

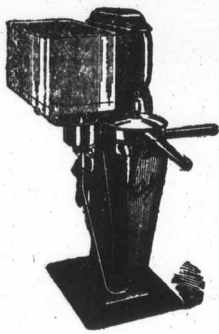
The Taking Cold Habit

The old cold goes; a new one quickly comes. It's the story of a weak throat, weak lungs, a tendency to consumption. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral breaks up the taking-cold habit. It strengthens, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about it.

The best kind of a testimonial—
"Sold for over sixty years."
Mailed by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
SARSAPARILLA, PILLS, HAIR VIGOR.
We have no secrets! We publish
the formulas of all our medicines.
Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's
Pills, just one pill each night.

The - Sharples

TUBULAR



CREAM

SEPARATOR

Light, Simple, Durable—Easy to operate, easy to clean. Try it and you'll buy. A test costs you nothing. Call and see the Sharples at my office, Main street, Athens.

W. B. Percival

Agent for leading Pianos and Organs, Gramophones, the Raymond and New Williams Sewing Machines.

CHOICE

Cut Flowers

Roses, Carnations, Violets
Celery, Lettuce, Mushrooms,
Parsely, Tomatoes

AT

R. B. Heather's

Tel. 223; G. H. 56.

Floral work made in the latest styles.

Fire Insurance

E. J. PURCELL

AGENT for the Royal, Monarch, Waterloo Mutual Fire Insurance Companies. Risks promptly effected.
Office and residence, Henry Street, Athens

FRANK EATON

AUCTIONEER

FRANKVILLE ONTARIO

Sales conducted in all parts of the United Counties.

Farm Sales a specialty.
Call, Write, Telephone or arrange date at Reporter Office.

A CALENDAR

—FROM THE—

FRONTENAC
BUSINESS COLLEGE
KINGSTON - ONTARIO

Will convince you of the superiority of our courses of training, and the unexcelled advantages offered by our institution.

Rates Very Moderate
Students may enter at any time of the year, as all instruction is individual in character. No time like the present. Write to-day.

T. N. Stockdale,
Principal.

Ladies' calling cards, finest quality, printed in Tiffany Text or Invitation Script, at the Reporter office—50c per package.

District News

ROCKSPRING

Miss Hattie Hannah of Almonte has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Hoy, for the past two weeks.

Mr. James Hicks is on the sick list. Mrs. Topping of Easton's Corners is spending a few days at the home of her son, Mr. Frank McDonald.

Mrs. Hinton went to Irish Creek some time ago, where she will reside with her daughter, Mrs. I. Montgomery, for a time.

A baby girl has come to stay at the home of Mr. Ed. Richards.

Farmers in this section are beginning to realize that the season of sugar making has arrived and are acting accordingly.

It is reported that the condition of Hilliard Dixon, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is slightly improving.

Mrs. Smith and daughter, Miss Lulu who were visitors here, have returned to their home in Almonte.

Mr. Thomas Burridge of Brockville visited his brother, Mr. Wesley Burridge, last week.

Mr. A. Hoy and Mr. Wm. Barber made a business trip to Brockville one day last week.

Miss Eliza Godkin is said to be some better, but not yet recovered sufficiently to leave her room.

GLOSSVILLE

Sugar making is the order of the day.

Mrs. Jas. Bell of Newboro is visiting with her niece, Mrs. Mills Church. Mr. Sullivan of Arnprior was a recent visitor of Mr. John Stevens.

Master Hugh Campbell, while on ice one day last week, fell and hurt his head very badly, but he is gaining rapidly.

Mr. Herbert Wilkie and sister Pearl of Jellyby spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Madden Hewitt.

Mrs. Madden Hewitt is again confined to her bed.

Mrs. S. A. Snider has returned home from Brockville and is visiting at Mrs. Jas. T. Brown's.

Miss Keitha Peterson is the guest of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. David Mullen.

SOPERTON

On Sunday John Morris, an old and highly esteemed resident, dropped dead at his home. He had been in failing health for some time but able to be about as usual. Shortly after dinner he walked out in the yard and suddenly dropped. When found by his son, William, life was almost extinct and he passed peacefully away in a few moments. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. B. Patterson on Tuesday at 10 a.m. He leaves to mourn his loss his aged widow and two sons, William and Samuel.

Almost Drowned—While playing about a swiftly running stream of water, two little ones, Maggie Irwin and Mary Denby, narrowly escaped drowning. While attempting to cross over on a log they overbalanced and were carried down the stream several feet before being rescued by Mr. Denby. The children have not entirely recovered from the shock and cold bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Davis spent a couple of days last week with friends at Irish Creek.

Commencing April 7, Rev. R. B. Patterson will hold service in St. Paul's church, Delta, each evening of the week at 7.30.

E. R. Kendrick has purchased the Connor property in Delta. We regret the removal of the family from our neighborhood.

Mrs. S. Stafford is now on the sick list.

The children have been delighted with the moving pictures shown them by Master Stanley Singleton.

FEW HERE KNOW THIS

When an eminent authority announced in the *Scranton* (Pa.) Times that he had found a new way to treat that dread American disease Rheumatism, with just common, every-day drugs found in any drug store, the physicians were slow indeed to attach much importance to his claims. This was only a few months ago. To-day nearly every newspaper in the country, even the metropolitan dailies, is announcing it and the splendid results achieved. It is so simple that any one can prepare it at home at small cost. It is made up as follows: Get from any good prescription pharmacy Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. These are all simple ingredients, making an absolutely harmless home remedy at little cost.

Rheumatism, as every one knows, is a symptom of deranged kidneys. It is a condition produced by the failure of the kidneys to properly filter or strain from the blood the uric acid and other

matter which, if not eradicated, either in the urine or through the skin pores, remains in the blood, decomposes and forms about the joints and muscles, causing the untold suffering and deformity of rheumatism.

This prescription is said to be a splendid healing, cleansing and invigorating tonic to the kidneys, and gives almost immediate relief in all forms of bladder and urinary troubles and back-ache. He also warns people in a leading New York paper against the discriminate use of many patent medicines.

MY BOYHOOD TOWN

It will soon be green in my boyhood town,

That dear old-fashioned dreamland,
With its long main street and its shade trees sweet,

With its grassy hill and streamland.
When I'm worried with care, how I long to be there

To list to its simple story,
Its song and its speech and its ways which teach
True life in all its glory.

How I long to go back to my boyhood town
When I am oppressed and weary,
To taste and to know of the warmth and glow

Of spirits fresh and cheery.
Where the maples abound comes a joyous sound
From each tree-plumed hill and valley,
And childish feet both nimble and fleet
Will join in the spring time rally.

With their buckets and pans, their kettles and cans,
They'll be lugging, tugging and toiling—
How I'd like to be there in it all to share,
Tapping, collecting and boiling.

Oh the stories they'll tell and the songs they will swell
To the rhythm of the wood stream purring,
It would be my delight to again spend the night
By the fire with its blue smoke curling.

Soon the azure blue, with its globes of dew,
Will bedeck the grasses slender,
And the adder-tongue red will lift its head,
The ferns and the cowslip tender.

In the woodland shade there the nests will be made,
And white throat gems will be singing,
From each tree-arched lane the oriole's strain
Will swell from her hammock swinging.

Oh fate look down on my boyhood town
And keep those soft lights gleaming,
And the gardens fair that blossom there
Along loved paths of dreaming.

With all of their beams and hey-day dreams
Guard them and keep them ever,
The long main street, the shade trees sweet
And the sun-kissed hill and the river.

That languid, lifeless feeling that comes with spring and early summer, can be quickly changed to a feeling of buoyancy and energy by the judicious use of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is a genuine tonic to tired, run-down nerves, and but a few doses is needed to satisfy the user that Dr. Shoop's Restorative is actually reaching that tired spot. The indoor life of winter nearly always leads to sluggish bowels, and to sluggish circulation in general. The customary lack of exercise and outdoor air ties up the liver, agitates the kidneys, and oft times weakens the Heart's action. Use Dr. Shoop's Restorative a few weeks and all will be changed. A few days' test will tell you that you are using the right remedy. You will easily and surely note the change from day to day. Sold by all dealers.

CROP COMPETITION

The crop competition in standing fields of grain, which was inaugurated in 1907 in the province of Ontario by Hon. Mr. Monteith, proved so beneficial to all concerned that the Minister has this year secured a largely increased appropriation for this purpose.

The objects aimed at are to encourage the growing of grain of the best quality free from other varieties of grain and weeds, and also from diseases, such as rust, smut and insects.

The competitors excited much interest last year in the districts where they were held, and the results were decidedly profitable to those who were prize winners, in as much as, with out leaving home, they sold their grain from the fields which were in the competition to leading seedmen at prices from 25 to 50 per cent above market quotations.

This year, owing to the larger sum available, entries will be received from 100 societies, or ten times as many as in 1907. Rules and regulations governing the competition will be made known in a few days.

—The Reporter can effect a big saving to any boy or girl who contemplates attending a business college this year. Call or write.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

Plum Hollow Honor Roll

Sr. 4—Ernest Bogert, Ross Kilborn, Watson Stewart.

Jr. 4—Blake Stewart.

Sr. 3—Claude Gifford.

Sr. 2—Arthur Johnson, Omar Kilborn.

Jr. 2—Hiley Newsome.

Sr. 1—Charles Witke.

G. E. Wing, Teacher.

Strength and Endurance

Are factors of the greatest success. No person can do full justice to himself without them.

In no season of the year are they more easily exhausted than in the spring.

We need not discuss the reason for this here. It's enough to say there is one, and that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives strength and endurance, as thousands annually testify.

A FINE NEW STEAM YACHT

One of the finest steam yachts to be seen this year on the Rideau has just been turned out at Napanea, the "Bonnie Bessie," which is about 86 feet over all and built in proportion. She has fore and aft cabins, the former being contained and finished in black walnut, while the latter is entirely constructed of mahogany. This is lighted by six windows on each side and glass doors leading to the stern. The boat is of oak and the decks inlaid with black walnut and white maple, produce a pleasing effect. She is fitted with a compound engine of the latest fore and aft type. The craft will be not only handsome but speedy. She is fitted with cupboards, lights, etc., for cruising and carries a sailing dingy on her hurricane deck. All stanchions, cleats, chocks, etc., are nickel plated over brass which adds to the boat's appearance. She is named in honor of Miss Bessie Wright, of Ottawa, eldest daughter of the late Rural Dean Wright, of Athens, whose uncle and brothers will use the boat for summer cruising on the Rideau.

Opinion Asked

Mr. M. B. Holmes, reeve of Athens, has received a blue print map of the route of the proposed electric belt line railway, connecting Brockville, Athens, Perth, Ottawa, Morrisburg. As stated last week, municipalities to be served by the line are asked to assume the cost of survey and right of way through their respective boundaries, and our reeve is asked to report the feeling of this municipality in respect to the project. Just how he is to ascertain the views of our citizens in respect to the matter is not very clear, but possibly a public meeting of ratepayers might enable a pro forma report to be made.

Children Enjoy It

"I have used Coltsfoot's Expectorant with the greatest satisfaction with my children. It is a wonderful cure for colds and sore throats. I believe it saved the life of my little son, who was very sick from a protracted cold on his lungs."

MRS. ANNIE BRAMBLER.
Orangeville, March 15, 1907.

"I am greatly pleased with the good results we got from Coltsfoot's Expectorant. I get great comfort with it for my children."

MRS. WALTER HAMMOND.
171 Argyle St., Toronto.

Coltsfoot's Expectorant is the greatest home prescription for all throat and chest troubles in the world. No home should be without it. You can have free sample by sending name to Dr. T. A. Slocum, Ltd., Toronto. All good druggists keep it. Price, 25c. Send for Free Sample To-day.

The Largest Jack Manufacturer in the World Writes about

Zutoo

Regarding your Zutoo Tablets I beg to say: I have been a sufferer from headache since childhood and have used all, or nearly all, of the so-called "cures" on the market, till warned by my physician to discontinue their use on account of their bad effects on the heart. Some months since my attention was called to your Zutoo Tablets and I have been using them ever since with the most gratifying results. I find they cure a "sick" or "nervous" headache in a few minutes and leave no bad effect. My family use them whenever needed with equally good results. I have frequently given them to friends who are suffering from headache and the result has been a quick relief. I find them a good remedy for "sour" stomach as well as headache. I always carry them in my grip on the road and would not be without them at any cost.

A. O. NORTON.

286 Congress St., Boston, Mass.
roc. and 25c. at dealers or by mail.
B. N. Robinson & Co., Costicook, Q.
Samples free.

A MESSAGE TO MEN ABOUT HATS

Every hat in our stock—even the lowest priced—comes from a manufacturer of high standing and is made especially to our order. There are various points of betterness throughout and our name in the top of each hat is your guarantee of thoroughly good workmanship. Of course, we have every favored shape and block.

We want your hat trade—we think we deserve it because we're giving the best values.

Superior hats at \$2.00 and \$2.50.

ROBERT CRAIG & CO.

King Street, Brockville

Canadian Hair Restorer

Before and After
Will restore gray hair to its natural color. Stops falling hair, causes to grow on bald heads. Cures dandruff, itching, scalp diseases. By its use thin hair grows luxuriantly. Contains no oily or greasy ingredients. Is entirely unlike any other hair preparation ever offered for sale.

A good, reliable Canadian preparation. Unsolicited Testimonials.

Edith A. Burke, Missionary H. M. Church, Akimish, Egypt, and friends, greatly pleased with results after two years' using.

I. A. Hopes, Wilmer, Montana. My hair and whiskers restored to natural color, dark brown, by using Canadian Hair Restorer.

M. Oram, Burgessville, Ont. Canadian Hair Restorer is the best I have ever used.

John G. Hall, New Aberdeen, Cape Breton. Canadian Hair Restorer has worked wonders. My head is nearly all covered with thick growth black hair, original color.

Sold by all wholesale and retail druggists. Mailed to any address in the civilized world on receipt of price, 50c. Manufactured by THE MEEWIN CO., Windsor, Ont., Canada.

For Sale in Athens by J. P. Lamb & Son, Druggists.

INTENDING

PLANTERS

—OF—

Nursery Stock

Should write direct to us or see our nearest agent before placing their order.

We have a fine stock of the best apples and can guarantee satisfaction. Price right. Fifty years' experience.

AGENTS WANTED

Salary or liberal commission. Outfit free. Send for terms.

Canada's Oldest Nurseries

The Thomas W. Bowman & Son Co., Ltd.

RIDGEVILLE - ONTARIO

Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat

A Candy Borel Laxative

PATENTS

60 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
TRADE MARKS
DESIGNS
COPYRIGHTS &c.

Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HALL'S OFFICE, 313 N. 4th St., Philadelphia, Pa. Patent taken through Adams & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the

Scientific American.
A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms for Canada, \$3.00 a year, postage prepaid. Sold by all news dealers.

MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York

Branch Office, 207 7th St., Washington, D. C.

The Best on the Market

ST. REGIS LUMBAGO CURE
AN INDIAN REMEDY



Guaranteed to Cure Lame Back or money refunded!

An excellent remedy for Rheumatism, Lame Back, Etc., Etc.

Read the following testimonial from a man you all know:

Portland, Feb. 8, 1908

Mr. W. A. Singleton, Crosby, Ont.

Dear Sir:—In the winter of 1905 I was laid up with La Grippe and unable to get relief from several other patent medicines. I was convinced by several of my neighbors to try St. Regis Lumbago Cure, and I can thankfully say it was the first thing that gave me immediate relief. Since that time I have never been without it in my house, and cannot speak too highly of it, especially for children, as it will break up a cold at once. I have also found it a sure cure for lame back.

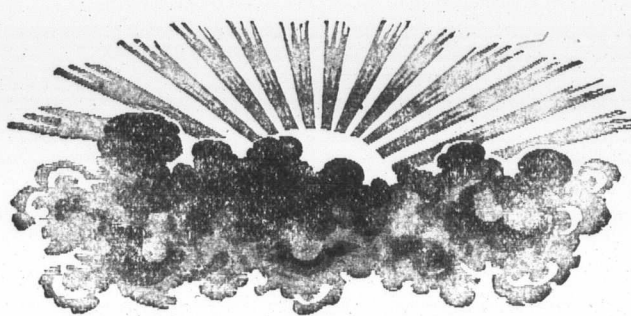
You are at liberty to use my name for reference if you wish to publish it for the benefit of others. I am yours truly,

C. A. VANKOUGHNET.

If your dealer does not keep this medicine kindly ask him to order same for you as any sized order will be filled promptly.

First order, freight prepaid.

Yours truly,
W. A. SINGLETON



THE ATHENS REPORTER

... OFFICE ...

Poster Printing

Our job printing department is specially well fitted for all kinds of poster work. Orders for entertainment bills promptly filled at very reasonable prices. If you contemplate holding a concert or social it will pay you to get our figures before placing your order.

Commercial Work

Bill-heads, statements, letter heads—business forms of all kinds at lowest rates

Society Printing

Wedding Stationery—latest type designs—you should see these goods. Calling cards of finest quality.

We will be pleased to assist in arranging copy for any kind of advertising. Call and see what we can do for you.

The Reporter, Athens.