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LOCAL ITEMS

Dr. W. A. Scanlon is visiting friends in Athens. Miss Laura Goodall of Elbe Mills is visiting friends in Hamilton.

Miss Grace Rappell goes on the excursion to St. Anne this week. Mrs. J. H. Ackland is visiting friends in Carleton Place this week.

Farmers report the hay crop to be one of the heaviest in years. Mr. Frank Stevens of Montreal is visiting friends in Athens.

Mr. James McIntosh of Harrison is visiting friends in Leeds county. Mr. Morton C. Knapp left for Buffalo on Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. W. G. McLaughlin of Brockville visited friends in Athens last week. The Rev. L. M. Weeks, B.D., and family have been spending a week with friends in Westport.

Mrs. H. H. Arnold has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. D. P. Hamilton, Smith's Falls. Mr. G. F. McKimm of Smith's Falls has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for the County of Lanark.

Miss Jessie Taplin is very efficiently performing the duties of organist in the Methodist church in the absence of Miss Lester. The principal of Kemptville public school had 33 candidates writing on the entrance exam., and of these 29 passed.

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New potatoes are now on the Athens bill of fare. The home-grown tubers have been retailing here at \$1.20 per bushel.

Rev. H. S. Kilborn, Mrs. Kilborn, and niece, Miss Lucy McConnell, of Farmington, Maine, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wing.

The B. W. & N. W. will sell single fare return tickets to Brockville on Friday, the day of the Masonic Knights Templar parade.

Mr. F. S. L. Patterson of the Metropolitan Bank staff at Brockville was staying with his brother, Rev. R. B. Patterson, over Sunday.

Mr. H. Moffatt who has been in business a number of years at Jasper has sold out his general store to Mr. Armstrong of Kingston.

Miss E. Falkner has sold the North Augusta branch of her millinery business and will devote all her time and attention to the business in Athens.

There is a great yield of blueberries on the ledges of Charleton Lake this season, but the pickers are few and very much of the harvest will be lost.

Miss Esther and Masters Ray and Archie Kincaid are spending vacation with their aunt, Mrs. S. B. Williams, at Spraguelville, N. Y.

Miss Lillie Robins of Seely's Corner is this week the guest of Mrs. W. C. Smith.

Miss Nina Buell, of Lyn, is this week the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. C. Alguire.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mott are this week removing to Mrs. E. Gilroy's residence on Henry street.

Mr. Carman Culbert of New York is spending vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Culbert.

Mrs. Eliza Brown of Mansville, N.Y. is now visiting her late husband's relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. J. Slack and son Carmen return home this week from a visit with friends at Morrisburg.

Mr. M. C. Schofield, C. E., of Onelph, aged 84 years, a native of Delta, is visiting old friends in Leeds county.

Kemtpville Advance—Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Reynolds were called to Peterboro the last of the week by news of the death of their niece.

Mrs. Charles B. Wiltes left this morning to spend a month in camp with her daughter and family on the shore of Gull Lake, Gravenhurst.

The defunct Union Hat Works at Brockville has been sold, the acceptor being that of the Wolhansen Hat Corporation of South Norwalk, Conn.

Messrs. Maurice Foley and Nelson McCleverty of Gananoque returned to that town on Saturday after a week's visit in Athens, guests of Mrs. E. Foley.

Mr. Curle is now directing the affairs of the B. W. & N. W., and is said to have been given a free hand in the management of every detail of the line.

Rev. R. B. Patterson, B.A., on Sunday attended the funeral services of the late rector of Lyndhurst, Rev. A. G. Metzler. The remains were taken to Cardinal for interment.

The long list of graduates of the Brockville Business Colleges is still increasing. Mr. Daniel Baird, Bookkeeper, and Mr. Thomas Bradley, stenographer, are now among the number.

*Recorder: The information has just leaked out that Mr. Montgomery Edger, an employee of the Canada Carriage Company, and Miss Maud Welch, also of this town, were quietly married last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bosch and little daughter of Toronto left for home on Tuesday after a very pleasant sojourn of two weeks at Camp Lookout, Charleton Lake.

The highest bid for cheese last week in Brockville was 7 1/2c, and very little was sold. A great shrinkage in the flow of milk is reported, notwithstanding the fine pasturage. This is probably due to the suspension of feeding by the farmers.

Mrs. Chas. Barber and daughter, Miss Annie, are this week guests of Mrs. M. Barber, Church street. The Methodist choir was strengthened by the presence of Miss Barber, who sang a solo, following the offertory at the evening service.

Mr. L. A. Kennedy, M.A., of Toronto, one time a popular and very efficient headmaster of the A. H. S., spent Sunday in Athens, the guest of Mr. H. H. Arnold. Many of his old friends had the pleasure of renewing their acquaintance with him.

The social under the direction of the ladies of St. Paul's church, Delta, on Friday evening next promises to be a great success. Its popularity has exceeded the expectations of its promoters, and on Monday an additional lot of tickets had to be ordered.

Rev. A. G. Metzler, rector of Lyndhurst, died on Thursday evening last, after an illness of several months. Before going to Lyndhurst, Mr. Metzler had been in charge of the churches at Cardinal and Westport, and in all these places he had many warm friends.

The honor of coming second in the past list of entrance students writing here should have been credited to Miss Grace Stewart of Lyn, who made 867 marks. Miss Josie Taylor, also of Lyn, came third on the list with 845 marks.

Mrs. James McClenahan and son of Brockville, N.Y., are this week guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gibson.

Messrs. Quinn, Murore and Gibson shipped two carloads of bogs from Athens station to Hull, P.Q., on Tuesday.

Misses Lena and Maggie Moran of Brockville are spending their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Taylor.

Mr. Robert Stinson is on the sick list this week, and Mr. Tribune is taking his place in Mr. Thompson's grocery.

Mr. Clare Pritchard, a third year student in dentistry, arrived here from Toronto last week and is visiting old friends.

Mr. James Hutchison, dairy instructor at St. George, Brant Co., is this week visiting his sister, Mrs. T. S. Kendrick, and renewing a pleasant college acquaintance with Rev. I. N. Beckstedt, M.A.

Mrs. Sam Taber and little daughter, Inez, left Morton on Monday to spend some months with friends at Calgary and Banff. Mr. Taber will join them later in the season to look after some business interests he has there.

While assisting his son in moving carriages in his livery stable on Tuesday, Mr. Halliday was struck in the back of the neck by one of the thills and was quite seriously hurt, paralysis of a nerve resulting. It is thought that the paralysis is only temporary and that Mr. Halliday will soon be alright again.

In the competition for first position in the recent promotion examinations in the A. H. S., Miss Anna Stevens of Phillipville was the prize winner in first form and Miss Mauds Taylor of Chantry won the medal for proficiency in second form. These young ladies have won an honorable distinction and the Reporter extends congratulations.

Beginning with next Sabbath, the 24th inst., there will be held a morning service once a month in St. Paul's Presbyterian church at the hour of half-past ten o'clock. This service will be held on the fourth Sabbath of each month, and will be continued until further notice, taking the place of the usual evening service on that day.

Mr. John Dockett will sell by public auction at his farm in Rear Yonge on Monday next, July 25, commencing at 1 p.m., twenty-two choice dairy cows and a registered Holstein bull (yearling). Some of the cows are 3 bred Holstein, and all are extra fine animals. Terms—three months credit without interest. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

Mr. P. J. Bolin of Los Angeles, California, also his wife and three children, has arrived in Chantry to see his mother and sister after an absence of twenty-five years. Mr. Bolin went to California with Mr. Warren Murphy and Mr. George Murphy of Elgin, Ont., and has since been engaged in the contracting business.

Mr. Bolin has erected many of the finest churches, hotels and schools in Los Angeles, where he is well known, and respected by all.

The Searchlight says that "the man that gulps down twenty cents worth of beer a day swallows in one year five pairs of shoes, 400 loaves of bread, twelve sacks of potatoes, two suits of clothes, two tons of coal, a barrel of sugar, and twenty-seven pounds of coffee." Prove it! Here's a sum that would be worth the while of an entrance examination pupil, better than the fool problems on which the boys are plucked.

Lost in the Woods, Miss Bertha Phillips, residing with Mrs. J. B. Joynt, near the town hall, Augusta Township, went picking raspberries, and not returning a search was made, but she could not be found. Next night she returned badly scratched up and with her clothes torn.

On starting home it seems the child lost her way and wandered into a swamp of about a thousand acres. When darkness came on she climbed a tree and there remained till morning. After wandering about for hours, she finally found the clearing several miles from home.

SPRAY POTATOES NOW, Farmers continue to lose hundreds of bushels of potatoes every year from blight and rot which might be saved by spraying the vines with Bordeaux mixture. The results obtained at the Central Experimental Farm and elsewhere have proved over and over again how well it pays to spray, but comparatively few farmers spray their potatoes for the prevention of rot yet.

At Ottawa one variety that was sprayed yielded at the rate of 201 bushels more per acre than the same variety unsprayed, and taking the average of 11 varieties there was an increase of 120 bushels per acre. The formula used is 6 lbs. bluestone, 4 lbs. lime and 40 gallons water. If the potato beetle is still active 8 ozs. Paris green may be added to this. If fresh lime cannot be obtained, 7 1/2 lbs. washing soda will take its place. There should be about 4 sprayings, the first about the middle of July, the second from ten to two weeks later, the third and the fourth at about

the same intervals, the object being to keep the vines covered with the mixture until September. It has been proven by experiment that over half the crop of potatoes will be produced after August 22nd, if the vines are kept green, and this is what spraying will do, as at the Experimental Farm, the vines have been kept green from 18 to 20 days longer than where left un sprayed. The cost of four sprayings is about \$7. Fuller particulars will be furnished on application to Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Sudden Death, On Tuesday morning last a sad and sudden death occurred at the home of Mr. Bert Knapp, Plum Hollow. A son of Mr. Oscar Whelan, aged about thirteen years, was in the employ of Mr. Knapp, and early Tuesday morning he went to the barn, in company with a younger boy, to care for the stock. At breakfast time he complained of feeling sick, grew rapidly worse, and died in about half an hour.

It was learned that he had drunk some liquid out of a bottle that was in the barn, and this was in all probability the cause of his death, as the liquid was a medicine that had been used in spraying cattle.

The death is a peculiarly sad one, and the relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community in their sudden bereavement.

Muskoka Tourists, The prospect for a heavy tourist traffic to the "Highlands of Ontario," including the several districts north of Toronto, is very promising, and in comparison with last year, the number who have already gone in this year is in excess of last. The Muskoka Lake district is getting a large quota, and the hotels and boarding houses are filling up. Many new cottages have been erected since last season by wealthy Americans.

Last week General Caldwell, Acting Governor of Jamaica, and wife, were registered among the guests of the "Royal Muskoka," as well as many prominent people from across the border line.

CHURCHES AND OUTLAWS, Ancient Laws That Gave Shelter and Protection to Criminals. In early times, when life and property were accounted cheap unless defended sword in hand, the church offered shelter and sanctuary to those who had occasion to fear the arm of the law. In the middle ages whoever crossed the threshold of a church was considered under divine protection and could not be arrested, while several churches and cathedrals still preserve the knocker used by those who had fled thither for shelter and claimed admittance. In some buildings the fugitives from justice sat upon a chair or stool, and the register of a church in Durham, England, covering a period extending from the year 1464 to the year 1524, included, besides other crimes, 195 murders and homicides, in which 283 persons seeking protection were concerned. To attempt to violate sanctuary by force was in those days a very serious matter, and when the outlaw decided to save his life by leaving the realm he did so in the following manner: "When a robber, murderer or other evil doer shall fly unto any church upon his confession of felony, the coroner shall cause the abjuration to be made thus: Let the felon be brought to the church door and there be assigned unto him a port, near or far off, and a time appointed to him to go out of the realm, so that in going toward that port he carry a cross in his hand, and that he go not out of the king's highway, neither on the right hand nor on the left, but that he keep it always until he shall be gone out of the land, and that he shall not return without special grace of our lord the king."

PERSONAL NOMENCLATURE, Ancient Names and the Modern System of Surnames. Neither Hebrews, Egyptians, Assyrians, Babylonians, Persians nor Greeks had surnames, and in the earliest period of their history the same may be said of the Romans. In course of time, however, every Roman citizen had three names—the praenomen, or personal name; the nomen, or name of the gens or clan; and the cognomen, or family name, as Publius Cornelius Scipio. Conquerors were occasionally complimented by the addition of a fourth name, or agnomen, commemoating of their conquest, as Publius Cornelius Scipio Africanus.

It is impossible to state with any degree of certainty when the modern system of personal nomenclature became general. It has been stated that the practice of surnames began in Normandy and extended to England after the Norman conquest, but a document in the Cottonian MSS. quoted in Turner's "History of the Anglo-Saxons" contains reference to Hwita Hatto, a keeper of bees in Hathfeld; to Tate Hatto, his daughter, mother of Wulsig the Shooter, and Lulle Hatto, sister of Wulsig. The date of these records of the Hattos is not to be ascertained, but they were certainly written before the year 1066. So far as antiquarians have been able to discover, Hatto is the first surname whose existence can be traced in England. It is not improbable that the founder of the Hatto family was so called because of some unusual or noticeable headgear that he was in the habit of wearing.

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