

LOCAL NEWS

ATHENS AND VICINITY

Notice to Subscribers

All unpaid subscriptions to The Athens Reporter are due and payable to the present owner, Mr. H. E. Bywater.

All outstanding accounts for Job Printing done up to August 1st, are due and payable W. H. Morris, Box 220, Athens.

Mrs. Neff, Hamilton, left on Friday last for home after a ten days' stay with her son, E. C. Neff, B.S.A.

Frank Emmons, Henry street, has leased his Plum Hollow farm to Mr. Seward, Portland.

Mrs. E. F. Neff was called to Hamilton last week by the illness of her mother, her small sons accompanied her.

Mrs. Jessie Bulford has returned from Plum Hollow, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dowden.

Mrs. Wm. Towriss is spending a few days at the old home, Frankville, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Eber Yates.

The many friends of Mr. Richard Campo will regret to learn of his serious illness with gripe. At last reports he is making progress. Dr. Harte is the attending physician.

Mrs. Robins of Lyn has been spending a week or so in town assisting her sister, Miss M. Clow, in the care of her mother, Mrs. H. Clow, who is very ill.

Mrs. W.G. Parish has been in Brockville visiting in the home of her son, A.G. Parish, Mr. Parish joining her at the week-end, returning home Monday.

Mr. P. Alford has torn down the barn on the Memorial Park grounds and conveyed the material to Charleston where he intends erecting a cottage.

Mrs. W.G. Towriss was called to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Yates near Frankville on Sunday, by the serious illness of her mother.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will hold their March meeting and quarterly social tea at the home of Mrs. F.A. Johnston, Church St., on Thursday afternoon next.

Mrs. L. Halliday and family of Lyndhurst have taken up residence in Athens this week, moving into their newly acquired property on Mill St. purchased from G. Johnston.

Mrs. R.O. Latimer returned home this week from an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. Roy Coon, London she was accompanied home by one of her little twin grandsons.

Mrs. D.E. Johnston left Athens Monday for Woodstock, where she joined her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Cotes, on a trip to Florida, where they purpose spending a month or so.

Mrs. J.B. Hodson of New Dublin has been spending this week in town caring for her mother, Mrs. S. Duceon, who was taken suddenly ill on Saturday morning last at her home, Witse St.

A large crowd of Athenian hockey enthusiasts accompanied the team to Westport on Saturday last and witnessed the final play of the League games, Westport being the victors.

Mrs. E. Neddo and little daughter have returned home from the Brockville General Hospital, where they both underwent an operation for appendicitis, and are convalescing nicely.

Mrs. G.W. Beach and Mrs. C.C. Slack were in Delta on Wednesday and spent a few hours with their aunts, Mrs. N.K. Benedict and Mrs. O.P. Auld, who are ill and confined to their beds and were guests of their cousin, Mrs. (Dr.) Kelly.

W.H. Smith, B.S.A., and family of Chatham, arrived in Athens last week and spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Purcell. Mr. Smith was the Agriculture Representative here for several years and is taking up farming at Plum Hollow on the Walter Percival farm.

LOST

Light Log Chain—7 or 8 feet long. Big hook on one end and ring gait on another. Kindly leave at Reporter Office.

Ice Cream, Confectionery and fruits at Maud Addison's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnston from the West are visitors in town.

Mr. Arthur Willard of Morrisburg has been spending a few days at Mr. Andrew Henderson's.

The Parish Saw Mill has commenced operations with J.C. Peterson as sawyer.

Mr. F.A. Judson is now convalescing from a serious attack of La Grippe.

Mrs. Harry Stevens has received word that her sister, Mrs. Frank Preston of Chantry, who was dangerously sick last Fall is ill again.

Mrs. Andrew Henderson of Eloida has returned home from Kingston, where she has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. Graham Richardson.

Services in Baptist Churches, March 4th, as follows—Plum Hollow, service 10.30; Athens, S.S. 10.30, service 7 p.m.

Miss Grace Rapple has been spending a few days this week at Eloida, visiting her aunt, Mrs. Andrew Henderson.

Mr. Collins of Eloida had charge of the services in connection with the Standard Church, during Rev. Mr. Smith's absence at Morrisburg.

On Saturday last, Mr. Noah Shook disposed of his household effects by Auction as he intends going to the Canadian West to reside.

Mr. G. Johnston changed his place of residence on Thursday morning into the house on Mill St. recently vacated by Mrs. S. Godkin.

Miss Florence Rahmer of Kitchen and Miss Hazel Rahmer of Tweed have been called home by the serious illness of their brother, Stewart, who is a patient in the Brockville General Hospital with appendicitis, having been conveyed there on Saturday last his mother is with him, and his many friends are trusting that the serious operation may be a successful one.

Mr. Alex. Campo, who has attained the remarkable age of 86 years, was in rather precarious health for a few days. He is on his feet again and able to entertain his friends. Intellectually he is very bright and keeps posted on all current topics—being a great reader. It's certainly wonderful how he defies the ravages of Father Time.

Women's Institute Notes

The February meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the parlors of Mrs. George Judson on Saturday afternoon. Many items of business came up for discussion, after which those present were entertained by Miss Coral Purcell and Miss Rhea Karanagh in a well rendered piano solo. The Institute is much indebted to the young girls of our town who at all times are so kind and obliging.

A paper on "Little Things that Make Life Beautiful," prepared by Miss Montgomery and read by Miss C. Corbett, contained many thoughts tending to make us more watchful of little opportunities of showing consideration, kindness and love in our home life.

Miss Dora Klyne gave a demonstration in the correct methods to use in button hole making. Miss Klyne certainly made her lesson interesting and instructive and ended by giving an appropriate recitation.

Needless to say, some of the results produced laughter, nevertheless, good work was done and the first prize won by Mrs. Everett Rowsome.

A vote of thanks was given Miss Klyne and all who assisted in making our meeting such an enjoyable one.

Ladies, do not forget the Domestic Science course held from March 12 to March 22. Miss Hamilton in charge, Library room.

The Women's Institute are bringing Miss Hamilton, of Armipr here to give a short course in Domestic Science, beginning March 12 and lasting ten days. Those who remember the last course given here know of the excellent value of these courses. Miss Hamilton comes splendidly recommended and we are sure the opportunity offered will be appreciated by many. The fee to the Institute, 25c; to non-members, 50c; 25c of which goes to make you an Institute member. These meetings will be held in the Library room beginning March 12, at 2.30 p.m. All welcome. Come and join the class.

Here and There

QUEBEC, Que.—The request made by Mayor Curley of Boston for the return of the small gun said to have been captured by the British on June 17, 1776, at the battle of Bunker Hill, and which now stands on the square of the Quebec Citadel, has been referred to the Minister of Militia at Ottawa.

PORT ARTHUR.—An official announcement by the C. P. R. at Winnipeg says:—"At Port Arthur additional trackage will be provided to accommodate grain consigned to the terminal elevators at Current River."

KOBE.—Sixty tons of Canadian commodities of various kinds have arrived at Shanghai to be placed in the newly-established Canadian sample salesrooms originated by Dr. W. V. Ross, Canadian Government trade commissioner at Shanghai. The show rooms will be in charge of D. B. Sparks, who has spent several years in China as a representative of Canadian manufacturers. Dr. Ross states that Canada is more interested than ever in the upbuilding of trade with the Orient, and the opening of the sales rooms at Shanghai is a tangible indication of the efforts being made to accomplish that purpose.

ST. JOHN, N.B.—At the present rate of shipment of grain, the 20,000,000 mark may be attained this season. For the present season to the end of January, the total export of cereal through the C. P. R. elevators was officially given at 8,904,335 bushels, compared with 4,576,233 bushels for the previous winter season. The increase for this winter to the end of January is 4,328,102. Grain shipments on February 1st of this year had equalled the total to March 10th last year.

LETHBRIDGE.—C. C. Stibbard, D.S.O., for some time C. P. R. trainmaster here, has been transferred to Penticton, B.C., where he will occupy the same position on the Kettle Valley Railway, a branch of the Canadian Pacific. Mr. Stibbard is succeeded here by C. E. Legg, of Penticton. Mr. Legg will assume his new duties at once. Coming to Lethbridge from overseas August 1, 1920, Mr. Stibbard has been a resident of the city continuously since that time.

KINGSTON.—Prominent officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway were in the city in connection with local matters connected with the railway service. H. J. Main, superintendent of the Trenton division, and Col. Ripley, district engineer, inspected the new overhead bridge on the new line entering the city and which is now about completed. The rails are being laid and soon the trains of the Canadian National line, as well as those of the C. P. R., will be running over them and a great source of danger will be removed in the diamond switch that has been in operation for so many years at heavy expense.

CALGARY.—Those who knew Grant Hall, Vice-President Canadian Pacific Railway, in the olden days in the West, can recall his remarkable prowess with a gun. Although he now has little time for hunting expeditions he has by no means lost his well-known aim. While his train was proceeding at a rapid speed between Wayburn and Lethbridge his party noticed a coyote some fifty yards away. "Odds you couldn't hit it," remarked one of the guests. "Taken," said the Vice-President. Bang went his gun and the coyote rolled over. "The Call of the West," remarked the Vice-President with a smile.

MEDICINE HAT.—Within the past year three locomotive engineers of the Medicine Hat division, James Fisher, Tom Penhale and Henry Hardy, have been retired from active service of the Canadian Pacific Railway on pensions. All three were veterans in service, have fired and driven construction trains in the pioneer days of road building, and for many years of late have been promoted to passenger runs. Tom Penhale is the oldest in service with the company, having enlisted in 1881. He has taken an active civic part in the community, and was an alderman of the city for several years. "Jim" Fisher has spent fifty-one years of his life railroading, covering during the entire period over two million miles in the cab of a locomotive. He started as fireman on the International and joined the Canadian Pacific in 1881—having pulled a passenger train for the past thirty-six years. Harry Hardy hired with the company in 1887 at Broadview, and later worked on a construction engine on the Prince Albert branch in 1890.

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Mrs. Geo. Scott MANAGER

Railway News

Toronto.—It is announced that Mr. G. S. Beer, C. P. R. city passenger agent, under District Passenger Agent William Fulton, has been promoted to the post of assistant district passenger agent. Mr. Fulton now has two assistants in his territory.

Medicine Hat, Alberta.—An expenditure of about \$60,000 is represented by the extension to the Canadian Pacific Railway round-house and the construction of the Company's mechanical coaling plant, and that sum is about equally divided between these two improvements. In both instances the work has given much employment to local men and there is still a considerable amount of inside work to be done in connection with the extension to the roundhouse.

Renfrew, Ontario.—Mr. Ed. Williams, Canadian Pacific Railway baggage master, who in addition to his regular duties, takes care of the flower garden which attracts so much favorable comment from travellers over the line, has secured another triumph. Mr. Williams has just been notified that his plot has been awarded second prize in the Quebec district, all of the depot gardens having been recently judged by an official of the road. During the past few years Mr. Williams has carried off a number of first prizes but the competition is growing keener year by year.

St. Thomas, Ontario.—Work has been commenced on the construction of an extension to the present C.P.R. yards east of the city, in the form of an 800-foot repair track at an expenditure of approximately \$15,000. The grading work which is being done by Irwin and Son of this city, was started recently. The extension is necessary to cope with the increased business and also to facilitate the repairing of cars. It is also understood that the addition of the new tracks will result in several more employees being added to the C.P.R. repair gang.

A small track about 80 feet long will also be erected alongside the new tracks to be used in case of an emergency. The new track will hold at least forty cars. Four teams and about twenty men are engaged in rushing this work to completion.

Belfast, Ireland.—For the first time on record a Canadian-bound steamer sailed from Belfast Lough conveying mails direct from the Northern capital. The vessel was the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's S.S. "Metagama," which, incidentally, was built in Belfast. The vessel anchored off Kilroot and 23 bags of mail, together with some 100 emigrants from Ulster, were conveyed to it by the Harbor Commissioners' tug "Musgrave." Hitherto it had been the practice to send the mails to Liverpool and other ports, from which they were despatched, but, acting on instructions from the secretary of the Post Office in London, the present system was introduced.

One of the passengers was a five-year-old child, from Dublin, whose parents are in Canada. The little one is in charge of a matron who handed it over to the matron of the "Metagama."

A Belfast "Telegraph" representative was shown over the "Metagama," and saw something of the excellent arrangements made for the comfort of passengers.

London, England.—Major A. Ewan Moore, London Manager of the C.P.R. Department of Colonization and Development, 62-65, Charing Cross, has received the following letter from their Brussels office:—"Dear Sir,—I beg to advise that a certain Mr. Martin, Avenue des Courses, Bruxelles, who has formerly resided in Canada, brought over by our Line in April of this year a shipment of Canadian potatoes. They were planted soon after arrival, at Boisfort, a suburb of Brussels, where an exhibition of hand products was held on Sunday last. A certain Mr. Lemmens planted 2 1/2 acres with Mountain Green and Irish Cobblers. His crop amounted to over 800,000 lbs.; one plant bore 9 lbs. 2 ozs., one potato weighing well over 2 lbs. This particular plant has been lent to us for window display and has attracted a great deal of attention. Mr. Martin has 400,000 kilos of Canadian potatoes in Belgium, which are not to be sold for immediate consumption but only for reproduction.—Yours very truly, (Signed) C. DE MEY, Agent."

Girls Play Fast Game

A large crowd gathered to witness the game of hockey at the town rink on Monday afternoon. The line up was as follows:—Town—Goal, H. Bourne; Point, M. Lyons; Defence, M. Moore; Forwards, F. Moore, B. Breeze, T. Parish.

High School—Goal, B. Bulford; Point, K. Beale; Defence, D. Mulvena; Forwards, C. Parcell, M. Robinson, B. Roddick. Score 11—2 for Town. We wish to congratulate the Girls on the success in their first game this year.

LOST

On or about Feb. 26th—an Od-fellow's Ring. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Reporter Office

WANTED

To purchase, a used runabout car. Must be in good condition. J.D. Boddy Whip Co., Athens.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DIVORCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Dora Webb, of the Town of Gananoque, in the County of Leeds, in the Province of Ontario, Married Woman, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for a bill of divorce from her husband, George Robert Webb, of the Town of Gananoque, in the County of Leeds, in the Province of Ontario, Salesman, on the ground of adultery.

DATED at Toronto in the Province of Ontario, this 7th day of February, 1923, by CORLEY, GORDON, KEEN & HOWARD, 302 Bay Street, Toronto, Solicitors for Applicant.

Clerk's Notice of the First Posting Up of Voters' List

Voters' List, 1923, Municipality of the Village of Athens, County of Leeds

NOTICE is hereby given that I have complied with section 10, of the Voters List Act and that I have posted up at my office at Athens, on the 2nd day of March, 1923, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality for Members of Parliament (or, as the case may be, At Municipal Elections) and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated at Athens, this 1st day of March, 1923.

E. J. PURCELL, Clerk of Athens Village

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS.

In the matter of the Estate of Seth B. Stevens, late of the Township of South Crosby, in the County of Leeds, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario," 1914, Chapter 121, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Seth B. Stevens, who died on or about the Sixth day of December, 1922, are required, on or before the Eighth day of March, 1923, to send by post prepaid or deliver to T. R. Beale, of the village of Athens, Solicitor for the executrix of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said Executrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution. Dated at Athens the 6th day of February, 1923.

T. R. BEALE, Solicitor for Jessie Perrin, Executrix of the Will of the said deceased.

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