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The Athens

COUNTY OF LEEDS ADVERTISER.

Athens, Leeds County, Ontario, Wednesday, April 12, 1897.

Brockville Business Office. Still They Come and Still They Go!

A.M. CHASSELS. The Old Reliable House. Tweeds and Worsteds.

HOUSEKEEPERS. Prudent Purchasers. R. J. SEYMOUR.

WHEN YOU'RE LOOKING FOR GOOD AND CHEAP SHOES. D. W. DOWNEY'S Big One Price Bargain Cash Shoe House.

To Salmon Fishers. Best Salmon Bait to be found in the Dominion.

OUR OWN MAKE. mounted with almost unbreakable wire, plated, and best hooks obtainable in England.

Wm. Coates & Son JEWELERS & OPTICIANS. STILL IN ATHENS. Doing a Good Business.

PHOTOGRAPHS. The subscriber will be in Athens a couple of months.

Blouses. No season previous have Blouses had such an innings as this time and you will find at this store Stylish Lines at prices you ought to pay.

NOVELTIES IN BLOUSES. Prints and Fancy Crimped Cloth. Linen Lawns in Linen Colors.

BLOUSE MATERIALS. Just passed into stock Saturday night colorings Fancy Shot Effect Blouse Silks.

ROBERT WRIGHT & CO. BROCKVILLE. LEWIS & PATTERSON. Big Values for This Week.

SHOES, CHEAP SHOES. R. NEILL'S, BROCKVILLE. Having bought the entire stock of a manufacturer, we are selling them so that you can Save from 50c. to \$1.00 per Pair.

At NEILL'S - The Largest Shoe Dealer in Ontario. Brockville, April 27, 1897.

Fine ROSES. AT THE GREENHOUSES OF J. HAY & SONS, BROCKVILLE. Florists and Decorators.

THE WAR ABOUT OVER. Greek Government Said to Be Willing for Mediation. Col. Paves Has Arrived at Athens.

THE STOCK MARKETS ARE RYANT AND BUSINESS IS IMPROVING. New York, May 9. - The London correspondent of the Sun says that the language of Mr. John Morley, with the Sultan laughing at Greece.

THE MILITARY OFFICERS INVITED TO GO TO LONDON. Ottawa, May 7. - (Special.) - The full list of officers invited to accompany the Premier in his tour of inspection.

DIAMONDS ARE ALIVE. Chicago, May 8. - Professor Edward Von Holst, who has lately returned from Europe and taken up his abode at the University, will shortly make public the details of the discovery.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8. - Rev. Dr. W. H. Furness, of the First Presbyterian Church in this city, who has just returned from a tour in the West.

PROVIDA, May 8. - The Volksraad yesterday afternoon adjourned after the discussion of Mr. Charnier's Bill.

ANNAS CITY, Mo., May 8. - Major H. McNamara, a veteran of the Fenian army, which invaded Canada in 1866, and again in 1870, has been prominent in the Fenian movement.

ST. THOMAS, May 8. - The Dominion Government steamship Petrol arrived at Port Stanley from London last night.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT. Session Summary of Its Doings for the Week Past. Ottawa, May 8. - The proceedings in the House to-day opened in an unusual manner.

ANOTHER RALLY IN WHEAT. Foreigners Bought in American on Saturday. Toronto, May 8. - A decidedly bullish factor in wheat in the afternoon of the 7th inst.

THE WEATHER. - A storm winter was milder than last year. - A storm winter was milder than last year.

OTTAWA, May 8. - The attendance of the House to-day was fairly good. Bills introduced to-day were Sir John A. Macdonald's Bill for the Queen's birthday.

OTTAWA, May 6. - The first incident in the history of the House was the presentation of Mr. McLean's motion for a resolution.

OTTAWA, May 7. - At today's session of the House a number of private bills were advanced.

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Fisher's Carriage Works

No Cheap Stock Used

The subscriber begs to inform the general public that he has on hand and is constantly manufacturing a line of Carriages superior to any he has ever made.

Victoria St. D. FISHER

\$10.00 year in advance, \$1.25 if not paid within 6 months. R. LOVERIN, Prop'r

Brockville Business Office advertisement with logo and contact info.

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A.M. CHASSELS advertisement for clothing.

The Old Reliable House advertisement for tweeds and worsteds.

W. A. LEWIS advertisement for a notary.

BROWN & FRASER advertisement for real estate.

C. C. FULFORD advertisement for a barrister.

T. R. BEALE advertisement for a barrister.

D. G. PEAT, V.S. advertisement for a veterinarian.

J. McALPINE, D.V. advertisement for a veterinarian.

AGENTS advertisement for various goods.

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Col. Vassos Has Arrived at Athens-The Powers Will Insist That Greece Shall Have No Say in the Settlement-Turks Reconsidering Around Balkans.

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My Neighbor Told Me advertisement for a medicine.



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Two little children, weeping sore,
Went wandering through the streets.

OUR FATHER DIED A YEAR AGO,
And mother looks a little old,
And when we asked her where he was,

DEAR MOTHER, CRIB FOR HER ALL DAY,
We want to see your mother in,
Is Heaven so very far away?

FOUR LITTLE CHILDREN AT HEAVEN!
Some little wails on life's bleak shore,
Some day you'll see your loved ones there.

HUMAN WHEELS.
Who Trains the Triple Semanant Counts
Almost Certain Death.

THE FIRST THING WHICH THE TUMBLER
Wants to do is to jump the board,
The second is to land on the ground.

THE TRUCK WHICH CONSISTS OF GRAPING
Both legs tightly half way between
The axle and the wheels.

THE DOUBLE SEMANANT REQUIRES MORE
To do than any other kind of man,
He has to be a horse and a mule.

IT IS THE EDITION KITECOOPER TO
REEL OFF FIFTY FEET OF NEGATIVES IN
A SINGLE HOUR.

IN GREECE, WRITING PROFESSOR GILBERT
LIVES IN THE ATLANTIC MONDLY,
THE HOUSE OF THE ITALIAN.

THE GREEK EXPERIMENT IS POPULAR EDUCATION.
Such an engine has never been available
for such a purpose before.

THE LIBRARIAN.
The Bookish "Admirable Critique"
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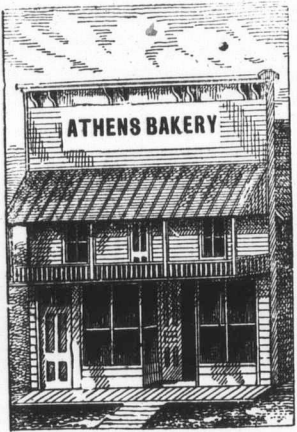
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### Hard Study in School.

BRINGS ON A SEVERE ATTACK OF  
ST. VITUS' DANCE.

**A Young Girl's Life for a Time Made Miserable—Could not use Her Hands and Found it Difficult to walk—Health Restored.**

From the Napanee Express.

Nervousness is the frequent cause of much misery and suffering. One of the effects of this breaking up of the nerves, particularly among young people, being chorea or St. Vitus' dance. A correspondent tells of a young lady at Selby who was badly afflicted with this trouble. He says: "I never saw anyone suffering so badly before from nervous disorder. She was violently jerking and twitching all the time, and could not use her right hand at all. Anything she would try to pick up with it would instantly fall. When she would attempt to walk, her limbs would twist and turn, the ankle often doubling down and throwing her. Lately I heard that she had been cured, but doubted the truth of the statement and went out to see her. The state-



ment proved quite true, and believing that a recital of the facts of the case would be of advantage to some one similarly suffering, I asked permission to make them known, which was readily granted. The young lady is Miss H. M. Gonyou, a general favorite among her acquaintances, and it is thought that her trouble, as is not infrequently the case, was brought on by hard study at school. Miss Gonyou gave the following statement: "All through the fall of 1894 I had been feeling unwell. I did not speak to anyone about it, for I was going to school and was afraid if I said anything about it to my parents they would keep me at home. I kept getting worse, and at last got so nervous that I could not hold my pencil. My right side was affected most, though the trouble seemed to go through my whole system. In January I was so bad that I had to discontinue going to school, and I was constantly growing worse. I could not use my hands, because I would let everything drop, and frequently when I attempted to walk I would fall. My brother had been using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for getting better, so I thought as they were helping him so much they might be a good medicine for me. Before the first box was gone I was feeling much better, and after using the Pink Pills for about a month, my health was fully restored. It is now more than a year since I discontinued the use of the pills and I have not had the slightest trace

of the malady since. I am satisfied that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved me from a life of misery, and I would strongly recommend them for nervous troubles. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills create new blood, build up the nerves and thus drive disease from the system. In hundreds of cases they have cured, and thus establishing the claim that they are a marvel among the triumphs of modern medical science. The genuine Pink Pills are sold only in boxes bearing the full trade mark, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." Protect yourself from imposition by refusing any pill that does not bear the registered trade mark around the box.

### Cold Storage.

Before the committee on Agriculture at Ottawa, Thursday, Prof. Robertson gave evidence on the subject of food products, especially butter, meats, eggs, poultry and fruits, and the value of cold storage in this connection. He laid down as a maxim that it was not the composition of the article, but its condition that determined its value. Butter, for instance, with a strong flavor and in a misty condition, had just as much fat as butter with a good flavor and looked neat. He pointed out the great value of the English market. The reason we sent so much more cheese than butter to the English market was because butter spoiled in transit while cheese did not. The new cold storage system was to try to alter the condition as to perishable products.

Mr. Robertson announced that the cold storage arrangements included a weekly service from Montreal and a fortnightly one from St. John, Halifax and Charlottetown. P. E. I. Trial shipments of a carload per week of peaches, grapes and tomatoes have been arranged for from a cold storage building erected by the Government at Grimby. Cold storage buildings will be erected also at Charlottetown, St. John and Halifax. The ocean vessels will have mechanical refrigeration. Two men will be appointed to go to England to facilitate the distribution of Canadian perishable products. The extra charge for refrigeration on the ocean vessels will be 12 cents per hundred pounds.

### Temperance Lake Honor Roll.

- FOURTH—Milton Hunt, Rosie Towliss.
  - THIRD—Delmer Hunt, Grace Avery, Lydia Burnham, John Avery.
  - SECOND—Allan Earl, Ernest Reynolds, Annie Williamson.
  - PART II—Willard Burnham, Clifford Burnham.
  - PART I—Hester Burnham, HELENA FRANKLIN, Teacher.
  - Report S.B. No. 13, Yonge.
  - Sd. IV.—George Hickey, Helen Hudson, Frances Hudson.
  - Jr. IV.—Stella Hickey, James Cox, Mary E. Keyes, Mary A. Shea.
  - III.—William Cox, Thos. Hudson, Jas. Hudson, Augusta Leader.
  - II.—Arthur Cox, Ambrose Shea, John Leader, Irvin Keyes, Harry Keyes.
  - I.—Ross Ann Cox, Harry Leader, Ursula Shea, Agathe Cox.
- Those marked \* received special marks for regular attendance.  
JAMES COBY, Teacher.

### To The Lovers of Purty.

Four important reforms are now under consideration at Ottawa: (1) Age of Protection, (2) Lotteries, (3) Race Gambling, and (4) Kinestoscope Exhibitions. If we do not act promptly it will be too late; for if the House passes the bill amending the criminal code, these reforms, which we desire to have introduced, cannot be considered for another year.

### AGE OF PROTECTION.

For years the W.C.T.U. has made its appeal to the Dominion Legislature for the better protection of women and girls. We have now reason to believe that the age of protection will be raised from 16 to 18 years, if sufficient pressure is brought to bear upon the Government. In fact, our message has been, "If the people want it and say so, they can have it." To raise this bill has reached its second form of opposition or support. Now is the time to speak out in its favor.

### LOTTERIES AND RACE GAMBLING.

Both these evils are on the increase in Canada, and our laws are wholly inadequate to cope with them. The United States is far in advance of us in this respect. Do we want in Canada legalized Race Gambling, the latter for 24 days per track each year? Our Legislators say "The public has shown no opposition to the proposals to legalize and license."

### KINESTOSCOPE.

Then, we are threatened with a new danger—the reproduction by the kinestoscope of the notorious Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight, immoral dances and other things of like character. Such exhibitions could not fail to foster the most brutal of instincts, and to destroy the moral tone of those who witness them. The United States Senate and House of Representatives for the territories and some six of the state legislatures have now under consideration bills to prohibit this form of entertainment. Parents should especially be on the alert to protect their children from this insidious foe. What can we do? Let every elector write at once to his representative in the House at Ottawa, plead for the raising of the age of protection to eighteen years; for the total suppression of lotteries and race gambling; the prohibition of the exhibition by the kinestoscope, or kindred device, of prize fights, high dances or any pictures of a debasing tendency. We would, if we could, banish at once and forever, every injustice and wrong under which poor humanity groans. Since we cannot, let us continue to utter our protests, not in anger, but in sorrow, against the liquor traffic, the house of shame, the gambling den, and everything in literature, art and fashion that tempts our youth or pollutes our homes. "And be not weary in well doing, for in due season ye shall reap if ye faint not." PRESS SUPPL.

### AN INSURANCE MAN'S STORY.

J. J. Hannatty, Inspector for the Standard Life Assurance Co. at Peterborough, cured of Muscular Rheumatism by the Great South American Remedy Cure—It Turns the Mightiest of Suffering into Mildty Brightness of good Health—These are His Words: I was a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism in my arm; so much so that for days at a time I could not sleep. I walked the floor in pain the greater part of the night. I procured a bottle of South American Rheumatic Cure and found great relief after a few doses. It's sure and I heartily recommend it. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

### HARLEM.

MONDAY, May 10.—Quite a number from here attended the camp meeting at Shelton's Corners on Sunday. Messrs. Ferguson and Smith, Marickville, erected a fine stone in the Harlem cemetery on Wednesday last at the grave of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hannah and daughter. No service was held here on Sunday last, on account of the quarterly service at Chantry. Miss Leisha Gorman has been visiting the past two weeks with friends in Toledo.

### LIKE SUFFERERS ONLY KNOW.

Dr. Scriver, Carpenter, of Hastings, was a Great sufferer from Kidney Disease—South American Kidney Cure Effected a Quick Cure—It Dissolves and Eradicates all Solid Matter From the System—Is Safe and Permanent. "For many years I have been troubled with kidney disease, necessitating the taking of much in the way of remedies. Two years ago they were of no avail. My urine was more like blood than anything else, and was very painful. Just at that time I began using South American Kidney Cure. It gave me immediate relief, and from that time till now I have had no difficulty. I can safely and honestly recommend this great remedy to all persons suffering from kidney trouble." Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

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### COUNTY NEWS.

#### A Budget of News and Gossip, Personal Intelligence—A Little of Every-thing Well Mixed Up.

**TEMPERANCE ITEMS.**  
TILLY. Owing to much rainy weather, the farmers in this vicinity have not done much of their seeding as yet. Mr. Jonathan Nunn started for Manitoba last Friday, where he has a situation as butter-maker during this season. The creamery being closed, the milk now is taken to the cheese factory. Mrs. E. Earl is progressing nicely. Miss Bullis has resumed her duties in the school-room, having spent her Easter holidays at her home in Athens. Miss Hillard Earl and Harry Nunn spent Monday at Athens.

#### FRONT OF YONGE.

MONDAY, May 10.—We would like to hear from the correspondent at Orchard Villa. Mr. Thomas Dickey and wife are visiting at Escot, and while there will be the guests of Mr. Edward Hollingsworth. The tramp is still on the road and very anxiously awaiting work to turn up. An old man in the person of John Hodge, living near Mallorytown, died on Saturday last at the age of 75 years. Mr. Wilcox of McIntosh Mills is visiting friends and relatives at Rockport, situated on the beautiful St. Lawrence river.

#### GLENBUELL.

Fine weather prevails at present and the farmers are hustling along with their seeding, etc. Our cheese factory is manufacturing daily now with an increase of milk over last season, Stewart & Andrews being the able managers. Miss Lucy Hall is able to be around again, after a severe attack of sickness. Mrs. R. G. Sturgeon had a sewing bee on Saturday afternoon, which was a good success. A number of our free-hearted women were in attendance. Mr. T. Willis, of Carleton Place, was the guest of his brother-in-law, John Sturgeon, last week. C. J. Gilroy attended the annual meeting of the cheese board in Brockville on Thursday, and a number of farmers from this vicinity also attended. Miss Jennie Lynn of Brockville visited her brother, Hamilton Lynn, on Sunday last.

C. J. Gilroy and David Dack attended the Quarterly Board at Lyn on Monday last. Rumor states a wedding here in the near future. Most of all of our young people attended the pie social held at Willstown recently, given under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance. All report having spent a pleasant evening.

### WE CONGRATULATE MR. JAMES FOLEY,

who has become an agent for the Page Wire Fence Co. Mr. Foley is busily employed taking orders for the improved fence. We would like our neighbors to patronize him as he is an honest and upright dealer in every respect. Wilcox and Andrews delivered their first load of cheese boxes here on Friday for the season. Mrs. R. G. Sturgeon is slowly improving from her severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. A. Cummings of Brockville delivered a very interesting discourse on Sunday evening last. A good audience was in attendance. Walter Andrews visited his relatives in Brockville on Sunday. Alvin Gilroy and his wife and son, Morris, visited relatives at Athens on Sunday. Levi Munroe of Addison bought a carload of hops in this vicinity last week. He was paying \$4.90 for them. Mr. William Cummings is the guest of his brother, Robert, of this place.

### TOLEDO.

MAY 10.—Mrs. D. Clark is very ill. Mr. N. H. Beecher spent last week at Charleston Lake. Mr. McClean is on the sick list. On Tuesday night, May 4th, the village band serenaded Mr. Gee, our new baker. Mr. Gee treated the boys in fine style, and declared that he would be a warm supporter of the Band on all occasions. Mr. J. Foster and Dr. Ferguson spent a day last week at Charleston Lake. They got a pile of fish (so they say). Mr. F. Stratton has returned from Ottawa, where he has been visiting friends. Our third bakery is now running in full blast, under the skillful management of Mr. Gee. He is giving great satisfaction. On Saturday night last a large crowd assembled on our streets to listen to the excellent music furnished by our Band. They boys have made great advancement during the winter, under the leadership of Prof. Wood, and are in fine shape for this year's work.

Mr. J. J. Dickey a prominent cheese buyer, who has returned from a trip to England, is convinced that there is an enormous market for Canadian butter in England, but it must be of the best quality, and be sold as soon as made. There must be no hold-it-for-raise in the market. Dealers there complain of a blue mould on the Canadian butter, which they attributed to green wood in the cases.

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COUNTY NEWS.

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NEWBORN

MONDAY, May 10.—Several steam boats have passed through here en route for Kingston and Ottawa, which were well loaded with passengers.

The Citizens' Band will run an excursion to Kingston on the 24th. Miss Gortie Kerr has been the guest of her brother, Mr. J. R. Kerr, for the past week.

Mr. R. D. Dargavel, who has been attending Queen's College, is now home for his vacation.

The steam boat, Jopl, is being nicely improved this spring, and will soon be completed.

J. C. Eaton, music instructor, has been engaged to lead the Citizens' Band for another year.

The probabilities are that there will be a good celebration here on July 12th.

The Division Court on Thursday last was very short. It lasted only about an hour. Are people getting wise or hard up?

MALLORYTOWN. John Hodge died at his home on the 8th inst. He was one of the old settlers of this place, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The temperance people of this vicinity have formed a committee to look after the illegal whiskey sellers. They have secured the service of Bailiff W. I. Mallory to assist in the matter. It has been handled very loosely in the past.

The Oddfellows of this place paid St. Lawrence Lodge, Brockville, a visit on the 6th inst. They report having a fine time.

Mr. R. H. Fields of Addison paid Malloxytown a flying visit on Sunday, the 9th. Quarterly service was held in the

LOCAL SUMMARY.

The Citizens' Band will probably spend the Queen's Birthday at Charlton Lake. Miss Minnie Crawford, who teaches near Lyndhurst, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Abner's cheese-makers have nearly gone to their factories. Last week Mr. S. Boyce went to L'Original, Mr. O. Wing to Danville, and Mr. Cyrus Trickey to Manitoba.

A mining expert, Mr. Pope, of the Kingston mining school, has been looking over some properties at Westport and took away a number of samples for testing.

It is advertising necessary! Of course it is; neither is the telegraph, nor the limited train; but when it comes to making quick connections it's mighty useful.

It is altogether likely that the banks all over Canada will follow suit with the government, and after the first of July, reduce the rate of interest on deposits to three per cent.

Mr. F. J. Beale's beautiful steel grey trotting colt, Prince Harry, who will manage this season by Mr. John Hudson. Bills advertising the route of this horse were circulated last week.

Charles Lake, ever a popular resort on public holidays, promises to be unusually attractive on the 24th of May. Arrangements have been made for boat racing, running, jumping, and for which liberal prizes will be given. See local bills for particulars.

A charge of offensive partizanship having been made against Mr. T. Berney, Athens postmaster, His Honor Judge Wilkinson of Napanee, to whom the case was referred by the Post Office Department, has appointed Wednesday, 19th inst., as the day on which he will take evidence respecting the matter. The enquiry will take place in Athens.

Mr. A. W. Campbell, who has been chosen by the Ontario Government to give the people of the province some much needed instruction on the subject of road-making, was in Ottawa this week and in an address said that most of Ottawa's streets were worse than country roads. He declared that the past council and the city engineer was a disgrace, and that the city purveyors methods a century behind the times.

A canvass of the town in the interest of the Mechanics' Institute is now being made by Mr. J. Tate Kitts, and we learn that he is not meeting with that degree of success which the worthy nature of the cause he advocates would warrant.

There was an unusually large attendance at the quarterly meeting of the Methodist church on Sabbath morning, many from country appointments being present.

Ex-President Grover Cleveland is going up the Gatineau this summer on a fishing trip. He will locate in the district occupied by the Reporter hunting party three years ago.

In fitting up his steam pleasure yacht last week, Mr. W. G. Parrish had that water had been left in the hull part of the bed-plate of the engine and that the frost had cracked it. A new plate is being obtained from the makers, the John Gillies Co., Carleton Place.

Mr. William Scott of Addison met with a serious accident last week. While slaughtering a sheep his knife slipped and struck him in the forehead, inflicting a long gash. Dr. Cornell found it necessary to put in several stitches in order to close the wound.

On returning from Charlton on Friday last, Messrs. Buell and Code of Brockville left their horse in front of Mr. Judson's grocery while they attended to some business up town. The horse took fright at a noise made by a lumber wagon coming behind it, broke the tie-chain, and started for the country town. Its start was witnessed by a number of men and it headed off at Dobbs' livery, but it declined to return and having upset the buggy it circled around the street and onto the sidewalk in a way that threatened total destruction to the whole outfit. Mr. Judson finally secured the runaway, when it was found that very little damage had been done, and after the camp equipage, fish, etc., had been gathered up the travellers were able to proceed on their way.

At the residence of Mr. Russell Bates, Elbe, on Tuesday night, a grand-daughter, Miss Edith Bates, was married to Mr. Geo. Slack, in the presence of only a few intimate friends, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. Scanlon. After receiving the congratulations of their friends, the happy couple were driven to Brockville where they took the train for the home of the groom in Manchester, N.J., going via Montreal. Both bride and groom are well known and highly esteemed in this section and have the best wishes of a host of friends for their future happiness and prosperity.

The Athens Citizens' Band have been praised by press and public wherever they have appeared, and termed a credit to the village to which they belong. Now, what we want is, let every citizen take hold and help this organization by contributing towards its support. An average of 25 cents apiece will put the band in a good state financially. Give your support and we will give you a music, intended calling on every citizen in a few days and hope to be received in a cordial manner. I remain yours in the Band work, CRAWFORD SLACK, Pres.

Presbyterian Women Pleas'd. The members of the W. E. M. Society of the Presbyterian Church here were satisfied with the report of the Annual Meeting given in last week's Canada Presbyterian. It extends to nearly five pages, affords a comprehensive view of what appears to have been the best meeting of the highly successful society in the twenty-one years of its existence. The Canada Presbyterian is a well-conducted journal, and merits the large circulation it enjoys. In its pages interesting topics are discussed by ministers and laymen of the denomination. The publishers offer The Presbyterian 1st 31st December next for one dollar.

Victoria Day. If the measure now before parliament passes the Queen's birthday will take on a new name and a significance. Hereafter it will be Victoria Day, and will be continued as a holiday without reference to the limitation of the queen's life. It is not every one who understands how the present holiday came to be observed, and Senator Scott is to be thanked for the investigation he made into the facts and the light he has been able to give upon the subject. Speaking in the senate on Thursday he said: "The birthdays of William IV and George IV were never observed. If any motion to observe George IV's birthday had been made it would not have been acquiesced in. There was no regard for the day that was observed on Thursday, 24th inst. It was observed on Thursday, June 4th. On May 24th, 1850, the house was in session, and an ugly debate was springing up, when some one called attention to the fact that it was Queen Victoria's birthday. Allan McNab moved that the orders of the day stand and the house adjourn, and since then the Queen's birthday has been observed."

Arbor Day (last Friday) was not observed in Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Stevens of Delta were recently the guests of Mr. D. Parich.

Experience proves the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures all forms of blood diseases, tones the stomach, builds up the nerves.

The Chamberlain, Inspector of Prisons and Asylums, called on friends in Athens last week. He had been visiting Mrs. Judd at Morton and reported the aged lady as in very poor health.

The Odd Fellows are taking steps to arrange a programme in connection with the unveiling of the Old Fellows' monument in Oakland cemetery on June 22, which promises to be a memorable event.

A merry-go-round opened up business here on Tuesday and is being liberally patronized. It is thought by many that the tax on this form of entertainment at present imposed is altogether too small.

Recorder.—Mrs. L. A. Betts, who has been in the General Hospital for some time, returned home on Saturday. She is gaining rapidly. Mr. and Mrs. Betts will shortly take up their residence at Union Park for the season.

The officers of the Methodist Sabbath school, recently appointed are: Mr. D. Fisher, superintendent; Mr. A. W. Blanchard, assistant superintendent; Mrs. Dora Cline, secretary; Mr. A. J. Cairns, treasurer.

Geo. Spicer died at the Industrial Home on Monday last, aged 65 years. Deceased came from Kempsville to the Home in February, 1896. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. J. Scanlon and the interment took place at the burial plot on the farm.

Mr. G. W. Ross, the Ontario Minister of Education, in an address to the students and staff of the Normal and Model schools at Ottawa, said that the Normal school term would in a short time be extended to at least ten months, so that the teachers might receive a proper and much desired training.

Mr. R. Welster of Westport writes the Reporter suggesting that a few clergymen from each province be added to the representative escort that will accompany the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier and leading members of parliament to London next month. He thinks that the force which makes and keeps peace should receive this recognition at the public expense as well as that which we would rely upon in the event of war.

Dr. Birkett, of Montreal, has succeeded in removing a large tumor attending the case of Miss Anne McDonald, a teacher in the Lancauter Public school. Miss McDonald swelled the tumor when she was a little child, eighteen years ago. Evidently it had remained lodged in the passage of the bowels, and it was the throat where it was found. It caused her considerable trouble for some time past. Surgeons say the case is almost without a parallel.

On Monday last Sarah Tanna, widow of the late J. Collins, died suddenly at the home of her son-in-law, Wm. Gray at Glen Bell. Though 87 years of age, Mrs. Collins was quite active on the morning of her death was engaged in moving a bed upstairs. At the foot of the stairs she fell on the mattress and died instantly. Deceased came to Canada from New York state many years ago, and during the last four years of her life had made her home with Mr. Gray. The funeral takes place to-day at the Brockville cemetery.

According to the report of the Minister of Education for 1896, the children attending the schools in Ontario, the number of parents engaged in mercantile pursuits numbered 5,834, of farmers 7,783, of mechanics 5,812, and of persons in the professions 2,027. 1,209 entered mercantile pursuits, 1,112 returned to the farm, 500 to the professions, 1,906 became teachers, and 1,807 went to other callings. The figures respecting callings taken up by pupils, probably except in the case of teachers, account only for boys.

We are in receipt of the Presbyterian Year Book for 1896. It will prove a valuable work of reference on Presbyterian matters, to business men and others, and will be found quite indispensable to office-bearers and members of the Presbyterian Church all over the Dominion. Fine portraits of the Moderator, Rev. Dr. Gordon of Halifax, and Rev. Warden, the recently appointed Western Agent of the Church. The book is exceedingly well printed. Price 25c. Presbyterian Publishing Co., Ltd., 5 Jordan street, Toronto.

There is a seemingly well authenticated rumor around town this week that a couple of our citizens have made an important mineral discovery in the vicinity of Charlton Lake.

For the past month or two frequent visits have been made by these two citizens to an unknown locality, and on Monday morning they left the village in the early twilight and did not return until late at night. Tuesday morning a representative of the Reporter interviewed the parties and learned that they had such faith in the prospects presented by their search for mineral that they had purchased the lot on which the find is located, and were then looking for a tent and tools to at once proceed with the opening up of their claim. They assert that the show of metal exceeds their most sanguine expectations and they have both worked in the Sulphury and Rat Portage mines. They expect to get an opening made on their claim in a few days when the Reporter will personally visit the locality and give our readers a full account of the find and the prospects of success. At the present time, we are not at liberty to divulge the location or the kind of mineral the parties claim to have discovered.

Fine Cheese Outlook. A healthy feature in the present situation is the absence of old stocks which last year proved a glut on the market right into June. Private advices from Bristol state that a healthier demand for Canadian cheese has been experienced, several good sized lines of finest old having changed hands at 50s to 60s. London private advices also speak of an improved enquiry for Canadian cheese at 57s to 58s for finest.

The following is an extract from a private letter dated London, April 16, 1897: "I am of the same opinion I expressed to you on the 9th inst.

namely, that there will be a much more complete clearance of last year's Canadian cheese than has been seen for a number of years; and as I then said, I fear prices will open too high on the new make on your side to be profitable."

This seems to have been the opinion of quite a number in the trade on this side; and it is a question with some whether sufficient of the new make can be made during the next few weeks to affect prices to any extent. In different quarters, view matters in a different light, and think that enough will go forward next week to make an impression. This week, however, shippers inform us that they have had to pay 10s for finest Western produce and that they could not get suitable quality under that figure, while other grades have sold all the way from 9s to 10s. The stocks of English cheese are almost completely exhausted.

The Canadian Shoe and Leather Journal, after referring to the many unsuccessful battles waged by retail dealers against department stores, makes the following sound and sensible deliverance:

While some seem to endorse the war whoop style of dealing with the question, the more thoughtful merchants are beginning to realize that their salvation depends on something more telling than the execution of war dances around their big competitors.

The war is beginning to adapt its methods to those of the departmental store whenever practicable. Dealers in country districts are doing more effective advertising, and seeking to educate buyers to the wisdom of patronizing the home market as well as considering they can do as well at their own doors. Many are adopting the cash system, or quoting two prices, one for cash, and the other for time. There is no use talking of departmental prices to be met, they must be met on a cash basis. The merchant must make an effort and secure his goods at the lowest cash prices, and this can only be done by selling on a cash basis.

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Special Attractions AT FAIRS. Mr. B. Lovell, Proprietor of the Reporter, has just been appointed Canadian Agent for the sale of the Reporter in the Province of Ontario, and is now in the city of Toronto, where he is attending to the business of the Reporter. He is also in the city of Toronto, where he is attending to the business of the Reporter.

ADMINISTRATION SALE. Under the Direction of the Administrator of the Estate of the late Julia Withers, there will be sold at public auction, on the 12th inst., at 10 o'clock, a.m., the following real estate: A lot of land in the Village of Athens, containing about 10 acres, and a lot of land in the Village of Athens, containing about 10 acres. The sale will be held at the residence of the Administrator, in the Village of Athens.

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