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Athens, Leeds County, Ontario, Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1901.

B. Loverin, Prop'r

"Brockville's Biggest Store."

### Our Annual White Goods and White Wear Sale

Commencing Wednesday morning, January 2nd—this noteworthy event—made possible by forethought. Months ago—before the rise in cottons—we placed large orders for ladies' white underwear—and their timely arrival enables us to sell these goods away under present market prices. Just think of a white cambric night gown, good quality, yoke front, neatly tucked in clusters, rolling collar and lonsdale frills for 65 cents. Drawers, corset covers, etc. at equal bargains.

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### REAR OF YONGE AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.

The council met at the town hall, Athens, on Saturday, Dec. 15th, at one o'clock. Members all present. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted and signed by the reeve and clerk.

A by-law to appoint deputy returning officers and provide polling places for municipal elections received three readings and was passed.

The statute labor tax of Thomas Dixie was ordered to be refunded, and Jas. B. Saunders' statute labor tax was remitted. On account of sickness, the taxes of Thomas Ross were remitted.

The petition to submit a by-law relating to the purchase of the Farmersville plank road was laid over for the next council to deal with.

Orders were given on the treasurer as follows:—Edward Davis, for repairing two culverts in road division 13 \$2.00; The Brockville Times for blanks furnished the clerk \$1.50; B. Loverin for printing, \$50.05; H. C. Phillips, balance due for taking care of hall, \$12; Thomas Kavanagh, for 100 feet of plank for road division No. 2, \$1.00; John Dockrill, for work done on the 6th con. road, under him as commissioner, \$70.00; A. W. Kelly, serving notices for voters lists court, \$3.00; Joseph Moulton, salary as collector, \$4.00; The councillors each, as salary, \$12.00; The reeve's salary, \$12.00, salary as clerk, \$75.00, selecting jury, \$3.00, postage and stationery, \$3.00; Joseph M. Clow, selecting jury, \$3.00; Irwin Witte, salary as treasurer, \$30. Council adjourned until called by the reeve.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk

### GREENBUSH

Miss Whiting and Miss Billings of Brockville spent a short time with friends here lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Billings of Brockville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Olds on Monday.

Messrs. T. W., and L. M. Smith of Smith's Falls spent Christmas with their mother, Mr. M. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Olds spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Connor, North Augusta.

The annual school meeting took place to day. The business was done satisfactorily. Mr. Thomas Kerr was elected trustee.

A number from here attended the oyster supper at Rockspring last night and report having a good time.

The Sabbath School entertainment was a success, financially and socially. The dialogues, singing and recitations by the young people and children were very interesting.

Mrs. G. Cannon of Singleton is spending some time with her parents.

Wedding bells have been ringing. It is reported that one of our most respected young gentlemen in the person of Mr. Ephraim Miller has been joined in matrimony with Miss Deavitt of New York.

As Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home in this vicinity, they will be welcomed by a host of friends. We wish them the compliments of the season and the happiness of a long and useful life.

A very pleasing event occurred on Monday, 24th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almeron Blazharc, it being the marriage of their only daughter, Keitra, to Mr. W. Chalmers of New York city. Although wishing the young couple all the pleasure possible, yet we are forced to admit that Mrs. Chalmers' leaving causes a vacancy that will be difficult to fill. She is a of sterling value, having filled with great acceptance many important offices in the church, such as Sabbath School teacher, president of the Epworth League, member of the choir, and frequently acted as organist. To be acquainted with her was but to respect and love her.

The esteem in which she was held was shown by the large number of beautiful and useful presents which she received from the numerous friends. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Lawson of Addison. Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers will reside in New York city, and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

**Sudden deaths on the increase.**—People apparently well and happy to-day, to-morrow are stricken down, and in ninety-nine cases out of every hundred the heart is the cause. The king of heart remedies, Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, is within reach of all. It relieves in 30 minutes, and cures most chronic cases.—91

### FRONT OF YONGE.

R. R. Phillips has just returned from Tuscola county, Michigan, to which place he had been in search of heirs to the Towe estate.

William Andress has been working for his brother, George, in Gananoque, but on account of illness he was obliged to quit work and return to his home.

Mr. D. Ladd and daughter have left their summer quarters and will board and lodge with Mr. Nunn during the winter.

The Rev. Vassar of the Methodist church was the recipient of a fine Christmas turkey. It had been placed on the tree by the Sabbath school children.

Mr. Ormon Gibson lost by chicken thieves one night last week some fine hens, all taken in one night.

Mr. Edward Khan, the Caintown blacksmith is now recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism and has gone to work.

### NEW DUBLIN.

WED., Dec. 26.—The concert held in the Town Hall on Friday night, under the auspices of the public school, passed off very pleasantly and was a decided success in every particular.

A large number from Spring Valley, Glen Buell and Greenbush were in attendance, besides the friends and parents of the pupils, who filled the building to its capacity, even the window sills being utilized for seats. The part of the programme by the school, consisting of songs, recitations, Christmas carols, etc was carried out in an interesting manner, reflecting much credit upon the ability of the teacher, Miss Mackie, and Miss Vienna Kenrick, who took charge of the musical part of the programme. The dialogues were all that could be desired. The characters were taken by Misses Ethel Davis, Minnie Johnston, Susie Horton, Alma Gordon, and Messrs Aaron Sherman, Ira Moore, Ernest Kendrick and Victor Rowsom. The solos given by Miss Ethel and Lenna Davis and the recitations by Miss Gertie Forth were much appreciated by the audience, and each responded to an encore. The comic songs given by N. A. Horton elicited much applause. J. B. Barry, the township clerk, occupied the chair in a most efficient manner. Proceeds of concert, \$25.00.

### CAINTOWN

For some time past the young people of this section have been seen wending their way to the school house where they have been busily engaged in preparing for an entertainment which was to take place Dec. 20th.

The evening at last arrived and by seven o'clock the room was comfortably filled. While these anxious people were waiting for the appointed hour for the beginning of the night's programme, Mr. Moulton of Landis-downe favored the waiting crowd that had by this time gathered with several selections from the gramophone.

At eight o'clock Mr. N. J. Leeder called the uncomfortably filled hall to order and began the proceedings for the evening, which consisted of songs, recitations, dialogues, stump speeches, and music by the orchestra and gramophone, all of which were heartily enjoyed by those present.

The evening's entertainment was brought to a close by a hearty unison of voices in the old familiar anthem, "God save the Queen."

But it was not all over. Just at this point order was called and our teacher, Miss Stevens, summoned to the platform where she was presented with a beautiful easel album and the following address, read by Maggie Ladd:

"Dear Teacher:—Hearing that you are about to leave us, we present you with this album as a slight token of our appreciation of your valuable services and the high regard in which you are held by the pupils of school section No. 10.

You have held the position of teacher for this last year, in which we think you have discharged your duties honorably and judiciously, and we hope the parting will be to your inexpressible advantage.

Wishing you a merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, we are the pupils of Ballycanoe school."

After the presentation of the album, Miss Stevens replied in words of thanks for the kindness both children and people of the section had shown her during the year.

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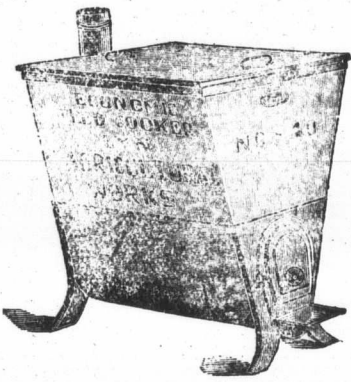
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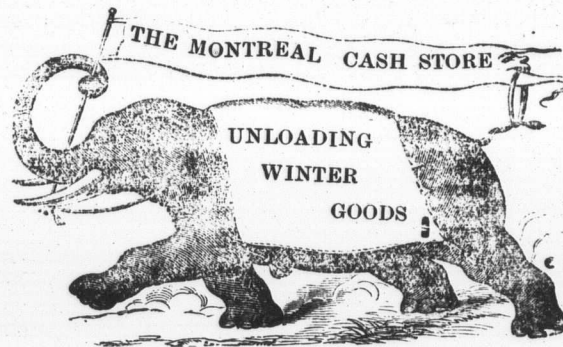


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### PHIL. WILTSE.

crowd dispersed, well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

The proceeds, which amounted to about \$14.00 will be donated for school purposes.

### Kingston Business College Scholarship for Sale.

A scholarship in the above institution is always valuable, being one of the most popular and progressive business and shorthand colleges in Canada. During the past few months over fifty of its graduates have been placed in positions, personal mention of which has been made in this paper. In the recent civil service examinations over ninety per cent. of its candidates passed successfully and eclipsing all other colleges in Canada in book keeping and stenography. This is the third year for this college to lead in these examinations. For information regarding the scholarship address The Times Printing Co., Kingston, Ont.

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