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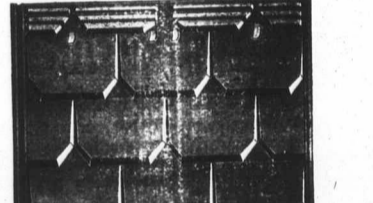
C. E. Pickrell & Sons have leased from W. M. Stevens his shop, house, etc. on Elgin street, Athens, and beg to notify the community at large that they are prepared to do all kinds of general Blacksmithing, including the repairing of Wood and Iron Work on all kinds of vehicles, implements, machinery, etc. Painting done on the premises.

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A DASTARDLY DAY FOR BEES.

Sunday the 8th of May will long be remembered by intelligent bee-keepers as one of the most disastrous days to bees in many years. The excessively cold north wind blew with force all day and cold north wind blew with force all day and cold north wind blew with force all day.

Monday, May 9.—The stone-crafter left Drummond Parish's last night and began operations in front of Elbe cheese factory. The Reporter ought to be well satisfied with the results of the last two years in this line.

Mr. Grenham has the best field of spring wheat we have seen. Mr. G. is a model farmer as well as neighbor.

Tuesday, May 10.—Some of our farmers have commenced their planting, but we need rain very much. Omer Brown is moving into one of his new stores in the Jubilee Block. It is one of the finest in the county.

Reports from Manitoba indicate that the spring seeding will be completed five weeks earlier than last year. This would prove a distinct advantage to the prairie farmer. His great difficulty is the summer frosts, and if the wheat crop is sufficiently mature before the frost comes not to be injured by it, the Manitoba farmer is sure of a crop.

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Mr. Jas. Olov of Lynn, one of the speedy cyclists of this district, is this week visiting his brother, Mr. E. S. Olov.

Miss Purvis of Lynn is this week visiting her brother, Dr. Purvis, and other friends in Athens, and is the guest of Miss Ethel Blanchard.

The Presbyterian Synod of Montreal and Ottawa is in session this week at Brockville. Rev. J. J. Cameron, M. A., of St. Paul's, is in attendance.

Great reduction in ready-made clothing—men's suits \$3.50 to \$10— at I & P. Wilton's.

Mr. J. R. Smith of Lansdowne, a graduate of the commercial department of the Brockville Business College, has secured a situation in the office of the Brockville graduates very marked.

Dr. S. S. Cornell has discarded plank as a walk from his residence to the sidewalk and has had George Nash put in a stone flag walk four feet wide. It looks well and is there to stay a life time.

There will be no service in the Baptist church on Sabbath evening next, the pastor, Rev. H. Saunders, having been called to St. Paul's Presbyterian church, where both congregations will assemble.

Ballport fishing at Charlottown this spring is as uncertain as the weather of an April day. You may find them in large numbers at their favorite haunts, and you may not. Several large ones have been made, but the majority report the latter expectation.

John Crawford, living a mile out of Athens, on the Delta road, has opened up a fine flag stone quarry on his farm. The stone is of a uniform thickness of from four to six inches, are soft and easy to cut, and the full list of purposes of the building industry is also got from the same quarry.

Rev. J. P. Wright, M. A., occupied the pulpit of Christ church on Sunday evening and addressed a large congregation on the subject of the Prayer-book. Several members of other denominations were present and all were favorably impressed with the speaker's earnestness and ability.

Mr. Murray M. Fenwick, M.A., president of the Publishers' Syndicate of Ontario, with head office at Toronto, was here for a few days last week, visiting old friends. Mr. Fenwick was principal of our high school about ten years ago, and on visiting the school he found among the students only one familiar face.

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Arbor Day was not generally observed as a holiday by the schools in this district. Our report from the school stated that the full intent and purpose of the law was fully and faithfully carried out there. Several trees were planted, the school building made neat and clean, and the appearance of the grounds greatly improved.

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