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## YOUR NEW COAT

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### Local Items

The Reporter and Weekly Globe and Canada Farmer will be sent to any address in Canada from date until the end of 1912 for \$1.50.

"The best township fair"—that's what everybody says when speaking of Frankville exhibition. The show this year takes place on the 28th and 29th, and a high-class continuous programme has been arranged for the last day. Go and meet your friends—they're sure to be there.

There was a pretty wedding at Harlow on Wednesday last, when Miss Louise Campbell, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. Campbell, was united in marriage to Mr Oscar Wills of Smith's Falls. The ceremony took place in the Methodist church which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bridesmaid was Miss Pearl McMillan of Ellipsisville and the groomsmen were Mr W. A. Tweedy of Smith's Falls.

#### The B. Y. P. U.

The Baptist Young People's Union reorganized on Tuesday evening and elected the following officers:—  
Hon. President—Rev Westell.  
President—Miss A. Currie.  
Vice-Pres—Miss W. Wilson.  
Treasurer—Miss E. McConnell.  
Secretary—Miss A. Stevens.  
Organist—Miss G. Breese.

#### Death of Mrs. Besley

The remains of Mrs John Besley, who died in Hamilton, arrived here on Monday evening and were conveyed to the family residence at hard Island. Mrs Besley went to Hamilton from Haileybury a few weeks ago for medical treatment and to visit her sister, Mrs E. Middleton.

Deceased was a daughter of the late Justus Robeson and had spent nearly her whole life in this section, where she was highly esteemed. About four years ago she removed with her husband and family to Haileybury. Her health had been poor for some time, so this sad termination was not unexpected.

Besides her husband, she leaves a family of small children to mourn her loss, and these have the sympathy of many friends here in their sad bereavement.

#### ROBERTSON—WEESE

At Addison, at 10 a.m. on Sept. 20, Miss Williametta Weese, daughter of Rev W. W. Weese, was married to Mr Harry Bostwick Robertson, son of Mr J. M. Robertson, merchant of Pakenham. The wedding ceremony was performed in the Methodist church, the altar of which was decked with white and pink flowers. After the wedding party and groom had taken their places the march was played by Miss Frances A. Weese, sister of the bride, while the latter, elegantly gowned and carrying a large bouquet of white roses, lilies of the valley and rare ferns, entered leaning on the arm of her father, the pastor of the church, who also pronounced the sacred words that made them husband and wife.

The dining room of the parsonage, where a sumptuous dinner was served, was tastefully decorated with plants and flowers in pink, white and green. The bride's presents were numerous, useful and costly, including silverware and a piano. The happy young pair proceeded by carriage to Brockville where they boarded the fast train for Montreal and other eastern points and on returning will be at home at Kinburn, Ont.

#### O'DONNELL—HICKEY

The following notice we take from The Daily Province, Regina, August 28th:—

Fred J. O'Donnell, manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. in Regina, was married at Portage la Prairie to Miss Stella A. Hickey. The young couple will take up their residence on Cornwall Street. The Portage gives the following particulars:—

St. Cathbert's Church was the scene this morning of a wedding in which the contracting parties were Fred J. O'Donnell of Regina and Miss Stella Hickey, daughter of Mrs Catherine Hickey of Athens, Ontario, the ceremony being performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. Father Arsenault. The bride, who was given away by her brother, G. W. Hickey of Athens, was gowned most becomingly in a tailored suit of grey serge, with picture hat of black velvet, and was attended by Miss

Caroline O'Donnell of Fort William, sister of the groom, while Ed. O'Donnell, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the residence of Mrs S. Kerr, Campbell street, and Mr and Mrs O'Donnell left on the 10 o'clock train for the east, after which they will take up their home in Regina. Since coming to Regina the bride has been operator at the C.N.R. city office, and has made herself very popular, which was shown by the numerous gifts bestowed on her. The groom was formerly manager for the Singer Sewing Machine in this city.

#### RECIPROCITY REJECTED

On another page of this issue we give in full the results of the polling in Canada on Thursday last. The Conservatives, backed by many Liberals, turned down the reciprocity proposal by an overwhelming vote. It is a complete victory, so sweeping in its character that Bourassa and his little bunch of malcontents in Quebec are completely submerged. They will be able to command no special favors or considerations from the new Government. For this, all loyal Canadians will be thankful.

In Athens, at the Conservative committee rooms on Thursday evening, there was much jubilation and early in the evening the younger citizens, in harmony with the prevailing spirit, had a bonfire blazing merrily on Main Street.

In the Liberal rooms the returns were received quietly, and as it became evident that the Government had met with a decisive defeat there was a rapid thinning out of the attendance.

The defeat of Hon. Geo. P. Graham is keenly regretted by the Liberals, as he was with them a most popular candidate and to many a personal friend. His public career has been one of marked success and it is hoped that he may, at some not distant date, be placed in a position to again serve this country in a public capacity.

As the evening wore on the elders repaired to their homes, but the young men and boys were bound to make a night of it and about 12 o'clock, headed with a life and drum, they paraded the streets. The familiar airs of the glorious 12th soon changed their thoughts from Rouge and Bleu to Orange and Green, and the procession developed into an Orange demonstration. In this the boys were needlessly offensive. However, it was a pretty fair brand of music, with cheers filling all interludes, that the boys served up, and no one took serious exception to the parade.

Following is the result of the vote in this riding:—

	Graham	Webster
Brockville .....	1078	1099
Athens .....	105	86
Elizabethtown .....	429	537
Front of Escott .....	130	121
Front of Yonge .....	198	147
Rear Yonge & Escott .....	94	175
	2034	2165

#### AN ADDRESS

To the Electors of Brockville Riding:—  
Gentlemen,—After fifteen years of Liberal rule in Canada, the Government has been defeated. It is gratifying to have the testimony of those opposed to Sir Wilfrid, that under his administration Canada has enjoyed and is enjoying unparalleled prosperity. He is leaving the affairs of the country in a much better shape than he found them. The Government has gone down on a big issue, in which the people took a very deep interest, and on which it was not unreasonable there should exist a great divergence of opinion.

In Brockville, in addition to this great question, one or two local matters played an important part.

As your representative in the local legislature and Dominion parliament, for the past thirteen years, I have endeavored to perform my whole duty, both to the country and the constituency.

I wish to thank with my whole heart those who stood by me through all those years, and particularly will I never forget those brave men who sacrificed time, energy and business in the campaign just closed in my interest. Words are inadequate to express my feelings of gratitude. Trusting that everything will work out in the best interests of our beloved country, I remain, Gentlemen,  
Your obedient servant,  
Geo. P. Graham.

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One lot of Auto Coats, nice green shade, regular price \$6.50, for .... **\$4.45**

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