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Athens, Leeds County, Ontario, Wednesday, Oct. 7, 1903.

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Brockville's Greatest Store.

Two Millinery Specials

The great success of our \$8.50 and \$5.00 hats last season has led us to specialize these prices for autumn.

We have prepared two tables - one table of \$8.50 hats and one table of \$5.00 ones. Everyone is carefully and artistically trimmed and are just as stylish and elegant as we can possibly get up at the price. During the season we will keep these tables well assorted in these popular prices. Call and see the values.

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Any hat on this table \$3.50, and not a trasher or cheap one in the lot. Every ribbon, feather and ornament is on to stay. Every hat is right up to date. Compare them with anything you can find at the price, and you'll find that you can save money.



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 Main St., Athens.

Here's an Advantage

On any day of the week, excepting Wednesday, a "rush" order for poster work, etc., reaching the Reporter office in the morning will be completed and returned on the evening train.

THE DELTA FAIR

The Delta Fair, held on Tuesday and Wednesday last, was in every respect a record-breaker. The weather was simply perfect and the attendance was probably the "greatest that has been." For hours on the second day the ticket office was thronged by members and visitors from all parts of the county, but quietly and expeditiously their wants were satisfied, and they passed into the grounds favorably impressed by their first contact with the Fair officials.

Delta has one of the finest main buildings of any society in the province, and we are stating but the simple truth when we say that every inch of floor and wall space was occupied. An exhibit of fine furniture by Mr. Edgar Horton first confronted the visitor, and behind that was a fine display of Karn pianos and organs made G. L. Riches of Brockville, and W. W. Phelps, of Delta, who gave their personal attention to the exhibit, which included the piano that won the diploma at Ottawa Fair. Many visitors inspected this exhibit with an eye to business and several sales were effected. Mr. C. M. Quinn, of Lansdowne, exhibited a Palmer Piano and New Williams sewing machine. Mrs. Horton and daughter, the latter an excellent cornetist, played for Mr. Quinn, and Messrs. Riches and Phelps had skilled musicians to demonstrate the merits of the Karn; so the hall was constantly filled with music. Grain, vegetables, dairy products and manufactures were shown in abundance on the first floor, the latter including harness by James A. Stevens, boots by Thos. Hamilton, and a Laval separator by Mr. Geo. E. Johnston, of Brockville. On the second floor was gathered probably an extensive and fine display of ladies' work and domestics as was ever shown in the county. The exhibits brought out by the Karn special of a \$50 organ and a special by Mr. G. L. Riches of a \$7 violin was alone a great display. Mrs. Omer Brown won the first prize and Mrs. W. T. Hales, of Fortia, the second.

Out on the grounds, the show of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry was above the average, and fairly reflected the best productions of the district.

An excellent programme of sports and amusements had been provided, which kept the crowd constantly interested. A baseball match between Brockville and Athens was very interesting, but unfortunately the Brockville catcher was struck by the ball and injured so that the game had to cease at the end of the fourth innings. The result then was 7 to 9 in favor of Athens. Following were the players:—

Athens—Whaley, F. Green, McIntosh, Rappell, Roddick, Dillon, B. Green, Johnston, Barber.

Brockville—Merrin, Potvin, Curry, Davidson, Romsan, Graham, Gilhooly, Harper, Robinson.

The four innings played resulted as follows:—

Athens	0	2	3	4
Brockville	3	0	0	4-7

Mr. G. Holmes, of Athens, umpired the game in a very satisfactory manner.

To races and sports of both days resulted as follows:—

2.30 CLASS

King Ben, Murphy, Portland	1	1
Gilsey, Gibson, Gananogue	2	3
Netty G., Putnam, Merrickville	3	2

FARMERS' RACE

Merrymaid, Ross, Athens	1	1
Texas Hiattoga, F. McDonald	3	2
Hetty G., E. Bracken	2	1

FREE-FOR-ALL

King Ben, Murphy, Portland	1	1
Billy Patterson, Clow, Lyn	2	2
Laura G., Parks, Gananogue	3	3

2.45 CLASS

Eclipse, Ballis, Athens	3	1
Merrymaid, Ross, Athens	2	2
Nettie G., Putnam, Merrickville	1	3

FARMERS' RACE

Frank McDonald	1
David Haffernon	2
Robert Ohant	3

Girl's needle-threading contest—Lucy Carbine, Plum Hollow; Hazel Horton, Delta.

Egg race for boys—Lloyd Irwin, Andy Woods, Collins Whelan.

Foot race, once around track—Nate Whelan, John Whelan, Dixon Dixie.

Best looking baby on the grounds—infant son of Mrs. Hamilton, Delta.

Best looking unmarried lady, prize

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Hundreds of men are buying raincoats instead of fall overcoats, and we tell you this because it is to your advantage to know that a raincoat will answer for rainy or clear weather. No odor about them, and no clammy feeling of rubber, the cloth is chemically treated in the yarn, and it is absolutely rain-proof. All our new raincoats are in new styles; long and mostly loose fitting; equal to custom made.

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M. J. Kehoe

CENTRAL BLOCK BROCKVILLE

short address on the misfortune that befell Jack and Jill, in which the grave and the gay were happily commingled, and his literary mixture was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Howell, of Brockville, was the accompanist of the evening.

The audience appeared to thoroughly enjoy the whole concert, and it may be written down as among the most successful yet held in connection with the anniversary services of St. Paul's.

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A. ROOF,
 Greenbush.

According to the records of the Education Department, out of 3,618 candidates who wrote on Part II, Junior Leaving, only 1,269 passed, considerably less than 50 per cent.

There was a great slaughter of the innocents, and the record of over 80 per cent of passes made by the A.H.S. shines all the brighter in consequence.

The papers sent in last midsummer evidently received a very careful scrutiny, and for so many of our students to have stood such a test is highly creditable.

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Fine Furniture

We have just passed into stock a fine line of new goods—some of the latest productions of the best factories in Canada. These include

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 Upholstered in Tapestry, Velour and Silk

From \$20 up
Bedroom Suites,
Artistic Rockers

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ATHENS PUBLIC SCHOOL

The following is a report of the A. M.S. for the month of September: FORM IV. Senior—(Total, 375)—Mabel Derovshire 308, Steve Stinson 296, Florence Gairford 283, Edna Fair 252, Wallace Johnson 246, Roy McLaughlin 241, Willie McLean 197.

Senior—Beaumont Corneil, Kenneth McClary, Eulalia Wilton, Kenneth Blancher, Esther Kincaid, Carrie Covey.

Senior—Kenneth Rappell, Bessie Johnston, Evelina Gifford, Russell Bishop, Clarence Knowlton.

Senior—Geraldine Eyre, Jesse Mulvena, Lyons McEachen, Archie Kincaid.

Senior—George Cowan, Leonard Plunkett, Alice Patterson. Aggregate, 1004. Average, 50. Percentage, 88.

Senior—Elsie Ferguson, Irene Tennant, Violet Williamson, Kenneth White, Cassie Tennant, Stanley Gibson.

Senior—Charlie Tennant, Ollie Tennant, Hazel Dickey, Inez Burnham, Elmer White, May Powell.

Senior—Eva Nunn, Stanley White, Ray White.

THE FAIR AT LYNDHURST

There was a great gathering at Lyndhurst Fair on Friday last, and the board of management have every reason to be satisfied with the large measure of success achieved.

The races were keenly contested and afforded good sport, the running race and trotting race for farmers' horses being among the best of the schedule.

Tired Mothers

It's hard to take care of children and to cook, sweep, wash, sew and mend besides.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Monday, September 28, Miss Grace Cornell, of Elbe, gave a birthday party to her young friends.

Ran a Nail Through His Head

While opening a box, J. C. Mount of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand.

MAY YET LOSE THE COLONIES

Alfred Baldwin, M.P., warns Britain to travel carefully.

He Learned a Great Truth

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?"

NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK

Important Events in Few Words For Busy Readers.

Rome, Oct. 3.—Fifteen silver medals have mysteriously disappeared from the Sanctuary of St. Peter's.

CANADIAN

North Bend, B. C., Oct. 5.—The Canadian Manufacturers' Association are now homeward bound.

Belleville, Oct. 2.—D. B. Robertson, for the past 29 years city clerk of this city, died yesterday morning, aged 65 years.

Kingston, Oct. 3.—T. Callender, M.A., of Aberdeen University, Scotland, has been appointed Professor of Greek at Queen's University.

Winnipeg, Oct. 3.—At the Provincial Anglican Synod, Bishop Young announced his retirement, and Rev. Dr. Matheson, Bishop Suffragan of Rupert's Land.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—John K. Stewart, Provincial License Inspector, will retire at the end of the present month to engage in business in Ottawa, where he formerly conducted an insurance agency.

Kingston, Oct. 3.—At the installation of the new principal of Queen's, various honorary degrees are to be conferred.

Ottawa, Oct. 3.—A disastrous fire occurred in the part of Ottawa early yesterday morning, by which the large factory of the Eclipse Office Furniture Company on Albert street, near the City Hall, was destroyed.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The National Transcontinental Railway bill which was passed Wednesday, occupies a longer time of the House than any other bill.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 5.—The movement of grain in Canadian Northwest, on account of the lateness of the season, is still very slow.

London, Oct. 5.—The apple crop in the United States is very large, but the potato crop is a failure.

Clarkburg, W. Va., Oct. 5.—Jerry Boshart, aged 101, and Julia Ann Jenkins, aged 99, were married yesterday.

Wichita, Kas., Oct. 5.—David Nation, divorced husband of Mrs. Carrie Nation, died Saturday afternoon at Medicine Lodge.

New York, Oct. 3.—Fifteen Chinese men, smuggled across the border from Canada, were arrested when they arrived in Weehawken yesterday.

Philadelphia, Oct. 5.—Prof. Heilprin, the noted scientist, said last night: "It would not surprise me if Mt. Pelee had another eruption of great violence."

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 5.—Miss Ruth Baird Bryan, eldest daughter of Col. William Jennings Bryan, was married last evening to William Honner Leavitt, an artist, of Newport, R.I.

Washington, Oct. 3.—John C. Mackay, one of the leaders of the Mollie Maguires, who caused reign of terror and bloodshed in the coal region in the seventies, is dead.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—The Chicago Typographers decided to declare a lock-out of press feeders in 400 brick and job printing offices Monday.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—After a lock-out of over seven months, the 600 employees of the plant of the American Corn Products Company, known as the Chicago Glycerine Factory, will go back to work under union conditions, with union pay and hours.

Boston, Oct. 2.—The Democratic State Convention yesterday included in their platform yesterday of principles the following: "Reciprocity with Canada we demand as a national right and an opportunity to preserve and enlarge our commerce with our northern neighbors."

Marquette, Wis., Oct. 5.—During a squall Saturday night on Lake Michigan, the steamer J. H. Hackley capsized, and eleven persons were drowned.

Belgrade, Oct. 5.—Geo. Gruius is Premier of the new Cabinet.

Rome, published last night the text of an encyclical by Pope Pius X. commemorating Leo XIII. The encyclical, the first issued by Pope Pius X. is entirely religious in tone.

Paris, Oct. 5.—Nine more fatal accidents took place in the Alps. The season's death roll in these regions has reached 170.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 3.—The War Ministry ordered the annual contingent of recruits for October 14, instead of at the beginning of the year, as is usual.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 3.—The Macedonian revolutionary headquarters announced that they have positive information that the whole Christian population of the town of Mahonia was massacred Sept. 28, with the exception of ten men.

Salonica, Oct. 5.—The Bulgarian notables here went to the Governor's palace yesterday and informed the authorities that a series of outrages in Salonica is being planned.

London, Oct. 5.—The funeral service over the body of Sir Michael Herbert will be held Tuesday at Wilton, Salisbury, the country seat of his family.

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LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR

Sir James Thomson Ritchie Has Passed to the Chair.

London, Oct. 2.—The Lord Mayor of London for the coming year, Sir James Thomson Ritchie, succeeds to the Chief Magistracy of London in the afternoon.



SIR J. T. RITCHIE, the ordinary course as an alderman who has not yet "passed the chair".

There was a very large attendance, comprising Ministers of the Crown, including the Premier, Senators and members of Parliament, and many of the leading citizens of Ottawa.

MR. CARGILL'S FUNERAL

Ottawa, Oct. 3.—The funeral of the late Henry Cargill, M.P., East Bruce, took place yesterday morning from the Parliament Buildings at 10.30 for the Union depot.

Walkerton, Oct. 5.—The funeral of Henry Cargill, M.P. for East Bruce, took place here yesterday afternoon.

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ST. CHARLES, MINN., STRUCK

Tornado Swept Town Saturday and Practically Ruined It

Seven Persons Reported Killed and 20 Injured—Main Street of Town Was Literally Wiped Out—Hardly a Business Place Left Standing—Injury to Human Beings and Death to Live Stock Reported From Other Points.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 5.—A tornado struck St. Charles, Minn., Saturday afternoon and ruined the town. Seven persons are reported killed and 20 injured.

LaCrosse, Wis., Oct. 5.—Two were killed, three fatally injured and a score of others badly hurt in a tornado which swept Independence, Wis., and the surrounding country Saturday afternoon.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 5.—Special despatches indicate that a severe storm was general throughout the Northwest to-day.

Baraboo, Wis., reports a cloud-burst lasting three hours. Many buildings and windmills were blown down.

From Waupun, Wis., comes information of a storm at Almond. Three persons are reported to have been killed. Many buildings were demolished.

Plainfield, Wis., Oct. 5.—A tornado, which visited this section Saturday night, tore down many buildings and damaged much property.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Oct. 5.—More than three inches of snow fell here yesterday.

POLITICAL CHAOS.

Both Parties in British Columbia Oct 19 Seats—Two Socialists Elected—And Two Yet in Doubt.

Conservatives..... 19 Liberals..... 2 Still in doubt..... 2 Total..... 49

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 5.—The latest returns last evening leave the result of British Columbia's first party contest still in doubt.

The Liberals elected are: W. W. B. McLean, Albert; Dr. J. H. King, Cranbrook; G. W. Munro, Chilliwack; W. C. Wells, Columbia (acclamation); John Oliver, Delta; J. R. Brown, Greenwood; T. W. Patterson, Island; J. A. McDonald, Rossland; H. Tanner, Saanich; W. Davidson, Sloona (Labor); Victoria City, (4), R. L. Bruce, W. G. Cameron, J. D. McNiven and Richard Hall, and Yale, S. Henderson; Cariboo, J. Murphy and H. Jones; Cowichan, J. N. Evans; Similkameen, W. A. McLean.—19.

The Conservatives elected are: Dr. Young, Alton; Hon. R. McBride, Premier; Dewdney, C. E. Pooley, Esq.; G. A. Fraser, Grand Forks; W. R. Ross, Fernie; F. J. Fulton, Kamloops; Hon. R. F. Green, Kasko; A. McDonald, Lillooet (acclamation); John Houston, Nelson; T. Clifford, New Westminster; Eric Nelson, Okanagan; T. Taylor, Revelstoke; F. C. Cottton, Richmond; Vancouver City (5), Hon. R. F. Tallow, Minister of Finance; J. F. Garden, Hon. Charles Wilson, president of the council; J. Bowser and A. H. B. McGowan; Ymir, Harry Brown.—19.

Socialists—Parker Williams, Newcastle; J. H. Ilwathornethwaite, Nanaimo.

In Doubt—Skeneo, no report. Co-mox, Young (Lib.) leading.

Dropped Dead on Street

Toronto, Oct. 5.—The man who dropped dead in front of the Red Star Restaurant Saturday night has been identified. He is W. R. Cunningham of Trout Creek, Parry Sound District. He is a man of about fifty years of age, and for some time has been troubled with his heart.

Met a Horrible Death.

Hamilton, Oct. 5.—The remains of Ezra Elson, a 17-year-old son of Alfred Elson, a former resident of Ancaster, were laid away at Bartonville yesterday. He met a terrible death. While feeding a straw-cutting machine, his hand got caught in the machinery and was drawn in until the whole arm was out in pieces and he was cut at the shoulder.

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This is the time of year when newspapers arrange for next year's business, and the Reporter makes the following special offer:

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The Athens Reporter.....20c
Reporter and Weekly Globe.....25c
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Reporter and Mail & Empire.....25c
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UNTIL JAN. 1, 1905

The Athens Reporter, combined with any of the above weekly papers will be sent to new subscribers from now until the end of 1904 for \$3.00. Present subscribers for the Reporter will be given a special rate for any of these city papers.

From Neighboring Firesides.

News Budgets by the Reporter's able staff of Correspondents

HARLEM

Mr. and Mrs. Deane and daughter, Mrs. Houghton, of Alexandria Bay, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perceval and daughter, Miss J. Perceval, of Plum Hollow, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith on Sunday last.

Report says that J. E. Chapman has rented his vacant house to a resident of Philipville.

Farmers have nearly finished filling their silos.

CAINTOWN

Miss Alice Thompson and two nephews, of Manitoba, are visiting at Mr. Eli Tennent's.

Mr. S. Powell and sister Edith attended Delta Fair.

Mr. Blake Hogboom is now able to work again, and is away running the engine for corn-cutting and threshing.

Mrs. Coleman Lee and Miss Esther Vandyske were visiting friends in Caintown lately.

CHARLESTON LAKE

There were large crowds of people from this section at both Delta and Lyndhurst fairs.

Cedar Park hotel closed on Tuesday last after a most successful season. Charleston is getting more popular each year as a summer resort.

There was no school on Wednesday afternoon. The teacher took a well earned rest and attended Delta fair.

TREVELYAN

This is a busy time for the farmers. Corn cutting and threshing is the order of the day, and the whistle of the engine can be heard in every direction.

Miss Aggie Leeder is visiting friends in Brockville.

Mr. Robert Nunn sold a valuable horse last week to Mr. Robert Armstrong.

Messrs. Edward Leeder and Jack Flood were among those who took in Lyndhurst Fair on Friday.

REDAN

Corn harvesting is the order of the day.

Mrs. Jane McCormick, of Toronto, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Doolan last week.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Harry Cooper, of this place, and Miss Helen Davis, of Frankville.

Mrs. Stephen Cardiff is gaining in health under the skillful treatment of Dr. Harte.

Mr. Chas. Baker is erecting a new silo.

Hill Good is busy putting up stones for the crusher.

GLEN BUELL

G. A. Gilroy is giving good satisfaction with his corn cutting outfit in this neighborhood.

Miss Stella Orton, of Brockville, is spending a few days with friends of this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hall, of Addison, spent Sunday at Mr. John Kirkland's.

Owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. Burke, Mr. Robins took charge of the service here last Sunday.

J. Lee has been engaged in building the wall for Mr. Dack's cellar.

Rally day was observed in our Sunday school on the 27th inst.

Corn cutting and threshing are the order of the day in town now.

DAYTOWN

There was a very large crowd at Delta fair.

Visitors. Mr. Ransom Wood, of Rome, N. Y.; Mr. Sidney Lock, of Alexandria Bay, N. Y.; Mr. Frank Eaton, of Frankville; Mr. Weller Wood, of Plevna; Mrs. Zaides Jones and daughter, of Frankville, at Mr. Eii Wood's.

Apples are a bountiful crop here this season.

L. R. Wood is having good success shooting ducks. He is a sure shooter.

There was a goodly number attended the tent meeting at Chantry from here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Wood and daughter Maria and Mr. Ransom Wood, of Rome, N. Y., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Benedict, of Athens.

Mrs. Birt, of Plum Hollow, had a lively ride Monday night. Her horse got frightened and ran away and she jumped out of the buggy. The horse ran about a mile and there was no damage done.

DELTA

Madam Coghane paid us her first visit recently. She came, she saw, she conquered. Her repertoire is choice and extensive and her artistic abilities are of an unusually high order. She afforded us an evening of peculiar pleasure and profit, and another visit will be eagerly welcomed and generally patronized.

Ransom Wood, of Rome, N.Y., and Weller Wood, of Plevna, took in Delta Fair and visited their aged mother at Thon. Connors'.

Melvin Card, wife and son, of Plevna, have been visiting George Morris.

W. B. Phelps, of Philipville, was in town last week and settled with the heirs of the late W. H. Donant. The insurance money, \$2,000, arrived from the A.O.U.W. only seven days after he received the papers.

It is with much regret that we chronicle the death of a little daughter, aged six years, of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDonald, who passed away on Sunday morning, October 4. Her parents have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

Canada's Great Illustrated Weekly

In keeping with the progress of the age, CANADA'S GREAT NATIONAL HOME NEWSPAPER, THE WEEKLY GLOBE, will be very materially improved for 1904.

Numerous important changes are in contemplation, but the leading feature will be the introduction of an EIGHT-PAGE ILLUSTRATED SUPPLEMENT ON CALENDERED PAPER. This will undoubtedly make it the most popular weekly offered to the people of the Dominion. For particulars see advertisement in another column of this issue.

Trevelyan Honor Roll

Fourth Class.—Hannah Leeder, Arthur Ladd, Lena Hunt.

Third Class.—Pearl Edgley, Sr. Second.—Emma Hughes, Elida Marshall.

Intermediate Sec.—Irene Leeder, Mrs. Marshall.

Jr. Second.—Clio Leeder, Irvin Hodge.

Part Sec.—Mabel Hughes, Sr. First.—Loretta Leeder, Lester Ladd.

Jr. First.—Ervin Armstrong, Charlie Hughes, Leta Dixie, Zeno Leeder, Odra Armstrong, Gracie Hodge, Kenneth Leeder.

ETHEL DEWOLFE, Teacher.

Owes His Life to a Neighbor's Kindness

Mr. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any, relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by J. P. Lamb & Son.

Greenbush Honor Roll

4th—Jessie Olds, Dora Hewitt, *Millie Smith, *Myrtle Lovrin.

3rd—Ethel Kennedy, Elmer Jackson, *Lena Miller.

Sen. 2nd—*Ella Davis, Sparling Hannah, Gordon Kennedy, Lewis Blanchard.

Jun. 2nd—Gordon Rickett, Florence Smith.

Sen. part 2nd—Mabel Smith, Jimmie Miller.

Jun. part 2nd—Nellie Phalen, Norman Rickett, *Harold Webster.

1st—Sec. C, *Albert Davis, Nellie Briggs; sec. B, *Mansell Hannah, Walter Maud; sec. A, *Walter Tackberry, *Gladys Smith.

Average attendance, 38. Those marked with the asterisk (*) attended every day during the month.

LOU STEVENS, Teacher.

Washburn's Honor Roll

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by J. P. Lamb & Son.

Following is the honor roll for September:

IV. Class—M. Hudson, L. Wills, F. Wills, S. Bulford.

Sr. II.—L. Hudson, L. Judd.

Jr. II.—I. Wright, H. Wright.

Sr. I.—N. Judd, H. Judd, H. Shire.

Inter. I.—J. Barnes, H. Irwin, W. Earle.

Jr. I.—W. Earle, A. Ross, H. Cavanaugh, I. Judd.

L. GREEN, Teacher.

The People's Column.

Ads of 6 lines and under in this column, 5c for first insertion and 10c for each subsequent insertion.

Reward!

A liberal reward will be paid to the person furnishing evidence to convict the person or persons who broke into W. S. Banta's cottage at the Furnace works on Saturday, 19th day of September.

Dated at Athens this 1st day of October, 1903.

T. R. BEALE.

Wedding Cake

Orders left at the Model Bakery, Athens, for Wedding Cakes, or for the decorating of cakes will receive prompt and skilled attention. Terms on application.

WILLIAM FRYE, Athens.

Mare Lost

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned on Thursday, Sept. 17th, a black mare, tender on front feet, and has a shoe bell.

MELVIN HAMLIN, Athens.

Farm for Sale

Situated within 1 1/2 miles of the village of Athens containing 7 1/2 acres of land in good state of cultivation. There is on the place a good stone house and frame kitchen and all necessary outbuildings, and there is a never-failing supply of water on the place and a small sugar bush. Apply to

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Every Farmer in Canada should realize the full value of the service THE SUN has rendered him in a public way. It was due to the action of THE SUN in giving voice to the opinions of the farmers that the law relating to cattle guards, drainage across railways, and farm fires caused by railway locomotives has been amended.

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THIS undersigned has a large sum of money to loan on real estate security at low rates.
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Traveller Wanted
WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS persons in each state to travel for house establishment eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$12 and all expenses. Weekly cash salary of \$12 and all expenses. Mention references and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 28 Dearborn St., Chicago.

VOTERS' LIST COURT
Municipality of the Village of Athens for the year 1903.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honour the Justice of the County Court of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, at Lamb's Hall in the Village of Athens on the 21st day of October, 1903, at seven o'clock p.m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of the Village of Athens for 1903.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place. DATED this 20th day of September, A.D., 1903.

B. LOVERIN, Clerk of said Municipality.

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TURKISH MISREULE.

The Macedonian question, briefly explained, is that Turkish rule still exists over a portion of Southeastern Europe, and that the majority of the inhabitants do not want it any longer.

Most people have little idea of the rapidity with which Turkish rule in Europe has diminished. There are people still alive, and only a short time ago there must have been many, who recollect the time when Turkish domination practically extended to the borders of Austria and Hungary, and even pushed back the Cossack to the southwestern plains of Russia. This was at the close of the eighteenth century.

Then came war after war, rising after rising, against Turkish misrule, as it was called, though, as a matter of fact, perhaps it was less misrule than the unwillingness of the inhabitants to have any rule but their own. Serbia, Bulgaria, Greece, and Rumania, each in its own way, firmly established its menaced independence. Russia pressed forward, Rumania decided to carve out its own fortunes, and then finally Bulgaria and Roumania, in the course of time became regarded as independent. There are many varieties of the so-called modern Turk. There is the Moslem, pure and simple, the Turk much as he is in the days of the great Sultan Soliman; then comes the Albanian, altogether dissimilar from the Turk in every respect save the possession of a common religion; and, finally, the mixed race in the central districts of Macedonia, who is a composite between the two—half what one would call a "Western" and half an Oriental, gradually, however, with no fixed ideas and according to no precise system, but merely in the course of year-long events, various races have settled in the region, and now represent half a dozen different nations, the chief of which are Serbia, Bulgaria and Greece. Representatives of these three, with the original Turks, are now, and have been for years, making the Balkans the cockpit of European politics.

For years the maxim of the Turk has been the very sound one, divide and rule. The various races do not need to divide. The various races enjoy fighting among themselves far too much to offer the least hope of any joint action against the Turk. Had this not been the case, the Turk would have recrossed the Bosphorus into Asia Minor years ago; but the hate with which each nationality, Serb, Bulgarian and Greek, the Turk is now doing to the hatred which they feel for each other. They have different religions, they have different customs, they carry on different educational work, they foster different racial traditions, and they have different homes to speak of nationality. Their internecine war is no more bitterly shown than in regard to religion. The Sultan has played this card scores of times, and its effect never weakens. If it were not for the proselytizing work carried on by the three nations at the present moment, there would be hope that in time to come they would unite. As it is, there is not the least hope, and the present rising as it stands at this moment has been engineered by the Bulgarian section, and by that section alone. So far the Greeks have no part nor parcel in it, nor have the Serbians, although there is a strong possibility that owing to an indiscriminate bloodshed, the latter may very soon be drawn into the whirlpool.

To understand the Macedonian question it is necessary to appreciate what Turkish rule in Europe is. Briefly, it is a permanent attack on the part of the local authorities to ensure as much general quietude as possible with a minimum of profit to themselves. This is done by all forms of corruption and by the exercise of military rule. There is no question as to the inhabitants having incalculable causes of complaint. Even the bitterest critics of the Balkan races (not one of whom, save possibly the Rumanians, merits much to be said in its favor) will admit that the present situation cannot last. The Concert of Europe, as Lord Salisbury once said in one of his most famous speeches, is like a steam-roller—it moves slowly, and thus moves too slowly for the inhabitants. They have suffered much, and from time to time they have made more or less spasmodic attempts to ameliorate their unhappy plight. This can only be done by the use of arms. Even thus the Powers themselves can only compel improvement, not otherwise.

In the present case the powers have for several years been unwilling to do anything except advise, and the inhabitants of the Balkans have gradually placed their confidence less in what the powers are willing to do for them than on the co-operation and direct sympathy of their co-nationalists outside the actual Turkish borders. They looked to Greece. After the war of 1897 there was no more hope in that direction. They looked to Serbia. Serbia was too busy to do anything; the country suffered from internecine trouble, and its finances were in a hopeless state. Obviously little was to be expected from Serbia. There remained Rumania and Bulgaria. Rumania is endeavoring to give the pattern of a good little nation. Its Government was too cautious to commit itself; obviously nothing whatever need be expected from Rumania.

Would, finally, Bulgaria do any-

thing? As a matter of fact, the population of Bulgaria, almost to a man, desires more or less active intervention on behalf of the Bulgarians in Macedonia, who are numerically strongest of all the races near the Sofia frontier, but the Government and the dynasty are wise enough to recognize that on the hazard of the die would hang their future existence. If Turkey crushed Bulgaria in a war, it need not be expected that the principality would lose its entire independence, but unquestionably it would be left in a financial and governmentally disastrous state.

Hence the Bulgarian Government has observed great caution. The Minister of War is wont externally to announce his strict correctness, while his own department is secretly supplying arms and ammunition to the insurgents. Everybody acts thus in Macedonia. They lift one another up by the hair of the head, and with the other place a donation in the hands of the insurgents. This is the cause of the present rising. There have been many such every spring and every autumn they happen, and the one last spring was prepared precisely as the present one is. Every Government in Europe knew that the present one was going to happen, since the Komitadjis, or Committees (who represent what in Ireland would be called the Fenian Brotherhood) were resolved to force matters to a test. Having gone so far, the point is now whether Bulgaria can hold aloof if the situation worsens. All depends on whether the Turk, who is as usual, pouring more and more troops into the country, will succeed in keeping the insurrection within strictly reasonable limits. If he can do this Bulgaria will be quiet. If he cannot, the insurgents strike one or two blows of a more serious nature than the principalities will join in, and this joining would mean action by Serbia, action by the Albanians, action more or less by the Governments of Austria and Russia, who really want the maintenance of the status quo (from self-interest), and unrest throughout the whole of southeastern Europe. Few persons, even the Bulgarians themselves, face such a prospect with such equanimity, and when it comes to staking a step which would start hostilities throughout thousands of square miles, even the most terrible firebrand possible feels a qualm of hesitation, and this is just how the situation now is in the Balkans.—London Mail.

Dangerous Flies.

It is most important that flies should be kept away from all food supplies. To this end, every effort should be made, first to do away with all places that are favorable for the breeding of flies. Horse manure should be kept in a closed pit, or the place where it is stored should be screened. Metal screens that will not rust are best for this purpose, but, unfortunately, they are too high-priced to permit of their being used by the majority of people who live in the country. Cotton mosquito netting, however, is not very expensive, and, though it will not last as long as the rust-proof metal screens, it is just as effective in keeping out the flies. Cotton netting can generally be purchased at a trifle over three cents a square yard when bought by the piece, and each piece contains sixteen square yards. Where it is not practical to use screens of chloride of lime, if used in liberal quantities and well sprinkled through the manure, will prevent the development of any eggs which may be deposited in this manner. In the second place, screens or nets in the second place, screens or nets.

RAT STORY FROM MANILA.

How the Transport Sherman was Cleared of 950,000 Rodents.

When the United States military transport Sherman arrived at Manila recently she was, as is the case with most other ships that arrive from or touch at Hong Kong on the way to Manila, detained for inspection to see if she had any rats on board. When the big transport dropped anchor in Manila Bay, therefore, the official rat inspector went on board to see what was doing in the way of rodents. In fifteen minutes he hurriedly left the ship, and going ashore, reported that there was on board the Sherman, according to the patent rat enumerator in use at Manila, no fewer than 950,000 rats.

The Sherman was immediately ordered to the quarantine station at Mariveles, as no ship on which the disease-carrying rodents are found is allowed to dock at Manila until they are exterminated. Accordingly, the Sherman steamed back to Mariveles. When she arrived there her hatches had been opened up, and enough sulphur carried below to kill millions of rats. As soon as the anchor was dropped the sulphur fires were started in the hold, and in a few minutes the work of the fumes became apparent.

Out of the hatches there poured such a stream of rats as was never before seen in the Orient. First by the hundreds, and then by the thousands, they appeared at the hatches and then leaped into the water.

Every one tried to swim ashore, but the distance was far too great for any rat to swim, and soon the great black line of paddling rodents began to thin out. Some of them reached a point about 300 yards off the ship, but none got any farther. After the fumes had been working for about an hour the rats stopped appearing. An inspection of the ship was made and not a rat discovered. The Sherman then re-entered Manila and discharged her cargo.—Manila American.

DID HIM GOOD AND NO MISTAKE

What Simon V. Landry has to say of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

He was Weak, Run Down and a Total Wreck—Three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills put him to Work Again.

River Bourgeois, Richmond Co., Que., Oct. 5.—(Special.)—Simon V. Landry, well known here, adds his testimony to the thousands of others all over Canada who owe their health, and even life itself, to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was bothered for over a year with Leaky Back, Weak Back, Palpitation of the Heart and General Weakness," says Mr. Landry. "In fact I was a total wreck. I could not work, as I got tired and weak so easily, and I had a weakness in my stomach so that I could not bend down to do anything.

"I have tried different kinds of medicine with no benefit, till I gave Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial. From the first they did me good, and I had only taken three boxes when I was able to start work again. They did me good, and no mistake.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are known by their cures in every corner of Canada. They cure the Kidneys. Sound Kidneys ensure pure blood, cheerfulness and abundant energy. That's how Dodd's Kidney Pills make new men and women out of run-down, worn-out people.

Great Electrical Laboratory.

An appropriation of \$27,000 for a New York State electrical laboratory at Union College, Schenectady, is recommended by a commission appointed to determine the necessity for such an institution. The laboratory is to supply information on questions of electrical science and an official standard for electrical measuring instruments and apparatus, together with standards for electric wiring of buildings for the protection of municipalities and the general public. Germany has such an institution.

Minaid's Liniment cures Burns, etc.

A Wasp's Wisdom.

Naturalists have decided that many insects have senses which human beings lack. That of location, as shown by the wasp, for instance, is remarkable. One species builds its nest in a sandbank that it only a part of several acres of such soil, and when it leaves in search of food it covers a large area of ground that no ordinary eye could discover to location. That is to say, it is just like all the surrounding location, and yet the wasp flies it without making a mistake. There is another wasp that unerringly locates the eggs of the wasp on a leaf, and when it is there it has been under a thick layer of manure. The wasp deposits her own eggs in the same cells that her young may have food when they are hatched.

Where They Talk Much.

Chicago Post.

"That long-winded chap is awfully tiresome," remarked the stranger.

"Yes," admitted the native. "He's most wore us out 'round here, but I guess we got it fixed to get relief by putting him where he belongs."

"We're going to send him to Congress. He'll do us proud there."

That Awful Breath IS DUE TO CATARRH & COLDS

Possibly you haven't noticed it.

Catarrh and colds neglected soon develop into the chronic form, accompanied by the most nauseating and disgusting symptoms. Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Remedy is especially adapted for curing colds, catarrhs, deafness, sore throat, tonsillitis, cold in the head, inflammation of all diseases of the throat, it relieves in 10 minutes.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment is with cut an equal for all skin troubles. 35c.

How Monkeys are Trained.

"People have often asked me the question, 'Do the organ-grinders train their own monkeys, or is this done by some one else?' To an animal dealer this is a very busy question, indeed. The dealer is a smart Italian in Philadelphia who makes a business of supplying organ-grinders with monkeys already trained. He settled in Philadelphia some eight or nine years after the civil war. Up to that time the organ-grinders were obliged to either train their own animals or send to Paris for them. The Italian has been in Paris, where he had learned the difference between the *majou* and *macaque* in matter of intelligence. Realizing that the former could be trained in just about the same way as the latter, he soon built up quite a business, and a few years after he set up shop every organ-grinder in this country had a Brazilian, ring-tailed, cebus monkey.

"He purchases the animals from the dealers at prices ranging from \$25 to \$50 trains them to perform a number of tricks and to collect pennies and sells them to organ-grinders for \$80 and \$125.

"The life of an organ-grinder's monkey is a hard one. They are always well-fed, to be sure, but the hard and incessant roll of dancing, keeping, turning, contortions, and running after coins, from early dawn till late at night, is more, even, than a monkey can stand, and they soon wear out. The fallow of whom a rat spoke told me that it had to be an unusually healthy and robust monkey that could stand three or four years of this business. As a general thing, two years is about the limit, at the end of which time Count Hand Washington Post.

THE ALARM-CLOCK BRAIN.

The Man Who Can Wake Up at Any Hour in the Morning.

To be able to waken oneself at a predetermined and usually an early hour without external prompting is an accomplishment of which one may well boast. I hope, with entire truthfulness, to continue to be doubting other people's word is perhaps a bad sign, but confess that when one of these gifted mortals tells how the tide served for waking himself at 3:30 a. m. and the appointment was for 8 sharp at Sammie's pier; how he did not want to rouse whole trust and confidence in the clock it would have been just him to move through its long-protracted trial, so he simply impressed upon his mind, "Two-thirty," because that would give him about time to dress and get down to the dock. "Two-thirty," he said to his mind. "Two-thirty. Under-stand?" And his mind nodded its head and said: "All right, boss, I'll call you. Don't you worry. Two-thirty," and he went to bed and slept like a top, and it seemed like it was no time at all before he waked up with a sort of a jerk, as broad awake as he was in his life. He got up, dressed, and looked at his watch, and what do you think? Well, sir, it was just 2.51. When a man tells me good, and look him right in the eye.—Everybody's Magazine.

How You Can Tell It.

Toronto Star.

They grab each other by the hair. They tear each others' clothes. With shrieks they rend the autumn air.

They break a victim's nose. They rend another limb from limb. Rip off another's ear; By these and other signs you know The football season's here.

In Going to New York.

Be sure that your tickets read via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley route of the "Black Diamond Express," the direct and best route from all Canadian points. By this route baggage is not checked in advance, and you can take your baggage to the train at the station in New York, up town near all first-class hotels, and you can save the expense of a long and expensive transfer. Secure your tickets at the Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley, Toronto, Ont.

Crematories are Increasing.

There were cremated last year in the United States 8,158, England 452, Germany 956, Italy 822, France 4,803 (of which 305 were paid for, papers are cremated), Switzerland 217, Denmark 44, Sweden 44.

I was Cured of terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

REV. WM. BROWN.

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MRS. S. KAULBACK.

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Colt and German in America.

Seventy-five per cent. of our foreign-born population in 1900 was of Teutonic and Celtic stock—the very same that made the English, the Scotch, the Irish, the Welsh, and the Americans of these races and of their admixture. It is an error, then, to talk of the American people as a conglomeration of races. There is an American race formed by fusion of the original races that made the English.

Take One of Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills after dinner.

It will promote digestion and overcome any evil effects of too hearty eating. Safe, prompt, active, painless and pleasant. This effective medicine is supplied in the old school nauseous purgatives. 40 doses, 10 cents.—13

The Price of Radium.

Radium, discovered in 1896, was valued at \$5,000,000 a pound, says Harper's Weekly. Its estimated value has since been reduced to \$2,731,559.90 a pound, which is a very material reduction, but the price is still high. We read with interest that a Buffalo man, Stephen T. Lockwood, expects to engage in the manufacture, or extraction, of this interesting substance, and hopes to lower the price still further. His hopes, as reported in the papers, are based on the possession of certain deposits of carnotite in Utah, from which he has been able to extract radium, and which he believes can be induced to give the radium up somewhat easier than the pitchblende from which the radium so far obtained has been extracted. We hope he will succeed. Radium is the most interesting substance yet discovered, though it is, in a little of it goes a great way, and lasts, apparently, forever. We want more of it, for, unlike liquid air, it seems ready to be of use for something besides a museum and speculation.

How Japs Play K'n.

In its most widely practiced form the basis of the game is a small square of paper that the fully stretched hand signifies paper; the fully closed hand, a stone; and two fingers alone extended, the rock. The player, sitting up quite a business, and a few years after he set up shop every organ-grinder in this country had a Brazilian, ring-tailed, cebus monkey.

"He purchases the animals from the dealers at prices ranging from \$25 to \$50 trains them to perform a number of tricks and to collect pennies and sells them to organ-grinders for \$80 and \$125.

"The life of an organ-grinder's monkey is a hard one. They are always well-fed, to be sure, but the hard and incessant roll of dancing, keeping, turning, contortions, and running after coins, from early dawn till late at night, is more, even, than a monkey can stand, and they soon wear out. The fallow of whom a rat spoke told me that it had to be an unusually healthy and robust monkey that could stand three or four years of this business. As a general thing, two years is about the limit, at the end of which time Count Hand Washington Post.

Why Gin Pills?

Gin Pills are called Gin Pills because each pill possesses all the curative qualities of one and a half ounces of the best Holland Gin. As a cure for Kidney trouble however, they have all of the good qualities of Gin, with none of its bad.

All druggists, 50c. per box, 6 boxes for \$2.50 or direct from The Bole Drug Co., Winnipeg, Man.

SUNLIGHT SOAP

Sunlight Soap will not burn the nap off woollens nor the surface off linens.

REDUCES EXPENSE.

Make "Made in Canada" Creditable Monetary Times.

There should be a hint to the laity of clapping oneself on the back, even though this be pleasant. Mr. Preston recently called down a good deal of animadversion upon his head because, seeing that Canadian butter shipped to Britain was as good as that of some other countries. But, was not the temerity to say so. It was not such an action more likely to lead to future perfection than if he had taken the easier course of leaving his fellow countrymen a fool's paradise of self-complacency, which leads to nowhere except commercial distinction. Made-in-Canada should not be a mere passably good article, but ought to be the very best that can be made.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Postal Cards Popular.

Interesting statistics in regard to the use of postal cards have just been published by the International Bureau of Bern. They show that during a year more postal cards are used in Germany than in any other country, the figures which throw light on this point, being as follows: Germany, 1,125,000,000; United States, 670,000,000; Japan, 435,000,000; Austria, 250,000,000; France, 60,000,000; Belgium, 55,000,000; and Switzerland only 43,000,000.

Minard's Liniment relieves Neuralgia.

Preventive Medicine.

In this age of tension every boy should be taught some form of recreation that he will cling to in life. When the thing by which he has made his name or money threatens his very existence, he can turn to this safeguard, and while his mind is pleasantly occupied, regain his physical poise. It may be yachting, canoeing on little rivers, mountain climbing, traveling, horse-back riding, bicycling, tennis, golf, flower growing or some other branch of farming, fishing or hunting. Whatever it may be, the thought and the love of it is better engendered during the formative years, if there is a full understanding that it is to act as running mate to the greater work in life, and is properly and necessarily part of a boy's education.—Youth's Companion.

Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is the best and most reliable cure for Piles, we guarantee you absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding, protruding piles, hemorrhoids, and all other troubles of the rectum. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 50c a box, all druggists or Chase Bros., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

Mrs. Noolwood's Mistake.

Baltimore American.

Mrs. Noolwood—And if I had really thought you down then, would you have given me up?

Noolwood—I should say not. I would have kept right on trying to win you back. If you had thrown me over half a dozen times.

Mrs. Noolwood—My, what a lot of fun I missed!

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff.

The World's Railroads.

Some one has estimated that the aggregate length of the world's railroads was, in 1900, more than half a million miles. The apportionment of mileage to the different countries was as follows: Europe, 180,708; Asia, 41,814; Africa, 14,187; North America, 226,503; South America, 28,634; Australia, 15,649; North America leading. The two continents of the western hemisphere, it will be noted, have more miles of railroad than all the rest of the world together; North America alone more than Europe and Asia together. The additions per year to the world's railroad mileage were, during the six years between 1896 and 1901: 9,796 in 1896; 10,747 in 1897; 10,864 in 1898; 13,580 in 1899; 10,798 in 1900; 16,917 in 1901—1901 having been, as will be seen a phenomenal active year in railroad building.—Harper's Weekly.

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Mrs. Winslow's Cream Soap should always be used for Children's Soaps. It softens the skin, softens the pores, and is the best remedy for Diarrhea.

THE HORSE MARKET

Domestic Bred Horses Only.

Special attention given to the sale of all classes of horses, including heavy, light and draft breeds. A few horses for sale.



KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

All sorts of spavin cures for Spavins, Ringbones, Splints, Ullers, etc., and all forms of Lameness. It cures thousands of cases annually. Guaranteed to give relief in a few days. A few bottles for sale.

Cured two Bone Spavins of Ten Years' Standing.

Dr. J. J. Kendall Co., Elmwood Falls, Vt.

A Case of Sympathy.

Dear Editor—You have used several words here, Mr. Swift, that are not to be found in the dictionary. Utility Man—Oh, well, I wouldn't be too hard on the dictionary maker. They have their failings the same as other folk.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart

acts directly and quickly, stimulates the heart's action, stops most acute pain, dispels all signs of weakness, restoring, smothering, or palpitation. This wonderful cure in the sturdy ship which carries the heart-attack patient into the haven of radiant and perfect health. Gives relief in most acute forms of heart disease in 30 minutes.—1.

Mer Friend.

N. Y. Herald.

"She's all my fancy painted her," The dotting husband said, "Twas a trifling remark, He had but lately been wed, And then his spouse's bosom friend, Who for the swain had played, Replied: "Oh, really, Fancy's then The name of your wife's maid."

ENGLISH SPAVIN LINIMENT.

Removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses; blood spavins, curbs, splints, ringbones, sweetwood, splints, sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc. Save 50c by the use of one bottle. Warrented the most wonderful English cure ever known.

No Disreputable Prisoners.

For almost thirty years the lock-up at Nantasket was unused by any prisoner. During the past summer some Philadelphia visited the jail, having heard that a prisoner had been taken. An old woman, who proved to be the "Jailhouse," greeted the visitors: "Where's the prisoner?" asked one of the party. "I just sent him down to the village on an errand," was the reply. "I shouldn't think that would be wise," ventured the summer boarder. "He might not come back." "Young man," exclaimed the jailkeeper, somewhat testily, "I'd have you understand that we only have respectable prisoners here!"

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other powders, as it is both soap and disinfectant.

West Her One Better.

Brooklyn Life.

"I never saw you in such a becoming hat, my dear. Did you get it ready made?"

"I was just thinking how 'usually' 'etty yours looks. Did you make it yourself?"

YOUR FACE ON BUTTON 25c.

Baby's face or your lady's face on brooch, hair-clip, etc.; beautifully engraved and stamped on button 25c each and returns your photograph and we will send brooch extra. Large size 50 cents. Agents wanted. Photo-Manufacturing Co., Toronto.

The legal duration of a patent in Germany is fifteen years from the date of application, and additional patents expire at the same time as the main patent. Inventions which appertain to articles of food or medicine cannot be patented in Germany.

Why Gin Pills?

ALWAYS SEE THAT THE MATCHES YOU BUY BEAR THE NAME

Our Purloin Brands—"KING EDWARD", "HEADLIGHT", "EAGLE", "VICTORIA", "LITTLE COMET"

Our Sulphur Brands—"Telegraph", "Telephone"

A QUICK, SURE LIGHT by using any one of these brands

FOR SALE by Dealers Everywhere

IRENE COLE MURDERED BY FIEND AT BRANTFORD Jos. Kennedy Arrested Charged With the Crime.

Brantford, Ont., report—Half-submerged in the soggy grass of a thick bush of willows just south of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo station, with face deeply white and limbs and body bespattered with blood, the dead body of little Irene Cole was found by a party of searchers shortly after 7 o'clock to-night. Every indication points to assault and murder, resembling in many details the Glory Whalen crime at Collingwood, which is still fresh in the memory of readers throughout the country. The wildest excitement prevails here, and on the streets the crime is the topic of discussion. A posse of police, assisted by volunteers, now surround the spot in vain effort to find some clue to the perpetrator of the awful crime. Not since the days of the Quirk murder, which still remains a mystery, has such excitement prevailed in this city.

The body when found plainly bore marks of a horrible assault. The clothes were badly torn, and the form was a mass of bruises. The police were at once on the spot and every possible effort was made to guard the scene of the crime. The only trace of the assault was a deeply implanted coatpin near the victim's body. A youth claims he saw a workman, who was laboring on the dyke, beckon to the girl as she passed near by between 3 and 4 o'clock, but he did not wait to see what transpired. Evidently the girl obeyed the summons and was decoyed into the bush and murdered. An inquest will be held to-morrow. The police do not anticipate that an immediate arrest will be made.

The victim, Irene Cole, was the 8-year-old daughter of Peter Cole, who resides in Eagle Place, in the southwestern portion of the city. Some few days ago she fractured her arm, and was forced to remain home from school, carrying the injured arm in a sling. She was a quiet child, and seldom went to school. To-day she strayed away directly after dinner, and at 2 o'clock had not returned. Her mother immediately became anxious, and informed the local police of her daughter's absence. The authorities sent an officer to Eagle Place, and he made an investigation, but was unsuccessful in locating the missing girl. At 3 o'clock the child was absent from home, and the relatives became greatly alarmed. The news spread about the neighborhood, and intense excitement prevailed in all quarters, for the child was well known and generally liked in that part of the city. Peter Cole, father of the child, who is employed at the Massey-Harris Co., was at Falkland, a short distance from his city, and was at once notified of the girl's absence. He returned to the city.

Shortly after 4 o'clock a large searching party was hastily organized, and a dozen men started out to scour the surrounding district in every direction. The discovery was a long and tedious one, and continued until 7 o'clock this evening, when the party searching the willows was encouraged in their hunt by the story told by a boy, who claimed he had seen the victim walking along the dyke in the afternoon. The searchers continued their hunt with renewed energy. Shortly after 7 o'clock the body was discovered in a slight hollow in the thick of the willows. The hair was matted with clay and mud. The chest was black and blue. The assailant had trampled his victim under foot. The limbs were spattered with blood and dirt, and the clothes were badly rent. The victim had evidently died in convulsions, and had vomited profusely in her last moments, as if she had been choked to death.

Sight That Greeted the Father. To add horror to the whole story it was the victim's own father who found her. Going along the trail, and following the narrow path his eyes fell upon the dead form of his daughter, whose deathly features were plainly visible in the glimmering moonlight. Paralyzed by the sudden shock the father fell back into the arms of his companions. The coroner, Dr. Fiesette, arrived on the scene shortly afterwards, and after an examination of the body declared that the girl had been dead about three hours. The assault and murder must therefore have taken place about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The remains were taken in charge by the authorities.

A man named Potter, who is employed at the Waterloo engine works, was followed when he was going to work at 1 o'clock by his two little children. Their mother called them back, and when she did so observed a stranger walking on the dyke not far from where the murder took place. The children as they were coming back saw the man beckoning to the little Cole girl, but neither Mrs. Potter nor the children were able to give any description of him, and the police have little to work on.

Evidently a Struggle. The police are now engaged in searching the vicinity of the scene of the crime. There are several significant facts in connection with the crime which may possibly lead to the clue. Just in the rear of the spot where the body was found are several footprints, which were deeply embedded in the soft soil. The place has every appearance of being the scene of a slight struggle. The footprints were plain and distinct in the immediate vicinity of the body, but little trace could be found of them some distance from it. The prints were those of a good-sized man.

The local authorities are working on the contention that the girl was

first outraged and later was murdered. They claim that the reasons for the murder are due to one of two facts. First, the assailant after the assault feared the girl might recognize him at some future time, and therefore killed her by strangling her to death. Second, the girl knew and recognized her assailant, and he was forced to murder her to cover the traces of his dastardly crime.

An Arrest Made. Brantford, Oct. 6.—Between 1 and 2 this morning the police arrested Joseph Kennedy, a coachman, as being the perpetrator of the crime. The arrest followed information received from Jesse Willoughby, a resident, who, upon hearing the man described, notified the police of seeing Kennedy in the vicinity of the tragedy all afternoon. Kennedy was arrested on the outskirts of the town. When he was examined the police discovered blood stains on his shirt. He will say nothing further than to stoutly deny having committed the crime.

Murderer's Description. The police have issued the following: WANTED—Heavy-set Englishman suspected of the fatal murder of Irene Cole at Brantford. Answers to the following description: Age 35 to 40; height 5 feet 6 inches; weight between 150 and 175 pounds; very red face; dark mustache; wore grey suit, black stiff hat, white collar.

Brantford, Ont., report—The police worked most diligently on the Cole murder case, and at 2 o'clock this morning the first suspect was arrested. He is Joseph Kennedy, an Irishman, from Belfast. He came to Brantford about six weeks ago and has been hanging around the city since, doing odd jobs, but obtaining employment most of the time as a coachman. Kennedy was arrested at Hunt & Colter's livery stable, where he was sleeping, and was taken to the Police Station, where an examination of his clothing revealed a condition which was damning evidence. He was stamped him as the murderer. It was supposed, by reason of the fact that the child's body was covered with blood, and that she had bled profusely from the terrible wounds inflicted, that the perpetrator would also have blood on his clothing. The police were able to obtain but meagre descriptions of the man, and those obtained were applied to perhaps twenty men. Their great hope was in rounding up the murderer before he had had time to remove the evidence of his fearful crime, and they think Kennedy is the man they were looking for.

Kennedy was taken to the police station and examined. He told his name, but refused to say where he had been during the afternoon. His only reply to the questions being "I was in several places." If ever there was a stolid Kennedy was one, but his stolidism could not save him from an examination that brought forth damning evidence. He had 32 cents and some other trinkets in his possession. He wore a grey suit, a grey flannel undershirt, a blue print over shirt, a white celluloid collar. Kennedy was stripped to the naked skin and Dr. Ashton examined him closely. It was easily observable that one part of his body had recently been washed, perhaps within a few hours of his arrest, and others had not. His groin and the upper part of his legs showed the effect of a recent washing, while the upper part of his body, his arms, and his neck did not look as if they had felt water in many a day. As a matter of fact, the prisoner stated that he had not had a bath since he left Ireland. The part of the body that had been washed recently was the part most likely to have been covered with blood on the man who committed the crime. Kennedy's pants had been sponged within a few hours, for they were still damp just below the legs, the spot where the greatest moisture would likely be left by the downward sweep of the sponge or cloth. There had been much blood on the trousers, but it had been partially removed. There were some spots, however, that escaped to a great extent, the sponge, and one spot about the size of a five-cent piece, which had scarcely been touched at all, the blood being dried and clogged. Still further evidence was clearly discernible on the shirt and undershirt. The shirt had several yellow stains such as are left after the marks of blood are sponged with cold water, and on the undershirt was a stain several inches wide which had withstood the effect of a sponging. The heavier part of the stain was on the outside, but the blood had soaked through the flannel and showed a little less distinctly on that part of the cloth next to the skin. If the stains were caused by an abrasion on Kennedy's body, the stain would have been heavier on the inside than on the outside. These are powerful circumstantial evidences, and the police feel pretty certain that they have landed the right man.

Kennedy was not in a talkative mood, but when an ordinary man

under such shocking and fearful circumstances would have shown some agitation, he remained passive and calm, telling those about him that he did not know how the stains got there. He showed no real feeling less than boldness when the medical examination of his body was being made, and did not hesitate to do exactly what Dr. Ashton wished. The officers did not expect such a bearing from a man who was in his predicament, and they do not quite understand it as yet.

Kennedy was a suspect from the first, and Officers Donnelly and Wallace made the arrest. He has been quite often during the past few days in Eagle Place, and it is asserted that he was seen there yesterday. Any one who saw him should not quickly forget him. His face is red, almost florid, and he inclines to corpulence, or his carriage would give one that impression. He is about twenty years old, and nothing is known here of his past.

Charge of Murder. Kennedy was arraigned this morning on a charge of murder, and remained for a week. He pleaded guilty. The coroner's jury also viewed the remains this morning and adjourned until to-morrow evening. Chief Vaughan had his system working admirably. It is difficult to work out there being so many ways on which the murderer might have escaped. A report was sent in that a stranger was seen to run past the station on the train for Buffalo. The police along the line were notified, and one suspect was arrested in Welland. Constables Chapman and Kelker drove out to the Hamilton road, and being thought possible that the murderer had gone along there, and Constable Croome led a search party near Cainsville, but nothing was revealed.

THE DEAR FOOD CRY.

Mr. Chamberlain Says Foreigner Will Pay Tax.

LITTLE LOAF IS A BUGBEAR

London, Oct. 5.—Mr. Chamberlain has written a preface to the second edition of his collected articles on the fiscal question, which appeared in the Telegraph last week. The preface he says: Raising a cry against the taxing of food, they deliberately ignore the fact that a large part of the British revenue is raised by taxes on food and drink, the bulk of which is consumed by the working classes. He points out that in no protected country have prices risen by the amount of protective duty, while the shilling tax on corn in Great Britain did not raise prices at all.

Mr. Chamberlain sums up as follows: "Any duty on food imposed to secure preferential trade with the colonies will be a small one. It probably will be wholly paid, and certainly will be partly paid by the foreigner. The additional cost, if any, to the working classes will be fully met by an equivalent increase in other articles of food equally necessary for their existence. The dear food cry, is an imposture, and the little loaf is a bugbear. The question of tariff reform must be considered on its merits without any fear that the cost of living will be increased to the poor. On the other hand, our tariffs may be revised so as to secure the following advantages: 1. An increase of trade with our fellow subjects, and best customers, who will not only take much more per head from us than they do from foreigners, but will take it in the shape of manufactured goods, the production of which involves the employment of the greatest amount of labor. 2. Power of bargaining with our competitors, thereby securing that they shall take more of the products of our labor in return for the products of their labor, or that they leave the British market more completely to British goods. 3. In either case this change and increased trade with the colonies will provide more employment for our own people and a greater demand for our own labor. 4. If the demand for labor is increased, wages must rise also, and full work at fair prices will enable our manufacturers to pay higher wages without loss to themselves. 5. Lastly, we shall have made a great advance towards the union of the Empire, and taken the first steps towards free trade with the rest of the world."

RETURNED TO OWNERS.

Boers Fast Recovering Their Cherished Bibles.

London, Oct. 5.—Considerable progress is being made with the work in connection with the collection and return of Boer family Bibles found by British officers and men in deserted farm-houses in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony in the course of the recent war. The Bibles are being received at the London headquarters of the Society of Friends which was requested by Lord Roberts to undertake the work of collection and return. As the volumes are received they are registered and then placed in a strong-room. Many of the Bibles are of considerable intrinsic value, apart from the genealogical and sentimental value they possess for their Boer owners. Some of them contain family records dating back well over a hundred years, and owing to the fact that they were the property of Boer settlers, it would be impossible to replace these records from any other source. Descriptions of the books received, or which are known as the result of correspondence to be in England, are being circulated broadcast throughout South Africa, with the result that many of the Bibles have already been claimed, and the claims having been verified, have been restored to their rightful owners. Mr. Morley Spoor, aged 88, died on Sunday night at his home on Wolfe Island, Kingston, where he had lived for almost eighty years. It is not as yet definitely known whether or not the editor of the Christian Guardian, Rev. Dr. G. J. Ross, will give up his position.

THE U. S. CASE CLOSED

Sir Edward Carson Begins His Address.

MR. TAYLOR'S ARGUMENT ENDED

London Cable—Mr. Taylor, resuming his argument on the United States side before the Boundary Commission this morning, said that Russia had three objects in making the treaty: first, to obtain a share; second, that the British should obtain some privileges and concessions; third, that the southern line of the boundary should be the same as that agreed upon with the United States. He dealt with the laws governing the interpretation of treaties, to which he denied that common law rules apply. The dominant purpose of the negotiators was first, to secure the maintenance of the boundary provisions interpreted harmoniously with it. He took up the question proposed to the tribunal and argued that no affirmative evidence was produced and fifty feet, when indications of petroleum were strong. The drillers proceeded seven feet into this oil rock formation, when they discontinued drilling, and proceeded to pump, the oil management being that the rope and tools were thickly smeared with oil. On pumping the well oil and water came together with some gas, which indicates a lasting supply of oil.

FRAUD AND FORGERY ARE CHARGED AGAINST ATLAS LOAN OFFICIALS.

Toronto Report—A startling statement was made yesterday before the Master in Ordinary at Osgoode Hall by Mr. Frank Hunt, a retired farmer of St. Thomas, and a shareholder in the Atlas Loan and Savings Co., having obtained leave from the Master to make a statement, said in part: "I have lost the savings of years. The money intended to keep me in my old age. With others who have suffered through the collapse of these concerns, we desire that you, the Master, come to St. Thomas, that all books and other documents be brought there so as to save us the expense of coming to Toronto, and that you investigate the affair to the very bottom. I wish others believe that fraud, forgery and other offences were committed by someone or some people, and that the man now in jail was not the most guilty. In February last I was told that the reserve fund amounted to \$264,000, that the company did not deal in margins, and that no such dealings would be indulged in. On the faith of this statement I paid in \$3,000. This has all been lost. I am prepared to swear out an information on these lines."

The Master, Mr. Hodgins, was much impressed by the address. He said: "I can assure you, sir, I feel deeply the disaster that has overtaken the prosperity of St. Thomas. It is not a favor that the court will sit in St. Thomas in this matter. It is the court's duty, and duty shall be done. I will make it my business to place the responsibility for all the actions of the company and its officers, and if anything is definitely shown that is criminal I shall at once place it before the proper officer, and criminal proceedings will be at once instituted. Justice, unbiased Justice, will be administered to all alike."

AT MHOW AND INDORE.

Scenes of Horror Baffling Description. Toronto, Oct. 5.—Letters just received from Mhow and Indore describe the situation as "terrible." A letter from Mhow, where the death rate is greater, says in part: "Words cannot describe the terror and desolation of these days. Men, women and children die in great numbers every hour. Men parade the streets wan of face and wasted of figure, and cry in deep spectral tones, 'Bring out your dead; bring out your dead.' The dead are then brought out and laid at the doorways to await their turn to be taken in the carts to the graves. Many bodies are assigned to each grave. The Hindus at Mhow have been forced to cease cremating for the want of wood to burn. Food is most difficult to get, as it is not safe to purchase from the shops, which remain open. The college and all the mission schools are closed at Indore, and organization work is practically at a standstill. Some of the missionaries and an infinite number of the school children have already succumbed to the dread scourge."

A letter from one of the Canadian Presbyterian mission staff at Indore says that Indore is like a city of the dead. All the people are fleeing, and some are dying as they go. Many victims of the disease lock themselves in their houses and die there. The police have been unable to find houses, and often find for sole occupants three or four or five dead bodies. The famine was considered a terrible calamity, but this, the letter says, baffles description.

PITFALLS FOR EMIGRANTS.

Marriage Licenses Too Easily Obtained in Canada. London, Oct. 5.—A correspondent of the Imperial Colonist, relating the romance of a young couple falling in love on the voyage to Canada, says no young girl should go to Canada without having protection of some sort. The leader, referring to the case, says the ease with which marriage licenses can be procured in Canada is stated to be one of the pitfalls awaiting unwary girl emigrants to the West.

\$258,000 From Chinese Poll Tax.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.—The Provincial Treasurer has received from the Chinese Poll Tax, being 50 per cent. of the Chinese head tax, which the Federal Government have remitted to British Columbia, about \$5,000, or \$7,000 to Victoria, and \$2,000 or \$3,000 to Vancouver for the keep of the D'Arroy Island Lascariats.

STIMULATE BRITISH TRADE

Lecture Prepared to be Delivered in the Colonies. London, Oct. 5.—The scheme for stimulating British trade has been extended from the year 1890 to 1903 by experts in various lines of manufacture, to show the progress made by Britain in the manufacture of all classes of machinery goods. Copies of the lecture will be forwarded for reading before the technical schools, trade societies, Chambers of Commerce, colleges, and schools in the British colonies. The Board of Trade and other Government departments are working with the agents-general of the colonies, with a view to arranging a series of lectures before suitable institutions in the colonies.

STRUCK OIL AT FORMOSA.

After Two Years Endeavor, Success Now Seems Assured. Toeswater Report—Excitement is running high in the Village of Formosa, about eight miles from here. Oil was struck at the Formosa Oil Company's well, and the stockholders assured of the fact to-day. The oil rock was reached last Friday at a depth of 1,000 feet, and 250 feet, when indications of petroleum were strong. The drillers proceeded seven feet into this oil rock formation, when they discontinued drilling, and proceeded to pump, the oil management being that the rope and tools were thickly smeared with oil. On pumping the well oil and water came together with some gas, which indicates a lasting supply of oil.

PLAINTIFF TELLS HER STORY

London Report—At the Assizes here to-day, before Chancellor Boyd, the usual monotonous proceedings of a court of law were enlivened by a very interesting case for breach of promise of marriage. The parties concerned belong to the leading families in London, and much interest is manifested in the result. The plaintiff is Miss Ida O'Neil, some 25 years of age. She claims \$5,000 damages. The defendant, Dr. Silk, is a well-known dentist of London. The plaintiff related the story of the doctor's courtship, which extended from the year 1890 to 1903, and from the year 1903, when, without the slightest warning, as the plaintiff claims, he married a Miss Hicks, of Exeter. A bundle of the doctor's letters, teeming with expressions of love, his undying love, was filed as an exhibition, and from these Miss O'Neil asks the Chancellor to sustain her claim. With tears in her eyes, she stated her case, urging that her prospects are blighted, her health ruined, and that now nothing stares her in the face but the prospect of having to earn her own livelihood instead of having the comfortable home which the doctor had always pictured to her. Hearing that the marriage to Miss Hicks was to take place on Monday, she had driven all the way from Exeter to London. There she interviewed the prospective father-in-law, and prohibited the marriage. The father-in-law, after solemnly considering the matter, declined to waive the new title on account of any previous engagement. Miss O'Neil then wrote to the clergyman, ordering him not to proceed. The ceremony was, however, performed, and now Miss O'Neil will receive from the doctor damages as the result of his wretched betwixt beauty and duty, for it is said the successful girl was the belle of her own town.

BALM WAS \$2,000.

O'Neil-Silk Breach of Promise Case at London. London, Oct. 5.—In the O'Neil-Silk breach of promise case at the Assizes to-day the plaintiff, who sued for \$5,000 damages, was awarded \$2,000 by Chancellor Sir John Boyd. The plaintiff herself was the only witness, as the defence admitted the engagement of Dr. Silk to Miss O'Neil, and the only real question being the amount of damages. The Chancellor's statement was as follows: "I have read over the papers and find that a contract of marriage promise is clearly proven. The defendant was engaged to plaintiff, and the courtship lasted over years, when the engagement was deliberately broken off without any legal justification. Defendant gave no explanation for his conduct, nor does the woman he has been seriously affected, and I award damages at \$2,000."

BURNED HIS MOTHER.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 5.—The Russian village of Oro, in the district of Gapsalko, was recently the scene of an extraordinary case of religious mania. A peasant named Johnas Petzman became convinced that the sins of the people demanded a human sacrifice and accordingly offered himself. None of the neighbors were willing to act the part of sacrificial priest. Petzman then concluded that his mother, of whom he was most fond, must be the victim. He reasoned that his mother's name was Eve, and Eve brought sin into the world. Besides no woman's blood had yet been shed for humanity's sake. His neighbors, suspecting Petzman's design, removed his mother to another cottage, but in the dead of night Petzman entered her room by breaking a hole in the ceiling. He stunned his mother with a club, then built a pyre with the furniture and burnt her thereon. The neighbors, aroused by the fire, rushed to the cottage, where they found Petzman perfectly calm and satisfied. He said he had done his duty.

RELY ON COLONIES.

Chamberlain in Letter Calls Them Britain's Best Friends. London, Oct. 5.—Chamberlain, in a letter to a Nottingham manufacturer, says: "The colonies are our best friends. They are large customers for our manufactured goods, and the greatest potential source for our food supply. They are ready to make profitable arrangements by means of which foreigners are gradually closing every trade outlet to us."

MAYOR ROBERT HALL, OF BRANTFORD, TRASHED 31 BUSHELS PER ACRE FROM 95 ACRES OF WHEAT THE OTHER DAY, AND HIS FARM WAS IN THE STORM DISTRICT.

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A London Dentist Sued for Breach of Promise.

PLAINTIFF TELLS HER STORY. London Report—At the Assizes here to-day, before Chancellor Boyd, the usual monotonous proceedings of a court of law were enlivened by a very interesting case for breach of promise of marriage. The parties concerned belong to the leading families in London, and much interest is manifested in the result. The plaintiff is Miss Ida O'Neil, some 25 years of age. She claims \$5,000 damages. The defendant, Dr. Silk, is a well-known dentist of London. The plaintiff related the story of the doctor's courtship, which extended from the year 1890 to 1903, and from the year 1903, when, without the slightest warning, as the plaintiff claims, he married a Miss Hicks, of Exeter.

STRUCK OIL AT FORMOSA.

After Two Years Endeavor, Success Now Seems Assured. Toeswater Report—Excitement is running high in the Village of Formosa, about eight miles from here. Oil was struck at the Formosa Oil Company's well, and the stockholders assured of the fact to-day. The oil rock was reached last Friday at a depth of 1,000 feet, and 250 feet, when indications of petroleum were strong. The drillers proceeded seven feet into this oil rock formation, when they discontinued drilling, and proceeded to pump, the oil management being that the rope and tools were thickly smeared with oil. On pumping the well oil and water came together with some gas, which indicates a lasting supply of oil.

FRAUD AND FORGERY ARE CHARGED AGAINST ATLAS LOAN OFFICIALS.

Toronto Report—A startling statement was made yesterday before the Master in Ordinary at Osgoode Hall by Mr. Frank Hunt, a retired farmer of St. Thomas, and a shareholder in the Atlas Loan and Savings Co., having obtained leave from the Master to make a statement, said in part: "I have lost the savings of years. The money intended to keep me in my old age. With others who have suffered through the collapse of these concerns, we desire that you, the Master, come to St. Thomas, that all books and other documents be brought there so as to save us the expense of coming to Toronto, and that you investigate the affair to the very bottom. I wish others believe that fraud, forgery and other offences were committed by someone or some people, and that the man now in jail was not the most guilty. In February last I was told that the reserve fund amounted to \$264,000, that the company did not deal in margins, and that no such dealings would be indulged in. On the faith of this statement I paid in \$3,000. This has all been lost. I am prepared to swear out an information on these lines."

BALM WAS \$2,000.

O'Neil-Silk Breach of Promise Case at London. London, Oct. 5.—In the O'Neil-Silk breach of promise case at the Assizes to-day the plaintiff, who sued for \$5,000 damages, was awarded \$2,000 by Chancellor Sir John Boyd. The plaintiff herself was the only witness, as the defence admitted the engagement of Dr. Silk to Miss O'Neil, and the only real question being the amount of damages. The Chancellor's statement was as follows: "I have read over the papers and find that a contract of marriage promise is clearly proven. The defendant was engaged to plaintiff, and the courtship lasted over years, when the engagement was deliberately broken off without any legal justification. Defendant gave no explanation for his conduct, nor does the woman he has been seriously affected, and I award damages at \$2,000."

BURNED HIS MOTHER.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 5.—The Russian village of Oro, in the district of Gapsalko, was recently the scene of an extraordinary case of religious mania. A peasant named Johnas Petzman became convinced that the sins of the people demanded a human sacrifice and accordingly offered himself. None of the neighbors were willing to act the part of sacrificial priest. Petzman then concluded that his mother, of whom he was most fond, must be the victim. He reasoned that his mother's name was Eve, and Eve brought sin into the world. Besides no woman's blood had yet been shed for humanity's sake. His neighbors, suspecting Petzman's design, removed his mother to another cottage, but in the dead of night Petzman entered her room by breaking a hole in the ceiling. He stunned his mother with a club, then built a pyre with the furniture and burnt her thereon. The neighbors, aroused by the fire, rushed to the cottage, where they found Petzman perfectly calm and satisfied. He said he had done his duty.

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- CORKS**—We have all sizes for pickle bottles and jars.
- LIME JUICE**—We keep several makes but recommend Brown & Webb's as the best value and finest flavor.

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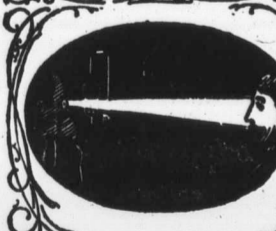
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ALL THE NEWS OF THE TOWN

The Events of the Week

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis are visiting friends in Athens this week.

Men's and Boys' Shirts and drawers, the best value in the trade, at Beach's.

Mrs. Donnelly, of Seely's Bay, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. J. Steyena.

Mr. Gordon A. Rappell is the latest addition to the staff of the Merchants Bank in Athens.

Mrs. Alex Compo returned to New York this week after a visit of several weeks in Athens.

Boys' 3 piece suits in all-wool tweed, good linings, \$3.00, \$4.00, and \$4.50 at Beach's.

We learn with pleasure that Mr. David Dowley is slowly recovering from his recent serious illness.

Union Valley post office has gone out of business, the revenue not being sufficient to justify its continuance.

Mr. John Eaton, of Buffalo, arrived in Athens on Thursday for a visit with his brother and other friends.

The W. F. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Mead on Thursday next at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Live Poultry Wanted—hens, chickens, ducks, turkeys—Monday afternoon—Wilson's Meat Market.

Ladies' cashmere hose, double sole, heel and toe, made of choice pure wool yarn, for 25c, at Beach's.

A little adv't in The People's Column of the Reporter costs only 25c for one week and 10c per week after.

Mr. Howard Geddes returned to Toronto last week to resume his course of study at the Royal College of Dental Surgeons.

Last week Mr. Lewis Washburn's potato patch beat its record by yielding an American Wonder potato weighing 2 lbs. 2 oz.

Call and see women's tailor-made skirts, black, grey and navy blue, \$1.75, \$3.00, \$4.50, and \$5.00, at Beach's.

Thanksgiving Day a week from tomorrow. We notice that in several towns the churches are uniting in holding a service.

Mr. Otis Bullis has been ill for some days at the home of Mr. Lathan, but we are pleased to learn that he is better this morning.

Among those who went to New York from Athens on the excursion this week were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parish and Mr. Jas. K. Redmond.

Recorder: Rev. Mr. Frizell, of Athens, conducted the services in St. John's church on Sunday and his excellent sermons were much enjoyed.

His Honor Judge Reynolds will hold Voters' List Court here for the village on the evening of the 21st and for the township at 9 a.m. on the 22nd inst.

Messrs. Pierce & Witte are placing in stock a large range of new and seasonable goods. Call and see them. Look for announcement in next week's Reporter.

Dr. Moore, L. D. S., as announced last week, has commenced the practice of his profession in the dental office over Lamb's drug store, where he will be pleased to receive patients at any time.

The brick house on Victoria st., vacated a few days ago by Mr. S. S. Holmes, is to be thoroughly renovated and repaired, and will be occupied by the family of Dr. Thompson, V. S.

Last week nine of Athens' students left for their various colleges and universities. When to these is added the three divinity students a very creditable showing is made for a small village.

Butternuts are scarce this year, but there is a great yield of hickory nuts. A party from Athens gathered several bushels in a grove near Foster's Bay, Charleston Lake, a few days ago.

Mr. May, representing the Book Supply Co., Toronto, was in Athens on Monday and the Public Library board ordered from him publications to the value of about \$60.00. These books will be available to the public in about a week.

Mr. Alex Compo is preparing for the winter trade at his restaurant and will shortly have in a supply of choice oysters. He has now in stock a fine lot of confectionery, cakes, bread biscuits, etc., and is ready to serve lunches on short notice.

Go to Beach's for ready-to-wear hats.

Miss May Berney went to Ottawa last week for a visit with friends.

Miss Addie Hunt, professional nurse, of New York, is visiting friends in Brockville.

Mr. M. J. Walker has arrived home from Winnipeg and will resume his medical course at Queen's University.

The large stock of general dry goods, boots, shoes, etc., now in stock at the store of Pierce & Witte, is being sold at very attractive prices.

Strength and vigor come of good food, fully digested. "Force," a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb attended the organ social given by Miss Macnamara and Mr. Craddock in St. John's church, Brookville.

Last week Mr. S. S. Holmes removed his family to the farm at Lake Elroida. He will continue travelling for some months before settling down to the pursuit of agriculture.

A few days ago Mr. Fred Pierce entered into partnership with Mr. Phil. Witte, of the Montreal House, and the business is now being carried on under the firm name of Pierce & Witte. The Reporter wishes the new firm a full measure of success.

It is now proposed to simplify the course of study in the public and high schools. It has always been a dark mystery to ordinary people why a knowledge of the rudiments of a university education was deemed necessary to the teaching of a country school, and this change will be generally welcomed.

On Sunday next the services in the Holiness Movement church will be conducted by Rev. F. McDowell, of Warburton, the morning service to be of a missionary character. The Warburton services will be taken by the Athens pastor, Rev. A. T. Warren. Very encouraging reports are being received of the mission work carried on by the Movement in Egypt.

Since the burning of the cheese box factory at Newboro, Mr. S. Y. Bullis' mill here has had an extra supply of cheese factories to provide with boxes, and the mill staff is compelled to work nights to fill orders. Mr. Bullis is using a special resin coated nail in the manufacture of his boxes, which is very hard to pull out, making the boxes less liable to come apart in handling.

The by-law to authorize the raising of an additional \$3,000 for town hall purposes was quietly turned down by the voters on Thursday last. For a variety of reasons, but little interest was taken in the by-law, and less than half the possible vote was polled. The result was 28 for and 56 against; majority against the by-law, 38. A public meeting to discuss the whole subject would just now prove a very lively and interesting, if not profitable, form of entertainment.

Rev. J. R. Frizell, M.A., has asked to be relieved of his charge of the Presbyterian churches at Athens and Toledo, and a meeting of the Presbytery to consider his request was held at Kemptville yesterday. For some time an affection of the throat with which he is troubled has been growing worse, and he hopes by a change of residence to our Canadian North-West to be greatly benefited. An eloquent, scholarly man, an earnest christian worker, his departure will be deeply regretted by all within and many beyond the bounds of his pastoral charges, and the hope everywhere expressed is that his health may be fully restored by the change he contemplates.

During the discussion of the new Grand Trunk Pacific Bill in the House of Commons a member of Parliament remarked how very few up-to-date maps of the Dominion of Canada were to be found. As a matter of fact, very few homes, or even school-houses, possess such a useful article. It remained for publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal to take advantage of this, and it will not be their fault if every home in Canada is not soon in possession of one. One of the largest premiums this year is a large 22 x 28 in. colored map of the Dominion, with a further enlarged map of this province. It is called a Quick Reference Map, and is well named. The location and population of every town and village is seen at a glance. Every railroad route, including the Grand Trunk Pacific, is seen at once. It ought to be in every home. Every scholar should have it. The Map is only one of three valuable premiums given with that popular paper this year. The others are pictures entitled "Heartbroken" and "Hard to Choose," and are, without exaggeration, the grandest collection of premiums ever given with a newspaper at one dollar per year. That so much can be given for a dollar is marvellous.

Mrs. Massey, of Belleville, en route home from Montreal, was on Sunday the guest of her son, Mr. N. L. Massey, B.A.

Choice Nursery Stock, your own selection, to the value of \$10, may be had in exchange for wood. Apply at the Reporter office.

Mrs. Beach, Mrs. Massey and Miss Alexina Earl are this week attending the meeting of the Montreal branch of the W.M.S. at Morrisburg.

The annual county convention of Leeds W. O. T. U. will be held in Brookville, Tuesday, Oct. 13, when Miss Sproule, the missionary from New Ontario, will address the public evening meeting.

The Rev. F. G. Kirkpatrick, M.A., Rector of Newbyrne and Lombardy, was a visitor at the Rectory on Sunday and preached a most eloquent and practical sermon at Evensong in Christ Church.

On Friday afternoon last the barns of Mr. Delmer Kilborn, Plum Hollow, were entirely destroyed by fire. His threshing had been done and the whole harvest of the year was lost. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Dr. J. T. Wright, of Plevna, was a visitor at the Rectory during the past week and attended the Delta and Lyndhurst Fairs and enjoyed meeting his many old friends. He left for home on Saturday morning.

Anniversary services will be conducted in the Baptist church next Lord's Day. Rev. M. C. McLean, B.A., of Arrnprior, will preach at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mrs. J. F. Dingman, a popular gospel singer of Toronto, will sing at both services. Special offerings will be taken to apply on church debt.

Special evangelistic services will be carried on in the Baptist church each evening next week (Saturday excepted) beginning at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. McLean and Mrs. Dingman have kindly consented to remain over for a week or more to assist in this effort to win lost ones to Jesus. Come, pray, work, for "the night cometh when no man can work."

On Saturday afternoon Miss Geraldine Eyre marked the anniversary of her eighth birthday by entertaining a large number of her young friends to tea. A variety of games, gramophone music, songs, recitations, etc., filled the afternoon full of pleasure without alloy, and then followed a tea that delighted the hearts of the children. An elaborately trimmed birthday cake was the central figure of this festive of the party, and on leaving for home in the early evening each little girl was given a piece of it as a souvenir of the happy event.

The Eganville Star-Enterprise announces the marriage of Rev. J. R. H. Warren, rector of the Anglican parish at Pakenham, to Miss Charlotte Louise Harrington, of Ottawa. The bride was given away by His Excellency the Governor General, and among the gifts was a beautiful sterling silver five o'clock tea service from His Excellency and the Countess of Minto. This marriage is of local interest, as the groom is a brother of the pastor of the Holiness Movement church, Athens, Rev. A. T. Warren.

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VOTERS' LIST COURT
Municipality of the Township of Rear Yonge and Escott, 1903

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to The Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honour, the Junior Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, at the town hall of the township of the Village of Athens on the 2nd day of October, 1903, at nine o'clock a.m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of the Rear Yonge and Escott for 1903.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place. Dated this 28th day of September, A.D. 1903.

R. E. CORNELL,
Clerk of the said Municipality

PUBLIC WARNING

The publishers of The Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, warn the public regarding an offer made by certain papers in which another Montreal paper, with a somewhat similar name to The Family Herald, is offered in a clubbing combination. It is reported to the publishers that in some cases the offer has been accepted under the impression it was The Family Herald and Weekly Star that would be received. The paper in question has no connection whatever with The Family Herald and Weekly Star. It is the Family Herald and Weekly Star that is offering the handsome premium pictures and large coloured map of the Dominion as premiums. The word "FAMILY" should be used when addressing that paper. This caution should have the effect of putting people on their guard.

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To health and happiness is Scrofula as ugly as ever since time immemorial. It causes bunnies in the neck, disfigures the skin, inflames the mucous membrane, wastes the muscles, weakens the bones, reduces the power of resistance to disease and the capacity for recovery, and develops into consumption.

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