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Miss Daisy Masterson visited friends at Elgin recently.

—One-dip pens—will write 600 words—at Maude Addison's.

Miss Grace Wing of Westminster Ont., is visiting friends in Athens.

A total of 832 teachers have been qualified at the Ontario normal schools.

Miss Amelia Stone was last week a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Richards, Frankville.

Mrs J. B. Bellamy and Miss Mina Donnelly are visiting friends at Alexandria, Ont.

Mr and Mrs S. B. Covey returned to their home in Rochester, N.Y., on Thursday last.

Mr and Mrs C. H. Knowlton of Windsor are guests of Mr and Mrs H. R. Knowlton.

In Brockville on Thursday last cheese sold at 13½¢ on the board and 13¼¢ after adjournment.

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

—Wilson's Meat Market.

Mr John Watson, local manager of the Merchants Bank, is holidaying at Montreal and points east.

Please make a note of the fact that stores in Brockville will be closed every Wednesday afternoon during July and August.

Mr R. D. Judson is recovering from the effects of his fall and is now able to sit up. Miss N. Collister is nurse-in-charge.

Mr J. Myers of the head office of the B. W. & N. W., Brockville, has been engaged for a few days in the Athens office.

Miss Hazel Washburn was operated upon for appendicitis a few days ago at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, and is now progressing favorably.

Under the pastorate of Rev. Thos. Meredith, Addison circuit of the Methodist church raised last conference year a total of \$2015.54.

Mr and Mrs Roy McLaughlin of Winnipeg are visiting friends in Athens. It is nearly seven years since Roy left Athens for the West.

Mrs E. Loverin of Morristown, N. Y., spent the week end in Athens, a guest of Mrs Jonas Steacy, and visited her Charleston Lake cottage.

Miss Vina Cauley of Lombardy, a former student at the A. H. S., is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Farmers should attend the meeting in the Department of Agriculture office, Athens, on Saturday evening.

Mr T. G. Raynor of the Seed Branch, Ottawa, will deliver an address.

—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.

With the idea of "overcoming evil with good," the Canadian Methodist church has gone into the moving-picture business, and hopes eventually to possess a chain of "theatres" in all principal cities from the Pacific to the Atlantic.

The Reporter has pleasure in congratulating Miss Keitha Purcell and Miss Bessie Johnston on their success in passing the examination for Interim Second-class certificates at the Ottawa Normal School.

The July meeting of the Athens Women's Institute will take the form of a basket picnic, to be held July 30 at the summer home of Mrs Wm. Johnston. All members are requested to keep this date in mind.

Master Travers Rooney and little Miss Daisy Somerville, pupils of Mrs J. M. Somerville, Lyndhurst, were both successful in passing their piano examination at the local centre, Brockville, under the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

Mr and Mrs George Taylor and children of North Hanson, Mass., and Mrs O. E. Robinson of Wollaston, Mass., motored here last week and have since been visiting friends. Mrs Robinson will remain for some time at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs H. H. Arnold, and will later be joined by Mr Robinson.

The village of Frankville has purchased a \$500 fire engine.

Methodist Church social, Frankville, takes place on Thursday evening, July 24.

Mr J. Dwyer, residing near Elgin, lost his barn in the recent thunder storm.

Mrs A. Fisher and Miss Addie Hunt left on Friday last for a trip to Seattle, Wash.

Mrs W. J. Berry and son Hilliard, of Gananoque, are guests this week of Mrs Henry Johnston.

Mr and Mrs Walter Hanson of Saratoga Springs, New York, visited Charleston Lake on Saturday.

Rev. W. H. Montgomery, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, has received a call to Laprairie, P. Q.

Mrs W. G. Parish returned home from St. Vincent de Paul Hospital on Monday, greatly improved in health.

Mrs Arthur Lee went to Toronto last week with Mr and Mrs E. T. Gibson, making the trip by motor car.

Mr E. C. Wight, Ottawa, Mrs E. Bates and Master Jack Coleman, Brockville, are holidaying at "The Liliacs."

Mr George Foley of Newboro and Mr Maurice Foley of Chaffey's Locks are visiting at the home of their parents.

Wesley Stafford of Seeley's Bay, had two cows killed and two others pretty badly injured by the electric storms of Wednesday. The cattle were standing in the pasture at the time.

On Sunday last Mr C. McLean of Brockville occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church, morning and evening, and gave interesting, educative addresses.

Miss Mabel Wight successfully passed her final examinations in Children's Memorial Hospital, Montreal, and has accepted a position on the Hospital Staff of nurses, in that institution.

Mr and Mrs William Smith, Harlem, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pansy H. A. Smith, to Kenneth M. McClary, of Bassano, Alta, the marriage to take place at Rouleau, Sask., on August 5th.

The Athens Methodist S. S. excursion takes place one week from to-day, July 23. The arrangements provide for a delightful trip through the Thousand Islands on board the Thousand Islander. See bills for particulars.

The heavy electric storm of last Thursday evening did considerable damage. Mr W. C. Stevens, Philipaville, had his barns burned and Mr H. Ripley, Elgin, lost his barn, one horse and five head of cattle.

The many friends of Mr N. K. Benedict will learn with regret that he met with a serious mishap on Tuesday morning. He was walking across the floor when he fell heavily, injuring his hip.

Rev. E. H. and Mrs Croly, formerly of Lyndhurst and now of Wingham, have the sympathy of a large number of friends in this district in the loss which they have sustained by the death of their infant son Walter Herbert, which occurred at Wingham on July 3rd.

The Brockville Times styles Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Geo. P. Gaham as "three old political war-horses, saddle galled, spavined and lamed." Of course, there may be an election next fall, but isn't it a little early for that kind of thing?

Hard Island School Promotions

In all classes the names are arranged in order of merit.

Jr. I (B) to Jr. I (A)—Anna Swinburne, Irene Darling.

Jr. I A to Sr. I—Lillian Dunham.

Sr. I to Jr. II—Pansy Foley, Mary Besley.

Jr. II to Sr. II—Sammie Hollingsworth, Jack Young, Stanley Swinburne.

Sr. II to Jr. III—Bryce Young, Erma Wood.

Jr. III to Sr. III—Hazel Darling, Celestia Foley.

Sr. III to Jr. IV—Bertha Besley, Eva Cowles, Ethel Lawson.

Jr. IV to Sr. IV—May Hollingsworth, Hazel Yates, Charlie Cowles, Wesley Lawson.

A large number from this district attended the celebrations at Smith's Falls and Cornwall on Saturday. The stay-at-homes in Athens were pleasantly reminded of the glorious 12th by a gay gang of gleesome youngsters who marched through the streets carrying a superabundance of flags. They were led by a really King William on a really horse, followed by a fife, hot-air and one-headed drum band. The music was inspiring.

The threatening weather prevented a large attendance at Christ Church S. S. excursion to Delta on Thursday last, but the day turned out to be fine and was thoroughly enjoyed. The sporting events included a Trilby race by the ladies, which was exciting, here and there, but all eventually passed under the wire, some a bit flabbergasted but still able to speak above a whisper. Miss Boddington came in first, closely followed by a whole bunch of seconds.

In eight days the Toronto Globe advertised for over 2,000 teachers. The meeting of this demand is a serious problem, and how is the Ontario Government trying to solve it? Well, the Government has adopted a reorganization policy that wipes out in part one great source of supply—the Model school—and after this act of foolishness it is hard to conjecture what will next be done. Last year Athens Model Schools, qualified 27 teachers, nearly sufficient to meet the demand of these united counties. Where will the rural school boards get their supply of teachers for next year?

The People's Column

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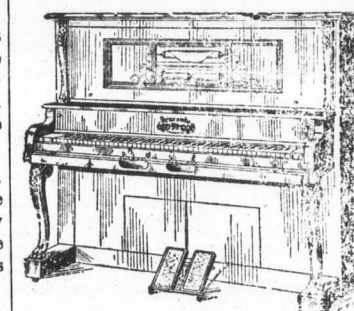
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