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Brockville's Greatest Store

Buy to Save at the January Sale

The more you spend the more you save. While the sale lasts there is a discount on anything you want. Now is the time to buy your spring supplies of Sheet- ing, Dress Goods, or anything you will need. You might as well save a few dollars now while you can.

Another Lot of Bargains

- STOCKINGS—Children's heavy bright black worsted wool hose, size 6 to 8, regular price 35c a pair, sale price..... 25c
- LADIES' DRAWERS—Elastic ribbed, medium weight, union goods, all sizes, regular price 50c pair, sale price..... 35c
- WRAPPERS—Three pieces, two dark and one light patterns, regular price 10c yard, sale price..... 7 1/2c
- TOILET SOAP—Glycerine or white castile, twin bars, regular price, 5c each, sale price..... 4c
- ROLLER SHADES—Just a few left, cloth shades, mounted on spring rollers, regular price 30c each, sale price..... 19c
- POMPADOUR COMB—New style, curved teeth, massive back, regular price 25c each, sale price..... 19c
- FLOOR OILCLOTH—Genuine best English make, 6 feet wide, 4 good patterns, regular price 40c square yard, sale price..... 29c
- BELT BUCKLES—Oxidized or bronze, also silver, regular price 30c each choice for sale price..... 15c
- COLORED TABLE CLOTHS—Turkey red and green, blue and red and red and white, very best grade, manufacturer's seconds, slightly imperfect, border all round, size 10-4, reg. price \$2.25, sale price, \$1.65; size 8-4, reg. price, \$1.75 for \$1.25; size 7-4, reg. price \$1.25, sale price..... 1.00
- BELT PINS—Oxidized bronze or silver, many kinds, regular price 10c, choice for sale price..... 5c
- FUR RUFFS—Alaska sable, with six tails, large and fluffy, regular price \$11, sale price..... 7.80

All Other Goods at Reduced Prices

Robert Wright & Co.

IMPORTERS

Brockville - Ontario

DELTA FAIR MEETING

The annual meeting of the members of Delta Fair, held on Wednesday, 20th, was perhaps the most satisfactory ever held by the society.

The majority of the present board were on the board in 1891, when, after building the new hall and making other extensive improvements, the society was in debt about \$1375.00. Since then new cattle sheds, sheep, swine and poultry buildings have been erected, and now, with the finest buildings of any society in Eastern Ontario the Society has not one cent of debt, but instead a clean cash balance of \$312.60. The board of directors have every reason to feel proud.

The election of officers for 1904 resulted as follows:—

President—George Morris, Delta.
1st Vice—W. M. Bass, Newboro.
2nd Vice—Hill Howard, Delta.

Directors—H. E. Eyre, Chantry; John Bowser, Delta; Arch Stevens, Phillipville; R. J. Davison, Forfar; R. J. Green, Oak Leaf; Omer Brown, Delta; Alfred Willows, Phillipville; Geo. B. Leggett, Newboro; Stanley Gile, Harlem.

Secretary—L. N. Phelps.
Treasurer—W. A. Bell.

Auditors—Alex. Stevens and J. W. Russell.

At a meeting of the old board a resolution of condolence was passed on the death of Alexander Acheson, one of the oldest members of the board, as follows:—

Moved by Omer Brown, seconded by Wm. Bass, and unanimously carried, that the following resolution be incorporated into the minutes of this meeting, a copy sent to the local press and a copy sent to Mrs. Acheson: "That, whereas it has pleased Almighty God in his supreme wisdom to remove from our midst our colleague, Alexander Acheson, one of our oldest and most experienced officers, we desire, at this our first meeting since his demise, to express our appreciation of his constant untiring labor for the benefit of our society and our loneliness at his absence to-day. We acknowledge that the present prosperous condition of our fair, whether considered as to its popularity as a place of enjoyment, its powers as an educative factor, or the excellent condition of our buildings and finances, is due in no small degree to his ability, his industry and his enthusiasm. While we know the utility of words to assuage grief or console sorrow such as here, we herewith tender our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Acheson in this time of her affliction, and we assure her that we never can forget the genial smile, the glad eye, and the kindly voice with which her late husband always greeted us."

H. E. EYRE, President
L. N. PHELPS, Secretary

A KIND FAREWELL

On severing her connection with the teaching staff of Westport public school Miss Cora Wilton received from her pupils a present of a beautiful American cup, accompanied by the following address:—

Dear Teacher,—It was with deep regret that we heard of your intention to sever your connection with the Westport public school. We feel assured that, through the constancy and evenness of your temperament, you have gained a tender regard in the minds of all the pupils of our school. But more especially have you endeared yourself with those who have come personally in contact with you as teacher. Your sojourn with us has not been of long duration but the sincere sorrow we feel to-day at your departure is quite sufficient evidence that our sorrow and that of those who would have come under your care from

time to time would only have been deepened and broadened as time went by. We have always recognized in you a sincere, painstaking and faithful teacher but also strong individual characteristics which we have all admired and been constrained to follow, so that your silent influence has worked for our advancement.

Now, dear Teacher, in bidding you bon voyage through life to-day, we feel that our clumsy words are very inadequate to express what we would wish to say, so we kindly beg of you to accept this little token of esteem as a slight evidence of the place you hold in the hearts of your class of nineteen-threes.

In leaving us, dear Teacher, though we have caused you many anxious thoughts, we hope you will remember Westport, Westport public school, and especially these, the members of your class, and while we are assured that in your new field of labor, of whatever nature it might be, you will quite likely form ties that will be far more binding than those we sever to-day, still we hope that occasional reminiscences will float in on your memory of bygone days spent here.

We wish you a happy New Year and may one happy year give place to a happier until you approach the snows of life when you shall join hands with the vast host that, in unbounded felicity, forever shout "Happy New Year."

Signed in behalf of the class of '03.
DOROTHY ARNOLD.

THE I. C. M. S.

There is no more pleasant and inviting place in which a lover of music can spend a half hour of leisure than in the Island City Music Store, Brockville. The showroom and salesroom are neatly appointed, the apt arrangement and effective display everywhere manifest being the result of Mr. G. L. Riches' twenty years experience in the business. In the showroom, of course, the "Karn piano is King," but he carries pianos of other leading makes as well, and the Karn, Thomas, Bell and Doherty organs. One of the last mentioned is a handsome piano case, is sure to attract attention by its beauty and its richness of tone. The Columbia Graphophone and the New York Zonophone have proved very popular on account of their compact form and wonderful power of reproduction.

On a glass-fronted shelving he shows a complete line of all small musical instruments, the product of the best makers, ranging from harmonicas up to high grade violins, mandolins, guitars and banjos.

Sheet music of all kinds may be obtained there. The McKinley edition and Teacher's edition of 10c music are having a large sale.

Then, his display of sewing machines is well worth seeing. The White, Standard, Raymond and Domestic are all included in his stock, and a practical demonstration of their capabilities will be given to any person interested.

Positively, every person contemplating the purchase of either a piano, organ or sewing machine should call and personally inspect these high-grade instruments. An instrument or machine is not, as a rule, bought more than once or twice in a life time, and prudent people should readily avail themselves of this means of making a careful selection.

Mr. Riches has well earned the large trade he has built up and it seems certain that in his new quarters in the Donaldson Block he will achieve still greater success.

Dundas County Fair Association has liabilities amounting to \$734. The receipts last year were about \$300 less than the year before.

This is the Season —FOR— Stoves, Ranges, Heaters and Furnaces

You will find Comfort, Convenience, Heat, Happiness, Ease and Economy in the goods we sell. A poor stove is dear at any price, so we carry only articles of standard quality. From the low priced heaters to the best steel ranges and furnaces in the market you get full value for every dollar you invest with us. If you contemplate buying a stove or range, call and get quotations.

JOHNSON & LEE

Roofing and all kinds of tinwork

NEW FALL GOODS

Our stock of Suitings, Overcoatings and Trouserings is far superior to anything we have ever had. We can make your suit from

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It will pay you to inspect our stock before purchasing elsewhere and we guarantee a perfect fit.

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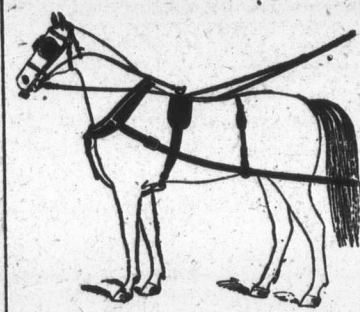
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Farm for Sale

Situated within 14 miles of the village of Athens, containing 15 acres of land in good state of cultivation. There is on the place a good stone house and frame kitchen and all necessary outbuildings, and there is a never-failing supply of water on the place and a small sugar bush. Apply to
MALVIN WILSON,
Athens

Logs Wanted

The subscriber will pay cash for water-elm and basswood logs—delivered at his mill at Greenbush; also for a large quantity of birch timber not more than 10 nor less than 4 inches in diameter, cut 10 or 12 feet long.
A. ROOT,
Greenbush



Blankets, Robes, Whips & Belts
Special Reductions to Clear

We have been appointed agents for The Gillam Manfg Co's horse boots. We have a nice stock and can supply you with good boots at reasonable prices, suitable for ice or turf wear. We manufacture all our own harness and horse collars. Special attention given to this line.

We make any harness to order you may suggest at a close figure.

We solicit your patronage.

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Mr. W. G. CRADDOCK

Solo Organist, Pianist and Voice Instructor

Late of the following professional appointments: Organist of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, Ireland; Organist of Ulster Hall, Belfast; Pianist to Earl Spencer, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, will instruct pupils in organ, piano, singing, harmony and counterpoint. Pupils prepared for musical examinations and Dominion College of Music, Montreal.

REXALL HOUSE DYES

These Dyes will dye Wool, Cotton, Silk, Jute or Mixed Goods in one bath—they are the latest and most improved dye in the world. Try a package. All colors at J. P. LAMB & Son's Drug Store.

FURNITURE

Between Seasons

The holiday trade is over, and for the large patronage extended to us we return thanks.

January and February are dull months in nearly all lines of trade, and so we are prepared to make purchasing here just now both pleasant and profitable. It will pay you during these two months to inspect and learn the price of any article you may contemplate purchasing.

T. G. Stevens

UNDERTAKING

The Athens Hardware Store.



We keep constantly on hand full lines of the following goods:—Paints, Sherwin & Williams and all the best makes, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Window Glass, Putty, Coal Oil, Machine Oil, Rope (all sizes), Builders Hardware in endless variety, Blacksmith Supplies and Tools, Nails, Forks, Shovels, Drain Tile, and Drain Tools, Spades and Scoops, Iron Piping (all sizes with couplings), Tinware, Agateware, Lamps and Lanterns, Chimneys, Etc., Pressed Nickel Tea Kettles and Tea Pots, Fence Wire (all grades), Building Paper, Guns and Ammunition, Shells for all Guns (loaded and unloaded), Shot and Powder, Etc., &c.

Give me a call when wanting anything in my line.

Wm. Karley,

Main St., Athens.

Here's an Advantage

On any day of the week, excepting Wednesday, a "rush" order for poster work, etc., reaching the Reporter office in the morning will be completed and returned on the evening train.

JANUARY CHEAP SALE

This is January and the big rush is over. We have time now to breathe and look around, and we see that we have some broken lots. Naturally every store has broken lots. This store has more, because we carry more stock than most stores, and we do a larger business than any other clothier in town. Therefore we are bound to clear out all broken lots before stock taking. Cut prices on

Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Suits, Reefers, Underwear, Gloves, Caps, Etc.

THE PROOF—Seeing is believing! Therefore, the only thing to do is to come and see, and if we cannot save you money on your purchases, say "Good day" and walk out. That's the talk that talks—you know that we do as we advertise.

Globe Clothing House

King Street, Brockville

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