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OCTOBER BLANKET SALE

A sale of blankets that you can't afford to overlook. Lay in your winter supply now. For the Children's Aid Danation Day, Blankets are especially asked for.

- Fine Wool Blankets—With dainty pink or blue border, size 60 to 80 inches, 25 pairs only; regular price \$3.50 pair. Sale price \$2.98
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A store full of bargains in Summer Wear for Men and Boys.
\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Straws all \$1.00

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VILLAGE COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the village council was held on Thursday evening. All members present, excepting Councillor Arnold. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by W. H. Jacob, seconded by E. Taylor, that account of Robert Ferguson for cedar, \$12.50, be paid.—Carried.

Moved by W. H. Jacob, seconded by E. Taylor, that the petition of Levi Wilson and Minnie Ackland for an extension of the granolithic walk on Wilkes street West be received and the prayer thereof be granted.—Carried.

A By-Law was introduced, given three readings and duly passed, providing for levying the following rates for 1912:—

- County rate \$428.29
- Village rate 688.35
- Sidewalk rate 842.57
- Town Hall debenture 809.46
- High School maintenance 714.00
- Public School debenture. 190.95
- P. S. maintenance 2,422.00

Council adjourned until Tuesday evening Oct. 8.

G. F. Donnelley, Clerk.

FARM DRAINAGE

The important matter of farm drainage is being given attention by Mr. W. H. Smith, Athens, district representative of the Ontario Agricultural College, and he has arranged for a drainage demonstration to be given on the field of Mr. W. G. Parish, adjoining the station of the B. W. & N. W. Ry at Athens, to take place on the afternoon of Friday, Oct. 18, commencing at 1.30, by Prof. J. R. Spry, B.S.A., drainage expert of the Ontario Agricultural College.

The demonstration will be practical and will include the taking of levels and the planning of a complete system of drains. Explanations will be given of the best manner of laying tile and much valuable information imparted to all interested in farm improvement.

The direct financial profit that goes to the farmer as a result of proper attention to drainage is now generally known. Samples of grain from drained and undrained land, with a comparison of the yield of each may be seen at Mr. Smith's office on Main street.

There should be a large attendance at this demonstration.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

Many in Athens and vicinity, will learn with sincere regret of the sad bereavement sustained by Mrs. Wilbert Ripley (nee Miss Kate Parish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Parish) at her home in Anacortes, Wash. The following account of the death of her two boys we take from the Anacortes Citizen of September 25:—

Saturday afternoon Harvey and "Billy" Ripley, aged respectively 12 and 8 years, sons of Mrs. Kate Ripley, were drowned in Cranberry lake as the result of the overturning of a small raft on which they were rowing across the lake in company with some other boys. The bodies were recovered a short time afterward and brought to the city.

While Cranberry lake is very shallow the spot where the boys went down was nearly ten feet deep and none of them was able to touch bottom. It was also probable that the two boys were so thoroughly frightened that they were unable to help themselves.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the chapel of E. E. Hangen, undertaker, interment being in Grandview cemetery. Revs. J. D. Hudson and E. M. Calvin were the officiating clergymen.

The funeral was largely attended. The pall bearers were selected from among the playmates of the two unfortunate boys. There were many beautiful floral tributes, the caskets being literally buried in flowers.

No tragedy has occurred locally in some time which has elicited greater sympathy than the misfortune which befell Mrs. Ripley in the loss of her two boys. Her husband died about a year and a half since and she has experienced many difficulties in maintaining herself and children.

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DEATH IN BASTARD

On October 3, at the family residence in the township of Bastard, Rachel Bowser, wife of R. M. Stevens, departed this life, in the 81st year of her age.

Mrs. Stevens had been a life long resident of the township and news of her death brought sorrow to a wide circle of friends. She was the mother of eight children, four of whom are now living, besides her husband, to mourn the loss of a loving and tender mother and affectionate wife.

LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGNS

The Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance has definitely decided to introduce local option campaigns this year in some fifty Ontario municipalities, more than half of which are large-sized towns and cities, including Peterboro Lindsay, St. Mary's Wingham, Clinton, Essex and Parkhill.

The Province has been divided into six parts and Field Secretaries will be kept busy from now until January 1 organizing committees and arranging for the introduction of by-laws for the suppression of the liquor traffic. Some of the municipalities which will be tried this year have been unsuccessfully contested before but the outlook is regarded as most favorable for the passing of by-laws next January.

The following is a list of places where contests will be held next New Year's Day.

Arthur township, Arthur village, Aurora, Bancroft, Bastard and Burgess Bayfield, Blyth, Brock township, Brussels, Burleigh and Anstruther township, Clinton, Drummond township, Dutton, Easthope, North, Easthope, South, Elma township, Escott, Front Exeter, Fergus, Fitzroy township, Glencoe, Kincardine, King township, Lindsay, Markdale, McKillop township, Meaford, Monteagle township, Morris, Mount Forest, Newboro Nichol township, North Gower township, Oshawa, Peterboro, Port Stanley Springfield, Stephen township, St. Mary's Tiverton, Turnberry township, Walkerton, Westport, Whitby, Wingham, Oakville, Orrville, Georgetown.

THE OTTAWA SHOW

The Eastern Ontario Live Stock and Poultry Show of 1912, will be remembered as one of the records, when we recall that in the Dairy Test, two world's records were made. Two Holstein cows, Maude Dekol and Rhoda's Queen, gave 276.8 pounds of milk testing 3.6 per cent fat and 802.8 pounds of milk testing 3 per cent fat, respectively. While these phenomenal records were made by Holsteins, the Ayrshire and other dairy breeds were well represented by excellent show animals of the heavy producing type, and the record number of 70 entries was pronounced by many prominent breeders as the best show of producing dairy cattle ever brought together in the Dominion.

The capacity of the dairy stable at the last show was over taxed, but the coming show, to be held in January 1913, will see an improvement in this department by the addition of a new wing to the present Howick Hall, which at present provides insufficient accommodation for the exhibits in the various classes of stock, which are increasing beyond expectations every year.

Prize lists, entry forms and other information regarding the next show, may be obtained from the Secretary, W. D. Jackson, Carp, Ont.

Greenbush Honor Roll

- Sr. IV—Donald Smith, Arnold Lovrin.
- Jr. IV—Roy Gardiner, Stewart Justus.
- III—Andrew Campbell, Roy Davis.
- II—Ruth Nickett.
- I—Kenneth Maude.
- Primer—Mabel Loverin, Wilma White.

Ethel M. Kerr,
Teacher.

Glen Buell School

- Sr. IV—Lucy Gilroy, Harold Moore
- Jr. IV—Susie Moore, Geraldine Percival.
- Jr. III—John Forth, R. J. Kirkland.
- Jr. II—Willie Baxter, Harry Kirkland.
- Primer—Naomi Baxter, John Gilroy.

Anna Hall,
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