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COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUR STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS.

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MONDAY, Nov. 13. - Miss Addie Barlow, who has been visiting his friend, Levi Sargent, at Chazyville, Manitoba, returned home two weeks ago and was pleased with what he saw.

H. Scott, the barber, moved his business from the Central Hotel to the room which was occupied by F. W. Singleton.

Alanson Baker, we regret to say, is very ill at his home, but we hope he is recovering.

George Tompkins, formerly here, now of Brockville, visited his old friends here last week.

S. B. Davis, the District Agent for Norwich Fire and Life Insurance of Brockville, was in town last week canvassing our citizens.

Quarterly meeting was well attended at the Methodist church yesterday. Service was conducted by the Rev. W. F. Purley.

NEWBORN MONDAY, Nov. 13. - There is no danger of a famine in our village, as bread is only four cents per loaf, freight prepaid.

The brick yard, after a very protracted season, has been closed down for the winter.

The roof of the new Methodist church will be completed this week, and operations will at once commence on the interior.

Mr. C. H. Star, an enterprising baker, is doing a thriving business and is also turning out the staff of life second to none in the county.

Water is very low in the canal on account of the continued drought.

Our vigilant fire inspector is busy burning his shield for the coming campaign. During the fine weather of the past three weeks he has kept close watch in the neighborhood of Grass Point. What his intentions are, no one knows, but we expect he will not keep us lingering in suspense all winter.

On Saturday evening last, while J. T. Gallagher and W. H. Leggett were driving along the road in the neighborhood of Westport, their horse became unmanageable and turning about in the road, upset the rig, throwing the gentlemen in the ditch.

The occupants of the rig escaped with a few scratches, but the buggy came out minus the top, dash, and seat. The horse arrived in Newboro shortly after 11. The buggy in the above described condition, which caused considerable excitement until news arrived of the safety of the home-bound pedestrians.

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ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pen. - Local Announcements. - Filled Right Down.

Kingston girls are said to be outliving the art of whistling.

Smith's Falls will hold her big turkey fair this year on Dec. 14th and 15th.

Evangelist Horner is now holding meetings in the Salvation Army barracks at Pembroke.

Miss Addie Barlow has opened an art studio over the store of Mott & Robeson. See card in this issue.

The B. & W. ballast train has been working in this section lately and last week cobbled-stoned their yard here.

Without doubt the best place to buy men's, boys', ladies' or children's underwear clothing is at H. H. Arnold's.

Carriages built to order, repairing and painting done in first class style at moderate prices. - A. James.

Miss Jennie Earl, of the staff of Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, is at present visiting friends in Athens.

The suits instituted against parties infringing on the Shedd fence patent, by Mr. Eaker, of Delta, were all dismissed at Brockville last week.

The very sudden death is announced from Toronto of Mrs. Poole, wife of Mr. J. M. Poole, formerly editor of the Perth Star.

There is not an ex-primer of the Dominion living, and Hon. Edward Blake is the only surviving ex-primer of Ontario.

Mr. Jas. Ross, who has spent the past winter in Manitoba, has returned to Athens. Western air appears to have agreed with him.

The largest and best stock of far goods ever brought to Athens is now displayed at H. H. Arnold's. Don't buy until you see his prices.

The fine residence recently erected by Mr. Wm. Parish on Bold street has been purchased by Mrs. Lydia Phillips, who will enter into immediate possession.

The Galtinax hunters returned last week, bringing with them big stories of adventures on mighty mountains, lonely lakes and in pathless woods. They also brought with them fourteen fine deer and plenty of evidence that the lakes are full of fish.

This is the question that a Gaspereau correspondent asked on Wednesday last: "Will the meeting with the Athens baseball club? Now, they had better hit themselves in here on Saturday and play a game or the boys here will think they have lost their sand."

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The Rideau Record of last week gave currency to a report that two men came to John L. Luckey, on Tuesday night of last week and told him that they knew where a suit of clothes lay concealed near Toledo, which were all blood bespattered. The story is significant in view of the Luckey tragedy, but lacks confirmation.

Mr. A. McDougall, the veteran poultry dealer, is the first to enter the field and ask for poultry this year. He wants turkeys, and will buy and pay the