The Furniture Dealer, has returned from the West, after making arrange-ments with some of the leading manuments with some of the leading manufacturers for large supplies of goods for the fall trade. Look out for bargains, such as \$5 Extension Tables, 80c Chairs, \$2.00 Beds, \$5.00 Hall Stands, \$10 Bedroom Suites, \$2.00 Springs, \$30 Parlor Suites, \$1.50 Cradles, \$6 Sideboards. Packed and shipped free. Everything hardwood, kiln.dried. No half-seasoned basswood.

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The Hatter

Is selling TAM O' SHAN-TERS, worth 6oc for 3oc. just the thing for the river.

BOATING BASE BALL CAPS 2 for 25c, worth 25c each.

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EVERYTHING COMES To those who wait. Now, all who have been waiting for the Grand Midsummer Clearing Sale of Boots, Shoes, Trunks and Valises at W. DOWNEY'S ONE PRICE BARGAIN

Ladies' Genuine Dongola Kid Button Boots, of for \$1.25. Misses' Solid Leather Pebble Button Boots for 75c.
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Men's Fine Buff Lace Boots, whole fox, solid leather, sewed soles, for \$1.25.
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America. Secure a pair before they are all
sold. We have only a limited number to dis-

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COAL OIL

KARLEY BLOCK Sonally, in her place of business after August 28th. Best Quality. Low Price ATHENS

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their suits made up in the very latest style and perfect in fit and workmanship should pat-

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FARMERS' NOTES DISCOUNTED

THE REPORTER

ATHENS, August 29, 1898.

Business notices in local columns 10 cer LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALI-TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Seen by Our Knight of the Pencil.—Local Announcements
Boiled Right Down. Miss A. Kincaid is visiting friends in

Forty-two factories send cheese to Brockville over the B. & W. Miss H. Rowsome, of Wiltsetown.

eturned to Brockville on Saturday. Mrs. (Dr.) Harte is visiting friends at Union Park, on the St. Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold left Athens on Friday last for the World's

Miss J. Jordan, of Westport, and Mr. Empey, of Addison, will attend the Ottawa normal school this term. Carriages built to order, repairing and painting done in first class style at moderate prices.—A. James.

The hunting season opens on Friday next. Ducks, partridge and black squirrels promise to be an average

Mr. B. J. Saunders, of Brockville, has gone to the Nepigon River district to survey a township for the Ontario

Thompson Bros., the cheese men, Sweets' Corners. are said to be in business again under the name of "The Union Produce Leaf; Richard Harvey, Lyndhurst

Mr. Madden, a Kingston buyer, is said to have been in this district last week offering to contract for July, August and September cheese at 10c. Only 2549 cheese were registered on the Brockville board on Thursday. Of these, but few were sold. White Class L, Manufactures. these, but few were sold.
brought 9\frac{1}{2} and colored 9\frac{1}{2}.

Colored chamber sets—pink, brown, blue and grey—only \$2, and full dinner sets in all the new colors for \$6.50, at China Hall, Brockville—T. W. Dennis.

F. W. French, first assistant in Pember bligh, school, signed, an agree, which select in the color of the color o \$6.50, at China Hall, Brockville— T. W. Dennis.

roke high school. ment to return after the holidays. He accepted another situation, and now the matter is to be brought before the Minister of Education.

Buyers have begun negotiations with owners of gentian root properties for a supply of the root for the American market. The crop will be ready for shipment in September. The price will not be as high in New York his will not be as high in New York his of better things he rowed on regardless of time and at noon found, himself in season as it has been in previous seasons. It once sold as high as \$7 per lb. in that city, but is only worth \$2.70

the advertising columns of a reputable paper than in what they see elsewhere.

Millinery. Miss A. Hanna will be found, per-

Some poor dyspeptic, evidently, wails out his anguish in this way;
Backward, turn backward, oh! time HOUSE

| Continued to particular stake, petrified doughnuts and vulcanized cake, oysters that sleep in a watery bath; butter as strong as Golath of Gath; weary of paying for for what I can't eat; chewing up rubber and calling it meat. Backward, turn backward, for weary I am! Give me a whack at grandmother's jam; that work manship should patonize

| A. M. Chassels, Athens | A. M. Chassels, Athe

The Whig says that G. G. Publow, inspector of the eastern Ontario dairymen's association, unexpectedly paid a visit a few days ago and made himself acquainted with two patrons of Maple Grange cheese factory, located at Spring valley, suspected of skimming and adulterating milk. They acknowledged the offence and were assessed \$22.50 each, which they paid.

The fifty first anniversary of the Methodist church in Athens, will be held on Sunday and Monday, Sept. 3rd and 4th.

3rd and 4th.

On Sabbath, 3rd Sept., two sermons will be preached at 10.30 and 7 by the Rev. John Scanlon, the popular and efficient pastor of George street church, Brockville. A special collection at the close of each service.

"Wisdom and folly in home life" is the subject of the celebrated and popular lecture to be delivered on Monday evening by the Rev. C. O. Johnston of Kingston, Ont., who is one of the most cricinal and talented speakers in f Kingston, Ont., who is one of the nost original and talented speakers in

the Dominion.

A new departure is observed in the admission to the lecture. The lecture will be free to all, and all are most cordially invited. No entrance fee, no tickets, but an opportunity will be given at the door, for those who have not already contributed to the funds of the anniversary—to give what they please. Don't miss this great intellectual treat.

Rising Sun No. 85 A. F. & A. M. Aug. 24th, A. L. 5898.

DEAR MRS. ARMSTRONG,—
We the officers and members Rising Sun 85 A. F. and A. M., desire to express our sympathy with you in this your hour of great affliction. The death of your beloved husband has removed from our circle a brother whose constant aim was to promote the welfare of our order and the prosperity of the community. Your cares and sorrows are remembered by brethren who for many years labored with him who can no longer minister to your wants. May the Gracious Giver of all Good enable you to sustain with fortitude your heavy burden! May the Most High be a busband to the widow! And, may we all so live that when the Gavel of Death calls us from our Gavel of Death calls us from our earthly labor, we may enter into that Everlasting Rest prepared for the faithful laborer in the Master's

Signed on behalf of the Lodges WM. JOHNSTON. J. B. SAUNDERS, M. L. DIXON.

Lyndhurst Fair. Following is a list of the judges for the annual fair of Rear Leeds and Lansdowne Agricultural Society, to be held at Lyndhurst on Sept. 21 and

Class A, Horses.—Henry Mulvaugh, Class A, Horses.—Henry Mulvaugh, Lansdowne; John Hudson, Seeley's Bay; Sheldon Bullis, Athens. Class B, C, D, and E, Cattle.— John Cook, Warburton; Charles Rowsom, Athens; John Bower, Seeley's Bay. Class F, Sheep.—West Johnson, Multon; Robert Gerdings, Saeley's

Morton; Robert Gardiner, Bay; Torance Soper, Delta. Class G and H Swine and Poultry. —Alexander Wood, Lyndhurst; Marsh Ripley, Elgin; Wm. Duon, Class P, Grain.-Wm. Green, Oak

Jehoida Coon, Morton.

Class K. Dairy.—Andrew Grey forton; Wm. Bracken, Ellisville Class L, Manufactures. — Alex. Stevens, Delta; D. Fisher, Athens

Wounded, Hungry and Alone Newboro Standard: Great excite

ment prevailed in the village this week over the disappearance of Wm. French, author of "Visions of Hell and per lb. now.

An exchange tells of a fellow who recover time by the control of grapes. He climbed a tree to secure some of the luscious fruit, but An exchange tells of a fellow who every time he goes on a spree insists on paying a year's subscription to his town paper. He has already paid for his paper to January 1st 1972. Efforts will be made at the next presse convention to ascertain the brank? of whiskey that fellow is drinking, in order that it may be more generally placed on the market.

Newspaper advertising is ahead of every other method. There is nothing lasting about signs painted on fences. There is little that is impressive about the sandwich man. A page in a pamphlet which is opened but one and then laid aside is no good. The newspaper is ever before the people. Its contents—advertisements and all—are read and discussed, and it is a well known fact that the reader puts which is now made in the advertising columns of a reputable paper than in what they see elsewhere.

English Spavin Liniment removes



periment of being buried alive. That the plan is practicable is alleged by travelers who claim to have seen the thing done by Indian fakirs.

Captain Osborne, a British army officer, in his work entitled "The Court and Camp of Rungeet Sing," gives a circumstantial account of a fakir who had the extraordinary power of suspending his animation for a great length of time, during which he allowed himself to be kept in a burial vault apart from all supply of air and food. After going through a regular course of preparation, which occupied him seven days, and the details of which are not agreeable to dilate upon, the fakir reported himself ready for interment in a vault which had been prepared for the purpose by order of the maharajah.

Captain Osborne tells us that on the appearance of Rungeet and his court he proceeded to the final preparations that were necessary in their presence. After stopping with wax his ears and nostrils he was stripped and placed in a linen hag, and the last preparation was concluded by turning his tongue forward and thus closing the guiltet. He immediately died away in a kind of lethargy.

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gullet. He immediately died away in a kind of lethargy.

This bag was then closed and sealed with Rungeet's seal and afterward placed in a small deal box, which was also loc ed and sealed. The box was then placed in a vanit, the earth thrown upon it and trodden down and a crop of of barley sown over the spot and sentries placed around it.

The maharajah was, however, very skeptical on the subject, and twice in the course of the 10 months that the fakir remained under ground he sent people to dig him up,

tical on the subject, and twice in the course of the 10 months that the fakir remained under ground he sent people to dig him up, when he was found to be in exactly the same position and in a state of perfectly suspended animation.

At the termination of the 10 months Captain Wade, another British officer, accompanied the maharajah to see the fakir disinterred. He examined the fakir personally and minutely and was convinced that all animation was perfectly suspended. He saw the looks opened and the seals broken by the maharajah and the box brought into the open air. The man was then taken out, and on feeling his wrist and heart not the slightest pulsation was perceptible. The first thing toward restoring him to life was the forcing his tongue back to its proper position, which was done with some little difficulty by a person inserting his finger and forcibly pulling it back and continuing to hold it until it gradually resumed its natural place. Captain Wade describes the top of his head to have been considerably heated, but all other parts of the body were cool and healthy in appearance. Pouring a quantity of warm water upon him constituted the only further measures for his restoration, and in two boars' time he was as well as ever.

This is only one of many testimonials on

A Queer Kind of Faith Cure Practiced by Russian Peasants.

Hecker's "Epidemics of the Middle Ages" absurdities prescribed for such disorders as the sweating sickness and St. Vitus' dance, but the crucial test for the sincerity of the patient's faith was the ordeal of the Flagelants, who roamed from town to town lac-



conjuring efficients.

erating themselves with barbed scourges and mixing their scant meals with gall and wormwood, all in the hope of averting the spread of the epidemic known as the "black death."

Such delusions are, hewever, by no means the exclusive product of the dark ages. Only recently the Vienna Presse reported the case of a Servian grass widow who ate has dfuls of St. John's beetles ("lady bugs") in the hope of regaining the affections of has d'fuls of St. John's beetles ("lady bugs") in the hope of regaining the affections of her absent husband, and the Russian peasants try to cure epilepsy by collecting the largest possible number of patients and making them sit in a circle in a solitary dell of the woods, mumbling prayers in chorus, under the impression that their united appeal would be more apt to propitate the wrath of heaven. To prevent their thoughts from straying to worldly objects the patients are covered with shrouds that make it difficult for them to breaths, so much so indeed that winter is, on the whole, the most popular season for the transaction of the ceremony.

Itch of every kind, on humar of animals, cured in 80 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.

Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone. Sweeney, Stiffes, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Condition for three years from Nervousness, Weakness of the Stomach, Store Save Spore 250 by Miss A. Hanna will be found, personally, in her place of business after August 28th.

Signo Prize.

Given by the BROCKVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE at the Delta Fair. Send for particulars to Gay & McCord, Brockville, Ont.

Backward Turn Backward.

Some poor dyspeptic, evidently, wails out his anguish in this way;

Backward, turn backward, oh! time

Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone. Sweeney, Stifles, Sprains. Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—South American Rheumatic Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers

yana and other continental countries to prevent ducling.

1819—The right of the accused to trial by wager of battle stricken from the statut books, a case having occurred, in the previous year in which it was claimed, and by reason of the refusal of the challenged party to accept the challenge the accused party was acquitted.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Saladin drew a 43 pound Frazer sulky then he made his record of 3:05%. Delmarch, 2:1114, and J. S. 2:2814, are

The pacing mare Cricket, 2:10, is to bred to Direct, 2:05/4, and the product v be the fastest "combine" on record. Mr. Platt, the English turfman, paid \$94,500 for Kendal. His owner has taken the precaution to insure his new purchase. Chinese Girl, 2:26, by Chimes, will be a good one in the 4-year-old events this year. She has stepped a mile in 2:14½ in her work.

In England as far back as 1542 an act of parliament made it compulsory for men of wealth to keep trotting stallions for the

"I would rather get a square trotter that could not show a better gait than 3:00 in preference to a mixed gaited one of 2:20 speed," says a prominent breeder. speed," says a prominent breeder.

The heading of the Alexandra Trotting club of England is a horseshoe inclosing the words "Nancy Hanks, 204," and the motto underneath, "Nil desperandum."
It is said that William Waldorf Astor has set out to have the best racing stable in England. He is fluying every thoroughbred of reputation that is offered to him.

THE PROPER CAPER.

Novel French skirts are shaped with many gores, then gathered front and back, but left with a plain smooth gore at the

The statement that very many openwork and embroidered white silk stockings were included in Princess May's trousseau will doubtless do much toward giving this fash-

There is a sudden revival of all the rich and pale shades of brown, from auburn, chestnut, vandyke, etc., through the many handsome half tones, to beige, fawn and pale amber brown. A summer coat for wear on cool days of evenings is made of black English serge open, and turned back in from with either white or colored bengaline silk revers The coat is tight fitting in the back.

Belted round waists, single breasted or in double directoire fashion, with plastron and revers or yoke and girdle, are in the height of fashion, being this season almost as greatly favored by tailors as by the dress makers. Embroidered French muslins, with del

cate flower borders, are made into youthful looking empire dresses, hooked behind, the dainty borders' forming a yoke and edging the round, full empire skirt either in bands or little frills.

or little frills.

Many c: the plainer English serge and nopsacking glowns made by the best of tailors are simply finished by two or three rows of stitching and rely upon the fancy silk shirt waist for the only touch of decoration and brightness about the dress. and brightness about the dress.

White dresses show touches of deep color here and there, and airy textiles are often used as a transparency to throw a creamy film over rose pink, corn yellow and willow green, with now and then a somber note provided by a toilet of black gauze, net or lace.—New York Evening Post.

The Victoria cross, which we often read

SCIENTIFIC SCRAPS.

One of the lost arts is the manufacture of One of the most wonderful discoveries in science that has been made within the last year or two is the fact that a beam of light

The carbon of the food, mixed with the oxygen of the air, furnishes fuel for the body, which evolves the heat in exactly the same way that a fire or candle does. same way that a fire or candle does.

The learned Dr. McKatterell, in his article on the rapidity of thought, says that it requires one thirtieth of a second for the mind to distinguish between red and blue.

Jupiter's satellite is double—in other words, what has heretofore been taken for a single moon is indeed two moons—a large and a small one—the lesser slowly revolving around the greater.

Wanted. Agents to sell our choice and hardy Nursery stock. We have many new special varieties oth in fruits and ornamentals, to offer, which are controlled only by us. We pay commission or salary. Write us at once for terms, and MAY BROTHERS, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

> Charleston Lake. Two or three well furnished rooms at Idle hile cottage can be rented by the week se of kitchen, cooking utensils, wood, and bleware included. Enquire of DHILLIPS.

Scientific American

Ten Rolls of Paper and Border for 50c.

Paper for 18c 20c 10c 8c

DELL'S Central Block, Athens.

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WATCHES The best makes at the lowest price Gold, Silver and Filled cases.

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WM. COATES & SON JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

DRESS GOODS

This week we are having a run or This week we are being allowed and black, 42 inches wide, at Blue and Black, 42 inches wide, at Blue and Black, 42 inches wide, at in Blue and Black, 2s in Blue and Black at 50c. Serges in Blue and Black at 50c. Black Cashmere's at 25c, 35c, 40c and 48c are grand value. Whip Cords, Fancy Tweeds and Summer Cords, Fan

CLOTHING Vests left, also a few Alpaca Coats which we will clear at a sacrifice. Felt Hats at cost. Latest styles in Children's Suits, Children's Fancy Caps and Tam o' Shanters, at

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Main St., opposite Maley's Boot & Shoe Sto

Carries the LARGEST STOCK OF WATCHES of any house in town

WILL BE SOLD RIGHT Repairing by Skilled Workmen Out

General and Nervous Debility,

Weakness of Body and Mind, Effects of Weakness of Body and Mind, Effects of Errors or Excesses in Old or Young. Robust, Noble Manhood fully Restored. How to Enlarge and Strengthen Weak, Undeveloped Organs and Parts of Body. Absolutely unfailing Home Treatment—Benefits in a day. Men festif from 50 States and Foreign-Countries. Write them. Descriptive Book, explanation and proofs mailed (sealest) free. ERIE MEDICAL CO., Buffalo, N.Y.

GOINDON OPPORTUNITY

Wall Paper Bargains in Dry Goods. Stock Must be Reduced

> LTHOUGH our spring and early summer trade he been much larger than former years, yet we are carring \$3,000,00 more goods than we should at this dat and will reduce the amount during the next 30 days by making Genuine and Sweeping reductions in price throughout the entire stock. This certainly is a money-saving opportunity. Will you improve it?

A NEW POATORIO

Our Special Bargain and Remnant Counter—every article a prize. Don't fail to make an early visit.

H H ARNOLD

ATHENS GROCERY

We Always Lead. We Never Follow

And we have struck it hard this time. During August we will sell at following prices:-

lbs. best Valencia Raisins 4 lbs. best Valencia Haisin 4 lbs. Currants for 25c. Soda Biscatts, 23e per box. Muscavado Sugar, all grad-light for \$1.00. 4 lbs. Starch for 25c. Mixed Candy, 10c. per lb. Boneless Fish, 6c. per lb. Soaps, all kinds, at reduc "C" Flour \$1.95 per cwt.

for 25c. Stone, Butter and Fruit Jars, all sizes, at reduced prices.

Never were such bargains offered to the trade in Tin before.

Our space will not do to quote prices on other lines, such as Baking Powder, Canned Goods, Extracts, Etc., but call and inspect our stock and get

The Athens Grocery

Mott & Robeson.

When in Brockville

Spect C. W. LeClair's stock of Ready-made Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Hats and Caps.

CHAN LECT WAR

Directly Opposite Buell Street,

Since we adopted the Cash System many have asked us how it worked. Well, we are satisfied with it. On the start our refusal to give credit offended a few long pay customers. We expected that. But they are all coming back and bringing their dollars with them. The reduction in price we made on first of July was genuine and embraced every line of our great stock. The people, especially the ladies, go where they get the best value, and if you wish to know how the Cash system operates at our store, read the following:—

Sees clothes Overjoyed Our prices Never fail 6 Bring Pa He mad Hard words

8 We supply

10 Bill ready Man takes Sees now What to do

14 Best place Found yet Come again You bet. Figures up Great snakes 11 \$\$ left 15 Pleased then

16 Good goods Stock large 12 Both please Very nice

13 Go home Sit down Think it over

You buy

The Great Bargain House - Athens, Ontario

J. H. MCLAUCHLIN



W. F. EARL - ATHENS

Buy It! Try It! Buy the favorite brand of Machine Oil, viz,:

Peerless Machine Oil

ALL general dealers and Hardware men keep it. Does not gum or corrode and wears better than castor oil. Ask for it, insist on having it, and when you have given it a trial you will be delighted with the wearing qualifies.

The Samuel Rogers Oil Co. OTTAWA

Dress Goods at 20 per cent less than

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Boy reads Our ad Tells Ma

BROCKVILLE .

Give us a call when wanting anything in our line. We can suit you. LOST OR FAILING MANHOOD,



in thy flight, feed me gruel again just for to-night; I am so weary of sole leather stake, petrified doughnuts and vulcanized cake, ovsters that planting. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits, 75 cents. Warranted by J. P. Lamb.