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DAILY PAPER RENEWALS
The Transcript office handles new subscriptions and renewals for the daily papers at a saving to the subscriber.

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Kintyre Garden Party

The 61st anniversary of Kintyre Presbyterian Church will be held on August 6, 1922. Rev. A. R. McRae, of Glen Morris, will speak at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Monday, August 7th

The annual garden party will be held. Baseball game, Kintyre vs. Turin at 4 p. m. Supper as usual 6.30 to 8.30. An entirely new program will be given by the following artists:—Troubadour Octette consisting of Imperial Male Quartette; Lyric Ladies' Quartette; Miss Westland, reader; Louch Brothers, Hawaiian players, and Miss Nellie Heard, violinist. Supper and concert, admission 60c and 25c.



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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

The average cost per mile for highway construction in the United States is \$17.120.

A youth of St. Thomas paid a fine of \$10 and costs for driving a car, being under 18 years of age.

John Atkinson, garage owner, of West Lorne, had his leg fractured and his head bruised while attempting to crank a car with his foot.

Eleven out of twenty-nine public school teachers who have tendered their resignations to the Hamilton board have done so to get married.

Inside a week two babies at Youngstown, O., were strangled to death when their heads became caught between the bars of their cribs.

The death occurred recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Adam Armstrong, in Detroit, of Thomas Hands, a former well-known resident of Euphemis township.

Near Springfield a farmer's binder which had been left standing in the field was literally stripped by thieves, the knife, canvas, gears and various other parts being taken.

The work is proceeding at London, Ontario, of installing underground conduits in the business section for the purpose of placing hydro-electric and telegraph wires underground.

Miss Ruth Evans, an attractive high-salaried New York stenographer, committed suicide because she bobbed her hair in the prevailing mode and afterwards regretted the act.

At Bothwell Arthur Boon had a leg fractured while drawing hay at the home of Lew Sullivan. The horses became frightened at the mower, when taking in the last load of hay.

Figures submitted at the Masonic Grand Lodge at Port Arthur show a membership this year of 94,500 compared with 88,000 last year, an increase of 6,500. The number of lodges is 525.

Warren Green, a prosperous farmer of Howard township, near Ridgeway, lost five pigs and most of their contents by fire caused by the back-firing of a gasoline engine used for pumping water.

An epidemic of infantile paralysis has broken out at Hamilton and Brantford. Doctors are divided in opinion as to whether the disease is caused by impure milk or from fifth carried by the common house fly.

The ratepayers of a school section near Chesley are considering the advisability of closing the school. For two years the school has been attended, and the cost per year was about \$1,200, or \$240 for each pupil.

Because of the great loss of life and property damage by fire during the past decade, the Ontario Government by proclamation is calling upon all citizens to exercise special care and to observe October 9 as Fire Prevention Day.

The new provincial law which gives the wives and husbands of property owners the right to vote in municipal elections will cause the addition of 8,000 names to the Toronto voters' list. The new act does not become effective until 1924.

An association has been formed by representatives of several of the municipalities interested to promote and have designated a scenic provincial highway along the river and lake from Windsor to Owen Sound to be known as the "Blue Water" highway.

Automobile markers for Ontario for 1922 are likely to be of the same general design and specifications as those in use this year, with the exception that the present black letters on a white ground will be reversed to white figures on a black ground.

John McLean, one of the oldest settlers of Dunwich township, died recently at the home of his daughter in Detroit. Mr. McLean was in his 88th year and was born in Greenoch, Scotland. He came to Canada with his parents in 1842, settling on what was then the blaze trail, but now the Currie road, in Dunwich.

Bootlegging in cigarettes is the latest industry to spring up. Since the recent excise duties were placed upon tobacco by the Dominion Government, cigarettes have gone up in price in this country. Some of the smokers are feeling the pinch and some enterprising individuals have conceived the idea of bringing over cigarettes from the States and selling them at reduced prices and still making a profit, there being no excise duties on the smokers in the States. The customs authorities, however, are keeping a close watch on the smugglers, and when a man pulls out a package of American cigarettes these days he is very apt to be called upon to give an account of where he procured it.

WOULD ABOLISH EXAM FEES

That approximately \$4,000 was paid in fees by pupils writing in the various departmental examinations at London during the recent closing exercises in the lower, middle and upper schools is a fact of considerable interest. The discovery made following a tabulation of the amounts received. In view of the fact that the fees are rather an expensive item, and as the money is expended solely on payment of examiners and other incidental expenses, an effort is to be made shortly by London and other Western Ontario municipalities to have the department at Toronto abolish the fee system and pay all expenses out of the provincial treasury.

TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

Reported Cut in Hydro Rates Lacks Confirmation

There is no official confirmation of the report published in the daily press of a substantial reduction in hydro rates to take effect from July 1st last; in which Glencoe would benefit to the extent of 25 per cent. in domestic and commercial charges and \$5 a year for each street light.

While the report was a stirring bit of good news, unfortunately there is reason to say it is unreliable. Why such a statement should find its way into print is a matter for conjecture. According to Engineer Gaby, there can be no reduction in the rates until the end of the second fiscal year on October 1st next.

That Glencoe is in line for a reduction in hydro rates there can be no doubt, but the statement published in the daily press and attributed to Sir Adam Beck is premature, to say the least. In the meantime Glencoe is billed for July at the old rate by the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission.

A DAY AT SPRINGBANK

Glencoe Sunday Schools Enjoy Their Annual Outing

The annual picnic of the Glencoe Sunday Schools was held at Springbank Park on Wednesday, July 26. The weather was ideal, there was a large turn out, and a splendid time was reported. The trip to and from the park in automobiles was a pleasing one for the children and was no less enjoyed by the adults. After lunch a program of sports was carried out, with cash prizes to winners in the various events. The awards were as follows, in order of merit:—

Running Races

Boys 5 years and under—Ronald Whitehall, John A. McKellar, Wm. Lethbridge, Archie McMurphy.
Girls 5 years and under—Kathleen Graham, Eileen George, Rena Whitehall, Jean Lethbridge, Clarence Squire, Duncan McMurphy, Bert Ewing.

Girls 7 years and under—Mary Mitchell, Kathleen Ewing, Meta Dotter, Mae Backlock.
Boys 9 years and under—Jack Bradford, Edwin Gould, Nelson Foster, Ralph Ewing.

Girls 9 years and under—Mercedes Heal, Lorene Best, Jean Keith, Jean Strachan.
Boys 11 years and under—Gordon McEachern, Roy Munford, Campbell Miller, Robert McCallum.

Girls 11 years and under—Helen Cartledge, Eleanor Squire, Ethel McAlpine, Mercedes Heal.
Boys 13 years and under—Gordon McEachern, Tom Hillman, Clarence Sutherland, Albert Young.

Girls 13 years and under—Agnes Squire, Eleanor Squire, Eliza McDonald, Lila McCallum.
Boys 15 years and under—Gordon McDonald, Lowell Best, Tom Hillman, Albert Young.

Girls 15 years and under—Lila McCallum, Alma Watts, Donna McAlpine, Eliza McDonald.
Men's free-for-all—Chester Bechill, R. D. McDonald, Jake Weaver.

Ladies' free-for-all—Donna McAlpine, Lila McCallum, Alma Watts, Emma Rycraft.
Officials' race—Chester Bechill, Jake Weaver, Will Hagerty.

Three-legged Races
Boys 12 years and under—Roy Munford and Jack McCallum, Tom Hillman and Clarence Sutherland, Alvin Hagerty and Charles George.
Girls 12 years and under—Eliza McDonald and Ethel McAlpine, Florence McKellar and Bernice Hurley, Brookes Heal and Lorene Best.

Boys 12 to 15 years—Gordon McDonald and Charles George, Jack McCallum and Roy Munford, Alvin Hagerty and Fred George.

Girls 12 to 15 years—Lila McCallum and Donna McAlpine, Wanita Hurley and Eliza McDonald.
Boys over 15 years—Chester Bechill and R. D. McDonald, Charles George and Gordon McDonald.

Wheelbarrow Races
Boys and Girls—Albert Squire and Eleanor Squire, Gordon McDonald and Eliza McDonald, Lillian Hagerty and Alvin Hagerty.

Boys—Albert Squire and Bill Ramsey, Lowell Best and Robert McKellar, Gordon McDonald and Charles George.

The Ontario Creameries of London, of which J. R. Hagerty is the representative, Glencoe, treated the children to a serving of ice cream during the afternoon. It is needless to say that this contribution to the enjoyment of the day was acknowledged with hearty cheers.

A baseball game between two picked Glencoe nines was a feature of the entertainment. The score was even enough to make the play throughout decidedly interesting.

JUNIOR LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost
Florence	6	3
Glencoe	5	3
Thamesville	4	5
Bothwell	2	7

R. Hawkins, of Windhorst, Sask., has invented a machine for crushing grasshoppers between rapidly revolving rollers.

LIGHTNING CAUSES FIRE

James Simpson Loses House and Part of Its Contents

The frame dwelling house of James Simpson, just across the river, in Aldborough, was struck by lightning about four o'clock on Monday, afternoon and completely destroyed, together with a portion of the contents.

Following a loud thunder clap, Mrs. Simpson, who was alone in the house, detected a sulphurous odor and searched the house indoors to see if there was any indication of fire. Finding none she went outside and discovered the gable end of the roof to be in flames. She called her husband and son from the barn and with the assistance of neighbors who were soon on hand they did their best to quench the fire but were unsuccessful. Attention was then turned to saving the contents of the house, and most of the furniture and other articles on the ground floor were safely removed, but nearly all the contents of the upper rooms were destroyed—bedroom suites and clothing, including all the winter wear.

The house was a fine frame dwelling and its destruction is a serious loss to the family. Altogether an insurance of only \$700 was carried, which is less than one-quarter of the loss. The four children of the family were not in the house at the time and it is fortunate that no one was injured by the lightning flash.

GLENCOE
CHAUTAUQUA
AUG. 14-17
FOUR DAYS

BASEBALL IN MIDDLESEX

Delaware and Walkers, Winners of West and North Riding Series, to Play Off for County Championship

A meeting of the baseball leagues of West and North Middlesex was held at the McKellar House on Monday evening to arrange a schedule of games to decide the winners of the Drummond-Hodgins county cup.

Delaware having been declared winners of the Lethbridge cup for West Middlesex and Walkers the winners of the Brown cup for North Middlesex, it is up to these two teams to play off for the county cup. Five games will be played (unless decided sooner by 3 games in 6) as follows:—At Delaware August 7, at Walkers August 11, at Delaware August 18, at Walkers August 25 and final game at Appin August 31.

Games start at four o'clock. Harry Singleton, editor of The Atlas, Craig Banner and president of the county league, will umpire the games. The secretary is Dugald Walker, of Walkers.

METCALFE PIONEER PASSES

The death occurred on Tuesday, July 25th, of Daniel Taylor, a well-known and highly-respected veteran citizen of Metcalfe township. Mr. Taylor was in his 84th year, and death was due to growing infirmities of old age. He was a native of Metcalfe, and spent the whole of his long life in the community where he was born. He was one of the few remaining pioneers to whom the present generation owes so much for the wonderful heritage they enjoy today. His wife, who shared with him the joys and privations incident to life in the early days of the township, when little else but virgin forest prevailed, and neighbors were comparatively few and far between, and who helped to hew out a home from the wilderness, passed on before about twelve years ago. Mr. Taylor was one of a large family, and is survived by four brothers: William and George, of Tilbury; John of Morpeth, and Elias, of Petrolia. He also leaves five sons and one daughter: John W., of Kerwood; Robert of Morpeth; Leonard, of Strathroy, and Albert and Thomas H. of Metcalfe, and Mrs. James Towers, of Metcalfe, from whose residence the funeral was held Thursday afternoon to Strathroy cemetery.

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CHAUTAUQUA HAS WORLD INFLUENCE

Its Origin and Growth Makes Interesting History

The history of the rise and growth of Chautauqua is a most interesting story of sticking-at-it in the face of many difficulties and setbacks. In spite of indifference, and because of its genuine merit, it is now a world-wide influence and factor. Last year in Canada alone there were 1,945 Chautauquas, and this year Ontario's share will be 105. To cover this large number of stands there are two separate and distinct circuits working entirely independent of each other. The stands are 4 or 6 day-stops, according to size of the place, and the fact that almost two million people attended the Chautauqua series last year attests the growing popularity of the course. Chautauqua is not a money-making proposition. It has many objects, largely ideal in their way, and the common behind the movement could, with the same investment and organization in other fields, acquire wealth very rapidly. Instead they adhere to their hobby and belief, and find that taking the ups and downs as they come, the downs out-weigh the advances. Canada is an instance of this phase of the work. Chautauqua has now been five years operating in Canada, and so far the deficit over receipts amounts to \$27,000. This would have to be made clear of expenses in this or succeeding years before the management would even clear themselves, much less show a profit.

Circuits which are now touring America will in September be transferred to Australia and New Zealand, many of the more prominent artists accompanying the organization as they are now definitely identified with the movement. The Glencoe series comes for August 14, 15, 16 and 17, and the entertainers are of a very high standard. A meeting of the committee was held last night and final arrangements made for the sale of course tickets. Of these there are 350, which the committee are responsible for the sale of, before any part of the proceeds comes to the fund for the public library. Tickets for the full course are \$20 for adults and \$11.00 for children. They must be purchased before the course opens, as none but single admissions are sold after that time, and course tickets are much less than the cost of all entertainments if purchased separately.

DEATH OF MRS. ALEX. STUART

Mrs. Rose Stuart received a wire yesterday morning giving news of the death on Tuesday in the home at Edmonton of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma Stuart, widow of the late Alexander Stuart, K.C., whose death occurred a few weeks ago. Mrs. Stuart was well known in Glencoe where she resided for a number of years both before and after her marriage. She was a daughter of the late Oliver White.

TO QUELL THE CORN-BORER

Middlesex and Elgin Counties Placed Under Double Quarantine

The St. Thomas Times-Journal says:—The fact that Elgin and Middlesex counties are placed under a double quarantine to quell the ravages of the European corn-borer is proof conclusive of the severity of the infestation in the districts immediately surrounding St. Thomas. W. N. Keenan, in charge of the quarantine work for the Dominion Government, declared to the Times-Journal that St. Thomas was the very heart of the infected area, that the "plague" decreased in proportion to the distance from the railroad city. Mr. Keenan pointed out that it was only this year that Elgin and Middlesex counties had been placed under double quarantine. This procedure, he said, had been deemed advisable from the results of the experiments by the department last year. This double quarantine prevents any corn being shipped from the two counties mentioned to outside infected areas. This is permitted, however, in other counties where the pests are not so prevalent.

MUST PROVIDE FOR CHILDREN

School officials throughout the province are giving considerable attention to the Adolescent Act of 1913. A certain portion of this act came into effect in 1921, but few people are apparently aware that when the fall term opens next September, it is absolutely necessary under the new act to provide accommodation for the schooling by part time courses of all children between the ages of 14 and 18 years of age. The act also provides that on and after September, 1921, all persons between the ages of 14 and 16 years must attend school for the full time during which the schools are open each year unless excused for a number of reasons. This is already being complied with and has added greatly to the difficulties of solving the overcrowded conditions in city schools. With the approach of this year's fall term, however, matters will be even worse, with the added ages referred to.

If one be troubled with corns, he will find in Holloway's Corn Remedy an application that will entirely relieve suffering.