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line of Job Printing and will meet
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FARM FOR SALE
First-class 100-acre farm, clay
loam; north half lot 17, con. 4, Ek-
frid; good buildings; well fenced,
and best of water—Edgar Munson,
R. R. 4, Glencoe; phone Melbourne,
29 ring 28.

COWS FOR SALE
Two good Durham cows—one due
1st April, and other due 1st May—
Sam T. McColl, Route 4, Appin.

CARD OF THANKS
I desire to thank the many friends
for their thoughtful kindness and
sympathy all through my husband's
illness and at the time of his death.
—Mrs. McKinnon.

COW FOR SALE
Good Jersey cow, will freshen
about March 20th.—Will Atkinson,
Wardville; phone 633.

PROPERTY FOR SALE
House and lot, with barn, in good
location in Glencoe. Apply to Box
88, Glencoe P. O.

COW FOR SALE
Milk cow for sale.—David Coult-
hurd, Route 1, Glencoe.

FOR SALE
Fifteen h.p. portable gasoline en-
gine with new Webster magneto; in
good running order.—R. E. Laughton,
Glencoe.

FOR SALE
Medium-sized "Grimm Champion"
evaporator, in good condition; com-
plete with storage tank. Apply T.
H. Lovell, R. R. No. 4, Alvinston;
phone 44, ring 3.

LIVE STOCK
Brood sows, litters and shoats, dif-
ferent ages.—J. H. Trestrain, Strath-
burn.

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Old walnut or rosewood melode-
ons, chairs or tables. Write M. E.
McCallum, 532 Talbot St., London.

WEAVING
Better get your Rag Rugs, Carpets,
etc., before the spring rush.—Mrs.
M. M. Bulman, R. R. 5, Bothwell.

FOR SALE
Choice seed peas. Free from pea
weevil.—Dugald Clarke, Route 4,
Glencoe.

FOR SALE
Two incubators — one Wisconsin,
holds 120 eggs; one Chatham, holds
140 eggs.—James Bunda, R. R. No. 3,
Newbury.

FARM TO RENT
Fifty acres, composed of the south
half of the south half of lot number
16, in the second range north of the
Longwoods Road, Ekfrid township.
Possession the 1st of April. Apply
to Miss Harriet Young, Emerson,
Manitoba.

FARM FOR SALE
One of the best farms in Ekfrid,
near Glencoe. Apply T. J. Thornton,
West Lorne.

**EKFRID FARM LOAN
ASSOCIATION**
will meet at Appin March 4, April
15, June 10, August 5, October 7 and
November 11. For information, long
and short term loans, apply to Pres-
ident R. D. Coad, Vice-president D.
F. Eddie, Secretary-treasurer Duncan
McAlpine, Directors A. T. Irwin, Dan
McDonald, Martin Johnston, James
McRae, R. A. Finn.

FARM LOANS
Apply to V. T. FOLEY, 83 King
Street, West, Chatham. Phone 180.

GLENCOE LODGE, No. 138,
meets every Tuesday evening
at eight o'clock sharp
in the lodge room, opposite Royal
Bank building, Main street. All bre-
thren of the Order cordially invited
to attend.—Russell Quick, N. G.;
A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

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Spring Millinery, Coats,
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Everything ready to wear.

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Cut flowers to
order

Buried Treasure!

LONG AGO, men seeking a safe and
secret depository for their money and
plate, dug a hole in the ground and bur-
ied their treasure, often to lose it from
one cause or another.
TODAY, even after centuries of pro-
gress and enlightenment, there still are
people who prefer to hide their money
in "secret" places, only to lose it by fire
or theft.

The safest depository for your money and
valuables is the one everybody knows
about — The Bank.

**THE ROYAL BANK
OF CANADA**
Gordon Dickson, Manager, Glencoe
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McPHERSON & CLARKE
PLANING MILL GLENCOE LUMBER YARD

FARM HELP
CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS
IN CO-OPERATION WITH
ONTARIO GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OF COLONIZATION
WILL AGAIN ASSIST FARMERS IN SECURING FARM HELP.
THERE will be an urgent demand all over Canada this
year. If you need farm help apply early. The Canadian
National Railways Colonization and Development Depart-
ment, through its representatives in Great Britain, Scandinavia
and other European countries, offers a free service to farmers.
Order your farm help as early as possible in order that they will
reach Canada in time for Spring.

BLANK APPLICATIONS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM ANY
CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS AGENT
OR
DEPARTMENT OF COLONIZATION AND DEVELOPMENT
CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS.
MONTREAL, QUE.

DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Steps are being taken to erect a
skating rink in Bothwell.

Jas. McMannus, prominent horse-
man, of Watford, is dead.
Total deaths from smallpox at
Windsor reached 17 on Monday. No
new cases were reported.

A school teacher at Palisades Park,
N. J., was asked to resign because
she said she became "bored" with
the operation of taking part in the
flag saluting exercises each day at
school.

The new sales tax, which went into
effect at the beginning of the year,
had added four per cent. to the cost
of all papers, Bristol boards, envel-
opes and other stock used in a print-
ing office.

Building supply dealers in London
report that orders have been let or
negotiations are under way for the
erection of over \$100,000 of new farm
buildings in Middlesex county in the
near future.

Failure to put a two-cent stamp on
a receipt for \$615.73 and also a tax
receipt for \$19 cost Leamon Mc-
Ewen, Malahide farmer, and L. D.
Westover, tax collector of Vienna,
\$50 each and costs.

The council of the village of Lion's
Head has adopted a resolution that
no pool room license be granted. A
petition against the pool room had
been signed by almost everyone in
the village and county.

At Toronto a Chinaman, sent to
the asylum after an amazing display
of strength, broke a radiator and a
water pipe in the police court with
bare hands. He also broke the hand-
cuffs placed on his wrists.

A young man who had been solici-
ting orders for enlarging pictures
and for frames was fined \$25 and
costs at Exeter for giving a receipt
for the payment of over \$10 without
attaching a stamp thereto.

Middlesex county council finished
1923 with a surplus of \$26,000, ac-
cording to a statement made public
by County Treasurer Thomas Robson
recently. The total revenue for last
year was \$355,614, and the expendi-
tures \$329,218.

Forest town council refuses to
adopt an order of the Provincial
Board of Health to establish a
waterworks system. A combined
waterworks and sewerage system, it
is estimated, would cost from \$175,
000 to \$200,000.

According to records in the county
registry office at Sandwich, residents
of Essex county up to the end of last
year owed upwards of five million
dollars for the automobiles they
drive. This indebtedness is in the
form of lien notes for cars purchased
on the "partial payment" plan.

George F. Lewis, Deputy Fire Mar-
shal, states that since the passing of
the Lightning Rods Act in 1922,
16,168 rod installations have been
made, with the excellent result that
the number of fires on farms caused
by lightning, formerly 51 per cent.
of the total, had dropped to 20 per
cent.

Fire at Thamesville on Saturday
night did damage to the extent of
several thousand dollars to stock in
the general store of Elmer Cox and
the gents' furnishings and grocery
store of George Hardy. Consider-
able damage was done to the opera
house, which is situated above the
stores.

M. A. Pressel, who is tracing the
descendants of the different brothers
of Robert Edwards in an effort to
settle the Edwards estate, called a
meeting of the Canadian Edwards
heirs in London last week. He spent
some time in New York in February
and will go to that city again in
March. He reports that his work so
far has been very satisfactory.

Construction of two new docks on
each side of the Detroit river, a 10-
minute passenger service and a 20-
minute service for motor cars and
the addition of a sister ship to the
LaSalle, largest and newest of the
ferry company's boats, were prom-
ised by officials of the Detroit and
Windsor Ferry Company at an infor-
mal meeting with Windsor officials.

The burglarization of three homes
in St. Thomas last week is believed
to have been the work of boys or
youths familiar with the actions of
the occupants. In each case en-
trance is said to have been gained
by the use of the door keys left un-
der mats or on verandah posts, and
a warning has been issued to house-
holders that such careless habits
must be stopped if residences are to
be protected.

Apparently the official desire is
that Home Bank affairs be investi-
gated—but not too much.—Hamilton
Herald.

As a vermifuge an effective pre-
paration is Mother Greaves' Worm
Exterminator, and it can be given to
the most delicate child without fear
of injury to the constitution.

GLENCOE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Principal Macdonald's Room
Sr. IV.—Dollie Trestrain 75, Mar-
jorie McLarty 69, Bert Loosemore
68, Jean Murray 62, Adele Lucas 61,
Vera McCaffrey 59, Albert Young 49,
Willie Stuart 39.
Jr. IV.—Hugh McAlpine 79, Flo-
rence Hills 74, Carrie Smith 70, Jean
Grover 69, Irene Squire 69, Kathleen
Wilson 68, Mervia Stuart 67, Helen
Clarke 62, Irene Reith 61, Ethel Mc-
Alpine 61, Douglas McIntyre 52, Ro-
bert McCallum 46, Alvin Hagerty 44,
Campbell Miller 41, Llewellyn Rey-
craft 39, Bert Diamond 35, Nelson
Reycraft 33, Albert Squire 27, Wil-
lie Ramsey.

Sr. III.—Virginia Clarke 87, Roy
Mumford 86, Norene Innes 81, Kate
Levin McIntyre 80, Gertrude Abbot-
77, Lillian Hagerty 76, Claude Tom-
linson 75, Blanche McCracken 74,
Florence McKellar 73, Douglas Da-
vidson 72, Margaret Young 72, Clara
George 71, Jack McCallum 64, Gor-
don McEachren 60, Ernest Whitehall
42.

Miss Marsh's Room
Jr. III.—Honours—Emily Abbott
83, Dorothy Waterworth 82, Clara
George 85, Glen Kerr 85, Hugh Mc-
Eachren 84, Mildred Blacklock 80,
Jean Reith 80, Mercedes Heat 78,
George Blacklock 75, Jimmie Grover
75, Janet McMurphy 75; pass—Jean
Strachan 74, Kenzie Miller 73, Char-
lie McCracken 72, John McMurphy
70, Jack Heal 68, Charlotte Smith 64,
Bobbie Miller 63, Angus Ramsey 61,
Della Stevenson 63, Richard Brand
62, Marrie Stinson 61, Albert George
60, Kenneth McRae 60, Helen Rey-
craft 60.
Sr. II.—Beulah Copeland 87, Daisy
Whitehall 86, Evelyn Siddall 85,
Marjorie McRae 84, Dorothy Dia-
mond 80, Willie Eddie 79, Faye Wa-
terworth 79, John Abbott 77, Miriam
Smith 77, Clarence Ford 76; pass—
Kathleen Young 73, Annie McKellar
70.

"Absent for one or more examina-
tions."
Miss McLachlan's Room
Jr. II.—Honours—Albert Henry 95,
Carl Waterworth 90, Sybil Williams
89, Bertha Hills 88, Mariel Abbott
87, Lloyd Mumford 87, Winnifred
Macdonald 87, Duncan McMurphy 87,
Alvin Waterworth 84, Mae Black-
lock 84, James Smith 78, Glenn Wa-
terworth 78, Albert Hagerty 75, Jean
Brand 75, Pearl McLachlan 75; pass—
Gordon Dickson 66, Kenneth Da-
vidson 63, John Ramsey 63; below—
Bruce Ramsey 53.

Sr. I.—Honours—Leah Tomlinson
95, Jean Macdonald 91, Doris Love
90, Abe Hagerty 89, Isabel Dickson
88, Myrtle Wilson 85, Florence
Squire 82, Edward Wilson 76; pass—
Clarence Squire 67.
Miss Morrison's Room
I.—Honours—Kathleen Graham 89,
Bruce Henry 86, Mary Strachan 76,
Vera Diamond 75; pass—Frances
Clarke 74, Margaret Lumley 70, Wil-
lie Abbott 70, Douglas Allan 67, Jack
Macdonald 61, Margaret Hagerty 60;
below—Willie George, Harry Hudson.
Primer D.—Honours—Jean Water-
worth, Douglas McKee; pass—George
Ramsey.

C.—Honours—Catharine Colquhoun
and Francis Singleton (tie), Rena
Whitehall, Kenneth MacPherson,
Ronald Whitehall, Janet McKellar;
pass—Harold Watson, Dorothy Mc-
Lachlan.

B.—Honours—Donald Calderwood;
pass—Douglas Cornfoot, Dorothy
Wall.
A.—Honours—Eileen Henry, Eileen
George, Marion McDonald, Bessie
Hills, Cecelia Calderwood; pass—
Alice Hagerty, Alma Smith, Howard
Rankin; below—Bruce Wilson,
George Neve.

DEMAND FOR FARM HELP

An increasing demand for experi-
enced farm laborers is reported at
St. Thomas employment bureau, sev-
eral inquiries having been made by
district farmers last week. There is
little call for inexperienced laborers.
Wages offered this year are consid-
ered good, the average pay for single
men with board being \$300 to \$400 a
year, and married men \$500 to \$600,
with house, garden and other con-
cessions.

RADIO EQUIPMENT ON BOARD

The latest train on the Canadian
National Railways System to be
equipped with radio receiving sets is
the International Limited, the crack
passenger train running daily be-
tween Montreal and Chicago. This
train left Montreal on Saturday with
radio equipment attached to the ob-
servator car. In addition to the
loud speaker, there were attached to
this set eight pairs of head phones.
The advantage of these is that in the
event that there are passengers who
do not desire to take advantage of
the radio programs, it is possible to
silence the loud speaker and allow
the other passengers to enjoy the
concert by means of the head phones.

DEATH OF DAVID EVANS

Was Postmaster at Strathroy and
Former Editor of The Age

David Evans, one of the most
prominent citizens of Strathroy, a
veteran newspaperman, and for the
past 14 years postmaster, passed
away early Saturday morning, fol-
lowing a few days' illness. In the
passing of Mr. Evans Strathroy has
lost a man who has, possibly more
than any other, filled a large place
in the affairs of the town and the
surrounding community.

Mr. Evans, who was of Welsh and
English ancestry, was born in the
village of Delaware in 1855. In
1882, in conjunction with his two
brothers, Fred and Frank, he pur-
chased The Strathroy Age from the
late Sir George W. Ross and the late
Hugh McCall. By persistent effort
and care of detail, The Age became
one of the best local papers in On-
tario, and a strong Liberal influence
in the community. In 1910 Mr. Ev-
ans, who has always been a strong
supporter of the Liberal party, was
appointed postmaster at Strathroy,
and in this position he has enjoyed
the esteem and confidence of the
entire community.

In everything that pertained to
the welfare of the town he was deep-
ly interested. For over 25 years he
was secretary of the Strathroy Agri-
cultural Society, for many years a
member of the Public School Board,
the Public Library Board, the Public
Utilities Commission, and for several
years past the chairman of the
Strathroy Hospital Board. He was
actively connected with the Baptist
church. In 1881 he married Miss
Hannah Jane Harris, who survives
him with two children, Mrs. Mabel
Nettleton and Ewart Evans, the
present editor of The Age.

REDUCING PRODUCTION COSTS

Every manufacturer in the country
is faced constantly by the problem
of reducing his production costs. If
he can save a dollar it is just as good
as the dollar he may earn. Acci-
dents have laid a heavy hand on in-
dustry in Ontario when we realize
that compensation for accidents in
industry in this province is costing
six million dollars each year. The
manufacturer must calculate on this
cost with his other problems of man-
ufacture and a reduction in these
losses means just that much saved
to the country.

Accidents reported to the Work-
men's Compensation Board have av-
eraged over five thousand each
month for the last several months.
This means roughly two hundred ac-
cidents every working day and does
not benefit either the industry nor
the worker but is, rather, a heavy
load to both employer and employee.
An extension of the safety idea
seems a logical and legitimate
means of cutting production costs in
this country.

G. H. S. NOTES

On March 3rd a session of the G.
H. S. mock parliament was held in
the Methodist Sunday School room.
After a few opening remarks by the
chairman, Alex. Munroe, and the
reading and adoption of the minutes,
Elva Sutton played a delightful piano
solo. The discussion of the Educa-
tional Bill was resumed, and when
completed the bill was passed. The
three bills previously discussed and
passed were given the third reading
and passed for the third time. The
Finance Minister, Hon. Wm. Moss,
then brought in the budget of the
Government. The adjournment of
the debate was moved by Hon. A.
Whitehall. Margaret Gates then
gave a reading, and a splendid Or-
acle prepared by Ethel George and
Mabel Wright was read.

EKFRID COUNCIL

The council of Ekfrid met in the
town hall, Appin, on Friday, Febru-
ary 22nd, all the members being pres-
ent.

The minutes of last meeting were
read, approved and signed by the
reeve.

Frank McLean and Allan McDoug-
ald, auditors, having presented their
report on the receipts and expendi-
ture of the municipality for the year
1923, with a statement of the assets
and liabilities and debenture debt of
the corporation as at the 31st day of
December of that year, said report
and statement being certified by said
auditors, therefore said report and
statement be and are hereby adopted
by the council, and the clerk was in-
structed to have 60 copies printed.

The reeve and treasurer were in-
structed to issue and sell debentures
for the cost of the Murray-Huston
drain repair.

Cheques were issued in payment of
current accounts.
Council adjourned and will meet
again on Thursday, the 20th day of
March, at 11 a.m.
A. P. McDougald, Clerk.

GIRLS PLAY SPIRITED HOCKEY

In an exhibition game of hockey
played at the arena on Saturday
night the high school girls defeated
the locals by 4 to 0. A fairly good
crowd of spectators witnessed the
game, which was quite interesting.
Much amusement was caused by the
locals, as it was their first attempt
at hockey this season, and their com-
bination was fair, although each one
put force into the game. The high
school girls are proving themselves
to be keen hockeyists and since the
game on Saturday night have been
challenged by several outside teams.
High school—Goal, M. Oxley; de-
fense, Elva Sutton, Eleanor Suther-
land; wings, Eliza McDonald, Donna
McAlpine; centre, Alma Watts; sub,
Lila McCallum.

FAREWELL PRESENTATION

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCracken en-
tertained a number of friends on
Thursday evening at an enjoyable
euchre party in honor of Miss Mayne
Grant, who left on Tuesday for Lon-
don where she will take up the pro-
fession of nursing. A sociable time
was spent and during the evening
Mayne was presented with a beau-
tiful patent leather arm bag, with
purse and money enclosed. Miss
Jean McLachlan made the presenta-
tion and Chester Bechill read the
following ode:—

Ode to Mayne

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky;
These "blooming" farewells make
us sigh;
That's the reason that we cry—
Tonight.

We've heard with sorrow and regret
That we must lose our "Mayne" pet,
And that is why our eyes are wet—
Tonight.

They say to London she must hie;
To live on bread or die on pie;
Now, who among us would not sigh
Tonight?

With one accord some cash they gave
That this one, fitting, might not
leave
Without a word from those who
grieve
Tonight.

To Davidson's they went like a flash
And purchased there, with a dash,
This shiny purse for holding cash—
Some other night,
And now present this "shiny" token,
With chunks of love, not quite all
spoken;
May friendship ties remain unbroken
Tonight and all other nights.

ALEX. BATTIN DIES SUDDENLY

Death came suddenly to Alexander
Battin at the home of his son, Lorne
Battin, near Middlemiss. Deceased,
who was in his usual health, went to
the home of his son to assist in the
general work on the farm, and was
saken ill in the evening and next
morning passed away from heart
trouble.

The deceased was 70 years of age
and was born in Yarmouth and went
to Dunwich over 40 years ago and
resided on the Dunwich-Southwood
townline until he moved to his farm
in Ekfrid, a few years later, and when
he lived till he retired to Middlemiss
quite recently.

Mr. Battin was one of the most
progressive farmers of the commu-
nity, highly esteemed wherever he
was known. He was an elder of the
Presbyterian church at Riverside.

A HUGE OUTLAY

Gross additions to the plant of the
Bell Telephone Company in 1923
amounted to \$12,698,582.83. Of this
amount, land and buildings cost
\$457,909.32, central office apparatus
and subscribers' telephones to \$4,
668,478.96 and exchange and long
distance lines to \$4,626,755.55.

A huge capital outlay, this! The
fact is that telephone service, local
and long distance, is found so effec-
tive for the purposes of all classes
of the community that the demand
increases out of all proportion to the
growth in population.

If a skunk happens to roam close
to your home, no matter how much
you resent his proximity, you must
not shoot him, unless you wish to
pay a fine. Skunks may be nuisances
but they get the same protection as
other furry creatures such as the
black squirrel, says the game warden.
For a sample of unjust laws,
this is surely the light. It leaves
one more helpless than if attacked
by a burglar for no matter how the
skunk may mess up your Sunday
suit, the law prohibits retaliation.
This sure is a free country for boot-
leggers, burglars and skunks.

Wedding cake boxes at The Tran-
script office.