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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### TOWNSHIP OF METCALFE

Public Notice is hereby given that all schools and churches in this municipality where cases of influenza are known to exist must be closed for two weeks from this date, and all public meetings in communities within the municipality where cases of influenza are known to exist are prohibited for the same term.

By order of the Board of Health.  
ROBERT DENNING, Chairman.  
Metcalfe, Oct. 22, 1918.

### COURT OF REVISION

Notice is hereby given that a court will be held, pursuant to The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Middlesex, at the Town Hall in the Village of Newbury on the sixth day of November, 1918, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Newbury for 1918.

Dated the 22nd day of October, 1918.  
C. TUCKER,  
Clerk of the Village of Newbury.

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GLENCOE, ONTARIO, CANADA, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1918.

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## DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Pte. Earl Ramey, an Ekfrid boy, is reported killed in action.  
West Lorne's venerable postmaster, Duncan McKillop, is seriously ill.  
Aldborough council will meet at West Lorne on Monday, Oct. 28th.

Elgin winter fair will be held at West Lorne November 12th to 15th.  
For failing to carry papers, 13 foreigners were fined \$10 and costs each at Sarhia.

A Culross township farmer was fined \$10 and costs for putting a used stamp on a letter.  
Hog cholera is reported to be rapidly making its appearance in and around St. Thomas.

Thomas Dykes has sold his large woods in Aldborough to a Chatham firm for a fancy price.

C. F. Dicker has purchased from Arch. McWilliam lot 11, con. 1, Aldborough, containing 100 acres, for \$6,500.

The Anglican Church has undertaken to raise a quarter of a million dollars by asking Sunday schools to purchase Victory bonds.

A preventive vaccine for influenza has been discovered in Toronto, and already its distribution to Ontario hospitals has commenced.

Signaller F. J. Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke of Bothwell, is reported admitted to hospital, with gunshot wound in the jaw.

Lieut. Matthew Morris Wilson, only son of Matthew Wilson, K. C., of Chatham, was killed in action on the western front on October 10th.

According to the mystic prognostications of an aged seventh daughter at Stratford, the war is doomed to a speedy termination on October 26.

F. E. Meyers, son of Herbert Meyers of Chatham, was killed in action in France recently. He enlisted in a Western battalion and had only been in action about a week.

A consignment of liquor valued at \$500 was seized by the police of London from a freight car in which it was buried among a heap of scrap iron. The consignment was billed to a London foundry.

Strathroy Chautauqua Committee had \$156.07 to the good from the sale of tickets and \$118.37 from sale of refreshments. The proceeds were turned over to the patriotic societies. The Chautauqua people's share was \$2.74.

The Strathroy Creamery made its first shipment of butter for overseas last week. It consisted of a carload and was valued at \$10,000. This year's output will be the greatest in the history of the factory, says The Age.

C. Finlayson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Finlayson of North Bay, Ont., has been awarded the military cross, and has also been recommended for a bar to it, for conspicuous bravery.

The United States authorities have ruled that all newspaper publishers must discontinue sending their papers to persons whose subscriptions have expired. If renewed in advance and the publisher continues sending his paper along, he is liable to lose all his privileges in the mails. A similar ruling is looked for in Canada.

Mr. Gosnell of Highgate, with his wife and three daughters, met with a serious auto accident north of Lawrence, when their car went over an eighteen-foot embankment. Mr. Gosnell, who was driving, was killed. The girls had their arms broken. The second received several broken ribs, while Mrs. Gosnell and the third daughter escaped with severe bruises.

John Campbell died recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. David Carroll, Southwold, at the great age of 93 years. For many years he resided at Cowal, being the last of the pioneers who settled there over sixty years ago. He resided at Middlemills for a number of years before making his home in Southwold. He is survived by four daughters—Mrs. Wm. Carroll, Dunwich; Mrs. David Carroll, Southwold; Mrs. James Cobban, Roseville, Sask.; and Mrs. W. J. Richards, Middlemills.

London Board of Trade last week launched a Greater London campaign. The objective is an organization of 800 members, each of whom will pledge \$25 per annum for three years. The membership campaign will be followed by a systematic plan to give London 100,000 population by 1925. Efforts will be put forward to secure new industries in the after-war period, while a particular effort is to be put forward to keep in London the 50,000 Western Ontario soldiers who will be demobilized there.

It is stated that having for the past four years disregarded the ever-mounting cost of living, so far as providing any control of it is concerned, the Government now contemplates the appointment of a national committee, whose duty it will be to investigate cost of production and distribution of staple commodities, constituting necessities, and to fix prices. The investigation, it is stated, will cover boots and shoes, textiles, staple goods, etc. The United States has already taken effective steps to regulate the prices of a large number of such commodities.

### GLENCOE SOLDIER KILLED

Mrs. J. E. Moore of this place has received official notice that her husband, Pte. J. E. Moore, was killed in action on October 1st. Pte. Moore went overseas with the 135th Battalion and served 17 months in France, being gassed once, on August 1, 1917.

## THE EPIDEMIC

The influenza epidemic which has taken such a large toll during the last two weeks, chiefly in the centres of population, has spread itself over the entire continent, with more or less severity. In Toronto alone since the outbreak there were reported up to noon on Tuesday 623 deaths from the disease and its accompaniment pneumonia.

Quite a few cases have developed in Glencoe and surrounding country, but so far there have been for the most part of a mild type, and prompt preventive measures were taken which lessened to a great degree the chances of contagion.

The provincial medical health officer, Dr. M. Y. Williams, geologist for the Dominion Government, has been passing the highest extent of its energy by Friday of this week.

### HARVESTING SUGAR BEETS

Sugar beets are now being harvested and shipped. The yield is very satisfactory, running from 15 to 18 tons per acre. The contract price is \$9, but this is increased by an prevailing high price of sugar and really amounts to about \$10.50 per ton. The yield and price combine to make handsome returns. This section of country now produces a large quantity of beets.

### DEATH OF MRS. ROSS

The death occurred at the home of her son, Duncan Ross, lot 11, con. 12, Metcalfe, on Wednesday, Oct. 16th, of Janet Ross, widow of the late Alexander Ross, in her 94th year. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon from her son's residence to Burns' church, Mosa, with interment at Kilmartin cemetery.

Mrs. Ross was born in Scotland and had experienced many of the hardships of pioneer life during her residence in Canada. She leaves two sons and two daughters—Duncan Ross of Metcalfe, John Mitchell of Glencoe, Mrs. Norris of Strathroy, and Mrs. J. Campbell, in the West.

### CARADOC POTATO CROP

This season Caradoc will produce probably the largest crop of potatoes ever known in the township. It will undoubtedly have the biggest yield in years. This is the opinion of an extensive grower, who was asked for information concerning the outlook for Caradoc. Despite the alarming reports heard this summer the Caradoc potato crop has matured splendidly, and an extraordinarily large yield is assured. The dealers are buying and shipping large quantities. They are paying the farmers about \$1.50 per bag at present.—Strathroy Age.

### DIED AT RIDGETOWN

Mrs. Broughton McDonald, one of the early settlers of Howard township, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Watterworth, Ridgetown, on October 18th. Mrs. McDonald had been in poor health for some months, but her death was hastened by an attack of influenza. The deceased, who was aged 75 years, was born in Nova Scotia, coming to Aldborough township with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McLean, in 1851. In 1863 she married the late Broughton McDonald, the young couple taking up residence on the 5th concession of Howard, where they lived until 1900, when they retired and moved to Ridgetown. On the death of Mr. McDonald a few years ago Mrs. McDonald went to live with her daughter, Mrs. Watterworth. She is survived by one son and four daughters—Kenneth in Saskatchewan, Mrs. Thomas Price of Zone township, Mrs. William Howie of Wingham, Mrs. William Cadmore of Howard and Mrs. John Watterworth of Ridgetown. John McLean of Glencoe is a brother. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. George Weir.

### SAVED BY MIRROR

A woman's hand mirror was the means of saving 30 lives from the torpedoed liner Galway Castle. Among the survivors on a raft was a woman who took from her handbag a small mirror and suggested that one of the sailors should make heliographic signals. The attempt was made and the signals brought up a destroyer at full speed, which took off the survivors from the raft as well as a number of sailors clinging to wreckage.

### JOHN P. GRIGG DEAD

A Stettler, Alberta, paper says:—Sheriff John Phillip Grigg, who had been lingering for some time with Bright's disease, died on October 10th in the Stettler hospital.

Mr. Grigg was born in Mt. Brydges, Middlesex county, Ontario, in 1851. He had always taken a prominent part in public affairs, and in all positions of trust gave entire satisfaction. In 1892 he was elected a member of the Caradoc township council, Middlesex county. In 1894 he was appointed second deputy reeve of the township, and two years later was made first deputy reeve and also a member of the county council, which consisted of forty-six members. In 1898 he was again elected member of the county council and served six years. In 1903 the highest position within the gift of the county was conferred upon him, that of warden of Middlesex county. In 1906 Mr. Grigg moved to Stettler and was appointed on the first council of the town of Stettler. August, 1909, he was elected mayor, in which capacity he acted for three years, when he refused to be re-nominated. In September, 1914, he was appointed sheriff, which office he held until his death.

## MORE GOOD WELLS

Development of the Mosa oil field goes on apace, and big money is being made by the oil interests. How long it will continue is rather matter, but as yet there appears to be no let-up to the extent of production. On the contrary, while some of the first wells have ceased production, others are being brought in to replace them.

Last week a good well was brought in on the Quick farm by the Castle Oil Company, and one on the Carswell farm by the company represented by Mr. Wilson. On Tuesday a well that promises to be a large producer was brought in on the Livingston farm, south half lot 10 in the fifth concession, by the Middlesex Oil Company, of which John G. Best of Kansas City, Missouri, is manager and one of the largest shareholders. It is being tested with a two-inch pump and is said to be good for one hundred barrels per day.

That local people are not being urged to invest in the field is a good indication that oil operators who are close in the game have confidence in the field. Dr. M. Y. Williams, geologist for the Dominion Government, has been here for some days making a thorough inspection of the field.

The Castle Oil Company have a big development program they purpose carrying out, which calls for the sinking of a large number of wells on its Mosa properties and the proving up of its holdings at Shetland and Wyoming. Some of their new wells will go down to a depth of 2,000 feet.

### BIG STOCK SALE

D. D. Graham, North Glencoe, had a very large sale of live stock on Wednesday of last week when nearly two hundred head of pigs, sheep and cattle were sold. There was a good attendance of people, considering the busy time, and the bidding at times was very brisk and well maintained for the large amount of stock that was sold. Two steer calves of Mr. Graham were sold for \$44 apiece; cows from \$72 to \$150; yearling steers from \$62 to \$77, and two-year-old heifers from \$80 to \$92. The proceeds totalled to within a trifle of \$10,000.

Mr. Graham is one of the largest live stock dealers in the western part of Middlesex, and for several years has made this sale an annual event. Messrs. McTaggart & McIntyre wielded the hammer with their usual efficiency.

### VICTORY LOAN ORGANIZATION

A meeting was held in the council chamber on Thursday evening of last week for the purpose of organizing Glencoe for the Victory Loan campaign.

Reeve A. J. Wright was appointed chairman and A. E. Sutherland secretary of the meeting. Among those present were Messrs. Watson, Dampier, Quant and Brent, divisional organizers. The chairman outlined the purposes of the meeting, and the organizers gave some details of the work to be done, for which it was necessary to appoint two canvassers and a publicity committee and advisory committee to handle the campaign for the sale of Victory Bonds during the three weeks beginning October 23 and ending November 16. It was pointed out that in the last Victory Loan campaign Glencoe's objective was placed at \$25,000 and the total sales of bonds in the municipality reached \$77,600. For the coming campaign the allotment was \$70,000. In the campaign an "Honor Flag" is to be presented to each municipality as soon as its objective is reached.

The following appointments were then made for Glencoe:—  
Canvassers—J. E. Roome and Alex. McAlpine.  
Publicity committee—A. J. Wright, A. E. Sutherland, J. N. Currie and J. E. Roome.  
Advisory committee—James Poole and W. A. Hagerty.

### PTE. ERROL RAMEY KILLED

Official notice has been received by Thomas Ramey of North Ekfrid that his son, Pte. Errol Ramey, was killed in action on October 1. Ramey enlisted in February, 1916, and went overseas with the 135th Battalion. He was later transferred to another battalion, with which he was serving when he was killed. His only brother, Stanley, is now serving in France with the American expeditionary forces.

### AVIATOR VISITS GLENCOE

Ralph Smith of Omaha, Nebraska, who is the chief testing aviator of the United States Government, was in Glencoe last Thursday night and part of Friday. Mr. Smith is now located in Detroit testing Liberty motors after they are installed in aeroplanes. On the 14th of July last he flew over Niagara Falls and under the steel arch bridge and through the gorge in order to test the air currents at the Falls. Mr. Smith is interested in the Middlesex Oil Company and expects to fly to Glencoe in the near future. He was a guest while in Glencoe at the home of Wm. R. Sutherland.

### TIME CHANGES NEXT SUNDAY

On Saturday night next the fast time adopted as a daylight saving measure will cease to be in vogue. Clocks will be set back for one hour and normal time will again be recognized as official commencing at midnight between Saturday and Sunday.

There are many people who praise God from whom all blessings flow and then proceed to waste them.

## DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE

Meetings every Tuesday night and Thursday afternoon during this month for hospital work and soldiers' field supplies.

The regular Tuesday evening meetings postponed until further notice. Work will be given out at McRae Hall Thursday and Saturday at 4 p. m.

The Christmas boxes will be packed Friday. All donations must be sent in by that time.

### HEALTH BOARD TAKES ACTION

At a meeting of the Glencoe Board of Health and the High and Public Schools boards held on Thursday in the office of Dr. Walker, medical health officer, it was decided as a preventive against the spread of influenza to issue an order closing schools, churches, pool room, places of entertainment, etc., where more than ten people are likely to gather, and a proclamation was issued to that effect. It was also urged upon the parents to see that their children are kept on their own premises and away from the post office, railway station and public buildings.

In consequence of the proclamation the schools have been closed and all public gatherings announced have been cancelled. There were no services in churches last Sunday, nor will there be next Sunday unless the order is in the meantime revoked.

This action by the authorities is generally commended, as it is believed that it will do much towards checking the spread of the prevailing epidemic.

### DEATH OF MRS. HAGERTY

The death occurred at Rochester, Minnesota, on Tuesday of Mrs. Hagerty, widow of the late Dan Hagerty of Mosa, in her 62nd year.

Mrs. Hagerty had been in ill health for some time and left a week or two ago to undergo a surgical operation at the Mayo Institute in Rochester. Shortly after arriving there she developed influenza, to which she succumbed.

Mrs. Hagerty was formerly Miss Caroline Mulholland of Newbury and leaves two daughters and two sons—Mrs. Andrew Gardiner and Mrs. Arch. Graham of Mosa; Wm. A., councillor, Glencoe, and Bert at home. Her husband died on the 18th of February last.

The funeral will be held from the Grand Trunk depot, Glencoe, to Oakland cemetery on Thursday on arrival of the noon train.

### GLENCOE BOY WOUNDED

Tuesday's casualty list reports the dangerous wounding in thigh and side of Captain George S. McCreery, son of the late S. J. McCreery, a former well-known business man of Glencoe. Capt. McCreery was born at Glencoe and for some years had been living in the West, where he enlisted.

### GLENCOE BOY WOUNDED

A Western paper says:—"A cable has been received to the effect that Pte. W. C. Squire, who went overseas with the 23rd Battalion, has been admitted to a hospital in France, suffering from a gunshot wound in the chest. Pte. Squire, who formerly resided at 4079 Fraser avenue, was employed at Kirk's wood and coal yard prior to his enlistment, and was very popular in business circles. He was in action with the 7th Battalion when wounded and had been on active service since March of this year.

Pte. Squire is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Squire of Glencoe and had been living in the West for some time before enlisting. His parents received a letter from him while he was in a Canadian hospital in England on September 26th in which he says he was over in France for seven months and went 'over the top' five times, finally getting shot in the right side. Speaking of some of his experiences he says:—"I remember when I was home and dad used to pray and tell us there was a heaven and a hell. Well, I believe there is a heaven in another world, but hell is over in France, and I went through it myself. May God soon end this war."

### GLENCOE HIGH SCHOOL

The second meeting of the literary society was held on Thursday, Oct. 17th, and the following program given: Instrumental, Hazel McAlpine; vocal solo, Cleo Sutton; reading, Frances Moss; instrumental, Lizzie Grant; reading of the Oracle, Ernest McKellar; impromptu speeches by several of the pupils. The roll call was responded to by quotations from Shakespeare. The critic's report was given by Miss Dykes. Meeting closed with the National Anthem.

### PTE. W. BEER KILLED

Official word was received by Jacob Beer, Metcalfe township, that his son, Pte. Walter Beer, had been killed in action. Pte. Beer went overseas with the 135th Battalion. Before enlisting he was with his father on the farm, and was learning telegraphy at the Grand Trunk station in Kerwood.