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In the Matter of the Estate of Ophelia Elizabeth Webster Wilson, late of the Town of Glencoe in the County of Middlesex, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 56 of Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above mentioned Ophelia Elizabeth Webster Wilson, who died on or about the twenty-seventh day of November, 1919, at the said Town of Glencoe in the County of Middlesex in the Province of Ontario, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned Administrator or to the Solicitor of the estate of the said Ophelia Elizabeth Webster Wilson, deceased, on or before the 16th day of March, 1920, their names and addresses with full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly verified by affidavit.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 16th day of March, 1920, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons 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 estate or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not then have received notice.

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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Another increase in the price of gasoline is predicted.

A Providence, R. I., woman, deserted and destitute in New York, offered to sell her baby for \$1,000.

It is claimed New York schools are so short of teachers that 50,000 children are sent home each week.

Strathroy municipality has an overdraft of \$21,000. This has been accumulating for a number of years.

A western United States cold storage company acknowledges there is more food stored now than ever before.

Hon. W. E. Roney, attorney-general in the Provincial Cabinet, was elected by acclamation in East Wellington on Monday.

Any person who sneezes more than once in a Manitoba, Mich., theatre must be ejected, the health department ruled.

Recent statistics show that Germany has a big excess of women over men. To each 1,000 men there are now 1,155 women.

In China the doctor is paid for keeping his patients well, not for coaxing their bodies back to health after they have been stricken.

A Chicago and Detroit syndicate paid \$250,000 for 650 acres of land along the banks of the River St. Clair near Sarnia last week.

Charles W. Rundle, who retired to Alvinston last fall from Brooke township, died of influenza pneumonia last week, in his 75th year.

Farmers of the United States are seething with discontent over the recent big profits taken by middlemen between them and the consumer.

The Dominion Government will pay 40 per cent. of the costs of the new provincial highways, the province of Ontario 42 per cent. and each municipality 18 per cent.

The Bank of England has the right to sell beer without a license. This privilege was granted to the bank in its charter of incorporation under date of July 27, 1894.

John Watkins, returned soldier of Roscoe, Sask., has been sentenced to hang on April 26th for the murder of A. Purcell (formerly of Rodney) and H. Brand by shooting them down with a rifle.

The death of Dannie McDonald, Dawn took place in a London hospital. He was a son of the late Neil McDonald and was about 12 years of age. He was operated on for appendicitis, dying in the operation.

George Stoneshill, the Indian sniper found frozen to death near his home at Moravia, Ont., had been drinking heavily of a medicated wine at Bothwell, and his death was due to intoxication, so the coroner's jury found.

During the coming session of the Dominion Parliament an attempt will be made to have the Canada Temperance Act amended so that prohibition will not go into effect in any provincial area until a referendum on the question shows a three-fifths majority in favor of the bone-dry regime.

The suggestion by the Aymer Express subscriber that the 128 widows and spinsters who are householders in that town should double up in the house question and thus release some 64 houses to meet the requirements of those seeking homes, is feared will not be received in the way the subscriber wishes.

One hundred carefully selected lazzies are being brought from Scotland to Ontario by the Ontario Government to be trained for nursing work in the provincial institutions. The first party of 50 will sail from Scotland on the S. S. Metagama on March 2nd, and another party of 50 will follow on the 19th on the Cassandra.

Canadian officials report that Canada is taking more precautions since the war than before in the matter of excluding all undesirable aliens. Agents have been sent to European ports to educate the people there up on the qualifications required to pass into the Dominion, the aim being to halt undesirable before they buy their tickets for this country.

The national conference of educationists in session at Ottawa agreed with the Winnipeg convention ideas, first that the Federal Government be asked to adopt a distinctive Canadian flag, and secondly that an appropriate function be held once a year, preferably on Dominion Day, for the public reception in Canadian citizenship of those who have met all the conditions of naturalization.

A Canadian magazine, in its February issue, is authority for the statement that, while in the year 1912 only 35 ounces of cocaine and 1,523 ounces of morphine were imported into Canada, last year we imported 12,333 and 30,000 ounces, respectively, of these deadly drugs. Have we swept our nation's house of one devil and garished it thereafter, only to find seven other devils more wicked than the first entering in and taking possession?

Depositors of the Farmers Bank, which closed its doors ten years ago, met in Toronto this week and decided to make another effort to obtain compensation from the Federal Government for their losses sustained in the crash. They take the ground that the charter was obtained by fraud, and that they were denied the protection accorded the public by the bank act, owing to the negligence of the Government, and therefore they should be recompensed.

The Great War Veterans' Association had 167 local branches in February, 1919. Today, one year later, it has 761 branches—an increase of 594.

THE ARMENIAN FUND

The Transcript acknowledges the following donations to the Armenian Fund:
Previously acknowledged..... \$264.25
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Innes..... 5.00
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FIELD CROP COMPETITION

At a recent meeting of the Mosa & Ekfrid Agricultural Society it was decided to enter the field crop competition with two crops—fall wheat and white oats. Also that an effort be made to have the schools of Ekfrid and Mosa unite and hold their school fair in conjunction with the fall fair. Committees were appointed to canvass the different school sections and the hope is that they will meet with every success.

DEATH OF EKFRID PIONEER

The death of Mrs. Catharine Duncan occurred at the residence of her son, Archibald Duncan, township of Westminster, on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Duncan was the widow of the late Peter Duncan and was in her 86th year. She and her husband were among the pioneers of the township of Ekfrid. Mrs. Duncan having been born on lot 20, Longwoods Road, and her husband coming to the township from Scotland when quite young. Mrs. Duncan is survived by a family of three sons and two daughters—Gilbert of Ekfrid, Alexander of Glencoe, Archibald of Westminster, Mrs. Hugh McAlpine of Thamesville and Mrs. McBean of Glencoe. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Hugh McAlpine of Ekfrid, and one brother, Duncan McEachren of Tait's Corners.

The funeral will take place from the Grand Trunk station at Glencoe on Thursday on the arrival of the train due at 12:35, and interment will be in the Eddie cemetery.

DEATH OF CLIFFORD SQUIRE

The death occurred at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Squire, Glencoe, on Sunday morning of James Clifford Squire, aged 20 years, after a lingering illness from the effects of the flu. Mr. Squire prior to his illness had lived in St. Thomas and was well known there. The funeral service took place from the residence of his brother, David Squire, Glencoe, on Monday afternoon at five o'clock, conducted by Rev. Mr. Garbutt, pastor of the Methodist church. The remains were taken to Alvinston on Monday evening and burial took place there on Tuesday morning at ten o'clock in Alvinston cemetery.

He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his parents, two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Watts of Alvinston, five brothers and five sisters—David, Albert and Arthur of Glencoe, W. C. of Vancouver, Wesley of London, Mrs. Ferg. Huston of Dutton, Mrs. James Earhart and Mrs. Myrtle Moore of St. Thomas and Misses Edna and Della at home.

His widow and her relatives were unable to attend the service here owing to illness in the home.

LONDON FUNERALS DELAYED

Owing to the scarcity of cabs in London, Ont., many funerals have had to be postponed lately, and those which have been held have taken place at times convenient to local livery men. As a result a number of funerals have taken place in the morning or in the late afternoon.

One local undertaker pointed out that there have been on an average about twelve funerals each day during the past week, whereas in normal times there are only two or three daily. Relatives have had to make their funeral arrangements whenever sufficient cabs could be obtained and this has meant that morning and late afternoon funerals have been quite common recently.

ONTARIO RURAL SCHOOL FAIRS

During the year 1919 the Ontario Department of Agriculture, through its agricultural representatives, distributed seeds and eggs to 78,346 pupils in 3,278 rural schools of the province. R. S. Duncan, B. S. A., writing in the Agricultural Gazette for January, states that the following quantities were distributed:—1,890 bushels of potatoes, 432 bushels of grain, 12,575 packages of root seeds, 30,700 packages of vegetable seeds, 21,900 packages of flower seeds and 11,045 dozens of eggs of a bred-to-lay strain of Barred Plymouth Rocks. These figures give some idea of the magnitude of the school fair movement in Ontario.

The first school fair was organized in 1909 with three schools taking part. Ten years later 357 rural school fairs were held in the province and the pupils had 69,848 home plots and made 11,523 entries. It is estimated that about 250 people saw the first school fair in which 58 pupils took part, while last fall 92,600 children and 107,500 adults attended the school fairs in Ontario. This is truly a wonderful growth.

OIL PRODUCTION LAST YEAR

The oil production in Western Ontario last year shows a considerable increase over 1918 and totals 220,100 barrels. Petrolia and Enniskillen led with 70,087 barrels. Now, township coming next with 45,859 barrels, Oil Springs 45,244 barrels, Bothwell 29,424 and Tilbury 15,365 barrels. Dutton field produced 1,272 barrels.

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A STEADY WINTER

An exchange says:—Sunday concluded twelve weeks of straight winter weather, the longest winter in the history of Western Ontario, without a single day of high temperature or of thaw or rain; one straight through winter of cold all throughout December; both cold and constant snow throughout January and February so far. There never was a winter known to the oldest resident that did not have some kind of rain or thaw in December and in January; but this winter, so far, has been without a single break in the regularity and severity of the winter. There was a number of days in December and in January when the mercury was well below zero. Apparently a break in the winter is now in sight and a thaw may come any day.

INTERESTED VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Stinson, who have been visiting in Middlemarch with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Welter, and at West Lorne and Glencoe, have returned to their home in Hargrave, Alberta. Mr. Stinson was born in Glencoe and Mrs. Stinson in Aldborough. They have been away from the district for the past 35 years; and were very interested in the advancement of the district.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

DIED IN VICTORIA, B. C.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Jane Bavis at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B. C., on January 27. Mrs. Bavis was a native of Holland, but resided in England for a number of years where the family was born. She came to Canada 24 years ago and lived in Glencoe until four years ago, when she went to British Columbia. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, January 29, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and many friends attended the service, conducted by Rev. Thos. Baynes. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Hiding in Thee." The pallbearers were J. H. McConnell, V. Rasmussen, H. Jacques and E. White. Interment was made at Ross Bay cemetery. She is survived by three sons, Dr. W. E. Bavis of Sidney, Bertram of New Brunswick and John Henry of London, and two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Stinson of Glencoe and Mrs. Alfred Turner of Blenheim.

BOY KILLED WHILE AT PLAY

Strathroy, Feb. 21.—Archie Ballantyne, nine-year-old son of George Ballantyne, 5th concession of Caradoc, was instantly killed while playing about a strawstack with his three young sisters. The stack, which was on the south side of the barn, was covered with a crust of snow and ice, which became dislodged, falling on two of the children. The lad was instantly killed, and his sister, Helen, aged five, injured.

Householders are being warned to lay in a supply of matches as a shortage is anticipated. Can you wonder at it, considering the price of lumber? The Toronto Mail and Empire points out that the present cold winter and the many deaths from the flu and pneumonia tend to explode the old theory that a "green Christmas makes a fat graveyard."

FIND STEAMER LONG BURIED

Dredging Operations in the Mersey Disclose Remains of Vessel That Had Been Forgotten.

For some time past the Mersey docks and harbor board has been conducting dredging operations in the neighborhood of the Burbo bank, one of the huge accumulations of sand which impede the navigation of the Mersey entrance, and these operations resulted in a "find" of remarkable interest.

It is the remains of a steamer which have evidently been embedded for generations. Her date is long anterior to that of iron shipbuilding. Of sound English oak were her timbers and framing, to which circumstances doubtless is due the fact that they still retain cohesion and shape, and have so wonderfully resisted the forces of decay as to supply an abundant quantity of material for the souvenir manufacturer. Her beams, in point of fact, are described as being as "hard as iron."

The machinery has practically perished, but the engine bed-plates and the funnel remain, and relics of pottery and other articles are plentiful. The vessel, cleared of superabundant sand, is not only visible, but accessible at low water, and has been visited and examined by many interested people.

The prevailing opinion is that she is the William Huskisson, a paddle steamer belonging to the City of Dublin company, and trading between Liverpool and the Irish capital, which on the 12th of January, 1840, was wrecked on her passage to the Mersey. She had 120 passengers on board, of whom 95 were rescued by the ship Huddersfield, and the remainder perished. Captain Clegg of the Huddersfield subsequently received handsome presentations from the citizens of Liverpool in recognition of his good work.—Manchester Guardian.

Wedding cake boxes at The Transcript office.