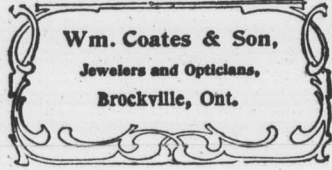


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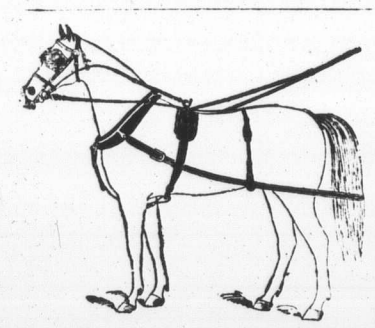
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LOCAL ITEMS

Choice sugar-cured hams and bacon at Willson's meat market. Mr. Alex. Rose returned home last week from Winchester. Mr. Hudson K. Webster is very ill at Logansport, Ind.

Mr. Stephen King has returned home from New York State, where he had profitable employment at his trade for several months.

The Epworth League will hold a debate in the vestry of the Methodist Church, on the evening of Tuesday, March 6th.

The Henry George Association of the United States sends out from time to time lecturers to discuss Single Tax and kindred subjects.

A Choral Society, under the direction of Prof. A. H. Howell, organist of the First Presbyterian Church, Brockville, is being organized for a term of 10 evenings to meet each Wednesday evening, for instruction and singing.

The musical hit of the season is Geo. Ade's "Peggy from Paris" at the Brockville Opera House, Wednesday evening, Feb. 21st.

Miss Caroline Lee, Wilts street, has been confined to her bed, for several days. On Tuesday of last week Miss Ethel Rhodes was operated on for appendicitis at her home near Seeley's Bay.

Mr. A. E. Donovan delivered an address at Caintown on Monday evening, a summarized report of which appears in the Reporter this week. Athenian skaters are invited to attend the carnival to be held on Glen Morris Rink on Friday evening.

Mr. Char. Wing returned home last week from Spring Hill, to remain until the cheese factory at that place opens in the spring. The annual meeting of the Bible Society will be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening next.

FOR SALE—7 tables, 24 chairs, 1 side board, 2 show cases, 1 parlor clock stove and pipes, dishes and tinware, silver knives, forks and spoons, 1 side-saddle, lamps, 1 pair counter scales. At D. Witte's restaurant.

After a brief illness, little Theresa Pipe aged four years died on Sunday morning. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon. Since the death of her mother she has lived with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hawkins.

The regular meeting of the public school board was held on Monday evening, the chairman, Mr. Joseph Thompson, presiding. Considerable business was done in connection with the completion of the school building.

A meeting for organization of the A.H.S. trustee board was held on Wednesday evening last. The board is composed of the same members as last year, and the old officers were re-elected.

The policy of the Ontario government in respect to education is being eagerly canvassed these days. The opinion seems to be quite general that the model schools are to be wiped out and a number of new normal schools established to take their place.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The council of Rear Yonge and Escott met at the township town hall, Athens, on Monday, 5th inst., at one o'clock. Councilor Morle Earl was in the chair until four o'clock, when Rev. Mulvina entered and took his seat.

Minutes of last meeting were read, adopted and signed. A by-law to appoint certain officers was passed, filled as follows: ROAD OVERSEERS: Div. No 1.—Ezra S. Earl

Jonas Steacy, Wm. Kavanagh, Geo. P. Wright, Oliver Hayes, Chas. B. Witte, A. W. Johnston, George Cheatham, Edward C. Balford, Harvey D. Wing, Wm. J. Scott, Leonus L. Bates, Andrew Henderson, John Hudson, jr.

Mr. Morley G. Brown, Fred Scovil, E. J. Rowson, Norman C. Brown, G. F. Osborne, Benj. Beale, jr., Altonso Botsford, Milton Mansell. ROAD SURVEYORS: A. W. Kelly, Robert Tackaberry, John Hudson, jr., Joel Parish, Eli Mansell, John Topping, Mansell Brown.

Orders were given on the treasurer to E. C. Balford for amount paid for shovelling snow from the roads in 1905 \$4 10; audits, \$5 each. A deputation of land owners along the toll road waited upon the council, asking that the bonus for wire fences be paid to those who build them on this road.

Council adjourned until Wednesday, May 30th, then to meet as a Court of Revision. R. E. CORNELL, Clerk.

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Sale Register: On Monday, Feb. 19, Mr. John H. Beady will offer his 100 acre farm, situated at Elbe Mills, for sale by auction at the Armstrong House in the village of Athens.

On Tuesday, Feb. 20 Mr. M. C. Bates Elbe Mills, will sell by auction 24 head of registered and grade Holsteins, 3 horses, etc., implements, vehicles, etc. Liberal terms. Sale at 1 p.m. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

On Thursday, Feb. 22, Reynolds Bros. will sell by auction at the Barlow farm, Addison, 3 good work horses and all their implements, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

On Thursday, March 1, Thomas Foxton will sell by auction at his premises, Elbe Mills, 26 cows, 7 heifers, Holstein bull, Ayrshire bull, matched team, heavy horse, colt, implements, vehicles, harness, hay, etc. G. N. Young, auctioneer.

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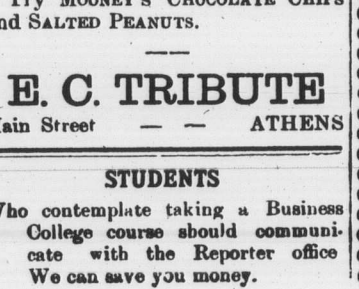
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