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Buy your underwear from us and save money.

Choice natural wool at \$1.00. A splendid soft, warm, unshrinkable garment in all sizes for men, per garment \$1.00.

Men's heavy ribbed underwear, 75c. Extra quality, elastic ribbed, weighty and warm, per garment, 75c. Ladies' fine natural wool, soft and warm, per garment, \$1.00. Other qualities in ladies' underwear upward in price per garment from 25c.

Flannelettes—900 yds. of wide width flannelette, a large range of neat stripe patterns, regular 12c quality on sale while they last for 10c. See the extra heavy weight in plain, pink, blue and white, regular 12c goods for 10c.

Boots—We have 60 pair ladies Box Kip Bal boots, have been selling the same kind in large quantities at \$1.75 special while this lot lasts, for \$1.49

Special 80 pair men's heavy sole Box Kip Bal boots, just the thing for fall weather, regular price \$2.25, on sale now, all sizes 6 to 10, for \$1.75.

T. S. Kendrick

FIRE PROOF HOUSES

If there is any such thing as a fire proof house it is the house built of cement blocks or cement bricks.

In the recent fierce fire at Fernie, B.C., the only buildings left standing were those built of cement blocks, as the photo graphs of the disaster show.

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H. A. STEWART, Sec. Treas.

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The Merchants Bank of Canada

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Capital and Surplus	\$10,267,400
Assets	(over) 52,000,000
Deposits	(over) 36,000,000
Loans and Discounts	(over) 31,000,000

Savings Bank Department

Interest allowed and compounded four times a year. \$1.00 opens an account.

Loans made at reasonable rates.
ATHENS BRANCH E. S. CLOW, Manager.

Local and General

Mrs William Parish spent the week end with friends at Union Valley.

Miss Keith Brown was last week the guest of Mrs F. Lathan, Brockville.

Miss Louisa Broad spent Thanksgiving Day with friends in Brockville.

Born—to Mr and Mrs Robert Allingham, on Sunday last, a daughter

Mr Adam Ducolon returned last week from Chesherville where he has spent the dairy season.

Mr Sheriff Robinson has returned home from his cheese factory at Cahore, Ont.

The early closing of groceries in Athens has been suspended until after New Year's.

By arrangement of the District Meeting, Rev F. A. Read will preach missionary sermons at Mallorytown on Sunday next.

Some women are awfully touchy. A widow has brought an action against a newspaper which said that her husband had gone to a happier home.

Mr I. M. Kelly was called to Gananoque last week by the serious illness of his brother, Mr J. F. Kelly of the firm of Robinson and Kelly.

H. H. Arnold is receiving daily Ladies Cloth Jackets, up-to-date in style and unsurpassed in value. It will be a pleasure to show you these new and fashionable garments.

Rev Geo. W. Conners, who published the Delta Pilot and afterwards the Maxville Advance, has rented his newspaper plant to Mr Duncan of New Mountain.

The two convicted of burgling Brockville stores recently were sentenced by His Honor Judge McDonald to six and seven years respectively in the penitentiary.

Rev William Wells will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday next, morning and evening, and in the afternoon will conduct service at Glen Elbe.

B. W. Falkner will give special reduced rates on Photographs from now until Jan. 1st. A fine Photo for 75c per doz.

Mr Waldren Green of Caron, Alta., is visiting old friends in Athens and vicinity. He has prospered in the prairie country and has only good words to speak of his new home and the prospects of the section in which he lives.

The Reporter has received a copy of the East Toronto News, published by G. A. Merrick, formerly of Athens. It is a prosperous looking, well edited up-to-date sheet, and looks well after the interests of the constituency it is designed to serve.

In Ontario, it is stated, 153 townships have given up the statute labor system of maintaining the roads and now levy taxes and pay men to do the necessary work. The result is said to be that the highways are better kept than used to be the case.

Joseph Chamberlain, one of the leading statesmen of Great Britain, has this to say on temperance: "No statistics are needed to show our people that temperance reform lies at the bottom of political, social and moral progress of England. Drink is the curse of the country; it ruins the fortunes, it injures the health, it destroys the lives of one out of every twenty of our population."

A smartly dressed and clever talking young gentlemen, who passed through Newboro vicinity about two months ago, has been discovered to be the perpetrator of an old skin game in a new form. He pretended to be the travelling agent for a new and undervalued clothing company in Montreal, and was taking orders for all kinds of ladies and gentlemen's winter coats which were being disposed of at a great sacrifice. He showed the most stylish styles and patterns and also had the samples of the cloth. He took the measures of the prospective purchasers and incidentally from two to five dollars as part payment and "as a guarantee of good faith." If the buyer wished, full payment was accepted and the coat would come at about half price. A number are known to have been bitten and it is supposed there are others who are saying nothing.

—Wood-furnace in good condition, for sale. Apply to T. Berney, Athens.

—Wanted—200 cords basswood stave bolts—Athens Lumber Yard.

Too many parents tie up the dog at night and let the boys run loose.

Smith's Falls News: Miss Chrystal Rappoll of Athens spent a few days this week the guest of Mrs A. J. Slack.

Mr Mrs Frank Foley and her sister, Mrs Robert Willey of Lyn spent the Thanksgiving holiday in Kingston.

Reeve Holmes is in Brockville this week attending the sessions of the Counties Council.

New buildings to the value of \$100,000 were erected in Smith's Falls during the past summer.

—A large stock of fashionable furs—fur Coats, Ladies' and Men's fur lined coats, and all other kinds of new up-to-date fur good at H. H. Arnold's.

—Live hens, chickens, ducks, bought every Wednesday afternoon. Crops must be empty.—Willson's Meat Market

And now the party papers are talking of the retirement of both Laurier and Borden. More unlikely things have happened.

Mrs J. R. K. Bristol of Ottawa spent the week end in town, the guest of her sister, Miss Bristol of the High School staff.

Looks like sleighing, and though it don't feel any too much that way, a number of cutters have been on the streets since Monday.

In St. Lawrence Co., N.Y., milk is selling at \$1.60 per hundred, but as the farmers there have a number of cows fresh in the fall the price will drop after a while.

An invited party, under popular auspices, will be held in Oak Leaf Hall on the evening of Friday, Nov. 27. Good Orchestral music will be furnished.

Mr Clare Sanderson spent Thanksgiving at the home of his grandfather, Mr William Mitchell, but got stuck in the mud and could not return until the end of the week.

A Temperance rally is to be held in the town hall on the evening of Tuesday, Nov. 24, at which the Rev. C. T. Scott of Montreal will deliver an address on Local Option. Reports of the progress of the campaign in Rear Yonge and Escott and Athens will be submitted. Chair taken at 8 o'clock.

Mr Oscar Breesee died suddenly on Sunday last while returning from church in Boston, where he was employed as a teacher in a high school. Deceased, who was a brother-in-law of Mr I. C. Algire, was well known and highly esteemed in this section. Mr and Mrs Algire, left on Tuesday morning for Boston.

Morrisburg Herald: Rural free delivery of mail is now in operation on the Aultsville-Bush Glen route, a distance of about nine miles. Already the farmers along that line are uttering warmest praises of the plan and of the great convenience which is resulting. Four times each week the mail is distributed along the route, and the farmer or the farmer's daughter goes down to the gate, opens the box and receives the mail.

—SALES AGENTS WANTED—\$36.00 per week or 400 per cent profit. All samples, stationery, and art catalogue free. We want one permanent agent in this locality for the largest picture and frame house in America. Experience unnecessary. We instruct you how to sell our goods and furnish the capital. If you want a permanent, honorable and profitable position, write us to-day for particulars, catalogue and samples. Frank W. Williams Company, 1214 W. Taylor St., Chicago, Ill. 43-46

In Massachusetts the Legislature has given to local municipalities the power to exclude automobile traffic from certain highways. When this power was exercised by one municipality an auto owner set up the contention that the municipality had no right to discriminate against one form of vehicle. The case was carried to the State Supreme Court, and the decision there given sustains the validity of the statute under which the operation of autos was restricted to certain specified highways. The decision is of interest here from the fact that the principles on which it was based are common to both countries.

Mr R. T. Hollingsworth, who has been engaged in making cheese at Opinicon, has returned home.

B. Y. P. U. Thursday evening. Rev Walter Daniel of the North West Missions will lecture on Mission work in that country. Everybody welcome.

An exchange very properly remarks: Now, before the cold weather sets in, every humane owner of horses should see that he has blankets which will keep them comfortable though the winter. It is cruel to allow the animals to stand any length of time in freezing cold weather without any protection against cutting winds. We can't expect sleek, thrifty looking horses unless we give them the needed protection.

A large number of signatures for season tickets for the rink have been obtained, and what is lacking now is some person to take hold of the enterprise, conduct it on a sound business basis and make a success of it. Here, as elsewhere, it should be possible to have an abundance of general skating and an occasional carnival and hockey match without any person feeling that the privileges secured by his season ticket were being infringed upon.

By special arrangement with The Toronto Globe, The Reporter is in a position to offer to new subscribers The Weekly Globe and a Magazine Section and The Reporter to January 1st, 1910, for \$1.75. That is two dollar weeklies for all of 1909 for \$1.75, and the balance of this year free. The Magazine Section is the same as supplied with the Saturday edition of The Daily Globe, which sells for 5 cents, and is, therefore, worth more than the price asked for the two papers. Readers of The Reporter will confer a favor upon their friends by making this unparalleled offer as widely known as possible. Subscriptions should be sent to Reporter.

Farm wanted to rent or on shares. Address The Athens Reporter.

NOTICE

Sale of Land for Tax Arrears

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes has been prepared, and that copies thereof may be had at my office, in the County Building, Brockville, and that the list is being published in "The Ontario Gazette" on the nineteenth day of September, the third day of October and the tenth day of October, A.D. 1908, and that in default of payment of the taxes the lands will be sold for taxes, at my said office on Tuesday the twenty-second day of December, A.D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

ROBERT J. JELLY,
County Treasurer United Counties of Leeds and Grenville.
Brockville, September 18th, 1908.

Voters' List Court

Notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to The Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honour, the Junior Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, at the Town Hall in the Village of Athens on Monday the 30th day of November, 1908, at half past seven o'clock in the evening to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Athens for 1908.

Dated this 10th day of November A. D. 1908.

G. F. DONNELLY
Clerk of said Municipality

Hay's Greenhouses

Our customers all over Eastern Ontario have told us that our Chrysanthemums are the finest that they get, and this season we are sure to please you, for they seem better than ever. Of course, the monsters—that is, our wash-tub size—are not ready yet, but the dinner plate and saucer sizes in white, yellow and pink are new plentiful.

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Lost

In Athens or on road to Lake Elvida, on Thursday, Oct. 22, a 3/4 ft. spirit level. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to the undersigned, W. H. Moulton, Athens.

Farm for Sale

The Taplin farm, adjoining the village of Athens, consisting of about 35 acres. Farm and residence will be sold separately if desired. Apply to R. R. BEALE, Solicitor for Executors. 38-41

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