

The Christmas Store

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Useful Gifts

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All our Dolls, Toys, Games,
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CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

A Victrola for the Home
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Trays, Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, Puff
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Trinket Boxes, Buffers, Clothes and
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Brush Sets, Shaving Mirrors, Tooth
Brush Holders, Shoe Horns, Dresser
Lamps, Manicure Rolls, and other
articles.

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Hot Water Bottles, Cigars, Cigar Cases
in leather, silver or gold, Cigar and
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Pencils, Waterman Fountain Pens,
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Hymn Books, Prayer Books, Birthday
Books, latest Fiction Books, Playing
Cards in leather and ivory cases, Gil-
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A full line of beautiful Boxed Stationery
in kid finish, linen, checked, gilt and
colored edged, and other fancy papers.

Perfumes, Toilet Waters and Face Powders

in the latest odors and in beautiful
fancy boxes; Toilet Sets, consisting of
powder, perfume, toilet water, face
cream and sachet powders.

Candy

Beautiful Boxed Chocolates ranging in
price from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

All Christmas Goods Greatly Reduced in Price

Let this be your Christmas Shopping Guide and make our store your headquarters. We
will be pleased to look after your parcels for you.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DIVORCE

Notice is hereby given that Clara
Wellema Bristol, formerly of the City
of London, in the County of Middle-
sex, in the Province of Ontario, and
now of the City of Toronto, in the
County of York, in the Province of
Ontario, will apply to the Parliament
of Canada at the next session thereof
for a Bill of Divorce from her hus-
band, George Levi Bristol, of the said
City of London, in the County of Mid-
dlessex, in the Province of Ontario,
Receiving Clerk, on the ground of
adultery and desertion.

Dated at Toronto, in the Province
of Ontario, the eleventh day of De-
cember, A.D. 1922.
Urquhart & Urquhart,
Solicitors for the said Clara Wellema
Bristol, the applicant.

FOR SALE

Three acres of land on Simpson
street, containing good lots for build-
ing. Apply to A. B. McDonald.

Born

MULLIGAN.—On Friday, Decem-
ber 15, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B.
Mulligan, Glencoe, a daughter.

McNEIL.—To Mr. and Mrs. John A.
Neil, December 14, 1922, a daughter.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. D. M. Smith and family wish
to thank their friends and neighbors
for kindness and sympathy shown in
their bereavement.

TOWN AND VICINITY

Miss Frances Moss has been en-
gaged as librarian for Glencoe's new
public library.

Schools close tomorrow for the
Christmas holidays and reopen on
Wednesday, January 3rd.

The Grand Trunk is running sev-
eral special trains to accommodate
the holiday passenger traffic.

Davidson, the jeweler, has a com-
plete stock of L. E. Waterman's four-
tain pens and pencils. Prices, \$1 up.

Hand painted china is greatly re-
duced in price this year. We have
pieces from 25c up.—Davidson, the
jeweler.

The pupils of Pratt's Siding school
are giving a Christmas entertainment
on Thursday night, Dec. 21. Admis-
sion free.

A carload of stove coal reached
Glencoe on Monday and is being doled
out in not more than 1500-lb. lots at
\$20 per ton.

The young men of Glencoe have in-
vitations out for their annual assem-
bly to be held in the town hall New
Year's night.

Dr. Freese, S. F. Coon and Mac, O.
McAlpine went on a hunting expedi-
tion to Rondeau Park on Monday and
secured five deer.

George Oldrieve, of St. Thomas,
has purchased a quantity of timber
from McCallum Bros., west half south
half lot 15, concession 5, Ekfrid, for
\$2,500.

To reduce our large stock of ladies'
bracelet watches, gents' pocket
watches and diamond rings, we have
a sale on for one week only. See
our bargains on page 1.

The next tax to be imposed by the
government is just as like as not to
be on newspaper subscriptions in ar-
rears. Transcript subscribers have
little to fear, as they nearly all are
pretty well paid up.

Glencoe rink was opened to skaters
on Monday evening for the first time
this winter. For several days the
young folks had been making use of
the old mill pond, which furnished a
good sheet of ice, although it had its
attendat dangers.

The ivory stable property in rear
of the McAlpine hotel was offered for
sale at public auction on Saturday by
L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer, but did
not get a buyer. One hundred dollars
was the highest bid.

W. G. McKay, of London, Dominion
Government butler inspector, has pur-
chased the building and plant of the
Glencoe Creamery, and expects to
open it up for business in the course
of a few weeks. Alex. McNeil will
be in charge as cream tester.

The missionary committee of the
Presbyterian Guild presented the fol-
lowing program at the regular meet-
ing on Monday evening:—Papers on
"World Friendship," by Miss Evelyn
McLachlan and H. J. Jamieson; duet
by Miss King and Mac. McAlpine;
violin solo by Cecil McAlpine.

The danger of fire at the Christmas
season, not only in the home, but in
retail stores and public places of en-
tertainment, by reason of decorations,
is again called attention to. Displays
of this nature and the lighting ar-
rangements in connection therewith
add very considerably to the ordinary
risks of fire.

Steady winter weather has prevail-
ed now for two weeks or more with
moderate temperatures until Sunday
night when thermometers recorded as
low as 2 degrees below zero. There
are three to four inches of snow on
the ground—not enough for sleighing,
but sufficient to lend much zest to the
Christmas spirit.

At the annual meeting of the Ross
Mission Band the following officers
were elected for the year 1923:—Hon-
orary president, Mrs. Maria Chan-
han and Rev. D. G. Paton; president,
Miss K. Steele; vice-president, Mrs.
H. J. Jamieson; secretary, Miss
Mayme Grant; treasurer, Mrs. R. C.
Troyer; pianist, Miss Eleanor Suther-
land.

Mrs. W. A. Currie has moved her
millinery and ready-to-wear store
from her residence on Symes street
to the premises on Main street two
doors south of the Bank of Montreal.
The store has been attractively fitted
up and invites the attention of the
ladies of Glencoe and vicinity with a
choice new stock of the latest in mil-
linery and ready-to-wear goods.

The Thamesville Herald says:—
Clair Willis, Chas. Wall and George
McMillan have signed contracts to
play with the Glencoe hockey club
during the coming season, the two
former with the seniors and the lat-
ter with the juniors. The Glencoe
team has been strengthened by the
addition of several new men this year
and promise to give a good account
of themselves.

At an organization meeting of the
Ekfrid Debating Society, which was
held at Appin on the evening of Dec.
13, the following officers were elect-
ed:—President, Richard Coad; vice-
president, Arthur Ash; secretary, W.
A. Coulthard. A meeting for the pur-
pose of making final arrangements
will be held Jan. 5 in Appin school.
All clubs wishing to enter contests
are requested to send delegates. All
entries to be in by this date.

The final meeting of Glencoe coun-
cil for 1922 was held on Friday, Dec.
15th. A number of accounts were
passed, particulars of which will ap-
pear in the financial statement. A
by-law was passed for making provi-
sion for holding the municipal elec-
tions, also a by-law to exempt the I.
O. D. E. property from taxation for a
period of ten years. On motion of
Councillors Parrott and Lumley, the
Moss & Ekfrid Agricultural Society
was given the usual grant of \$50.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Southin is spending the win-
ter with Mrs. A. Hardiman, Cleveland,
Ohio.

—Earl and R. D. McDonald are
home from Toronto University for
the holidays.

—Mrs. Charles and daughter, Kath-
leen, of London, are visiting Dr. and
Mrs. McIntyre.

—London Normal students from
Glencoe and vicinity arrived home for
the holidays on Friday night.

—Misses Catharine Stuart and Eliza-
beth McArthur are home from El-
don Institute, Guelph, for the hol-
idays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Neil McVicar and
niece, Miss Blanche Munroe, left yes-
terday to spend the winter in Day-
tona, Florida.

—Mack, A. McKellar, Ekfrid, and
Robert McKellar and Archie Purcell,
Mosa, were at Komoka last week at-
tending the funeral of their cousin,
Miss Isabelle McKellar.

—Dr. Ross Murray, chiropractor, is
spending the holidays at her home in
Woodstock, and will resume her prac-
tice in Glencoe at the usual hours af-
ter the first of January.

—S. E. Cornell, manager of Webbs,
Ltd., Edmonton, accompanied by his
sisters, Mrs. H. Traver, of Theford,
and Mrs. Kemp, of London, spent the
week-end at A. J. Traver's.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lester McTaggart,
of Moose Jaw, Sask., left for their
home on Saturday after spending a
few days with Mr. McTaggart's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McTaggart,
Appin.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Munro wish
to announce the engagement of their
only daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to
Robert Tunks, Bothwell, the marriage
to take place the latter part of De-
cember.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Remember Kilmartin concert, Dec.
22nd.
Key found. Enquire at Transcript
office.

Milk for sale. Apply to Mrs. Frank
Clarke.

Clearing out toys at exactly half
price, at Mayhew's.

Try Ford's shortbread, made of
real butter, absolutely pure.

Forty cords of rail wood for sale.—
W. G. Christner, phone 623 r 22.

Nice, sweet oranges, 2c each, and
Christmas candy, 16c a lb., at May-
hew's.

Stack of hay for sale; also hay by
the ton.—Frank Copeland, Route 1,
Glencoe.

New winter millinery in satin and
metallic effects arrived today at Mrs.
W. A. Currie's.

Have your cake decorated for
Christmas and New Year's; 10c per
lb.—Ford's Bakery.

Stop at Kilmartin on Dec. 22 to see
"The Time of His Life." Admission,
25c; children, 10c.

New raisins, currants, peels, nuts,
candies, etc., at Mayhew's.

Call at Scott's shoe store and get
quality shoes and rubbers at a mod-
erate price for cash.

New tricot dresses, new pourlet
trill dresses—arrived this week at
Mrs. W. A. Currie's.

Rink opening sees many Murray
"Triple-kick" hockey shoes, bought
from J. N. Currie & Co's.

Wanted—loan of \$500 for one year
at current rate. Ample security.
Apply at Transcript office.

See Mayhew's ad. for desirable
Christmas presents.

Ferns, azaleas, cyclamen, primulas,
combinations, narcissus — an ideal
Christmas gift.—I. D. Kerr's.

A pie social will be held in S. S. No.
5 school house Friday evening, Dec.
29. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

All millinery sold at greatly reduced
prices. Winter goods, underwear
and hosiery.—The Keith Cash Store.

Light driving mare and colt for
sale; also one Dominion organ, good
as new.—Henry Childs, R. R. No. 3,
Glencoe.

Bring in your records for exchange.
Open Thursday and Saturday nights.
—Vincent Waterworth, next door to
Smith's meat shop.

For sale—some collie pups. Also
some timothy seed and also collie
—Geo. J. Anderson, Route 1, New-
bury; Shields Siding.

Upholstering, fine cabinet work,
carpet work, furniture finishing.—
J. D. Brown, first door north of
Transcript office; phone 63.

New evening dresses, new metallic
laces, new fancy ribbons, new blouses
in Persian patterns arrived this
week at our new ready-to-wear store,
Main street.—Mrs. W. A. Currie.

The last meeting for the year of the
board of the Ekfrid Farm Loan
Association will be held in the town
hall, Appin, on Friday, Dec. 29th, at 2
o'clock. All borrowers for the year
please take notice.

The Ekfrid Union Sunday School
are holding their Christmas tree on
Thursday evening, Dec. 21st, at S. S.
No. 4. Miss Ella McLean, reader, of
Frome, will favor the audience with
readings. Program at 8 o'clock. Ad-
mission, 25c and 15c.

I have opened up a woodwork shop
in connection with my blacksmith busi-
ness for the repairing of buggies,
wagons, sleighs and all kinds of farm
implements; also tops, dashes and
side curtains, made and repaired.
Having 12 years' experience in above
line, I am prepared to do your work
expeditiously and in a satisfactory
manner and at a reasonable price.—
Don H. Love, "The Village Black-
smith."

EKFRID STATION

The December meeting of the Eu-
reka Club was held at the home of
Mrs. Lee on Dec. 7, with a good at-
tendance of members and visitors.
The meeting opened by singing "The
Maple Leaf." The new president,
Mrs. Bernice Galbraith, gave a short
address. The minutes of the last
meeting were read by Mrs. Keith
Black. Mrs. Ben. Switzer's instru-
mental was enjoyed by all. The busi-
ness part of the meeting for the com-
ing year was looked after. Then
Miss Duffon favored the club with an
entertainment. The young ladies as-
sisted the hostesses, Mrs. Lee and
Mrs. W. P. Cornell, in serving a dainty
lunch. The next meeting will be
held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Swit-
zer, with Mrs. Dan Black as assisting
hostess, on Jan. 11. The roll call will
be answered by a New Year's resolu-
tion.

Mrs. Andrew Watson has left to
spend some time in Ottawa. Master
Andy McDonald, her grandson, who
has spent the past year here, accom-
panied her.

Keep your eye on the ad. column.



ONLY WASTING TIME ARGUING

Nine Out of Ten Have Decided on
Useful Gifts for Christmas

A "Useless Gift" is apt to be a Reflection on
Your "Judgment and Taste"

An appreciative husband will show
that appreciation by giving his wife a
"HOOVER" SUCTION SWEEPER.
\$69.50, on easy terms. Remember,
365 days in the year. Families may
join in presenting their mother with a
"Hoover," and keep her smiling the
balance of her days.

NEW TAILORED DRESSES AT \$8.90
to \$10.75

A lot of very newest in all wool
broadcloth finish materials, made up
in newest New York styles and com-
bination of colors, trimmed with mil-
itary braid to match. An appreciative
gift at low price—\$8.90 to \$10.75.

NEW SILK WAISTS

In Crepe de Chine and Georgette;
handsome combination colors. \$5 to
\$9.50.

SILK BLOOMERS

In plain and combination colors,
snappy styles. \$2.25 to \$4.50.

LADIES' BOUDOIR CAPS

A fancy combination of silk and
lace. \$5 to \$11.25.

GLOVES AS IDEAL GIFTS

A large choice of all the most de-
sirable Gloves, in all colors. Priced,
55c to \$2.95.

HANDKERCHIEFS

for the whole family. The Madeira,
embroidered in plain and fancy Swiss
embroidery, hemstitched. The finest
assortment this store has yet shown.
Big value at every price. 5c to \$1.



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Men's Store



Best Store
for
Kiddies'
Outfits



Men's Ties, Half Hose, Handker-
chiefs, Suspenders, Hose and Arm
Supports, Fancy Shirts—all in hand-
some individual Christmas boxes. (No
charge for boxes.)

Ladies' Boudoir Slippers, Felt Slip-
pers, Kid Slippers—\$1.25 to \$2.75.

Men's Plaid Felt Slippers, Pullman
Slippers—\$1.25 to \$3.75.

Ladies' Tailored Leggings, in sev-
eral new styles—\$2.25 to \$2.75.

New Empress Slippers and Oxford,
in all patent colt, combination patent
and velvet or vicid kid; newest styles,
yet comfortable fitters. Very accept-
able gifts, at \$4.50 to \$6.50.

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and Finish.

Late shipments, made from spring,
1923, imported cloths for Christmas
rush trade, at spring, 1923, prices.
Drop in and make closest comparison
in every way, and we will be satisfied
of your Suit or Overcoat sale. Great
assortment, at \$17.50 to \$35.

Working Men's Outfits of best val-
ues: Headlight, Walkers, Peabody and
Snagproof Overalls and Smocks.

Heavy Work Shirts, in generous
size.

If you want the best in Sweater
Coats for man or boy, you can get it
right here and now. Big range, spec-
ially low prices—\$1.25 to \$6.50.

J. N. CURRIE & CO.

Have your shirts and collars laun-
dered the new way and get the best
of work, at the Aylmer Steam Lau-
dry, Roy Siddall, agent.

Sores Fly Before It.—There are
many who have been afflicted with
sores and have driven them away
with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. All
similarly troubled should lose no time
in applying this splendid remedy, as
there is nothing like it to be had. It
is cheap, but its power is in no way
expressed by its low price.

Wives are people who kick your
shins under the table when you pick
up the wrong fork.

What better Christmas gift could
you send to an absent member of the
family than "The History of Ekfrid
Township," by Chas. M. Macfie, just
published in neat booklet form, copies
of which may be had at the Transcript
office for 25c each.

The Oil of the People.—Many oils
have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas'
Electric Oil continues to maintain
its position and increase its sphere of
usefulness each year. Its sterling
qualities have brought it to the front
and kept it there, and it can truly be
called the oil of the people. Thou-
sands have benefited by it and would
use no other preparation.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

Christmas specials galore. Cigars,
cigarettes, tobaccos, pipes, pouches,
purses, playing cards, holders, can-
dies. Everything cut down.

Bachelors, Japs, David Haruñas,
White Owls—boxes of 10, 55c; 25,
\$2.10; 50, \$4.20.

Arnellas, Homesteads, Turfs—10,
85c; 25, \$2; 50, \$4.

Tuckett's, Simons—10, \$1; 25, \$2.50.
Special—any 5c cigar, 6 for 25c.

Cigarettes:—Players—50, 90c; 100,
\$1.75; Millbanks, Chesterfields, Pall
Malls, Rex, Murads, Moguls, Tarey-
ton—10 per cent. off.

Special—small package Players, 2
for 35c.

Tobaccos—Rex, Old Chum, T. & B.,
Orinoco, Senator, Royal Navy, Briar
—halves, 85c.

Pipes—20 per cent. off all Pipes
except case pipes, \$1 off

Special sale of Pipes. Your choice,
25c.

Billiard Parlor.—Snooker Pool, 10c
a game, 50c an hour; Boston 3 for
25c. Special.—After each game a
ticket will be donated. Each ten tick-
ets entitles holder to a prize.

Lunch Counter. Why go hungry?
Ham sandwiches, 5c; pie, per cut, 5c;
sausage rolls, 5c; eggs, 5c; bean soup,
5c. 25c will fill you up.

Watch our window for bargains.

Central Billiard Parlor

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