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Local and General

A taxi-cab now meets all trains and boats in Brockville.

Dr. Nash of Kingston visited friends in Athens on Sunday.

Miss Edna Fair visited friends in Lansdowne last week.

This year dog taxes will be collected at the same time as other rates.

Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Montgomery visited friends in Napanee last week.

Mr. Harry Vollich has opened up a barber shop in the Taylor block, Main street.

Miss Georgia Percival of Carleton Place is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Percival.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hitsman are spending vacation with friends at Osgoode Station.

Mrs. Willard Wiltse of Brockville is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. R. D. Judson.

—Live poultry bought every Wednesday afternoon; must be fasted 24 hrs.

—Wilson's Meat Market.

Miss Mabel Derbyshire of New Westminster, B. C., is visiting friends in Chantry and Harlem.

The Athens and Delta Women's Institutes are holding a picnic to-day at Bertha Island, Charleston Lake.

Mr. A. M. Eaton motored to Battersea on Sunday and conducted divine service in the churches of that circuit.

Mrs. Wm. Beale and Miss Bessie Beale of Toronto are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Heffernan, Charleston.

Mrs. A. Kendrick returned last week from Portland where she had been assisting in the care of her sister-in-law.

Mr. W. T. Merrick of Toronto has returned home after spending the week with his sister, Mrs. McKenny, at Charleston.

Mr. R. E. Parish of the Gazette-Chronicle, Whitby, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Parish.

At 2 p.m. on Wednesday next four head of horses will be sold by auction at the home of the late John Dockrill, four miles south of Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McKenny, Mr. Will Merrick, Miss Helena Heffernan and Master Edmund Heffernan spent Sunday at Twin Elms, Charleston.

Miss Bessie Beale of Toronto and the Misses Florence and Flossie Heffernan spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKenny, Charleston Lake.

Mr. Mort Hazlett, operator at the B. W. & N. W. station here, has been transferred to Brockville and he is succeeded here by Mr. W. W. Topping of Elgin.

Mrs. J. Chassels, recently under treatment in Kingston General Hospital, is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Chassels. Mr. Chassels arrived on Monday.

—If you want what you have not or if you have what you want not, tell the people in the People's Column of the Reporter. Cost—one week, 25c; each subsequent week, 10c.

During the past twelve months the Dominion Government has received nearly \$7000 in conscience money.

people have returned that much money to the Government with letters stating that it had been wrongfully taken.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Judson have opened their cottage at Charleston Lake for the season and have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wiltse of Brockville. Mr. R. D. Judson has so far recovered from his recent injuries as to be able to go to the lake on Tuesday evening.

While putting on a can of milk at his father's milk stand to be drawn into the factory the horses were scared and jumped back throwing Byron Blanche of Lombardy forward. The horses then started to run away and Mr. Blanche fell under the wheels. As a result nine ribs were broken.

According to a government bulletin, in 1910 a farm hand received over \$7 per week, as compared with \$5 ten years earlier. A marked decrease in the amount of hired labor performed, and an equally marked increase in the cost of hired labor, afford some explanation of decrease in cereals and and milk cows.

Miss Johnston of Whitby is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Parish.

Messrs. W. and E. Ronen have purchased an automobile from W. B. Percival.

Mrs. Irwin Wiltse left on Tuesday morning to visit her daughter in Winnipeg.

A big shortage in the honey harvest is reported and high prices will rule next fall.

Montreal Conference of the Methodist Church will meet at Gananoque next year.

Communion service will be conducted in the Methodist church on Sunday morning next.

Contrary to early expectations, crops, which promised to be short, have been a fair yield.

Mr. N. L. Massey and two children of Moosejaw, are visiting friends in Athens this week.

Miss L. Wiltse left this morning for a visit with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Davis, Schenectady N. Y.

Lend-a-Hand Club will meet on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Sunday School room.

Mrs. G. F. Blackwell returned to her home in Lindsay on Tuesday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Gwendoline.

Messrs. James and George McIntosh of Brockville and Harriston are renewing old acquaintances in Athens.

Miss Helena Singleton of Long Point is a guest of Miss Bessie Johnston at Bertha Island, Charleston Lake.

Mrs. George O'Neill of Toronto and Miss Lila Burns of Smith's Falls are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wiltse this week.

Mr. W. Van Lee of Almonte joined his family here last week and they are occupying the home of Mrs. Sarah Wiltse.

Mrs. E. A. Gardiner and son Edwin and Miss M. Livingston, after a pleasant visit with friends in Athens, left this week for their home in Regina.

Messrs. Mills Johnston, Athens, and Jack Johnston, Oak Leaf, made a canoe trip from Charleston to Morton last week.

An ice cream social will be held on the Baptist Church lawn, Plum Hollow, on the evening of Wednesday August 13th. Bills giving further particulars will be issued later.

Mr. J. H. Sexton left on Tuesday for Deloraine, Man., and expects to return Athens a couple of weeks before the opening of the fall term at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oaten of Toronto visited friends in Athens last week. Mr. Oaten's impressions of Athens, received when only three years of age, proved to be accurate in every particular.

The exodus to Charleston Lake has filled every available cottage and the demand for accommodation by family parties cannot be satisfied. There would probably be a fair profit in running Cedar Park as a rooming house.

In connection with big Sells & Floto Circus exhibiting at Brockville, Saturday, August 9th, arrangements have been completed to run extra train from all stations, arriving in Brockville in time to witness the big street parade.

Mr. John Street, Kitley, tells the Smith's Falls News that the crops of that township are exceptionally good this season, and the vegetable crop promises well. Hay, oats, barley and rye are all a better than average crop, and potatoes promise exceedingly well.

The salmon were wise in declining to accept 12c for their cheese on July 17, as on the 24th the market was stronger and 13c was paid. The very large shortage in the make is expected to boost prices from now to the close of the season.

XBrockville Times: Announcement is made of the marriage in Ogdensburg on June 7 of Miss Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. McMahon Letticia street, to Hubert Roy Mullen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Collins Mullen, George street. The ceremony was performed at the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. C. S. Fields. Mr. and Mrs. Mullen, who are receiving the congratulations of their friends, are residing with the groom's parents. In a few weeks they expect to take up their abode in Toronto.

Miss Mabel Bellamy, Prescott, is visiting Miss M. Donnelly.

X Work on the high school building is now advanced to a stage where the end in view can be appreciated, and it is evident that this district is to have a building that will fully meet all requirements. Wide halls, above and below, will run from front to rear, and the new addition will afford two rooms below and one large extra-well lighted assembly room above.

The Grand Trunk Railway System have received a communication from the Barnum and Bailey Circus in connection with the handling of their four trains over their lines in Canada which reads as follows:—"We have pleasure in stating that your service in handling our shows has been most satisfactory; we also speak a word for your employees with whom we came in contact. They all seemed to do their utmost to make it pleasant for us, and I assure you it was greatly appreciated by our people."

The People's Column

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Heifer Astray.

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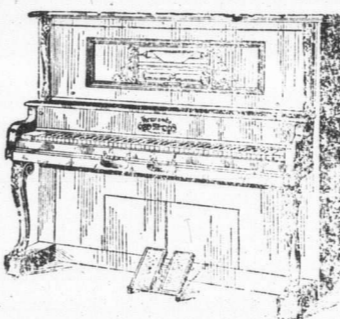
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