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B. Loverin, Prop'r

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## LABOR DAY IN ATHENS

### THE RAIN SPOILED MANY WELL LAID PLANS

No Tournament or Picnics—Duck Shooting—"Bronchos" Trimmed Brockville Boys.

Labor Day was not observed as a public holiday by the business men in Athens, the stores being open all day. The clerks were quite anxious to take advantage of the holiday and enjoy the day duck shooting, fishing, etc., and so were somewhat disappointed. A few were not in favor of closing, and this resulted in all keeping open. The day passed off very quietly. From early in the morning until well on in the afternoon it rained, at times good and hard. A little after three o'clock, however, it cleared up nicely, but this was too late to cheer the many disappointed picnickers, tennis enthusiasts, and others who had planned on having a pleasant outing. It was found necessary to postpone indefinitely the tennis tournament announced for that day. The duck shooting season opened on Monday and a few of the local shots enjoyed the day, in spite of the severe drenching they received. Several ducks were bagged. But one young man tells a sad story of hard luck. All day he only succeeded in shooting one duck and then was unable to get it. The "Bronchos," better known to Reporter readers as the "Wallpapers," trimmed the Brockville junior baseball team in a four-innings game in the afternoon to the tune of 32 to 3. The arrival of a large number of high school students and modelites by evening train, with those who had arrived earlier in the day, gave the streets quite an animated appearance in the evening.

### THE DUCK SHOOTERS

The followers of this popular sport who were able to get away on Monday had many interesting tales to tell yesterday. Nearly all were able to sympathize with each other in having sore shoulders. After a long rest the guns kicked good and hard, and this was too much for tender shoulders. Some none too well prepared for the heavy downpour of rain during early part of the day got a good soaking, and felt rather stiff yesterday, but liniment, freely used, is doing good work. Some were much more fortunate than others. Dr. Lillie and G. Gairford spent the day at Lake Elvida, leaving home about 2.30 a. m. The former bagged fifteen ducks and the latter fourteen. On the same lake two gentlemen from that district only managed to get one between them all day. Five went to the White Lake. Messrs. Jacobs and Earl all day could only bring down six of the black beauties between them. Ed. Curry, the local toporial artist, had a little better luck and bagged five. C. Thorn, son succeeded in getting twelve. But it was the popular tatter in the local branch of the Merchants Bank, D. B. P. White, who received the greatest disappointment. For days he had seen visions of himself seated in a boat in the centre of a bog, witnessed the frequent approach of flocks of black beauties, saw the largest and best falling on all sides, the result of his steady aim. But it was only a dream. Before dawn, with others, he was on the scene well equipped for the attack on the duck camp. Nearly all day he stuck to his stand. The ducks oared fearlessly far above him, shot after shot was fired, nothing fell but big drops of rain. Long he lingered there with hope on a comfortable, and was just on the eve of discouragement when a shot from his gun truer than the others struck the duck, there was a flutter, the wings dropped and the beauty fell, but it was never seen again. That was the nearest the teller came to getting a much coveted duck. "If I could only have found that one," he said, "I would have been quite happy. I enjoyed hearing the guns go off anyway."

consequently were an easy proposition for the locals. The visitors arrived somewhat unexpectedly about 4.30, and so it took the home team some time to get their team ready, only four innings could be played. This, however, was sufficient time for the "Bronchos" to give the Brockville gents a good "walloping" as the following score will show:

Brockville	0	2	0	1	3
Bronchos	4	11	7	10	32

Batteries—Lowery and Wing, L. Caldwell and Malette. Bronchos, Leo and Gifford. Umpire, Mr. McGraw, of Brockville. Attendance, 100.

Following is the personnel of the teams, with the individual scores:

Brockville—Daly, 0; L. Caldwell, 0; Hall, 0; Wing, 0; M. Caldwell, 0; Kennedy, 0; Lowery, 1; Malette, 2; Sawdon, 0.
Athens Bronchos—Lee, 4; DeWolfe, 5; Gifford, 4; Green, 3; Parish, 3; Berney, 4; Arnold 2; Tanner, 3; Stinson, 4.

THE HARD LUCK PARTY  
A party of young people in Athens are beginning to think strange things. Every time they make arrangements to have an outing something always occurs to prevent their plans being carried out—generally rain. About two months ago plans were complete for a moonlight outing on the lake; that night it rained. Two weeks later a farewell party was to have been given in honor of a gentleman who was leaving town, in the form of a sail on Charleston lake; it was cancelled on account of rain. A week or so later a similar outing was being arranged in honor of a young lady visiting in Athens; illness of the lady's aunt called the lady home unexpectedly and this was dropped. Arrangements were complete for a pleasant afternoon at the lake on Labor Day, when rain again stopped proceedings. In the evening a hurried attempt was made to get up a surprise party; some no doubt thought of the strange end of all former plans this season, got nervous, said they could not go, and there it ended. It looks as if there is a hoodoo somewhere.

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### GEORGE FRED PURVIS DEAD

Old Pioneer Passed Beyond the Veil This Morning.

A telegram to friends in Athens conveyed the sad news of the death, at his home in the Purvis neighborhood near Lya, this (Wednesday) morning of another of the old pioneers of the Front of Yonge, in the person of George Fred Purvis, aged 76 years.

The deceased had been a great sufferer for several years with rheumatism, but was in his usual health up to a couple of days ago. He was married when young to Miss Margaret Moorhouse, sister of John Moorhouse, and leaves two sons, Dr. John F. Purvis, and Frank, at home, also three daughters, Maggie, (Mrs. Hazelwood) now in Winnipeg; Henrietta, with her brother in Athens, and Eveline and Winnifred at home.

No arrangements had been made regarding the funeral at the time of going to press.

### THE HIGH SCHOOL

Opened Tuesday With a Record Attendance.

There is a record attendance at the High School which opened yesterday morning. There is only one change in the teaching staff, Mr. Graham of Markham taking Mr. Anderson's place as science master. Following is a complete list of pupils entering the school for the first time:

Carlyle Avery, Mallorytown; Maud Avery, Junetown; Alma Brown, Elgin; Ralph Barker, Forfar; Mabel Carpenter, Blanche Carpenter, North Augusta; Edith Danby, Athens; Philip Danby, Lyndhurst; John Donovan, Athens; Anna Dougall, Lyndhurst; Lizzie Doolan, Frankville; Minnie DeWolfe, Portland; Harley Ferguson, Caintown; Eddie Gillip, Addison; Byron Green, Lyndhurst; Morton Greer, North Augusta; Clarence Howard, Athens; Ernest Harvey, Anna Harvey, Lyndhurst; Clifford Howe, Athens; Victoria Hall, Addison; Edith Hagerman, Mallorytown; Gertrude Hicok, Sweet's Corners; Martha Kincaid, Soperton; Wilfrid Lattimer, Glen Buell; Gertrude Livingston, Frankville; Mary Moran, Portland; Ruby Morris, Athens; Bella Morris, Elgin; Emma Moore, Greenbush; Caesar Myers, Forfar; Pearl McDonald, Athens; Ruby Rogers, New Boyne; Gertrude Rabb, Lombardy; Edna Scott, Addison; Edna Steacy, Mary Sheffield, Eliza Smith, Athens; Robert Stevens, Delta; Maud Taylor, Chantry; Lena Walker, Athens; Etta Willis, Lyndhurst; Estella Young, Forfar; Imerison, Ethel, Seely's Bay.

### THE READING ROOM

To be Opened to the Public First of Next Month

On Wednesday evening last the 'Y's' met at the home of Miss Blanchard. Opening the reading room was the topic discussed. They decided to advertise for a caretaker, secure rooms and have them opened to the public by October 1st. The 'Y's' have about \$180 in the treasury. They wish to use a large part of this for the purchase of new books, to be added to the collection stored away. The Council will be interviewed at their next meeting and a small grant asked for. The ladies also hope to have the reading room placed under the supervision of the Council, in order that the customary government grant may be secured. The leading newspapers and magazines will be placed on the tables.

### AT THE HOTELS.

Armstrong House: R. W. Bigley, Smith's Falls; B. F. Scott, Addison; T. W. McManus, Brockville; F. C. and A. R. Fairbairne, Brockville; R. A. Flynn, Owego, N. Y.; B. Burnham, Yonge Mills; S. S. Empey, Brockville; H. S. Dann, Montreal; W. Laidlaw, Toronto; J. D. Truesdell, W. A. Jordan, Elgin; S. F. Green, Portland; W. A. Brown, Carleton Place; W. J. Mackley, Brockville; R. Kinney, Brockville; C. Ross McIntosh, Owen Sound.

Gamble House: D. E. Turner, Dundas; W. Brander, Montreal; S. H. Laughlin, Toronto; A. Roach, Well-on; H. W. Stinson, Toledo; D. Adair, W. A. Richardson, Toronto; J. Jackson, Perth; W. J. Fox, Smith's Falls; J. A. Bradley, Prescott; F. M. Hall, Lindsay; J. M. Watson, Montreal; W. Justus, Rock Spring; C. C. Fulford, Brockville; Messrs. Stevenson and Gill, E. H. Berry, W. B. Warren, North Augusta; B. P. Breese, Delta; R. Grothier, Newboro; Geo. Puffer, Brockville; R. C. Armstrong, Ottawa; Mr. Green, Oak Leaf; Jas. Sexton, Kingston; Thos. R. Bach, Brockville; M. T. Carson, Montreal; D. Landon, Lansdowne.

The foreign Legations at Pekin have received reports that the rebellion is spreading in Szechuan Province.

Several Hamburg-American Line steamers which have been idle are to be put on again for the grain trade.

### PROMPTNESS APPRECIATED

Messrs. John R. and W. L. Reid, managers, Eastern Ontario, Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, Ottawa.

Sirs,—Your company's cheque for \$1,000, being the amount coming to me from the policy of my late husband, D. Parish, has just been handed to me by the local agent here. Will you kindly thank them on my behalf for same. I would also like to say that I am obliged to Mr. McLaughlin for the prompt and courteous attention which he gave to the completion of the proofs of death. I wish the company much success.

ROSEALTHE PARISH.  
Athens, Aug. 30th, 1902.

### REAR YOUNG AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.

The council met in the town hall, Athens, on Monday, August 25th, at one o'clock. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted and signed by reeve and clerk.

A grant of \$50 was given to repair town line road between Yonge and Kitley, on condition that Kitley gave \$75.

A. W. Kelly was given an order for \$18, payment for 2 scrapers furnished in divisions 5 and 2.

Joseph Moulton was appointed tax collector by-law at a salary of \$40.

Messrs. Hayes and Breese were appointed to wait upon the Athens and Elizabethtown councils to try and arrange for the purchasing of the Farmersville Plank Road.

A by-law to levy rates for the current year was passed to raise the following amounts:

County Purposes	\$ 765 36
Township Purposes	600 00
Railway	843 50
High School	700 00
General P. S. Grant	1396 18
School Section No. 1	100 00
" " " 2	100 00
" " " 3	125 00
" " " 5	21 76
" " " 8	90 00
Total	\$4741 80

Council adjourned until Dec. 15th at one o'clock.

The dowager-queen Margherita, of Italy, was arrested while driving incognito through a swiss village on suspicion of having stolen her carriage.

### THE REPORTER CORRESPONDENT AT DELTA

The Reporter correspondent at Delta sent a postcard account of the clever escape of A. Johnson, son of Thomas Johnson, of Oak Leaf, who was arrested by Constable Russell on a charge of bicycle stealing from a party in Athens last Saturday night. He was put in a room at Quigley's hotel. He tied a couple of bed sheets and spread together and fastened one end to the bedstead, and let himself out through the window, to the ground and escaped. Next morning when Quigley went to call Johnson to his breakfast he was astonished to find that he had flown. The correspondent gravely adds "Delta ought to have a look up."

THE CAMP-MEETING at Lake Elvida on Sunday last was the attraction for within twenty miles on all sides. A large number attended from Athens and in all there must have been over a thousand people in attendance in the afternoon, who enjoyed the services. It is an ideal place for a gathering of this kind. The nice grove is situated on the banks of the beautiful Lake Elvida, and on the warmest day there is always a refreshing breeze from its cool waters. Rev. Mr. Horner and many prominent local evangelists took part in the meetings. The good order which prevailed all Sunday afternoon with such an immense crowd present speaks well for the order keepers. The meetings close to-day.

Twenty-three persons were seriously injured by a collision between two passenger trains at Glasgow.

Edmund G. Vail, a blacksmith, was nominated for Congress by the Democratic Convention at Cleveland.

The custom revenue for August was \$3,326,456, an increase over the same month of last year of \$820,970.

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