First to Second—Henry Mead 305, Vera Laughton 296, Harry Stocks 296, Lloyd Galbraith 245, Howard McIntyre 220, Dorothy Hughes 218, Jean Sweeney 218.

Dolly Bateman, Teacher.

S. S. No. 11, Ekfrid

Names are in order of merit.

Entrance to High School—Margaret McNabb, Annie McArthur.

Junior Third to Senior Third—Frank Lucas.

Second to Third—Evelyn McIntyre (honors), Anna Graham, Graham McDonald, Lloyd Lucas, Henry McNeil, Annie Wrightman, Willie Richards.

Junior Second to Senior Second—George Clarke, Vernon Mitchell, Rhema Gratton, Sherlie Graham.

First to Second—Aden Lucas (honors), Margaret McNeil (honors).

Primer to First—George McIntyre, Emery Gratton, Willie Burdon.

E. McNabb, Teacher.

Newbury Public School

Junior Fourth to Senior Fourth—Harry Armstrong, Wm. McCready, Christine Miller, Edith Moore, James Moore.

Senior Third to Junior Fourth—Alberta Armstrong, Irene McCready, Marjorie Robinson, Harry Wallace.

Junior Third to Senior Third—Earl Gauthier, Hazel Mead, Ella Miller, Brereton Woods.

Senior Second to Junior Third—Hazel Armstrong, Isabel Armstrong, Tom Hammett, Lettie Guy, Arley King, J. D. McNaughton, Janet Stalker, Richard Shoenmaker.

Junior Second to Senior Second—in order of merit—May Gauthier, Jack Wallace, Rosa Guy, Rouina Bayley, Dorothy Armstrong, Ethel Miller, John Burr.

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Florence Stalker, Harold McNaughton, Gordon Pickering, Reta McNaughton. Promoted to A—Pearl McLaughlin, Rouina Haskell, Stanley Campbell, Margaret Armstrong.

Promoted to B—Lillian Kelley, Gordon Little, Leo Degraw, Margaret Miller, Pearl Haskell.

ARCHIBALD McLELLAN DEAD

Was Strathroy Old Resident and Building Contractor

The death occurred at his home in Strathroy on Friday, July 30, of Archibald McLellan, one of the oldest and most esteemed residents of that town, in his 88th year. Mr. McLellan was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, and came to Canada with his parents when he was about four years of age, the family settling on land on the town-line between Caradoc and Lobo. After spending some years on the farm Mr. McLellan moved to Strathroy and engaged in business as a contractor and builder, living there for 52 years up to the time of his death. Some of the houses in Glencoe were built by him and he was well known throughout the western part of the county.

Besides his widow, he is survived by four sons: Alexander, Glencoe; Duncan, Williams, Arizona; James, Victoria, B. C.; and William, Strathroy; also three daughters: Mrs. A. McVicar, Glencoe; Mrs. R. P. Elliott and Miss Margaret, Strathroy. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, with interment in Strathroy cemetery.

WRIT ISSUED

Elliott & Moss of Glencoe, acting for Mary and Howard Watterworth of Moss township, have issued a writ in the supreme court at London against Henry G. Moore, a Moss farmer, for damages for obstructing a road or right-of-way on a range north of the Longwoods road in Moss township, reserved for a road by James W. Watterworth in a certain conveyance to Elijah Watterworth, dated April 1st, 1878, and for an injunction restraining defendant from obstructing said right-of-way. Further, the writ asks for a mandamus commanding defendant to remove from said road all fences, gates, buildings or other obstructions placed thereon by him.

THE RED MENACE

The sweep of the Red armies over Poland begins to assume an ominous aspect. While they kept within the borders of their own country, fighting numerous insurgents, the world at large gave little heed. The popular attitude was "Let Russia look after itself." But the Poles are defenceless now, apparently, and the armies of Lenin and Trotsky may capture Warsaw within a week. If they do so, it means that a Soviet Government will be established in Poland, and that the sinuous arms of Bolshevism will reach into Austria and Germany. The German diehards will lose no chance of using the Bolshevik threat to cut club on the Allies, to compel moderation of the peace terms.

If the Allies had not virtually abandoned their war machine the situation could be met. But the policy of occupation on the Rhine, some seven hundred thousand men, is needed there, to save the Poles, who could not leave well enough alone. Evidently the Soviet Government does not propose to enter into negotiations with the Allies for a general peace until it is in a position to threaten the Allies themselves. Moscow wishes to get into direct touch with Western Europe. Then it will do the dictating of peace terms, not the Allies. There does not seem to be much use in dealing with the Lenin-Trotsky crowd as if they were gentlemen, and possess the honor of gentlemen. Their word is mere wind. As with the Germans, force is the only thing they appreciate. But the situation in general is so ominous as to cause much alarm in London and Paris, for the whole peace settlement so laboriously worked out, is being undermined, and Europe may be thrown into a new convulsion. Much of the blame of the present situation falls on the French military party. This party encouraged the Poles in their campaign against the Russians, because it believed an aggressive attack would overthrow the Bolshevik Government. Against the advice of London, the Poles began the attack. Now they are in danger of losing the independence they received only a few months ago. They are demonstrating themselves as unfit to have independence, because they did not know enough to control themselves, and adopt a safe, peaceable policy.

Premier Lloyd George has mountainous difficulties on every side. The Irish trouble, the maintaining of peace and order in Mesopotamia, Egypt, India, labor upheavals at home, the overburdened state of the Treasury, and general unrest, give him a giant's task. He has little time for domestic matters, because the overwhelming howl of Red danger to Europe, combined with Germany's recalcitrancy, may bring on a new war almost as big as the one just closed. To get a safe settlement without more fighting is his aim, but chances are not good.—Mail and Empire.