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## Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for hearing and determining complaints against the Assessment Roll of the village of Newbury for the year 1916 will be held in the Town Hall, Newbury, on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1916, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m. Of which all persons interested are required to take notice.

CHARLES TUCKER, Clerk.

## Card of Thanks.

John Sullivan wishes to thank the friends who were so kind to his late mother during her illness and death and to himself and family in their bereavement.

## For Sale or to Rent.

The east half of the south half of lot No. 10, in the 2nd concession of the township of Moss, containing 30 acres, more or less. All cleared. For particulars apply to J. W. Campbell, No. 557 5th St., Joy apt., Detroit, Mich.

## For Sale.

A home in Glencoe; half acre of land, with brick house and good barn. Located on McKee Street. Apply G. M. Barker, Glencoe.

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## Judicial Sale of Property in the Village of Glencoe

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of Ontario, made in the action of Esther Foster vs. W. A. Currie, the following property is being sold by the undersigned, the Sheriff of the County of Middlesex, at the residence of the Sheriff, at three o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 27th day of May, 1916.

ALL AND SINGULAR those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situated, lying and being in the Village of Glencoe, in the County of Middlesex, described as follows:

1. Village lot number twenty-seven on the east side of O'Mara Street in the Village of Glencoe, containing one acre and one-half, more or less, and being a part of the south half of lot number one in the 2nd concession of the township of Moss, according to registered plan number 286, together with a strip of land on the south side of Village lot number forty-eight in said survey, having a frontage on O'Mara Street of sixteen feet.

2. Village lot number forty-seven on the west side of O'Mara Street in the Village of Glencoe, containing one acre and one-half, more or less, and being a part of the south half of lot number one in the 2nd concession of the township of Moss, according to registered plan number 286, together with a strip of land on the south side of Village lot number forty-eight in said survey, having a frontage on O'Mara Street of sixteen feet.

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## Administrator's Sale

—OF—  
**Valuable Real Estate**

The undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Duncan W. McKellar, late of the Village of Glencoe in the County of Middlesex, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction at the McKellar House, in the Village of Glencoe, on Saturday, 27th May, at three o'clock p. m., the following Real Estate, namely:

Parcel Number One, consisting of the South Half of Lot Number Twenty-three in the Thirtieth Concession of the Township of Metcalfe, containing one acre and one-half, more or less, and being a part of the south half of lot number one in the 2nd concession of the township of Moss, according to registered plan number 286, together with a strip of land on the south side of Village lot number forty-eight in said survey, having a frontage on O'Mara Street of sixteen feet.

Parcel Number Two, Village Lot Number Four in Block "N" in Currie's survey in the Village of Glencoe, containing one-quarter of an acre, situated on the east side of the east side of King Street, in a desirable locality in the Village of Glencoe. It has on it a comfortable frame dwelling house, a frame barn and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid. One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within one month thereafter. A number of articles of household furniture will be offered for sale at the same time and place.

For further particulars apply to:

JOHN W. EDDIE, ELLIOTT & MOSS,  
Glencoe, Ontario, Glencoe, Ontario,  
Administrator. Solicitors for Vendor.

## Township of Ekfrid Notice to Contractors

Sealed tenders (marked tender) will be received by the undersigned up to six o'clock afternoon of May 27th, 1916, for the work of repair and improvement of Government Drain No. 4 and branch in the township of Ekfrid. Specifications and terms of letting may be seen at the office of the clerk at Melbourn or residence of the commissioner, lot 13, con. 3. No tender necessarily accepted.

WM. T. MAY, Com'r.  
Appin P. O.

## NOTICE!

**Wm. Muirhead** will take Cream and Eggs at Huston's office, Glencoe. Wagons will also be collecting. Cash paid for eggs. Get our proposition about cream.

## SILVERWOODS, LIMITED

We carry a Full Line of

Tin, Enamel and Galvanized Ware, Sinks, Bathtubs, etc.

Plumbing, Furnace-work, Roofing, Eavetroughing, Repairing, etc., done by a Practical Mechanic.

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Tinsmith Plumber

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Best grade of Manitoba Flour, Hunt's Diamond, and a number of other kinds of Blended Flour. Ask for prices.

Wheat taken in exchange for Flour. Seed Potatoes and Seed Corn for sale.

Highest cash price paid for Wool.

**CASH FOR EGGS**  
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Insure against loss by wind and storm in The Ontario Wind and Weather Insurance Company of Grand Valley, the best known and most reliable weather insurance company doing business in Ontario.

J. C. WATTERWORTH  
Agent, Glencoe 1411 Phone 59

## Notice to Creditors.

In the Estate of Duncan William McKellar, late of the Village of Glencoe in the County of Middlesex, Private of the 73rd Battalion, Royal Highlanders of Canada, C. E. F., Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 96, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of Duncan William McKellar, who died on or about the thirty-first day of December, 1915, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Messrs. Elliott & Moss, of the Village of Glencoe, Solicitors for John William Eddie, Administrator of the Estate of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated the eighth day of May, A. D. 1916.

ELLIOTT & MOSS,  
Solicitors for John William Eddie, Administrator of the Estate of the said Deceased.

## Western Farmers' Weather Insurance Company

Insure your buildings against wind and tornado in the largest weather company in Ontario. Insurance rate is lowest permitted by government.

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**J. B. COUGH & SON**  
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MAIN STREET - GLENCOE  
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**C. E. DAVIDSON**  
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Perfection Oil Stoves  
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We now have the largest and best assorted stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries in Glencoe. Our turnover is such that everything on our shelves is fresh all the time. Foreign and Domestic Fruits and Vegetables arriving daily. Watch our windows. Special values now offering in bulk Teas and Coffee. Try them. Highest prices paid for produce in cash or trade. Get our prices before selling.

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We are selling Silverwood's "Smoother Than Velvet," and it is all the name implies. We take pride in offering you the very best Ice Cream that can be made, only pure cream being used, and manufactured in a modern and sanitary plant by expert workmen. Call and take some home with you. It is wholesome, nourishing and refreshing.

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## Red Cedar Shingles

Do not "CLOSE THE DEAL" for your roof until you let us figure with you. Our 5X B. C. Shingles make a cheap and permanent job.

## Galvanized Iron Roofing

We sell this Roofing and it will pay you to get our prices.

## McPHERSON & CLARKE

Planing Mill and Lumber Yard  
Beaver Board and Fibre Board in stock

## District and General.

Dutton will have Caledonian games on July 1st.

Rodney will celebrate July 1st with horse races, etc.

Highgate expects to have hydro power by July 1st.

Daniel C. McDougall, of Alvinston, died last week in his 64th year.

John McCulloch, one of Ridgetown's oldest business men, died Friday.

There are three cases of diphtheria in the home of Claude Haines, Dutton.

Richard Murphy died at his home in Metcalfe, in his 71st year, after a long illness.

Strathroy will observe a half holiday every Wednesday during July and August.

A hog with six legs, owned by a California man, uses all of them in walking.

George H. Wynne, a retired banker, of Watford, died suddenly at the age of 75 years.

John C. Marwood, fireman in the Alvinston grist mill for the last thirty years, died last week.

The Strathroy hospital is filled almost to capacity. Last week twenty patients were receiving treatment.

The annual district meeting of the West Middlesex Women's Institute will be held in Newbury on May 29th.

Forest council is making a start on permanent road improvement by the introduction of crushed stone from St. Marys.

Marriage licenses now cost \$5. Most towns are raising the poll tax to \$5 from \$4. This is a hitting blow to the two angles.

The death of Miss Margaret Coleman, of Euphemia, occurred at the age of 18 years after an illness of about one month.

When the town authorities objected to a poster of a Wisconsin theatre, the owners put real overalls on the billboard figures.

It is estimated that nearly 1,500 cars loaded with freight leave the tunnel at Sarnia daily for eastern and European markets.

A law suit was settled in Calgary the other day when the award to the plaintiff was \$54, but the law costs totalled \$3,258.31.

Mrs. (Dr.) Wilson, of Wardsville, gave an address on her travels through the Holy Land at Napier on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrick, of Cairngorm, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ottway Pearson, to Dalton F. Sifton, of Metcalfe township, the marriage to take place early in June.

A Seattle judge last week in one morning granted 42 divorces. Dissolution of the marriage tie promises to become so common in some of the States that it will soon no longer be fashionable.

All married Englishmen eligible for military service, who are living abroad, but who ordinarily are residents of Great Britain, must return to England forthwith and report for military duty.

Abraham Graham died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Congdon, North Aldborough, on May 15th, in his 46th year. He was born in Ireland and came to Canada with his parents when quite young.

There passed away at her late residence in Guelph Monday night Miss Lydia Hall, evangelist. For over 20 years she and her sister, Miss Annie, were engaged in evangelistic work, principally in connection with the Methodist church.

Mrs. Alfred Shuart, of Euphemia, near Armstrong's church, died recently. Mrs. Shuart was Miss Lizzie Mitchell before her marriage, and had been ill for about three years. She was nearly 40 years of age, and leaves a husband and young son.

Robert Hanna, a young married farmer owning 300 acres near Silverton, offered to enlist if two retired farmers would work his farm at \$1.10 per day each. Thos. Lanin and Colin Kerr, retired farmers, accepted the offer, and Hanna has enlisted in the 10th Battalion at Stratford.

Surgeons who operated on Miss Margaret Quinn, a normal school student at Memphis, Tenn., for appendicitis, found fourteen small gun-shot, two pieces of glass, a small particle of an oyster shell and a chipped particle of iron in her appendix. Say, Margaret, what have you been eating?

The outlook for berries and fruit generally is much better than was at first expected. The blossoming is fine and unless a frost destroys the chances there ought to be a bumper crop of fruit this year. Strawberries are coming along fine, but there was considerable loss among the raspberry bushes by winter killing.

Action of Meggison vs. Tilbury East Township, brought by Mrs. Mary Meggison against the township for damages for the death of her husband who was killed last fall when his wagon overturned into a township ditch, pinning him underneath it, was dismissed at the Assize Court, Chatham.

The widow sued the township for \$11,000 on behalf of herself and children.

The Registrar-General has instructed the various Division Registrars throughout the Province to supply him with a monthly list of physicians who have failed to register births as required by the vital statistics act. Upon the receipt of such notice physicians in default will be prosecuted.

Physicians have been found to be notoriously lax in complying with the law regarding the registration of births.

## Presentation Postponed.

The presentation of colors to the 135th Battalion which was to have taken place on May 21, has been postponed and will be an event at some date about the middle of June.

The colors, which are a gift of The London Free Press Printing Company, have been in the city for some days.

Col. Robson, points out, however, that the battalion could not be mobilized and in camp on Carling's Heights by the holiday, as he had hoped, and there is the further reason for postponement that the farmers of the county, from which the battalion has been so largely drawn, are late with their seedling and ought not to be taken from their work at this time.

"Better weather will be assured to us in June, and all other conditions will be more desirable," said the colonel, in announcing the postponement.

**Ekfrid Man Fined.**

Richard England, of Ekfrid Township, charged with the attempted shooting of George Lucas, a neighbor, was before Squires Chittick and Robson Friday afternoon. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$10 and costs. This is the minimum penalty that could be imposed.

The affair occurred when England became incensed at Lucas, because the latter would not loan him a seed drill, which belonged to Lucas' brother, and which he (the brother) had told Lucas not to loan to England. He procured a 22-calibre rifle and tried to shoot Lucas. Lucas, however, closed with him and succeeded in wrestling the rifle from him.

The two principals went to the city Friday morning and saw Crown Attorney McKillop, with the result that the hearing was fixed for after-noon. England appeared to be genuinely sorry for what he had done, and under the circumstances the magistrates decided to let him off as easily as possible.

**Ball Club Organizes.**

At a well attended meeting at the McKellar House on Friday evening the Glencoe Baseball Club was organized for the coming season and the following officers appointed:—President, C. E. Davidson; vice-president, E. T. Huston; honorary president, J. C. Elliott; M.P.P.; secretary, E. A. May; treasurer, J. A. Jones; manager, Geo. A. Parrott; grounds committee, P. D. Keith, Allan McPherson, J. Martin.

The grounds committee will meet the fair board and make arrangements for the grounds. The president, the manager, J. Martin and N. C. Allingham were appointed to meet a committee from Thamesville in the matter of forming a league, and Messrs. Parrott, Elliott and Davidson were appointed to go around and collect funds.

A series of unusually interesting games is anticipated for the coming season.

**Presentation at High School.**

A presentation was made to Corporal Neil McCallum on Monday, May 22nd, at the Glencoe High School.

A fitting address was read by Miss Bayne, after which a signet ring and pass case were presented by A. E. Aldred. Corporal McCallum expressed his appreciation at the remembrance, and his regret at leaving the school.

An address was given by Miss McEachran, expressing the pride of the school at having Neil represent the G. H. S. in the ranks.

The National Anthem was sung.

**"A Summer in Geneva."**

The above was the subject of a bright, pleasing, very instructive and suggestive address by Miss Grace Blackburn, the talented writer under the nom de plume of "Pan-Pan" in the London Free Press, given in St. John's Church school room on Monday evening.

Geneva the intellectual, the beautiful, the pleasure-loving and commercial were all portrayed. Her excellent descriptive powers made the beauties, the life and history of that interesting city very realistic. She carried her audience amid the beautiful panorama of mountain and lake, through the restful parks, down by the picturesque quays, along the romantic promenades, the busy thoroughfares and in front of the attractive shops in her elegant and vivid style. Her elaboration of the swan history and the beauty they add to the charms of Geneva was an ingenious touch in the outline of the lecture. Her characterizations of the different nationalities that one might see among the tourists in the park were most excellent, that of the American being most enjoyed, as it was so typical and familiar. Geneva, "the citadel of the idea," the democratic and liberty-loving city, struck the keynote of the philosophical side of the lecture. She advanced some reasons why Switzerland was not in the present struggle in view of what she narrated of the history and development.

She gave her ideas of the present crisis, its causes, and suggested remedies for preventing war, closing a most brilliant address by the recitation of one of her own poems, "The Artist."

The address was prefaced by several musical numbers, making altogether a most enjoyable evening. Peter McArthur, as chairman, with his wit and humor, interspersed the work of the program, so well rendered by Mrs. McGeachy, Miss Jessie Humphries, Stanley Humphries and Mr. Owen.

Falling Hair and Dandruff can be stopped, and the growth improved, by Rexall "98" Hair Tonic, which all Rexall Drug Stores guarantee.—J. A. Scott.

## Tells of Wounded Soldier.

Wm. Newport on Monday received letters from the front giving particulars of the spending of his son, Pte. Gordon Newport, on May 1st. Allan Newport, of the machine gun section 40th Battalion, writes under date of May 2nd:—

Dear Father,—I am writing you a few lines to let you know the war is still going on. Gordie was wounded last night by a piece from a rifle grenade and is now I think in England. I guess you will hear from him before you get this. We had a terrible bombardment here just before dark for about 11 hours. Gordie and another fellow were coming up the trench with hot tea when it started and he was hit there. He couldn't leave the machine gun till it was finished. We had a terrible time getting the wounded out, had to go through a woods that was full of shell holes and fallen trees and very dark. The worst of it we had to hurry to get out before daylight. Gordie was taken with the rest right away from the dressing station in an ambulance and I think is well taken care of now. The Germans started to come over but had to change their minds.

The matron of St. John Ambulance Brigade Hospital writes, May 6th:—

Dear Sir,—I am sorry to tell you your son is a patient in this hospital suffering from a severe wound in his head. He asked me to tell you he was "going on alright, and not to worry about him." I hope very much that by the time you get this letter he really will be getting better. At present he is unable to talk much or exert himself in any way. Everything that can be done for him is being by doctors and nurses.

**Wedded in the West.**

The Saskatoon Star of recent date says:—A quiet military wedding took place last night in the parlor of the King George when Miss Mary Bell McIntyre, daughter of the late Dr. McIntyre, of Glencoe, Ontario, became the bride of Pte. Charles McGregor, of the 65th Overseas Battalion. The ceremony was performed by Captain Oliver, chaplain of the 65th Battalion. The bride was given away by her cousin, Major P. D. Stewart, and was attended by Miss Riley of the Saskatchewan Hospital Unit. Cpl. Cole, of the 65th Battalion, attended the groom. Following the ceremony the wedding party enjoyed a tempting dinner served in the King George dining-room.

**Remarkable Knitting Record**

A correspondent of the Transcript at Winnipeg encloses the following copy of a letter of appreciation recently received by Mrs. Lynn, of that city, from a soldier at the front. Mrs. Lynn, who is a former resident of Glencoe, the correspondent incidentally remarks, "is now in her 74th year, and this week she is working on her 101st pair of socks, surely a creditable record."

The Glencoe Colony continues much as it always has—getting a pretty fair slice of prosperity and happiness and not forgetting the boyhood and girlhood days in the biggest little town in the world!—

March 5, 1916.

Mrs. Lynn, 310 Simcoe St.,  
Winnipeg.

Dear Mrs. Lynn,—I have just received a new pair of socks, and in one of the enclosed notes so I take the liberty of writing this letter to thank you most kindly for them. You will never know, Mrs. Lynn, how much good you and the other ladies at Canada are doing for us boys over here, nor how much it cheers us to know that the folks at home are thinking of us.

I am writing this letter while seated in my dug-out, with the Germans only fifty yards away, so that you can truly say this letter is from the firing line. We are having quite a difficult time at present, the weather is very bad, it is raining or snowing every day now. Also, the Germans are attacking us as consistently as the weather is, trying to find weak places in our line so as to break it, but, thank God, they have not found the place yet, if such a place does exist. I believe we are close to the end, as the Germans are giving themselves up every day, and when we attack they do not stand and fight as they did a year ago, but will drop their guns and run. I think by June or July we will be going back to dear old Canada, and to the West at that, for I came from Calgary.

Now, Mrs. Lynn, please accept my thanks for the socks, and I hope I get back to Canada that I can call and thank you in person.

Will close with best wishes, and may God bless you is the wish of one of the boys at the front.

Yours truly,  
C. W. WETMORE,  
13th Batt. Royal Highlanders, B.E.F.

Rennet, one of the principal ingredients in the manufacture of cheese, has increased in price since the war broke out from \$1.50 to \$5 a gallon.

The commissioners appointed to investigate the origin of the fire which destroyed the parliament building at Ottawa have concluded their investigation. While finding many circumstances connected with the fire which lead to a strong suspicion of incendiarism, the commissioners state that there is nothing in the evidence to justify them in finding that the fire was maliciously set.