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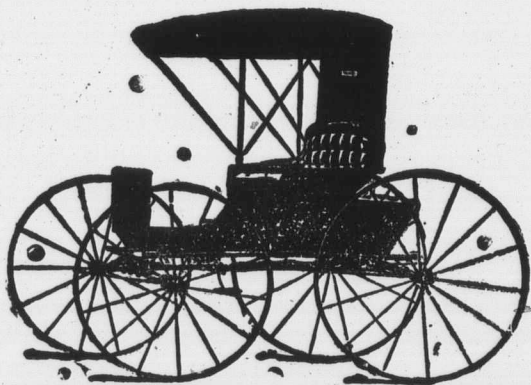
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ALL THE NEWS OF THE TOWN

O love, love love! Love is like a dizziness; It wins a lot a poor body Gang about his business. —Scotch Lament.

The Gamble House is receiving a nice bright coat of paint.

Dr. O. B. LILLIE has moved into commodious offices over Mr. J. Thompson's store.

Mr. Phil. Wilts is improving the property on the old homestead by having the buildings reshiped.

QUARTERLY SERVICES will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday morning. In the morning there will be a song service.

Mr. Geo. CAMPBELL, who has been suffering for some time with a very sore hand, is now feeling much better. The finger is healing nicely.

On Saturday next, commencing at 1 o'clock, some stock, buggies and machinery, owned by Alex. Taylor, will be sold by public auction.

Mr. T. R. BEALE will shortly move into the office occupied by Mr. Lewis, who will in future have his Athens office upstairs in the same building.

THERE will be an "Old Peoples' Day" at the Glen Buell church on the second Sunday in August, full particulars of which will be given next week.

Mr. H. HARWOOD, of the firm of Harwood & Son, Ottawa, was in town yesterday taking an order for the fancy leaded windows to be used in the new Methodist church.

ACCORDING to the yearly statement of the Athens Methodist church just issued the total membership at present is 366, catechumens 21, baptisms during the year 8, marriages 12 and burials 28.

Rev. S. J. Hughes announced in the Methodist church, Winchester, two weeks ago that Mr. Lorne Mulloy intended to enter the Methodist ministry, preparatory to which he had been licensed as an exhorter.

THE Ladies' Aid of Christ church, have undertaken to have the chancel in the church painted, the seats varnished and other improvements made, which will add much to the appearance of the interior of that edifice.

THERE will be no service in the Presbyterian church, here, for the next three weeks. The pastor, Rev. J. R. Fritzell, is taking a rest for that length of time. Accompanied by Mrs. Fritzell he is visiting at Carleton Place and Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones and daughter, Miss Angie, are this week attending the funeral of the late John Toffey, of Cranworth, half-brother of Mrs. Jones. Deceased had been ill for two years with stomach trouble which baffled the doctors. The funeral will be held tomorrow (Thursday).

SAUNDERS & PIERCE are having a general overhauling of the Saunders mill, which is to be converted into a roller mill. For many years it has been run on the old flat process. The mill is now undergoing a thorough repair, new machinery being put in, and such other improvements as will make it up to date. They expect to have it working under the new process in September.

By an order just received from the post office department at Ottawa it is made known that "parcels containing candy or other sugar confectionery, addressed to the United Kingdom, will be forwarded direct to destination without examination at customs, if described in the customs department under one of the following heads: Sugar, confectionery, chocolate confectionery, or preserved fruits."

News of the death of Mr. Drummond Parish, which occurred near Brockville yesterday morning, was received with regret by his many friends. About a year ago she moved from this place. The deceased had been ill for nearly two years. He leaves a widow and seven children. The funeral took place this afternoon and was well attended by a large number. The remains were interred in Athens cemetery.

THERE is no truth in the report that Mr. W. A. Lewis's office, here, will be closed after a few weeks. As intimated in the Reporter at the time Mr. Lewis first spoke of going to Brockville he will be here one day each week as long as he remains in Brockville. At present his day here is Monday, but after his family goes to the county town he will be here Friday each week. Mr. Lewis expects to move his family to Brockville in about a month.

At the regular meeting of the I. O. O. F., on Wednesday evening last, the following officers were installed:—P. G., D. Witte; N. G., A. Eaton; P. G., W. F. Earl; R. S., G. Judson; P. S., C. L. Lamb; Treasurer, R. M. Kelly; R. S. of N. G., E. Purcell; I. S. of N. G., John Quinn; L. S. of P. G., Joseph Kelly; R. S. of P. G., A. R. Brown; Warden, S. Stinson; Conductor, E. Purcell; L. Seen Supporter, Wm. Johnson; R. Seen Supporter, P. P. Slack; Chaplain, T. S. Kendrick.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Purvis was in Brockville yesterday.

Mr. M. Nab returned from Alberta, N. W. T., Monday.

Master R. Spencer is holidaying at Elgin.

The "Y." meet at the home of Miss Rappell this evening.

Dr. Wright of Plevna, visited his parents here last week.

Miss Mollie Robinson is learning telegraphy at the local office.

Miss Chamberlain is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Richard Henderson.

Mr. T. Thompson visited his home near Brockville Friday and Saturday.

The Reporter enjoyed a call from Rev. G. Metzler, of Lyndhurst, yesterday.

Dr. Cornell and family of Brockville, now occupy their summer residence at the lake.

Mr. Rob't. Joynt spent Sunday and Monday at Lyn, a guest of Miss Davidson.

Mrs. Kendrick is chaperoning a party of little girls who went to the lake to day.

Mr. Rob't. Elder and wife, of New York, are enjoying the warm season at Charleston.

Miss Blackburn, of the General Hospital, Montreal, is home on a two-week's holiday.

Miss Ella Deming, who had been visiting Brockville friends, returned home Thursday.

Miss Wright, of Montreal, is spending the summer with her brother, Rev. Rural Dean Wright.

The home of Miss Klyne on Prince street is being repainted and in other ways much improved.

Mr. S. Y. Bullis and family leave tomorrow to enjoy a few weeks in their cottage at the lake.

Mrs. Harry Blanchard and Miss Ethel Blanchard visited Delta friends on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Boyce and Miss Boyce left this morning for Union Park, where they will remain for a few days.

Mrs. Karl, of Chantry, is ill with congestion of the lungs, but is improving under Dr. Harte's care.

Miss Annie Plunkett, of the Brockville Business College, visited her home here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Bullis, of Brockville Business College, spent Saturday and Sunday with Athens friends.

Mr. Victor Birney, of New York, who visited Athens last week, left Brockville for Gotham Saturday.

Mr. W. Richardson, of Winnipeg, who is spending a few weeks in Ontario, passed through Athen on Friday.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Miss Hattie, are visiting friends at Smith's Falls. They will return next week.

Miss O. H. Buell, of Mallorytown, is spending part of her holidays as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Alguire.

Miss Steacy, of Warburton, a recent graduate of the Normal school at Hamilton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fair.

Mr. W. Ackland, the insurance agent, was in town most of last week visiting his brother, Mr. J. H. Ackland.

Mr. Harry Blanchard returned to New York on Saturday. Mrs. Blanchard will remain here for five or six weeks.

Mrs. J. Thompson and son now find it more pleasant at their charming lake home. They have as guest, Mrs. W. A. Lewis.

Miss Jessie and Edna Haig have been spending a few days with a party of friends at Charleston Lake—Gananogue Journal.

The Rev. A. W. DePencier, M.A., and son, of Toronto, were in town last week, guests of Rev. and Mrs. Wright, at the rectory.

Miss Elizabeth Fisher, of Brockville, who had been spending a few days with her grand-parents here, returned home yesterday.

Mr. W. B. Connerty, clerk in H. H. Arnold's store, is enjoying a two-week's rest, visiting Lyndhurst, Cedar's Bay and Long Point.

Mr. W. G. Parish and family vacated their Athens home yesterday to enjoy the warm weeks at their pretty cottage at Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Loverin and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Judson have been enjoying the cool breezes of Charleston during the last week.

Miss Chrystall Rappell and Miss Annie Dolan are spending a couple of weeks with friends at Alexandria Bay and Grenadier island.

Mrs. Asher Witte, accompanied by her little son, Hermie S., has gone to Mitchell, Ont. to visit Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Anderson for a month.

Mr. L. L. Knowlton, jeweler at Syracuse, arrived Monday to spend a few days with his brother, Mayor Knowlton. He left for Chantry yesterday accompanied by Clarence Knowlton to visit his old home.

Miss Adda Berney, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mr. Wm. Moulton, near Athens.

Mr. A. R. Brown, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, was able to sit up for a little while yesterday. Dr. Cornell is the attending physician.

Mr. G. W. Brown, chief of police, accompanied by his son and daughter, having secured the "Wilson Cottage" is enjoying a few days at the lake.

Miss Paulina Moore, of Smith's Falls, and Miss Tenant, Caintown, holidaying at Union Park, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Knowlton, Sunday.

Miss Karley is visiting friends at Gananogue. She goes from there this week via the Rideau by boat to Smith's Falls to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. G. M. Pierce and Miss Pierce spent a few pleasant days with friends at Brockville and Alexandria Bay. They returned to Athens Monday evening.

Mr. G. M. P. Hemming, of Elmira, N. Y., the McCormick Man' Co's expert, and Mr. J. N. Bradley, of Prescott, the general agent, were in town yesterday.

Dr. Stone, of Oneida, N. Y., and Mr. L. J. Cornwall, B. A., principal of Masford high school, are with their families, holidaying at Athens and Charleston.

Mrs. H. H. Arnold and Miss Letta returned home from Smith's Falls on Thursday evening, after having had a pleasant two-week's visit with relatives and friends there.

Dr. Tremayne and H. H. Tremayne, of Evansville, are spending a few days at the lake. The doctor was a resident of Charleston in the early days and is happy meeting old friends.

Miss Scovill's pleasant visit with her many Athens friends was interrupted on Friday afternoon by word being received by phone from Portland that her aunt was seriously ill. She left on the evening train for that place.

The Rev. C. J. H. Hutton, M.A., of Belleville, who is the diocesan canvasser for the augmentation fund, preached in Christ church on Sunday evening last. At present Mr. Hutton is canvassing the Parish of Lansdowne Rear.

Dr. T. F. Chamberlain, inspector of prisons, and Postoffice Inspector Merrick, were in Athens on Thursday. In the afternoon they had a pleasant time fishing at the lake in company with Messrs. J. H. McLaughlin and W. G. Parish.

Messrs. Roy Knowlton, Robt Stinson and Harry Arnold had a happy time during the last week camping at the lake. They had planned on having with them Mr. B. Covey, but as this gentleman occupies a very important position on the Reporter, his services could not be dispensed with, consequently there was a vacant chair at the camp. "Bud" was present and added life to the camp over Sunday though.

Mrs. (Dr.) Peat, Miss Kelly, Mr. B. Johnson and sister, Miss Gertie, Mr. R. Joynt and sister, Miss Mina, and the Misses Haig, of Gananogue, had a delightful time at the lake last week. They occupied the favorite "Wilson cottage." The ladies are highly elated over the fact that each managed to catch a "lovely salmon" during the outing. They say they were so happy when they landed the beauty in their boat that they each kissed their prize. The salmon died happy. Unfortunately Mr. Johnson became too familiar with poison ivy and is now nursing a very sore face.

"Hullo, Pat; I hear your dog is dead." "It is." "Was it a lap dog?" "Yes it would lap anything." "What did it die of?" "It died of a Tuesday." "I mean how did it die?" "It died on its back." "I mean how did it meet its death?" "It didn't meet its death, its death overtook it." "I want to know what was around seemed to be satisfied." "I wish to know how did it occur?" "The dog was no cur, he was a thoroughbred animal." "Tell me what disease did the dog die of?" "He went to fight a circular saw." "What was the result?" "The dog only lasted one round."

LAWN TENNIS SOCIAL. An Important Event Billed for Saturday Evening.

The event of the season promises to be the social by the Lawn Tennis Club on their courts on Saturday evening next. An elaborate program is being prepared, which will provide a good time for young and old. It is understood that there will be several features new to Athens. There may be a ping-pong booth. Ice cream, lemonade and cake will be served on the grounds. The Lyndhurst band has been secured, so that excellent music is assured. Every effort will be made by the committee in charge to give all who attend a pleasant time.

AUGUST 9TH A HOLIDAY.

Ottawa, July 30.—The government yesterday decided to proclaim Saturday, Aug. 9th, coronation day, a public holiday. A special number of the Canadian Gazette will be issued containing the proclamation.

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