A STIRRING

PATRIOTIC LECTURE "THE ROAD TO BERLIN"

MR. WALTER MCRAYE IN GLENCOE

Friday Evening, Jan. 15th in the interests of the Ladies' Patriotic

Mr. Walter McRaye, the eminen Canadian entertainer and lecturer and who recently pleased a Glencoe audience at one of their concerts, has kind ly consented to give his new and plendid lecture "The Road to Berlin" tothe Glencoe people to assist them in the raising of funds for patriotic pur-poses. He made a tour of the continent last summer and saw Paris; Brussels and London in war time. Remember the date—January 15th. All seats for 25c. There will also be a patriotic address by Peter McArthur, the well-known Canadian writer, and music will be provided.

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Farm For Sale South half lot 15, second range south of Longwoods road, Ekfrid: 105 acres; good buildings. Apply to JOHN A. MURRAY, Route 2, Appin. 45

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Notice

The annual meeting of the Oakland Competery Company will be held Jan. 20th inst., at two o'clock p. m., town

pall Glencoe.
Dated January 4, 1915.
GEORGE LETHBRIDGE,
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Tenders Wanted. Notice is breeby given that sealed tenders, marked "Tender for Janitor" will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on the first day of February next, for the offices of janitor of the town hall, truant officer, town constable and townsman. Tenders to embrace all the offices and to state salary required per annum. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. 44-2 GEORGE WILSON, Clerk.

Tenders for Wood.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till Saturday, January 23, 1915, for six cords of hard body wood. 20 inches long, to be delivered at Tait's Corners Presbyterian church not later than march 1, 1915. BERT. McEACHREN, 44.2 Secretary-Treasurer.

MOSA & EKFRID AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the members of the Mosa & Ekfrid Agricultural Society will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 20, 1915, at two o'clock p. m., to receive the report of the directors and for the election of officers for the ensuing year. A good attendance is requested.

THOS. HENDERSON, President. R. W. McKellar, Secretary. DENTISTRY

R. J. MUMFORD, D. D. S., L. D. S. Offices ver Howard's Furniture Store. Phone 16. DR. W. J. GLANFIELD, M. A., M. B.

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We join in wishing our many friends and customers

A Merry Christmas

and a Prosperous Hew Dear

We also add a real bargain-One only new and up-to-date Pandora Range with high shelf and reservoir, special price to clear, \$40.00.

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We have a full line of Hockey Skates in all sizes. Prices from 50c to \$5.00.

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This is the time to feed Royal Purple and get best results.

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Now is the time to draw your Cedar Posts, and we have a fine lot, also Anchor Posts 10 feet long.

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There is only one genuine D. L. & W. Scranton Coal. WE HAVE IT,

District News Items.

Bothwell has a suspected German List of Subjects for Discussion the

The Michigan Central Railway is to upplant colored waiters on its dining cars with white girls. John P. McKinlay, Ridgetown's oldest citizen, celebrated his 91st birthday on New Year's Day.

T. S. Poole, grocer, St. Thomas, who served the city as alderman for 1913, was re-elected by a large vote. Mr. Poole received the largest vote previously polled for years in the division in which he resides.

Francis Deacon, of Alvinston, dred on January 5th. He was born in Peel county in 1827, moved at the age of eight to South Dorchester, in 1871 to Brooke and seven years ago to Alvin-

ston. He leaves a widow and two daughters — Mrs. Fred Bennett, of Brooke, and Miss Margaret, at home.

Ray Leitch, of concession 8, Caradoc, met with a very painful accident

James Poole Ray Leitch, of concession 8, Caradoc, met with a very painful accident Saturday afternoon. He was drawing wood to his father's place, M. Leitch, and in some manner he fell off the load, alighting on his knee. The kneecap was broken in two places, and he is suffering much pain with—it. He will be confined to his bed for some time.

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Owing to the scarcity of farm help in Ontario and the trouble of securing satisfactory assistance in agricultural operations the provincial government will endeavor during the coming months to try to place immigrants upon Ontario farms. These men are supplied upon a few weeks trial and no fee is charged by the department for their trouble.

A short time ago a wire on the Essex County Light and Power Company's line near a school house between Kingsville and Harrow broke and fell across a wire fence. The teacher very wisely locked the children in the school, and had considerable difficulty in getting word to the company of the state of affairs. No one was hurt and the repair was soon made.

The honor of being warden of the county of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Reformers outnumber the Conservatives on the county council, two to one. The council meets on Jan. 25. It is generally conceded that the fight for the position will be a four-cornered needs the county council were supported by the position will be a four-cornered needs the county council of the position will be a four-cornered needs the council meets on Jan. 25. It is generally conceded that the fight for the position will be a four-cornered needs the county of the position will be a four-cornered needs the county of the county of the county of the county of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal, as the Recounty of Middlesex for 1915 will undoubtedly go to a Liberal will undo

ACRICULTURAL CLASSES

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The teachers of West Middlesex at their last convention voted to give one day's pay each to be divided equally between the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the Red Cross Fund. The total amount subscribed was \$231.20.

Two men at Chicago were fined \$100 after they age said to have tried to swindle Alexander Ross, a farmer, of St. Thomas, who was on his way, to Saskatchewan, having in his possession \$38 in cash and a cheque for \$2,000.

Commencing Feb. 1, the House of Refuge, Strathroy, will start with an entirely new staff. Applications for the positions of inspector, matron, keeper, assistant matron, physician and night watchman, will be received by William Sulivan, Strathroy, up to Jan. 19.

Francis Deacon, of Alvinston, 188d

Dan. Mitchell N. McLachlan H. Moore J. Stevenson J. D. Brown
N. McLachlan
J. A. McLachlan
G. A. Parrott
A. J. Wright
J. A. Scott
C. B. McLean
M. C. Campbell P. D. Keith J. D. Brown Joseph Grant G. Batcheller C. E. Davidson 21

For the second round C. E. David-son's rink drew the bye, and the con-test will de between Mr. Keith's and Mr. Hayteg's rinks.

Elgin Winter Fair.

The annual exhibition of the Elgin Corn, Seed Grain and Poultry Association will be held at West Lorne on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 18, 19, 20 and 21, at which \$2,000 will be offered in prizes.

Prominent men will deliver addresses, and the directors have secured the Provincial Good Roads Exhibit, also the Dominion Egg and Wool Exhibits. Music will be furnished by an orchestra, and lunches will be served in the building.

Prize lists and full information may be had on application to A. McKillop, president, or T. W. Sims, secretary, West Lorne.

Ekfrid Taxes.

M. R. BROWN, Collector.

Glencoe Council.

List of Subjects for Discussion the Next Few Days.

The work of the Agricultural Class to be taken up the last of this week and next week:

On, Friday forenoon, Field Crops. In the afternoon the class will meet at Webster Bros. stables to discuss horses and practice judging and giving reasons.

On Monday, Public Speaking in the forenoon; Milk Testing in the afternoon.

Tuesday, J. W. Lennox, of the Seed Branch, Ottawa, will assist with the work, taking up the weed question.

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Calvert Trophy Competition.

The first round in the Calvert Trophy competition was curled at the calver trophy competition.

E. McAlpine and J. Humphries.

McMann and Eddie.

The Conquest, Sask., Enterprise and trophy competition was curled at the calver trophy competition.

she came to Glencoe, and has since lived with her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Campbell.

The deceased was possessed of a kind and loving disposition and was much beloved by all who formed her acquaintance. A kind mother, always deeply interested in the welfare of her family, she will be much missed by them. She is survived by a family of four sons and two daughters—Chas. A., of Seattle, Washi: John and David, of Chicago: Fred, of Chatham: Mrs. H. C. Taylor, of Wallaceburg, and Mrs. M. C. Campbell, of Glencoe. One brother, David Dunbar, of Ontario, Oregon, and a sister. Mrs. Ahern, of Ardst.

The bride entered the room on the bride, played the wedding march. The bride carried a beautiful shower boundered by the Rev. Geo. Weir, of Wellace on Saturday, 2nd Jan., and was conducted by the Rev. Geo. Weir, of whose church deceased was a member. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Dutton. The pall bearers were E. T. Huston, Geo. Parrott, Jas. Poole. James Harris, Jas. C. Watterworth and Hiram Lumley.

Methodist Church.

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REV. W. G. HOWSON, MINISTER REV. W. G. HOWSON, MINISTER
The pastor may be expected to
occupy his own pulpit next Sunday.
Subjects:—II a. m., "An interesting
study in the realm of religious experience"; 7 p. m., "The devil at the
bargain counter and some of the unfortunate results." Fresh, bright
treatment of subjects. All welcome
to our services. Come.

Card of Thanks.

Take notice that all unpaid taxes with the express their deep gratitude to friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy extended to them.

Mr. R. BROWN, Collector.

Mrs. Colin L. Walker and family wish to express their deep gratitude to friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy extended to them.

Total cash subscriptions at Glencoe to date \$1685 55

WAR TO "BEGIN" IN MAY

Crisis Will Not Be Reached Until Next Summer

up to the present are only prepara-tory, with gossip to the effect that Lord Kitchener, when asked recently concerning the probable duration of the war, said: "I don't know when it will end, but it will begin in the month

	cars with white girls.	forenoon; Milk Testing in the after-	Mr. Wright, that this council do now	The British idea is that operations	
	John P. McKinlay, Ridgetown's old-		adjourn, to meet in the council cham-	up to the present are only prepara-	
	est citizen, celebrated his 91st birth-	Branch, Ottawa, will assist with the	ber at 8 o'clock this evening. Carried.	tory, with gossip to the effect that	
-	day on New Year's Day.	work, taking up the weed question.	The council then adjourned.	Lord Kitchener, when asked recently concerning the probable duration of	
	J. S. Wilkie, of Alvinston, has sold	On Wednesday, W. F. Kydd, of the	D	the war, said : "I don't know when it	
	his general store business in that place	Fruit Branch, Toronto, will discuss	Pursuant to adjournment the coun-	will end, but it will begin in the month	
	to R. J. Nicholson, of Brigden.	the apple situation, dealing particular-	chi met in the council chamber at s	of May."	
	Frank Richardson, of Strathroy,	ly with treatment of insects and	Members were all present.	Opinion is expressed in some quart-	
	and Miss Frances Smith, of Toronto,	fungus disease in order to produce clean fruit.	The minutes of last meeting were	ers, however, that a general concerted	
	were recently married in the Queen Oity.	Thursday morning, Feeds and Feed-	read and signed.	movement of the allies will begin ear-	
		ling will be discussed In the after	Accounts :- D. M. Stuart, towns-	lier, but the real crisis will not be	
1	J. G. Crosby's store at Highgate was	moon the class will west at Day D	man, salary for December. \$50; J. C.	reached until summer,	
	entered by burglars, who forced open the safe, but secured nothing for their	MaDagla stable same 0 south of F	Congdon, snow ploughing, etc., \$15.10;	Russia continues sending vast masses of men towards the front.	
1	pains.	woods Road, for practice on judging	Bell Telephone Co., rent of phone for	Levies of last year, numbering twelve	
1	War contracts let in Canada for the	and giving reasons.	Constable Stuart, \$3.75.	bundeed they are described the	-
1	Russian Government for saddles alone	on Friday, Types and Dieeus. Of	The library board made application for a grant of \$100.	ing training camps to make room for	
1	now aggregate one and a half million	DITE STOCK.	Duncan McCallum made application	the levies of 1915.	
1	dollars.	Breijoody welcome to attend these	for a rebate of \$2 on his taxes, com-	Germany's newest levy consists of	
-1	A profit of 200 per cent. is reported	classes and take part in the discussion.	plaining of an overcharge to that	six hundred thousand men of the age	
.1	on the capital stock of the Ford Motor		amount.	of nineteen. Her masses of reserves.	
1	Company for the year ending on		John C. Congdon complained that	already under arms enable her to rush heavy reinforcements wherever re-	
1	October 31.	This year's anniversary of the Glen-	many parties were disposing of their	and and and the same and the desired	
Į.	St. Thomas schools, which were	coe Methodist church was one of the	coal ashes by throwing them on the	already engaged at the front in either	
	closed a month ago on account of a	most successful in its history. The	streets, thereby obstructing traffic. The townsman was instructed to call	A law and a second seco	
	diphtheria epidemic, were reopened		on these parties and request them to	Part of the second seco	
-	on Monday.	particularly interesting. Large con-	heap their coal ashes on their premises	I. O. O. F. Installation.	
	The death of Mrs. Luther Harris, of	gregations were present, the evening	until spring when they would be re-		
8	Strathroy, occurred Jan. 3. She was		moved by the authorities.	Installation of the newly elected	
s	the youngest daughter of ex-mayor Henry Owens.	their services, extra seating having to	Moved by Mr. McPherson, seconded	officers of Glencoe Lodge No 133, In- dependent Order of Oddfellows, was	
ĸ		be procured.	by Mr. Wright, that the accounts as	made on Tuesday evening by District	
ĸ	During the past six months there have been about 50 cases of smallpox	Rev. R. W. Knowles, M. A., Ph. D.,	read be paid and that a grant of \$100 be made to the library board. Carried.	Deputy Grand Master John A. Arm-	
н	in London, and apparently there is no	of St. Thomas, was the speaker on	Moved by Mr. Parrott, seconded by	strong and installing board, of New-	
8	lessening of the outbreak.	Sunday, and his addresses were listen-	Mr. Keith, that Duncan McCallum be	bury. There was quite a large atten-	
	Edward Fenwick and L. A. Scarf,	ed to with a great deal of pleasure and	refunded \$2 for an error in charging	dance of the brethren, and all were	
ĸ	hotelkeepers, of Wyoming, were fined	no doubt profit. Special music by the	outlet drain rates. Carried.	much impressed with the excellent manner in which the work was put on.	
ĸ	\$100 and \$150 respectively for selling	choir was very pleasing, and reflected greatly to the credit of that organiza-	The following list of officers for 1915	Afterwards a course supper was serv-	
8	liquor in local option territory.	tion, so ably led by Mr. C. O. Smith.	was then provisionally adopted, viz. :	ed at McLachlan's, where the caterers	
_(In Euphemia Reeve Annett was re-	Duets were given by Mrs. Moore and	Dr. Walker, medical health officer; John E. Hull, member of the local	excelled themselves. Officers installed	
	elected by a majority of 221 over his	Mr. McGinn, and solos by Ed. May-	board of health; Dr. Walker, member	are as follows :	n
	opponent, C. J. Watson, an ex-reeve.	hew, in the morning, and by Miss	of the high school board : J. N. Currie.	Jr. P. G J. E. Roome	
-	It is the largest majority ever polled in the township.		member of the library board ; James	N. G A. F. Johnston	
	The Province of Manitoba is going	The annual tea given by the ladies on Monday evening was a repitition of	Poole, assessor, salary \$50; Fred. Al-	V. G	
1	dry." Out of the 22 places that	the best in this line that has been pro-	dred, chief of fire department; Dr.	F. S M. C. Campbell	
Н	voted on local option recently 13 went	vided in the past. Afterwards an en-	McLachlan and J. H. Neve, auditors :	TreasJames Harris	
1	dry, which, added to 36 already dry,	joyable programme was given, consist-	Wm. Gilbert, Robt. Eddie and George Lethbridge, fenceviewers.	Warden M. A. McKellar	
1	makes a total of 49.	ing of an anthem by the choir, solos	Moved by Mr. McPherson, seconded	Con John Hayter	
1	A Chatham man who has been mak-	by J. A. McCracken, Rev. Geo. Weir	by Mr. Keith, that an advertisement	O. G G. A McAlpine	
1	ing an examination of his fruit trees	and Norman McLachlan, duets by	be placed in the Transcript, calling for	I. G John W. Smith R. S. N. G W. E. Weekes	
1	states that large numbers of buds were	Mrs. Moore and Mr. McGinn and Mrs.	sealed tenders for the office of janitor	L. S. N. G G. A. Babcock	
1	nipped during the recent zero spell.	and Norman McLachlan, readings by Miss Plewis, of London, and addresses	of the town hall, truant officer, town	R. S. V. G J. A. McCracken	
1	Peaches suffered, especially.	by J. C. Elliott, M. P. P., and Revs.	constable and townsman, tenders to	L. S. V. G A. D. McEachern	
1	A dead whale which drifted ashore	Weir, Owen and Ford, the pastor,	be received up to 12 o'clock noon on	R. S. S Mac. O. McAlpine	
	on the Northern part of the Dutch	Rev. Mr. Howson, presiding.	the 1st day of February next, tenders to be marked "Tender for Janitor"	L. S. S John L. Tomlinson	
	coast was found to be riddled with three-inch shells, and had obviously	The proceeds of the Monday evening	and to state annual salary required.	Chap Geo. Parrott	
1	been mistaken for a submarine.	gathering amounted to upwards of \$85.	The lowest or any tender not neces-	Wint Octool VIII	
1	T. S. Poole, grocer, St. Thomas, who		sarily accepted. The advertisement is	High School Literary Society.	4
1	served the city as alderman for 1913,	Death of Joseph Gates.	to be inserted twice. Carried.	The first meeting of the G. H. S.	
	was re-elected by a large vote. Mr.	The death assumed at the land	Moved by Mr. Parrott, seconded by	Titanaur Society this ween was held	
1	Poole received the largest vote pre-	The death occurred at the home of			1
	viously polled for years in the division	his son Albert in Ekfrid on Sunday,	the village be transferred from the	electing new officers for this term	

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The Late Mrs. Hutchison.

Death claimed another Ontario pioneer, in the person of Mrs. Catharine Hutchison, who died at the home of her son-in-law, M. C. Campbell, on Thursday, 31st December. The deceased lady, whose maiden mame was Dunbar, was born in Portland township, county of Frontenac, in 1838, and was in her seventy-seventh year.

In 1862 she married Robert Hutchison, who died eleven years ago. After living on a farm near her old home for a number of years she, with her husand family, come west and about forty years ago settled in West Lorne.

Local Patriotic Fund. General Fund— Previously acknowledged .\$ 919 58 S. S. No. 9. Mosa, for Red

\$ 935.08