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**CUSTOM SAWING**  
We are placing our portable saw-mill at the old Edwards brickyard, on the Longwoods Road, half a mile west of Woodgreen, about the middle of March, for custom sawing. Skidway now ready.—Price & Thomas.

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The 32nd annual meeting of the policy holders of the company will be held in the Town Hall, Appin, on Wednesday, the 21st day of February, 1923, at two o'clock afternoon, to receive the annual report of the officers. The election of two directors in the place of Peter Gardiner and J. G. Lethbridge, the retiring members, who are eligible for re-election, and transaction of any business properly brought before the meeting.  
Dated at Ekfrid, this 30th day of January, 1923.  
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In the Estate of James Glasgow, Late of the Village of Glencoe, in the County of Middlesex, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914," Chapter 121, Section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said James Glasgow, who died on or about the ninth day of October, A. D. 1922, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Peter B. Glasgow and Charles M. Cameron, executors of the last will and testament of the said James Glasgow, deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1923, the said Peter B. Glasgow and Charles M. Cameron will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Peter B. Glasgow and Charles M. Cameron will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

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**DISTRICT AND GENERAL**

Bothwell seed grain and poultry show will be held March 5th to 8th.  
Jack Miner cites proof from personal observations that not only robins but other migratory birds now "winter" in Canada.

The Bell Telephone Company announces that its operators have been instructed to discontinue giving the time of day on and after Monday, February 19.

California has 37,000 licensed real estate agents. One can well imagine that all the land in the state has been divided into orange groves, city lots or health resorts.

A wireless telephone conversation between New York and London, England, has been carried on without undue strain or difficulty. Distance means nothing today to the civilized world.

Eleven relatives in humble circumstances will share in the \$150,000 estate left by Martin Burke, bootlegger, who was murdered in his own doorway in Pittsburgh, Pa., several weeks ago.

Arrangements have been made with the Canadian Passenger Association for reduced rates in the month of June to attempt restoration of the old summer excursions to the Ontario Agricultural College.

A mild epidemic of influenza is visiting Europe and America. Many deaths have occurred in different parts of Canada. In Toronto medical men are of the opinion that the epidemic is on the decline.

James Adkin, of Bothwell, aged 56 years, and totally blind, fell and broke his right hip a few days ago. Twelve years ago Mr. Adkin met with a similar mishap when the same hip was broken at about the same place.

Donald Fletcher, of Mount Brydges, was gored by a maddened bull at his home on Saturday, and is in Victoria Hospital with a fighting chance for his life. Attending physicians say that if infection can be kept down the injured man will live.

A soldiers' memorial committee at Strathroy has asked the town council for a grant of \$5,000 towards the cost of a proposed monument to be erected in honor and in memory of Strathroy's war heroes. The council will submit a by-law to the ratepayers.

While buzzing wood on his farm on the Scotch road near Fingal, John T. Lethbridge, of Southwold, had one of his arms terribly mangled from the wrist to the elbow. His jacket caught in the shaft and he was drawn into the rapidly revolving wheel of the engine.

On the farm of C. Weller at Formosa, Bruce county, a flowing well bubbles up from 500 feet below the ground and spouts a stream 20 feet into the air. The ice-cold geyser of water has been maintained at the same volume for 22 years and shows no signs of abating.

The death occurred at her home in Delisle, Sask., of Miss Gertrude McPhail, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McPhail of that place, and formerly of Alvinston. Deceased was well and favorably known here, having been born and raised in the community. She was in her 26th year.

Directors of Hamilton Chamber of Commerce will make a complaint to Ottawa about the great quantity of dirty Dominion paper money in circulation. It was stated at their meeting that the banks destroyed notes that became dirty, but the Dominion Government was lax in this respect and that such money was a menace to public health.

The Ontario Government appears to be doing a pretty profitable liquor business and therefore is in no position to cast reflections on Quebec. According to information elicited from Attorney-General Raney, in ten months ending October 31, 1922, Government receipts from liquor sales were \$3,452,372, and on the same date the stock on hand was valued at \$784,078.

The barn on the property of Alexander Lindsay, near Woodstock, was destroyed by fire Saturday. A strange man was observed to go into the barn shortly before the fire was discovered. Mrs. Lindsay followed him in and discovering him in the hayloft, ordered him out. He stated he would go as soon as he had lit his pipe. A few minutes afterwards the barn was a mass of flames.

The Forest Free Press has just completed its forty-first year of continuous publication under the management of the present owner and publisher, J. H. Pettypiece. The past eight years have been strenuous ones for newspapers, both in city and country, owing to conditions brought about by the war. During these trying years nine Lambton county papers have ceased publication, leaving only six now in the field. The Free Press is still going strong and well deserves its success.

The Warton Canadian Echo says: Like other citizens Sheriff Jerny attended the fair last fall. He was there with his car. He was crossing over the race track when a speeding or racing event was on. He stopped, then a sulky driven by Arnot came along and there was a collision. The sheriff is being sued for \$120 because of alleged damage to the sulky, harness, etc. The defence, we understand, will take the ground that it was not speeding in the ring at all, but that the sulky was not allowed on a fair ground. The case will be decidedly interesting.

**LETHBRIDGE ABLY DEFENDS DRURY ADMINISTRATION**

Toronto, Feb. 12.—For the first time since Premier Drury arose in the Legislature a week ago to participate in the debate on the address, a Government member took the floor Thursday afternoon to defend the record of the present administration. In a vigorous, fighting speech, J. G. Lethbridge, U.F.O. member for West Middlesex, reviewed the accomplishments of the Drury Government, emphasizing particularly matters of peculiar interest to Ontario farmers. Lacking perhaps a little of the elegance and oratorical polish of the legal and old-time Tory and Liberal members sitting on the opposite side of the House, the speech of Mr. Lethbridge's suffered nothing by way of comparison in the apparent sincerity of statement, and his statements carried conviction. Interrupted on occasions by Hon. G. H. Ferguson and members of the Conservative party, the farmer member more than held his own in cross-floor passages, and won the applause not only of his own group, but, in the end, the hearty congratulations of all the house.

Most of the time he devoted to a review of agricultural conditions and a statement as to his convictions on the present position of the farmers, economic and otherwise. Then he proceeded to a warm defence of the Ontario Temperance Act, declaring that whatever might be said by those advocating change in Ontario's dry laws, the temperance issue was still in politics—placed there not by the Attorney-General or Premier Drury, but by Liberty Leaguers and opponents of temperance law.

Particularly did he protest at what he termed the loose and inaccurate statements of criticism concerning the Government frequently made by opposition leaders and members on party platforms and in the Legislature for political purposes. He appealed to every public man to guard carefully his words on public questions for Ontario electors and particularly the farming element were not to be fooled by half truths and inaccuracies. "We have come, Mr. Speaker," said Mr. Lethbridge, "to the last session of the present parliament. Notwithstanding the fact that there were a great many predictions by our opponents that the present inexperienced bunch on this side of the house were not able to carry on and would only last for a little while, I think this Government has fairly shown that the people that the men behind the plow are able to carry on the affairs of this house."

"I do not know but what we have carried it on a little better than those who have had a great deal of experience," he proceeded. "I doubt if there is a case recorded in history where a Government without a majority—because we are a Government without a majority practically—has carried out its full term. I doubt if there is a case recorded where a Government has carried on three sessions, is going strong, and is likely to go on for years."

Reminding the house that the smallest majority that the present Government had ever had on any vital issue was a majority of thirteen, Mr. Lethbridge predicted that posterity, looking back on 1919-1923, would agree that "a man from Crown Hill, called from the soil to the premier's ship, had assumed the burden of responsibility, with his wonderful ability, with his fairness, his squareness—and they could not defeat him, that is all."

He was amused, he said, at the class of comment forthcoming from the opposite side of the house as to the farming conditions in Ontario. There was one class which said the present Government had failed to do anything for the farmers, notably W. E. N. Sinclair, Liberal, South Ontario, who had a notice of motion standing on the order paper to that effect.

"I want to say, Mr. Speaker, right here," he declared, "that I think I can safely say that we have never had a Minister of Agriculture who has done so much for the farmer as the present Minister of Agriculture. I don't say that as a mere platitude. I say it because I believe it is true. I will give him a little credit for removing the cattle embargo; I will give him credit for doing his very utmost to open up a market for the farmers; for assisting the farmers in putting their produce on the market in the best possible way that they can. He has been doing his very best along these lines."

Then, amidst the laughter and applause of his colleagues of the U. F. O., he contrasted the arguments of the other class of critics which said that the present administration was a class organization, and that its legislative enactments had been designed to benefit only the farmers of Ontario. One criticism, in his opinion, seemed to give its own answer to the other. In connection with platform criticism he also derided still another which said the present movement was the tail-end of the annexation movement of some years ago, and the inference was that the U.F.O. was a disloyal party.

In ringing tones Mr. Lethbridge said he would back the united loyalty of the farmers of Ontario against that of the honorable members sitting opposite, and he ventured the opinion that there were as many service buttons on his side of the house as in opposition benches.

He dealt briefly, too, with a declaration from W. C. Coulter, of the C. M. A., which said that although farmers paid little or no income tax, they were desirous of ruling. The farmer

**DAILY PAPER RENEWALS**  
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was not paying income tax, stated Mr. Lethbridge, simply because he had little income. He proposed to give a few statistical facts regarding agriculture's condition, and he believed that members of the opposition were desirous of seeing agriculture placed on a firm foundation.

Taking experts' reports in Eastern and Western Ontario, Mr. Lethbridge showed that one survey of 385 farms, many of them 200-acre farms, the labor income for the farmer and his family had been only \$760; in 1920 in another group of 165 mixed farms the labor income had been only \$388; and still another showed that on a group of smaller sized farms the farmer and his family were working for a bare existence.

Coming momentarily to Hon. Manning Doherty's immigration policy, the U. F. O. member highly recommended it. Ontario needed immigration, he said, just as Sir Edmund Walker and other notables had argued, but Ontario needed immigrants of just the type that Mr. Doherty was now endeavoring to have brought out here.

Upon O.T.A. matters he vigorously upheld the O.T.A., pledged himself to its support and criticized the efforts of some members of other groups to undermine the law in that regard. He predicted defeat for the Homuth referendum move.

On good roads, he asked opposition critics what remedy they would have proposed for the increasing traffic conditions. No answer was forthcoming. Then he placed a brand new idea before the house by stating his conviction that the provincial roads system of the province ought to be all joined up in one provincial system and free the counties of obligation. Seventy-five per cent. of county traffic, he said, was not local, and a national highways system was in his opinion the fair and efficient way of administration.

**DEATH OF ALEX. S. McDONALD**

Alex. S. McDonald died at his residence in Appin on Monday evening, February 12, in his 77th year.

The deceased leaves a widow, Martha Cornell, who has shared his joys and sorrows for more than a half-century, as well as two sons and two daughters, viz.: Robert C. at Appin; Mrs. Duncan R. McRae, of South Ekfrid; Mrs. Ben Saxton, of Plenty, Sask.; and Hon. Justice D. A. McDonald, of Vancouver.

He was the eldest of a large family, including seven brothers, of whom six survive, viz.: John S. Dan and David, of Appin; Archie B., of Glencoe; William, of Saskatoon; and James V. of Strathroy.

The funeral service will be held at his late residence, Appin, at 1.30, on Thursday, February 15.

**QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING**

At a largely attended meeting of the quarterly board of the Glencoe Methodist church a unanimous invitation was extended to Rev. A. S. Whitehall, pastor, to remain for another year. "The work of the different branches of the church was found in good condition and the finances in fair shape."

The Sunday School has the largest attendance ever recorded in the history of the church here. This is due in great part to the excellent work of the pastor and C. G. Yorkie, B. A., the superintendent.

**DEATH OF MRS. MCBRIDE**

Mrs. McBride, wife of J. D. McBride, storekeeper at Ferguson's Crossing, passed away last Thursday after an illness of pneumonia. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon to Kilmartin cemetery.

**DEATH OF WM. L. WALKER**

The death occurred at the family residence, lot 18, con. 14, Metcalfe, on Sunday, February 11, of Wm. L. Walker, in his 62nd year. Mr. Walker was a prominent farmer and was widely known and highly esteemed. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Kate McLarty of Mosa, and one son, Martin, living at home. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, with service in Burns' church and interment in Kilmartin cemetery.

**WAS FORMERLY OF GLENCOE**

The death occurred at the residence of her daughter in Windsor on Tuesday, February 6th, of Mrs. Archibald McKellar, formerly of Glencoe. She leaves, besides her husband, four sons and two daughters, namely—Dan and William, of Detroit; Mack, of California; Randolph, of Buffalo; Mrs. Lucas, of Windsor, and Mrs. Moody, of Detroit. She is also survived by two brothers—Hector McFarlane, of Boville, Idaho, and John A. McFarlane, of London.

Mrs. McKellar was a daughter of the late Donald McFarlane, who for many years served as a municipal officer in Ekfrid township, being one of the first reeves, and afterwards clerk in the 60s and 70s. Her husband was engaged in the grocery business in Glencoe for a number of years, afterwards living in Detroit.

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