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New Printer's Scale.

A new printer's wage scale has been adopted in Toronto, giving journeymen employed on morning newspapers \$28.50 per week for the first two years, with an increase to \$29.50 for the next three years, the agreement on scale being for five years. For evening papers the scale is \$26.50 and \$27.50.

An Average Market.

Saturday morning the market at the County Town was of average size. Eggs sold at 33 and 35 cents per dozen, potatoes at \$2.50 and \$2.75 per bushel, strawberries two boxes for 25 cents.

Social a Success.

The ice cream social at Phillipsville, Friday evening, under the auspices of the Red Cross Society, was marked by an attendance of over five hundred and an unusually fine program. The Robert Wright Co., of Brockville, gave an Edison concert and Mayor Wright addressed the gathering on "Canada—Past, Present and Future." Rev. A. H. Barker, of Delta, and Rev. Mr. Stillwell, of Elgin, were also speakers.

On the Pension Board.

Dr. G. H. Ross Hamilton is now in Ottawa on the Pension Board. Dr. Hamilton served some time in the medical corps of the French army, and was previously a practitioner in Athens.

Enlightening Newboro.

The poles have been installed and wiring will begin in a few days in connection with the installation of electric lighting system at Newboro.

Orange Lodge Met.

Athens L. O. L. met Saturday night. The sound of drum and fife issuing from the lodge room in the Pierce block gave evidence of the near approach of the "Glorious Twelfth."

In England.

The sixth and final draft of the 230th Forestry Battalion, C.E.F., which left under Major L. F. Howard O. C. on the 20th ultimo, arrived all safe in England last Thursday afternoon, which is indicative that only a short stay was made by the company in Halifax.

Interesting Items

—Have you taken advantage of our offer of free air? Earl's Garage.

Strawberries Again!

Strawberries from the local patches appeared on the market last week at 14c a box.

Indians Picking Berries.

A number of Indian men and women are employed at M. L. Dunham's picking strawberries.

Purchased a Car.

Rev. Rural Dean Swayne has purchased a McLaughlin touring car from A. Taylor & Son.

League Closes.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church has closed for the summer months.

In Armprior.

Arnprior Board of Education has upwards of 50 applications for the position of public school principal three, and 60 applications for the position of teacher of one of the forms in the school.

Ontario's Automobiles.

Already some 65,000 motor cars have been licensed in Ontario this year, an evidence that the war has not effected that member at least, and the provincial exchequer receives a boost from the fees.

Fire a Mystery.

The cause of the recent destruction by fire of the pavilion at Delta Park is a mystery. Mr. George Morris had purchased it and made such alterations as would render it fit for habitation, intending to use it as a summer residence. The remodelling being completed, he moved in some furniture; and on Friday the building burned to the ground.

Roller Mill Sold.

The roller mill and property at North Augusta conducted so successfully for the past thirty-seven years by Thomas Eyre, has been sold to North Augusta Produce and Provision Company. The roller process will be dismantled, and only grinding will be done hereafter. The new business will be in charge of John Belfour, who will take possession about Sept. 1st.

A Place of Many Fires.

A fire which originated in the rear of the Nunn store at Fine View, Thousand Island Park, on Thursday afternoon resulted in the destruction of three buildings and a loss of \$2500.00, without insurance. Prompt action by the fire department of Thousand Island Park and the summer residents undoubtedly saved the resort from complete destruction.

Cup Races.

The date of the Thousand Islands Yacht Club championship challenge cup races has been set for August 8, 9, 10, races to start at 4 p.m. each day, weather conditions permitting. The races will be held over the club course.

To Stimulate Crop Production.

At the meeting of the Leeds County Board of Agriculture held Thursday at Lyn, preparation for the year's work was put under way. The program discussed includes a campaign to secure for the county a traction type ditcher, which, it is felt, would overcome the shortage of labor and stimulate crop production by tile draining. It is proposed to have an information booth at each agricultural fair throughout the county, whereby valuable assistance could be rendered the farmers of the district. During the winter, it is intended to have meetings at which Dairying, Poultry Production, Bacon Production, and Farm Management will be the topics for discussion. These meetings will be held at convenient places, a detailed program of which will be announced in the near future.

The Sonora talking machine will be demonstrated in this town Thursday and Friday of this week. Have our representative call at your home and play for you some of the music of the world's best records. Call him by phone at the Armstrong House and have this sent to your home on trial free of charge. C. W. Lindsay & Co., Ltd., Brockville.

Reporter Advertisements Bring Results.

Purely Personal

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. G. Nichols are spending July at Cobourg.

Miss Leita Arnold is a guest of Miss Irma Redmond at the lake.

Dr. Judson, of Lyn is making a tour of the Canadian West.

Mr. Lorne Derbyshire has secured a position in Toronto, and left for that place a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold are in Boston visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. O. Robinson.

Mrs. Heber Purvis and little daughter recently spent a few days with friends at Carleton Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stevens and daughter, Miss Iwilla, of Delta, were recent visitors in the village.

Mr. Delbert Layng and Mr. Harold Percival are employed at the munition works in Brockville.

Mrs. J. E. Robeson left this week on an extended visit to her children in Peterborough and Toronto.

Mrs. F. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. W. Steacy, of New York, are visiting relatives and friends in this district.

Miss Lillian Burchell left on Monday to spend some time with friends in Cardinal, Iroquois, and Smith's Falls.

Mrs. J. H. McLaughlin, of Drummondville, Que., was in Athens last week visiting old friends a guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Beach.

Miss Pearl Stevens, who has been teaching at Fairfield East, has returned to her home here ill of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ashley, of Brockville, were the guests for a few days of Mrs. A. Thornhill. They are now visiting Delta friends.

Mrs. Emily G. Macks of New York passed through Monday enroute to her summer home at Charleston Lake.

Mrs. V. L. Mackie has gone to the Canadian West to join Mr. Mackie to spend the summer there in the homes of their daughters and sons.

Mr. Oscar Blanchard, Watertown, and Mr. Irvin Blanchard, of Adams Center, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Blanchard, Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blanchard and family, of Junetown, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Blanchard, Mill street.

Master Roger Lee and sister Dorothea, of Almonte, are spending their holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee, Mill street.

Mrs. A. Robinson of Athens is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Spalding, and intends late to visit her sister, Mrs. C. Richards, in Montreal.

Miss Enid Stewart, Mr. J. F. Bell, Smith's Falls; Mrs. H. C. Davison and Miss Verna Davison, Brockville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb at Charleston Lake over the week-end.

Miss Marian Bottomley, who is a guest of Athens friends, has been engaged to teach in the graded school at Rootstown, Ohio, where her mother and sister, Mrs. (Rev.) Llewellyn reside.

Among those who have moved to their summer homes at the lake, are Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Judson and family; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb; Mrs. M. A. Johnston and daughter Bessie; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Webster, of Ottawa, arrived here last week from Ottawa to spend the hot weather at the home of Mrs. Jacob Morris. Mr. Webster, after a few days stay, returned to the Capitol, and will return later.

Mr. Lewis S. Knowlton and family, of Leamington, Ont., were here for a few days, guests of the former's brother, Mr. H. R. Knowlton. They made the trip by motor through the United States by way of Rochester and made a short visit in Canada near Ottawa.

Money Talks

Certainly it talks, but unless you have sense and pluck enough to make it talk to you directly through money saved, the talk is useless.

LISTEN TO-DAY. Commence a Savings Bank Account, and what you hear will help you.

The Merchants' Bank OF CANADA.

ATHENS BRANCH

F. A. ROBERTSON, Manager

Mrs. Leadbeater and daughter have gone to Seeley's Bay and Beryton for their vacation.

Mrs. Frank Foley spent the week-end at Lyn the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robt. Wiley.

Miss Lily Wiltse has returned from Grenadier Island where she has been teaching school.

Messrs. Ed. Parish and Roy Aigueire have returned from the Canadian West.

Mrs. W. H. Burchell, of Smith's Falls, has been spending the past week with Mrs. Jas. E. Burchell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gardiner and Mrs. Ed. Beach, of Lyn, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Percival.

Dr. C. C. Nash, of Kingston, last week brought his daughter, Ruth, here to spend the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond Green and son Hugh, of Woodstock, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Green for a couple of weeks.

Miss Mayme Lee and sister, Mrs. O. A. Kincaid and daughter Cynthia, of Duluth, Minn., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee, Mill street.

Miss Beryl Newsome, Plum Hollow, and Mrs. Campbell T. Ross, Toronto, are this week guests of Miss Mildred Hickey, Ivanhoe cottage, Charleston, Lake.

The Reporter is glad at all times to receive items of news. Send in the names of your visitors for the personal columns.

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