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Whole No. 2509.

## FARM FOR SALE

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56," that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said Donald McDonald, who died on or about the fifth day of January, A. D. 1920, are required, on or before the twenty-fourth day of March, A. D. 1920, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Margaret Muirhead, administratrix of the estate of the said deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars, in writing, of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after such last mentioned date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said administratrix will not be liable for any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution.

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## DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Petrolia Presbyterians have installed an electric blower for the pipe organ in their church.

The death occurred last week of one of Strathroy's oldest residents, Thos. Luscombe, in his 82nd year.

Five members of the Lawrence Deadman family of Delaware have died within the last month.

The Canadian customs receipts for the fiscal year just ended show an increase of nearly 20 millions over the previous year.

The Western Fair Board will extend the present show grounds, and will add about 150 lots on the east of the present site.

Chief of Police Wilson of Strathroy has been appointed trustee officer by the public school board there at a salary of \$120 a year.

Aldborough council has made a grant of \$25 each to Rodney and West some public libraries and \$10 to Wardsville library.

The death occurred in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, recently of Orpha H., wife of Duncan J. Campbell of Napier, in her 56th year.

A Belgian woman, residing in Harwich, pleaded guilty to a charge of manufacturing liquor. A worm of a still was found in her home.

After a 24-hour session with outlaws before four women and three men at Martine, California, were committed to the state hospital for the insane.

Electrification of the Pere Marquette Railway will be urged by delegations from municipal councils during the present session of the Ontario Legislature.

The medical health officers have lifted the ban at Alvinston on public gatherings and there were church services on Sunday and schools reopened on Monday.

A tramway conductor at Montreal tickled a boy passenger, causing him to fall off the car. The boy's mother was awarded \$350 damages by the court for the injuries received.

In Bulgaria profiteers are being placarded and marched in chains through the streets. If this method were adopted in Canada what a monster procession would be the result.

W. A. McLean, Deputy Minister of Highways, told the Ontario Retail Automobile Dealers that Ontario now has 140,000 autos, and that he expects to see 250,000 registered in five years.

There died in Brooke township on March 2, after a short illness, Margaret Armstrong, widow of the late Robert Corstine, in her 64th year. Her husband predeceased her by one week.

After a severe illness George Ferguson, of the second concession of Euphemie township, died on Thursday. The deceased is survived by his widow and six children. He was 63 years of age.

Fred Howlett, junior partner with his father in the Petrolia Tile Factory, was instantly killed when a derelict pole which he was handling came into contact with a high tension hydro-electric wire.

The Tilbury Brick and Tile Company's plant, one of the largest and best equipped for manufacturing tile in the province, was destroyed by fire last week with an estimated loss of \$30,000, insured for \$15,000.

Ernie Crummer, Ridge road, near Chatham, has realized \$10,000 off his 15 acres of tobacco. Some fortunes are being made from tobacco, the enhanced prices being the result of selling direct to English markets.

Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watterworth of Middlesex has written to the sheriff of Montgomery, Alabama, in search of a bloodhound to be used in sniffing out marauders who during the past few weeks have been raiding the chicken coops of farmers in the vicinity of London.

In February there were 39 weddings in London, being exactly the same number as in February a year ago. There were 163 deaths, as compared with 78 in the same month of 1919, and 95 burials against 85 last February. The flu epidemic was responsible for the increased death rate this year.

John A. Elliott, a lad of 14 years, a student in the second form of the Dutton high school, has been awarded the second prize in the essay contest on the Victory Loan of 1919 for the high schools and colleges of the province of Ontario. The prize is \$25 in War Savings Stamps and a free trip to Toronto to receive it.

The death occurred a few days ago at Santa Barbara, Calif. of Lady Ross, widow of Sir George W. Ross, premier of Ontario. She was a daughter of John R. Peel of London and a sister of the late Paul Peel, the famous Canadian painter. The family was closely related to the distinguished British statesman, Sir George Peel.

A new idea in assessing the town is to be tried out in Carleton Place this year. The law has made provision for the appointment of an assessment commissioner—without salary. He, with the mayor, shall choose and appoint an assessor, who will have the benefit of their advice in arriving at valuations concerning which he is in doubt.

Following a conference between the industrial committee of the Strathroy town council and officers of the Midwestern Furniture Company it was decided that the council would repeal the by-law granting the company \$3,000, an amount remaining due on a loan by the town. A number of ratepayers, through a solicitor, threatened legal proceedings if this action were not taken.

## THE BAN IS OFF

Glencoe board of health met on Tuesday evening and decided to lift the ban on public gatherings which has been in force since the twelfth of February as a precautionary measure during the flu epidemic. High and public schools will reopen today and church services will be held on Sunday as formerly. While there have been several cases of the flu in the surrounding country Glencoe very fortunately escaped with only a few cases of a mild type.

## THE ARMENIAN FUND

The Transcript acknowledges the following donations to the Armenian Relief Fund:  
Previously acknowledged.....\$279.25  
John A. Leitch.....5.00  
\$284.25

## OLD WOODROW HOME BURNS

The old Woodrow home, four miles west of Wardsville, on the Longwoods road, and adjoining the Fleming school house, owned and occupied by Hugh Taylor and family, was burned to the ground on Thursday. Mrs. Taylor, smelling smoke, went to the garret, and finding it filled with smoke, immediately aroused the neighbors by phone. Most of the contents were saved. The house was insured.

## ANOTHER RAISE IN OIL

Advances have been coming thick and fast to the oil producers and yet we have not heard any of them kicking. Another increase of twenty-five cents for crude was announced on Monday, making the price for Petrolia \$3.88, with bounty \$4.40; Oil Springs, \$3.95, with bounty \$4.47. Motorists, it seems, are to be the goats this year as the price of tires, gas and coal have all advanced. The former raised twenty per cent. on Monday, gas is selling at forty and forty-two cents, and on cars the sky is the limit.—Petrolia Topic.

## A DUNWICH SALE

Daniel Black held a successful sale of the estate of the late Walter Clark on Tuesday when big prices were realized. Mr. Thornton of Ekfrid paid \$250 for a seven-year-old grey mare; Dugald Clark \$220 for bay mare a year; D. D. Graham, Mosa, \$190 for three-year-old gelding. A yearling colt sold for \$80; hay, \$30 a ton; oats, \$1.40 a bushel; barley, \$1.75; mixed grain, \$3.20 a cwt.; cows, \$130, and sheep \$24.—Dutton Advance.

## ALDBOROUGH PIONEER DIES

Wardsville, March 6.—David Hutchison was buried on Thursday at the home of W. Stinson. Mr. Hutchison came from Scotland about 40 years ago and settled on the Campbell farm in Aldborough, on the banks of the River Thames, just west of Wardsville. Two years ago they came into the village to live and Mrs. Hutchison died last winter. Mr. Hutchison leaves one brother in Scotland and one in Petrolia, Allen Hutchison, and one son in Boston, James Hutchison. The latter is an invalid and was unable to come to his father's funeral. Mr. Hutchison was a strong character, upright and honorable, and he will be missed in the community.

## INCREASE PASTOR'S SALARY

Lucknow, March 6.—At a congregational meeting in the Methodist church here it was shown that while church renovation involving expenditure of about \$4,000 has been undertaken, the financial objective of the Forward Movement has also been accomplished, by some hundreds of dollars. The pastor, Rev. R. F. Irwin, has been invited to remain a second year, with a salary increase of \$300, making his salary now \$1,500.

## ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

On St. Patrick's night, March 17th, the Dramatic Club of the above church will give an entertainment in the basement, commencing sharp at 8 o'clock. An excellent program of readings, recitations, songs, etc., will be given, and a brief lecture on St. Patrick by Rev. T. J. Charlton.

Part II. of program will be a one-hour play, most humorous, by the members of the club, entitled "Popping the Question" (by J. B. Buckstone). Admission, 25 cents. Proceeds to go chiefly towards recent repairs to church. All welcome. A good night promised.

## MUST KEEP ROADS OPEN

The attention of all having rural delivery mail boxes is called to the following clauses from the regulations of the Post Office Department of Canada. Roads on which rural mail delivery is about to be established must be in good condition. It is to be understood that for the effective performance of the service they must be kept passable for the vehicles at all seasons of the year, either by the municipality or the residents who are being served. Rural mail box holders should understand that it is not the duty of couriers to break the roads after storms. During the winter seasons the roads must be kept open and the approach to the box sufficiently clear of snow to enable the courier to cover his route without being unnecessarily delayed or inconvenienced.

A good program is assured at Tail's Corners box social Friday evening.

## REV. DR. STRACHAN DEAD

Rev. Dr. Daniel Strachan, aged 54, assistant pastor of the Imperial Oil Company and in charge of the social welfare department of that concern, died at his home in Toronto last week of heart failure following influenza. Dr. Strachan was born at the Strachan homestead in Ekfrid, near Glencoe, and his father was one of the first Presbyterian ministers here.

The funeral took place at Sarnia, where Dr. Strachan had his first charge in the ministry. His wife was Miss Helen Thompson, only daughter of Dr. John Thompson of Sarnia.

## SPEED LIMIT COMING DOWN

At the last session of the Ontario Legislature autos were granted a speed of twenty miles an hour in the cities. Formerly the limit was fifteen. Given fifteen they went twenty, police winked at the infraction. Getting twenty they stole five more with impunity. And in so many other cases abuses have churned up an agitation, and agitation has gone to anger and antagonism. Thousands of sane, sober auto drivers will have to suffer from the orgies of the speed-fiends, for the statute is about to be amended fixing the speed at the old rate. The chauffeur who breaks the law to tickle his own fancy spoils the pleasure of a thousand others who are content to drive moderately.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. GRAY

The Sault Ste. Marie Star says:—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Gray, who died February 25 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Little, 126 Huron street, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the remains interred in Greenwood cemetery beside the body of Mr. Gray, who died eleven years ago. Rev. J. S. Duncan conducted the burial services. The pallbearers were Harry Griffith, Jette Evey, Victor Mann and Fred McDowell. Mrs. Gray, who was in her sixty-seventh year, came from Glencoe, Ontario, with her husband, twenty-one years ago. During part of that time, the family resided in Prince township. The floral offerings were beautiful. Pillows were included from the family, and from Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mann and Mrs. Mary Mann and sprays from Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dore, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rose, Mrs. Horner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKenna, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and family.

## FUNERAL OF W. R. QUICK

The funeral of the late William R. Quick was held from his late residence, Ekfrid, on Thursday-afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. S. Lloyd, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Quick was a member. The floral tributes were many and beautiful and included a pillow from the family, sprays from his sisters, from his brother and wife, Mrs. Battersby and James Quick, Lee and Mrs. Diggon, Archie and Mac. Munroe, I. O. D. E., and a wreath from the Leitch and Munroe families. The bearers were Duncan, Hector and Mac. McKellar, C. H. Phillips, John A. McRae and Dan McMillan.

Relatives from a distance who attended the funeral were Hugh and James Quick, Mrs. Battersby, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Munroe and Mac. Munroe of Windsor. Miss Jennie McAlpine and Robert McAlpine of Detroit, Mrs. Harry Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Mac. Leitch and family of St. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Leitch of Strathroy. Mr. Quick was a son of the late James and Mary Quick of Glencoe and was born in Ekfrid township on September 17, 1871. He was ill only a few days, and his death was a severe shock to the community in which he was well known. He was one of those wholehearted men whom everybody could claim as a friend and who had made warm friends and neighbors by whom he will be sorely missed. He was married on January 28, 1898, to Miss Jeanette Leitch of Glencoe. Besides his widow and three boys and one girl—Russell, Orrill, Willie and Mary—all at home, he also leaves two brothers and four sisters—Hugh and James Quick, Mrs. Battersby and Mrs. Jager of Windsor and Mrs. Charles Hurley and Mrs. Thomas Mawhinney of Glencoe.

## THIRTY YEARS AGO

George Precious buys Adams' grocery business.  
Wm. Vernon buys Mahlon Annett's drying business.  
Isaac Rathburn sells his residence on Victoria street to W. D. McIntyre. Monument suggested to British soldiers who fell at Battle Hill in war of 1812.  
Hugh McTavish and Alex. Dewar shoot a black fox near Glencoe, and A. W. Otton buys the pelt for \$40.  
Rev. Alex. Henderson of Hyde Park inducted pastor of Presbyterian charges at Appin and Tail's Corners.  
La grippe appears here for first time under its new name and puts many people to bed and a few under the sod.  
Farmers do considerable plowing in February; also make some maple sugar and syrup. The latter article, choice, sells at \$1.25 per gallon.  
Fire on January 29 destroys three Glencoe buildings occupied by J. H. Hunt, grocer; George Wilson, furniture dealer; A. Nichols, gunsmith; John McNeil, tailor; A. E. Eastman, tailor. The latter and his sister barely escape with their lives and lose all their clothing and household effects.  
Stores of P. Lindsay and McKinnon & McLean damaged. Jim Calgy and Bob Donnelly severely burned while fighting the fire.