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MONEY SAVERS  
Don't fail to read the "Special Notices." They contain information that will save you money.

Whole No. 2411

## LADIES' CUSHION SOLE SHOES, \$3.98, AT THE MODERN SHOE STORE, GLENCOE

The Woodgreen Dramatic Club will give their play

### "The Parson's Vacation"

at the Woodgreen Baptist Church on

Friday Evening,  
April 12th

Admission - 35c and 20c  
Proceeds for Red Cross

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The greatest invention of the age—the Duplex Hair Cutter. Just comb your hair and it cuts at the same time. Easier than shaving. Guaranteed to save its cost many times a year. A child can use it. Worth \$5. Samples sent postpaid for only \$2. Send today. JOHN C. McCALLUM, Dutton, Ont.

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Part of the west half of the north half of lot 22, con. 1, Ekfrid, known as "Fairview Place." Contains about 35 acres of clay loam soil, good house, barn, orchard, etc. An ideal small farm, with telephone and rural mail, and only one mile from school, church and railroad station. See Mrs. A. M. McRae, Appin Road.

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Get our proposition re cream: highest prices paid. Wagon always on the road. Phone us if you want us to call.

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### Cream Wanted

Having engaged with the Lambton Creamery Co. as their local manager for the purchase of Cream and Eggs, I hereby solicit a share of your patronage. Cream will be received, tested and paid for by me daily at the Glencoe Butter Factory. Will also have a man collecting on the road.

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Re-gritting done free of charge. Drop a card and I will call.

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### Cream Wanted

FRANK McNALLY of Alvinston will be superintending the buying of Cream, Eggs and other produce at Glencoe during the season of 1918. Cream will be received at C. George's store at Glencoe. Phone him for particulars.

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Two choice farms of 100 acres each, on opposite sides of road, half-mile from Appin. Improved, good buildings, well tiled. For particulars apply to Jas. McMaster, Appin, Ont.

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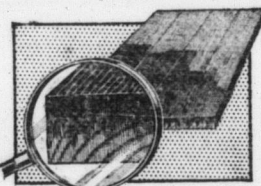
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Growing Girls' Gunmetal Shoes \$3.50, \$5.00

## The MODERN SHOE STORE

Main Street, Glencoe

Phone 103

## LADIES' PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

The Ladies' Patriotic League will meet at the home of Mrs. Parrott next Tuesday evening at 7.30.

On Saturday, April 27th, an Allies' Tea will be given in the Town Hall in aid of the League, to buy yarn and other material in demand for Red Cross work and soldiers' comforts.

Hunt up all your old rubbers and we will have them called for on leaving word with any of the committee.

## "The Sweet Girl Graduate"

St. John's Dramatic Club will repeat their charming play, "The Sweet Girl Graduate," in the

## Opera House, Glencoe

on the evening of

Friday, April 12

Change of program between acts.

Admission - 25 cents

Proceeds evenly divided between Red Cross Society and Patriotic League (allowing for what St. John's church has already given to Red Cross Society).

## Mortgage Sale of Valuable Real Estate in the Township of Mosa.

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be offered for sale by public auction at the

McKellar House, Glencoe

ON

Saturday, April 20th, 1918

at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable real estate, namely: East half of the east half of the north half of lot 12, in the 4th concession in the Township of Mosa, County of Middlesex, containing 25 acres more or less. This property consists of improved farm land, with dwelling house, stable and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid. One-fifth of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within two weeks thereafter.

For further particulars apply to

Elliott & Moss,

Solicitors for the vendor.

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at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable real property, viz.: Village lots numbers sixteen and seventeen in block "E" in Nathaniel Currie's survey of four in the first concession of the Township of Ekfrid and now forming part of the incorporated Village of Glencoe, containing one-half of an acre more or less. This is a desirable residential property, well situated on Main St. in the Village of Glencoe, and has on it a substantial brick dwelling use and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid. One-fifth of the purchase price to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance within two weeks thereafter.

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CHARLES GEORGE, Clerk

## District and General.

A farmer of Euphrasia realized \$90.40 from the sale of one hog.

The butchers of Parkhill have decided to sell meat for cash only.

The Ontario License Commission is to be reduced from five to three members.

The Grand Trunk ticket office at Watford was broken into and the tills rifled of about \$55.

A horticultural society has been organized in Alvinston with the idea of beautifying the town and home surroundings.

Potato dealers from Michigan points were in Petrolia taking orders for potatoes laid down in that town at \$1.80 per bag. This includes a duty of 40 cents a bag.

In years gone by, when muskrat hides were worth about 10 cents each, the creeks were full of them. This year the pelts are quoted at from \$1.50 to \$2, and the creeks are minus the rats.

Potomac poisoning, supposed to have been caused by drinking sap from a willow which was rusty, caused the sudden death of Jennings Foster, the 10-year-old son of R. J. Foster of Leamington.

Idleness in Canada is now punishable by penalty. An order-in-council enacts that all persons domiciled in Canada shall, in the absence of reasonable cause to the contrary, engage in useful occupations.

The Daylight Saving Bill has passed the committee stage of the House at Ottawa after meeting with considerable opposition. It will probably receive its third reading at an early sitting of the House.

While George Richardson was driving a new Maxwell car from Windsor for delivery at St. Thomas the car stalled on a crossing near West Lorne in front of an express train and was smashed to atoms.

Prior to leaving Ridgeway to reside on a farm near London Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watterworth were given a farewell evening and presented with a leather suit case each by members of the Baptist church.

E. S. Ethey of Zone recently cut down a soft maple tree, out of which he procured 190 cords of wood. The stump measured 5 feet 3 inches across. At \$3.50 a cord, a common price during the winter, the tree was worth about \$60.

Middlesex county council at a special meeting on Saturday voted \$30,000 towards the work of the Y. M. C. A. among the troops in Canada, England and France. This sum will be raised by adding three-quarters of a mill to the tax rate.

Hearing ashen were good for poultry to eat. Mrs. Mary Crowell of Bothwell emptied a pan of ashen in her chicken yard. The chicken house burned down, roasting two chickens. The fire spread along the fence, and only after great difficulty was extinguished.

More than 400,000 male adults in Ontario out of a possible 750,000 have bought liquor in Montreal since prohibition went into effect in this province in September, 1916. It is estimated that more than \$6,000,000 worth of liquor has been shipped in that time.

In order to assist in the greater production campaign, many municipalities are offering to plough vacant lots for any person who will agree to plant and care for a garden. Here is a chance for the village fathers to assist in this great work. There were several vacant lots in the village last year which grew nothing but weeds.

The prosperity of a town is not gauged by the wealth of its inhabitants, but by the uniformity with which they pull together when an important undertaking is to be accomplished. A man with a thousand dollars at his command and a love for his town in his heart can do more for its building than the millionaire who looks up his capital and snaps his fingers at home enterprise.

Nearly all watch signs, in the United States, probably 80 out of 100, have their hands set at 8.18, but comparatively few people know why this is. It is no accident. W. K. Washburn, of New York, was painting a sign for a jeweler of that city, when the news of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, April 14, 1865, was received in New York and the jeweler ordered the painter to paint the exact time when the fatal shot was fired, namely 8.18 and so it has continued ever since.

When Cain had killed off one-fourth of the people of the earth, leaving only three, then went into the land of Nod and builded a city, it is evident that he did not sit around like a lump on a log and growl about the Nod real estate and people. He was not himself, perhaps, the most exemplary of men, and if he had some reason to emigrate from the land of his birth, he did not mope and whine, but got hold of a piece of ground and went to work to do something. The man who could build up a city under such auspices is the kind of material we want in this town.

But what is more, Cain did not advise his son to "go west" and get out of the dead old town. He named the city after him, believed in it, worked in it, bought his goods there and kept his money at home.

All persons parking cars on the streets of Glencoe must park them on the right-hand side of the street, with the cars facing diagonally towards the sidewalk, so that any car can be backed out when desired without interfering with the others.

By order of the Council of the Village of Glencoe.

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CHARLES GEORGE, Clerk

## Glencoe Council.

The regular meeting of the Glencoe council was held on Thursday evening. Members all present.

A deputation representing the Glencoe Women's Patriotic League requested the free use of the assembly room in the town hall for the purpose of holding their business meetings once a month through the summer months.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and Keith, their request was granted.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and Hagerty, Dr. John Walker's report as Medical Health Officer was accepted as being very satisfactory.

At the urgent request for aid to the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, it was moved by W. A. Hagerty, seconded by A. McPherson, and carried that this council grant ten dollars for the same.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and McPherson, the following accounts were ordered paid:—The Glencoe Library Board, part of requisition for 1918, \$50; Harry Vause, sharpening saw, 30c; W. R. Quick, shovelling snow \$0.25, scraping streets \$15, \$21.25; S. Thompson, salary for March \$40, stamps \$3.17, \$43.17; J. E. Weaver, salary as constable for January, February and March, \$15; Chas. George, first quarter's salary \$37.50, stamps \$8, \$57.50.

On motion of Messrs. McPherson and Keith, the reeve and Mr. Hagerty were appointed to look after the renting of lot owned by H. McMechan.

Council adjourned to meet April 15.

CHAS. GEORGE, Clerk.

## The Sweet Girl Graduate.

On Tuesday evening of last week this breezy and entertaining little comedy was presented by St. John's Y. P. A. Drama Club at the Opera House, Glencoe, to a large and most appreciative audience. The interest of the play centres round the heroine, Miss Maude De Smythe, the "sweet girl graduate" and the only child of Mr. De Smythe, the railway magnate. It is the eve of her graduation, and as the curtain rises the preparations for that important event are in progress. The time and energy of Maude's whole staff of admirers, her valet, her maid and her florist, her father and mother and last, but not least, her maiden aunt, Matilda Hoppenhoer, are all being pressed into the service.

It takes a pretty girl to fill the bill of such a heroine, and the role of the sweet girl graduate was well portrayed by Miss Clea Hicks, who presented the character of the spoiled young favorite of fortune natural and pleasing.

Mrs. De Smythe, the fancied invalid, with her negligee apparel, languid airs and threatened "spasms," was well taken by Miss Margaret Stinson. The character of Mr. De Smythe, the well-dressed, somewhat pompous and opulent railway magnate, found a good exponent in Ed Mayhew, whose talent for acting in other roles is well known in Glencoe. Richard Singleton, as Jack Hamilton, the tall and good-looking fiance of the sweet girl, made a straightforward and manly lover.

His little attack of jealousy over the loss of his hair upon the audience, W. J. Strachan, as Hubert the florist, with his long white linen coat and red waistcoat, gave the audience many a good laugh, while Miss Edith Warratt, as Matilda Hoppenhoer, was inimitable. Her costume, from her tawny wig, voluminous skirts, white knitted stockings and flat-heeled shoes, was pure comedy, while her portrayal of the funny, fussy, energetic, maiden aunt was something never to be forgotten in Glencoe dramatic circles.

The other characters in the play were all well taken by F. G. Humphries, Miss Jean MacLachlan, Miss Frances Moss, Miss Florence Westcott and Miss Grace Dalgety.

Between the acts the audience was entertained by popular songs from Mrs. McGeachie, Mr. Strachan and Stanley Humphries which were much enjoyed. Mr. Singleton was accompanied for the evening, while Rev. T. J. Charlton as chairman, excelled himself by his witty and humorous presentation of the play and the players. The proceeds amounted to \$114.45.

The "Sweet Girl Graduate" will be repeated on Friday evening, April 12th, when it is hoped that there will be just as large and enthusiastic a house. The proceeds on this evening will be divided between the Patriotic League and the Red Cross Society.

## McCracken-Elliott.

There was a very quiet but pretty wedding at the home of Mrs. G. C. Elliott, Symes street, on Thursday afternoon when James McCracken of Jenner, Alberta and Miss Christy, Mrs. Elliott's only daughter, were united in marriage.

The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her brother, J. C. Elliott, and looked very sweet in a gown of white point d'esprit over white silk, with Juliet veil of white tulle caught with orange blossoms, and carrying a bouquet of white roses. The ceremony was conducted by Elder J. B. Slauson of St. Thomas, under a canopy of green, banked with ferns, palms and calla lilies. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present.

After the ceremony, luncheon was served and Mr. and Mrs. McCracken left on the evening train for their home in Alberta, the bride travelling in a suit of navy blue, with hat to match.

Come cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Cure is within reach of all.

## Flax for Aeroplanes.

Word has been received at Ottawa that Colonel Wayland of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces has been requested by the War Office to immediately proceed to Canada to supervise the distribution of flax seed which is anticipated will be urgently required in order to supply the manufacturing needs for aeroplanes in the near future.

As the importance of these supplies cannot be exaggerated it is exceedingly desirable that there shall be cordial cooperation between the farmers who will sow this special flax seed and Colonel Wayland who will distribute the seed to be sown. Colonel Wayland has been empowered to offer suitable terms to farmers sowing this seed. He is proceeding to Canada at an early date and in the meantime enquiries may be addressed to him care of Grain Exchange, Winnipeg.

## Easter Vestry Meeting.

The annual vestry meeting was held in the schoolroom of St. John's church on Tuesday evening, April 8th (adjourned from Easter Monday).

Very largely attended, almost half being ladies, who took an active part throughout, this being the first time they had full voting powers. The rector was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer.

The following officers were all unanimously appointed:—Rector's warden, Wm. Hagerty; people's warden, Wm. D. Moss (barrier); sidesmen—Messrs. Dunlop, Lamont, Wm. McMillan and Sidney Overton; Synod delegate, J. E. Roome; Synod substitute, D. Lamont; vestry secretary, Isaac Walker.

The various societies submitted their reports, which were all of the most satisfactory character, showing the extraordinary amount of work that ladies do for their church. One wonders how they manage to get so many hundreds of dollars. To their energy and love is to be credited the good and well-kept rectory, besides their help to missions and to the church in general. The church warden presented a most creditable statement, the whole debt on the parish being \$28. Messrs. Roome, Wright and I. Walker were elected auditors; Messrs. Wright, Lamont and Roome were nominated by the rector as a finance committee to assist the rector when called upon.

Votes of thanks were accorded the rector and the A. Y. P. A. for having handed to the warden, and to the warden, ladies and others for all their good work. The choir is requested to remain a few moments after the school room next Sunday after the morning service to receive the thanks of the congregation for their services.

The rector was unanimously granted one month's vacation. The meeting was a very splendid meeting was closed with the benediction by the rector.

## The Late Mrs. Young.

Mrs. Mary Young, widow of the late Jacob Young and a pioneer of Ekfrid township, passed peacefully away at her late residence in the town of Emerson, Manitoba, on the evening of March 21, 1918, at the age of 88 years, 8 months. Funeral services were held at Emerson, the sermon being preached by Rev. D. M. Kennedy, an old family friend and former pastor when the family resided near Glencoe. The remains were brought east for burial in Longwood cemetery where she was laid to rest beside her husband on March 28th, after a short memorial service, conducted by Rev. D. McCullough of Appin, had been held at the residence of a daughter, Mrs. Robert Webster.

Mrs. Young, whose maiden name was Mary Cooper, was born near Toronto, June 29, 1829, and while still a child moved with her parents first to Caledon and in 1845 to Carleton Place. In 1851 she was married to the late Jacob Young and for fifty-four years they stood side-by-side, making for themselves a comfortable home out of the forests of Ekfrid township. In 1883 they moved with their family to Manitoba, having near Emerson and later retiring into the town.

Early in March Mrs. Young was attacked with heart-trouble, and throughout her illness she displayed a saintly patience and gentleness, thoughtfulness for others that characterized her entire life. She was a life-long member of the Methodist Church and her devoted, consistent Christian life was an inspiration to all who came in contact with her.

Besides her husband, two of her children, William J. Young and Mrs. Mary Guthrie, have also been called to their rest, and she leaves to mourn her passing five daughters and three sons. Mrs. Robert Webster of Appin, Miss Harriet Young and Miss Sarah Young of Emerson, Miss Margaret Young of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Mrs. I. V. Whitely of Saskatoon, Sask.; Henry Young of Woodmore, Man.; John C. Young of Montana, and J. B. Young of Buffalo, N. Y.

## Metcalfe Council.

Metcalfe township council met at Napier on Monday, April 1st. Members all present.

A number of accounts were passed for payment.

On motion of Blain and Hawken the reeve and clerk of Ekfrid to settle township accounts.

A court of revision was held in the Davis drain. No change was made in the assessment. R. Denning was appointed commissioner.

On motion of Blain and Hawken the commissioners were empowered to spend any balance of last year's grant in 1918.

Council adjourned to meet again on May 6th, at 10 a. m.