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**TEN S. S. FEATURES**  
The gathering of Sunday School workers from all parts of the province in Brockville last week was the largest in the history of the Association. At the departmental conferences a number of important topics were discussed, the discussion being summarized in the following resolution:  
That every local Sunday school should incorporate in its organization and work the following ten features:  
1. The school open all the year.  
2. A cradle roll.  
3. An adult Bible class.  
4. A Home Department.  
5. Teacher-training class.  
6. Use of graded lessons with supplemental Bible work.  
7. Some definite method of evangelism.  
8. Regular, systematic temperance work with pledge signing.  
9. Regular Missionary instruction.  
10. Observance of Rally Day and contribution to the General Sunday school fund.

**A DECISIVE DEFEAT**  
"Lambasted to make a Brockville holiday" about describes the fate that befell our High School Basket Ball team on Thanksgiving Day. They probably expected to wipe out the disastrous defeat of a year ago, but it was the Brockville Collegiate team that did the wiping, and they did it most effectually. The Athens team was outclassed at every point and the vocal music from this town hardly had a chance to toot. At half-time the score stood 10-3 in favor of Brockville. During the last half the Collegiates increased their score to 42 while the H.S. girls gathered only wa-wa fruit.  
Following the game, the visitors were entertained to dinner, about forty including the teams, partaking of the refreshments, which were provided in abundance.  
It is expected that the return match will be played in about two weeks. The Times report says: For Athens Miss Lulu McLean scored the first point on a fine throw. Miss Gainford made a pretty throw into the basket from a sharp angle. For B.C.I. Miss Mina Donnelley scored six of the points, and Miss Maude Millar notched the remaining 36 points. The Athens team were strictly outclassed in combination work and individual play.  
For the losers Miss Gladys Gainford and Miss Lulu McLean starred. For the Collegiates Miss Mina Donnelley and Miss Maude Millar played excellent ball. Miss Mills and Miss Vance made a formidable defence while Miss Donaldson and Miss Green played with a dash that could only be taken victory for the red and black.  
The teams lined up as follows:  
B.C.I. Athens H. S.  
M. Donnelley Forwards G. Gainford  
M. Millar (Capt.) L. McLean (Capt.)  
K. Donaldson Centre H. Rockwood  
G. Green B. Dickey  
S. Mills Defence M. Jacobs  
B. Vance B. Green  
Officials—Miss Alma Stevens,  
Athens, Lewis S. Beatty.

**RANDOM NOTES BY THE WAY**  
**Some Curious Thoughts on Distant Realms—Spiders—Ants—Honey Bees**  
Mr W. D. Livingstone's Frankville Apiary has this season done, like many others, very well, considering the many changes nectar flowers were subject to and the fluctuations in the flow. I passed through many fields of alsike clover in many localities as the flow began. About one head in one hundred was a handsome, well developed flower: the remaining ninety-nine were a greenish tint and the petals defective. Many of these defects may have been due, in part, to some abnormal condition of the roots. I saw many other flowers in a like condition.  
Sometimes the humidity and temperature act electrically favorable to a nectar flow.  
Our bees sometimes intimate that causes arise that open and shut the nectar gate in ten minutes. Next generation may tell us the modus operandi; Dame Nature is a little reluctant at present. Future will want something to speculate about. Sometimes the activities of plant life are dormant, sometimes even latent.  
How wonderful the constructive skill and inventive genius exhibited by several species of insects! They work as directed. We work when we have learned a trade by several years of external training. They have a perfect trade imparted to them in the germ of life. They work as directed by an internal, unerring constitutional law—briefly—instinct. It permeates that insect in every atom, from its brain to its extremities. Who put the law in operation? The One who set that planet to work in distant space. It has never ceased to sing a melodious song of praise since.  
When the spider spreads its gill or trap net and stalks it to secure a meal, it does it exactly as it did 6,000 years ago. Can it change its business? No, but the fool has said in his heart "There is no God"—a perfect intelligence.  
That little military philosopher, the ant. The larger race makes war and enslaves a smaller, weaker race, makes them work and provide supplies, carrying an atom of a straw as officials an insignia of authority—even as a high-grade successful politician—but proclaiming the hand that made us is Divine.  
We have no other business than to provide for the next generation.  
You call us the busy bee. We hasten cheerfully to do the work the Lord qualified us for. We can do nothing else. We sing an anthem from morning till night: "There is a God." Powerful reason agrees with us the Hand that made us is Divine.  
We build a six angle room, resting on three triangle plates, to store a luxury in for you. We defy Stephenson, the great architect and bridge builder, to make our work more self-supporting with less material. There are 10,000 evidences, from as many witnesses, in Nature's Library.  
Jesus, in His triumphant march into Jerusalem, was asked to order the children and crowd to cease their exaltation or the Roman army will be after us. He replied, if these were to cease rejoicing the very stones along our road would overflow with emotion and cry out applause to Me, their Make, teaching us every detail in Nature has a voice, and in that Day a Thousand years of Judgement will speak as a witness. There need be no witness called, for the celestial phonograph has every lie, oath, and blasphemy, as echoed on the walls of the gambling den, and will thunder it in the ears of those on trial—and the celestial camera will flash on his view his part in awful scenery of immorality, profligacy, vice and licentiousness. He hastens away self-condemned, confessing before the millions assembled "Righteous are thy judgements, O Lord God the Almighty, who is, who was, who will be" and the Prophet Daniel was told he would stand in his lot on that day. "These shall go away in everlasting shame and contempt." Any one of us can escape if we wish.  
But, to return: there was no more honey, except in some of the few finest heads of alsike clover, than in a lady's fancy imitation flower.  
The same power and wisdom secrets the nectar in the little modest, not gaudy, flower that formed and decorated that lovely star up yonder and enrobed it with a thousand mysteries, wonders and beauties, populated it with a race different from our own, and when He had finished our planet,

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**PLUM HOLLOW**  
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Mr and Mrs C. G. Wing, Athens, spent Sunday at Mr Warren Gifford's.  
Mrs Chas. Tackberry and Miss Bertha Jackson are on the sick list.  
Mrs Isaac Barber is visiting friends at Lyndhurst.  
Our school is progressing favourably under the skilful management of Miss Violet Spence of Charleston.  
Mr and Mrs C. D. Bogart spent Sunday with friends at Portland.  
Master Bryce Bullis, Brockville, is spending his Thanksgiving holidays with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Alex Sherman.  
Mr and Mrs D. M. Kilborn spent Thanksgiving with friends at Elgin.

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