for the part week or sc.

the ear.

Knowlton's.

new drive house this spring.

ed on his old neighbors last week.

CHANTRY

Stephen Knowlton has been poorly

Mr. Delorma Woods intends erecting

Wright Sheldon, of Oak Leaf, call

Miss Annie Donohue was the guest

Mr. E. Bresee is busily engaged

From early morn till late at night

Mr. John Davis, our black mith, is

recovering from his sudden attack of

Mr. Jinkins, of Uncle Sam's

domains, is visiting at Mr. F. O.

Miss Kate Bolin has returned home

Anyone wanting to buy a horse with

DAYTOWN

has the milk route to Delta.

Kingston with maple syrup.

opportunities.

good condition

through this section.

injuring severa others.

are shipping calves at present.

We understand that Mr. Sherman

Philip Stevens is away on a trip to

Geo Huffman and James Huffman

Ploughing and fitting the ground for

The sucker season is now at hand

at present as the ground is in quite

ter to go to sea on. Water is a good thing to fire at boys with a squirtgun and to catch fishes in." But the stran-gest of all uses for water is this: "No-body," he says, "could be saved from

drowning if there wasn't water to them out of." This reminds one of the boy's essay on pins, in the course of which he said that pins had saved many

lives by people not swallowing them.

The Youngster Hushed.

was entertained at a public dinner, at which his son, a high official in the de-

When Turtles Were Big.

existed so far back as the mesozoic era

epoch which measured 20 feet in spread

toises were not less big in body, meas-

Not to Be Sacrificed.

The man who loves to tell us how His fellow man should act And bids us to his teachings bow And hall them as exact. If all the world were good and wise, Revealing through and through No cause for cossure to his eyes, What would the good man do?

And so we will be mortal still

We ask it with a sense of awe, What would the good man do

Concluding the Story.

De Tanque-My father is 80 years old

A Dreadful State.

A Parasite.

Towne-It seems Jenkins has just dis-

covered that he has a family tree.

Browne—Yes, it's an outgrowth of his

Twas said by a Whig That a man with a gig Imposed a clear claim to gentility, But a man who would now Win the parvenu's bow

successful business plant

half we hear.

He-Well, we can't believe more than

-Always drinks from the

And so we will be mortal still
And go our taitering ways.
Lest we might check the critie's skill
And miss his rounded phrase,
For it we never broke a law
Nor had to start anew

all vertebrates, resembling clos

uring 12 feet from head to tail.

seeding is now the order of the day.

of Miss Kate Bolin one day last week.

#### SEELEY'S BAY

J. H. McKinley is building a new

Wm. Johnston, P.S.I., paid school a visit on Friday last. Several of our citizens are putting

up wire fences of the latest styles. Myles Young is building a new kitchen and wood house, and other wise improving his residence

plowing on the farm of S. L. Knowl-Mrs. M. E. Preston is removing to Elgin this week and will open up a eressmaking business there. the sound of carpet beating falls upon

G. R Hawkins is erecting a new drive house and stable and has the cellar excavated for his new brick resi-

Steacy Bros have commenced the erection of their new brick block. Mr. Aaron Sherman, of New Dublin, has

Last Monday evening Miss Paul from Montreal where she underwent a missionary at Port Simpson, on the serious operation for her ear. Pacific Coast, gave a very interesting lecture in the Methodist church, on the manners and customs of the a good recommend, would do well to have a proper building in which to call on A. Brown, our general mer-Indians in that country.

In memory of Hannah Simpson, who died March 16th, 1902, aged 18

The reaper death is gathering Hi she was in, one by one, And placing them where they will

Bright as the noonday sun.

The buds that here one arth did bloom, In heaven will brighter grow; For Jesus blots out all their stains And washes white as snow.

Yes, Hannah, thou hast left this world For realms so pure and bright, You've changed your robes and gone to wear

A robe of spotless white.

That smiling face no more we'll see, But Jesus knows what's best; That blythe form that we used to know Is lying now at rest

Yes, we can surely say, at rest; Her sufferings now are o'er; And she will share the joys of Heaven With those that's gone before

Hannah, dear thou hast gone and left

And the house will lonely be ; All your kindness now we'll think of All your loving ways we'll see.

But dear brothers and dear sisters, That kind face you'll see no more, Till Jesus gathers you together Over on that golden shore.

Father, mother, thou art weeping, And thy grief is hard to hear; Only think that she is with Jesus, And is waiting for you there.

She was innocent and loving, Her sins though few are now forgiven; We are left to toil in sorrow, While she has gained the port called Heaven.

Dearest Hannah how we miss But our hopes are bright and clear. For that glad re-union yonder, When our lives are finished here.

JULIA A. SIMPSON, Seeley's Bay, Ont.

FRANKVILLE

Going from Athens, we noticed the mills of Messrs. Running loom up in their red coat, trimmed with white. These gentlemen must be prospering as they are building a cheese factory, central to Irish Creek, Rockspring and Frankville. As we came into village we missed our old friend, W. D. Livingston. He traded his village property with Mr. Munroe for a farm

near the village. The next change we notice is the change in the hotel, formerly owned by the late Mr. Edgers, which is now handsome mansion. The exterior is modern and has a fine look, and we have no doubt that the interior, with its numerous and commodious rooms, is finished with equally as fine tasce by the proprietor, Dr. Burns. It adds materially to the appearance of the

We follow Mr. Livingston to his farm and we find him cheerful and contented, and he has good reasons to and has never used glasses. be so, for he has had a truly prosperous year on the farm, a truly profitable return from his apiary, and he has just harvested and is now selling 250 gal. of syrup tor nearly as many dollars. Mr. Livingston often receives evidence of respect due to a life of uprightness lieve more than half I say.—Life. and integrity. It does pay even yet to do unto others as you would they He has the should do unto you. benefit of a stone road from Brockville to Smith's Falls, and he thinks if we count the wear and tear on horse flesh, harness, buggy, wagons, etc , loss in delays in doing a thing, loss in not do ing it at all, and the consideration of other, things, take it all in all a farmer living along a stone roadis soon bene fited \$100 by that road.

W. S HOUGH.

# Poorly?

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OUR PROPOSED TOWN HALL.

Editor of the Reporter: Sir,-On Monday next, 28th inst. the freeholders of Athens will vote town hall or no town hall. As the have the power to say whether we are town's business or not, would it not be well to think the matter over before casting your vote either way. Every one should be interested in our yillage The by-law is fairly put before every one and the amount required annually for 20 years. After that, and even before the debt is wiped off, it should be, and I believe can be, made to near ly, if not quite, pay the amount re Many of our busi quired each year. ness men who have the heaviest taxes to pay think that a good hall, with rooms on the ground floor, can be made to pay nearly the whole amount and the boys are now improving their required. Some will say we don't want a hall to bring shows here, as Quite a lot of seeding is being done they will take away more money than they leave. Don't measure it in that way. People have to get a certain Deacon skins seem to be in good amount of enjoyment and why no bring con panies here who will gratify

demand, by the number of buyers their tastes in that direction instead of Philip Stevens lost five valuable having them go to other towns to spend their money. I do not know of any better place than Athens for a cows recently by the stanchions falling down and breaking their necks, and good hall for entertainments of every kind. There is a good country all around it, and so many villages near-by A Boy's Essay on Water. that would each send a quota here to A very original essay on water is quoted by a contemporary. One or two of the writer's ideas upon the subject are strikingly novel. For instance, he divides all water into four subheadings any good entertainment and would each leave more or less money in the town each time. I think that Athens should come to the front and supply vides all water into four subneadings-rainwater, soda water, holy water and brine. "Water," he continues, "is used for a good many things. Sailors use wa-ter to go to sea on. Water is a good this want. Now is the time to improve our village and the better

ccommodation we have for the outside

public, the better will all classes of business be patronized. Just think of it, ratepayers. 10 or 12 villages within a radius of say 15 miles, and a ot of farmers' sons and others having plenty of money and fine rigs to drive to this town with, who want some place to go to occasion ally to spend an evening and have a social good time. The boys who work When the great French chemist Cheren attained his hundredth birthday, he hard on the farm want some place to go to occasionally, and why not to Athens, to a good show or entertain which his son, a high official in the de-partment of justice, 67 years old, was also present. The old man made a speech and in telling an anecdote made a slight alip, which his son corrected. Old Che-vreul turned around quickly and said in a sharp tone, "Hush, youngster, when I am talking." And the "youngster" held his tongue. I am a friend of the boys and the Corporation of the Village of ment? hope that the ratepayers will feel as I Athens enacts as follows: d halp to build a place of amusement for them as I think it will help to bring prosperity to our town. Just the Corporation of the Village of look at the crowds that congregate on Athens to purchase a site in the our streets on our streets on a Satur- Village and erect thereon a suitable day evening. They are nearly all from Town Hall Building and to expend for the country, and each helps the town's the same the sum of Six thousand Of the turtles it may be said that prosperity by leaving a tew shillings dollars. each and every time they come in. It would be the same if there was a of the said Corporation to borrow for they represent the most ancient type of good place for them to come in to a the purposes storesaid the sum of Six they do the reptiles of their kind which good moral show or entertainment. thousand dollars and issue Depentures There were sea tortoises during that So much for that part. Now I think of the said Municipality to the amount that a bettsr place for doing the town's of Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and of flippers, while some tertiary torbusiness is an absolute necessity. The thirty dollars (being the total village clerk has no safe place to keep amount of said amount authorized to the books and papers belonging to the be borrowed as aforesaid and interest village, and if a fire should occur in on the unpaid principal at the rate of his office and the town records destroy four per cent per annum) in sums of ed it would be a great loss to the town. not less than One hundred dollars each A fire hall, where the engine and other payable in the manner and for the fire fighting appliances can be kept in amounts and at the times respectively a condition for instant use—summer or set forth in the above recitals to this winter-is another absolute necessity. By law. The present rented building may be all right for summer, but in winter be payable at the Agency of the there is a danger of the engine not Merchants Bank of Canada at Athens being kept in a place warm enough to on the Thirty-first day of December in

each of the twenty years hereinbefore There is said to be an absolute mentioned and shall be signed by the he ready for use. necessity for more room for publis attenting the public schools. Why not and sealed with a Corporate Seal and ten ing the public schools. take past of the ground floor for that counter-signed by the Treasurer. purpose, or better still, make the town-ship of Rear Yonge an offer to furnish levied in each year by a special rate on them with a council room and safe all the rateable property in the said place for their records, as well as a Municipality a sum sufficient to disroom for holding their public township charge the several instalments of princimeetings, in exchange for the township pal and interest according due on the hall, which would make a good modschool room or a ward school, and be respectively payable according to the fitted up for the purpose, at a trifling provisions of this By law. expense. There are many other reasons that could be advanced why it effect immediately on the passing thereis desirable to have a town hall, but as these questions will no doubt be issued at any time after the First day brought up at the meeting on Wednes- July A.D., 1962. day evening, and as I have trespassed at considerable length on your space, I of the said Municipality qualified to will close by asking one and all of those vote on money by laws shall be taken entitled to vote to cast their vote and on this by-law in the several polling influence in tavor of having a town sub divisions appointed in said Village for election purposes on Monday, the hall. Respectfully yours, GEORGE NASH. twenty eighth day of April, 1902, com-

To Raise \$6,000 by Debentures to Pay for a Site and for taking of votes, namely: Building, in the Village of Town Hall, in the said Village, for Athens.

Deputy Returning Officer for the Town Hall, in the said Village, for Polling Sub-division, No. 1, Hiram

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Athens deem it advisable to purchase a site in the said Village, and erect thereon a suitable Town Hall building, and to pay for such site and building the Council require to raise the sum of Six Thousand Dollars, and, to do so, intend, by this By law, to create a debt upon the said Corporation of Six Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon at four per cent per annum, payable in twenty equal annual instalments, by the issue of Debentures to the amount of Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Dollars, payable as hereinafter provided;

BY-LAW No.

ND WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the said Village have determined that the said Debentures shall be payable in annual instalments within twenty years on which this Bylaw takes effect. Such instalments to be of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for Principal and Interest shall be the same in each of the said twenty vears :

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the Village of Athens according to the last revised Assess ment Roll for said Village, is the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-Six Thousand, Eight Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$176,825.):

AND WHEREAS the present existing debt of the said Village of Athens secured by debentures of the Mu-nicipal Corporation of the Rear of Yonge and Escott, before the separation therefrom of the said Village, is the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred and Fourteen and 53 100 Dollars, (\$1,414.53), and no part of the said sum, or interest thereon, is

ND WHEREAS for paying off the said Principal sum of Six Thousand Dollars and interest thereon it will be necessary to raise in the several years hereinafter mentioned, the following sums :-

mencing at nine oc'clock in the fore noon and closing at five o'clock in the afternoon and for that purpose the following persons shall be the Deputy Returning Officers and the following shall be the polling places for the

Deputy Returning Officer at store occupied by Alex. Compo, in said Village, for Polling Sub division Village,

No 2, Jas. Ross.
7.—That the Reeve of the said Village shall attend at the Town Hall used by the said Village on the Twenty. sixth day of April, 1902, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon for the pur pose of appointing persons to attend at the different polling places on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting or opposing the passing of this By-law respectively and also persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk of the said Village.

8.—That the Clerk of the said Village shall sum up the number of votes given for and against this By law on the Fifth day of May, 1902, at the hour of Seven o'clock in the evening, at the Town Hall used by the said Village.

9.—That this By law shall be finally considered by the Council and if the same shall have been assented to by the electors shall then be passed on the Fifth day of May, 1902, at the hour of Eight o'clock in the evening.

By law read in open Council this 31st day of March, 1902.

By-law read a second time in the open council this 31st day of March,

#### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the above is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the council of the Village of Athens, in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained, on the Fifth of May, 1902, at the hour of Eight o'clock in the evening, being one month after the first publication thereof the date of such first publication being the second day of April, 1902, and that at the hour, day and place fixed in said Br-law for taking the votes of the Elections on the same, the polls will be held for taking such votes

Dat dat Athen this 31st day of March, 1902.

BETHUEL LOVERIN, Clerk of the Village of Atheas.

THIS ARTICLE REMOVED

Therefore the Municipal Council of

1.—It shall and may be lawful for

3.—That the said Debentures shall

4.—That there shall be raised and

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How Custo She—In some parts of Australia. hen a man marries each of the bride's relatives strikes him with a stick by way of welcome into the family.

He-Yes, and in many parts of Ame en a man marries each of the bride's relatives strikes him with a oan by way of welcoming him into the

Mother-Sir, I hope my little boy doesn't werry you by his fretting and crying. He isn't well, or he wouldn't Mr. Man—Oh, no. All children act that way. I'm used to it—in fact, I haven't seen a well child for 20 years.

A man should not be blamed for the mistakes he makes. He should be credited as he profits by them.—Atchison

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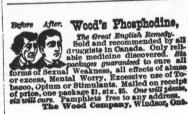
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