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ATHENS BRANCH: JOHN WATSON, Manager.

Local and General

—Save your poultry for the big fair at
Athens on Dec. 12

The new B. W. & N. W. time table
appears in this week's Reporter.

The parcels post system is now pro-
mised by the end of January.

Mr Alfred Male has rented the
farm of Mrs Benjamin Livingston.

Mr and Mrs Walter Fenlon last
week moved to their farm at Rock-
spring.

—All village taxes are now due and
prompt payment at the store of A. M.
Eaton is urged.

Mr Minor Bates of Edison, Alberta,
is visiting friends here and at his for-
mer home, Glen Elbe.

—Live poultry bought every Wednes-
day afternoon; must be fasted 24 hrs.
—Willson's Meat Market.

Mr and Mrs Ford Steacy and daugh-
ter of McDonald College, Que., are
visiting friends in Athens.

—Remember absent friends by sending
them one of the beautiful greeting
cards on sale at the Reporter Office.

Miss Arletta Hollingsworth, nurse-
in-training at a Winnipeg hospital, is
reported to be ill with typhoid fever.

Mr and Mrs Roy Robinson have re-
turned to Athens after residing at
Spring Valley during the dairy season.

—Highest price in cash and Hids,
Skins, Furs, Live Poultry for Eggs—
A. M. Eaton, Athens.

Mrs Luther Bellamy of New York,
visiting friends in Brockville, was a
guest last week of Mrs J. B. Bellamy,
Athens.

Canadian bacon and bread made
from Canadian wheat are cheaper in
England than in Canada. What do
you know about that?

The Athens Boys Poultry Club are
arranging for a great display of high-
class birds in the Dowsley Block on
Dec. 12. Particulars next week.

—It will pay to crate-feed poultry for
the Athens fair, Dec. 12. Buyers dis-
criminate, and the top price always
goes to the owner of the best fitted
birds.

On the first day of winter pansies,
dandelions and lilacs are reported to be
in bloom in various parts of Eastern
Ontario. A year ago a foot and a half
of snow covered the ground.

Invitations are out for the marriage
of a former Athenian maiden, Miss
Evelyn Wiltse, to Mr J. T. Cummings
at the home of her father, Mr P. Wil-
tse, Victor, Alta., on December 9th.

A regular meeting of Athens
Council Canadian Order of Chosen
Friends will be held on Friday even-
ing, 5th inst., in their lodge room,
Central Block. A full attendance is
requested.

Local option is to be voted on in the
township of Matilda at the forth-com-
ing municipal election. There has
been no licensed hotels in this town-
ship for many years and it is to pro-
vide better means of punishing cases of
public drunkenness.

The engagement is announced of
Verma Evelyn, daughter of Mr and
Mrs H. C. Warren, Lansdowne, to
George R. Peck, of the same place.
The marriage will take place on Dec-
ember 10th.

Owing to the Laymen's Missionary
banquet, the regular meeting of the
W. M. S. will not be held tomorrow,
but will be held on Wednesday of next
week, December 10th, at 8 p. m., at
the home of Mrs George Edwards.

Eggs are soaring in price in the big
cities. But it is not the farmers who
are profiting. The cold storage people
have been cornering the supply. Over
in the States the women have organ-
ized in reprisal. Seven hundred thou-
sand of them have pledged themselves
to abstain from buying eggs until they
come down to 32c a dozen.

Brockville Cheese Board closed for
season on Thursday last. There was
an offering of 690 boxes and the ruling
price was 12½c. James A. Ferguson
of Caintown, said that the secretary of
one of the factories he represented had
submitted a report to him showing
that the average price paid during the
season was 12½ cents per pound. This
is at the rate of two pounds for 25
cents, or eight pounds for \$1. The
majority of the salesmen felt that this
was a good average.

Local and General

—Read the prizes offered to patron's
of Athens Poultry Fair, Friday, Dec.
12.

Mr A. Wiltse of Toronto is visiting
at the home of Mr and Mrs J. F. Gor-
don.

Dr E. C. McLean spent Sunday at
the home his of parents, Mr and Mrs
A. E. McLean.

A Chinaman was in Athens a few
days ago, considering the establishment
of a laundry here.

Writs have been issued for holding
the bye-elections on Dec. 18th in Mac-
donald, Man., and South Lanark.

A man never realizes how much
sense a girl has who jilts him until
another gets busy and marries him.

The travelling library which has
been secured by the Women's Institute
has arrived and will be ready for cir-
culation at their next meeting.

Mrs E. C. Loverin and brother, Mr
Clarence Carpenter, of Morristown, N.
Y., spent the past week at their sum-
mer home, Charleston Lake.

Mrs W. H. Jacob, Mrs Jas. Alguire,
Athens and Miss Daisy McAlpin,
Gananoque, are visiting Mrs Alva
Johnston.—Record, Smith Falls.

The tax rate in Pembroke this year
is 25 mills with a by-law to raise
\$13,000 by debentures to cover over-
drafts—a rather unique way of keeping
the rate down.

The department of agriculture has
issued an order to prevent the further
importation of cattle, sheep and swine
from Great Britain owing to an out-
break of foot and mouth disease has
been stamped out.

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