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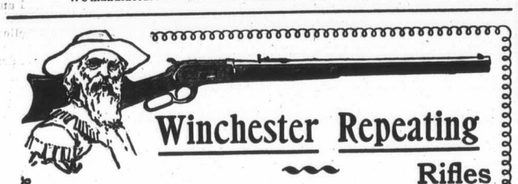

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LIBERAL CONVENTION.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, there was a large attendance of delegates at the convention of the Liberals of South Leeds held at Delta on Thursday last. Bad roads and the inclement weather deterred Gananoque delegates from attending, and they asked for a postponement of the meeting, but after consideration it was decided to proceed with the business in hand.

Mr. W. J. Webster presided, and in his opening address outlined the business of the meeting, chief of which was the election of a president to succeed Mr. W. P. Dailey, resigned.

The secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. A. Lewis read the minutes of last meeting and they were confirmed. A reduction of $7 was made in the amount levied on Newboro for association purposes and the balance ($3) was paid in.

On Motion, the resignation of Mr. W. P. Dailey was accepted and the following were nominated for president: W. A. Lewis, Dr. Lane, W. J. Webster, R. G. Murphy and W. H. Fredenburgh. The latter two resigned and the delegates proceeded to vote. Mr. W. A. Lewis was elected on the first ballot.

The following elections were then made by acclamation:

W. J. Burns, of Lyndhurst, secretary-treasurer, in place of W. A. Lewis.

T. J. McArdle, 1st director East Leeds and Lansdowne Rear, in place of W. J. Burns.

Thos. R. Tait, 1st director West Leeds and Lansdowne Rear, in place of C. C. Gilbert, resigned.

All the other officers of the association were re elected.

Mr. W. H. Fredenburgh delivered a short address to the convention, after which resolutions of thanks to Mr. Fredenburg for his many sacrifices and labors in behalf of Liberalism in South Leeds and confidence in the Dominion and Ontario Governments were carried unanimously, the movers and seconders being the following gentlemen: R. G. Murphy, I. C. Alguire, Dr. Lane, M. J. Connoly, J. C. Judd, and A. Stevens.

The convention closed with cheers for the Queen, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. A. S. Hardy.

SEELEY'S BAY

SATURDAY, Oct. 29.—Mrs. C. Eaton started on Wednesday last for her home at Inglewood, Chicago, after an extended visit to friends here and in this vicinity.

Mr. Joshua Robinson of Newboro visited friends here the past few days. He has lately returned from North Dakota, having spent about two and a half years in that country.

Mr. A. Jacob has moved into the Blackaby house. He has been engaged by Gilbert Bros. to take charge of their blacksmith shop.

Jackson Bros. are putting in a run of stones in their provender mill.

A sugar social and assembly will be held under the auspices of L.O.L No. 13 in the Select Knights hall on Friday evening, Nov. 4th.

Mr. H. E. Gage will remove to Gananoque in a few days, he having secured a good position with the Gananoque Harness Co.

Mr. W. G. Gainford left last Friday for Toledo, Ohio, to secure a situation.

Mrs. W. J. Christie is spending a few days with friends at Brockville.

The Seeley's Bay Hunting Club, composed of C. C. Gilbert, M. Ralph, C. Brady, and Rob't Moulton, started on Friday at mid-night for the north woods on the line of the K. & P. to hunt deer. They will camp near Gull lake.

MALLORYTOWN

MONDAY, Oct. 31.—A number from here attended the Reform convention at Delta on Thursday. We are pleased to hear that we have such an efficient man as Mr. Lewis to succeed our old, tried friend, Mr. W. P. Dailey.

Miss Buell gave Athens a call last week.

Miss Maggie Richardson of Gananoque is the guest of Mr. H. Mallory.

Miss Helen Kelly is improving very rapidly under the care of Dr. Beaman.

They have a new system of selecting delegates in this place. A few that call themselves leaders will meet and appoint those favorable to themselves, regardless of the rules of the organization.

Mrs. Partrige of Halleck's is the guest of W. I. Mallory.

To Our Subscribers.

On and after Jan. 1st, 1899, the Reporter, in common with all others weekly papers published in Canada, will have to pay postage on all papers sent to subscribers living more than 20 miles from the office of publication.

As this will add quite a large sum to our running expenses in furnishing the paper, we find it necessary to announce that all subscriptions to the Reporter must hereafter be paid in advance. We have exercised a large amount of patience in waiting on our subscribers until the total amount due us is considerably over $1,000. We have repeatedly dunned delinquents, both through the paper and by agents, but there are hundreds who have paid no attention whatever to our appeals.

This week we have placed a lot of subscription accounts in the hands of a collecting agency with orders to collect, even if they have to place the accounts in court for that purpose, so that any one receiving a notice will understand that we mean business and if they wish to save costs they will require to forward to the agency at once.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pencil.—Local Announcement Boiled Right Down

A new porch is being added to the high school building.

Mr. Nate Marshall returned to Athens last week.

Rails, fence stakes, and posts for sale. Apply to S. Y. Bullis. tf.

Mr. A. E. Donovan returned to his home in Athens last week from Nova Scotia.

Hon. John Dryden was elected in S. Ontario on Tuesday by a majority of about 200.

The latest plebiscite returns give a prohibition majority of 12,073, the total vote throughout the Dominion being in the neighborhood of 520,000.

The Ottawa Courts of the Independent Order of Foresters intend making a vigorous protest against the increased rates ordered by the High officers.

The marriage is announced of Mr. Kilborne McVeigh of Addison and Miss Adeline Brown of Elbe. The Reporter extends congratulations and best wishes.

Miss Hunt is open for engagements as trained nurse either in Brockville or surrounding country. Apply at A. James', over Dr. Graham's dental office, Main St, Brockville. 3 in.

Walter C. Smith has bought out the entire stock of the late James Duggan and will sell boots, shoes and rubbers at original cost for the next few weeks. Call and see the stock, which is well selected and will be sold at a great sacrafice. 3i

An attempt was made on Saturday night to hold-up a young man who was returning from Athens to his home at Elbe. When near the Johnson creamery, a man suddenly emerged from the shadow of some shrubbery and grabbed the horse by the reins, close to the bit A pull on the lines means "go" to that particular pony, and go it did so suddenly and with such force that the "hold-upper" was obliged to release it. The would-be robber could not be identified.

Mr. Geo. P. Graham, M. P. P., has taken the lead in adding an incentive to study in the Athens high school by offering a medal for competition among the students. The medal is to be of a design selected by the trustees and to be offered in such manner as they think best. The interest in the prosperity of our school thus manifested by Mr. Graham will be duly appreciated by Athenians, and his action should suggest to others more closely identified with the school the propriety of following his example. One medal among three forms might prove a golden apple. Let some of our well-to do citizens see to it that Mr. Graham's gift is so supplemented that each form shall have a prize set before it.

Popular Reading.

We have received from The Poole Printing Company, Limited, Toronto Ont., a copy of "His Brother's Keeper," by Charles M. Sheldon, the well known author of "In His Steps." This is not only a delightful story, told in an interesting manner, but is full of helpfulness. One of the greatest problems of the day is ably dealt with. The scenes in the mining regions are based upon events which occurred during the great strike among the iron miners in the summer of 1895, and which were witnessed by the author. Everyone should read it. The Poole Printing Company, Limited, Toronto, have already published seven of Sheldon's books, and everyone is having a very large sale. The titles of the others are: "Overcoming the World," "The Crucifixion of Phillip Strong," "Robert Hardy's Seven Days," "Richard Bruce," and "The Twentieth Door." For sale by all dealers. Or, if your dealer cannot supply them, any one book will be sent. post-paid for 25 cents, or any six for $1.00, by sending to The Poole Printing Company, Limited, 28 and 30 Melinda Street, Toronto, Ontario.

Profitable Enterprise.

School section No. 2, Rear of Leeds and Lansdowne, twenty-five years ago, built a school-house costing $900. Instead of waiting a few years longer and then tearing it down and building a new one at a cost of about $1,800, the trustees—L. H. Washburn, William Sheridan and John Neff—laid out $450 and have a house that has won the full praise of Inspector Johnson and a diploma out of the sixteen diplomas offered in his district for competition among 90 school-houses. The inspector comments favorably on the good sense, good taste, and economy displayed in the work, and registers concerning the teacher, Mr. Roddick, as follows: "Manner, good; energy, good; thoroughness, good; and methods generally approved." This appears by the register to be the best report for twelve years.—Com.

Mr. John Frye did one of the finest jobs of painting ever done in the country on this school-house, and at three-fourths its value. No doubt every rate payer in the section is well satisfied with the entire work.

Thursday, Nov. 24th, has been formally proclaimed Thanksgiving Day.

Something new in parlor suits and fancy chairs; also picture moulding at T. G. Stevens: Prices right. 3 in

Boots and shoes made or repaired by W. C. Smith in the late James Duggan's old stand. 3i

Mr. R. Hollingsworth, cheese and butter maker at Elbe, has given good satisfaction in these lines, and it has been a comparatively good season for the patrons.

Miss Neilie Grant has a situation as stenographer in New York City. Like many others, she soon found employment after graduating from the Brockville Business College.

A branch of the Anti-Treating Society will be formed in Kingston. The members pledge themselves not to "set 'em up" for anybody, and not to accept a drink paid for by any person other than themselves.

Messrs. Fred Williams and Mack Wood of Toronto have been visiting friends here for a few days and enjoying the fishing at Charleston lake. They fished under the pilotage of Del. Woods, so, of course, their catch was right up to the standard.

Mr. Howard Patterson, who has been with his brother, Dr. John, in Nebraska, since leaving Athens, is now in Denver, Colorado, where he will spend the winter. Of those affected with lung disease who go to that district, it is claimed that over eighty per cent are cured.

A few days ago the many friends of Mrs. Levi Church were pained to learn that she had suffered a sudden and serious attack of illness. Mrs. Church was engaged in performing her household duties when the attack came, and in falling her hand came in contact with the stove and was quite severely burned. We are pleased to hear that she is now recovering from the attack.

A very pleasant time was spent at the complimentary tea tendered to Mr. John Tye in the basement of Christ Church on Wednesday evening last. A feature of the event was the presentation to Mr. Tye of a handsome gold watch-chain. Many kind words of appreciation of his services in the Sabbath school and of regret at his departure from Athens were spoken by the Rector, who made the presentation.

Very large congregations assembled at the anniversary services held in the Methodist church on Sunday last. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the church, preached morning and evening, and many of his old friends and admirers from distant points came to hear him. His text in the morning was Dent. 8: 18, and in the evening Eph. 4: 22, 23, 24 He spoke eloquently and earnestly in explaining and declaring divine truth. The choral service was excellent, the anthems being particularly fine.

The editors of the Record and Smith's Falls News have been exchanging journalistic compliments lately. The News thus addressed its esteemed cotem.: "You poor misguided, snivelling, pandering, two-faced, oily-tongued, green-eyed man of the little Record." The Record gets back at the news by speaking of the editor in this way: "The poor, misguided, illiterate bushwhacker by some means got control of a press and some type and from the first issue of the paper has used it for purposes of personal abuse."

We have noticed many times and have as often been delighted when in passing Elbe school-house we paused to admire the windows so tastily decorated with flowers, foliage and vines. We are not surprised, as we expect just such an expression from Miss Lillian Hall's love of flowers. She has a right-hand supporter in Mrs. Richard Cornell. It may be the winter makes me long for and appreciate spring-flowers more highly. Will there be such extremes and contrasts in the "Age to Come?"

There is no use attempting to disguise the fact—the salmon fishing at Charleston lake this fall was a flat failure. They positively declined to bite any kind of bait offered, and some "genoowine" sportsmen carried home pike that in other seasons they would remove from the hook with elevated nose and return to the water in disgust. Various reasons are assigned for the reluctance of the fish to "catch on," but there is one very good reason, and we shall refer to it in a future issue.

On Thursday last Wm. Harper of Elbe Mills was quite severely injured by a bull. He was separating it from the herd of cows and was leading it away when it attacked him without making a warning sound of any kind. One of its horns entered his leg near the thigh and penetrated to the bone, inflicting an ugly wound. He at once turned and grappled with the animal and after a short struggle released it, when it walked quietly away. While walking to his home, which was some distance away, Mr. Harper lost considerable blood and was quite weak when medical assistance arrived. Several stitches were put in the wound and no serious results are anticipated.

It is the Boy That's Changed.

The editor of an exchange has discovered that there is a wide difference between the school books of the present and those of long ago. He says when he first went to school he read his lesson something like this: "See the cow. Is not the cow nice? Can the cow run? Can the cow run as fast as the horse?" But the latest up-to-date style of reading of the up-to date small boy is about as follows: "Get on to the cow. Haint she a beaut? Sure she is a corker. Can a cow get a move on herself? Can she hum it like a hoss? No she ain't in it wid de hoss."

"How They Do It in Athens."

Under the above heading the Renfrew Mercury says: "When Mr. J. H. Mills, M. A., principal of the Athens high school was renewing his subscription to The Mercury this week he enclosed a copy of the programme of the Annual Commencement and Entertainment of the Athens High School. The programme is a very creditably artistic specimen of the printers' art from the office of the Reporter there." Then follows a description of the subject matter of the programme, and the paragraph closes with the following: Evidently the modern Athens is bound to live up to its name in the matter of education, and Mr. Mills has the right degree of energy to help it do so.'

Mr. S. Hollingsworth is getting on well with his new house at Sheldon's.

Mr. George Moore is visiting friends in Almonte this week.

Messrs. J. A. McKim and J. C. Eaton of Kingston were in Athens this week.

Mr. H. Moles, C. T., spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Moles.

Mr. George A. Dana was on Tuesday installed into the office of sheriff of Leeds and Grenville.

Mr. John Rappell is arranging to import potatoes, which will sell at the station for 45c per bushel.

Miss Bertha Clark of Brockville visited Athens last week and was the guest of Miss Keith Livingston.

Good health is worth more than anything else to you, and every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains good health.

The Recorder gives currency to a rumor that J. C. Warrington of Montreal, the well known cheese dealer, is in financial difficulties.

After the close of the board meeting in Brockville last week considerable cheese changed hands, the prices ranging from 8⅝ to 8 11-16c.

Mr. M. K. Everts has disposed of his property at Easton's Corners and purchased a home in Smith's Falls, where we will shortly remove.

Dr. S. S. Cornell will leave early next week for New York, where he will remain a month taking a special course in diseases of the nose, throat, and ear.

Miss Maud Washburn of Soperton attended the H. S. Commencement and remained over Sunday, the guest of Miss Annie Gilbert, Miss Edith Wiltse, and other friends.

The ladies of the Athens W.C.T.U. are represented this week at the provincial convention being held in Ottawa by Mrs A. R. Brown, Miss M. E Stone, and Mrs. C. H. Elliott.

Hallowe'en was marked by very little disturbance here. At one time there was a prospect of two rival companies of boys coming into conflict, but they "broke even."

A movement is being made to secure the appointment of a police magistrate for the village of Athens. The advantages of having such an officer here are obvious and we hope the appointment will be made.

On Thursday Dr. and Mrs. Bolton start for their mission station at Port Simpson, B. C., and they will be accompanied by Mrs. Bolton's sister, Miss Ethel Blanchard, who will probably remain there for two years.

Cards were issued a few days ago for the marriage of Dr. J. E. Murphy of Pakenham and Miss Ada, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Harrisson of Portland. The happy event takes place at the bride's home to-day.

The regular quarterly services of Glen Buell church will be held on Sunday next, Nov. 6th, opening at 9 a. m. with a prayer meeting. Members of neighboring circuits have been invited to attend and a memorable gathering is anticipated.

The public library is at present in a state of retirement, and a meeting of the board held last evening did not result in a scheme being devised to again open it to the public. The matter is still under consideration and the present problem of ways and means will probably be solved in a short time.

Among the H. S. graduates from a distance who were present at the Commencement, were Frank Singleton and Launcelot Bolton, now attending Queen's university, Kingston; Miss L. Rabb, now attending Perth H. S.; Miss Lynett, now attending Gananoque model school; Morford Arnold, dental student, Brockville; O. Kincaid of Brockville.

The goose-bone, woodchuck, corn-husk, rag-weed, weather prophet has already come to the front with the depressing prediction that the coming winter will be long and severe with very deep snow. If we could we would "chuck" the goose-bone down his talking machine, dress him in rag-weeds, feed him on corn-husks, and take the weather as it comes.

Among those who attended the Commencement and remained in Athens visiting friends were the following: Miss Ella and Miss B. Halladay of Elgin; Miss Mallory of Mallorytown, Miss Ethel Yates and Miss Crummy of Frankville, Miss Ethel Brown of Phillipsville, Miss Veda Rabb of Lombardy, Miss Gallagher of Portland, Miss M. Purvis of Junetown.

Services at St. Paul's.

The anniversary services in connection with St. Paul's Presbyterian church take place Sunday and Monday, Nov. 13th and 14th, and judging from the extensive preparations being made by the committees in charge, the grand sacred concert to be held Monday evening will eclipse anything in that line previously held in our village.

The Sunday service will be conducted at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the Rev. Mr. Strachan of St. John's church, Brockville, who will be heard for the first time in Athens, but whose reputation as an earnest and impressive speaker has preceded him. The regular services, both morning and evening, will be preceded by a short musical service of ten minutes by the choir, consisting of anthems, solos, etc.

For Monday evening, the musical committee have secured the services of Master Harry Pilgrim, the boy soprano of Brockville, whose singing, for a child of ten years, has been a revelation to all who have been privileged to hear him. His rendition of some of the most difficult music being quite enviable by public singers of long standing. Sacred music on stringed instruments will be another feature of the evening's entertainment. Mandolin and violin soloists will be present from Brockville and Westport, and they will also be assisted by the best local talent in that line. Special music is being prepared by the choir and Miss Webster of Westport will also sing. Mr. Strachan has also very kindly consented to be present on Monday evening and will make a short address.

The programme will be published in the Reporter of next week. Look for it.

While roofing the residence of Mr. R. N. Dowsley last week, H. W. Kincaid and his assistant, Bert Karley, narrowly escaped serious injury. One of the ropes broke and Bert took a flying trip to the ground, accompanied with the board. He struck the verands, which broke his fall, and he escaped with only a bad shaking-up. Mr. Kincaid saved himself by seizing and holding on to the other rope.

Parish of Lansdowne Rear.

Services will be held in the churches of this parish on Sunday next the 6th instant as follows:

Christ Church, Athens.—Matins and Holy Eucharist, at 10.30 a. m.; Evensong at 7 o'clock p. m., when the Rector will continue his instructions on church principles by preaching on "The Unchangeable Faith".

Holy Trinity Church, Lansdowne Rear.—Evensong at 3 o'clock p. m. when a special sermon will be preached to the Orangemen, who purpose attending that service.

A meeting of the Rural Deanery of Leeds will be held in this parish at Athens on Tuesday and Wednesday next. The opening service will be held at Christ church on Tuesday evening at 7.30 oclock; Holy Eucharist on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock; Evensong on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. A parochial social will be held in the basement of the church immediately after the service on Wednesday evening in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the Rector's ordination The general public most heartily invited to all the services.

LAKE STREET.

MONDAY, Oct. 31.—There was a quiet party at the home of Mrs. Purvis on Wednesday evening. The young man that "called off" was ahead in all the games of the evening and "danced with the girl behind him."

Love is a curious thing. It puts grit in a young man and a widower's experience don't count for much.

Arch Hudson's bullpout industry is flourishing.

Miss Nellie Schofield has returned home from Toledo and is welcome back to Lake Street.

Mr. Wm. Young is improving in health.

W. T. is thinking of closing the orphans' home feature of his ranch and starting a matrimonial agency.

ADDISON.

MONDAY, Oct. 31.—Mr. Gordon Brayton and lady of Lyn were visiting friends at Mt. Royal last week.

The Kickapoo Medicine Co. commenced a week's engagement here on Tuesday night. During their stay here they made many friends, and Ashwood hall was crowded to its utmost.

Mr. Wm. Dobbs of Mt, Pleasant is the happiest man in town. It's a girl—mother and child are doing well.

Mr. Frank Wiltse of Silver Brook purchased a very valuable horse from Dr. Brown last week and will not take dust from any of the boys now.

New Hope for the Dyspeptic.—Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets are the Dyspeptic's haven of rest and cure. They contain no injurious drug or narcotic, won't hurt the most delicate and sensitive stomach, aid digestion, stop fermentation of the food, good for the blood, good for the nerves, good for the brain, make flesh increase, cure the stomach. 35 cents. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

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The Busy World's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put Into Handy and Attractive Shape For the Readers of Our Paper—A Solid Hour's Enjoyment in Paragraphed Information.

THE LABOR WORLD.

The London cars are completely tied up, the men having gone on strike at 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

By Nov. 15 the Crow's Nest Pass Railway from Cranbrook to Kootenay Lake will be ready for traffic.

SUICIDES.

Mrs. James Sawyer of Midhurst committed suicide in her garden on Friday by cutting her throat with a razor. She had been in poor health.

THE AGRICULTURAL WORLD.

The Provincial Fat Stock and Dairy Show will be held at Brantford Nov. 30 and Dec. 1 and 2. At the public meeting to be held Nov. 30, prominent speakers of continental fame will be present.

POLITICS—CANADIAN.

Mr. Gibson's correct majority in East Wellington was 512.

The nomination for the general elections for the Northwest Territories Legislative Assembly took place on Friday.

THE FIRE RECORD.

The five-storey printing office and stationery establishment of J. & A. McMillan of Halifax, which is one of the oldest firms in Canada and has a continental reputation, was completely gutted by fire on Saturday. The loss is about $50,000; insurance, $16,000.

CASUALTIES.

Shortly before 8 o'clock Sunday night a rear end pitch-in occurred on the Grand Trunk Railway near Paris, when two freight trains came together, with the result that a dozen or so of cattle were killed outright and the cars smashed. The engineer of the moving train was seriously injured, but no other people were reported hurt.

SPORTING.

There's honor among Canadian footballers. McGill College, Montreal, has decided not to accept their win from Queen's at Kingston a couple of weeks ago. They recognize the fact that they were fairly defeated, but the game was given them by the referee.

If report speak truly "Ormonde," the horse of the century, the horse for which W. O. B. McDonough of San Francisco paid $150,000 a few years ago, will soon be on his way back to England. It is said that the Duke of Westminster, his former owner, has offered $50,000 for the famous thoroughbred stallion, and that Mr. McDonough is likely to accept.

FOR MEN OF WAR.

The second-class cruiser Amphion has been ordered to proceed from Victoria B.C., to the neighborhood of Tahiti, a French island in the Southern Pacific.

A sham siege of Halifax on Thursday showed the mettle of the forces engaged, and won high praise for them from Lord Seymour, commander of the British forces in North America.

The Acme Wrecking Company of San Francisco, has made a request upon the U. S. Navy Department for authority to raise the battleship Maine. The company asks for no money.

THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

Rev. Dr. J. H Barrows, who was President of the World's Parliament of Religions at Chicago, delivered his lecture on "Christ the Universal Man and Saviour," at Toronto on Thursday.

The Previncial Sunday School convention elected the following officers at Peterboro: President, Thomas McGillicuddy, Toronto; General Secretary, Alfred Day; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Jessie A. Munroe; Minute Secretaries, Rev. Campbell Tibb, B.D., Eglinton, and W. E. Tilley, Ph.D., Bowmanville; Chairman of the Executive, Mr. J. A. Paterson, Toronto.

PURELY PERSONAL.

David A. Wells, the noted economist, is at the point of death at his residence in Norwich, Conn.

Judge Harrison of Nanaimo has been appointed a commissioner to inquire into the New Westminster fire.

No trace of the whereabouts of Irvin Wesley Peters, the 11-year-old son of John Peters of Barrie, has not yet been secured. He disappeared very mysteriously from his home on July 19.

Captain Arthur Lee, the British military attache who witnessed the fighting at El Caney and San Juan on behalf of his Government, will sail for England from Washington next Tuesday.

MARINE MATTERS.

Saturday afternoon the steamer George Spencer of Fairport ran into lock 8 and carried away three gates. No locking can be done at Port Dalhousie until the break is repaired.

The vessel which went ashore on Goose Island during Thursday night's storm is the schooner Queen of the Lakes, from Montreal, bound to New Glasgow, N.S., with a cargo of produce. On Saturday the Dauntless got her off, and took her in tow to Quebec.

By the sinking of the schooner St. Peter in Lake Ontario, off Sodus Point, Thursday morning six lives were lost, including Mrs. John Griffin, wife of the captain; also the mate, John McCrate of Kingston; a seaman named Bosworth, aged 23 years, and three Swedes. Capt. Griffin is the only survivor.

THE DEAD.

Miss Barber, one of the leading officers and workers in the W.C.T.U. of Canada, died in Montreal of pneumonia and heart failure. The late Judge Dunkin was her step-brother.

Dr. G. H. Cooke, a medical practitioner of Thorold, was found dead in bed at his rooms there at noon on Sunday. It is supposed that he had taken an overdose of narcotic

Col. G. E. Waring, jr., is dead of yellow fever at New York. He caught the disease while acting as special commissioner to ascertain the exact sanitary condition of the city.

The verdict of the coroner's jury on Friday night touching the death of Thomas McGovern, who was killed on Tuesday by his horse running away and throwing him in front of a Toronto and Suburban Railway trolley car, exonerated the motorman and conductor.

William Keating's death in California is announced. He was formerly a resident of Halifax, where he was registrar of deeds for the county of that name. He was father of E. H. Keating of Toronto and grandfather of Lieut. Keating, who has just so gloriously died in Africa in H.M.S.

The funeral of the late Sheriff Murton at Hamilton on Thursday was attended by a large number of Masons and citizens. The Masons, with the 13th Band, and Godrey de Bouillon Preceptory, Knights Templar, met the funeral cortege at the corner of King and Wellington streets, and walked to Hamilton Cemetery.

The death of Captain Fred. Franks, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Greenshields, in Hamiota, Manitoba, is announced. Captain Franks was for eight years special messenger to the Ontario Crown Lands Department. He resigned his position about four months ago and went to Manitoba in hopes of regaining his health. Captain Franks was 75 years of age, and leaves a widow and a small family.

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

Mrs. Goring of Newmarket is $25 worse off than when she went to Bradford Fair. A pickpocket took her purse.

Burlars entered the Bolton residence of William Farr, vice-president of the Woodbridge Fair, and stole a fur overcoat, some fur gauntlets and some ladies' trinkets.

In the Crown case against Cline of Grimsby, that of shooting his wife with intent to kill, postponement was asked until the Spring Assizes at St. Catharines, and it was granted.

John Legg, who drives a baker's wagon at Bracondale, while driving east of Fairbank, near Toronto, on Thursday night, was shot at twice by some one, the bullets going through the cart cover.

Austin Bowen, found guilty of conspiracy to rob Mr. McLaughlin, the paymaster at Gillies Bros.' lumber mills, Braeside, near Arnprior, was sentenced at Ottawa to seven years in the penitentiary.

Twenty-one cattle, out of 65 head, which Mr. Dean of Toronto was pasturing at Massassaga Point, near Belleville, were driven off by a man who falsely represented himself as Dean's son. The police are investigating.

Thomas Joy, of the firm of Bisonnette, Case & Joy, clothiers of St. Catharines, while going home about midnight on Saturday was attacked by three masked men when almost at his own gate. His sister found him unconscious. His gold watch and chain were taken, besides about $30 in cash.

Capt. Theriault of Company No. 4, 87th Battalion of Tesmiscouata and Rimouski, found guilty of having embezzled last June $161, balance of a cheque of $360 delivered to him by the Federal Government for his company after the last camp at Levis, has been sentenced to six months in the common jail.

30 Days Sale of

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—30 Men's Suits, in good Tweeds and Serges, odd sizes of suits we sell at $7.50 and $10; if you can get a fit in them, you choice for ..... $5.00 Per Suit

—45 Men's Suits, in All-wool Tweeds, in all new patterns, single or double breasted, well made, fit perfect, sizes 36 to 42, worth $10; Sale Price..$7.50

—Men's Overcoats in Blue Beaver with velvet collar, single or double breasted, stitched with silk, good linings, worth $8.00; Sale Price.....$5.50

—300 Boy's 2-pc. Suits, 22 to 28, in good Wool Tweeds, sold for $2.75 to 4.50; during the Sale your choice for.....$2.50

Good Chance Now to Buy an Overcoat or Reefers for the Boys.

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—We are headquarters for Men's and Boy's Fleece-lined Underwear, the American goods; we have them at.....$1.25

We sell a line at 75c you'll pay $1.00 elsewhere.

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Greener's Dominion Gun, low hammers, pistol grip, checkered walnut stock, laminated steel barrels, regular $50.00, for..... $36 00

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Land for Sale.

TENDERS WANTED.—Sealed tenders will be received till noon on Thursday, Dec. 1st, at my address, Chelsea, P. Q.—for that large, beautiful lot immediately west of the Holiness Movement church in Athens. No reasonable offer will be refused. 4i W. RILANCE.

Yorkshires—Shropshires

FOR SERVICE—

The registered boar, Oak Lodge Prer 2nd No. 2749, bred by J. E. Brethour, Burford, Ont., and sired by Charles 1st (imported). Choice Shropshire ram lambs for sale.

Addison, Nov. 1st. F. B. BLANCHER. 6i

Strayed or Stolen.

On or about the 8th Oct., from the premises of the subscriber, near the Lyn toll-gate, one ram and 6 ewes—white-faced Leicester. Information that will lead to their recovery will be thankfully received by

2i JOSEPH HUDSON, Lyn P. O.

Astray

Strayed into the premises of the undersigned, 5 calves of the following description viz: 1 bull calf black in color, 1 roan calf (female), 1 white and red (female) and two black and white (females).

Bastard Oct. 6th 1898. STERNS KNAPP. 3i

For Sale or to Rent.

That new brick house on Henry street,—Near the B. & W. station. Apply to

W. H. JACOB, Blacksmith, Victoria st., Athens.

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Court Glen Buell, No. 878, Independen Order of Foresters, meets in Bingo Hall, Glen Buell, on 2nd and 4th Friday in each month, at 7.30. Visitors always welcome.

W. J. ANDERSON, C. R.
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Farm for Sale.

Small farm for sale—cheap—close to the market—small part of it in the corporation of Brockville. There is a good stone house on the place; also a barn. There is lots of water on the place. If sold quick, I will give a bargain.

The pork-packing establishment is to be built right away, and it will be a good place to raise pigs. It is also one of the best places to raise fowls for the market. You can drive from the house to the market in six minutes time. Address or call on.

tf. R. H. GAMBLE, Brockville.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage from Sydney Moore, bearing date the 10th day of October, A. D. 1888, default having been made in the payment thereof, which mortgage will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale at public auction at Pierce's hotel in the Village of Athens on Friday the 11th day of November A. D. 1898 at the hour of 2 oclock in the afternoon the following lands and premises.—All and Singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Athens in the County of Leeds, being composed of part of Village lots numbers four and five in block 1 lying North of Main St. as laid down on the registered plan of the said Village, and more particularly described in the said mortgage, having a frontage on Main St. of twenty-five feet and a depth of ninety-four feet.

Upon this property is erected a two story frame building the ground floor being fitted up as a store.

TERMS OF SALE:—Twenty per cent of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, the balance to be paid in thirty days thereafter. The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid. Further terms and