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ATHENS BRANCH: E. S. CLOW, Manager.

**Local and General**

Rooms to rent—Mrs Mott, Central street.

Miss Muriel Fair, a student at Ottawa Normal, is home for vacation.

Mrs W. C. Dowley, Brockville, called on friends in Athens last week.

Mr D. Abrahams of Brockville spent Sunday with friends in Athens.

Wanted—Deacon Skins, Cow Hides and Sheep Pelts—C. H. Willson.

Mr A. M. Eaton of Escott was a visitor last week.

Mr Harold Rowsom left this week for Toronto where he takes a position in a jeweller's store.

—Fresh stock of Bran, Shorts, Middlings, and Feed Flour—lowest prices—Athens Grain Warehouse.

Messrs Wallace Johnston and Guy Halladay, students at the R.C.D.S., Toronto, are home for Easter.

Probate of the will of Horace Brown late of the township of Yonge farmer, has been granted Actey R. Brown of Athens.

Mr Jas. Henderson was successful in passing the final examinations of the Eastern Ontario Dairy School.

A steam crane is being installed at Athens cheese and butter factory to facilitate the reception of milk.

Mr H. W. Coleman, Master Jack and Miss Dorothy, also Geo. E. Wight, Brockville, were Good Friday visitors at "The Lilacs."

A mixture of sand, sawdust and coal oil is what a slick stranger sold in Brockville for carpet-cleaning. Price—a 10 lb. package for 25c.

In the series of milk tests recently conducted in this district, the herd of Mr S. A. Coon was found to contain a heifer, 1 year and 10 months old, that yielded 18 lbs of butter fat in 7 days.

Rev. W. G. Swayne will conduct services in the different churches of this parish on Sunday next. She service will be here in the evening.

The finishing touches were given to the Anglican rectory this week and it is now fully ready for occupancy. It is a fine building, by many considered superior to the former rectory.

Probate of the will, dated January 24, 1912, of Isaac C. Alguire, late of Athens, gentleman, has been granted to Laura Ann Alguire, widow, and Herman Rufus Knowlton, jeweller, both of Athens, executors. T. R. Beale, Athens, solicitor.

Mr Gordon Thompson, who travels through Western Ontario in the interests of a London house, is spending Easter week at the home of his parents here. He reports a much greater depth of snow in the Bruce peninsula than we had in Leeds county.

On Friday last M. K. Everts died at his home in Smith's Falls aged 79 years. He was a pioneer in the dairy business of Eastern Ontario and until quite recently was an active force in its promotion and development. He is survived by one son, Milton, of Toronto.

It is announced that a company of English capitalists are likely to take over the proposed Ottawa, Smiths Falls and Kingston Electric Railway. From Smiths Falls the line will follow the Rideau lakes to Kingston, tapping numerous small towns and villages which are expected to provide a large volume of local traffic.

On March 22, two Athens boys, both under 21 years of age, purchased a bottle of liquor at a Brockville hotel. A charge of selling liquor to the two minors was laid but one of the boys looked to be 21 and in his case the charge was not pressed. In the case of the other boy the bartender entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$10 and costs, a total of \$24.75.

**Death and World's Record**  
A registered Holstein heifer, four years old, owned by Wm. C. Stevens, Phillipsville, has recently completed a 7 day record of 472.72 lbs. of milk; 30.857 lbs. of fat 38.57 lbs. of butter. The average per cent. of fat was 6.6. This is said to be the largest record ever made by any cow of any age or breed, being the first time the world's record was ever made in Canada.

Inflammation of the lacteal system followed the completion of the test, and the cow died on Saturday last.

Miss Alma Stevens, Mallorytown, is home for vacation.

Miss Bertena Green is spending Easter with friends in Oak Leaf.

Miss Jean and Miss Rose Johnston spent Easter at their home here.

Mrs Robinson and Miss Marion Cornell are visiting friends in Brockville this week.

—Clover, Timothy, and Alfalfa Seeds—lowest prices—Athens Grain Warehouse.

Mrs O. E. Robinson of Boston is spending Easter week at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs H. H. Arnold.

Mr Claude Gordon of Montreal spent Easter at the home of his parents here.

Mr and Mrs Jas. W. Judson of Brockville spent Easter with friends in Athens.

Mr S. B. Covey of Rochester, N. Y., is spending Easter week at the home of his mother in Athens.

Mr Keith McLaughlin left this week for Winnipeg and en route will visit his brother Ross in Toronto.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs H. H. Arnold at 3 p.m. on Thursday.

Mrs Sarah Wilton and Mrs Gordon McLean are visiting friends in Lyn this week.

Mr S. C. A. Lamb is visiting friends in Smith's Falls this week.

—Just received, another Carload of wheat. Cheapest feed on the market to-day.—Athens Grain Warehouse.

Mr John Watson, the new manager of Athens branch of the Merchants Bank, arrived last week.

Miss Jessie Taplin, Mus. Bach, of Toronto is a guest of Mr and Mrs E. S. Clow.

Mrs A. E. Donovan and daughter, Miss Helen, have been spending a part of the winter season at Preston Springs.

Miss E. H. McAndrew is spending Easter week with friends in Brockville.

The official board of George Street Methodist church, Brockville, voted unanimously in favor of the proposed union.

On Friday and Saturday last a warm south wind and bright sunshine cleared the roads of all snow, and flood conditions prevailed in many places.

Epworth League on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Topic—Life of Frances Ridley Havergal. Programme in charge of Miss E. Bottomley.

Mrs. Singleton of Newboro came here a few days ago to care for her daughter, Mrs McGhie, who was ill, but was herself taken sick and is now receiving medical treatment.

The members of Athens hockey team were photographed by Mrs Bottomley this week. Their well-earned trophy, the Penwarden cup, occupies a prominent position in the picture.

Members of the staff of the local branch of the Merchants Bank testified their esteem for the manager, Mr E. S. Clow, and their regret at his departure, by presenting him with a handsome leather case of brushes.

The authorized mileage of the Grand Trunk Pacific main line and branches is 11,500 miles, of which 1,745 miles are between Winnipeg and Prince Rupert, 1,800 miles are under contract by Transcontinental Railway Commission between Winnipeg and Moncton. At the completion of this national railway the trip around the world will be shortened by one week, as Europe will be brought closer to Asia. Time between the Atlantic and the Pacific will be annihilated when the service is in operation.

**Frankville Honor Roll**

Sr. 4—Maggie Baldwin, Ina Connor Archibald Donaldson.

Jr. 4—Roy Carr.

Sr. 8—Harold Leverette, Vernon Snell.

Jr. 3—Albert Connor, Andrew Edwards.

2—Olga Hanton, Courtney Snell, Mary Edwards.

1—Ross Edwards, Arnold Smith.

Primer—Oscar Smith, Lawrence Snell, Grace Dillabough.

V. L. Briggshaw, Teacher

If a suitable dumping ground can be obtained, the village council purpose arranging for the removal of all rubbish from the private property of citizens. This movement would benefit the public health, add greatly to the appearance of the village, and should be cordially endorsed by all progressive citizens.

**Brick School Honor Roll**

MARCH

Sr. IV—Mary Brown.

Jr. IV—Andrew Ferguson, Rachel Stanley, Wilford Coon, Kenneth Charlton.

III—Fred Moulton.

II—Fred Moore, Charlotte Ferguson Roy Wilton, Lena Coon.

Pt. II—Charlie Wilton.

Sr. I—Ernest Moore, Bryce Sheffield Geraldine Hewitt.

Jr. I—William Ferguson.

Carrie M. Covey, Teacher

**Glen Elbe Honor Roll**

MARCH

Sr. IV—Lillie Dixie, Robbie Taber, Muriel Seymour.

Jr. IV—Myrtle Taber, Earnest Seymour.

III—Harold Dixie, Arthur Taber, Clifton Casel.

I—Clifford Seymour, Arthur Dixie, Maggie Seymour.

Sr. Primer—Hilda Dixie, Mildred Hudson, (Frank Stevens Jimmie Bates) equal.

Jr.—Aggie Bart, George Hall.

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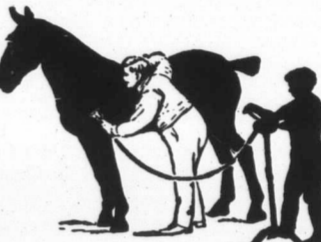
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