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I beg to offer my Property for SALE situated on Prince Street, Athens, consisting of a Fine Double Brick House, well furnished with all necessary conveniences. This property is a map. For full information apply to T. R. Peake, Athens, or at my Office Brockville.

PETER McLAUREN, Dated 27th April 1905. 18-47

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The subscriber will pay cash for water-elm and basswood logs—delivered at his mill at Greenbush also for a large quantity of birch timber not more than 10 nor less than 4 inches in diameter, cut 10 or 12 feet long.

Yorkshire Boar

The undersigned has for service a thoroughbred registered Yorkshire Boar, bred by D. M. Grazier. Fee \$1.00 with privilege of return.

NEW GOODS:

- Sweet Potatoes
Sweet Oranges
Cranberries, first of the Season
All the leading makes of Flour, at low prices
Two Carloads of Salt just Unloaded
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HORSES NEIGH for 5A Horse Blankets. They are mighty strong, they are long of wear, they are warm, they are handsome.

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We have hundreds of Blankets at all prices. Our \$1.00 Kersey is a Bargain

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BROCKVILLE

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Weekly Globe and Canada Farmer \$1.50
Family Herald and weekly Star 1.50
Toronto Daily World 3.00
Toronto Weekly Mail and Empire 1.50
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Extra Fine Hyacinths, Tulips, Crocus, Narcissus, and Daffodils - R. B. Heather's

Canadian Order Foresters COURT ATHENS NO. 789

Meets next Tuesday in each month. Visitors welcome. The Canadian Order of Foresters is the leading fraternal insurance society in Canada. Its low rates and high-class security are worthy of investigation.

LOCAL ITEMS

American Poultry Fair, Dec. 12.
Select Oysters, Wilson's Meat Market
The special services in the Baptist church are being well attended.
Several items of local and district news are unavoidably omitted this week.
Members of the I.O.F. are requested to meet in special session on Friday evening.
Telephones have been installed in the groceries of E. J. Purcell and G. A. McClary.
Mrs Abigail Seed of Elgin is the guest of Mrs. Kilborn and Mrs. Cheeseman this week.
A birthday surprise party was held last evening, celebrating the birthday of Mrs. Julia Wiltse.
All Ladies and Girls cloth Jackets reduced to cost and below. Come and see them at H. H. Arnold's.
New groceries for the holiday trade already in stock at McClary's grocery—all grocery requisites for the year.
Arrangements are already being made for the Methodist S.S. entertainment, which is to be held as usual on Christmas evening.
Christmas goods of the useful sort are already on display at McClary's grocery—everything you require in glassware, china and crockery.
Mr. H. B. Hanson, father of W. H. Hanson, one of Charleston's summer residents, died at his home Saratoga, N. Y., on Nov. 19.
On Monday evening the teachers and officers of the Methodist S.S. were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Fisher.
The American Poultry Fair held here last year brought prices equal to the best paid in Eastern Ontario. The buyers will be here on Dec. 12.
Choice line of Confectionery, Nuts, Raisins, etc., just opened up at McClary's grocery—ranging from ordinary mixtures to the highest grade of delicious chocolates and creams.
The protest entered against the election of E. J. B. Pense, Liberal member for Kingston, has been sustained and the election voided. The cross-petition was dismissed.
Matt Ritter the old reliable has not resigned as was intimated last week, but is ever ready to do any kind of work in the cemetery on short notice, and reasonable terms—Matt Ritter.
After the most successful season in its history, Brockville cheese board closed for this year on Saturday last. There was a comparatively small offering at Saturday's meeting, and the price dropped to 11 1/2c.
In view of the declared intention of the Ontario Government to pass a law reverting to the old system of county council representation, there will be no election of commissioners next January.
The members of the Mission Band were treated to cake and coffee on Monday evening by the superintendants, Mrs. D. Fisher and Mrs. G. W. Beach. The little folks thoroughly enjoyed the treat.
A special meeting of the village council was held on Friday evening at which a committee was appointed to provide additional seating accommodation for the town hall. The committee have since placed an order for 200 chairs.
Rev. W. A. Howard, who has been rector of St. Thomas church Frankville, for the past two years, has tendered his resignation, to take effect Dec. 1st. The reverend gentleman will assume the rectory of the parish in the eastern townships near Sherbrooke, Que.
Mr. Albert Breece, a prominent young farmer near Brockville, was seriously injured last week. A horse stepped on the bars of a fence he was letting down and one of the bars flew up and struck him with great force, fracturing his skull at the base. He is reported to be improving.

TOLL GATE ABOLITION

The proposal that the counties council assist with a grant the movement for securing the abolition of toll gates throughout the counties met with vigorous opposition, and finally a committee consisting of Messrs. Alguire, Stafford, Bissell, Baker, Conolly, Johnston and Britton was appointed to meet a special committee to be appointed by the town council of Brockville and a special committee to be appointed by the township of Elizabethtown to ascertain if some means cannot be arrived at for the removal of toll gates and doing away with market fees, said committees to meet on Monday previous to the January meeting of the counties council, and the committee to make their report at the next session of the counties council. The committee have power to invite members of the different municipalities and also to interview the owners of the roads in question.

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The Great Blood Purifier, Nerve Invigorator, and Family Medicine. For Pale, Delicate and Distressed Women. For Weak, Despondent Men. For Weak, Sickly Young Women, Boys and Girls. 25 cents a box or 5 boxes for \$1.00. Mailed on receipt of price to any address. J. P. Lamb & Son

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Building Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Wood Ceiling, Water Tanks, Cistern Tubs, Portland Cement, &c.

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Bran, Shorts, Feed, Flour at low prices. Custom grinding well and quickly done. Cash paid for grain.

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We have just opened out a complete stock of NEW GROCERIES in the Berney store, Main street, and invite a share of public patronage.

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Main Street - ATHENS

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Do not fail to see what we can offer you before you buy elsewhere. UNDERWEAR Our stock in this line, for men, woman and children, was never better assorted and never consisted of better values than now. OVERCOATS See the nobby styles we are offering at prices in men's sizes ranging from \$5.00 up. JACKETS Ladies, we are offering the balance of our entire new stock of Jackets and Children's Coats at greatly reduced prices. RUBBERS AND MOCCASINS Notwithstanding the general cry of higher prices for rubber goods, our prices in many cases are lower than they were last year. HORSEBLANKETS We claim our prices for the qualities are lower than anywhere else. Come and see for yourself. T. S. Kendrick

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We are now receiving a nice line of new furniture for this season, and you are invited to call and see our stock. We probably have just what you want at the price you like.

BEDROOM, PARLOR, DINING ROOM, KITCHEN

In fact, every part of your house can be economically furnished here. Test the values we offer.

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UNDERSTANDING

G. A. McCLARY

CHRISTMAS

McCLARY'S

It is not too early now to consider your Christmas purchases. Buying before the rush and while stocks are unbroken has obvious advantages. Goods will never be cheaper and the choice never better. This Week we invite your special attention to our superb stock of

LAMPS

Parlor, Hall, and Hanging—beautiful goods and not high priced. Handsome Jardinieres, Fruit Dishes, etc., and many articles of beauty and utility in China and Glassware. N.B.—Your Xmas groceries are here.

G. A. McCLARY

Boar for Service

The undersigned has at his farm, 1 1/2 miles from Athens on the Oak Leaf road, a thoroughbred Yorkshire Boar for service.

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NO MISTAKE

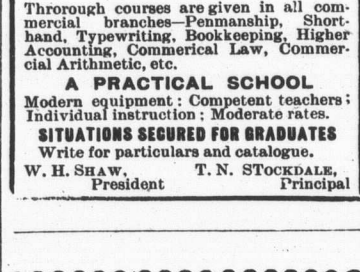
is made when you decide on entering for a business training in the Frontenac Business College

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Pierce & Wiltse, - Athens

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