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Local Notes

The Rev. W. P. Reeve, B. D., of Sydenham, is the guest of Rural Dean Wright at Christ Church Rectory.

The best protection against fevers, pneumonia, diphtheria, etc., is in building up the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Rev. F. Deatly Woodcock, Rector of Camden East, spent last Friday in town, the guest of Rural Dean Wright, at the Rectory.

On Wednesday last, at Brockville, Miss Edna A. Vanloo of Phillipsville and Mr. Geo. E. Brown of Delta were united in marriage by the Rev. L. A. Betts.

A number of the young people of the Brockville asylum staff were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Livingston one evening last week.

The funeral of Mrs. John Livingston, jr., of Hard Island, took place on Thursday last. The services were very largely attended, as the deceased was widely known and esteemed.

There is a pretty school teacher in Pike township who has adopted a novel means to get her male pupils to attend school. In order to secure an early attendance, it is said, she promised to kiss the first one who appeared at the school in the morning. As a result the boys in the locality have taken to rushing to the school house steps as early as five o'clock in the morning, and the attendance now eclipses all former records.

This is the most prosperous year in the history of the Farmer's Institutes of the province. It is expected that the membership will increase from 19,000 to 25,000 before the season ends. The original draft of 700 meetings will have to be increased to 800 to meet the needs of the situation. The Halton institute now leads, with a membership of 661, compared with 494 last year, with 545 as the highest of any county last year.

An exchange says: "Have you heard of the town of No Good on the bank of the river St. Lawrence, where the some-or-other scents the air and the soft Go-Easties grow? It lies in the valley of What's-the-Use, in the province of Lethe-Slide. It's the home of the rockless I-don't-Care, where the Give-it-Up abide. The town is as old as the human race and it is wrapped up in the fog of the idler's tears, its streets are paved with discarded schemes and are sprinkled with useless tears."

Farmers are already taking up the maple sugar question. Opinions are divided as to the prospects. Some argue that as there is no frost in the ground the coming season will be a poor one, while others are citing examples from their own experience to prove the contrary—cases in which the best seasons ever known were those like this—plenty of snow and no frost, mixing in common sense suggestions that the sap must move in the trees, frost or no frost, and that according to all precedents, freezing nights and warm pleasant days with plenty of west wind will make the sap run.

Smallpox Spreading.

Dr. Bryce secretary of the provincial board of health reports that there are a number of new cases of smallpox in the province. There are now four new cases in Renfrew and vicinity and the schools there have been closed for two weeks. One of the hotels has been placed in quarantine and every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease. It is reported that there are now twenty-seven cases between Renfrew and Sudbury. The case in Elizabethtown was evidently imported from Texas as the patient, Mr. John Davidson was not exposed at all. He is an old man and received papers from his son who lives in a town in Texas where the disease was epidemic.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Brown are occupying their residence on Church street.

Mrs. Vincent Judson died, after a lingering illness, at her home near Frankville, on Sunday last.

Miss Ethel Richards of Frankville has gone to Toronto to take an advanced course in music at the Toronto Conservatory.

The gripe victims in Athens are all recovering and are now able to relate, with sad smiles and suggestive shrugs, their experiences while in the grasp of this all-prevailing disease.

The many friends in Athens and vicinity of Mr. Geo. Taylor of Boston have been enjoying a few days visit with him. His wife and son accompany him on his return.

The Rev. J. DePencier Wright, M. A., who has spent the past two weeks the guest of his parents, Rural Dean and Mrs. Wright, returned to his home in Flintston this morning much improved in health.

The attendance at the Methodist choir social on Friday evening was not as large as the object to be served and the excellent character of the entertainment deserved. Refreshments of a superior character were served in abundance and the whole evening passed very pleasantly.

Athens Hockeyists Defeated.

On the evening of Friday last, a very lively game of hockey took place here between The Stars of Brockville and the home team. The players were:

Athens—Lee, goal; Barber, point; Hagerman, cover point; Arnold, rover; Lyons, centre; Rowsome and Warren forwards; Tett spare.

Stars—Kenny, goal; McClaren, point; Cook, cover point; Murphy, rover; Stewart, centre; Wright, and Whelan, forwards; Higgins, spare.

From the start it was evident that the Athens boys were out-classed by the visitors, but they played swift, clean hockey just the same and made the game as interesting as possible for The Stars. At the close the score stood 11 to 2 in favor of Brockville.

The goal umpires were Dr. C. B. Lillie of Athens and Mr. Homer Simpson of Brockville. Mr. Earle Taylor of Brockville officiated as referee.

Athens hockeyists have scored several victories and have borne their honors becomingly. They now know how it feels to be defeated, and as it was a perfectly fair game, they are prepared to accept the result philosophically. But they do not take kindly to the Recorder's false and unfair reference to the personnel of their team, in terming them "a picked aggregation concentrated at Athens." All the hockeyists on the Athens team are residents of Athens who have played here all winter, and the attempt of the Brockville paper to add to the glory of the victory The Stars achieved by such an insinuation as is contained in the foregoing quotation is just a little penny, to say the least.

Athens Public School.

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Inter. I.—Allan Bishop, Kenneth Covey, Winniford Gifford.

Sr. I.—Lilly Darling, Clifford Rockwood, Kenneth Rappell.

Jr. Pt. II.—Ketha Purcell, May Price, Malcolm Thompson.

Sr. Pt. II.—Verna Gainford, Bessie Johnston, Rae Kincaid.

Jr. II.—Beatrice Saunders, Esther Kincaid, Carry Covey, Martha King, Kenneth Blanchard.

Sr. II.—Stanley Price, Caroline LaRose, Alan Everett, Kenneth McClary, Harold Thompson.

Jr. III.—Steve Stinson, Mable Derbyshire, George Price, Harold Jacob.

Sr. III.—Hazel Rappell, Jimmie McLean, Leta Arnold, Keitha Brown, Earnie McLean, Effie Blanchard.

Jr. IV.—Jessie Arnold, Dan Conway, Ross DeWolfe.

Sr. IV.—Edith Witte, Winnie Witte, Floyd Howe, Jonnie Churchhill, Rose Johnston, Edna Howe.

FRONT OF YONGE.

Mr. William Ferguson of Malloytown and wife are visiting friends and relatives in Caintown.

Mr. Hollingsworth of the foot-hills of the Blue Mountains has moved to Yonge Mills, into the residence of Mr. Cook.

Mr. Ormon Gibson has been ill but is slowly recovering.

Mr. M. Dunkin, who has been ill for some time, is very low.

Mr. Mack Andress has moved to the Jones' pond and will work on the G. T. R. railroad.

Mr. A. Herberon of Junetown sold by auction last Friday, his splendid herd of cows. Some sold as high as \$42, averaging \$40 each.

CHANTREY

The proprietors of the rink intend holding a carnival on Wednesday evening. The Toledo band is expected to furnish music.

Miss Bert Chamberlain is visiting friends in Delta.

Miss Bell McCrae of Delta conducted services in the church here on Sunday afternoon, as the pastor, Rev. D. Earl, is confined to the house with

la gripe.

Mr. Earnest Gibson, of Smith's Falls, and Misses Aggie Knapp and Edna Smith of Plum Hollow spent Sunday at Wm. Gibson's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Burroughs, who have been visiting friends here for the past two months, left on Monday for their home in Iowa.

Miss Abbie Der-yabire is visiting her sisters in this place.

Messrs M. Sherwood and Z. L. Chamberlain are on the sick list this week.

CHARLESTON LAKE

Miss J. Hudson has commenced taking bath lessons, and is making rapid progress.

Mr. Robert Flood of McIntosh Mills has been spending the week in Charleston.

Mr. A. Moulton has a very severe attack of la gripe.

Mrs. Wm. Amell has returned from Cardinal, where she has been spending the past week.

A great number from Lansdowne attended the horse races on Tuesday last.

Mr. M. Cobey lost his horse and cutter during the confusion after the races on Tuesday last.

Miss L. McCollum was the guest of the Misses Hudson last Sunday.

The people of this vicinity are mourning the opening of L. nt and the consequent closing of the dancing season.

Miss Minnie Burns spent last week in Charleston.

There is a young son at Mr. Benjamin Beale's.

Mr. J. Hudson has been confined to the house since the races, being the victim of a bad case of disappointment.

Miss Minnie Cowan has recovered from the gripe.

SEELEY'S BAY

Mr. Charles Blackman, an old and respected resident of this place, died last Saturday, Feb. 23rd, aged 78 years. He leaves to mourn his loss two sons and six daughters, besides a large circle of friends. The funeral took place on Monday, 25th at two o'clock p. m. in the Methodist church, a large congregation being present. Rev. Wm. Serice conducted the service, after which the body was placed in the vault.

Mr. James Moulton is very ill and small hopes are entertained for her recovery.

G. R. Hawkins, ill the past five weeks with la gripe and pneumonia, is nearly recovered.

Mylos Young has purchased the house and lot situated on Concession St., owned by John Stevenson. He will erect in the spring a blacksmith shop thereon.

G. W. Hurlbut has sold out his express stage business to Ripley and Stafford, proprietors of the Kingston and Westport stage line.

John Jackson has placed in position a combined lathe and bolt-cutting machine.

John Chapman of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his parents and renewing old acquaintances.

Manly Moore is laid up with an attack of the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steacy of Warburton visited friends here the past few days.

Rev. J. and Mrs. Sinclair will shortly remove to Manitou.

John Chapman is recovering slowly from a severe attack of la gripe.

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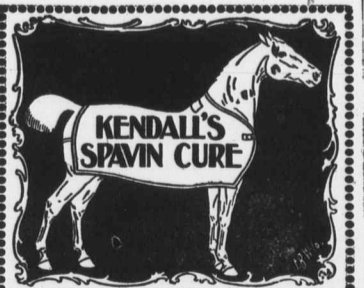
He (absently)—Yes, usually.

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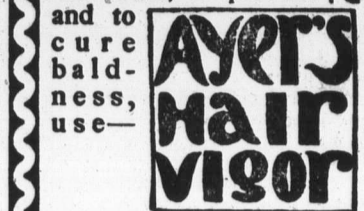
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