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The Men's Corner,

Gentlemen's High Class Furnishings.

There's been a steady growth in this "men's corner" business. We're now long past the age of youthful mistakes and merchandising experiments. We know the demands of an exacting public well enough to keep in the van of style. These years of tireless effort have been repaid by a magnificent patronage, till now this "men's corner" is looked to as Brockville's fashion barometer for men.

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Fussy about collars? Most men or every man should be. Easy enough to get a good fitting, good looking collar if you go where that kind is sold. These American lines are Trov's latest productions—genuine linen—up to the minute in style—20 cents each, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c.

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The best dollar colored shirts are here, fast colors, soft or stiff bosom, separate cuffs.

Choice patterns in good colored shirts reliable kinds exclusive patterns, 75c and 60c.

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Yesterday's express brought the "Buffalo" bow, 25c each—new steel spring attachment for high band collars, can't possibly come off and can be put on with the eyes shut it's so simple.

Latest "two in one" Derby 50c each. The King Edward scarf 50c. You won't see your tie every corner you turn if you buy here. Our lines come exclusively to us in half dozens. Exclusive, high grade, low price. See the corner window.

Robert Wright & Co.
Importers

BET SUGAR IN THE U. S.

Charles F. Saylor, special agent of the Department of Agriculture, in charge of the beet sugar investigation, says; "There are but few sugar factories in the United States that have not doubled or tripled their capacity after the first year or two. Those that have not done so are making every arrangement to do so soon. Capitalists have waited to gather information as full and complete as possible in regard to the sugar beet industry before going into it. Now that they understand better our own resources and the importation of sugar from our insular possessions, the beet sugar has reached a more healthful status and the building of factories has been permanently inaugurated. Michigan occupies the first place in the sugar production. Ten factories are in operation in the state, and several more will soon be built. This is their third year in the work. New factories have been built in Indiana, Wisconsin, and Oregon, and others are in prospect in those states. South Dakota will build two or three new factories this summer, and a company has been formed to build one in Fargo, N. D. The industry is well established in Utah, where the factories at Lehi, Logan, and Ogden are increasing their capacity."

All the sugar factories in Michigan do not seem to be in a prosperous way. Officers of the Wolverine Company, according to the Detroit Free Press, are looking for a fresh location, and have recently been on a tour to South California for the purpose of seeing the advantages offered for a sugar factory in that section. The Marine State sugar factory, according to the same authority, ran behind to the extent of \$59,000 last year. Still the shareholders of this factory are not discouraged, as they expected a loss the first year.

An experiment conducted at Rocky Ford, Colorado, has, according to the Denver Post, demonstrated the fact that pulp made from refuse of sugar beets is one third cheaper than corn when fed to live stock intended for slaughter, and gives the meat a better flavor than corn does.

A capital of \$500,000 has been subscribed for the building of a beet sugar factory in Genesee Valley, N. Y., but difficulties are being experienced in inducing farmers to pledge the 5,000 acres of beets required.

The seed for the growing test in western Ontario is now being distributed by government agents, and in their instructions to farmers they say: "What is required is land where there is an open sub-soil, and which was manured last season. If the manure was put on during the winter or this spring the soil would, owing to the presence of so much straw, etc., be too open, and thus be likely to produce roots full of prongs. What is required is a soil open enough for the roots to grow in, but sufficiently firm to ensure that roots will be clean and solid. Land on which roots, potatoes, or peas were grown last year will suit as far as that part of the matter is concerned. In preparing the land for beets, do not plow but run the harrow over the ground lightly once, then cultivate with a spring tooth cultivator to a depth of about three inches. Following this with a double harrowing, and then roll to pack the soil a depth of about two inches. After this scrape the soil with a harrow, and then put the seed in with a drill. The seeding must be done on the level, and the width between the rows should be twenty-one inches. The seed should be put in just as soon as possible, four pounds to the quarter acre. The roots require to be grown well down in the soil, as the part which comes above the ground is of no use in the production of sugar." The result of the tests being made under government supervision will be looked for with interest all over the province, as they promise to demonstrate that Ontario farmers are qualified to share in the profits that the production of sugar-beets provides.

CONSERVATIVE NOMINATION.

A large number of the conservatives of Brockville riding met in convention at Brockville on Saturday last. Mr. Geo. H. Weatherhead was elected President, and Mr. H. Stewart, Secretary. Messrs. D. O'Brien, A. E. Donovan, R. J. Jelly, H. A. Stewart and J. Curtin were nominated as candidates for the local Legislature. All resigned but Mr. O'Brien whose nomination was made unanimous. He is a barrister and a member of the firm of O'Brien & O'Brien of Brockville. Resolutions of confidence in the leaders, Messrs. R. L. Borden and J. P. Whitney, were passed, and speeches delivered by the various nominees.

MORTON.

Mr. Teggart is calling on his many friends here. He occupied the pulpit on Sunday last for the first time this season.

Dr. Gardiner was in town to day. He was much pleased to find that Mr. Struthers can walk again with very slight assistance. Mr. Struthers, who is over eighty years of age, had the misfortune to break the his thigh last fall, and his recovery is a pleasant surprise to his friends.

The Taber Bros. built a barn foundation for Mr. Chris. Sheffield of Lyndhurst last week. Mr. Sheffield will have a fine barn when completed.

Mr. John Stevenson of Seeley's Bay finished the woodwork on Mr. Sam Taber's house last week. It makes a great improvement on the appearance of the building.

Mr. O. Jones drove the stage to Kingston on Saturday in place of Mr. Fred Stafford of Westport.

CHANTRY

Mr. and Mrs. G. Beach and Miss Beach of Iowa, are visiting at Mr. E. Beach.

Mr. E. Littlejohn of Ridgetown, who has been visiting friends in this neighborhood, has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown are spending a few days in Kingston this week.

Miss L. Blackburn is visiting at Mr. H. E. Eyre's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hayes, and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Alford spent Sunday in this village. Quarterly services are to be held in the church here next Sabbath at 2.30 p. m.

Rev. D. Earl has organized a class for a bible study, which meets every Thursday evening.

Mr. Walter Chant, who has been attending Queen's University, is home for the summer.

BROCKVILLE

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IN ORDER to meet the demand for first-class cutters, which is steadily increasing, I have opened up in connection with my tailoring establishment a Cutting School, to be known as the Brockville Cutting School where the latest up-to-date systems of cutting will be taught, also instructions on the practical work of the tailor shop, which is most essential for a young man to become a first-class cutter, and which will enable him to command a salary of from One Thousand Dollars to Fifteen Hundred Dollars per year in this country and from Fifteen Hundred Dollars to Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars per year in the United States. This is a rare chance for young men to fit themselves for a lucrative position in a short time. Persons attending this school will receive a thorough training in everything connected with Garment Cutting, and after graduating are competent of filling a position as custom cutter at once.

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Brockville, Ont.

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Ladies black Italian cloth Petticoats, with deep Accordion pleated ruffle and flounces, usual value, \$4.00 for \$2.75

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FRONT OF YONGE.

Mr. Bryon of the McIntosh mills has purchased the machinery for a roller mill. It is now all on the ground ready to be adjusted. It took 12 teams of horses to bring it from the station to the mill. The machinery cost \$2,500. The farmers in this township and in the adjoining townships should, as is usual in such cases, bonus Mr. Bryon.

Mr. Charles Purvis of Caintown is erecting a fine barn. Mr. W. Burnham is doing the wood work while Mr. R. Ayars does the mason work.

Arbour d'ry was well spent in Caintown by the energetic trustees and rate payers as well. All that is wanted now is a respectable fence to make the grounds of S. S. No. 7 one of the most beautiful spots in the county.

Mr. D. Warren of Junetown has erected a fine barn this spring at the foot hills of the Blue mountain.

We intended giving the description of a large egg owned by Mr. C. Tennant but since they dropped to 9 and 10 cents we concluded that it did not matter as to the size of eggs. It takes more time and material to build big eggs than little ones, and it requires 12 to make a dozen, no matter what size they are.

Eleven thousand murders were committed in the United States last year and twenty-five in Canada. What does that mean?

PHILLIPPSVILLE.

The earth's crust is once more getting dried off so that the farmers can go on to the land to work. A very little seed has been sown so far. Grass and pastures are getting a good start. Fall wheat is not looking too bad though it is killed out in spots. Young cattle have been turned out to pasture and are getting a good fair feed of grass.

C. B. Davison is putting up an addition to his barn. J. Elliott is doing the carpenter work.

A. Stevens is putting up a large cow stable on the Breese farm, the one already there being far too small to hold the stock.

The wet spring is showing where the tile is getting in its work. Wet places that could not be cropped until late in its season are dry now.

Laura Elliott is visiting her grandmother and her aunt, Mrs. Sterling Pennock, at Lyndhurst.

Mrs. Arch Clow has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. Whitmore, the past month. She returns home on Monday.

Harry Arnold and Miss Clella Day of Westport were the guests of Miss Ethel Brown on Saturday last.

We have read the reports from different sections of the loss that several beekeepers have suffered during the past winter with their bees. I visited the yard of R. C. Haskins to see how his bees had come out of their winter quarters and found that he had not lost one per cent. On inquiring the cause of his bees coming through with so small a loss, he could not account for it only in one way—they were put on to the stands last fall under the instructions of Prof. Hough, the great bee-man.

Geo. Lockwood has been engaged by the mail contractor, R. Lammin, to carry the mail from Phillippsville to Harlow, Chantry, and to the B. & W. Farmer's Pride cheese factory is receiving a large amount of milk this spring. Mr. Whaley, the new cheesemaker, is making a fine looking lot of cheese. The committee shipped the first cheese this week.

SPREAD OF SMALLPOX.

Ottawa, May 1.—It is reported that there are eight cases of smallpox in Shawville, Que., and the schools have been closed. Five cases were found in one family and three in another. A child from one of the infected houses attended school for several days after the disease had broken out.

Here's a Soaker.

Here is a new and quite unique plan which the members of the church "over the border" have hit on for the purpose of swelling the exchequer. They are getting out invitations to a social at their church parlors, which will undoubtedly prove a surprise to the recipients. When the envelope is opened, out will tumble a dainty little pink sock with a piece of folded paper attached. The paper when unfolded is found to bear the following lines:

"This little sock we give to you
It is not for you to wear.
Please multiply your size by two
And place thereon with care,
In pennies or in cents
Just twice the number that you wear
(We hope it is immense).
So if you wear a No. 10, you owe us 20, see!
Which dropped within our little sock
Will fill our hearts with glee,
'Tis all we ask, it isn't much,
And hardly any trouble,
But if you only have one foot
We'll surely charge you double.
Now if you have a friend quite dear
You'd like to bring with you,
Or if you know some one who'd come
We'll gladly send you two.
So don't forget the place and date,
We'll answer when you knock,
And welcome you with open arms,
BUT DON'T FORGET YOUR SOCKS!"

Man and fish are some what alike, in that if they would keep their mouths shut neither would get into much trouble.

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A good spring medicine is a necessity with almost everyone. Hood's Sarsaparilla is what the millions take in the spring. Its great power to purify and enrich the blood and build up health is one of the facts of common experience.

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Come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. It's a pity they don't run themselves all off that way; but in spite of pimples and other eruptions, they mostly remain in the system. That's bad.

Hood's Sarsaparilla removes them and cures all the painful and disgusting troubles they cause. Nothing else cleanses the system and clears the complexion like Hood's.

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