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**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**  
The undersigned will receive tenders up till Thursday, the first day of May, for the reconstruction of a portion of the Brown Drain in the Township of Metcalfe. Plans and specifications can be seen at my residence. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—C. C. HENRY, Commissioner. 62-2

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**BY-LAW REGARDING CHICKENS**  
This year in particular the Government is urging that every foot of garden ground in the village be utilized for production. Garden seeds are nearly, and in some cases more than double, their former value. It is therefore necessary that every garden must be well protected and the by-law regarding chickens running at large will be strictly enforced in the village.  
By order of the council of the Village of Glencoe.  
CHARLES GEORGE, Clerk.

**DR. L. W. M. FREELE,**  
at present on the staff of the Canadian Special Hospital, Witley, England, has bought the business and property belonging to Dr. Walker, and is expected shortly to begin practice in Glencoe.

**LORNE LODGE No. 282**  
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A regular communication of the above Lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, Glencoe, on the evening of Thursday, May 8, at 7:30 o'clock precisely. General business. Conferring degrees. All Masonic brethren welcome.

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**BY-LAW NO. 254**  
A By-law to Authorize the Municipal Council of the Village to Pull Down the Old Buildings of the Village of Glencoe Which Are Deemed in an Unsafe Condition as Regards Danger From Fire or Risk of Accident.

Whereas there are a number of old dilapidated buildings in the village of Glencoe which detract greatly from the general appearance of the village and are in an unsafe condition as regards danger from fire and risk of accident. And whereas it is deemed expedient and advisable to have these old buildings pulled down.  
Be it therefore enacted by the municipal council of the village of Glencoe that pursuant to chapter 192, section 400, sub-section 21, Revised Statutes of Ontario, the municipal council of the village of Glencoe be and they are hereby authorized to pull down or repair at the expense of the owner or owners thereof any building, fence or structure which by reason of its run-down or dilapidated condition, faulty structure or otherwise is in an unsafe condition as regards danger from fire or risk of accident.  
Passed its third reading and finally passed this seventh day of April, 1919.  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the matter of the estate of Duncan Congdon, late of the Township of Ekfrid in the County of Middlesex, farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Duncan Congdon, who died on or about the first day of January, A. D. 1919, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Lucy Congdon, administratrix of the estate of the said Duncan Congdon, deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.  
And take notice that after the fifteenth day of May, A. D. 1919, the said Lucy Congdon will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Lucy Congdon will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim she shall not then have received notice.  
Dated at Glencoe the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1919.  
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Solicitors for the said Lucy Congdon.

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**DISTRICT AND GENERAL**  
Watford's population is 1,100. Organangemen are preparing for a big demonstration at Strathroy on July 12 next.

Low-lying lands in the vicinity of Essex were flooded as much as two feet in places last week.

Adelaide township council has decided to abolish the system of statute labor for the present year.

Ontario physicians have prescribed 1,000,000 quarts of whiskey to suffering humanity since 1916, at \$1 per prescrip.

W. R. Davies has sold the Thamesville Herald to Ross McGuire of Tillsonburg and has bought the Renfrew Mercury.

Alvinston council has passed a grant of \$600 towards a soldiers' monument to be erected in that village in conjunction with the township of Brooke.

Forty acres of spring wheat sown as an experiment last January on the farm of Robert McGervin, near Prairieiding, west of Chatham, is said to be doing remarkably well.

Rev. A. M. Boyd, D. D., has resigned his pastoral charge of the Presbyterian church at Thamesville to take up "New Era" work in the United States, which is similar to the Forward Movement in Canada.

The Ontario Legislature considered in committee the vital statistics act, and one clause was amended to give physicians 48 hours in which to report births. Only 24 hours was allowed in the original bill.

In the Canadian House of Commons it was stated that a number of Canadian deserters had been executed during the war, both in England and at the front, while others had received sentences up to 30 years.

John Miller of concession 14, Aldborough, died last week from the effects of an injury received about six weeks ago when he fell from the haymow of his barn and alighted astride a door. He was a son of the late Jacob Miller and was 37 years of age.

Ontario's total population for the year 1918 was 2,574,177, an increase of 17,724 over the year 1917, but a falling off of 4,975 from the total of 1916. In townships, towns and villages there was a decrease in population during 1918, but in cities the increase is 39,374.

The Elgin-Middlesex Farmers, Limited, has been organized with a capital of \$50,000. The association consists of 150 farmers of Yarmouth, North and South Westons and Westminister. The head office will be at Belmont and will deal in all kinds of merchandise and feed.

Col. O. L. Macklem of Tilbury was fined five hundred dollars and costs on a charge of raising money for a war chest without the charity being registered. The colonel had an office in Toronto and employed a number of girls selling picture post cards for the benefit of war widows.

Farmers in the vicinity of Wingham are becoming alarmed over what appears to be a severe epidemic that has broken out among cattle and hogs. Large numbers of farmers are losing who broods of young pigs, and in a number of instances the mother with them. Many cattle are also dying.

Flying at an average speed of 106.35 miles an hour for six hours and fifty minutes, Capt. E. F. White, an army aviator, completed the first non-stop flight between Chicago and New York Saturday afternoon. The distance covered was 727 miles. Most of the flight was made at an altitude of 12,000 feet.

West Huron teachers have started a crusade to beautify the county and will grant \$10 to the school section which, after a certain time, can show the greatest amount of improvement in the way of leveling and seeding the sides of the road, planting shade trees, improving orchards, farm buildings, fences, and in any other way that will add to the beauty of the section.

Nursing Sister Lizzie McEachern, who recently returned from overseas, was pleasantly surprised at her home near Campbellton a few evenings ago, when eighty friends and neighbors gathered to welcome her. An interesting feature of the evening was the presentation to Miss McEachern of a lady's dressing case, necklace set with pearls and diamonds, medal and purse.

It is said there are thousands of unemployed men in Canadian cities and towns, thousands more men are yet to return from the war, and yet there are hundreds of employers wanting skillful labor and thousands of farmers wanting help and unable to obtain it. Good wages are offered, but it seems as if many men prefer to hang around without working, so long as they have the wherewithal to buy a meal.

**MAJOR STUART ARRIVES**  
Major Duncan Stuart, a former Glencoe barrister, has arrived at London from overseas. He left Glencoe with the 135th Battalion as junior major, and afterwards transferred to the 38th, with which unit he served for over two years. Since the signing of the armistice he has been in Belgium with the 4th Division.

**RAISES LEGAL SPEED RATE**  
Motorists are to be allowed to drive their cars at 20 miles an hour in the cities and 25 miles an hour in the country. The municipal committee of the Legislature so voted after a warm fight between rural and urban members. Mr. Elliott, member for West Middlesex, opposed the bill.

**MAY SPEAK IN GLENCOE**  
Major-General McRae, Canadian Club Lecturer, Coming Here in May.

The Soldiers' Aid Commission of Glencoe at a meeting on Thursday evening unanimously decided to invite Major-General A. D. McRae, who has been appointed by the Canadian Club to give a series of lectures throughout Canada and the United States on problems arising out of the war, to address a public meeting in Glencoe at an early date. Major-General McRae is now in South America, but expects to arrive in Minneapolis early in May. He will then go east to some of the Canadian cities and will drop off at Glencoe en route to see his mother. It is hoped that while on this trip he will be able to speak at a gathering in his home town.

Recently, on arriving home from overseas, General McRae addressed the Canadian Club in Vancouver and was reported verbatim in The Daily News of that city, which referred to the address as one of vital importance in the many matters of absorbing interest dealt with.

Summarized, his address at Vancouver put forward the confident claim that the soldiers returning would be found even better citizens than when they left Canada and would prove the bulwark of the country; that the sedition mongers and enemy aliens should be returned to the fatherlands they professed to love so well; that as the country would undoubtedly have provided the money for another year of war, it could be depended upon to provide a similar sum for necessary public improvements and remove, as much as possible, the spectres of unemployment and discontent.

Major-General McRae pointed to the wastefulness of Great Britain's demobilization problems as compared with those of Canada, the plans for dealing with which would prove Britain as great in peace as she had been in war, and in which no nation had put forward equal sacrifices or accomplished such results, he said. In restoring the vast industrial machinery of Canada to its normal state, the great constructive power of the government should be freely employed. He urged an immigration policy in which the heroic women of Britain should play an important part, and he declared it required no prophet to forecast the result of the continuance of British sentiment in the Dominion and more particularly in Western Canada.

Trade with the Empire was another strong feature of the address, and the speaker emphasized that Great Britain, through her control of shipping, could show such preference to the dominions as would give them the first call on the requirements of British trade as a whole. In dealing with these great matters the mere political gladiator would be out of place, but if a strong, courageous, business administration were maintained, he was confident Canada would look to the future with confidence.

**A FREAK OF LIGHTNING**  
During the storm on Wednesday night of last week, a straw stack belonging to Sidney Lee was struck by lightning and burned up. The stack was about 12 feet from a 60x40 ft. barn and only 10 feet from an 85-ft. shed, but these buildings were saved by the heroic work of about thirty neighbors who worked all night carrying water and drawing out the burning straw. It is a very unusual occurrence for lightning to strike a straw stack with buildings so close by.—Rodney Mercury.

**TALENT TEA**  
The ladies of St. John's church will hold a Talent Tea next Saturday, April 26, at 3 o'clock in the school room. Homemade cooking will be on sale. All welcome. Cup of tea and cake, 15c.

**A COUPLE OF HIGH FLIERS**  
An America aviator and his wife, making a flight from Toronto to Indiana, passed over this section on Tuesday. Their coming was heralded by telephone and many eyes were turned upwards, hoping to get a glimpse of the aeroplane, which was reported to be following the C. P. R. right-of-way. The aviators, however, changed their course somewhat to the south and took the air line route which was most direct from London to Windsor, passing over Stratford and Wardsville, thus setting a good example for McDiarmid with his provincial highway.

**JIGGER JUMPS THE TRACK**  
George, son of Wm. Gates of Ekfrid, was badly cut about the head and face and one hand was injured severely on Monday when a gasoline driven jigger on which he was riding jumped the track on the Wabash railway near his home. He was sitting at the front end of the car, and when it left the rails he was thrown forward and the car passed over him. Dr. McLachlan, who is attending him, reports that he is getting along nicely. Other section men riding on the car at the time escaped with slight injuries.

Getting together in any walk or circle of life means rubbing off the sharp corners and making life more worth living. Man is at best a suspicious individual, but this feeling wears off when in the company of his fellow-men. Get together—in church, in the lodge, society or civic life. It will have a good effect.

**FARM LABOR**  
An urgent demand for farm laborers is reported from all sides, but it is interesting to note that of all those who come under the observation of the agencies for finding employment scarcely any volunteer for farm work. That indicates that industrial unemployment is not great, or that the industrial laborers have unexhausted savings and are encouraged to stick to the towns by the promises of governments to provide employment at undiminished wages. It is nevertheless probable that the testimony of the employment agencies is not wholly to be relied on, and that there is beginning an appreciable return to the land, which will steadily increase as the interference of government in business affairs is withdrawn.—Farmers' Sun.

**SCHOOL REPORTS**  
Report of Wardsville high school. Class I, over 75 per cent.; Class II, over 60 per cent.; Class III, over 40 per cent.

Form I.—Class I.—E. Seaton; Class II.—V. Murphy, D. Glennie, I. Puris, G. Brinson, H. Armstrong and L. Squire equal; Class III.—A. Burr, E. Linden, W. Miller, R. Holman, H. Willis.

Form II.—Class I.—W. Hammett, A. O'Malley; Class II.—B. Blain, L. Sawyer, D. McRae, L. Simpson; Class III.—F. Simpson, W. Martin, H. Bobier, A. Bayne, M. McIntosh.

Junior Matriculation.—Class I.—H. Fennell, M. Bayne; Class II.—C. Geary, A. O'Malley; Class III.—M. Murphy, J. McRae, F. Randles; Class IV.—E. Martin, F. Patterson.

Report of Easter examinations in U. S. S. No. 17, Mosca:  
Sr. IV.—Emerson Little 73 per cent., Lillian Campbell 60, Mae Moore 50.  
Sr. III.—Alexander Munro 66, Jean McIntyre 56.  
Sr. II.—Hugh McKeffer 65.  
Sr. I.—Albert Moore 66, Lloyd Little 60.

Pt. II.—Zelda Moore 68, Dougall McIntyre 66, Mary McKellar 64, Hugh Leitch 38.  
Primer.—Viola Munro 77.  
M. Munro, Teacher.

The following is the report of the Easter examination at U. S. S. No. 14, Metcalfe. The names are arranged in order of merit:  
Sr. IV.—Archie Williams, Helen Carruthers, Olive McIntyre, Dorothy Auty.  
Sr. III.—Myra Carruthers, Ruby Munson, Marguerite Munro.  
Sr. II.—Lorne Towers.

Primer.—Anna McDougall, Joseph Auty, Ernest Moore.  
Edna Patterson, Teacher.

Report of Wardsville public school for March and April. \* means absent for one or more examinations:  
Sr. IV.—Honors—Janet Elliott; pass—Edith Thompson, "Mina" O'Malley, Jr. IV.—Honors—Jean Randles, Flossie Palmer; pass—Francis Murphy.  
Sr. III.—Honors—Malcolm Elliott, \*Fred Squire; pass—Margaret Mahon.

Jr. III.—Honors—Florence Willis, \*Jack Walker; pass—Donald Smith, \*Beattie Jeffery, Theresa Horton, \*Jean Morrison, \*Harold Fisher; below pass—Ina Brammer, Roy Harold.  
Sr. II.—Honors—Lorine Henderson, Henry Constant, Margaret Harold; pass—Morley Faulds; below pass—Florence Linden, Glenn Smith, Carlyle Bilton.  
Jr. II.—Honors—Norma Willis; pass—Robert Willis.  
I.—Honors—Ida Wilson, Nora Henderson; pass—Selby Jefferson, \*John O'Son.

Primer, III.—Pass—Madeline Fisher, Ben Senior, Arthur Brammer, Glenn Walker, Alice Walker; below pass—Gordon Jeffery, Gerald Bilton.  
Primer, II.—Pass—Audrey Willis; below pass—Lynn Henderson, Pearl Wilson, Emerson Faulds (absent).  
M. G. Bayne and M. McRae, Teachers.

**KILMARTIN**  
Mrs. Joseph Moore was a holiday visitor in Walkerville.

Misses Margaret and Christina Little spent the week-end with friends at Thamesville and Blenheim.

The Young People's Society of Burns' church will entertain the returned soldiers of this district at the manse on Thursday evening of this week.

\*Chopping Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.—W. R. Stephenson, Appin.

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