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BROCKVILLE'S CREATIVE STORE

Sale of Drawn Linen Work at Half Price

We've just cleared out the balance of a wholesale stock of beautiful Real Irish Linen Drawn Doylies, Centre Pieces, Table Covers, Sideboard Covers, etc.

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Size 80x54 inches, regular price \$2.50, for.....	\$1.75

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Size 20x30 inches, regular price \$1.25, for.....	85c

Hand Drawn Doylies	
12x12 inches, regular price 85c, for.....	19c

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VILLAGE COUNCIL

Athens Village Council met at 2 p.m. on Monday as required by statute to finish up the business of the year. All present. Minutes read, approved and signed.

Clerk read a number of bills and communications.

Messrs Judson and Taylor moved— That the Municipal Council of the Village of Athens place itself on record as condemning the action of the Brookville, Westport & North Western Railway Co. in not complying with the requirements of the Railway Commission regarding the three cents a mile rate for passengers and adjusting the freight rates as required, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, with a request that the same be referred by him to the Railway Commission.

Messrs Purcell and Judson moved— That orders be drawn on the Treasurer for the following amounts:— W. F. Earl, \$10.50, gas for town hall, April 1st to date; Karley & Gibson, \$5.23, glass and supplies for town hall; B. Loverin, \$12, for work as clerk re drain; G. F. Donnelly, \$66, as per bill; Phil Wittse, \$1, use of field for pound; W. Allingham, \$1, night watch at Wm. Parish fire; Mr Kemp, \$2, for tuning piano; B. Loverin, \$10, preparing new assessment roll and making copy for assessment notices; G. W. Brown, \$30 in full of all demands for services for 1907, less \$23 acknowledged by him as received as dog tax and poll tax; Dr J. F. Purvis, \$6, for fumigating Charles Willson's house re small pox.

On motion of Taylor and Judson, a by-law was read three times and passed, providing for nominations and election as advertised in the Reporter this week.

After discussion, the lower rates for use of town hall to the different religious denominations was left for the new council of 1908 to deal with.

B. LOVERIN, Village Clerk.

Local and General

The Athens junior and intermediate hockey teams are now ready for business.

Mr O. L. Monroe, blacksmith, has opened business in Fisher's Carriage Works.

Miss Byers has removed her dress making rooms to the Taplin block, over Ackland's and Earl's.

Athens stores, full of Christmas goods and elaborately decorated and illuminated, now present a very attractive appearance.

Try a trimmed hat from Miss Payne's at \$1.50. Will those indebted please call at once.

Orders on the Village Treasurer for all accounts passed by the council on the 16th inst. have been made out by the clerk and left with the Treasurer for payment.

On Xmas Day services will be held in Christ church Anglican at 10.30 a.m. and at Trinity church, Oak Leaf at 8.00 a.m. with celebrations of the Holy Communion.

The annual Xmas tree entertainment of the Athens Methodist S. S. will be held in the town hall on Xmas night. A fine programme is being provided. Doors open at 7. Entertainment begins at 7.30 p.m.

—WANTED: Subscriptions for Canada's Humorous Weekly only one dollar the year if given this year. Liberal commission to agents. THE WHITE LYRE, DINEEN BLDG., TORONTO.

The camera always tells the truth, and to prove to his friends in the West that his old home is located in the banana belt, Mr C. J. Greene of Caron, Sask., enjoyed (1) a row on Charleston Lake on Dec. 13 and was snap-shotted by a friend with a camera.

In the absence of a rink, the young people are turning their attention to the possibility for pleasure in coasting on the "big hill." There seems no reason why, with proper care, this sport might not be enjoyed, and if it is vetoed by council the coasters will have only their own recklessness to blame.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by all dealers.

The Methodist S. S. at Lyndhurst are arranging for an extra good entertainment on Christmas night, a feature of which will be the Cantata, "Jolly Times with the Santa Clause Band." Judging from the synopsis, the programme will be exceptionally good, and it will undoubtedly afford a very pleasant evening to all who attend. Admission 25c.

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Just a Few of Our Prices:

OVERALLS AND SMOCKS

MEN'S OVERALLS OR SMOCKS, in plain Blue or Black, with or without bibs, Regular price 60c, Sale price..... **43c**

MEN'S OVERALLS OR SMOCKS, in Blue or Black, extra heavy gold back double Stitch, Riveted Pockets, Sale Price..... **69c**

MEN'S WATERPROOF SMOCKS, Wool Lined, Corduroy Storm Collar, Regular price \$2.50, Sale price..... **\$1.79**

MEN'S AND BOYS' MITTS AND GLOVES. All our new goods are in this sale; we have too many lines to mention prices; all **Reduced for This Sale.**

Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Reefers

BOYS' REEFERS, Blue and Black English Serge, Regular price \$2.25, Sale price..... **\$1.35**

BOYS' OVERCOATS, made up in the very latest, some fancy or in plain styles, too many lines to mention, to be sold at **Cost Price.**

MEN'S REEFERS, made up in Dark Gray and Black Frieze, Storm Collars, Tweed Lining, Regular price \$4.00, Sale price..... **\$2.95**

MEN'S ULSTERS, in Dark Grey and Black Freize, good Tweed Lining Storm Collar, Regular Price \$6.00, Sale Price..... **\$4.95**

MEN'S OVERCOATS in Blue and Black Beaver, Fancy Mixture, and Dark Gray, extra good quality, Regular \$6.50 and \$7.50, Sale price..... **\$4.95**

MEN'S OVERCOATS, the Newest Patterns, or in plain Gray or Black, good Farmers Satin Lining, made extra long, fits splendid Regular \$9.00 and \$10.00, Sale price..... **\$6.95**

MEN'S OVERCOATS, Hand Padded Shoulders, made of English or Scotch Tweeds, or in Blue or Black Beaver, Best Lining, Regular \$11.50 and \$12.50, Sale Price..... **\$8.95**

MEN'S SUITS

All Wool Heavy Tweed, Single or Double Breasted, well made, only a few dozen in stock, Regular price \$7.50 to \$9.00, Sale price **\$4.95**

MEN'S SUITS, in Fine All Wool Tweed, the Latest Cut, the Newest Patterns, Single or Double Breasted Coat, well padded shoulders Close Fitting collars, Regular price \$9.00 and \$10.00, Sale price **6.95**

MEN'S SUITS, Highest Class, Hand Padded Shoulders, made of the Finest English and Scotch Tweeds, Swell New Patterns, or in Black or Blue Serges, best Farmers' Satin Lining, Regular \$12.00 and \$13.50, Sale Price..... **\$9.45**

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Men's Black Overcoats, made for this season, regular \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00, for..... **\$4.68**

Men's Progress Brand Overcoats regular price \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$14.00, for..... **9.85**

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THE A.M.S. CONCERT

The A.M.S. Class of '07 decided to mark the close of their very pleasant term of training by holding a high-class concert, and the event took place on Friday evening last.

The talent engaged consisted of Harold Jarvis, tenor, and Gordon Rogers, entertainer, and together they gave a programme replete with good things. Mr Jarvis added to the fame he gained at his former appearance here and delighted his many admirers.

Mr Rogers, while not uproariously funny, gave excellent impersonations and his monologues were gems of art.

Miss Maude Bradley of Brockville, through whose agency this talent was engaged, presided at the piano as accompanist during the evening.

The piano prelude played by Miss Green and Miss Brigginsshaw was a fitting opening for the excellent programme that followed.

The object of the modelites in arranging this concert was simply to afford themselves and the general public an opportunity of hearing superior talent, and this object was fully attained.

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MODELITES LOCATED

The following list shows where some of the Modelites have secured positions for the year 1908:—

Miss S. Bilton, near Merrickville.
Miss Brigginsshaw, near Toledo.
Miss Cockrill,
Miss Derbyshire, Harlow.
Miss Dier, near Bishop's Mills.
Miss Green, near Westport.
Mr Hanna, Twin Elm.
Mr Kearney, No. 7, Edwardsburg, Carleton Place.
Miss Kerr, Jellyby.
Mr E. McLean, Bellamy's.
Miss Rogers, Daytown school, Delta.
Miss Patton, North Augusta.
Miss Scovill, Elcoda.
Mr Stevens, Osgoode Station.
Mr Strathern, Godfrey.
Mr Tackaberry, Phillipaville.

Quite a number of the Modelites who attended this term are under age and must consequently bide a wee.

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