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BROCKVILLE

COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUR STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS.  
A Bridge of News and Gossip. Personal Intelligence from Every-thing well mixed up.

SATURDAY, June 17.—After a lingering illness, Mr. Patrick Murphy died at his home this morning with consumption. Deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss.

Mr. Michael Freeman lost four sheep last Sunday night. Cause of death unknown.  
The farmers around here have done their road labor and much credit is due to them, as the roads were very bad in some places.

Mr. Judd, of Morton, has opened out a nice mine. The prospects are good.

EASTON'S CORNERS.

SATURDAY, June 17.—Two picnics last week.

Mr. C. Hawks, of Addison, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Wm. McCreary, who has been attending the school of Pharmacy in Toronto, and who passed his recent examinations successfully, spent a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watts paid Brockville a visit for a few days this week.

Mr. Minnie Tweedy, who has been attending the Whitby Ladies' College, returned home on Thursday last.

Mr. John Ferguson, jr., is home from McGill College, Montreal.

Another of our old and respected residents of Watford in the person of Mrs. Wickware, wife of the late Philip Wickware, passed to the silent majority on Thursday last, June 16th.

Mrs. Wickware, who was an old pioneer, has always lived in this section and was held in high esteem by all her neighbors and friends. She leaves six children to mourn her loss.

LYNDHURST.

FRIDAY, June 16.—The post office and Mr. F. Eaton's tailor shop are looking very nice, owing to the new coat of paint they received last week.

Some very fine work in that line we would call their attention to. B. W. Copeland's hotel, and also to Mr. Mackay's store. Johnny does not take a back seat from even his old employer.

We would advise Bob after this, when he goes in or on the water, to take a rope and the one end around his body and the other to the boat-house. He is rather young to get very far from shore, and he might accidentally get over the falls and then—Oh, Bob! the girls would miss your smiling face so much.

The staff master has seen that a good job has been done in repairing the sidewalks in the village. A traveller can walk along now without being afraid he is going to have his neck broken.

We understand that Mr. Joseph Withers has severed his connection with this little town and gone to Watertown. We wish him every success.

Miss Minnie Roddick, who has been confined to the house for some days with measles, we are glad to see is able to be out again.

HARD ISLAND.

SATURDAY, June 17.—Mr. Abram Robeson is at present at Easton's Corners, where he will remain for a few weeks to assist his son, who is manager of the famous Fairchild Cheese factory.

Mr. Justice Robeson recently returned from Wellington, Ont., where he had been attending a Friends' quarterly meeting.

Mr. Jas. Avery, of Mallorytown, paid a short visit to relatives here on Thursday last.

Mrs. J. W. Hiecock, of Easton's Corners, visited friends and relatives in this neighborhood last week.

Miss Cora Wing is at present rendering assistance to Mrs. Emma McLachlan, manager of the Athens dress-making department.

Misses Ordella and Jennie Robeson left on Friday to pay a visit to relatives at Hammond, N.Y.

The pupils of our school, together with the able assistance of their teacher, Miss E. Halladay, are agitating a picnic in the near future.

The members of the Society of Friends, who are holding meetings in this neighborhood, enjoyed on Sunday last the company and agreeable labors of a foreign minister, Elwood Carter, with James Kersey as his travelling companion. On being interviewed previous to their departure, they expressed complete satisfaction with their visit to these parts, also admiring the little town of Athens for its beautiful location and well promising aspect. Judging from the substance

BANK OF MONTREAL

MONDAY, June 19.—Father Kelly left on Monday to attend the commencement exercises at Bourget College.

Mr. Geo. Leeder, sr., is a successful and honest cheese salesman.

Mr. D. Leeder is erecting a building in Lys.

Mr. J. J. Foster will hold a picnic on King's Island. All friends and acquaintances are invited.

Mr. A. A. Radway will give his farewell sermon on Sunday the 18th inst.

The family of Rev. Jas. Puller left last week for their new home in the west.

Mrs. M. Fowler, of Kingston, is visiting her many friends in this section at present.

O. Lillie, dentist of Newboro, has his dental car here this week.

Rev. D. Fleming, we are sorry to say, will leave for his new home at Harrowsmith.

Mr. Chas. Coghlan will leave in a few days for Marmora, where he will start a new cabinet shop.

Miss Minnie Donahue and Miss Helen Robinson were the guests of Mrs. J. Church last week.

A good many from here purpose attending the picnic to-day in Mr. Enos Soper's grove, Frankville, gotten up by the Frankville Epworth League and Woman's Christian Missionary Society.

Respectfully dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hause, Plum Hollow:

Love we always owe another,  
All must sometime part,  
Remember who has left us,  
Right will often write our hearts,  
All shall from the heart,  
Ever shall we think of her,  
Dear to all who love her,  
Each one loved when first we saw her,  
None could say she was not kind—  
Heaven has their little loved one,  
And 'till they meet nearer Him;  
Sweet death has lost its venom sting—  
Earth, she left on trying day—  
C. V. W. Teacher.

The A. O. U. W., at Addison.

On Sunday morning last the annual church parade of Addison lodge of Workmen took place and was a very successful event. Over sixty members of the order were in procession, a number being present from Athens and other points. Rev. G. S. White, a member of the order, conducted the services, and delivered an address strongly eulogistic of the Workmen as a fraternal and insurance organization. Speaking in a general way his defence of secret societies was admirable, and while seeming to clearly justify their existence, contained a sharp rebuke for those who, through ignorance, seek to hinder the good work that is being done. After the service the brethren returned to their lodge room and served in first-class style.

Addison lodge is a progressive branch of the A. O. U. W., and the members are to be congratulated for the perfection of their arrangements for the services on Sabbath.

A Little Plain Talk.

The Reporter has on its subscription list a large number of the finest men in the county and that is just the same as saying the finest in the world; but the experience of the past two weeks has demonstrated the fact that it is not a few that may very properly be termed "measly"—a few who are mean and dishonest simply because they know that the amount they beat the paper out of is too small to be recognized in a suit at law.

Another club but little less contemptible, is made of those who have taken the paper for four or five years on credit and when dunned for the amount owing, call into the office, quietly effect a settlement on the basis of a dollar a year, and then as they pocket the receipt exclaim, "Now, I want you to stop it!" with the accent on the "stop!" Let us show just how mean such a man is: The cash in advance value of the paper is a dollar a year and the account of a man in arrears for five years should read as follows:

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When the editor agrees to accept \$5 in settlement of this account, he does so on the assumption that the delinquent will continue to be a subscriber and pay more promptly in future. It will be readily seen that the delinquency of a publisher's trust and liberality in this way is dishonest as well as mean. We are pleased to say that we have met few men of the latter class, and devoutly pray that the number may grow less.

English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blisters from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Stiffes, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Have \$50 in use of one bottle. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.

BANK OF MONTREAL

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RESERVE FUND \$1,500,000  
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Bank of New Brunswick, 100 150  
Bank of St. John's, 100 150  
Bank of Halifax, 100 150  
Canadian Bank of Commerce, 100 150  
Ontario Bank, 100 150  
Union Bank of Canada, 100 150

THE REPORTER

ATHENS, JUNE 20, 1898.

For business notices in local columns 10 cents per line each insertion.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pen.—Local Announcements.

Sold Right Down.

Public schools close on the last day of June.

For silk gloves, lace mitts, hosiery, and parasols, go to G. W. Beach's.

The B. & W. hay crop promises to be unusually good this season.

Ed. Miles, C. T., renewed old acquaintances in Athens on Sunday.

Great bargains in dress goods at G. W. Beach's—25 pieces all wool chaffs for 55c yard.

Carlton Place business men and their employees enjoy a half-holiday every week.

Mr. A. W. Blanchard is in Ottawa this week and will attend the Reform convention.

When you want men's or boy's suits, hats and go to G. W. Beach's before buying.

Carriages built to order, repairing and painting done in first class style at moderate prices.—A. James.

Examinations for entrance to the high school take place on the 28th, 29th and 30th of June.

Do you want 20 pounds of tea for \$1.00, you can save just Two Dollars by getting it at The Tea Store, Brockville.—T. W. DENNIS.

Three bank managers were at Cedar Park on Saturday: Mr. Broderick, Ottawa; Mr. Wisner, Prescott; and Mr. Kohl, Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Moulton, Dr. Creggan and Mr. Singleton, of Delta, were among those from a distance who witnessed the ball game here on Saturday.

The Morrison's Gleaser, came to our table last week greatly improved, editorially, typographically and otherwise. Speaking in a general way his defence of secret societies was admirable, and while seeming to clearly justify their existence, contained a sharp rebuke for those who, through ignorance, seek to hinder the good work that is being done. After the service the brethren returned to their lodge room and served in first-class style.

On Saturday evening while driving to Athens from Cedar Park Mr. A. Armstrong met with what might have proved a serious accident. He was driving a team attached to the Park 'bus, in which were seated several ladies, and when approaching Main st., on Elgin, a horse driven by White brother, of Elbe Mills, turned off Main st. and collided with the 'bus team, knocking one of the horses down. They sprang forward and the pole fell to the ground and striking an obstacle the horses freed themselves from the rig by breaking into a gallop and dashed into the street.

The sudden stop threw Mr. Armstrong over the dashboard and when assistance arrived he was found to be severely fastened between the cross-bar of the pole and the wagon box. He was at once carried to the hotel and a medical examination disclosed the fact that no bones were broken, though his limbs were badly bruised. The ladies escaped with a severe fright. White's buggy was considerably damaged.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to express the thanks of the officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school of this town to all parties who so kindly contributed to the pleasure of our annual picnic in placing wagons and horses at our disposal to convey us to Charleston lake, and also to Mr. Thomas Heffernan who so kindly allowed us the use of his beautiful grounds, and to all and every one who in any way helped to make the picnic pleasant and agreeable to the children.—D. F. FOSTER.

Drugs Wholesale.

The new drug house of John A. Barr has decided to increase their already large trade by offering to the trade in town and country all the leading medicines and chemicals and lines usually carried by grocers and country stores, at wholesale prices, and with that end in view have laid in an immense stock, no less than 50 cases and barrels being received during past month. Call and get their prices. Corner Store, Fulford Block, Brockville. Telephone No. 177. Orders per mail promptly filled.

THE LYN HOUSE.

A Modern Hotel, Conducted in First-class Style by M. B. Stack.

Two years ago last February M. B. Stack came into possession of the hotel property in the thriving little village of Lyn. For several years this house had been under the management of parties who had not given attention to the wants and requirements of the traveling public that they should, and as a consequence the reputation of the house, as a home for the time being of those who on business or pleasure bent found occasion to call there, had become lowered in their estimation. The property belonged to a man living in the western part of Ontario who seemed unwilling to expend anything in the way of improvement or repairs. Consequently, when Mr. Stack, possessing a good knowledge of the dilapidated condition and a strong feeling abroad in the village and vicinity against the house being opened as a licensed hotel. In fact, so strong was the feeling manifested that several petitions, largely signed, were presented to the license commissioners against any license being granted. But the license was granted and Mr. Stack at once set out to reform and restrain those abuses which were said to have existed under former managements. While in the village a few weeks ago the writer conversed with a gentleman who had strongly opposed the granting of a license and who freely admitted that the house was well kept, orderly, and

to a credit to the village and its enterprising proprietor.

During the past year the house has been almost rebuilt inside, the second and third stories nicely finished off into parlors, bedrooms, bath and toilet rooms, with billiard room and other accessories, and have been put in on the ground floor. While these repairs were being made to the house, the sheds and outbuildings were also looked after and the whole establishment put in first-class condition throughout. From a personal inspection of the premises, from garret to kitchen, we have no hesitation in saying that for excellent cuisine, large and airy rooms, cleanliness and obliging attention, the Lyn house compares very favorably with many large town and city hotels.

The Reporter is opposed to the liquor traffic and hopes for the day when entire prohibition will prevail throughout the land, but while we have licensed houses we feel it duty bound to give credit to a man who with pluck and enterprise will keep a house for the traveling public, where, when the day's labor is ended and he wishes to spend the hours of rest in a quiet manner, he can find a genial Bouffaire ready to entertain him according to his desires.

The cut at the head of this article is from a kodak print and gives a very fair outside view of the Lyn House.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison returned from Chicago last week.

Mr. Chas. Yates, of Brockville, is in visiting friends in Athens today.

The mercury registered 90 deg. in the shade this day at noon today.

Highest price in cash paid for wool, at the Athens woolen mill—Jas. F. Gordon.

The Reporter this week issued a neat little folder advertising the Hotel de Kenney, Jones' Falls, as a summer resort.

All the Charleston oarsmen were engaged in advance for several days following the opening of the bass season.

Mr. S. Fowler left this a.m. for the purpose of going to accept a position on the business staff of a company building a railway up North of Ottawa.

Mr. D. H. Cole, barrister, of Moosomin, formerly of Newboro, was appointed recently to a notice of Lieut. Governor Shultz, of Winnipeg, and is now spending their honeymoon in Chicago.

Last week while attending the induction ceremony at Westport, Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Thompson were made the guests of Mr. W. H. Fiedelberg and were treated to a trip in his fine little steam yacht.

In another column will be found the programme for the Sabbath school convention to be held at Frankville and Toledo on June 22nd and 23rd. The session promises to be very interesting and all interested in this school should endeavor to attend.

Sheila Fenn's Presentation.

Infirmary on the Sheilda fenn patent has proved very expensive to a number of farmers in this section. Mr. S. Y. Ballis has the right for Yonge and Bastard, in which territory a number of infringements have taken place. Several who were notified failed to effect a settlement and their names were sent to a law firm in Toronto, and they were forced to settle at once. There are quite a number who have not yet taken any steps towards settling their infringement. Mr. Ballis has their names and if they settle with him within the next ten days they will save heavy costs.

Officers of L. O. E. A., Athens Lodge No. 10, Athens, Ont.

Wor. Mistress ..... Margaret Chassels  
Wor. Dep. Mistress ..... Jane Barber  
Wor. Secy. .... E. B. McMillan  
Wor. Treas. .... E. E. Rowson  
Wor. Inscr. .... Sarah Pierce  
Wor. Inner Guard ..... Mrs. Morris  
Wor. Chaplain ..... Annie Richards  
Wor. Director of C. .... Mary Rappe  
Wor. Guardian ..... A. M. Chassels  
Time of meeting, First Friday of every month at 8 p.m., at the residence of Miss A. Richards, opposite town hall.

Ordination and Induction at Westport.

Tuesday last, 15th inst., was a red-letter day for the Presbyterians of Westport. In the forenoon a meeting of the Presbytery was held at which the solemn ceremony of ordination was performed by which Mr. S. S. Burns, a graduate of Queen's, was formally constituted a minister of the church and licensed to preach. In the afternoon the ceremony of induction was performed, Rev. J. J. Wright, Moderator, of Brockville, officiating as minister and Rev. Geo. McArthur, of Cardinal, spoke to the people. In the evening a meeting was held at which short speeches were delivered by Rev. J. J. Wright, Rev. McKenzie, Rev. S. S. Burns, Rev. Geo. McArthur, and resident ministers, Rev. Jackson (Baptist), and Rev. Plekts (Methodist). The addresses were interspersed with music and the evening passed very pleasantly. At the close, adjournment was made to the lawn where refreshments were served.

We have had the pleasure of hearing Rev. Mr. Burns and can heartily congratulate the people of Westport upon securing so able a pastor for the Presbyterian church.

THE PALACE

A pearl granite monument recently imported from Aberdeen, Scotland, by A. E. McLean is well worth seeing. The pedestal chalice lines look very pretty in the changing lights.

A James, Elgin St., Athens, has a second hand spring wagon in good order, capable of carrying 1200, or 1500 lb. for sale or exchange.

See W. F. Earl's announcement under the popular management of Mr. and Mrs. Ross this house promises to be a favorite resort for the people of this vicinity.

The reve of Athens instructs us to announce that he has ordered the chief of police to have summons issued against all persons who have not paid their dog tax and proscribed the necessary tax before Saturday evening, 24th inst.

On Wednesday last Mr. Loren N. Brown was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Brown, daughter of Mr. Ransom Brown. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father by the Rev. Wm. Knox in the presence of numerous relatives and friends. On Thursday evening the happy couple were accorded a reception at the residence of the groom's mother, Athens, where they received the congratulations of many friends.

At the regular weekly meeting of the Royal Templars on Friday evening last it was moved by Mr. Phos. Crawford, seconded by Mr. R. Arnold and resolved "That we the officers and members of Athens council No. 498, R. T. of T. tender our hearty thanks to Dr. E. S. Corneil and to Mr. E. Lovers for the use of their lawns, and to the Athens orchestra and Harmonica band for their excellent music, to the W. C. T. U. and to all persons, who, by their aid, helped to bring to such a successful issue the lawn social of June 14th."

There will be a strawberry social on the lawn of the Plum Hollow Baptist church on the evening of Wednesday, June 23rd. Admission, children, 15 cents; adults, 30 cents.

Send to Get a "Bantling" Piano.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers (wrappers bearing the words "Why Does a Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man") to Loman Lock Old Sooner Than a Man" to Loman Lock, 43 Scott St., Toronto, and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising, and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market and it will only cost 1c postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—South American Rheumatic Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.

Wool! Wool!

I want 10,000 lbs. of wool for which I will pay the highest price in cash or trade. I have a full stock of English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds and flannels; also Yorkshire shawls, blankets and yarn, which I will exchange for wool.

SALEMEN WANTED. To represent us in choice line of Hardy Canadian Growth Stock. Experience not necessary. We want real workers and to all such we offer a permanent position at a good income with chance of advancement. As we now have over 700 acres under cultivation in our own section many superior advantages. We also desire to secure a good man in your district to sell the stock of our firm for which we have the general agency. This something new and independent business is a real money maker. Send for terms and testimonials circular.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Nancy Pepper, late of the Township of Elizabethton, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 110, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Nancy Pepper, late of the Township of Elizabethton, deceased, who died on or before the 1st day of March 1897, at the Township of Elizabethton aforesaid, are to present their claims to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of July 1898 to the said executor of the same, to-wit: FRID L. MOORE, executor of the same, at his office, in the Township of Elizabethton, Ontario.

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KING STREET, BROCKVILLE

THE PALACE

Several owners of dogs in Athens are likely to get into trouble for not paying their dog-tax.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. B. Corneil was at Charleston for the opening day of the black bass fishing and secured a very fine string.

The father of Geo. Gordon, formerly of Athens, now of Newboro, died last week at his home in Ogdensburg, aged 83 years.

At Brockville on Thursday last 2,033 white and 1,718 colored cheese were sold on the board at 9 and 9 1/2 respectively. It is thought that the total cheese disposed of would amount to nearly 7000 boxes.

Domino Day will be celebrated in Addison by an entertainment to be given by the Council of Chosen Friends in Ashwood Hall on the evening of Saturday, July 1st. The programme will be musical and literary and the excellent local talent will be assisted by Miss Irene Mallory, of Brockville.

Pierce & Holbrook, now of Newboro, had been in Athens for the past few days completing the improvements recently made to the Gambler House by converting windows into doors to afford access to the fine double veranda that runs along the east side of the hotel.

Lawn Party.

The lawn party given by the R. T. of T. on Wednesday evening last was in every respect a great success. The night was just suited for the event—calm, dry, warm—and there were nearly 300 present. The arrangement of the tables, etc., on the lawns was excellent and the committee having charge of the illumination did their work well. Music was furnished by the Athens Quartette and the Harmonicas, and very good music it was, such as to excite the admiration of all present. The Japanese fan drill was a feature of the evening, and though, from lack of practice, it was not so good as when first presented, it was well watched with pleased interest by the large audience. The young people enjoyed a grand promenade, the west end of the Doctor's lawn being reserved for the execution of the dead march. The refreshments served were first-class, and there was really nothing lacking that would add to the pleasure of the evening.

For the Ladies.

Mrs. Wm. Mott has opened a millinery parlor at her residence, two doors east of Reporter office, Main st. Millinery work done with neatness and dispatch. Will also give lessons in fashionable sewing every Wednesday from 2 to 4 o'clock. Stamping done to order. Prices to suit the times.

Charleston Lake.

Two or three well furnished rooms at Idle Hill cottages can be rented by the day, week, month or year. Also a fine view of life of kitchen, cooking utensils, wood and tableware included. H. C. PHILLIPS, Athens, June 12th 1898.

Lost.

About 6 weeks ago, near Wright's Corner, a horse named "Linder" will confer a favor by leaving same with JAMES R. WALKER, Jr., Athens, June 6th, 1898.

For Sale or to Let

At a bargain—a new house and shop in the village of Charlton, with a fine view of the city. ALMERON ROBERTSON, Athens P. O. 2 1/2 ft. Residence, Wright's Corner.

Cottage to Rent.

On one of the most picturesque spots on Charleston lake. House new, two stories, with double veranda. Very nice view. Apply to W. H. JACOB, Athens, Ont. Athens May 22nd 1898.

Dress-Making.

Go to Miss A. Richards for first class dress-making at reasonable prices. Opposite town hall, Central St., Athens, Ont.

New Paint Shop!

The undersigned having leased the flat over N. C. Williams' Lumber Store, and put in a stock of first-class paint and varnish, is now prepared to do all kinds of carriage painting on horse-drawn carriages. A specialty made of re-painting party wainscoting and woodwork. All work done with the most experienced and reliable materials. Can give entire satisfaction to those favoring him with their orders.

W. M. BROWN.

Presses for Sale.

Having replaced our Washington press with a steam power cylinder we offer the Washington for sale at a great reduction for cash. The press will print a double Royal sheet and is in perfect order. A good two-cylinder distributor and patent composition roller in first-class condition and would go with the press. We also have for sale a small, two roller, self-inking, foot-power press, 5 by 8 inches inside class, which will be sold at a bargain. Apply to