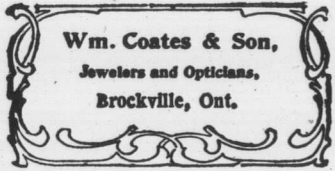


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LOCAL ITEMS

Two apprentices wanted—Miss Byers Cedar Park hotel has closed for the season.

The water in Charleston Lake continues very low.

The first heavy white frost of the season came on Sunday night.

Delta Fair to-day, and many Athenians are in attendance.

The Crown Bank has opened a branch at Mallorytown.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Fisher visited the big fair at Lyndhurst on Friday last.

Miss Bertha Lester is spending a week at her home in Renfrew.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb went on the excursion to Chicago last week.

Mr. John Eaton returned home last week after spending the summer in the West.

Miss Teresa Donovan, Toledo, and Edward McManus, Perth, were married on the 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Brown have returned home after spending a very enjoyable time at Montreal.

Miss Mina Clow, who has been visiting her sister at Regina, Sask., returned home last week.

Mr. Charles Wing, who has been at Spring Hill during the past season, returned home last week.

Miss Maude Webster of Lyndhurst spent the week-end in Athens, the guest of Miss Grace Wing.

Mrs. S. and Mrs. J. D. Boddy left last week for a visit with friends at Otago, Mich.

Messrs. R. J. Green and Geo. Godkin of Oak Leaf left this week for a trip through the Canadian West.

Next Sabbath Rev. L. M. Weeks will preach in Plum Hollow at 10:45 and in Athens at 7.

The postponed quarterly business meeting of the Baptist church will be held at Plum Hollow next Wednesday evening (Oct. 3rd).

The Brockville Presbytery will meet in St. Paul's church, Winchester, on Monday and Tuesday, October 1st and 2nd.

Mr. W. A. Lewis of Brockville is in Athens to-day superintending some improvements in his fine residential property on Reid street.

For Sale—Second-hand large wood furnace in first-class condition. Only reason for selling, am changing for coal furnace.—A. E. DONOVAN.

Baseball divides honors with football among our young athletes, and in a game of the former between village and A.H.S. teams the villagers won by a score of 5 to 3.

Mr and Mrs. W. H. Hanson and family and Mrs. Jas. A. Demarest, who spent the summer at Charleston Lake have left for their home in Saratoga, N. Y.

The death rate in Wolford has been particularly high during the past few months. There have been twenty-two funerals in and about Easton's Corners since last Christmas.

At the meeting of the South Leeds Sunday School Association in Mallory town last week, it was decided to hold the next meeting at Lansdowne. Capt. W. N. Bowen is president.

Mr John Ball is in Athens this week and says that the injuries he received by contact with a wire fence recently were caused by a man pushing him over the fence. He will prosecute his assailant.

On Wednesday night, Sept. 12th, 1906, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Earle, Lansdowne, was the scene of a very pleasant occurrence, in the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude Elizabeth, to Mr. Arthur Wesley Latimer, also of that place.

On Sunday next anniversary services will be held in the Methodist church. At 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m., the Rev. Chas. A. Sykes of Smith's Falls will conduct service, and there will be special music. On Monday evening the annual social gathering will be held, at which the Rev. Mr. Sykes will deliver an address and there will be an excellent musical program. Tickets for Monday evening, 25c. The general public cordially invited.

Mrs. W. H. Taplin and daughter of Boston are visiting friends in Athens.

Messrs. Sparham and McCue, barristers of Smith's Falls, have opened a branch law office at Frankville.

Live hens and chickens bought every Wednesday evening at Willson's Meat Market. Crops must be empty.

Special Offer—The Reporter will be sent to any new subscriber to the end of 1907 for \$1.00.

Miss Marie Weeks returned to Athens a few days ago, having spent her vacation in Ottawa and Toronto.

The Baptist foreign mission offering will be taken in Plum Hollow next Sabbath morning.

Mr. Jas. E. Blanchard, who has been visiting at his home here, has resumed his divinity course of study at Montreal.

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Mr. S. B. G. Wright, B.A., returned home last week from the West and will continue his divinity course at Trinity this term.

His Lordship Bishop Mills will visit Athens during the week of October 24, and a class for confirmation is being prepared.

The three moo-b-keepers who sold intoxicants at Brockville Fair were each fined \$50. Two months in jail is the option, and they will all pay.

Rev. Mr Meyer of Algonquin church the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday last and his earnest, eloquent addresses were heard with pleasure.

Mrs Byington of Portland has leased and will shortly occupy the pleasant home of Mr and Mrs Richard Arnold, who are spending the winter at Addison.

We are pleased to learn that the health of Mrs. Harvey Wing of Hard Island has greatly improved. Her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Taylor, has returned to her home in Boston.

On Wednesday, Oct. 10, Mrs. Minerva Stevens will sell by public auction at her farm, a half-mile east of Athens, all her farm stock and implements. See bills.

Born—On Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. Yates Avery, Temperance Lake, a daughter. . . . On same day, at Beal's Mills, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beale, a son.

Cheese ruled in Brockville on Saturday at 13c, the highest price ever paid, but the salesmen were reluctant to accept even that figure, owing to quotations from other boards.

On Wednesday morning last at Juncton, Miss Bertha, eldest daughter of Mr. Jacob Heribson, and Mr. Frank Chick of Caintown were united in marriage by the Rev. Mr Henry of Lansdowne.

It is surprising what unanimity and push can accomplish in even a small community. Out at Lyndhurst they have one piece of granolithic walk completed and have material on the ground for a long stretch, leading from the heart of the business section to the school house.

Recorder (Monday): Yesterday evening the police took into custody a girl named Martha Tanner, aged 15 years, who has been leading a wayward life for some time. She was brought here from Athens by the Children's Aid Society and placed in a suitable home, and it was at their instigation that she was locked up.

The venerable Archdeacon Lloyd of Saskatchewan will speak in the Anglican church on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Mr. Lloyd is an able speaker, and because of his experience can speak with authority upon things in the West. Everybody is heartily welcome. There will be no Wednesday service this week on account of this meeting.

A fatal accident occurred on Wednesday last at the LaRose farm, Long Point, the victim of the unfortunate affair being Andrew Shook, aged about 35 years and unmarried. It appears he was driving a threshing machine into a barn when the machine slipped off the gang plank and upset. Shook was caught underneath it and crushed to death. Deceased resided near Lyndhurst.

Mrs Wm. Mott is seriously handicapped in preparing for her departure from Athens. A few evenings ago, while walking along Church street, she accidentally stepped off the sidewalk and fell heavily on the flat rock, a descent of over three feet. No bones were broken, but one side was badly bruised and one arm had to be placed in splints.

Mr. Arden Trickey is spending a few days with his mother here before leaving for the Canadian West on a prospecting trip. After several years successful service with the Joy S. S. Co. at Providence, R. I., he severed his connection with the firm a few days ago and was presented with an address, a gold chain and handsome diamond locket bearing his monogram.

Ogdensburg Fair and Horse Show

On Friday, Sept. 28, the above Fair and Horse Show offer special attractions and race programme, including free for all for which a large number of fast horses have been entered. Arrangements have been made to run an excursion leaving Athens at 8.45 a.m. Fare for round trip to Ogdensburg, 65 cents.

Anniversary Services

The Athens Baptist church held highly profitable anniversary services on Sabbath last. In the morning and afternoon Rev. C. N. Dewey of Delta, had charge of the services, preaching two appropriate and acceptable sermons and rendering a solo to the edification of the audience.

In the evening the church was simply packed, and quite a number could not even gain admission. Rev. L. M. Weeks, pastor, took the opening exercises, assisted by Rev. I. N. Beckstedt, B.A., Presbyterian. The eloquent, fervent, spiritual preacher of the occasion was the Baptist minister of Summit N. J., rev. Dr. Giles.

For 21 years the Rev. gentleman has made annual visits and preached in Athens, and each succeeding sermon is regarded as the best. The people always receive an intellectual and spiritual uplift, and last Sabbath was no exception to the rule.

The music was excellent, choir and congregation uniting in soul-inspiring song.

The offerings towards the liquidation of the mortgage debt were encouraging, and the church is grateful to all who assisted in any way.

Union Valley Notes

Mr and Mrs Crumay of South Dakota, Mrs John Kincaid of Smith's Falls, and Mrs A. W. Kelly of Wilketown, were on Thursday the guests of Mr and Mrs Oliver Hayes. Mrs Crumay seems familiar with practical farming as carried on in that far away land.

Mr M. Topping received a visit from the government cheese inspector in company with Instructor Wilson of Athens. The official was well pleased with the construction, arrangement and practise of this factory, remarking that it was a superior one. He added that the government provisions required that it be painted thoroughly, inside and out. It will remain a lasting credit to Mr Topping that he very promptly complied and gave the factory a heavy white coat, which wonderfully improved its appearance and must please patrons.

Mr Oliver Hayes weighed 1580 lbs of very fine light honey. So excellent was the flavor that it was all sold before it was extracted, and 300 lbs, spoken for next season—ample reason to believe this is all truth. This is no disparagement to other honey. He has 50 colonies, a tasty well painted apiary. He continues to add to and improve his buildings.

Mr W. Steacy has connected his engine for a few days with the syndicate engine cutter, and Temperance Lake street is more than rushing the old work.

The Reign of Empire Gowns and Coats

The vital question whether Empire lines shall be or shall not be, is at last decided so far as New York is concerned. All high-class establishments have declared themselves upon the affirmative side, and are now busily preparing gowns cut with the elevated waist-line that is a distinctive feature of the Empire dress. It has taken some time to persuade the American women to adopt the new fashion, but from the present indications it will be seen in all dressy gowns throughout the Winter, and promises to become general toward Spring. Rejected at first as too radical, the picturesque but daring unconventional lines of the Empire gown have been gradually modified until Josephine herself would fail to recognize in the present-day product, the distinctive dress of her period. The belt-line of the Empire gown is considerably higher than nature indicates; the skirt is fuller and more graceful than the one from which it takes its name, and the long lines that fall from the softly draped bust are decidedly more chaste.

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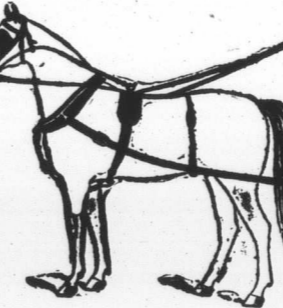
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