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The great windstorm which swept this section on Friday last did considerable damage, leveling fences, unroofing buildings, and breaking trees. No fatalities are reported, though in other parts of Canada and northern New York several deaths are reported. The most serious damage in Athens was the destruction of a large colored-glass window in the Church of St. Denis.

Gananoque council has received an offer for street lighting by electricity brought from Kingston Mills. On a 10-year contract, 60 c.p. tungsten lights would cost \$7.20 for a continuous service every night in the year; commercial 10c per watt, 30 per cent. discount for prompt payments; private residences 10c per watt, 35 per cent. discount; manufacturers, 10c. per watt, 25 per cent. discount. When owners of power in this district are able to duplicate this offer the lighting of Athens streets will cease to be a problem.

Last week representatives of the Ottawa and Morrisburg Electric Railway met the Brockville Town Council and the Council of the Board of Trade in Victoria Hall and outlined a proposition to make our county town the terminal of the railway, with possibly a street-car service in the town. The proposition was favorably received and negotiations will be continued to obtain a mutually advantageous arrangement. Perhaps this line, which now looks as if it would be built, may ultimately develop into the long anticipated belt line that is to run through Athens and on to Ottawa.

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Local and General

Miss R. Morris spent Easter with friends in Ottawa.

More investigation at the start will mean less disappointment in the end.

The St. Lawrence River is now reported to be clear of ice.

Miss Mabel Pipe of Brockville is visiting friends in Athens this week.

Mr and Mrs A. Duconon leaves Athens this week for their factory near Winchester.

Mrs Chas. F. Yates and little daughter, Geneva, are visiting friends in Morrickville.

Mr Wm. Yates, late of Lyn, is opening a farm machinery depot in the Dowsley Block.

Mrs Grundy has returned at Athens after spending the winter in Gananoque.

Cash paid for cow-hides, horse-hides, sheep pelts and deacon skins—at Wilson's Meat Market.

Mr Milton Mansell with his son Ross and daughter, Miss Ethel, left this week for their prairie home at Maple Creek, Sask.

Ottawa has now two police women. They were sworn in a few days ago and were detailed for duty on the city police force. They are the first in Canada.

More than \$90,000 in unclaimed dividends of shareholders of the defunct York Loan Company is being held by the Toronto General Trusts Company awaiting applications from the shareholders.

For Sale—A High-Arm Davis Sewing Machine. Very low price for quick sale. Apply at the Reporter office.

The people of the United States apparently without design, have elected a temperance administration. It is said that President Wilson will exclude intoxicants from the White House, and that Bryan is an enthusiastic advocate of prohibition.

The Provincial Board of Health is taking steps to abolish the common roller towel and the public drinking cup all over the province. The board has also decided to have an investigation into sanitary conditions in barber shops.

Mr Plewes, accountant in the Toronto Bank, is leaving for Lyndhurst, where he has been promoted to manager. Mr Hudspeth, who has had charge there for several years past, is leaving for Colborne to manage the branch in that town.—Gananoque Reporter.

Wanted—The Names and Addresses of all Blind People in or near by this Municipality. Sighted persons knowing of such addresses will confer a favor by communicating the same to DOMINION TACTILE PRESS Publishers of Free Books and Magazines for the Blind, 275 Delaware Avenue, Toronto.

A form of litigation of a most unusual nature has been commenced in London, Ont where a retired clergyman has garnished the wages of a Canadian Pacific Railway brakeman. It is claimed by the plaintiff that he officiated at the wedding last October. The garnishee is for \$5 and \$4 costs. The defendant pleads innocence of the custom that the clergyman received pay for such services.

Bright Easter services were held in the village churches on Sunday and large congregations attended. In the evening the large auditorium of the Methodist church was filled to the doors, many coming from the country to hear the cantata presented by the choir the subject of which was "Love Triumphant, a tale of the first Easter-tide." The theme was presented at intervals during the singing by Miss Ola Derbyshire, and her voice, nicely modulated and sympathetic, was heard clearly in all parts of the building.

The regular choir was aided by the presence of Miss Rae Gallagher of Newboro, soprano, and Mr John White, tenor. The cantata proved to be a musical treat, previously unexcelled in Athens, the solos, duets, quartettes and unison passages being rendered in a truly artistic manner that brought out the full beauty of the story. The whole cantata was inspiring, impressive, and the choir leader and organist, Mrs Derbyshire, deserves great credit for the success of the presentation.

Mr G. W. Brown is confined to his home with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr D. R. Perry begins his duties as Village Officer on Monday next.

The A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge carried the higher schedule by a majority of 14,134 votes in a division.

It is believed that the Whitney government will introduce legislation at this session to wipe out the bottle trade in hotels.

Rev. Dr. Sparling of Wall St. Church, Brockville, has been invited to Carleton Place Church.

"Caesar sic dicat an de cur egist lictum." Brilliant student translating—Caesar sicked the cat on the our. I guess he licked him.

Mr Byron W. Loverin, of Greenbush returned home this week after spending several months in the West, chiefly at Edmonton.

Mrs A. N. Sherman, who has been ill for several weeks, is now visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs Frank Poulin.

The maple sugar season opened last week with a good run of sap, in spite of what appeared to be unfavorable weather.

The Ottawa Hockey Club has not been a paying venture the past winter, and it is expected that the season will close with a deficit of over \$3,000.

The man who tells the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth at all times can never hope to be popular in human society.

O. W. Landon, Lansdowne, was elected Jr. Deputy G. M. of the Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario East at Peterboro on Thursday.

Mr John Ross has been very ill since his recurrent attack of appendicitis, and has suffered severe pain continually.

A six thousand egg incubator just opened in Morrisburg marks a forward movement in the development of the egg and poultry business in Eastern Ontario.

Dr. C. M. B. Cornell of Brockville was called here on Sunday by the serious illness of Mrs Levi Stevens, whose condition has for several days caused her friends anxiety.

A lecture on "How Romanism Ruins a Country" is to be given in the Methodist church, Lyndhurst, on April 8th, by Patrick Morgan, editor of "The Liberator," Ottawa.

The township of Kitley is falling in line with other progressive localities and is doing away with statute labor. Road work will hereafter be done under the direction of a commissioner.

Recorder: Roy Miller, Mrs Jennie Moody, Alva Dales and Mrs Daley, of Mallorytown were all committed for trial at Ogdensburg on Friday and taken to Syracuse.

Mr George McNamara, a typographical graduate of this office, now foreman in the office of the Gazette, Burlington, visited friends here and at Delta last week.

The millinery openings were largely attended last week. The broad brims and slouchy, inverted dish-pan models of recent years are giving place to lids with more multitudinous crowns. A hobble on the hats would be welcomed by sight-seers.

A try for local option is to be made in Brockville and the campaign was opened a few days ago by Alliance speakers. One was a minister of the gospel and his language is characterized by the Times as "intemperate and blasphemous." Another lot of these wicked men will be in Brockville on April 1st.

Mr Andrew Dillon of Elliville died in the General Hospital, Brockville, on Friday last, following an operation for appendicitis, aged 39 years. He was for a time employed on the construction of the Athens P. O. last summer, and friends here learned with surprise and sorrow of his sudden death.

Chief Hillis signaled his reappearance to the head of our constabulary force by bringing to book a quartette of alleged drunks. Bringing a "ja" into a local option municipality is a perilous undertaking and should not be entered upon lightly. Some are inclined to regard with leniency the offence of being simply drunk (with no disorderly trimmings), but the law is plain and its infraction is costly.

Notice To Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of William Karley, late of the Village of Athens, in the County of Leeds, Merchant, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Statutes of Ontario," I. George V. Chapter 26, Sec. 55, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said William Karley, who died on or about the tenth day of February, 1913, are required on or before the twenty-sixth day of April, 1913, to send by post prepaid or deliver to T. R. Beale of the Village of Athens, Solicitor for the Executors 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 last such mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Athens the 19th day of March, 1913.
T. R. BEALE
Solicitor for Eliza Karley and R. J. Seymour, Executors of the Will of the said deceased.

NOTICE—All accounts due the late William Karley must be paid to Mrs. Wm. Karley by the 26th day of April, 1913.

The People's Column

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