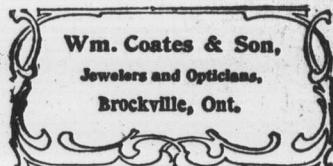


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Local and General

Miss Dora Klyne spent last week with friends at Butternut Bay.

The delivery of stone for Athens granolithic walks has commenced. —Apprentices wanted for millinery business.—Edna B. Steacy.

Miss Edna Fair is teaching the Charleston school this term.

Mr and Mrs Bolton of New Dublin visited Mrs W. A. Thornhill last week. Rev S. Klyne and wife are visiting friends in Athens.

Miss Crystal Rappell has returned home after a vacation of six weeks spent in the Canadian West.

Master Carman Slack of Smith's Falls is visiting at the home of his grandmother, Mrs P. P. Slack.

Rev Dr Hazelwood of West Toronto while in Athens, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Dr Purvis.

Miss E. Demming was last week the guest of her friend, Mrs E. A. Thornhill.

Mr J. Myers has resumed his duties after a vacation spent very pleasantly at Charleston Lake.

Mr W. F. Dier of the Merchants Bank has been spending a few days at his home in Westport.

Mrs G. E. Judson and little son Lyman have returned to Athens after spending the summer at Charleston Lake.

Dr J. F. Purvis is now domiciled in his new home, the Donovan residence, which has been specially fitted for his use.

Mr P. J. Shea, mechanical superintendent at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, was a visitor in Athens last week.

Mr Alfred Snider, late of Utica, N. Y., a graduate of the Reporter office, leaves this week to seek his fortune in the Canadian West.

Mr and Mrs C. E. Woodcock and children of Brockville were last week guests of Mr and Mrs George Stevens. They leave shortly for Vancouver.

An illumination and concert at the island and cottage of Mr E. S. Clow, Charleston Lake, was greatly enjoyed by lake-dwellers and visitors on Saturday evening.

The marks made by the unsuccessful candidates at the recent Entrance to Normal exams have arrived and are now in possession of the Secretary of the H.S. board.

A Newboro correspondent says a party of Americans are in that locality catching turtles for the New York market. Several barrels have been shipped from the station there during the past week.

After spending a few days with Mr Albert Wiltsie and family, Mr Wm. Chaffey and daughter, Miss Belle, of Rush, N.Y., have returned home, accompanied by Mrs W. A. Thornhill and Master Kermit.

The Rev C. L. Bilkey of St James' church, Kingston, who has been officiating in the Anglican church for the past two Sundays, leaves this week and the Rector will again be in charge next Sunday at 7.30 p.m.

It is reported that a special train will run from Brockville to Athens on Labor Day to afford the people of the county town an opportunity of witnessing the finish of the harriers' race for the trophy offered by Mr A. E. Donovan, M.P.P. It will be a great race.

Pain anywhere stopped in 20 minutes sure with one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. The formula is on the 25c box. Ask your Doctor or Druggist about this formula! Stops womanly pains, headache, pains anywhere. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., for free trial, to prove value of his headache, or Pink Pain Tablets. Sold by All Dealers.

"CAMP HADES" pulled up stakes at Derbyshire's Point on Monday. The members left with regret, as life to them had been one long, sweet dream filled with corn roasts, chicken feasts, hen parties, serenades, lemonades and promenades.

Miss Muriel Kelley is this week visiting friends in Seely's Bay.

Miss Lillie Gibson is visiting friends at Kingston.

Mr W. D. Livingston of Frankville spent Sunday with friends in Athens.

Miss Lena Fair returned last week to her school at Berrytown.

Born—At Norwich, Ont., on August 14, to Dr E. W. Moles and wife, a son.

In Brockville on Thursday last, on and off the board, cheese sold at 12c, and about 7,000 boxes changed hands.

Rev D. Anderson was called to Lafargeville to-day to conduct a funeral service on Friday.

Miss Jessie Percival has returned home from a vacation of two weeks spent with friends at Lyn.

The annual camp meeting of the Holiness Movement opens at Lake Elvada one week from to-day.

Mrs A. E. Brown of Morton is this week a visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs Rappell, Elgin street.

Mrs C. Derbyshire and daughter, Miss Mabel, spent last week at Charleston Lake.

Mr and Mrs Warner W. Phelps and children of Delta were visitors in Athens on Sunday, guests of Mrs E. Halladay.

Mrs Greer and daughter Laura of Phillipville returned home to-day after spending a week at Rockmount Cottage, Charleston Lake, guests of Mr and Mrs B. Loverin.

Mrs W. T. Towrie, Glen Buell left on Tuesday for an extended visit with her brother W. B. Taber, New Dale, Manitoba, and other friends in the Canadian West.

Rev W. J. Drummond is visiting his old home in Toledo. He has just returned from China, where he labored the past ten years as a missionary of the Presbyterian church of the United States.

Smith's Falls Record: Mr Omer Knowlton and Miss Ella Byington of Athens were guests of Mr and Mrs L. S. Knowlton during the past week. Miss May Foster is at Charleston Lake where she is spending a week or two.

A very pleasant social function took place at the home of Mr and Mrs E. Fair on Thursday last, their daughters holding a "Notion Shower" in honor of the approaching marriage of Miss Bertha Pierce to their cousin Dr W. E. Steacy of New York.

A large majority of last year's 300 students of the Brockville Business College are now earning good salaries in office positions. The college classes commence work again on Sept. 1st. If interested, send to W. T. Rogers, Principal, for the College catalogue.

A stack of hay containing eight or ten tons belonging to Mr Ed. Purcell who lives in Montague, just adjoining Smith's Falls, was burned on Monday morning through the carelessness of a boy who tried to light a cigarette in the shade of it. The hay was valued at over \$75.

The supreme court of the Independent Order of Foresters has decided to dispose of Foresters Island, but in doing so the work of providing for and educating the children of deceased members who are left without support, will not be interfered with. This work will go on as usual. The Catholic children are in the Kingston House of Providence.

Sir Wilfred Laurier is to tour Western Ontario this autumn and will be accompanied by the Hon. Geo. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals. In both the Provincial and Dominion Parliaments Mr Graham's record has been such as to bring honor and distinction to Brockville riding, and Conservatives as well as Liberals will note with pleasure this additional evidence of the premier's appreciation of his ability and sterling character.

The Wesleyan Methodists of Canada will hold a camp meeting at Spencerville September 3rd to 13th. A number of ministers and evangelists will be present. Services will be held in a large tent, and there will be tents for those wishing to camp on the ground. The general public invited. Further particulars may be learned from bills or may be had on application to S. Hollingsworth, Athens, Ont., evangelist in charge.

Mr Brock Davis of Glen Buell left this week for a trip to the Canadian West.

Some Smith's Falls grocers have asked the council to abolish the early closing by-law.

Mrs A. Bate of Brockville is visiting friends in Athens, a guest of Mrs I. C. Alguire.

Rev E. W. Oran and family of Elgin are occupying Camp Jolly, Charleston Lake, this month.

The pleasing appearance presented by the front of the new Parish block is commented upon very favorably.

The Liberals have triumphed in Saskatchewan and in the new house will have a majority of 12.

It's a pity a man can't hear his widow telling her second husband what a noble, kind and generous soul he was.

Only five pupils from the Kingston Collegiate passed the recent junior teachers' examination though a large class wrote.

Mrs U. J. Alguire died at Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 13, aged 56 years. She was a daughter of H. E. Truesdale of the Tin Cap.

Mr Lawrence Smith of Rochester and Mr Harry Smith of Newark, N.Y., have been visiting friends here and at Greenbush.

Mr Kinch E. Redmond and daughter Miss Irma, after spending a month at the home of Mr and Mrs Jas. K. Redmond and with friends in Athens, returned to their home in Montclair, N. Y., this week.

Lyndhurst Fair is to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 22 and 23. The managers have arranged for a good entertainment programme and offer an exceptionally long list of valuable special prizes.

Reports from different points of the country state that in some fields promising a good yield of potatoes there are next to no tubers in the hills or rows. The crop generally is not likely to be above the low average of recent years.

Mr Lewis King, after an illness of several days with stomach trouble, went to Brockville hospital for treatment last week. After a full consideration of his case, it was deemed inadvisable to perform an operation, and he returned by cab to his home on Tuesday. He stood the trip well.

Within a short time thirty graduates of the Kingston Business College secured positions as stenographers and bookkeepers with one of the largest railway corporations in Canada. Special rates to the first twenty-five registering for the Fall or Winter Term. Send for particulars. H. F. Metcalfe, Principal.

X Rideau Record: Mr Herman Pierce, of Oak Leaf, and Mrs Cora Edgar, of Lyndhurst, were united in marriage here. The ceremony took place in St. John's church and was performed by Rev W. G. Swayne, of Oxford Mills. The attendants were Mr and Mrs W. H. Pierce of Smith's Falls.

Several of the rural schools opened on Monday with teachers in charge who have absolutely no training in the art. This is bad enough, but it will be worse next January, and by the time a year rolls around the Minister of Education may imagine he hears something drop. Cheer up!—the worst is yet to come.

The lawn social at the home of Mr Edward Davis, Addison, on Thursday evening, was a highly successful event. The spacious lawn looked very pretty in its decoration and illumination, and the supper and programme were very much enjoyed by the large audience. Mr A. E. Donovan, M.P.P., was one of the speakers of the evening.

Mrs C. P. Bishop and family who, in company with Mrs. G. W. Beach and other friends, have spent a month delightfully at Charleston Lake, returned to their home in Toronto on Tuesday. Mr Bishop has been on a fishing tour in the Temagami, but may visit this section during the duck-shooting season.

The congregation of the Methodist church had the pleasure of hearing two excellent discourses by Rev. Dr. Hazelwood of West Toronto on Sunday last, and in the afternoon he strongly impressed and greatly delighted the children of S. S. in a brief address. The Doctor's morning sermon was on the spirit of Christ as evidenced on the cross, and in the evening he spoke on Local Option, particularly with its working in West Toronto, respecting which many conflicting reports have been sent out. He declared that the law had gained in popularity, many business men who originally opposed it being now its strongest supporters. He had not one word of condemnation or abuse for the license holders, but made perfectly plain the partnership that exists between them and the citizens from whom they obtain their monopolistic privilege, closing with an expression of hope that the good people of Athens would, at the first opportunity, make an effort to dissolve this partnership and retire from the liquor business.

—Wedding Stationery—the very latest at the Reporter Office.

Mr Pruner, of the firm of H. A. Pruner & Co., was in Athens last week and signed the contract for the construction of our granolithic walks. He made local arrangements for the work and will probably begin operations at once with this full force of men. A machine is to be used for mixing the concrete.

A great gathering of tourists, cottagers, and people from Athens and Charleston assembled at Dowley's bay, Charleston Lake, on Sunday afternoon for divine service, conducted by Rev W. W. Giles. It was a unique service, the sermon and songs of praise befitting the occasion, and the scene presented was one long to be remembered. The congregation on the terraced slope of the ridge, the quiet beauty of the surroundings, the earnest words of the eloquent speaker, all combined to give emphasis to the message and to incline the assemblage to "look through Nature up to Nature's God."

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