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LOCAL NEWS

ATHENS AND VICINITY

Ice Cream, Confectionery and fruits at Maud Addison's. Mr. H. H. Arnold left for the West to visit his son. NOTICE—No copy for "The Reporter" will be accepted later than Wednesday (noon). Mr. Gerald Scovil, of Detroit, has been home lately visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Scovil. Miss Arnold, B.A., has secured a position on the teaching staff of the Trenton High School and will assume her duties on Sept. 4th. Dr. C. B. Lillie closed his dental office last week and left for Orillia, where he joins Mrs. Lillie. Before returning they will attend the Toronto exhibition. Benj. Ferguson, sr., of Juntown, had the misfortune to fall from a hay stack on Thursday, breaking four ribs and also receiving a severe shaking up. Dr. Moore, of Athens, was called. Mr. J. E. Burchell and family, of Uxbridge, passed through here recently on their way to Charleston, where they will camp for a while. As former principal of our High School, many will be glad to meet Mr. Burchell and family. Mr. John R. Bryan passed away at the residence of his son, Frank Bryan, on Sunday morning. He was 72 years of age and was highly respected. Interment was made in the Oliver cemetery, near Gananoque, on Tuesday. The many Athens friends of Mrs. C. Arnold are pleased to have her home again after an absence of a month at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, where she underwent an operation and special treatment. She is now making rapid progress towards recovery. Three more carloads of coal, consigned to G. W. Beach, arrived in Athens and many citizens have taken heed to the danger of a coal shortage and laid in their supply of fuel for the fall and winter. There is practically no coal held in reserve by the dealers so far. Mr. H. B. Love, B.A., Lyndhurst, recently employed by the Lage of the Woods Milling Company, of Montreal, has received an appointment to the staff of the Calgary Commercial Collegiate, taking charge of the accountancy department. He will teach modern accountancy, office organization, and management, and commercial law. Miss Ruth Hilliard, B.A., of Morrisburg, has left for Kobe, Japan, to fill a three years' engagement in the academy established by the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada and the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States for the education of the children of Protestant missionaries in that country. Miss Hilliard was chosen by the Faculty of the Ontario College of Education from a large number of applicants. The district received the grandest rain since June, on Tuesday. It was a real rainy day, but the downpour came between one and two o'clock in the afternoon and was a corker. It was a rain the farmers hereabouts have been praying for during the past month, and eggs searching in all respects. August 21st will be remembered with satisfaction for some time. New potatoes, corn and pasturage will get a chance to do something. Sensation rapidly followed sensation in a dramatic motor race on West King Street, Kitchener, on Monday, between a man named Marwasky and the Provincial Police, with the result that the Provincial Police car and the fugitive truck were badly damaged in a crash, and sixteen cases of liquor were seized. The police sighted the Marwasky car and started in pursuit. The latter stopped on the gas, and a mad race ensued through the heavy traffic. Heading the rapidly gaining police car, Marwasky swerved to the left, and before a collision could be avoided, the police machine crashed into the side of the truck. Luckily no one was hurt.

Mr. Alf. Robeson bought Mrs. Chasels residence last week. Mrs. (Dr.) Connerty, Smiths Falls, has returned home, having spent a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. N. G. Scott. Mrs. Harold Sheffield and little girl, Helen, of Gananoque, are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Sheffield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cross. Charles S. Worden, Lyn, recently threshed some new oats which may be a record yield for this section. Five acres yielded 315 bushels testing 40 lbs. to the bushel. Master Ross Robinson, who has been spending his vacation in Toronto with his father, S. E. Robinson, arrived home this week, his sister, Miss Marion, remaining in the city to complete her studies at the Collegiate. Mr. and Mrs. William V. Lee, of Almonte, have been visiting at the home of Mr. Lee's parents, Reid St., and last week Mrs. Reid went over to Mallorytown and vicinity to visit friends for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. John Lavine, Brockville, came out with their auto and took their aunt, Mrs. Ben. Livingston, and her daughter, Mrs. Webster, for a visit to Brockville and Jasper over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Wood and daughter, Georgia, of Portland, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cross, so as to visit her sister, Miss Keitha Cross, who is home for her summer holidays. Mrs. Davidena Barker and daughter, Amy, of Vancouver, have been spending the past few days in town visiting many relatives and renewing old friendships. She is a native of Oak Leaf and is visiting old home scenes after an absence of 23 years. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Orr and two sons, of Portland, Maine, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Orr and son, also Mr. Mont, of Portland, Me., Miss Lillie Baker and niece, Edna Lorimer, of Brockville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Steacy, Elgin Street. M. O. E. Robinson and two children have returned to their home at Bonston, Mass., after spending two weeks with Mr. Robinson's sister, Mrs. C. Chant, and the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold. Mrs. F. Scovil has returned home from Westport, where she spent a few pleasant days in camp with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Stevens, and when coming home the Misses Norma and Reta Stevens came with their grandmother to spend part of their holidays. Moving is the order of the day. Mr. and Mrs. James Alguire, sr., of Wiltsetown, are moving into their daughter's house on Victoria Street, and Mrs. Alice Johnson into her own house on Church Street. Mr. Rogers and family left this week for his new home, and we understand that Mr. Campbell and family will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Rogers. The staff for the session of 1923-24 of the Athens High School, which will be reopened on Sept. 4, will be as follows: A. D. Campbell, B.A., principal and mathematics; B. D. Murwick, science; Miss Viola Warren, B.A., moderns; and Miss Helen de Renzey, B.A., classics. Mr. Campbell acted as assistant on the staff of the school at the time of its destruction by fire. Thousands of tourists travelling through our province each season means millions of dollars left here in the country. With proper inducements here in Ontario—good roads and good hotel accommodation, the traffic is bound to increase, and the splendid fishing in the many lakes, which are found throughout the province, is also a most enticing inducement for the followers of the rod to spend their vacation across the border. Our own County of Leeds, as well as the adjoining County of Frontenac are noted for their many lakes, all teeming with game fish, while here on the famous Charleston Lake all members of the first tribe may be found in its deep blue waters.

Mrs. S. B. Williams, of Addison, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. W. Kelly. Miss Margaret Gibson has returned home from Kingston, where she spent six weeks attending Queen's University. Ms. H. R. Knowlton is spending part of this week at Caintown, with her brother and sister—Mr. Tennant and Miss Alice Tennant. We are a little late but extend our sympathy to Mr. Charles Kerr and family, of Elgin, because of the death of their loved one (Mrs. Kerr) which took place last week. The body was brought here and placed in the family plot. What's the matter that so many of our men and boys are going over to the States? Mr. Harry Stevens and son, Irwin went over to Herrings, N. Y., a few weeks ago, and Mr. George Bulford went to Carthage, N.Y., a couple of weeks ago, and his son, Leonard, joined him this week. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Collins, of Almonte (former pastor of the Baptist church here), are out for an auto trip and called to see their friends at Toledo, Plum Hollow and here, and on Sunday last Mr. Collins was persuaded to take the services in each of the above Baptist Churches, and Mrs. Collins took part in the missionary meetings held this week. Mr. Drummond, of Toledo, spent last week at Camp Restalot, Charleston Lake, with his daughter, Mrs. M. Lyons, Athens, Mrs. (Dr.) Walker, Merrickville, Miss Gertrude Drummond, Toledo, Miss Christina Drummond, nurse of the General Hospital, Brockville, and Mrs. Charles Yates was with them part of the time. All had a pleasant time and enjoyed the needed outing.

School Fair—Athens, Sept. 19th. Miss Emra Wood spent the week-end at Dublin. Mrs. Fred Latham has been visiting her father, Mr. Malcolm Brown. Miss Dossie Coleman, has accepted a position in Lyndhurst, as Milliner. Mr. Nate McVeigh, will re-open the Armstrong House, on or about Sept. 1. Miss Cora Gray has returned to Athens and will re-open her Millinery establishment on Main street. Rev. Dr. Giles of Orange, N. Y., will occupy the Methodist Church pulpit on Sunday evening. Rev. V. O. Boyle has returned home from his vacation and will assume his duties as usual on Sunday. Miss Maria Alguire has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Mary Howarth at Lake View Cottage. Mr. James H. Howarth, has returned home to Toronto, after spending some time with relatives here. Mr. Clarke, M. P. P., of Brockville, was in town on Wednesday afternoon and during his stay here, called on several of his political supporters. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cornell returned on Tuesday evening after a week's outing with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor at their summer home at Villa Minerva on the St. Lawrence. A quiet wedding took place in Toronto on Saturday, Aug. 25th, 1923, when Austin Gordon Tribute, son of the late F. W. and Mrs. Tribute of Athens, was united in marriage to Miss Edith Mary Murray, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Sheras of Charing Cross. Miss Murray was one of the teaching staff of the Athens High School—1921-22. Their many friends here extend congratulations. Miss A. M. Hollingsworth, Board of Health Nurse, from Carman, Manitoba, has been visiting friends in and around Athens for the past week. Miss Hollingsworth with her friend, Mrs. Jamieson, who has been visiting relatives at Acton, motored from Carman. They passed through St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Chicago, crossing the border at Detroit, visiting in St. Thomas and Toronto en route. They left this week on their return trip to Carman.

In Loving Memory of EASIL F. CONNERTY Killed in Action Saturday, August 5th, 1918. We cannot say, we will not say That he is dead—he is just away; with a cherry smile, and a wave of the hand, He wandered into an unknown land, And left us dreaming how very fair That land must be, since he lingers there.

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