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"Brockville's Greatest Store"

## Nemo - Corsets

The famous Nemo Self-Reducing Corset should be known to every woman who desires perfection of figure combined with comfort and grace.

This Corset reduces the abdomen, back, hips and figure without crowding the internal organs downward and out of place.

Tightly laced corsets are not only uncomfortable but dangerous. The Nemo Lastikops bandlet, and relief band, give the desired result without the objectionable tight lacing.

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## Now for the Big Round-up

The last week of the biggest shoe sale ever held in Brockville, not cheap shoes, but the kind that Kelly sells, the best that the best factories can produce. Reduced to compel every pair on sale to sell themselves this week. The cost of the shoes is not taken into consideration for this the last week of

## Kelly's Big Shoe Sale

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## School Opening

He will go back to school with more enthusiasm and good will if he knows that his clothes were bought from the store which cares not how cheap, but strong and snappy. Just the little details that are lacking from the ordinary kind.

Boy's Navy Blue Serge Suits, bloomer pant or straight knicker, three or two piece suits, Norfolk or plain double breasted coat, all sizes from 24 to 34..... \$3.50

Fine all wool Navy Blue Serge, full peg top bloomer pant, roll long lapel on coat, side seams pressed, the naggiest, jaunty boys suit shown this season all sizes 25 to 33..... \$5.00

New Brown Tweed Mixtures, with the peg top bloomer clean neat patterns that you usually only find in the men's suits. Suits just like father's, all sizes..... \$5.00

Fine all wool Worsteds and Tweeds, clean neat patterns, in the new grey and brown shades, trimmed and cut same as our men's suits, no small details missing all sizes up to 35..... \$7.50

## COLCOCK'S

Brockville

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## A GREAT DAY

Labor Day Celebration in Athens a Great Success—Fine Music, Big Crowd, High-Class Programme.

The Labor Day celebration in Athens on Monday was the most successful event of the kind ever held in this village. The management was in charge of the following committees:—  
Decorations—J. H. Ackland, N. E. Smith, G. Holmes, E. McLean, B. Willson.  
Horse Racing—A. Scott, J. Ross, D. L. Johnston, C. C. Slack, B. Bullard (starter).  
Finance—E. S. Clow, E. J. Purcell, H. Stevens.  
Reeve Holmes cordially endorsed the proposed celebration and actively aided in its promotion, filling the office of executive chairman and G. S. for all the committees.

After the complete draw out of last year, it is not to be supposed that the committees were any too hopeful of results this year, but with commendable enterprise they completed every detail of preparation and the Weather Clerk finished the job by handing out the finest day of the season.

The number that gathered in the village during the early forenoon was not large, but the first notes of Toledo Brass Band seemed all that was necessary to call the people in. And it may be remarked just here that it was good music that did the calling. The Toledo Band is one of the best musical organizations in this part of Ontario, and the quality and quantity of music furnished during the day left nothing to be desired. The leader, C. A. Wood, has reason to be proud of his music-makers.

Commencing about noon, a steady stream of people poured into the village until about 2800 had assembled at the grounds.

Several refreshment booths did a rushing business, and down town a restaurant was conducted in the Taylor store by Mr. A. M. Eaton to provide for the overflow from the Armstrong House. Mr. McVeigh entertained to the full capacity of his house and the needs of all were fully met.

The programme of sports was interesting, entertaining, and at times exciting. One of the features of the day was the nail-driving contest. Now, nearly every lady thinks she can drive a nail (witness the mural decorations in many homes) and the event had to be made a double-header to accommodate all that sought distinction along this line. Mr. J. McKenny provided the board. It was a nice, smooth, dry birch, so hard that nothing less than a bullet from a Ross rifle would penetrate it, but the ladies failed to recognize its character and their heroic attempts to drive nails in it was intensely amusing. Then a softer plank was substituted and the nails were driven home in a very lady-like manner.

The 10-mile Marathon failed to fill, and after consulting with Mr. Donovan, M.P.P., donor of this cups, the distance was reduced to five miles and a good race resulted.

The baseball and football events were both closely contested games and were closely watched, the fine team-play of the Old Country boys of Brockville club being particularly admired.

The horse races under Mr. Bullard's experienced direction were fair tests of speed, and the good time recorded surprised and delighted the onlookers.

The foot races and other contests were all well filled and the competition was keen.

The exhibition of speed given by the Hanson automobile party was thrilling. On this small track two miles were covered in 3.04.

Following is the result of the different events, the names of contestants (excepting in horse races) being given in the order in which they finished:—

Farmers' Race  
Pearl (J. King) ..... 1 2 2 2  
Reno (H. Stevens) ..... 2 1 1 1  
Clint (J. A. Burns) ..... 3 3 3 3  
John L. (Lapointe) ..... 4 4 4 x  
Eddie Dod (Taylor) ..... 5 x

2.40 Class  
Maud S (A. Scott) ..... 3 3 3 3  
Diplomat Jr (Chant) ..... 1 2 2 1 2  
Billy Wilkes (Heffernan) ..... 2 1 1 2 1  
Skip (Slack) ..... 4 x

Running Race  
Maude (Ross) ..... 1 1

Dora (Cowle) ..... 3 3  
Prince (J. Stewart) ..... 2 2

Marathon—5 Mile  
Guv Halladay  
F. McCormick  
C. Gifford  
K. Watson

Foot Race—1 Mile  
Ambrose McGhie  
Frank Murray  
W. Goodbody  
F. McCormick

Half-Mile Race—12 to 15 yrs  
E. Edgar, Brockville  
E. King  
F. Hawley

Bicycle Race  
S. Livingston  
E. Robinson  
Clarence Dack  
James Campbell

Potato Race  
K. Halladay  
M. Wilson  
R. Shea

Ladies—Nail-Driving (1)  
Mrs. Biglow  
Mrs. W. Brown  
Bess Rowsom

Ladies—Nail-Driving (2)  
Mrs. W. Hawkins  
Gertie Moulton  
Damy Hawkins

Needle Race  
M. Wilson  
A. Phillips  
C. Smith

Half-Mile Foot Race (under 12)  
V. Read  
B. Sexton  
R. Johnston

100 Yard Race  
G. Halladay  
E. Shea  
G. Whitford

Sack Race  
G. Darling  
E. King  
N. Read

Bun Eating  
Grant Darling.

Football  
Rovers (Brockville)—M. Burns, J. Lucas, S. Warner, W. Miller, C. Willis, E. Preater, E. Johnston, T. Grant, A. Russell, W. Jones, H. Dean.—Goals 3.  
Dreadnaughts (McIntosh Mills)—J. Cobey, J. Hockey, F. Leeder, J. Hudson, F. Leeder, J. Davis, B. Leeder, E. Armstrong, T. Leeder, Ed. Leeder.—Goal 1.

Baseball  
Easton's Corners—Moag, Snyder, Hyslop, Everts, Price, R. Price, Cassell, Horton, Smith.  
Morton—Kirkland, Hudson, Singleton, Somerville, Warner, Niblock, Neddo, McLeod, Taber.  
Score, 14 to 6 in favor of Easton's Corners.

The gate receipts totalled \$187.82, the membership badges brought in \$54.00 more, and as the committee had about \$129.00 in the treasury to start with, the Labor Day celebration is now on a sound financial basis.

The managers of Athens Labor Day celebration are gaining by experience and—well—just watch the celebration soar next year!

### MOTT—DANBY

At the George Street Methodist Church parsonage on Wednesday last Thomas Brown united in marriage Edward Blake Mott, a well-to-do young farmer living near Lyn, and Miss Edith, daughter of James Danby, an employee of the Eastern Hospital. The bride and groom were unattended throughout the ceremony.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mott left by the afternoon train for Toronto and Buffalo on a wedding trip followed by the best wishes of a host of friends.

The survey of the proposed route of the new Ottawa, Smith's Falls and Kingston electric railway is being pushed forward by the engineers. The route will pass through the picturesque portion of the Rideau Lakes. The company is backed by British capital.

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