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## DISTRICT NEWS

SEELEY'S BAY

Mrs. Wm. Gilbert is recovering. Potato's are rotting badly in this section.

The Hornerites are still holding tent meetings here which are well attended. Mr. H. H. Eaton, who is ill with a carbuncle on the neck, is fast recovering.

Wm. Chapman is spending a few days with friends at Westport and Perth.

Geo. Randall has commenced the study of medicine at Queen's college, Kingston.

Wm. Putnam and A. E. Putnam have returned after a few days' visit to friends at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert returned home Friday after a two week's visit at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Miss Barthelemy, of Kingston, has been engaged to teach the public school here the balance of the year.

Wall Steacy has resigned his position as principal in the public school here and has gone to attend a dental college at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. S. Young has returned from Portland where she has been spending a few days with her brother, Mr. D. Hill, who is very ill.

A. Neal is burning another kiln of lime this week, the sixth for the season. He will burn another large kiln of brick in a few days which will be the last for the season.

Last Tuesday a dog came into the store of G. R. Hawkins and in seeking a way to get out jumped into one of the windows where a quantity of glassware and crockery was displayed, smashing it, badly, and then making its exit through one of the large panes of glass in the window. The damage done was over thirty dollars.

DELTA.

Mrs. Anderson, of Kemptonville, is spending the fall visiting at D. H. Davison's.

Robert Green, the enterprising carpenter, is engaged putting up out-buildings for S. B. Gilbert.

H. A. Everett, school teacher at Dayton, is to be congratulated on the marked progress being made by his pupils.

A large quantity of corn is yet to be cut in this section. Potato digging has commenced and reports of potato rot are beginning to come in.

Miss Jennie Davison accompanied by Miss Jennie Knapp spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents. They are bright pupils of the Athens High School and may be trained to be school teachers.

Stephen Robertson, who is in Chicago, is daily expected by his wife and friends to return and make his home in Delta. Rumor says that Mr. Robertson's business may call him to Cape Breton, but that if he does go there he will leave his family to live in Delta.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Sarah Haskins, at Chicago. She was the beloved wife of our townsman, Mr. George Haskins. She was buried last Saturday at Westport. The funeral sermon was preached last Sunday in the Delta Baptist church, of which she was a member. Much sympathy is felt for her husband and relatives.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The Grand Trunk Railway in order to induce every one (who have not already been there) to go to Buffalo and see the Pan-American Exposition, announce in their advertisement in the Reporter that they will run three excursions weekly at the \$4.15 rate. Tickets will be good going on all trains every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of this month with the exception of Thursday, Oct. 31st, valid for five days to return on from Buffalo from date of issue inclusive. Call at G. F. Fulford's G.T.R. Ticket Office Brockville, for your tickets and all particulars.

## District Happenings.

Ottawa is to have a new Jewish synagogue.

Kemptville, Winchester, and Chesterville are agitating for a better C.P.R. service in their towns.

According to the Mercury, Renfrew population are heavy drinkers, consuming no less than 64 million gallons of water in September.

The North Lanark Conservatives meet in convention at Clayton, on Friday, the 18th, to select a candidate for the Local Legislature.

Mr. Jas. Letang, of Almonte, sold a five months' old pig last week that tipped the scales at 225 pounds. There are number of smaller ones than that.

Dr. R. E. Loucks, of Smith's Falls, was presented with a veteran's jewel by his brother addfellows last week, when leaving that town to reside in Toronto.

The only survivor of the wreck of the Asia, which went down in the Georgian Bay in 1882, in the person of Duncan A. Tinkies, of Little Current, is dead, at the age of 36 years.

Mr. Arthur F. Wright, of Renfrew, has been given charge of the Westinghouse brake on all the cars of the Canada Atlantic Railway, as a result of his scoring 98 per cent, on an examination.

Duncan McClaren, of Renfrew, was given a farewell supper by his brothers of the Masonic Lodge on Monday of last week, on the occasion of his removal to the head office of the Bank of Ottawa at Ottawa.

Langdowne fair directors have made a report of this year's fair showing the following items to be:—Entries, 1388, seventy more than for 1900; gate receipts, \$507.85; grocery privileges \$59; stalls \$26; new members, \$30, total \$622.35.

High School Principal, Mr. S. W. Standing, B. A., of Pembroke, was presented with an address, and a set of gold cuff links and studs and a copy of Lubbock's "Beauties of Nature," on his departure for Carleton Place to assume charge of the H. S. there.

## DEATH OF JOSEPH GRAY.

Joseph Gray died at the home of his son-in-law, Joseph Greenham, on Sunday last, 13th inst., aged 79 years.

Mr. Gray was born in England, and came to this country with his family 19 years ago. His wife, Ann Hallett, died 9 years ago, and he has since resided with Mr. Greenham. He was of a family of ten, and, by a singular coincidence, his own family consisted of a like number: Robert, lives in Chicago; Grace, a widow, in Sydney, Australia; Frederick, at Soperston, Ont.; William, at Glen Buell, Ont.; Amelia, wife of Ben Chant, resides in England; Mary, wife of Wm. Garnett, in the North-west; George, in the Western States; Samuel, at Egin, Ont., and Eliza, wife of Jas. Greenham, Elbe Mills, Ont.

The funeral services were held in the Baptist church, Delta, on Tuesday, the body being interred in the cemetery there.

## DEATH OF MRS. OLIVER PEER.

Mrs. Oliver Peer who resided near Frankville passed away on Friday morning Sept. 28th after an illness of about six months, deceased was about sixty years of age and leaves to mourn her loss, a companion and three children, Mrs. John Forsyth of Greenbush, Samuel of Toronto and Oliver of Chesaning, Michigan. The funeral was largely attended by a large concourse of friends and neighbors. The sermon was preached by the minister of Frankville and the body interred in the Toledo cemetery. The family have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

## TO BE ADMITTED FREE.

It is hereby ordered, that Canadian cattle may be imported into the United States for exhibition purposes at the International Live Stock Exhibition from November 30th to December 7th, 1901, at Chicago, Ill., without being subjected to the tuberculin test; provided, that they must be accompanied by a certificate issued by a Canadian official veterinarian, stating that such cattle are free from contagious and infectious diseases; and provided further, that they must be returned immediately to Canada at the close of the Exposition. All Canadian cattle, sheep and swine intended for this exhibition must be shipped directly to the exposition grounds and not unloaded in any public stock yards. (Signed), J. H. BRIGHAM, Acting Secretary.

## YOU NEEDN'T.

You needn't keep on feeling distressed after eating, nor belching, nor experiencing nausea between meals. In other words, you needn't keep on being dyspeptic, and you certainly shouldn't.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia—it strengthens and tones the stomach, perfects digestion, creates a normal appetite and builds up the whole system.

## AN EXCELLENT MOVEMENT.

"I would advocate the renting of a large room, on the ground floor, which would at all times be open to the public. In cold weather it should be well heated, and at night should be well lighted. It should be supplied with tables, chairs, papers, and if possible, magazines. It should be a place where men of all classes, old and young could resort to in the evening; where they could talk louder than in a whisper; and where they could enjoy a quiet smoke if they desired, and where they could meet their companions and associates, and talk over the affairs of the day, discuss social and municipal questions, and in fact spend their evening in comfort."—Smith's Falls News.

The above are practically the words of Rev. J. T. Pitcher, as spoken in a sermon preached in the Methodist church, Smith's Falls, recently. The idea is one which the Reporter gave prominence to some months ago, and one which we heartily endorse. Such a place would prove an attraction and it would become a popular resort to the young men about town who have no place to go in the evening and who cannot content themselves after their hard day's work by remaining shut up in their boarding house. It would prove an attraction for the married man, who after his day's toil likes to meet his fellow workman, and with him chat over the affairs of the world, political and social, discuss the latest inventions, and get new ideas on things in general. It would prove an attraction to the man who spends his evenings standing on the street corners simply because he has no where else to spend them.

Of course the question will at once be asked, how is such a place to be established, and once established how maintained? It cannot be maintained without considerable expense and where is the money to come from? To this we reply that maintenance must depend on voluntary contributions. Occasionally an entertainment could be gotten up to help pay the rent but voluntary contribution of those of our citizens who are able to contribute would have to be depended upon. The subject is one worthy the serious discussion of our churches, and one which the Reporter would like to see taken up and discussed. Occasionally, say once or twice a month, some of our professional and business men could be induced to give a talk on some of the leading topics of the day, and there might be arranged a free concert at which some of our local singers would consent to appear.

Then again if thought possible, there could be a refreshment stand run in connection with the hall where hot tea and coffee would be sold in cold weather and ice cream and soft drinks in warm weather. But these details are an after thought. The question is, can such a proposition be carried out and the best answer is, let us try and see. It is to be hoped that Rev. Mr. Pitcher will not let the matter drop, but endeavor to interest his fellow clergymen in the scheme. If necessary a meeting of our citizens should be called to talk the matter over.

## OUR CAPTAIN, SECRETARY AND TREASURER.

We have among our students here, A Jude, I will describe; He's captain of our foot ball team, And treasurer besides.

This captain is a corker, boys, In tossing up the ball, And in playing tennis, I need not say, He opens the eyes of all.

He takes the cake, with boxing gloves, They all can tell you that; So then should we not all feel proud, To serve a dude like that?

When in the game he plays full-back, And knocks them high and low; I tell you friends this captain of ours, Was never found too slow!

He also has a charming voice, So darlings do not fail; To attend our annual concert here If you want to go home pale.

This captain is a bright young chap, His head will show you this; So may he ever with us dwell, Or we might go amiss.

## WESTERN CANADA.

ITS TERRITORY NOT EXCELLED IN THE WORLD FOR PRODUCTIVENESS.

"Westward the star of empire takes its way," is a saying that finds its latest illustration in Canada. Winnipeg declares with united voices that this bustling, progressive, typically western empire that is to be, "The Chicago of Canada," is one of the favorite titles given to the city by loyal Winnipeggers and there is good reason to believe that Winnipeg will largely justify the hopes that are entertained concerning it. Indeed, it is doing so already. It is the natural metropolis of a great territory of inexhaustible fertility. It is not only the greatest grain market in Canada, but one of the greatest in the world. At present the grain storage capacity of western Canada, of which Winnipeg is the most important point, is 22,000,000 bushels. The daily milling capacity of Winnipeg is about 11,000 barrels, while its ex-

port of grain is already enormous and is increasing every year. The Ontario miller is no longer supreme, as in the old days, nor does Toronto any longer set the standard for the grades of wheat. That is now done through the Winnipeg grain exchange, a body of men second to none in business ability, enterprise, pluck and sagacity. This year's wheat crop which has just been harvested is unusually fine in quality, and is variously estimated at from 40,000,000 to 50,000,000 bushels, a crop which will make the whole of western Canada prosperous, without taking into account the large yield of hay and oats, the former being a spot cash product the year round at a good price.

Western Canada contains a territory that can be beaten nowhere in productiveness and general desirability. In deed, Canadians themselves know very little about these growing and prosperous provinces of Manitoba, Assiniboia, Alberta and British Columbia, and still less about the unorganized territories lying just north of them, namely Saskatchewan, with an area of 114,000 square miles; Athabasca, with an area of 198,300 square miles; Mackenzie with an area of 565,000 square miles, and Keewatin, with an area of 756,000 square miles. The popular notion that these territories are semi-arctic in temperature is absurdly erroneous. A great part of their area would make finer wheat lands than any now known besides being rich in minerals and admirably adapted for cattle raising on account of the fine quality and abundance of the grass.

## WILL USE VOTING MACHINES.

Kingston City council has decided to adopt the McDonald voting machine for the municipal elections in January next. The machine consists of an oblong wooden box constructed somewhat in the shape of the grain elevators on the harbor front. Along either side and near the top of the box are a number of pigeon-like holes with swinging doors. These openings are just large enough to admit a small steel ball a trifle larger than a marble. Each hole represents a candidate, whose name and portrait appears above the opening. Two balls cannot be put into one hole. The voter having cast his ballot steps from the machine and the deputy returning officer draws a slide, causing the ball to drop to the bottom, and in their descent to register on a small counter similar to a cyclometer, there being one of these counters for each opening, so that each candidate's vote is counted separately. It is impossible to "stuff" the machine, for the reason that the ball would be possible for to squeeze two balls into the one opening only one would register and the other would block the machine, which could not be used again until the second ball was removed.

A rental of \$5 each is paid for the machines. The inventor of the machine is an old Kingston boy, now a resident of Winnipeg, and it is claimed that in an election in that city when the machines were used, all the reports were in ten minutes after the polls were closed.

The photographs of H. R. H. The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York are now ready. The pictures show an excellent resemblance to Their Royal Highnesses and are finished in an up to date manner. They are sold at the very low rate of 10 cents each. Send in your order early. For sale at the Reporter Office.

## Wood For Sale.

MA quantity of dry Cordwood, Furnace wood and Stove wood for sale at the Athens Brick and Tile Yard, delivered to any part of the town.

ROSS & EARL.

## Useful Old Calendars.

It has been discovered that it would be possible to use the same calendars every 20 years, when the dates of the months fall on the same days of the week, thereby avoiding the expense of five almanacs for the present century. But here is something even better than that: Those persons who might be able to get hold of calendars for the twelfth century would find the days and dates coincident with the present century. Again, those with a frugal mind who have preserved the almanacs of the nineteenth century will avoid an outlay for calendars of the century commencing Jan. 1, 2201, as the dates for the 100 years following will be like those of the last century.

## Knew What to Tell.

There is a story in the Boston Transcript about old black Joan, a mammy of the good old kind, who was warned at a critical period in the family fortune not to tell all she knew to the smaller children. "Huh!" said Joan scornfully. "I dunner how to talk to 'dat blessed chile, dat it Cely? De Lawd knows"—and up in pious protest went the pupils of Joan's eyes, and out swept two broad and floury palms from the span of dough—"de Lawd 'Amighty knows I 'ee dat keerful wat I says to dat it! honey sweet, lily white lamb er Gawd dat I ain't nebbber yote told her one single word ob truth."

## Turn About Is Order.

"There is an unusual amount of safe cracking at present," remarked the observant boarder. "There is," replied the cross eyed boarder. "Safe cracking should be made unsafe."

## How They Answer.

How to say "no" is a thing to be learned by every young girl of today. The slinky girl really is bad with her "Nite!" But the honey girl's worse with her "Nigh!"

## FACTS IN FEW LINES.

There are 45 cheese factories and 7 creameries now in operation in Prince Edward Island.

The number of Protestant Christians in Ceylon has increased in 15 years from 416,780 to 753,641.

A pair of old English brass andirons, or "firedogs," were sold for 280 guineas in London the other day.

In Persia the man who laughs is considered effeminate, but a free license is given to female merriment. There are 386 places of public entertainment in London, with a combined seating capacity for 400,000 people.

A company is being formed to supply London residents with rain or soft water for the bath at two-pence per gallon.

The Government of Greece proposes to devote at least \$500,000 per annum for the renovation of its existing naval munitions of war.

The British War Office is said to be considering the training of dogs to carry water and provisions to sick and wounded in time of war.

The King of Siam has a bodyguard of 400 female warriors. They are chosen from the handsomest and most robust women in his kingdom. Rotorua, in New Zealand, is the only place under the British flag where hot springs exist, in addition to which it is further remarkable for mud volcanoes, boiling pools and hot waterfalls.

A North Sea codman carries an outfit of lines which extends eight miles in length and has usually fixed upon it the amazing number of 4,680 hooks, every one of which must be baited.

Punch, the embodiment of British humor, has given up its experiment of printing short stories. The public was too firmly fixed in its habit of looking at the pictures, but not reading the text.

## MISS KUEHNE BEVERIDGE.

Female Sculptor Who Will Make a Bust of King Edward.

Miss Kuehne Beveridge, who, according to the cable despatches, has just received a commission to make a bust of King Edward for the library at Leeds, is probably the foremost female sculptor in the world. Some of her works are highly praised in Europe, and her success has been without stint. Miss Beveridge is the granddaughter of former Governor



## MISS KUEHNE BEVERIDGE.

Beveridge of Illinois. Her mother is the Baroness von Wrede, wife of a German nobleman. In 1893 Miss Beveridge was married to Charles Coghlan, the actor, after a very short acquaintance. The marriage was opposed by the young artist's mother and Mr. Coghlan's sister, Rose Coghlan, but the lovers were obstinate. After one year of married life there was a divorce. Most of Miss Beveridge's life has been spent in London, New York and California.

## From Foes to Friends.

During a change of the Dublin Fusiliers in the South African war an Irish lad stumbled into a scone and almost on top of a hiding Boer. He was so close that he managed to run him through the shoulder with his bayonet at the same time as the Boer fired his rifle from the hip. They both fell wounded, one on top of the other, and lay there while the battle swept on beyond them. All at



## AS HE HANDED IT OVER.

once the Irishman heard a suspicious gurgling sound. It was not the death rattle of his opponent, but came from the tin water bottle that the Boer was applying to his lips. The Irishman, who was not badly wounded, touched the Boer on his elbow. "My friend," he said, "could you spare me a little of that?"

"Certainly," said the Boer in good English, and handed it over. It contained something stronger than water and the man from Dublin smacked his lips. The bottle passed to and fro several times and they began to grow talkative. They helped tie up each other's wounds and were discussing their families, avoiding the painful subject of the war, when a bearer company searching the battlefield found them.

## Most Intricate Game Known.

Japanese chess is the most intricate game in the world. The board has 81 squares, 20 pieces are used, and the pieces change in grade when they arrive at a certain position on the board.

## Torpid Liver

Is sometimes responsible for difficult digestion, that is, DYSPEPSIA.

When it is, What headache, distaste, constipation, What fits of despondency, What fears of imaginary evils, conduce with the distress after eating, the sourness of the stomach, the bad taste in the month, and so forth, to make the life of the sufferer scarcely worth living!

Dyspepsia resulted from torpid liver in the case of Mrs. Jones, 2320 N. 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa., who was a great sufferer. Her statement made in her 77th year is that she was completely cured of it and all its attendant aches and pains, as others have been, by a faithful use of

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## The People's Column.

Adv'ts of 6 lines and under in this column, 25c for first insertion and 10c each subsequent insertions.

## SHOP TO RENT.

The shop now occupied by H. R. Knowlton on Main St., Athens. Good and for watchmaker or fancy goods. Possession given about Dec. 1st. Apply to

MRS. GREEN, ELGIN STREET, Athens.

## NOTICE.

Having sold out my tinmithing business in Athens, it is necessary that all accounts be settled at once. As I am leaving the village, all accounts have been placed in the hands of Mr. W. A. Lewis, where parties can call and settle. All accounts not settled promptly will be placed in court for collection.

H. W. KINCAID.

## BUGGIES FOR SALE

We have for sale, cheap, one new BUGGY and one second hand Spring Wagon. We have no use for any of the above and they will be sold at a bargain. Apply to E. A. Pickrell, Athens, or W. C. Pickrell at Agricultural Works, Lym.

## Notice of Application for Divorce

Notice is hereby given that Samuel Nelson, Chairman of the Township of South Crosby, County of Leeds, Province of Ontario, farmer, will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for a bill of divorce from his wife, formerly Mary Ellen Pratt, on the ground of adultery.

Dated at Ottawa, Province of Ontario, this 12th day of March, 1901.

R. M. BRITTON, Solicitor for Applicant.

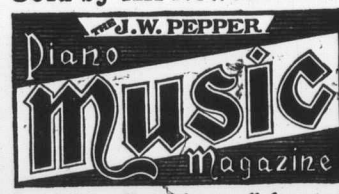
## Farm for Sale.

That choice Dairy Farm, being Lot 3 and part in 11 Con. of Yonge, 245 acres, nearly all improved. 50 acres in meadow, capable of 100 head of cattle. 1200 choice Maple Trees. Good buildings; well watered. Situated about 3 miles north of Athens, near Lake Eridia. Apply on the premises to WM. and JOE JAMES, Props. Addison, P.O. 36-3p

## For Sale.

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