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COURT OF REVISION
Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for revising the Assessment Roll of the Township of Mosa for the year 1919 will be held in the Town Hall, Village of Glencoe, on Monday, the 26th day of May, at 10 o'clock a. m.
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Court of Revision
Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for hearing and determining appeals or complaints against the assessment roll of the Township of Ekfrid for the year 1919 will be held in the Town Hall, Appin, at 10 o'clock forenoon of Wednesday, the 28th day of May, A. D. 1919.
A. P. McDUGGALL, Clerk of Ekfrid.

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CHAS. GEORGE, Municipal Clerk.

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DR. L. W. M. FREELE,
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LORNE LODGE No. 282
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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

The noon Wabash trains east and west will hereafter stop at Thameville for passengers.

A bowling tournament will be held at Thameville on May 26 to which all the surrounding clubs have been invited.

The farmers clubs of Howard township have arranged to take over the hour mill and elevator at Ridgeway from the Kent Farmers' Produce Co.

Bhades that are vibrated 1,200 times a minute do the work of a new electric razor, the motor for which gets its current from a light socket.

Mrs. James Clark, a native of Metcalf, died the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie White, London, last week, aged 91 years. She was born near Shedden.

Battle Creek, Mich., is to have a new serve-self grocery store, where the customer will enter by a turnstile, take from the shelves the articles wished, move past a checker with an adding machine, pay his bill and pass out.

About two hundred ratepayers from Essex and Kent counties met at Chatham one day last week to discuss the need of and proper location for a trunk highway that would link up the border cities and the city of Chatham in the most convenient and direct manner, having regard to the territory between these large centres of population.

THE LATE ROBERT WEBSTER

On Monday, May 5th, there passed to his reward after a long and trying illness an old and highly esteemed resident of Ekfrid township, Robert Webster. The late Mr. Webster was born in the year 1843, Dec. 28, on the old Union road near Port Stanley. He was the son of David Webster and Agnes Muir, both natives of Scotland.

Robert was the middle child in a family of eleven, of whom four survive him. These are James of Clearville, Ont.; John of Forest, Manitoba; Mrs. John Allan of South Ekfrid; and Mrs. Henry Wellman of Crosswell, Mich. In 1876 he married Ellen, eldest daughter of the late Jacob Young, who with two sons, David and Earl of Ekfrid, and one daughter, Mrs. W. F. Stewart of Herrington, Alberta, survive.

When Mr. Webster came to Ekfrid fifty years ago he made a start by working out among the farmers until he was able to buy the farm where he resided until his death. He was fond of relating that when he bought this farm—a wet one, and with only about thirty acres of thistle clearing and covered with big oak stumps—people said he would not be there long, yet there he remained for forty-five years.

He was a life-long Presbyterian and an elder in the church, having for thirty-five years served the Appin congregation in the office to which he was elected and ordained during the pastorate of the late Rev. W. R. Sutherland. As elder he was twice commissioner to the General Assembly. For many years he was also superintendent of the Sunday school. To him was largely due the erection of the present church building, and he himself hauled the greater part of its material. Throughout his busy life of toiling he always found time for his church duties and the visitation of the sick. The regularity of his attendance at church was so perfect that aside from sickness and absence when travelling, very few indeed were the Sabbaths on which he was not to be found in his accustomed seat at church. Neither ordinary illness nor light excuses ever kept him from the house of God. His public spirit was manifest among many other ways by his interest in the school, of which for many years he was a trustee. His death means the removal of another of those sturdy toilers whose energy and enterprise made our farms what they are and whose interest in higher things passes on to us the torch and task.

The funeral took place from the family residence on the sunny spring afternoon of May 7th, the service being conducted by Rev. H. D. McCulloch. The text of the brief funeral address was Phil. 1:21: "For to me to live is Christ and to die is gain," this being the verse that Mr. Webster had mentioned as his choice for his funeral address. The choir of the Presbyterian church sang "The Lord is My Shepherd." "Forever With the Lord," and that beautiful anthem "Going Down the Valley." The funeral was attended by a very large company of friends and neighbors who had assembled to pay a last tribute of respect to the departed and to express their sympathy with the sorrowing relatives. Interment took place at the beautiful Oakland cemetery on the Longwoods Road.

"When with bowed head
And silent, streaming tears,
With mingled hopes and fears,
To earth we yield our dead,
The saints, with clearer sight,
Do cry in glad accord:
Down the valley, he is risen,
Risen, is risen, is risen,
To the glory of the Lord."

Rub it in for Lame Back—A brisk rub with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will cure lame back. The skin will immediately absorb the oil and it will penetrate the tissues and bring speedy relief. Try it and be convinced. As the liniment sinks in the pain comes out and there are ample grounds for saying that its touch is magical, as it is.

GOING AFTER HYDRO-ELECTRIC

Deputation Will Take the Matter Up With Sir Adam Beck.

A special meeting of the municipal council of the village of Glencoe was held in the council chamber on Monday, May 12th. Members present: Reeve A. J. Wright; Councillors P. D. Keith, W. A. Hagerty and P. E. Lumley. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

A communication from the superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway re outlet main was received and filed. The object of the meeting was to arrange to meet Sir Adam Beck with a view to securing hydro. On motion of P. E. Lumley and W. A. Hagerty, the clerk was instructed to write Philip Pocock, chairman of the Utility Commission of London, to make definite arrangements that the council have a meeting with Sir Adam Beck in London on Friday, May 16, at two o'clock.

On motion of Messrs. Hagerty and Keith it was decided to hold May 26th a holiday instead of May 24th, which falls on Saturday.

P. E. Lumley then moved notice of motion that at the next council meeting the council submit a by-law to the people re hydro.

DEATH OF SAMUEL SQUIRE

The death occurred at his home in Ekfrid township on Sunday morning of Samuel C. Squire, in his 82nd year. Mr. Squire was one of the well-known and esteemed old residents of the community, having lived in Ekfrid nearly all his life. He leaves a large family of married sons and daughters. His wife died a few years ago.

The funeral service was held at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon and interment was made at Appin cemetery.

Mr. Squire was one of a family of seven brothers and one sister. He came on his mother's side of United Empire Loyalist stock, and on his father's side from the Puritan pilgrims of New England. He was a farmer and a working farmer; in religion a Methodist and a Liberal in politics.

SOLDIERS WELCOMED

During the week the following returned soldiers were given hearty welcome home at Glencoe:—Arnold Aldred (from Siberia), Clifford Currie, George Grant, E. M. Thomson, Harold Payne, Horace Liddington.

NEWBURY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Newbury, May 13.—The following officers were elected for the W. I. on Wednesday, May 7th:—Mrs. Matthew Armstrong, president; Mrs. Stephen Fennell, vice-president; Mrs. J. W. Hammett, sec.-treasurer; Mrs. Edward Haggitt, district director. Mrs. S. Fennell and Mrs. R. B. Smith were appointed school fair directors, and instead of the former allowance of \$4 for prizes the amount was increased to \$10.

FIELD CROP COMPETITION

The Mosa and Ekfrid Agricultural Society will hold a field crop competition in White Oats and Flint Corn. An entry fee of 50c will be charged on each entry. All prize winners must exhibit a sheet of grain at the local fair. All persons wishing to compete will send in their entries to R. W. McKellar, Glencoe, not later than May 15th for oats and June 15th for corn.

BASEBALL LEAGUE

At a meeting held at West Lorne on the evening of May 12, at which representatives from the Appin, Dutton, West Lorne and Glencoe teams were present, it was decided to create an eight-Middlesex Baseball League, to be composed of clubs from the above mentioned towns. The officers elected were:—J. C. Elliott, M. P. P. and F. Macdonald, M. P. P., honorary presidents; J. H. McLeod, president and secretary-treasurer. The executive will be composed of the president and manager of each club.

The schedule in full will be drawn up in the near future, but it was decided that two games be played at West Lorne on May 26th and two at Glencoe on June 3rd.

A colored philosopher says it is foolish to count your chickens before they break.

OIL FIELD NOTES

The Castle Oil & Gas Company have moved the McCutcheon drilling rig onto the Gillies lease, where they now have several productive wells, and intend drilling in a number of new ones, which will undoubtedly increase their production in this part of the field.

The Ontario Petroleum Co. during the past week have shut wells on the J. A. Walker and E. Quick farms which, though small, will be lasting. The Imperial Oil Co. have completed the pipe line which connects the Erie Investment Co. with Shields shipping station. This company have installed a boiler and steam pump on the Mitchell lease and are prepared to put their production through the pipe line which formerly was teamed to North Glencoe.

The National Supply Co. now have their pipe line gang at work for the Toronto-Glencoe Syndicate, who will lead their oil at Gillies' siding. This company also have a large crew at work rebuilding their pumping plant and putting it in condition to force oil to the receiving station.

THE FORWARD MOVEMENT

The special meetings being held in the Presbyterian church this week in the cause of the forward movement are proving a splendid success and no doubt will result in much spiritual uplift and moral inspiration to the community. The speakers are the strong men in the Presbyterian Church in Canada and their addresses are forceful and to the point. Special music is adding to the attractiveness of the meetings, which so far have been largely attended.

On Sunday Rev. D. C. MacGregor of London spoke in the morning on Missions and in the evening on Stewardship. On Monday the call to the ministry was presented by Rev. J. W. Gordon of Brantford. Tuesday evening Rev. Mr. McIntosh of London gave an address on "The future of the Church," illustrated with lantern views. Rev. A. C. Stewart of Brantford is expected to speak on Wednesday evening. Rev. A. H. McGillivray on Thursday evening, and Rev. J. W. Gordon on Friday evening. The special services will close on Sunday, when Rev. James McKay of London will occupy the pulpit for both the morning and evening services.

YOUNG LADY DIES SUDDENLY

The sudden death of Miss Ellis McKinnon, under distressing circumstances, a result, it is believed, of a surgical operation for working kidney, which she underwent some time ago, occurred during Sunday night last at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Christina McLellan, where she had arrived a few hours before from Pittsburgh on a visit.

Miss McKinnon was the third daughter of the late Rev. Neil McKinnon of Mosa and of Mrs. Annie C. McKinnon now of Pittsburgh, Pa. For some time up to February last she had been teaching school at Fort William. Afterwards she went on a visit to Toronto and then to Pittsburgh. For many years the family resided in Glencoe and the deceased was well-known and esteemed in the community from her girlhood up.

The funeral was held yesterday from the residence of Mrs. McLellan to Kilmartin cemetery. The bereaved mother and members of the family have the sincere sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

OVERLOOKING ONTARIO

The traveller from Europe enters Canada at Halifax or Montreal and leaves it at Vancouver. He skirts the Great Lakes on the north, crosses the plains and goes through the Rockies, and thinks that he has seen Canada! Or he lands at New York, takes the New York Central or the Lehigh Valley railroads, crosses the Niagara River at Suspension Bridge or Black Rock, passes through the tunnel at Sarnia or is ferried over the Detroit River at Windsor, and eventually reaches San Francisco unconscious of the fact that he was ever in Canada.

The simple truth is that this peninsula of Western Ontario is sidetracked. It is the finest portion of the Dominion. Here is the seat of Canadian manufacturing, the home of cheap power, the garden where grows the richest fruit, the farm lands where agriculture and dairying are unexcelled—the most populous and prosperous part of Canada, in short. And yet when the European thinks of Canada his mind travels to the north country and to the plains, and seldom to Ontario.

We cannot help our geographical situation, but we can do something to bring before the desirable immigrant of Great Britain the importance that attaches to Ontario and the opportunities that are afforded here. We have room for millions of people. Our farming districts are only sparsely cultivated. We know little or nothing of intensive cultivation. Ontario has room for many millions of people, and it is for our governments to see that we have at least a larger share of the immigration that is coming to this country.—Free Press.

PAYS TO ADVERTISE

An advertiser who offered a machine for sale in the "Special Notice" column last week called up to congratulate The Transcript on an effective advertising medium, stating that the machine was sold within two hours after the paper was issued.

Blank oil leases for sale at The Transcript office.

GENERAL McRAE COMING

Will Address Meeting in Glencoe Town Hall on Friday Evening.

Major-General A. D. McRae has accepted the invitation of the Glencoe Soldiers' Aid Commission to address a public meeting in Glencoe, and the date set for his visit here by the International Press Council, who have his itinerary in hand, is Friday evening, May 16th. The subject of his address will be "Canadian Citizenship of the Future."

General McRae is a native of this community and an old Glencoe boy who has been signally honored for his ability. It is likely that the meeting will be in the form of a reception, and everybody will be expected to attend and in the way show their appreciation of one of their own who has brought distinction not only to himself but to his home town.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Alfred Crow appointed constable for Glencoe; salary \$45 per annum. At John Henry's sale cows touched a record price, selling as high as \$43.50.

Annual statement of Glencoe Mechanics' Institute shows receipts of \$448.44.

Grand Trunk express wrecked near Hamilton. Twenty persons killed or burned to death.

Scott Act repealed in Middlesex by majority of about 2,000. Was adopted four years prior by 3,377 majority.

J. Huston, Glencoe assessor, makes his return. Population 905; increased assessment over preceding year—\$18,650.

Ascending Glencoe express agent and postmaster caught in Nebraska, tried in London and given two-year sentence.

Contract let to Andrew Clannahan for Glencoe Presbyterian church, at \$9,300, without spire; also public school addition, at \$2,175.

APPIN

Tom King visited here on Tuesday. A large crowd attended the play, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which was put on in the town hall last Monday night.

Mrs. Peter McTaggart is under the doctor's care.

One of the largest funerals ever seen in this locality was that of the late Robert Webster held from his late residence near Appin last Wednesday.

Mrs. David McArthur's father, Mr. Lightfoot, died at his home in Strathroy last Tuesday.

Alf. Bardwell was helping Earl Webster with the seeding this week. We were pleased to welcome Bob Woods and George Thomas back from the firing-line.

Miss C. Hardwell of Ridgeway is spending a few days with her brothers here.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Fuchs took place from Rev. Mr. Whaley's residence on Tuesday at 10 a. m. to Blenheim.

The forward movement meetings in the Presbyterian church here are proving a great success. Local Orangemen report a very pleasant event which took place at Brother Wm. May's residence after the regular meeting in the Orange Hall on Monday night. Visiting brethren from Glencoe and other points together with the local lodge motored out to Mr. May's home and there enjoyed a social evening, at the close of which George Ramsey was called to the front and presented with a strong address which was read by Brother Alf. Bardwell. The address was one of welcome, as Brother Ramsey enlisted some three years ago in the 135th Battalion and has seen some severe fighting, and all were glad to welcome him home safely. The ladies served a dainty lunch, and after all joining in singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "God Save the King," the gathering dispersed.

NEWBURY

The Guild of the Church of England are holding a sale of homemade cooking in Arthur McDonald's late residence.

D. J. Bataner and wife have returned from Detroit.

Herb. Heatherington and mother spent Sunday at A. Fennell's. Mr. Heatherington sang a solo in Knox church Sunday afternoon.

The forward movement in the Presbyterian church here was opened on Sunday afternoon. Rev. A. C. Stewart of Mornington had charge of the meeting and delivered a strong address. On Monday evening Rev. A. H. McGillivray of Hamilton was unable to take the services and Rev. Mr. Lloyd of Glencoe took his place, using lantern views to show the need of men and money in the home and foreign missions. Rev. Mr. Gordon will preach at 8 p. m. on Wednesday and Rev. Mr. MacGillivray on Friday night. Judging by the standard of the addresses on Sunday and Monday evening, anyone missing these meetings misses a treat.

Rev. Mr. Malcolm was at Mornington on Sunday preaching for Rev. A. C. Stewart.

It's time the municipal authorities stopped the boys riding bicycles on the sidewalk. Some of the new riders will injure somebody and then there will be trouble.

Charles Rush, jr., is putting a new foundation under his mother's residence.

The farmers who work only from sunup to dark shouldn't care a hoot what the clock says about anything.