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Where you are sure to get the Latest.  
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You are going to get a Suit  
If so, it will pay you to leave your order  
with us.  
We can show you the latest.  
SPECIAL PRICES FOR FINE BLACK SUITS  
G. E. Hougall

### ROBINSON CRUSOE

"Manacles of all he succeeded," was not more  
restrained than the lion who  
Laid on the Table.  
Our tables are attractive enough to lay on, but  
our chairs and easy chairs are more tempting to  
one's eye.  
Strange to say, the present time is past, the  
holidays are over, but today is the opportunity  
for you to take advantage of down-to-earth  
prices. The way to wealth is paved  
with blocks of economy. You can learn much  
about the kind of paving by purchasing the  
Furniture of us.  
We sell goods during August for cost to  
clear out for fall stock. Call and inspect our  
over-flow show-rooms.

**A. H. Swarts - Undertaker & Embalmer**  
BROCKVILLE, Ont.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.  
**Dr. C. M. E. CORNELL**  
BUELL STREET, BROCKVILLE  
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### C. COOK & CO.

Furniture Dealers &  
Funeral Directors  
SEE OUR \$10.50 BED SUITE  
SEE OUR \$22 PLUSH PARLOR SUITE  
Extension Tables Easy  
Chairs and Carriages at  
20 per cent below  
regular price.  
FREIGHT PREPAID.

### Dr. F. H. Koyle

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Office: Main St., opposite Gumbo House, Athens.

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### THE GAMBLE HOUSE,

Athens  
THIS FINE NEW BRICK HOTEL HAS  
been recently furnished throughout in  
the latest style. Every attention given to  
the wants of guests. Good yards and stable.  
W. F. FRASER, Prop.

### Farmersville, Lodge

No. 177  
A. O. U. W.  
Meets on 2nd Friday of each month, in  
Lamb's Hall, Central Block, Main St., Athens.  
VISITORS WELCOME

### G. O. C. F.

Additional Council No. 156 Canadian Order of  
Chosen Friends meet on 2nd and 4th Mon-  
days of each month in the Temple Hall, Addi-  
tion, Ont. Motto: Friendship, Aid and Pro-  
tection.  
GEO. TAPLINTZ, Reporter.  
H. HUBBERT, Field.

### Pumps For Sale.

The subscriber has a number of Wells  
Columbian Woodbury Pumps for sale  
cheap. Apply to J. LOVERIN, Reporter  
Office.

### JOHN BALL

House painter. Estimates given for all  
classes of house painting either for new or  
repainted houses. My prices are 25 per cent  
below any other house painter in the district,  
and first class work guaranteed. 6 mos.  
Athens July 1st, 1895.

### ATHENS LAUNDRY

The subscriber having bought out Harry  
Johnson's interest in the Laundry business  
and moved the business to the rooms over  
Thompson's Grocery,  
Solicits the public's patronage.

### Regular Washing Days

Tuesdays & Thursdays  
Washings called for and delivered to regular  
customers. Family washings done on very  
reasonable terms.  
Satisfaction Guaranteed  
Customers along the line of the E. & W.  
can send washings by driver.

### BROCKVILLE'S BIGGEST DRY GOODS HOUSE

Every Department  
Now being replenished with  
**New Goods**  
Note the following list of prices, being some of the purchases  
made by our Mr. WRIGHT from manufacturers in Great  
Britain and on the Continent.  
It's impossible to find such values elsewhere, as we save you  
all middlemen's profits.

### Dress Goods Department

38-inch heavy Costume Cloths in nine  
of the leading plain colors—navy,  
brown, etc.—a regular 36 line  
ask, all lines, reg. 60¢ yd. kind, we sell for 45¢

### Staple Department.

60-inch wide all linen Table Cloth, a  
regular 36 yd. kind, we sell for 25¢

42-inch wide all linen Table Linen, a reg-  
ular 36 yd. kind, we sell now for 25¢

66-inch wide full bleached Table Dam-  
ask, all lines, reg. 60¢ yd. kind, our price  
50¢

Table Linens of every description found here,  
ask 75¢ to 75¢.

Good all linen check glass Cloth, regular 60  
for 50¢

Very heavy all linen Roller Toweling, 100  
for 75¢

Very heavy and wide all linen Roller Toweling  
150 for 100¢

All linen check glass Towels, 10 each.

22x44 all linen huck Towel, 2 for 25¢.

30¢ kind, we sell for 15¢.

35¢ kind we sell for 20¢.

Towels with fancy borders.

Towels with plain borders.

Towels simply beautiful, without fringe.

### Mantles! Mantles! Mantles!

You will find that with us this year you can buy the most "up-to-date"  
good in this department that you can find anywhere. Besides, the prices are  
so small that they are almost "out of sight." When you see to think that we  
have made personal selections of these goods ourselves, you can understand that  
the prices will be lower than you will find elsewhere, and the styles will be  
newer.

### Robert Wright & Co.

Opposite  
Court House  
Athens

### LEWIS AND PATTERSON

Ladies' Stylish  
Duck Suits.

### MILLINERY

Miss JAMIESON, who has been head trimmer for us for a  
considerable period, will now have charge of this very popular depart-  
ment. You can depend upon getting the correct thing here.

### LEWIS & PATTERSON,

205 King St. Brockville.

Dresses and Costumes made to order on short notice.  
Guarantee satisfaction.

### C. M. Babcock's

GREAT  
MIDSUMMER SALE

Discounts from ten to seventy-five per cent for Cash  
The whole stock for you to select from.  
You know the kind of goods kept at this store.  
Now is the time to get them.  
Your gain, not mine, as the stock must be reduced.  
You are invited to look through.

### The Brockville Green-Houses.

Artistic Floral Emblems on short notice. Boxes of  
Flowers can be safely sent by mail at any season of the year.  
Window and Table Plants securely packed and sent to any  
express office in the Dominion. A full supply of Bedding  
Plants, Hanging Baskets etc. constantly on hand.  
Special attention to Mail and Telephone Orders.

Telephone 197. **C. M. BABCOCK**

### FROM THE CAPITAL.

#### Prof. E. Stone Wiggins Predicts a Great Storm.

##### HE EXPLAINS HIS METHOD

Of Forecasting the Disturbance—"The Gradu-  
als of West-Canada, Wood Es-  
plains the Action of His Depart-  
ment as to Mixing Water."  
The Science of Storms.

Ottawa, Sept. 10.—Professor E. Stone  
Wiggins, who predicted the great storm  
that passed over the Atlantic and Pacific  
in March, 1888, predicts a storm of equal  
violence to occur in the same spot in  
March, 1895. Asked to-day his reasons  
for predicting the storm of 1895 and the  
one he promises us for this month, the  
professor said:—"My reasons were these:  
The sun and moon were in the same spot  
of eight seconds of arc in the same spot  
in the heavens, and were near the celestial  
equator, and at the moment when our  
Northern Hemisphere was turned toward  
them. Their united force was increased by  
the moon's perigee being at her nearest  
orbital point to the earth. Furthermore  
the sun was in conjunction with Venus on  
March 5th, with Mercury on March 6th,  
and with Mars on March 7th. On looking  
over calculations of the March storm of  
1888, made in September, 1888, I find  
reference to a solar storm on September 21st,  
1888, which was a solar storm. On the 19th  
of the present month the moon will pass  
over the sun's disc a few degrees west  
of San Francisco, causing a solar eclipse,  
the moon herself being in perigee, and two  
hours later on the celestial equator. Mars  
and Venus will both be in conjunction  
with the sun on that day. A great storm will  
therefore sweep the shores of all the con-  
tinent from the equator to the poles as  
early as the 17th instant. There is danger  
of a volcanic eruption on the meridian of  
Japan and of earthquakes in South  
America and Mexico.

#### Grades of Wheat.

The following grades of wheat have been  
established by Order-in-Council—  
Spring wheat, extra Manitoba, hard  
wheat, shall consist wholly of wheat grown  
in Manitoba or the North-West Territories  
of Canada, and shall be sound and well  
cleaned, weighing not less than sixty  
pounds to the bushel, and shall be com-  
posed of at least eighty-five per cent of hard  
red spring wheat.

No. 1 Manitoba hard wheat shall consist  
wholly of wheat grown in Manitoba or  
the North-West Territories of Canada, and  
shall be sound and well cleaned, weighing  
not less than sixty pounds to the bushel,  
and shall be composed of at least twenty-  
five per cent of hard red spring wheat.

No. 2 Manitoba hard wheat shall consist  
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the North-West Territories of Canada, and  
shall be sound and well cleaned, weighing  
not less than sixty pounds to the bushel,  
and shall be composed of at least twenty-  
five per cent of hard red spring wheat.

#### Horrible Brutality of Burglars Near Park- hill, Ont.

Parkhill, Ont., Sept. 8.—About one  
o'clock on Saturday morning three men,  
two of whom were small and all of them  
young, went to the house of Mr. John  
Wright, who was sleeping downstairs, but  
the burglar had completely ransacked the  
house. The burglar was traced for about  
four miles north, where they were lost.  
The house was a small one, and the  
burglar was an old one of a dark  
complexion.

#### College Students Strike.

Alliance, Ohio, Sept. 8.—The girl  
students at Mount Union College struck  
against obeying the order which required  
them to visit the gymnasium daily. They  
objected to exercising before a male in-  
structor. A committee was appointed to  
call upon the faculty. After a discussion  
they decided to accept the demand, and  
the committee was notified that a female  
instructor would be employed.

#### The Weather in Manitoba has been very favorable for harvesting, but Edmonton district has been visited by a snowstorm. On Wednesday night 20,000 bushels of new wheat were marketed at various stations along the Canadian Pacific railway and Northern Pacific line. The price paid for the best qualities is 48 and 49 cents per bushel.

#### Win. Duffie, aged seventeen, an employe of the McCormick Bleach works in Lon- don, Ont., was caught in the elevator shaft on Friday by the hoist. It was necessary to saw out the frame in order to re- lease him. Two doctors were present dur- ing the ordeal, and by the use of drugs elevated his suffering. Although his back is broken at the hip bones, the chances are that the boy will live.

#### The village of Alexandria will expend \$25,000 for water-works.

Work on a farm in Guelph town-  
ship, Huron, grew to a height of 13 feet  
The Rockwood asylum, Kingston, has  
600 patients, and visiting days are aboli-  
shed.

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been sent to the Pasteur Institute, New  
York.

### TOPICS OF A WEEK.

The Important Events in a Few Words For  
Your Readers.

#### CANADIAN.

Typoid fever prevalent at Canfield.  
Shelbylock reported with febrile.  
Shoppers trouble Barrie merchants.  
Collingwood has a plethora of barbers.  
Building operations in Barrie are brisk.  
Black ducks are plentiful on the back  
lakes.  
Hepworth will soon have a Masonic  
lodge.  
Kingston has only two Chinese laun-  
dries.  
Chatham wants an electric all-night ser-  
vice.  
An elevator is being built at the Boston  
station.  
Market fees may be done away in  
Quebec.  
Hepworth sends traps to jail for three  
months.  
The Muskoka hay crop is only an average  
one.  
The union is to be organized in  
Orangeville.  
Welland recently had a fine firemen's  
competition.  
The Stratford Masons have moved into  
their new hall.  
In St. Thomas a thief steals potatoes  
from his hills.  
There will be a good crop of oats and  
potatoes about Orléans.  
Barrie will vote on an Industrial Home  
by-law in January.  
A gold mine in Madoc has just yielded  
very rich results.  
An insane-guy tried to drown himself  
in Cameron lake.  
The Barrie Asphalt Company is doing  
the paving in London.  
Woodstock will have a new patent baby  
carriage factory.  
Room is the new post-office at Carleton  
place and Adelaide road.  
The water in Georgian Bay is 18 inches  
lower than it was last year.  
Berlin's newly found flowing well is at-  
tracting great attention.  
The bones of a historic animal have  
been dug up at Ridgeway.  
The Barrie Council is asked to take  
charge of the public library.  
Godrich is contemplating a comprehen-  
sive re-arrangement of the streets.  
Waltham's population, 2,608, makes  
it the largest village in Canada.  
American capitalists propose to erect  
large saw mills near the mouth of the  
St. Lawrence river.  
A number of Bradford merchants have  
been evicted by the change game.  
Crosley and Hunter will hold revival  
meetings at Guelph in September.  
A celebrated 800 year old horse that  
can trot a mile in three minutes.  
An old squaw, Kewacodquah, died re-  
cently at Walpole Island, aged 100 years.  
Quebec and Ottawa are the only large  
Canadian cities that do not have libe-  
ral government.  
A new lake bridge, to carry 40,000 bush-  
els of wheat, is being built at Kingston.  
On the recent pilgrimage, to St. Anne  
de Beaupré, 8000 were seen from a pe-  
dicular of 800 feet.  
A man near Newbury has been com-  
mitted on charge of stealing 13 boxes of  
fruit.

#### Unsettled Accounts.

The Board of Arbitrators appointed to  
investigate the question of the unsettled  
accounts between the Dominion, Quebec,  
and Ontario Governments held a session  
in the court-house here on Thursday morn-  
ing. The arbitrators are Hon. Champlain  
Boyd, Sir Louis Caswell, and Hon. Mr.  
Justice Burdick. Mr. Auldred, of the  
Quebec bar, acted as secretary, and  
Mr. Nelson B. Dunlop as official stenog-  
rapher.

#### The matter taken up by the arbitrators was as to the effect of the Dominion's claim of 77, and the agreement between the provinces made in 1888, as to the items in the public accounts of the Dominion claimed by the Dominion to be payable against the Province of Ontario and Que- bec. The Dominion claimed that the pro- vince, having obtained the benefit of the provisions of the Dominion Act, was entitled to the Dominion account on which the Dominion Act was based. The province claimed that, and that the Dominion Act was not intended to be applied to the Dominion account, and that the Dominion Act of 1871, or otherwise.

#### The arbitrators delivered a unanimous judgment in favor of the province, hold- ing that the Dominion Act was not in- tended to be applied to the Dominion account, and that the Dominion Act of 1871, or otherwise.

#### Mr. William Taylor, late of the Customs department in London, Ont., died here Friday. Mr. Taylor was for many years municipal clerk of London township, and held a very great influence in that community. In politics he was an ardent Conservative, and in 1877 ran for the Ontario Legislature against the late James Evans, but was defeated.

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