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Brockville's Greatest Store.

AUGUST CLEARING SALE

Of all Lines of Summer Goods at Great Sacrifice

A real old time bargain sale that will make many busy shopping days in an otherwise dull month. An absolute slaughter of all summer goods will be made No regard to cost or value.

READ THIS PARTIAL LIST OF OFFERINGS WE MAKE:

- Clearing the Hammocks—21 only left, note these reductions carefully, \$6 for \$1.25, \$3.75 for \$1.25, \$4.75 for \$3.25, \$5.50 for \$3.25, \$6 for \$2.50 for \$1.25, \$1.50 for \$1.00 reduced to..... **98c**
- Slaughter of Jap Mattings—Some splendid lines of good straw matting at a big sacrifice, eight pieces in this lot, best grade and good designs, the regular prices are \$10, \$12, \$15, \$20, \$25 and \$30 yard first come gets the best choice, at per yard, any of them..... **25c**
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- Amalgam Buggies—also a few Syntra ones, the price of these was \$1.50 to \$2.25 each, your choice while they last for..... **1.48**
- Mats—one lot of eighteen good mats, regular price \$1.00 to \$1.50 each, choice for..... **98c**
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- Men's Summer vests—white pique or fancy vesting, 14 to sell, regular price \$1.00 to 2.00, choice for..... **1.00**
- Ladies' Wash Suits—Balance of the season's stock to be cleared at half price, pink or grey chambray suits \$2.75 for \$2.50; blue duck \$2.50 for \$1.75, \$2.25 suits for..... **1.13**
- White Duck Sailor Suits—Nearly made garments, extra good material, regular price \$3.75 for..... **2.88**
- Black Parasols—Best glossy gloria top, select handles, 4 dozen only, reg. price \$1.25; sale price..... **98c**
- White Silk Gloves—3 dozen to sell, fine pure white silk, with 2 dome buttons, regular price \$1.00 pair for..... **25c**
- Table Linen—Choice unbleached table damask, 2 yards wide, 42 yards to sell, regular price \$50 yard for..... **39c**
- Towelling Bargain—18 inches wide, with red border, soft made, 50 yards to sell, regular price 10c yard; sale price..... **7c**
- White Embroideries—and insertions, a choice lot of fine goods all in a pile, some were 30c yard others 20c, 25c and 30c, your choice for..... **12c**
- Line Towels—Good huck towels with fringed ends and narrow red border, size 18x26 inches, regular price 12c each; sale price..... **10c**
- Val. Lace Sale—25 pieces finest val. lace, no insertion to match except a couple of patterns, regular price 35c and 30c yard; choice for..... **10c**
- Bleached Table Linen—60 inches wide, all pure linen, small dot pattern with formal border, regular price 50c; sale price..... **43c**
- Factory Cotton Bargain—Extra heavy cotton in 5 and 10 yard lengths, regular price 11c yard; sale price..... **7c**

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AN AUTOMOBILE RIDE

Written for the Athens Reporter.
I had a dream the other night,
When wrapt in slumber deep,
Which seemed so strange when I awoke
And yet too true to keep.
I thought Aun Sarah and myself
Were sitting side by side,
Enjoying to its full extent
An automobile ride.

We talked of early Quaker days
And of the old times when
The gospel truth was preached on
earth
By good and faithful men,
Who journeyed forth from their abode,
With humble zealous mind,
In carriages most comfortable,
A crude and awkward kind.

And as we sped along the way,
We often spoke the praise
Of Him by whom our lot was cast
In automobile days.
We talked of God's most bounteous
grace
And of Salvation's plan,
And how the automobile told
The wondrous works of man.

We talked of Harvey Derbystire,
Who long has been at rest,
And of the well remembered time
When Otis Smith went West,
Of William Knowles and David Oles
And James and Ruby too—
Oh, then the Friends were numerous,
But now they're very few.

"It don't seem right to me," she said,
"To ride in such a fly,
For in our flight thee knows we might
Pass friend or blessing by;
For had the Enoch's chariot
Thus through the country flew,
Good Phillip then could ne'er have run
And joined himself thereto."

Then going up a little hill,
As if to gain relief,
It gave one heave and then we found
Our ride had come to grief,
And there right on the road it stood,
Unheeding right or rule,
Which brought the story to my mind
Of Balaam and his mule,

"Ah well thee spake of grace," she said,
"And of Re-emption's plan,
But I thought strange that thou
shouldst say
'The wondrous works of man';
For there's but little man can do
To bring us joy or bliss,
For all of his devices end
In some such scene as this."

"And aye 'tis well indeed, my friend,
While we are on this earth,
To never praise a thing so high
Until we prove its worth;
For tho' she's rather tardy now,
And well up in her teens,
I wouldn't give my old brown mare
For a score of such machines."

Village Council

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council was held on Monday evening. The reeve, clerk, and councillors Lamb and Jacob present. After reading and confirming the minutes of the last meeting, the clerk read bills from Judge Reynolds for \$11.20, expenses of holding Court of Revision; M. B. Holmes \$8.30, freight paid on stage curtains, telegraphing &c.; M. M. Brown, advice and letter re drain, \$2.00; Jas. Ross \$— expenses to Carleton Place to examine stage curtains. On motion, the above bills were ordered paid.

Clerk read the application of the high school board for \$1350.00 for maintenance of that school; also from the public school board for \$2,000.00 for general purposes; also from the County Clerk for \$260.50 levy for county purposes.

The clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law to borrow money required to meet current expenses until the taxes for 1906 become available.

B. LOVERIN, Clerk.

An Important Promotion

Mr. A. E. Donovan's many friends are congratulating him on his appointment to the important position of Toronto manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. An exchange says that this will mean the removal of Mr. Donovan's family from Athens to Brockville, and this contingency is viewed with regret by the people of Athens generally. Mr. Donovan has always been loyal to the best interests of this village, which he has always been pleased to call his "home," and the removal of himself and family would be regarded as a distinct loss.

The B. O. B. R.

Several years ago the Brockville Recorder first suggested the idea of holding a reunion of former residents the town and county, but the people were a little slow to act. Other towns in the Province, large and small gathered home their native born, but Brockville delayed action until a few months ago. Then the project was taken up and pushed to a triumphant conclusion. The Old Boys' Reunion was a glittering success. "The best town in the province" held the biggest and best reunion ever. There was nothing small about it. The decorations were on a grand scale, the welcome most cordial, the music inspiring, the programme on land and water highly entertaining. Before and above all this were the very many happy family reunions and the meeting and greeting of friends long separated. It was a time of joy for all—a pause in the journey through this brief life which afforded opportunity for counting the blessings of the past and gaining hope and inspiration for the future.

It is all over now, and the thought in the mind of many is "when will the next one be held?" Brockville must answer that question, but three years hence would probably meet the views of the majority at home and abroad.

A Pleasant Trip

Last Friday Miss Hayes, Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Weeks were kindly met at Charleston wharf by Mr. B. D. Judson in his new yacht and conveyed to cottage "Lookout." After dinner the host and guests embarked for an afternoon on the lake, and as this was the first opportunity afforded Mr. and Mrs. Weeks of "doing" Charleston, anyone acquainted with the beauties of the lake can easily imagine the surprises awaiting strangers as channel after channel opened into new waters, and an island after island, which seemed to be the mainland was discovered, only to hide other islands as beautiful.

Mr. Weeks says that Charleston Lake resembles the famed Lake Joseph in Muskoka.

It goes without saying that the guests feel grateful to Mr. Judson for such a delightful outing.

Only a Mask

Many are not being benefited by the summer vacations as they should be. Now, notwithstanding much outdoor life, they are little if any stronger than they were. The tan on their faces makes them look healthier but it is only a mask. They are still nervous, easily tired, upset by trifles, and they do not eat nor sleep well. What they need is what tones the nerves, perfects digestion, creates appetite, and makes sleep refreshing, and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. People generally will find the chief purpose of the vacation best subserved by this great medicine which, as we know, "builds up the whole system."

Holiness Campmeeting

An Interdenominational Holiness Campmeeting will be held on the fair ground, Winchester, beginning Sept. 22nd which will be under the charge of Evangelist L. Milton Williams of Ashtabula, Ohio, of the M. E. church. He will be assisted by ministers of the Canada Conference of the W.M. church. The singing will be under the direction of Mr. John Waddell.

A CARD THANKS

Through the medium of the Reporter I desire to tender sincere thanks to all friends for their many kindnesses during the illness and following the death of my husband, the late Philip Slack. I also wish to express my appreciation of the promptitude with which the Relief Association of the I.O.O.F. paid the \$2,000 of insurance.

Signed on behalf of the family
Letitia Slack.

Loss of Appetite

Is commonly gradual; one dish after another is set aside till few remain. These are not eaten with much relish, and are often so light as not to afford much nourishment.

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