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It's Safe in this Bank



Money out of Bank may be spent unwisely, lost, stolen or destroyed. But money deposited in The Merchants Bank is secure against extravagance, fire or theft. On pay-day, put all your money in a Savings Account and pay the necessary bills by cheque. You will find more money stays in the Bank—your savings are earning interest—and the cancelled cheques are receipts for bills paid. Open a Savings Account today.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA
Head Office: Montreal. Established 1864.
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LOCAL NEWS

ATHENS AND VICINITY.

AUCTION SALES.

THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA would like to draw your attention to the fact that they make a special business of handling Farmers' Sale Notes, either discounting same or making collection when due. Should you have any idea of holding a sale they would very much appreciate being given an opportunity of taking care of the business for you. The manager will be glad to attend your sale personally, and assist in any way feasible. Their specially prepared Auction Sales Register and Sale Notes are furnished free of charge. Consult the Manager and ascertain his method in defraying your advertising costs.

Ice Cream, also Oysters in plate or bulk at Maud Addison's.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

The Merchants' Bank of Canada has just installed an additional nest of Safety Deposit Boxes, and you are cordially invited to inspect them. The number of burglaries and hold-ups is increasing alarmingly. Fires are ever occurring. Bonds, Stock Certificates and all other valuable documents should be properly safeguarded. If you own a Bond, Stock Certificate or other valuable papers, not necessarily negotiable, you need adequate protection. If you require this kind of accommodation, you are respectfully requested to consult the Manager—you will find him in his office during banking hours.

House for sale or to rent near the high school, six rooms, front and back stairs, cellar, pantry, wood, house. Verandah 2 halls, soft and hard water. Possession April 1st. Apply to G. W. Brown.

Maxwell Car for Sale—1918 model in good running order, cheap for quick sale—apply at Reporter office Athens

For Sale—6 young pigs, 5 weeks old for \$5.00 each also ten cord Dry wood at a reasonable price, Apply Mortimer Cole—Redan

Gobblers for Sale—Some fine birds apply to W. W. Cross, Athens.

Mr Gordon D. McLean, our East end Merchant recently purchased a motor Delivery car, and is each day of the week taking a route through the country, taking orders, delivering goods and buying produce. We can see in this system a large volume of business for Mr McLean and service that is of untold value to our rural residents. We wish Mr McLean the success that is due him in his enterprise.

Mr and Mrs Edward Taylor returned on Wednesday from a visit with his brother Mr Geo. Taylor, Boston.

Miss Grace Rappell has some very pretty Easter cards for sale at exceptional values.

For Sale—I purebred Ayrshire Bull, 1 year old, well developed and richly bred.—Apply to L. R. Taekaberry Charleston, Ontario.

The Box Social held in Coon's School on the evening of March 17th, proved a success both financially and as a social event. A good programme preceded the sale of the boxes. Total receipts were \$30.20.

Mrs J. H. Ackland very pleasantly entertained a number of lady friends to an afternoon tea party on Tuesday last.

MILLINERY—Miss C. O. Gray begs to announce that she will open her Millinery Parlors on Monday, March 21, and following days. A very fine selection of all the latest models to choose from.

Mrs J. S. Latimer of Petrolia is visiting her mother Mrs J. E. Robeson Elgin Street.

The Standard Bank of Canada Athens wish to announce that they have just installed a nest of Safety Deposit Boxes.

These boxes afford excellent security for your Victory Bonds, deeds and other valuable papers.

They would be pleased to have all interested call at any time and inspect these Boxes and learn further particulars.

Last Saturday evening, Mr and Mrs W. T. Towriss, were host and hostess at a tea given at their home on Elgin St in honor of their respective Sunday School classes. At the close of the tea hour several toasts were offered and responded to, after which the evening was pleasantly spent with music, singing, readings, contests and etc. Everyone contributing something interesting towards the pleasure of the evening's programme.

Mrs Mary Moulton of Wiltsetown spent part of last week here the guest of her friend Mrs Sadie Lillie, Church Street.

Mr J. D. Johnson, Main St. East this week started a milk route and we congratulate him on his enterprise. The method Mr Johnson has of handling the milk is the most approved, in glass bottles with the proper stopper, thus giving us a guarantee of pure, clean milk and the price is as low as you can expect for such first class service—Only 10c a quart or 5c a pint.

On account of the five days convention being held at Glenmore, Ontario, there will be no service in the Standard Church at Athens Sunday March 20th.

Mr Thomas B. Barrington, who has been visiting friends in Athens and vicinity, left on Monday last for his home at Morin, Alberta.

Mr and Mrs Frank May of Enterprise, Ontario, are in town guests of Mrs May's sister Mrs Sadie Lillie Church St. Mr May is operator and manager of a high class picture show and also first class Photographer. Mr and Mrs May will spend some time with us visiting friends and relatives.

NOTICE

The Law requires that all owners of Dogs, (The term "owner" includes possessor or harbinger) shall procure on or before the 1st day of April 1921, a dog tag. Tags may be secured from the Village Clerk, upon payment of the prescribed license fee.
G. W. Lee,
Village Clerk.

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Main St. East

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20 lbs. of Rolled
Oats or Corn \$1
Meal for

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Co-Operative Limited
Victoria Street Athens

Charleston

Mr and Mrs R. Foster have returned from Brockville where they spent the winter. Mr Foster has purchased Cedar Park hotel and expects to take possession the first of April.

Some of the farmers have tapped their trees but very little sap weather yet.

Miss Maggie Finley has returned from Smith Falls where she was visiting friends.

A. Morris and J. Kelsey have both been sawing wood in this section.

Miss Mary Dixie, is spending a few days with her sister Mrs W. Halliday.

Miss Amy Spence, nurse, in-training at Lindsay is holidaying at her home here.

A. W. Johnston has been making some improvements at his farm home here.

Miss Jennie Eyre teacher at Glen Buel who was called home by the illness of her mother which resulted in her death intends to remain at home until after Easter.



Small Beginnings
MANY a man has laid the foundation of wealth and prosperity, by starting a savings account with small sums early in life. Even the saving of your twenty five cent pieces may start you on the road to a successful future. A dollar will open an account for you in our Savings Department.

THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits \$5,200,537.00
ATHENS BRANCH
W. A. Johnson - Manager

Bone Dry Ballot Correctly Marked

Shall the importation and the bringing of intoxicating liquors into the province be forbidden?

NO

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YES X

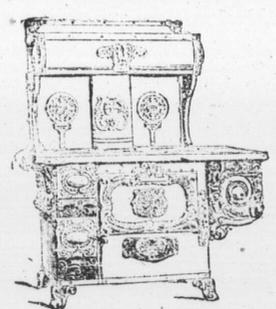
VOTE YES

and supplement the
Ontario Temperance Act
with other good laws
BILL 26 (Dominion)
prohibiting importation into Ontario
THE SANDY BILL (Provincial)
prohibiting transportation within Ontario

Vote and Vote "Yes"

Referendum April 18th
LEEDS COUNTY REFERENDUM ALLIANCE
W. T. ROGERS, Pres G. ELMER JOHNSON, Sec'y

10% Discount on Stoves We Have in Stock



The factories Have not yet intimated a decline in the price of stoves nor will this occur until there is a drop in the price of steel. Nevertheless we are offering this reduction to clear what stock we have on hand. We invite you to make an early inspection of the stoves we have on the floor.

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