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## Local and General

Mr W. A. Remmer of Brockville is presiding at the Entrance exam's here.

Miss McCrea, Brockville, is visiting her niece, Mrs S. S. Cornell.

Mr Reynolds of Delta is in charge of G. C. Wing's barber shop this week.

Mr G. F. Blackwell of Lindsay was visiting friends in Athens this week.

Pupils in the 4th form of the public school are now rejoicing in the beginning of their long vacation.

Mr and Mrs G. C. Wing are this week visiting friend in Northern New York.

George Bawden has been gazetted police magistrate of the village of Newboro succeeding L. S. Lewis, deceased.

Commencing on Sunday next, the evening service in the Methodist church will begin at 7.30.

Mr M. B. Holmes is in Brockville this week attending the sessions of the counties council.

Dr. C. C. and Mrs Nash and children of Kingston visited friends in Athens on Sunday.

Mrs W. B. Percival is receiving medical treatment at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville.

Mr and Mrs H. Stewart of Brockville called on friends in Athens this week.

Epworth League on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Topic—"The making of a city." Speaker—Mr Leonard Booth.

The Earl Construction Company are this week installing an 80-light acetylene plant in a hotel on Float Island near Gananoque.

The near-sighted Fort William woman who mistook a wasp for a fly and used a swatter on it, now wishes her aim had been as good as the wasp's.

Dental students will hereafter not be required to put in the six months' practice in dentists' offices which heretofore has been necessary. The by-law regarding this rule has been amended.

In connection with the Sunday School at Wasburn's Corners, a strawberry social will be held on Friday evening, June 28. Good musical program.

Gananoque high school teachers have each received a salary increase of \$100, the principal now receiving \$1,600 and each of the lady teachers \$1000. The salary of the principal of the public has been advanced to \$1200.

The law requires that all noxious weeds on private or public property be destroyed at once. It is the duty of the Chief to notify those who do not comply with the law and, failing prompt action, to enforce its provisions at once.

A few days ago a ceremony unique in the history of Ontario took place near Morrisburg, when a monument was erected in memory of John Mcintosh, who about 115 years ago planted the first apple tree that has since become famous as the father of the McIntosh Red Apple tree. The original tree bore fruit until 1908, when it was cut down.

The time limit for receiving tenders for the construction of granolithic sidewalks in Athens expired on Monday evening. Three tenders were received. During the day contractors from Delta Toledo and Morrisburg were in the village. The contract was not awarded but a decision will probably be formally made in a few days and active operations be started as soon as possible. The streets to be improved will probably be Wellington, Alma, Main, Church, Mill, Reid, the total amounting to about 23,000 feet.

Mr Walter H. Smith, B. S. A., representing the Ontario Department of Agriculture, has taken up residence in Athens and his services will be available to the farmers of these counties. His mission is to promote better farming by applying scientific methods to the cultivation of the soil, to advise in respect to drainage and other problems, and by public meetings and, later, by lectures in the High School to impart instruction in modern methods of agriculture. His services, of course will be free, and farmers should not be slow to avail themselves of this opportunity to obtain expert advice.

—Black Roofing Paint—cheap at Athens Lumber Yard.

Bass fishing became legal on Monday.

Miss Edna Steacy has returned to her home from Phillippsville.

There was a memorial service in St Denis' church on Friday morning for the late Charles Slack.

—Avoid leaky metal roofs. Use good Cedar Shingles, such as found at Athens Lumber Yard.

Mr and Mrs Marcus Stevens of Montreal called on friends in Athens this week.

Entrance examinations opened today at 1.15. Sixteen candidates from the A. M. S. are writing.

The annual picnic of Christ Church S.S. will be held at Delta Park on Saturday, June 29.

To-day Warden Webster is entertaining members of the Counties Council to a trip up the river.

Mrs M. J. Kavanagh of Charleston spent a couple of days last week with her mother Mrs Chas. Slack.

Mrs T. S. Kendrick and Mrs I. Wiltse attended the W. M. S. convention at Obesterville last week.

Mr and Mrs H. H. Arnold left last week for a tour of the Canadian West, and will visit the Coast before returning.

—Live hens and chickens bought Wednesday afternoon at Willson's Meat Market. Birds must be fasted 24 hours.

A Brockville youth declined to "move on" from a street corner when ordered to do so by the police and was fined \$5 for the offence.

Lost—A small black water spaniel dog with brown tints on the front foot, answers to name of Pup.—Any person knowing anything about the dog leave word at James Ross' livery barn.

Fre'd C. Kennedy, B.A., LL.B., a former Westport boy, has just completed his final studies in law at Winnipeg, Man. He graduated with first class honors.

—A great sale of trimmed millinery is now in progress at the store of Rob't Wright & Co., Brockville. Hats regularly sold at \$6 and \$8 are now marked \$2.98.

Rev. D. M. MacLeod of Blakeney, Ont., has been called to the Presbyterian churches of Lyn, Caintown, and Mallorytown. It is intended that the induction shall take place at Mallorytown on July 17.

A strawberry festival will be held on the lawn of Mr Henry Donaldson, near Frankville, on July 1st, under auspices of Toledo Baptist church. Tickets 25c; children, 15c.

An exchange says: The trouble with farm labor is that men cannot any longer be hired for the busy season and then laid off. Efficient farm hands must be hired by the year, must be well fed, and treated with great respect.

Under the auspices of the Baptist choir, a concert will be held in the town hall, Delta, on Thursday, June 27. The talent will include Miss Grace Richardson, Child Elocutionist of Brockville; Miss Edith Davidson, Contralto Soloist, pupil of Dr. Ham, Toronto; Piano pupils of Mrs McAlpine, A. T. C. M. Tickets, 25c.

On Wednesday last Brockville formally accepted the fountain donated by Mr John H. Fulford for the adornment of the mound in rear of Victoria building. The fountain, itself six feet high, stands on a cement pedestal. It is of bronze cast and on the top is an arc lamp which at night throws out a pretty soft light. Surrounding the fountain is a pool made of concrete. On each of the four corners is a vase filled with flowers which give a charming effect. This generous gift of Mr Fulford is in harmony with the spirit that pervades the whole town and which finds expression in well-kept lawns and premises. While individuals may by generous gifts brighten public places, the character of beauty, culture and refinement can be imparted to a whole town only by the united efforts of all citizens, and this union is now growing in Brockville. Our county town is so charmingly situated that it could be made the most beautiful place in the province—and this should be the aim of all residents.

Mr Ben. Slack went to Long Point on Saturday and remained over Sunday.

The new pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. George Edwards, will conduct the services on this circuit on Sunday next.

The annual excursion of Athens Methodist S. S. will probably be held on July 25 and be the famous "trip around the Horn" on the St. Lawrence.

We are pleased to learn that Mr Percival Empey is now progressing satisfactorily, following his recent serious attack of appendicitis.

Mrs R. J. Campo returned last week from a visit with friends at Heuvelton and other points in Northern New York state.

Rev. F. D. Woodcock, rector of Trinity Church, Brockville, conducted the services in this parish on Sunday last, the Rev. W. G. Swayne taking his work in Brockville.

Mrs Williams of Watertown, N. Y., arrived last week for a visit with her daughter at the home of Mr and Mrs T. G. Stevens.

Mr A. M. Eaton is fitting up the Phil. Wiltse store and will install a stock of groceries and confectionery. An ice cream parlor is also to be furnished.

## Implements For Sale

Mowing machine and Disk Harrow—in good condition—will be sold cheap for quick cash sale.

R. J. Campo, Athens.

Principal Sexton is in Brockville this week as presiding examiner at the B. C. I. and on the conclusion of this work will go to Toronto to read provincial papers.

John Olsen, a boy who has worked for several farmers in this district, is suffering from blood-poisoning in one of his hands and is being cared for by Mr and Mrs R. J. Campo.

An exchange gives the teaching days for 1912 in the High and Public Schools, as follows:—January, 21; February, 21; March, 21; April, 16; May, 22; June 19; Sept, 20; Oct, 23; Nov, 21; Dec, 15; Total—199.

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