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WESTPORT EDITOR DROWNS IN RIDEAU

W. B. Adams Meets Death by Drowning Saturday

W. B. Adams, editor of the Westport Mirror, a well-known man in this county, was drowned in Rideau Lake about four miles from Westport at 5.30 Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Adams and James Conley, another resident of that village, were out in a skiff, the former casting for bass. Mr. Adams was standing up in the usual attitude of the fly-fisher, when the boat overturned, precipitating the occupants into the water. Being about fifty feet from shore, they commenced to push the boat before them. The progress seemed too slow to Mr. Adams, who told his companion he intended to swim to shore. He was an excellent swimmer, but when about twelve feet from shore, he suddenly sank, having evidently been attacked with apoplexy.

On reaching the shore, Mr. Conley gave the alarm, and grappling was at once begun; but the body was not recovered until next day, in fifteen feet of water.

The late Mr. Adams was a man of 40 years of age. He was born in Westport, a son of Mr. E. G. Adams, one of the leading residents of the village. He was a printer by trade, and for the last 15 years he had edited and published the Mirror. His wife, who was Miss Burrell, survives, with two daughters and one son. Besides his father there also mourn two brothers and three sisters namely, Edward, now overseas, John of South Porcupine; Mrs. Albert Bradley, Mrs. Derbyshire and Miss Teresa Adams, all of Westport. In religion the late Mr. Adams was a Methodist. He was also a member of Westport Lodge of Oddfellows. He was a commissioned officer in the Canadian militia, holding rank of captain in the 47th Frontenac Battalion. Last winter when the 156th Battalion was being organized he acted as recruiting officer in Leeds county as a lieutenant. He secured his discharge only a few months ago.

The funeral took place this afternoon.

Hitsman—Mackay

(Smith Falls Record)

A quiet wedding took place on July 6th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mackay, Brockville street, when their eldest daughter, Minnie Belle, was married to Mr. Samuel Alexander Hitsman of Kingston. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. J. I. Mackay, B. A., of Sturgeon Falls, Ont. at eleven o'clock, in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The wedding music was played by Miss Reta Lyle, to whom the groom gave a pearl monogram brooch. The bridesmaid was Miss Inez Mackay, sister of the bride, and the best man was Mr. William Glover, of Jones Falls. The bride, who entered the drawing room with her father, wore a gown of white georgette crepe and lace, a lace veil arranged in a cap effect and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. She wore the groom's gift, a platinum and diamond pendant on a platinum chain. The bridesmaid wore green silk eolieu over pink, a Panama hat and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and carnations. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bracelet and to the best man a sapphire and pearl tie pin. Luncheon was served at small tables by two young friends of the bride, Miss Geraldine Riebaros of Frankville and Miss Angie Willis of Lyndhurst, to whom the bride gave as souvenirs sterling bead necklets.

Mr. and Mrs. Hitsman left by C. N. R. at 2.15 on a trip via Chicago to San Francisco, California by Pacific steamship to Victoria, B. C. and will return through Western Canada and the Great Lakes. The bride wore away a suit of African brown silk faille, blouse of the same shade and golden brown hat with dark brown quills. The bride is a Smith's Falls girl who lived here since her childhood. She is a graduate of the Smith Falls High School and of Queen's University and has been a successful teacher in the high schools of Kemptonville and Athens.

Mr. Hitsman is a member of the Collegiate staff of Kingston at present and was formerly a teacher in Athens High School. On their return in September, Mr. and Mrs. Hitsman will live in Kingston.

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LAKE DWELLERS TO SAFEGUARD INTERESTS

Charleston Lake Association in Enthusiastic Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Charleston Lake Association, recently held, the following officers were elected for this year:

President—Dr. H. A. Clark
Vice-President—H. W. Beecher
Treasurer—A. W. Wattenburg
Secretary—S. C. A Lamb

The objects of this association are to increase and conserve the fish of the lake, procure a fish-way at the Outlet, buy the shoals, and also to see that a wharf in keeping with the interests of the lake is built as soon as possible. To this end a subscription list has been opened, and it is expected that all property owners will subscribe. The annual membership fee of the association is two dollars. The association was only formed last year; but there are already most of the cottage owners on the rolls and a substantial amount in the treasury.

Last year, the evident need of a good landing at Charleston village was a subject of common discussion. A number of the lake dwellers met, and organized an association with several objects in view. These objects, then somewhat vague, have resolved into definite lines of action which are to be followed. With Charleston Lake growing in favor each year, the need for co-operation among the cottage owners is a natural consequence of common interests.

It is believed by the association that the high water of the lake might have been relieved at the Outlet, and steps will be taken to ascertain the privileges of the light and power company which draws part of its power from the waters of Charleston Lake.

The matter of a wharf at the village will depend on the voluntary contributions of those interested. Several generous donations have already given a bright outlook to this project.

It is not too much to expect that the membership of the association will include every cottage owner on the lake.

Slightly Gassed

Fred Arnold, a nephew of Mr. H. H. Arnold, was in Athens last week for a short time. He has just returned from Europe, where he received a slight dose of gas while executing his duties in one of the mechanical transport sections. He enlisted at Toronto and went over with the first division of the Canadians.

Speaking of his first acquaintance with gas, Mr. Arnold said that when it swept across the communication lines, he and his comrades mistook it for smoke, but they soon guessed the truth when their eyes began to pain. A staff officer appeared a little later sounding the gas alarm. The banks of gas rise and fall, and it happened that he passed through the gassed area where the air contained only a little of the deadly fluid. At the trenches, in front, the gas did not make its presence felt; but eight miles in the rear it settled on the troops in reserve.

The mechanical transport included no horses, motor trucks being used to haul food to the lines. Once, his section was commanded by the Imperial army and used as an ambulance corps. The communication roads are always in a state of repair, gangs of navvies being continually at work filling in the shell holes and replacing cobblestones that are much used on the continent in the making of highways.

Hard Island Honor Roll

Sr. IV—Eva Cowles, Cecil Alguire, Bertha Besley, Bruce Young, Erma Wood.

Sr. III—Isaac Alguire, Jack Young, Jr. III—Bella Darling, Mary Besley, Pansy Foley.

Sr. II—Marian Hollingsworth, Irene Darling, Lillian Dunham, Jr. II—George Rosenbarker.

I—Levi Alguire, Johnie Mather, Mildred Foley, Marilla Foley, Jack Hollingsworth.

Pr.—Hubert Wood, Beatrice Mather, Alexander Besley.

Social at Plum Hollow

The ice cream social which was held on Plum Hollow Baptist Church lawn Thursday, July 6th, under the auspices of the branch of the Red Cross, was a decided success. The evening was all that could be desired, and a good program consisting of vocal and instrumental music, and interesting addresses was given. Rev. Mr. Comerford and Rev. Mr. Collins both spoke very highly of the work of the Red Cross. The refreshments were quite up to the standard, for which Plum Hollow is noted. The sum of \$80.90 was received.

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

—Delicious watermelons at the Bazaar.

Percival & Brown delivered a Ford to Mr. W. J. Moore, Eloida yesterday.

✶ Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsay, Glen Buell, on July 11, a son.

Mr. Hibbert Johnston is assisting Mr. Robert Blair, C. N. R. agent here.

✶ Mr. Ed. Taylor has a new eight cylinder Briscoe car.

—At Eaton's you can get Wright's Ice Cream in bulk, cones, or sundae.

Mrs. M. Merrick of Vancouver, B. C. is visiting the Misses Webster.

✶ Born—On Saturday July 8, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, a daughter.

It is expected Westport will have electric lights by July 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gardiner and children, of Brockville, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Norman Brown last week.

Beverly Hutton of Smith's Falls, is spending the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cross.

Mr. William Usher, returned to Freehold, Penn., yesterday after several weeks' vacation at the manse here.

✶ Miss Martha King who has been teaching at Shestown is spending the vacation at her home here.

✶ Any one wishing to donate to boxes made up by W. I. for Manlyf Berney and Ross De Wolfe, will kindly send donations to Library Saturday night.

—Very fine new potatoes for sale at the Bazaar.

Miss Eliza Webster has returned home from Lansdowne, where she has been teaching for the past four years. Miss Webster has been re-engaged to teach the same school for another year.

Mrs. Emma Bredin moved her household effects to Philipsville yesterday, where she will take up residence with her brother.

Private C. R. Greenham is taking the course of instruction in bombing at Barriefield War Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Seaman and family, of Delta, were visitors in town yesterday.

✶ We are pleased to note that Misses Mina Prichard, Jessie Percival, and Nellie Brown were successful in passing their examinations at Ottawa Normal.

W. T. Rogers, principal of the Brockville Business College, has returned from Toronto where he completed arrangements with the United typewriter Co. for a full complement of typewriters and adding machines for re-opening of the Business College in September. While in Toronto Mr. Rogers had the privilege of viewing the plans for the rebuilding of the Fulford block and is greatly pleased at the arrangement of the Business College quarters, which will be more suitable to requirements than previous to the fire.

Mr. S. Stinson, section boss here on the B. and W. for several years past, has been transferred to Brockville, where he will be in charge of work in connection with the freight train. Mr. A. Robinson has been appointed section boss here.

We notice in the Brigade Orders of the 8th Brigade C. F. A., for June, the promotion of Pte. H. M. Cornell, No 113148, to provisional medical sergeant. Sergeant Cornell is a son of Mrs. H. E. Cornell of Athens, and is at present in England.

Miss Alice O'Donnell, of Regina, Sask., and Miss Gertrude O'Donnell, of Quyon, Que., are guests of Mrs. Catherine Hickey. Miss Mildred Hickey will accompany Miss O'Donnell on her return to the West, and will visit, enroute, her brother, Mr. George Hickey at Port Arthur. While in Regina, she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. O'Donnell.

OIL STOVES

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Mr. Harry Berney, of Brockville, was in town last week.

Miss Claire Lillie, of Oakville, is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Lillie.

Mr. W. G. Towriss is confined to his home with summer gripe.

—Cheese at the Bazaar is all right—so is the price.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. Steacy, of New York, is visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. E. Fair.

Miss Hazel Rabmer is working in the Rural Telephone office during the holidays.

The annual W. M. S. picnic at Delta will be held this year on Thursday, August 3.

Rev. Wm. Usher was in Brockville last week officiating at the Stratton—Herbison wedding.

Cheese sold for 15c and 15c on Brockville Cheese Board last Thursday.

Mr. Wallace Johnson, of Carleton Place, was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnson.

Miss Muriel Fair, who has been teaching at Westport, is spending the summer vacation with her parents here.

Mrs. George Mott and daughter, Miss Eva, of Barberton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Latimer. Mr. Latimer who has been ill, is able to be out again.

—Don't forget that we have plenty of Welch's Grape Juice, that national drink, good for everybody. The Bazaar.

The water in Charleston Lake is gradually going down, but at the present time is very much higher than past years.

Mrs. H. H. Arnold returned this week from New Westminster, where she was called by the death of her daughter, Mrs. Cliffe.

Miss Jean Kurley, of Lyn, and Miss Gladys Johnston, of Athens were guests for a few days of Miss Gertrude Johnston at her father's cottage on Webster Bay, Charleston Lake.

A Montreal druggist has been fined \$50 and costs for failing to affix a two cent wax stamp on a box of toothpaste which he had sold.

Service will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 7.30, after which the church and Sunday school will close for one month during the minister's vacation.

An assault case, the parties to which reside in Elizabethtown, was disposed of at police court Friday morning by the defendant being found guilty and fined \$4 with \$1.10 costs and \$1 damages.

✶ Miss Marian Bottomley, who has been teaching school near Augusta, spent the week-end here and left Monday for Rootstown, Ohio, to spend the long vacation with her mother and sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Lineheaver.

Glory be! Charlottown road is being repaired. When the section of road within the corporation is finished the travelling public will find the way to Charlottown in much better condition. There are, of course, some bad stretches of road, but on the whole, the improvement within the last two years has been wonderful.

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