-A Sermonette

(Crawf. C. Slack.)

text-Blessed are the penny the days of profiting for

out two thousand years ago the always have with you." ndered under what cires and conditions they conman poor, whether it was of money, social position, inance, physical strength, or poor in brain power. We presume it was the lack of money which they considered made people poor. If so, I must differ with them vastly. In my way of thinking a man or woman is poor only when in poor health. Money will never make a man rich, contented or happy, it never has, it never will,

When is a man rich? In my humb opinion wealth consists of a go strong constitu

alth. Poverty sows

at is why it is bless

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s greatest benefactors

mels with adverse cur-

the great reforms have

the lowly, who have been

principles of virtue and

The greatest benefac-

world has ever known

manger. Wealth betray-

at the present day ignores

"Home, Sweet Home,"

home. Jean Francis Mil-

nted the "Angelus" and

ss than two pounds, died

vation. To-day the pic-

ss. Stephen K. Foster,

those beautiful South-

inderer, and wrote by

Wat

poor, yet were rich and have enriched

world better than they found it,

d. Dollar chasing will assure us

ing but discontent. Wealth is no-

world?. Get your history and

d it carefully, then sum up, and

will find that selfishness and greed

been the cause of all the sorrow,

the sin, misery, woe, and crime,

ving a trail of blood behind it, from

earliest times up to the present

iod. It will take one hundred years

the nations to recover from the

shness and greed. You could count

Less than a dozen men with the

of wealth in their hearts in posi-

to ruin the whole world, then ask

self this question: should there

arity, sympathy, or soul: wealth

hing more than the product of selfish

reed. What has greed ever done for

were

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perfect, were

Those men, along with

others who might be me

made

the eit! spi

wealth crucified Him.

than five hundred thousand dollars to man? We can only eat, drink, and wear so much, and that is all we can get out of money, be it ever so much We must cater to thrift and toil, to be sure, there is no place for the idler on this earth-all must labor, all that are physically fit. / Those who are not we must assist. We can be rich with out a dollar in our purse, be rich without a purse to put a dollar in. "penny laid by for a rainy day" all should have. But enough is as good feast

SMILES AND FROWNS

knew the box where the smiles are kept,

No matter how large the key, Or strong the bolt, I would try so hard-

Twould open, I know, for me. Then over the land and the sea broad-

catter the smiles to play. he children's faces might hold hem fast ny and many a day.

the box that was large all the frowns I meet, to gather them every one ry, school and street;

the monster key, t to drop the box of the deep, deep sea. -Anonymous.

Soperton

tive invention, and Master Albert Free has been spend. ig a few days with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnston, Athens, Miss Neilson, of Amherst Island, visited her cousin, Miss L. Sheridan, e poor, and their great have been forced up

Mrs. W. Goodbody and children, of Brockville, are visitors at W. H. Irwin's.

Mrs. S. Stafford is on the sick list. Mr. Herbert Shire, who has been very ill for the past week, is improving slightly.

Miss Geneva Garrett is visiting at John Howard Payne. Seelev's Bay.

A social will be held on the church grounds in the near future.

Toledo

Mr. Hiram Nichols and his niece. which will never grow Miss Anna Hull, have returned home after spending a few days visiting It is said of the great Ottawa friends. Mr. Nichols' sister. Mrs. R. Stratton, of Ottawa, accomtoo poor to buy panied them home and is now visits waich ing relatives here. Mr. Nicols reorts very poor crops on line to Ot-

> Irene Gray and Miss Mahel have returned from visiting

Leverette of Frankville was visitor on Saturday.

liss Muriel Rabb, of Smiths Falls, as a recent visitor at Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bellamy's.

Miss Geraldine Wood, nurse-intraining in Ottawa, is spending herholidays with her parents and sister here.

Mr. Fred. Seward, his son, Berdette the world. I would rather be the au-Seward, and Mr. Percy Oldroyd spent a day recently fishing on the Rideau. thor of "Lead, Kindly Light," or They landed 18 fish all told. "Home, Sweet Home," than be president of the bank of England. I

Mr. Percival Oldroyd was a recent would rather have the inventive brain Almonte visitor of an Edison, than be heir to the

Several from here attended the so anderbilt millions. Every man and cial at Chantry on Friday night. man is rich who endeavors to leave

Miss Esther Lewis, of Smiths Falls, er by deed or action. With this has been visiting relatives in this disrit let us go forth, onward and up-

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Nichols recently were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stratton, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stratton and family, of Brockville.

* Pte. Ernie Bell has arrived from overseas, bringing an English bride with him. His many friends are glad to welcome them home

Wiltse Lake

A number from here attended the ent world war, brought about by dance in Athens town hall on Friday evening last

he fingers of your hand the num-Miss Hattie Moore is holidaying at of men responsible for the four her home here. of blood-selfish knaves. Think Mr. and Mrs. Milton Leach and

children, Smiths Falls, were recent isitors at Royal Moore's. Mr. and Mrs. P. Shea, Sheatown,

were recent visitors at Ed. Foster's something done to alleviate Miss Beatrice Hudson, Brockville, ers? Wealth has no conscience, vas a visitor here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leach the church as a cloak, politics as p, and the government as a tool.

son, Smiths Falls, were recent ask you, what use is more tors here.

LOCAL NEWS ITEM

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Sabbath afternoon

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Mail Order Ca

arrived.

Brief Notes of Interest to Town and Rural Re

Ice Cream Social on Friday evening the with relatives at 22nd of August, under auspices of St. John's Spencerville. Her Church, Leeds, on John Niblock's Lawn, gan, returned wi

Miss Gertrude Rowntree, Weston; Miss Olive Hewins of Hamilton; Miss Bessie Holmes, Toronto; Miss Ethel SmitheJs, Murray, Ont.; Miss Lillie Morris, and Mr. Morris of Glen Morris, were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Holmes.

Please Take Notice-The Annual Camp Meeting of the Holines Movement Church s posponed to Sept. 14 to 21-Fuller notice in his home of

Mr. E. Mansen, Owen Sound, spending few weeks at the home of his neice Mrs. David Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Holmes, and Miss Edyth Holmes of Toronto were week end isitors in Athens guests of Mr and Mrs. M. B. Holmes, Wiltse Street.

and holding, I'd pack The Annual Picnic of the W. M. S. of Methodist Church which was held at Lake ing a Eloida, Thursday August 7th, was well Mrs. attended, visitors being present from Delta Frankville, Elbe and Other places. A good musical program was rendered and the Missionary addresses by Mrs Drummond of Chiua and Mr. Sherwood Hall of Corea proved to be not only interesting out most instructive.

> Mr. C. A. McIntosh, Editor of the North Battlefard Times, Sask. was renewing old equaintances here this week.

We paid a visit last week to the Apiary on Wiltse Street and for the first time witnessed the process of removing the honey from the hives to the extracting room, separating the same from the comb and filling the cans ready for shipment. We concluded that the delicious honey was a wonderful food product gathered in a onderfull manner by the busy little bees. Mr. Holmes informed us that the hone crop throughout the province is officially reported as below normal and that local customers should secure their supply without delay-Editor.

Just received, a nice line of Pre- Clarence Knowlton, Ottawa, was serving Kettles in graniteware, at the Bazaar.

Born-August 6th, to Walther H. Smith, B.S.A., and Mrs. Smith, a son

Mort Tackaberry is building a cottage on the Slack property, Charleston Lake. Norman Hagerman is as-

Mrs. Lois Moulton is adding a new porch to her Elgin Street residence.

Fred Scovil is improving the appearance of his Elgin Street property adding new walks

Principal Burchell and family are in camp in Mrs. Johnston's house in Charleston village

John Layng and family were at Smiths Falls recently attending the wedding of Miss Alma Polk and Aycel Good, Toronto. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Lyang.

Mrs. Wm. Towriss was at Brockville last week with her mother. Mrs. Eben Yates, Frankville, who is a patient at St. Vincent de Paul Hospi-

Mrs. Geore Gainford is in Brockville, a patient at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Lester Brown has given up cheesemaking at Escott owing to ill health and has returned to his Wiltse St. residence.

David Perry has returned from the hospital, where he was being treated for wounds made by a kick from a

Wm. Yates was called from Perih last week owing to the illness of his brother, Philip Yates.

Mrs. George Scott and family have returned from a visit in Syracuse,

Mrs. Fisher has returned from visit with relatives at various points.

Miss Lillian Burchell returned Frievening from a fortnight's visit Parish, at Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Olds and Miss Helen. Syracuse, N.Y., are guests of Mrs. C. E. Judson at Camp Lookout, Charles-

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Hunter, Riverdale, Cal., and Mrs. T. W. Serviss, of to his New York, arrived from New York last week and are guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wiltse.

on a brief visit this week to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Knowlton, being called here by the death of his grandfather, Mr. Stearns Knowlton

Miss Charlotte Miller, Rockspring, s spending a week or so here, a guest of Miss Georgie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson motorel to Gananoque on Sunday last for a visit with friends there during "Old Home Week."

Mrs. Green Sherman. Grenville, Que., arrived Tuesday to spend three weeks at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hannah

Mr. Hubert Cornell, of Toronto was a recent visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. Helen E. Cornell.

The Athens junior baseball team will go to Delta on Saturday for a game with the juniors of that town.

Mrs. D. D. Davidson attended the Mills-Davidson wedding on Tuesday evening.

Rev. B. B. Brown, of Montreal, will occupy the pulpit in the Athens Methodist Church on Sunday evening. The morning service is withdrawn until the end of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Corey left Tuesday for Winnipeg and western Joints.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Rappell, who returned from overseas about two months ago and has been visiting his mother and sisters here, left for Moose Jaw, Sask., on Tuesday. After a visit to Mrs. Rappell's parents at Herbert, Sask., they will take up house in Moose Jaw, where he will resume his studies in law

Mr. and Mrs. James Dillabough and son Ivan have returned home having spent an enjoyable holiday with friends. Mr. Dillabough visited his parents at Winchester and Mrs. Dillabough her brother, Charles disea

Decease

dence in Athens.

September 20. was in his 79th yea of the late Thomas a ton, of Chantry, and was united in ma Saphrona Byington. They settled on a farm a where they resided until some 12 years ago, when they took up resi-

Besides his wife he leaves a family of six to mourn his death. They are: H. R., Athens; Adda, St. Catharines; L. S., Leamington; Omar, at home; Claude, Windsor, and Roy at Athabasca, Alta. He is the last of his father's family. In religion he was a Methodist and for years a prominent and energetic member of that faith,

The funeral took place Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, Church Street, Athens, and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. T. J. Vickery. The interment was made in the Athens cemetery.

Morton

Miss Adella Leadbeater, Ellisville, s the guest of Miss Peryl York. Mrs. Johnston, Seeley's Bay, is spending a few days at Geo. Roantree's.

Miss Daisy Somerville spent the past week with friends at Jones'

Mrs. Wm. Leadbeater and son Philip, of Ellisville, were Sunday visitors at H. F. York's.

The annual social of the Presbyterian Church here will be held on their social grounds Aug. 15.

The baseball match on Saturday last proved very interesting and ex citing to the spectators, the score being 14 to 16 in favor of Morton.

Guideboard Corner's

Mr. E. C. Wight spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiltse, Plum Fiollow.

Miss Dorothy Coleman, Brockville, is a visitor at Granfather Wight's, "The Lilere"

Mrs. Lawson went in to Brockville recently to see her sistem Mrg. Adam

The Cha under the leaders! Horner, will hold their Ca at Eloida Camp Ground from Aus 22 to 31.

The Holiness Movement Church will hold their camp meeting Sept. 14-21 at Eloida Camp Ground, and not on the same dates as the other meeting as previously advertised. The Movement camp will be in charge of Bishop A. 1'. Warren.

Miss Leora Dack is a visitor at D Cowle's

The school hoard of secured the services Whitmore as teacher for ginning Sept. 2nd.

The home of Mr. John under quarantine becaus ness of a returned soldier Holde, a visitor there.

Warburton

Mr. and Mrs. The G. Kendrick, of Kingston, were visitors of Mr. R. W. Sturgeon on Sunday

Mrs. Saxon Washburne, Soperton. returned home after spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. i. B. Webster.

Mr. Geo. Steacy, Wiarton, has returned to his home after visiting his many friends in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson and son, from Toronto, motored to the home of Mr. Jas. Wilson, where they remained for a few days. Mrs. Wilson and her daughter, Miss Elva Dillon accompanied them home

Mr. and Mrs. Bland Webster and family spent Friday in Brockville.

Mr. R. Glenn Madill, who recently returned from military overseas service, is spending a couple of months with his aunt, Mrs. L. B. Weberr, before resuming his stuffed Queen's University.

Master Cecil Dillon is visiting in Lyndhurst.