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ATHENS

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E. Taylor, Auctioneer, has opened a Real Estate Agency at his office in Athens and has now several desirable properties in village and country for sale at very reasonable prices.

If you want a residence in Athens or a farm in this vicinity, or if you have any property for sale, consult The Athens Real Estate Agency

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Just received at the "BAZAAR" One Ton of **FINE CONFECTIONERY** a full supply for Christmas Holiday Trade, at prices that are bound to sell it.

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Can not be excelled, and all other lines of goods likewise.

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If wanting to purchase a Watch, or anything in the Jewelry line, see us before making your selection. It will pay you to do so.

R. J. CAMPO, - Proprietor.

Local and District News

We want everybody in this district to read THE REPORTER.

—Athens Poultry Fair Friday, Dec. 10

Mr. Burton Alguire has rented the Carrs residence on Wellington Street. —See our new Suits and Overcoats before buying. T. S. Kendrick.

Mr. W. J. Pink is a candidate for the Perth mayoralty.

The war has no effect on prices of goods at the "Bazaar." They are the lowest —the same as usual.

A cement floor will be laid in the new curling rink at Smith Falls at a cost of \$800.

It is estimated that the deer shot in Ontario this year by licensed hunters numbered 20,000.

—For quality and reasonable prices in Boots and Rubbers, we call your attention to ours. T. S. Kendrick.

After a service of 21 years as choir leader at the Baptist church, Renfrew, Mr. Thos. L. Main has resigned.

Douglas Hayes has been apprenticed to the blacksmithing trade under Mr. Percy Whitmore, Main street west.

Rev. George Edwards will exchange pulpits with Rev. George Bradford of Mallorytown next Sunday, and will take charge of the missionary anniversary service in that place.

—The annual Sunday School entertainment of the Presbyterian church, Athens, will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 21st.

Pembroke Presbyterians gave a small majority for church union. When the vote was taken in 1912 the majority was against church union.

Pembroke's fire chief, when on duty, will wear a white rubber suit, thus enabling his coworkers to easily find him at times when every moment counts.

—Be sure and read the Athens Poultry Fair announcement on another page in this issue.

The fire alarm was sounded Saturday afternoon and the engine and hose reel were quickly on the spot, but happily they were not needed as the fire was in the chimney only of Richard Latimer's residence.

A branch of the Department of Agriculture has been opened at Kemptonville, with Mr. J. McIsaac of the Athens branch, in charge. Miss G. Spry will assist him, Miss Cauley of Brockville, taking her place here. Mr. James Scott is working under Mr. Smith in this district.

At a Congregational meeting held in St. Andrew's Church, Gananoque, on Wednesday evening, a call was extended to Rev. Mr. McLean, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. Dr. Gracey. During the evening the retiring pastor was presented with a purse of \$1,260.

The annual meeting of the Leeds dairy district was held in the town hall in this place on Tuesday afternoon of last week, with a fairly good attendance. The representative of the district, Mr. R. G. Leggett, of Newboro, presided, and he was again re-elected the representative of the district. Addresses in the interests of the trade were delivered by Mr. John R. Dargavel, M.P.P., Elgin; W. H. Smith, district agricultural representative, Senator Derbyshire, Chief Dairy Inspector J. J. Pubow, and three inspectors, S. S. Cheatham, P. Nolan and A. H. Wilson. Mr. Pubow advocated cleanliness in the factory and paying more money to the maker, so that his services might be retained. The visitors were welcomed to Athens in a friendly speech from Reeve M. B. Holmes.

Lyndhurst L.O.L., No. 226, Elect Officers

At the annual meeting of L.O.L. No. 226, Lyndhurst, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- W.M.—Chas. Galway
- D.M.—Alex. Irwin
- Chap.—J. W. Earl
- R.S.—Blard Love
- F.S.—Robt. Irwin
- Treas.—Hilliard Earl
- D. of C.—G. E. Nicholson
- Lecturers—Harry Galway, A. H. Singleton.

Committeemen—1st Alex. Sheldon, 2nd E. A. Dantby, 3rd T. A. Warren, 4th L. A. Dougal, 5th G. E. Roddick, Tyler—S. Rathwell.

Installation will take place on Friday evening, Dec. 10th by R. G. Harvey, P.C.M.

New Science Master at the Collegiate.

The Collegiate Institute Board of Brockville have secured the services of Mr. Fred P. Smith of Parkhill, to replace Mr. J. F. McGuire as science master, the latter having been appointed Public School Inspector. Mr. Smith comes highly recommended. He is a native of Prescott, a son of the late Robert Smith of that place. He was educated at the public and high schools of Prescott and Queen's University. He is an enthusiastic curler and while a member of the Prescott High School staff a couple of years ago frequently contested in the tower with the Fort-town club. A few years ago he was married to Miss Fraser of Spencerville.

Purely Personal Items.

Mrs. I. C. Alguire, is in Ottawa visiting friends.

—See the values Kendrick is offering in Underwear.

Mr. George Cowan of Lansdowne, was a week-end guest of his mother.

Lieutenant J. H. Redmond has been attached to the Cornwall Canal Guard.

Mr. R. D. Judson who has been very ill, is regaining his usual vigor.

Christmas Toys, etc., are now on sale at the "Bazaar," Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Heaslip, Sand Bay, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Shaw.

Miss Hazel Washburn of Maitland, spent the week end with her mother here.

Miss Anna Stevens, Delta was in Athens, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judson.

Mrs. Cannon, Newboro, was last week a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Knowlton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Latimer were in Lyn on Sunday visiting the former's mother and brother.

Miss Florence Foley, Brockville, spent a few days last week in Athens with Mrs. W. Topping.

Mrs. Wm. Bass, Newboro, and Mrs. W. W. Phelps, Delta, are guests of Mrs. Elmer Halladay.

The confectionery line at the "Bazaar" is repeated in every particular—from the ordinary to the very high-class article.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rockwood have returned from Mallorytown as the dairy season has closed.

Mrs. N. Tennant has returned to Caintown after a two-weeks visit here with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Knowlton.

Mr. George Hickey has returned to Fort William after a visit of several weeks at the home of his mother here.

Mr. Claude Coon has returned to his home here from the Brockville hospital, where he has been receiving treatment.

Mr. Mills Johnston, who has been taking an Arts course at Queen's, Kingston, has enlisted in the University Artillery Corps, C.E.F.

Mrs. C. E. Woolcock returned on Friday to her home in Vancouver after a visit of several months at her old home here, a guest of Mrs. George Stevens.

Miss Leita Gamble, Miss Blanche Wills and Robert Wills, High School students, were recently called to Inverary owing to the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Ninian Holmes.

R. J. Campo, at the "Bazaar," Athens, carries a full line of Notions, Jewellery, whips, etc. We will welcome a visit from you.

Ottawa Winter Fair

The prize list of the Ottawa Winter Fair which has just been received from the press, shows a decided increase over previous years in amount of prize money offered, and also in classification. The classification for all classes of live stock and poultry has been increased. The Eastern Ontario Seed Fair has also been combined with the Winter Fair, and embraces a complete classification for all kinds of grain, grass, clover seed and potatoes.

The classes for grades in connection with the various kinds of live stock has been considerably increased. The grade annual is undoubtedly the best suited for the average farmer, and a very high percentage of our meat and dairy product supply is produced by grade animals. The grade classes have, therefore, been given more recognition than previously in Ottawa Winter Fair prize list. The pure bred classes have not been lost sight of in this recognition of the grades, as the pure bred is essential in the improvement of the other.

The Secretary, W. D. Jackson, Carp, Ont., will furnish prize lists on application.

A Reward of \$10

Will be paid to the person furnishing information which will lead to the conviction of anyone interfering with or damaging the street lamps, or any public property in the Village of Athens.

F. Blancher, Village Officer

ESTRAY

There strayed on the premises of the undersigned, at his premises about half a mile west of Athens, on the Delta road, on Dec. 3rd, a calf.

W. W. CROSS, Athens

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Local and District News

Subscribe for THE REPORTER. Send in any news items you may have.

—The Athens Poultry Fair will be held on Friday, Dec. 10th.

Mr. Benjamin Colbert, the municipal tax collector, has entered on his duties.

Choice Oranges and Lemons at the "Bazaar," Athens.

Ogdensburg will have its annual poultry show on January 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Mrs. C. Bates, Glen Elbe, has leased a part of Mrs. Jones' residence on Victoria street.

Several members of Farmersville Lodge I.O.O.F., motored to Brockville last night on a fraternal visit.

—Rev. Walter Cox, rector of Christ's church, Gananoque, has offered his services to the military authorities for overseas.

Rev. George Bradford of Mallorytown, will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening, and at Glen Elbe at 2:30 p.m.

—Miss Mulvaugh is selling all her up-to-date Millinery, Laces, Silks and fancy ribbons at sacrifice prices Call and see them.

Probate of the will of Wm. Johnston, late of Athens, public school inspector, has been granted to Margaret Ann Johnston, of the same place, widow, executrix.

The Addison Auxiliary of the W. M.S. held a very social and profitable meeting on Dec. 3. It was addressed by Mrs. James of North Augusta, Mrs. Kitchen of Bellamy's, and Mrs. McDougall of New Dublin. Refreshments were served at the close.

—On Turkey Fair Day, as well as other days, we wish you to feel perfectly free to use our store as a waiting place to warm and meet your friends. T. S. Kendrick, Athens.

A largely attended meeting was held in the Baptist Church at Plum Hollow on Thursday night for the purpose of stimulating recruiting. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Collins the pastor of the church, who acted as chairman, Judge McDonald, Sergeant Wells, Corporal White, W. G. McClellan, Mayor Donaldson, Private T. McGuire and W. A. Lewis of Brockville.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Tackaberry, late of the Village of Athens, in the County of Leeds, Spinster, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "the Revised Statutes of Ontario," 1914, Chapter 121, Sec. 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Mary Tackaberry, who died on or about the Twelfth day of November, 1915, are required on or before the Twenty-fourth day of December, 1915, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to T. E. Beale, of the Village of Athens, Solicitor for the Executors of the last will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 23rd day of November, 1915.
 T. R. BEALE,
 Solicitor for Benjamin Culbert and Robert Tackaberry, executors of the will of Mary Tackaberry, deceased.

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