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LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Jane Barber is this week visiting friends at Chantry.

Nothing attracts like attractive prices. See Silver's adv't this week.

Mr. James Ross, of the Armstrong House, was seriously ill last week, but is alright again.

Women's Fine Oxford Shoes, newest spring styles \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50, at Beach's.

Miss Edna Moore of Kingston spent Sunday in Athens with her brother, Dr. Geo. F. Moore.

A swelled swell stock is being cut down at very low prices at M. Silver's this month.

Miss Stella Hickey, a student at the A. H. S., has been ill at her home, McIntosh Mills, for a few days.

The Presbyterians of Athens and Toledo are in session with the moderator at the latter place to-day.

Rev. Mr. Williams of Delta delivered two very able discourses in the Methodist church on Sunday last.

Miss Bella Grant, a graduate of Brockville Business College, has a position as Bookkeeper in Brockville.

Miss Mary Livingston leaves this week for Detroit, Mich., for a visit of several weeks with her niece, Mrs. E. A. Gardiner.

When at Brockville, make it a point to see Silver. He has something good to offer you in the shape of genuine bargains.

Mr. Henry Joynt accompanies Mr. S. H. McBratney to Alberta this week, taking with him a carload of young cattle for the range.

Mr. S. E. Barnes' many Athenian friends are pleased to see him again able to resume business after an illness of several months.

Mr. T. S. Kendrick yesterday attended the annual meeting of Brockville District of the Methodist Church at Lansdowne, as delegate from the Athens church.

Fences on Reid street are fast disappearing. Mr. Benedict removed his last week, and the fence in front of Mr. Lewis' fine residence is also to be taken down.

Miss Hattie Patterson left last week for Burlington, Iowa, where she will visit her brother, Dr. John, and in company with him will attend the St. Louis Purchase Exposition.

There was a large gathering of ministers at the camp ground of the Holiness Society at the opening of the Pentecostal meeting on Tuesday. Several, including Mr. Horner, arrived last week.

Dr. C. B. Lillie last week added his nicely appointed gasoline launch to the fleet of fine power craft that now awaken with their "put put" the echoes in the remotest bays of Charleston Lake.

A very fine quality of white sandstone, obtained near Elgin, is being used by Mr. W. J. Birch as window sills and trimmings in the construction of the new bank building at Delta. Mr. Levi Church of Addison is dressing the stone.

A tramp attempted a criminal assault on the three-year old daughter of Harry Weegar, who lives near the railroad station, Morrisburg. The mother had left the child playing with the baby in the yard while she ran over to a neighbor's. On her return the man took to his heels, but was captured and is now in custody.

This week Mr. T. S. Kendrick's hot weather adv't makes interesting reading for the ladies.

If you have a carriage to paint, read Alex McIntosh's adv't in another column.

A little courteous chat with M. Silver's staff of salesmen will greatly benefit your purse.

Mr. Lewis, manager of the Merchants Bank at Delta, witnessed the baseball match here on Saturday.

A frame house occupied by William Seymour, near Toledo, was burned on Wednesday, with most of its contents.

The Dominion Government coal curing cheese station at Brockville will open for the season's business on May 18.

The Rathbun company has closed a contract with the B. & W. railway for 14,000 railway ties to be laid this summer along the line.

Mrs. S. Boyce left Athens last week for Brockville where for a time she will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. Johnston.

Mr. Martin Zimmerman of New York, general manager of the B. & W. N.W., is this week making his monthly inspection of the road.

As a result of Stratford's first year's experiment with municipal ownership the water commissioners have handed over a surplus of \$15,500 to the city.

On Wednesday last, at Brockville, Rev. Mr. Daley of Lyn united in marriage Mr. John McComish, reeve of North Crosby and Miss Josie Moriarty of Westport.

The hat works that less than two years ago received a bonus of \$20,000 from Brockville made an assignment last week. The firm had received \$13,000 of the bonus.

The Rev. L. M. Weeks has the following appointments for next Sunday: Plum Hollow, at 10:30, Toledo, 2:30; Athens, 7:30. Evening subject: "The Negative Side of the Decalogue."

A meeting of the Athens Auxiliary of Brockville General Hospital will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. S. S. Cornell, at 8 p.m., on Wednesday next, 25th. A full attendance of members is requested.

We are pleased to learn that the illness of Mr. Truman Cadwell was not as serious as was at first supposed. He is recovering rapidly, and Mrs. Cadwell returned home from Smith's Falls on Friday.

The educational department has authorized the holding of a summer school at Kingston during July for the instruction of teachers in the new course of study to be introduced in the public schools next September.

Mr. Leonard Robinson of Brockville is in Athens this week, visiting his sister, Mrs. Cornell. Mr. Robinson has just passed his final exam in the School of Practical Science and is now entitled to write C. E. after his name.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Johnston on Wednesday last and were entertained with refreshments at the close of the meeting. In the evening a meeting was held at Mrs. Johnston's for the re-organization of the Y's.

Messrs. R. D. Judson & Son have just received a stock of autogravures in the new plaquette frames—handsome wall or mantle ornaments—the very latest. High in art, low in price. You are invited to see them. New furniture just placed in stock—read adv't next week.

The five-year-old son and three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patterson, Smith's Falls, died within a few hours of each other, from malignant diphtheria. There is fear of the spread of the disease, as many people went to and from the house, ignorant of the true nature of the disease.

While fishing at a pond in Brockville, Allan Wilson, a young rail-roader, procured a bottle, which he partly filled with water, and afterwards placed a quantity of lime in it. He corked the bottle, and as soon as the lime slacked it exploded in his face and eyes, badly burning them.

While returning home on Saturday evening, Mr. John Ball was set upon by some youths and used so roughly that he was unable to leave the house on Monday. Such rowdy conduct is not at all creditable to those who committed the assault, and should their identity become known they will probably be taught a wholesome lesson.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Tribune on Wednesday next to arrange for their parlor social to be held in the vestry of the Methodist church on 1st of June. The social is in connection with the department of "Work among lumbermen," one of the most important of the various lines of evangelistic effort pursued by the society.

The health of Mrs. Benjamin Culbert has not been good for several months, and on Saturday last, accompanied by Mr. Culbert, she started for a sanitarium in the Adirondacks. At Syracuse they were met by their son, Carman, of New York, who accompanied his mother to her destination and Mr. Culbert returned home. Mrs. Culbert's many friends hope that she will be greatly benefited by the course of treatment she is receiving.

Fully 30 per cent of the bee colonies of Ontario have been killed by the severe winter and the honey crop will be very short in consequence.

Before many weeks elapse the annual road-repairing and building, by statute labor or otherwise, will be in full operation, and in anticipation of this important work the Municipal World for May publishes several articles devoted to the question of roads and road building. One of special importance is devoted to road drainage and should be read by all road builders.

Y. H. Company Lisgar Rifles, Lansdowne, will go into camp at Ottawa about 20th June, 1904, under command of Capt. Geo. H. Darling. The camp ground at Ottawa is an ideal one being lit by electric light and easy of access, the street cars from the city passing near several times daily. The Rockcliffe Ranges, which will be used for the target practice, are the finest in the Dominion.

The firm of Pierce & Witte are doing a rapidly growing business, and the necessity of an enlargement of their store caused the recent change of residence made by Mr. Witte. It is proposed to at once remove the partition at the end of the store, which will add two large, well-lighted rooms, connected by an arch. This addition will afford opportunity for a more effective display of their summer goods and give needed room for their fall and winter stock, which has already been purchased.

Every town has a liar or two, several smart Alices, some pretty girls, more loafers than it needs, a woman or two that tattles, an old fog that the town would be better without, men who will stand on the corner and make remarks about women, a man who laughs an idiotic laugh every time he says anything, scores of men with the caboose of their trousers worn as smooth as glass, and men who can tell all about other people's business but who have made a failure of their own.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Dillon, architect, of Brockville, came to Athens and submitted an outline sketch of the proposed new town hall, showing the Main and Elgin street elevations. The sketch provides for frontage on Main street, the hose tower and fire hall in the centre and a small tower near each end over entrances to the different ground floor apartments. The entrance to the hall is from Elgin street. The whole appearance is rather imposing and its dimensions would provide ample accommodation for all purposes.

It was the old story at the meeting of Brockville Dairymen's Board of Trade on Thursday last. Not a pound of cheese was sold on the board. The highest bid was 6 1/2c. After adjournment of the board about 2,500 changed hands at the board figure. At Kingston the top figure was 6 1/2c, and none was sold. At Woodstock, 6 1/2c was the ruling figure. Cheese is evidently down to stay, and nothing but the increased consumption that will certainly accompany the low price is relied upon to relieve the situation.

The Entrance Class

Following is the weekly report of the M. S. Entrance class:—
Mabel Derbyshire—237.
Florence Gainford—289.
Edna Fair—274.
Wallace Johnson—258.
Roy McLaughlin—223.
Steve Stinson—208.
Bernard McGhie—131.
Willie McLean—87.

League Officers

At the regular meeting of the Epworth League on Tuesday evening the report of the nominating committee was presented, and the following officers were elected:—
Hon. Pres.—Rev. W. E. Reynolds.
Pres.—Dora Clyne.
1st Vice Pres.—Rebecca Morris.
2nd Vice Pres.—Maggie Niblock.
3rd Vice Pres.—Bertha Lester.
4th Vice Pres.—Elma Witte.
Rec. Sec.—Jennie Eyre.
Cor. Sec.—Gertie Young.
Treas.—C. H. Smith.
Organist—Minnabel Morris.

A CARD

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for their great kindness to me and my family during my long sickness. I feel that I owe them a great debt, one that cannot be easily repaid, but I hope I may in some way be able to do unto others as they have done unto me.

I also wish to thank the officers and members of Court Athens C.O.F. for their kindness and attention to me and their willingness to help me bear the load which seemed at times almost too heavy for me, and especially do I wish to thank the High Court for the very prompt payment of my sick benefit, which was very much appreciated and also very welcome. And I wish also to thank those members of Court Athens I.O.F. who did not desert me in the hour of trouble and sickness, but came to me with offers of help and kindness, for all of which I feel deeply grateful.

S. E. BARNES.

The H. S. Concert

Following is the programme to be given by Miss Irene Mallory at the A. H. S. concert on the evening of Empire Day, May 23rd:—
1. A Leap-year Wooing—Kyle.
2. Little Polly's Surprise Party—Original.
3. Darcy-Land Society—Dunbar.
4. (a) Laesa—Goor; (b) At the Photographers—Original.
5. Churchyard Scene from Hamlet—Shakespeare.

Itching Skin

Distress by day and night—That's the complaint of those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with Eczema or Salt Rheum—and outward applications do not cure. They can't. The source of the trouble is in the blood—make that pure and this itching, burning, itchy skin disease will disappear.

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Ladies White Waists at \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, and 75c in new styles.
White Night Gowns, \$1.00, 75, and 50c.
Corset Covers, trimmed with lace, embroidery, and ribbon, 35, 30, and 25c.

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