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G. F. Donnelly, Publisher

You're in Luck

If you have waited for our January cheap sale. We are offering this month "bargains" in reliable high grade clothing and gents' furnishings, that will put all our past efforts in the shade. The prices we name on the class of merchandise offered surpass in value-giving any sale that Brockville has ever known. Past experience has satisfied our patrons that we advertise only facts.

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at all times, but would prefer doing it now, before the spring rush commences. Come in and learn what we can do for you in this line.

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Parties sending mail matter east over the B. & W. have this important 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.

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The ATHENS REPORTER

VILLAGE COUNCIL

The following members elect of the municipal council of the village of Athens met in the clerk's office on Monday, January 12th, at 11 a.m. and made and subscribed to the usual declaration and qualification of office, viz:—

Wm. Karley, merchant, reeve.
Amos. W. Blanchard, agent, councillor.
Alex. M. Eaton, mechanic, councillor.

On motion, the council adjourned until Saturday evening, 17th inst., at 7.30 p.m.

The village council met pursuant to adjournment.

Messrs. Chas. L. Lamb and Wm. H. Jacob having been elected to the council, they were present and made the required qualification and declaration and took their seats.

On motion, a by-law to appoint certain village officers was introduced, read three times and passed making the following appointments:—

B. Lover n, clerk, salary \$45.
Jan P. Lamb, treasurer, salary \$25.
E. S. Clow and Ed. Taylor, auditors, salary, \$4 each.

Gordon A. McClary, high school trustee to fill the unexpired term of W. A. Lewis, who had resigned, and Thos. R. Beale, trustee for the usual high school term.

Geo. W. Brown, chief of police, etc., salary \$50.

On motion, the collector's roll was accepted from him, and the names of those whose taxes were returned as unpaid were ordered to be entered by the clerk in the minutes of the council.

On motion the offer of Geo. F. Donnelly to do certain printing for 1903 for \$35 was accepted.

On motion, Messrs. Jacob and Eaton were appointed road commissioners at a remuneration of \$12 each.

The sum of \$300 was placed to the credit of the road commissioners' to meet current expenses.

The council, without motion, adjourned to meet on Monday evening, 19th inst., to complete the unfinished business.

Council met, as per adjournment, on Monday evening, 19th inst. All the members present, excepting Mr. Blanchard.

On motion the treasurer was instructed to place \$700 in the savings bank department of the Athens branch of the Merchants' Bank to the credit of the corporation.

On motion, the bill of B. Loverin, clerk, amounting to \$8.57, for supplies and printing for municipal election, was ordered to be paid.

Orders were given on the treasurer for \$9 each for expenses as D.R.O. to James Ross and H. C. Phillips.

The clerk was instructed to send for six copies of the Municipal World for the members of the council.

Lamb's hall was re-engaged for village purposes and council room at \$20.

The fire hall was re-engaged from B. Loverin at the usual rental, and B. Loverin was re-appointed caretaker of fire engine.

The clerk was instructed to write Architect McDowell and submit new plan for town hall, ascertain if said plans will lessen the cost, and arrange for further work in connection with plans.

Council adjourned to meet on call of reeve.

B. LOVERIN, Clerk.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

A special meeting of the township council of Rear Yonge and Eocott was held at the town hall, Athens, on Monday, 19th inst., at one o'clock, to receive the resignation of the reeve, who is disqualified through reason of being a public school trustee. All members of the council were present, and Mr. Rowson tendered his resignation which was accepted. Councillor John Cowan was appointed presiding officer during the vacancy.

The clerk was appointed to hold a new election, with nomination on Thursday, 29th inst., at one o'clock. Council adjourned until February 9th, at one o'clock.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

On Thursday, Jan. 29, Mr. Malvin Livingston will offer for sale at his farm, Hart Island, 8 cows, horse, mule, brood sow, vehicles, implements, harness, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. G. W. Brown, auctioneer.

A GOOD RECORD

A meeting of the patrons of Farmerville Cheese Factory was held on Tuesday evening, at which there was a large attendance. Mr. Henry Joynt was elected chairman and Mr. Albert Morris secretary. The only business before the meeting was the election of officers, and last year's staff was re-elected as follows:—

Salesman—Andrew Henderson.
Secretary—Albert Morris.
Treasurer—Irwin Wiltsie.

Mr. R. Henderson will, as usual, give his personal attention to the manufacturing. The patrons were unanimous in expressing satisfaction with the record made by the factory during the past year.

The formal business of the meeting having been concluded, Mr. Henderson entertained all present with an oyster supper, which was very much enjoyed.

From the 20th annual report of Glen Buell Cheese Factory now in hand for printing, for the season of 1902, we make the following extracts for the benefit of our readers who are interested in annual and monthly returns from the cheese factories in this "banner county," which perhaps produces more fine cheese for the Anglo-Saxon people than any other county in the world.

Milk received, 1,397,962 lbs.
Cheese produced, 181,009 lbs.

Average price per pound of cheese for season, 10 2/3 cents.
Average milk used to produce 1 lb of cheese, 10 7/10 lbs.

Average net price to patrons per ton of milk was \$17 61, free of all charges except 1 1/2c per lb. for manufacturing.

These figures show that our dairy farmers have had a prosperous season with another not far in the future.

INSTALLATION AND SUPPER

Farmerville Lodge, No. 237, I.O. O.F., held a social and very enjoyable session on Wednesday evening last. Members of the order were present from Delta, Soperton, Frankville and Toledo and Addison. Following routine, a candidate was initiated by members of Delta and Athens degree teams. Then Mr. H. B. Coates, District Deputy Grand Master, of St. Lawrence District, assisted by Past Grand, installed the officers elect of Delta and Athens lodges as follows:—

DELTA
N.G.—S. G. Stevens.
V.G.—E. L. Breese.
R.S.—Joel Barlow.
F.S.—W. J. Birch.
Treas.—Ed. Bowser.

ATHENS
N.G.—Alex. Eaton.
V.G.—W. F. Earl.
R.S.—G. F. Donnelly.
F.S.—Geo. E. Judson.
Treas.—I. M. Kelly.

For the able manner in which he discharged the duties of the function, Mr. Coates was very highly commended by Mr. R. J. Greene and other speakers. The hour being late, the nominative officers were not installed, that duty being delegated to members of the respective lodges.

Immediately after the closing of the lodge, all repaired to the Armstrong House, where an elaborate repast awaited them, to which all did ample justice.

Thus one more was added to the many pleasant evenings that Delta and Athens Odd Fellows have spent together, and no doubt all will look forward with pleasure to the next occasion of their assembling.

A visitor to our village says: "Two things Athens may be proud of—the promptness with which the sidewalks are cleared of snow, and the excellent order in the post office and the prompt, courteous attention given there. The people of this prosperous and cultured village may well look forward with bright anticipations to the erection of the large and beautiful edifice, in which it is to be located a handsome post office."

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You needn't keep on feeling distressed after eating, nor belching, nor experiencing nausea between meals. In other words, you needn't keep on being dyspeptic, and you certainly shouldn't.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT

From the report of Farmerville Cheese Factory, of which Mr. Richard Henderson is the efficient owner and manufacturer, for 1902, just published, we take the following very creditable facts and statistics:—

Milk received, 2,234,265 lbs.
Cheese produced, 212,075 lbs.
Received for cheese, \$22,271.64.

Milk required to make 1 lb of cheese, 10 2/3 lbs.
Average price per pound received for cheese, 10 2/3 cents.

Price per ton of milk to patrons, \$18.60.

Expense of selling and drawing cheese, \$95.65, which has not been deducted from the above price per ton.

THE W's AND Y's

The ladies of the W.C.T.U. entertained the Y's at a parlor meeting held at the home of Mrs. Rappell on Friday evening last. The president of the local union, Mrs. Elliott, delivered an address in which she explained in an interesting way the workings of the different departments of Christian effort in which the society is engaged as revealed by proceedings at the provincial convention. She dwelt particularly on the work being done among the lumbermen, which is a department that has always received special attention from the Athens union. Miss Rappell spoke briefly on the reports of Y work at the convention. A well rendered solo by Miss Wiltsie added much to the pleasure of the evening. Refreshments were served by the W's, and altogether the event was a social success.

CHURCH NOTES—ADDISON CIRCUIT

Mr. E. M. Smith, recording steward of Addison circuit, had the following in last week's Christian Guardian:—

Addison, Rev. Jas. Lawson, pastor—A resolution was unanimously passed at the August meeting of the Quarterly board, expressing satisfaction that the Conference had returned the esteemed pastor for another year, according to request.

On September 12th the Greenbush people held a harvest supper, which was one of the most successful in every respect.

The November quarterly meeting was pronounced by many as the best yet, and all have been excellent.

There was a fine Christmas entertainment held at Addison in connection with the Sunday school, of which Mr. O. P. Arnold is the efficient superintendent.

A purse of about \$70 has been presented to Rev. Mr. Lawson to assist in purchasing a new horse, his former fine animal having been accidentally disabled.

The Rookspring people are arranging for their new church anniversary and social. They are also getting out timber for church sheds, for which they have already raised upwards of \$100.

The sixth convention of the Epworth League of the Montreal conference, Methodist church, will be held in the Methodist church, Granby, P. Q., on the 27th and 28th insts. Of this society, Rev. G. S. Clendinning, of Elgin, is president, and Mrs. T. S. Kendrick, of Athens, is one of the vice-presidents. Rev. A. E. Sanderson, of Westport, is among those named to take part in the convention.

ATHENS' ELECTION

The votes of the ratepayers of Athens were taken on Wednesday last for the election of two councillors. During the week preceding a vigorous canvass had been conducted. All party lines were obliterated, and the canvassers coupled up the candidates without regard to age, size, political complexion, or previous experience, and the race that took place was generally considered to be anybody's. The ladies exercised their franchise to an unusual extent, and the total number of votes polled was large. The result of the poll returns to the council Messrs. Jacob and Lamb, two experienced men, who should be able to render good service in completing the unfinished business of last year. The voting was as follows:—

	No. 1	No. 2	Total
W. H. Jacob	70	44	114
C. L. Lamb	56	47	103
John Cars	36	42	78
Geo. Nash	30	85	65
A. E. McLean	12	20	32

HOCKEY NOTES

The Phillipville hockey team was defeated in Westport on Thursday last by a score of 3 to 2. Now let them tackle the Athens boys.

The Athens juniors go to Delta on Saturday to play the return match with the junior team there.

A game of hockey was played at Delta on Saturday last between a junior team from Lyndhurst and the Delta juniors. Although the Delta aggregation played two men who were not exactly "juniors," the Lyndhurst boys put it over them to the tune of 3 to 2.

The senior hockey team is putting in some hard practice in preparation for the game with the Strathonas (?) of Brockville, on the rink, here, this evening. The line-up for the game will probably be as follows: Goal, Parish; point, Simes; cover point, Hagerman; rover, Barber; centre, Arnold; wings, Lee and Knowlton.

PROBLEM

One day as I walked down street I met a beggar who asked me for some money. I said double my purse and I will give you ten cents. He did so and I gave him ten cents. Soon he met a tramp and he asked me for money. I said double my purse and I will give you ten cents. He did so and I gave him ten cents. An hour later another man asked me for money. Again I said double my purse and I will give you ten cents, which was all the money I had. Now how much money did I have when I met the first beggar?

Melville and Fred Simpson of North Augusta shot a wildcat. The Recorder says the animal was taken to Brockville and was inspected with much curiosity and interest by many citizens who had read much about wildcats but had never seen the real thing. He was a ferocious-looking animal, with a face and head exactly like a cat, but, of course, much larger. He measured from tip to tip fully five feet, and weighed thirty pounds. The Messrs. Simpson visited Counties Treasurer Patton and received the \$5 bounty which is offered for the killing of these animals.

Mr. J. D. McEntire, of Harlow, entertained a number of friends on his 74th birthday.

THIS ORIGINAL DOCUMENT IS VERY POOR CONDITION

THOUSANDS FACE FAMINE IN NORTHERN SWEDEN.

Starving Thousands Live on Pine Bark and Iceland Moss.

London, Jan. 20.—Telegrams from Stockholm, Sweden, confirm the distressing accounts of the famine in Northern Sweden.

amount does not include the money necessary to save the cattle or supply seed for the spring sowings.

The starving people are eating pine bark, which is dried, ground to powder, mixed with stewed Iceland moss and made into a kind of famine bread.

The situation threatens a return of the famine of 1878. A special commissioner of the Swedish Government, who has just returned from the scene of distress, urges the necessity for the adoption of plans to abate the distress.

RESTRICTION ON MINING COAL.

Testimony of Men Who Complain Against the Rules.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 20.—Testimony regarding the practical working of the mines, the dockage system and the union rules restricting the miner's labor was given before the strike commission yesterday.

been a member of the union until fined \$5 for working on the night out of breaker time.

George Maxey, a member of the union at Forest City, testified to the general good health of miners, and then touched upon the cur restriction rule.

The witness further testified that he was criticized by a member of the grievance committee because he got out too many cars and he had replied that he had a family to support and naturally wanted to earn all he could.

John Mitchell asked: "Isn't this restriction for the purpose of making an even distribution of the cars?"

He said he gets all the cars he wants now and one day last week his shift mined and loaded five cars instead of the six, to which they had been restricted.

Patrick Mitchell said that for thirteen years he has been a miner with the Pennsylvania company. He had

been absent from the hearings of the commission for about a week, on account of illness, was present at today's sessions. Counsel for the Erie Company, which controls the Hillside Coal and Iron Company and the Pennsylvania Coal Company, introduced as evidence certain extracts from reports of State mine inspectors, tending to show that most mine accidents are due to the negligence of the workmen themselves.

DISBROW ON TRIAL FOR FOSTER'S MURDER.

Sketch of the Now Celebrated "Dimple" Lawrence Case.

Rivershead, L. I., report: The jury in the trial of Louis A. Disbrow, charged with killing Clarence Foster at Tiana Bay on the night of June 9th, was completed yesterday and the trial progressed rapidly.

The theory of the defense is that Foster undertook to row the girl home, but they had some sort of quarrel and so fell overboard and were drowned.

Clarence Foster and Sarah Lawrence, whose friends called her "Dimple," met violent deaths on the night of June 9th last, in Tiana Bay, near Good Ground, L. I. Their bodies were found five days later in the shallow waters of the bay. They were both young, strong, and expert swimmers.

Disbrow's next morning left Good Ground early and went to Eastport. There he met a friend to whom he made mention of having had a fight with Foster the night before. Then Disbrow disappeared and was not apprehended for nearly three weeks.

Sarah Lawrence was 17 years old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Lawrence, of Hempstead, L. I.

On the District Attorney's attempt to bring in testimony relative to the death of "Dimple" Lawrence, Justice Haddock ruled that it was not admissible, the prisoner being only under indictment for the killing of Foster.

Nothing more remains to be said against Louis A. Disbrow. Deputy sheriff was unable to serve a subpoena on Miss Pearsall, where she is staying at Atlantic City, and her evidence, taken at the preliminary hearing last July, was admitted and read to the jury. Nothing thus far produced in the trial has made so great an impression on the twelve men.

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NEWS IN BRIEF CANADIAN.

The Toronto Normal School building will be extended.

An outbreak of hog cholera is reported in Sparta, Elgin county.

Hon. J. W. Longley gave an address before the Toronto Canadian Club.

The Supreme Court has granted leave to appeal in the case of Labelle, the Dawson murderer.

The Dominion Live Stock Association will meet in Toronto on Jan. 29th and 30th.

J. W. O. Boyd has been appointed Secretary of the Toronto branch of the British Empire League.

Papermakers held a conference at Montreal, and it is thought an advance of prices will be made.

Rev. Dr. Gordon, the new Principal of Queen's University, received a very hearty welcome at Kingston.

Several new cases of smallpox are reported from Anderson Township, Essex County.

The G. T. R. has sent men to Niagara Falls and Buffalo to protect its coal from American railways.

By next summer it is expected that the application for a special charter for the city.

Charles Shirley, a Quebec hotel proprietor, was shot four times by an English waiter named Jno. Guard. He may recover.

Hector Delorme, of Montreal, has been appointed assistant shipping inspector of live stock, in place of the late E. B. Morgan.

Settlers have located a large portion of the territory embraced in the concession to the Blanche River Coal & Paper Co.

Cartage companies have issued a circular to merchants, partially blaming the latter for the recent congestion of freight traffic.

The by-law respecting Toronto billiard and pool-rooms will be amended to provide that such resorts shall close hereafter at 11 p.m. instead of midnight.

A writ has been issued for \$15,000 against the Grand Trunk on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coote, injured in the Wanstead wreck.

The Canadian General Freight Agents' Association opens its quarterly meeting in Montreal to-day, where the Grand Trunk Railway has placed rooms at its disposal in their new offices.

The senate of the University of Toronto has made changes in the curriculum for 1903-4, in modern languages and sciences, and has altered the work for the M. A. degree. Several examiners have been appointed.

The Chinamen in Ottawa have decided to leave on the 28th inst. and the very picturesque "pigtail" will be seen no more, a week hence.

Where did he say they were? At the Hampton Pines Club and at Turnell's. He said Foster called him down and told him he and the girl were going away together and wanted to say good-bye to him.

The reason assigned for the departing of the queen is that the Chinese Ambassador, Wu-Ting-Fong, to the United States, before departing for his native soil, had his once very conspicuous queue cut off, and presented it to the President.

From the Swan River Doukhorobany comes news of a case of senility in a young man, the son of an elderly Doukhorobany leader, is actively engaged in studying the entire situation, and states that as soon as he has completed his tour of all the Doukhorobany villages, he would hold a big meeting at a central village. At this meeting each community would be represented, and the whole land question would be finally settled one way or the other.

Clement Scott, the dramatic critic, is seriously ill of paralysis.

The bill granting a rebate of duties on foreign coal was passed at Wellington.

Economic conditions in Russia are said to indicate a change for the better.

Hamburg grain dealers are complaining of the inferior quality of American wheat and corn imports.

Severely cold weather prevails in Britain, the temperatures at some points being the lowest in ten years.

The French Chamber of Deputies will not enter upon discussions of the law of associations until the budget is disposed of.

The Transvaal will contribute \$150,000,000 to the cost of the war; a guarantee will also be given for an imperial loan of a like amount.

An official denial is given to the report that Germany is negotiating for the purchase of Panama Canal Company's shares.

The czar's health is causing some anxiety to his physicians, who advise the removal of the court to the southern coast of Russia.

The National Board of Trade of the United States passed a resolution favoring reciprocity with Canada.

A proposition to import Chinese labor for work in the Rand is strongly opposed by the London Press.

It is estimated that 120,000 to 140,000 tons of British coal are being shipped weekly to the United States.

Mrs. Alice Chauncey denies that she is engaged to marry Lord Rosebery. When asked if the report was true, she only smiled.

The Vorwarts, the Berlin Social-Democratic organ, says the police tried to bribe one of its employees to reveal office secrets.

The Nova Scotia barque Veronica was burned at sea. Some of her crew were taken off by the steamer Brunswick; others took to the boats and have not since been heard from.

The German Government will be asked to place a differential duty on refined petroleum, the real object being to break the Standard Oil Company's monopoly.

MISSIONARIES FIRED FROM FEZ.

Armed Mountaineers Menaced Them With Threats of Violence.

London, Jan. 20.—Letters received here recently from Fez, Morocco, says the rapidly growing anti-European sentiment necessitated the hurried departure from that city of the U. S. missionary, Mr. Simpson, and his wife and three English women.

What's this all about in our streets? When the American missionaries from Mequinez arrived at Fez, the Moors exclaimed: "Oh, God, we thought they were sending the cursed dogs from us, but they are coming back."

SETTLING WITH SUFFERERS

FIRED AT THE FORT

G. T. R. Has Compromised Many Wanstead Claims.

Puerto Cabello, Jan. 20.—The German cruiser Vinga last night fired a shell at La Vega fort, crown of the hills behind this port. The shell, which was fired because men were believed to be in the fort, exploded without causing damage.

STRANGE FACTS BROUGHT OUT

A VALUABLE DOG.

A Montreal despatch says: One of the most remarkable incidents in connection with the recent disastrous accident on the Grand Trunk Railway at Wanstead is the unprecedented manner in which circumstances have presented themselves that tended to cut down the amount the railway would have to pay out in damages.

New York, Jan. 20.—Nero, a Great Dane owned by William Oppenheimer, a dress goods dealer, of No. 120 East 71st street, is ordinarily worth \$300. On Monday night he suddenly acquired a value of \$1,000.

KEPT WARM WITH \$5 BILLS.

Result of Political Quarrel in South Carolina.

White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 20.—Joseph Gotsch, of Pelham, who was brought to the White Plains Jail to-day to serve ten days for stealing coal in Pelham Manor, which he said he took to keep his family from freezing, had his legs bound with rolls of greenbacks. Warden John Phe found \$100 in \$5 and \$2 bills, strapped to his right leg, while on the other leg were 150 \$2 bills.

Asked why he didn't buy coal with his money, he said: "The dealers wouldn't sell to me, so I stole it." Gotsch said he didn't believe in banks, and as he had to carry the money, thought best to use it as a protection against freezing. He had the money bound to his legs with leather straps.

GOVERNOR SHOT EDITOR.

DELIBERATE CASE OF MURDER

Columbia, S. C., despatch: N. G. Gonzales, editor of the State, and widely known throughout the south, is a young man of an unimpaired physical condition, as a result of a pistol wound inflicted by James H. Tillman, Lieutenant-Governor of South Carolina. The shooting took place along the street in front of Jim Tillman's residence in Columbia.

It was a few moments before 2 o'clock when the cry "was passed" along the street that Jim Tillman had shot N. G. Gonzales. At once a rush set in towards the capitol. The offices of the State are in the same block as the scene of the shooting, and it took only a few moments for a throng to assemble in front of the building.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

DROWNED WHILE SKATING.

Washington report: While a large crowd was skating on the bathing basin near the Washington monument this evening the ice suddenly gave way and precipitated twenty or more persons into the water. These persons are known to have lost their lives, and it is possible other deaths may have been caused by the breaking of the ice.

Miss Jessie C. Thomas, a young woman, twenty years of age, employed as a clerk in the Bureau of Ethnology, died at the Emergency Hospital. The names of the two other dead persons are unknown as yet. Eight other persons were treated at the Emergency Hospital and recovered.

\$3,000 FOR HIS BODY.

ROSEBERY ENGAGED.

South McAlester, I. T., report: The body of a bandit killed in a fight with United States deputy marshals at Spiro, after he had slain Deputy Samuel Sarrob, has been fully identified as that of Samuel Morley, for whose capture \$3,000 reward was outstanding.

Morley had killed three men before his last battle. At San Antonio, Tex., several years ago, he killed a butcher; at Chickasha he killed another man, and recently he killed Sheriff Jacob Hartman, of El Reno, Okla.

Notorious Desperado Killed in Battle With Federal Officials.

Said to be Betrothed to Miss Alice Carr Chauncey.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 20.—A letter received here to-day from Mrs. Jos. Armstrong, who is at present in Vevey, Switzerland, says the engagement is reported there of Mrs. Alice Carr Chauncey, formerly of Louisville, but now residing in Cannes, France, and Lord Rosebery.

The marble statue of Shakespeare, by the sculptor Otto Lessing, will be unveiled at Weimar, Germany, in June. It is believed that this will be the first statue erected to the bard of Avon in Germany.

Manitoba lands are producing heavier crops than ever, and Blue Ribbon Tea fills our cup of happiness to the brim.

LOVE'S EXILE.

I remained in the study for some time, a prey to the most violent excitement, in which the emotions of grief and remorse struggled vainly against the intoxicating belief that Babble loved me. I strode up and down what little space there was in the room, until the four walls could contain me no longer. Then for an hour I wandered about the forest, climbed up to the top of a rock which overlooked the sea and the Braemar road, and came back in the moonlight by the shell of old Knock Castle, from which, three hundred years ago, James Gordon went forth to fight for his kinsman and neighbor, the Baron of Braemar, and fell by his side in one of the fiercest and purposeless skirmishes which seem to have been the only occupation worth mentioning of the Highland gentlemen of those times. When I returned home I saw Babble's shadow through the blind of the little room where her husband's body was lying. It was long past my dinner hour, and I was so brutally hungry that I felt thankful that neither of the unhappy ladies was present to be disgusted with my mountain appetite. I had scarcely risen from table when Ferguson informed me that Mrs. Elmer had sent Tom to come to the cottage to see her husband, who she feared was dying. Remembering the poor wretch's ghastly and haggard appearance when we found him, I was not surprised, nor could I, knowing the fate that might be in store for him if he lived, be sorry that his miserable life would in all probability end peacefully now.

LUNG WEAKNESS

Is Due to Poor and Watery Blood.

That is Why Some People Cannot Get Rid of a Cough, and Why It Develops Into Consumption.

The lungs are just like any other portion of the body—they need a constant supply of pure, rich blood to keep them sound and strong. If the lungs are not supplied with this, they are unable to resist disease, and that is the reason why an apparently simple cold chills until the patient grows weaker and weaker and finally like a consumptive's grave, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills never fail to strengthen the lungs, because they make the new, rich red blood which alone can do this work. The most emphatic proof of this is the case of Miss Blanche Durand, of St. Edmund, Que. Miss Durand says: "In the month of September, 1901, I was visiting at the home of an uncle at LAassonport. One day we were out shooting I got my feet wet and caught cold. The next day I came to my room and found myself shivering and feeling as if I were being smothered. I returned home about the end of September, I was quite ill. I was quite feverish, me, as little by little, the cough seemed to exhaust me. I began doctoring, but did not get any better, and in January, 1902, the doctor told me that my lungs were affected, and that I was in consumption. At this time a friend who had come to see me, advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I sent for six boxes. The pills soon began to help me, as little by little, the cough grew less severe, my appetite became better, my strength returned, and I began to have a healthy color. I used eight boxes of the pills, and was then fully recovered. I am sure that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved my life and I shall always speak gratefully of them.

Poor little woman! it was to her all my sympathy went, to this brave, energetic, fragile creature whose worst faults were on the surface, and who, to this bitter shameful end, valiantly worked with her busy skillful hands, and made the best of everything. She looked so worn that all the good her late easy life had done her seemed to have disappeared; and from shame at her husband's conduct, though her voice remained bright and shrill, she did not dare to meet my eyes. I went round to her, and held one of her thin work-worn hands as I spoke to her husband. "And you have persuaded him that I'm not an ogre after all," I said cheerfully. "Mr. Elmer, after one or two vain attempts to answer, got back voice enough to whisper huskily, with a dogged expression of face—"She says I was wrong—that if Babble was unhappy it was the fault of—the other one. Well, if I was wrong then, I'm right now. You'll marry her?" "Yes."

"And during these long walks I have watched you take with her lately on Craignagdarroch and through the forest you have never told her so?" "Never. One can't be a man seven years to be a scoundrel the eighth, Mr. Elmer."

no longer, I began to feel that the mountains oppressed me, and the prospects of being snowed up with my books and my pen, as I had many times before, I was in my horizon like a fear of imprisonment. I had heard nothing from Babble through her mother, whose letters were full of kind, kind accounts of the paralyzing effect her husband's death seemed to have had upon the younger lady. These things struck me with dismay; I began to feel that I had under-estimated the effect that such a shock would have on a keenly sensitive nature, and to fear that his tragic death had perhaps done more to retumate her in the place he had first held in her heart than years of penitent devotion could have done. This conviction became a most painful one when, just as I had found a pretext on which to visit the ladies, I received a letter from Babble herself, which struck all my hopes and plans to the ground. It was written in such a constrained manner that the carefully-chosen expressions of gratitude and affection sounded cold and formal; while the purpose of the letter stood out as precise and clear as a sententious death to me. She was going away. She found it impossible to impose longer upon my generosity, and she had obtained an invitation of commendation to a lady who was to accompany her on her way to France, she would be obliged to me to accompany the burial of Larkhall, and I contained under an avalanche. That she could go like that, with no farewell but those few chilling words, on a journey, to her, which she had bound herself, so she wrote for three years, was a shock so great that it stunned me. To go and to see her, to see that night there was something wrong, and that three speechless beasts, doleful round the fire, without a rag of comfort between the lot of us. There was no use of writing; she was gone; I was left alone, and I had to do as I had no more feeling than that for me now that she was free, well at least she should not know that I was less philosophical. So I doggedly resolved to give up all thought of roaming, lest my ill-disciplined feet should carry me where I was not wanted; and, presenting a respectful but firm refusal to my messenger of Larkhall to a certain letter of sonage who had taken a fancy to it, I wrote a stupid letter to Mrs. Elmer, highly applauding her daughter's action, and then, after a day or so, to the back-for life nature seems to have determined me for.

THE END.

Don't Worry.

Goethe said he never had an affliction that he did not turn into a poem. Which bit of sunshine philosophy he ever wrote, it is not for me to say. It is the keynote on which the woman who worries may there will never be a disaster, comments an enthusiastic woman writer, who adds: "To weave poetry out of affliction is the hidden blessing in every trial; and enduring power from suffering; to carve character out of crosses—therein lies the secret of your greatness as a philosopher, and therefrom gush the springs of happiness."

CANADIAN AGRICULTURE AND ALLIED TRADES.

Results for 1902—Great Story of Commercial Expansion.

Canada to-day presents an object lesson in progressive agricultural development such as no other country can claim for its own, either on this or the other side of the Atlantic. The Hon. Sydney Fisher, an old Cambridge graduate, as Minister of Agriculture under two successive Governments, has in his own person demonstrated the force of the truism that one thorough workman at the head is worth a regiment of the orists in the rear, however steep may be the hill up which the administrative load has to be moved. Not many years ago Canada was importing some foods; to-day she is the granary of Great Britain and other Colonies "beyond the seas"; and in dairy produce not only in point of quantity but especially in that of quality she has taken the lead.

THE CHURCH AND PEOPLE.

What the Churches Need to Do to Make Progress. It is true that the churches, on the whole, are out of touch with the times, behind the age and not in advance as they should be—their teachings and their methods not in adjustment with the needs and demands of the everyday life of everyday men. If the churches confessedly fall as they do, to reach the masses; if attendance is falling off and interest in religion declining, it is not that men and women are growing harder, more unbelieving and materialistic, not that they feel less the need of spiritual guidance and uplift than in former days, but chiefly because they do not find the needed uplift and guidance in the religious service as it is now administered in many of the churches. They find there instead too much conventionality, too much in-

EASY TO LET A COLD RUN ON.

Until It Develops Into Pneumonia or Consumption—Easy to Cure a Cold if You Use DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE. It is easy to let a cold run on. You may say with others that you always let a cold take care of itself. There is a danger of following this plan once too often. At this season of the year the lungs seem to be unusually susceptible to disease, and before you suspect it pneumonia or consumption has seated itself in your system. It is possible you have tried the cough mixtures which druggists offer to their customers. These may do well enough for slight colds, tickling the throat, but they are powerless in the presence of serious disease. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is far more than a cough remedy. It cures the cold as well as loosening and easing the cough. It takes the pain out of the bones and reaches the very seat of the disease when there is pain and tightness in the chest. It would not be too much to say that Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has saved thousands of people from pneumonia and consumption. There is not a village of hamlet in Canada where this famous family treatment is not recognized as a most unusually effective cure for croup, bronchitis, asthma, coughs and colds.

Mr. Donald Graham, No. 45 Cathedral street, Toronto, states: "My boy, who is six years of age, was developing all the symptoms of pneumonia when we commenced giving him Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. It very quickly checked the advance of disease, and in a few days he was as well as ever, and is now, rolling about in this valuable remedy, and shall recommend it to my friends."

April. P. S.—Spring has done it. Surely never was such a quick start the hawthorn buds first burst on the hedges, and the pale green tips of the harts' tongue first peeped out of the fissures in the gray rocks by the Gairn. It all came so quick, so sweet air and sunshine, and fresh bright green in the dark fringe of the laurels. Yesterday I swear we were in the depths of winter, and had a winter's rest, and splitting the garth with frost, caused great slabs of rock to fall from their place on Craignagdarroch, and I was low; but this morning came Babble's letter, and when I went to the house with that little sheet of paper against my breast, I found that it was a spring letter back in England; she "would be glad to see me" she "hopes I shall soon be home" she "wishes I shall see London" I rather think I shall; my portmanteau is packed indeed, my sandwiches are out, the horse being harnessed. And I haven't a fear for

A MOTHER'S CARE

Every mother knows the constant care a little child requires, and to the young and inexperienced mother who is caring for her little baby there is no other period in her life more trying. In the little lills that are certain to come to all infants and young children, the mother—especially the young and inexperienced mother—may scarcely know what to do. It is most urgent emergencies of this kind that Mrs. E. H. Lullie's Tablets are offered to all mothers. These Tablets are an absolute cure for all the minor ailments of little ones, and should constantly be kept in every home where there are young children. Sickness comes quickly—with Baby's Own Tablets the emergency is promptly met. Mrs. E. H. Lullie's Tablets are offered to all mothers who have cross or delicate children, who have known how I could get along without them. The Tablets are guaranteed free from opiates or harmful drugs, and pushed to a powder may be administered with absolute safety to a new born babe. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail at 25 cents a box by writing direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Misunderstood the Idiom.

"Mr. Henpecke, let me introduce you to the Count De Dippee." "Ah, ett eez ze honor to meet a musician. I hear, sar, zat you an' your family play ze music."

T H I S O R I G I N A L D O C U M E N T I S I N V E R Y P O O R C O N D I T I O N

HOW TO CHOOSE

A GOOD WIFE.

This always timely question is dealt with in a manner which is not only entertaining but useful by a most competent authority in the Christmas number of the Pall Mall Magazine, and should certainly be consulted by those who are proposing to take the leap in the dark. We may repeat a little the advice here.

"Above all things, avoid the girl who openly boasts that she does not like children, and cannot bear the sight of babies, because, if she means what she says, she cannot be a nice woman, and if she does not she is insincere. A girl is not to be despised for she is not actuated by evil motives, as is a coquette, but is none the less a coquette for you are not to be deceived, and has no desire to, metaphorically speaking, shed your heart's blood, but merely to amuse herself."

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

"The heart never finds that the bills are drawn on the firm of Wife, Children or Friends."

Every man should carry sufficient insurance to protect his loved ones, and to insure to them the income they enjoyed during his life time.

Are you loved one fully protected in the event of your being called away? This is a pertinent question, and one that every man should apply to himself. If they are not fully protected then the CANADIAN ORDER OF CHOSEN FRIENDS will provide just what you require.

TABLE OF MONTHLY RATES.

Table with columns for Age, On, and Off. Rows include 18 years, 19 and 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50.

Should you also desire a "personal benefit" during sickness, then by paying the following monthly contribution you will receive a benefit of \$5 per week, and in the event of death, a funeral benefit of \$50.

For more information apply to the nearest Council or write to W. F. MONTAGUE, Grand Recorder, Hamilton.

HOW THE SULTAN LOOKS.

Butler of the Moslem Nation Looks and Acts as if He Was Haunted.

The lot of the Sultan of Turkey is not a happy one. Probably no potentate on earth is so continuously haunted by fear of death as is this Turk-headed despot. Ray Stewart, a "baker" who recently saw Abdul Hamid at Constantinople, says of him: "I stood on the palace terrace rising above the little roadway down which on Friday the Sultan enters forth to say his prayers. I saw the extraordinary precautions taken to protect him—the gathering of all his 5,000 troops, the stoppage of traffic by walls of brass men in every roadway leading up to the palace, then the surrounding of the few hundred yards of roadway which the Sultan must traverse from his palace gate to his mosque by rows of soldiers knee-deep. It was a strange, gorgeous, incongruous spectacle."

"Proceeded by his women in closed carriages, several of their sons and some eighty great generals and officers of the army marching on foot, came the Sultan himself. He was driven slowly in an open carriage facing forward, with his Minister of War sitting opposite, and this is Abdul Hamid II., the absolute ruler of 25,000,000 people, the defender of the faith, monarch of the Hukymet—the glorious government, variously known elsewhere as the "sick man of Europe" and the "great assassin." Every splendor of general

RUTS

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are! Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed. "Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion. It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.

Still a Century Behind.

Things of the nineteenth century have hardly been known in the Philippine Islands until very recently. The people there go along with eighteenth century methods and materials until American occupation made them realize that the twentieth century was here.

Curry Sauce is made by simmering over a slow fire one tablespoonful of minced onion, one tablespoonful of minced raw ham, one tablespoonful of minced parsley and a pinch of thyme. Do not let the onion burn, but when it is cooked soft stir in one desert-spoonful of browned flour, which has been blended with one teaspoonful of curry powder; mix well, then slowly add a cup and a half of seasoned stock, stirring continually. Let simmer ten to fifteen minutes, rub through a fine strainer, return to the fire, add one beaten egg yolk, stir until it reaches the boiling point, and serve. If it has to be kept hot, place the vessel containing it in a pan of boiling water, cover closely to keep it from evaporating, and an crust from forming; draw back on the stove. Return to the hot part of the stove to bring it to the boiling point again before using.—Chicago Record.

It is not only because of their great wearing qualities that you are recommended to wear Granby Rubbers. Style, fit and finish are almost as important. GRANBY RUBBERS have a stylish, clean cut appearance all their own, and are made in all the different shoe shapes. "Granby Rubbers wear like iron."

Why He Yelled Fire.

"Fire" in English and "feuer" in German are pronounced somewhat alike, and this came near causing a panic at a New Year's celebration at one of the German churches. The German "feuer" means to celebrate. The choir at this particular church is supposed to be very fine, and the bulk of the entertainment fell to it.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Sir Philip Burne-Jones Didn't Know Sir Philip Burne-Jones, of "Vampire" fame, who played poker on the ocean, "stood pat" on two deuces, so you see: A fool there was, and he lost his dough, though in it—not to the slightest degree of neglect, however. Where two children in a family must share the same room, in a great many cases they would be better off to have two single beds rather than one wide double bed. We can share a great many things with those we love, but solitude belongs to us from birth to death. We come into the world alone, and we live in it alone, in a certain important sense, and to get and keep our "solitude" we must sometimes be left alone—it is good that we should be.—The Family Doctor.

Indigestion, congested liver, impure blood, constipation, these are what afflict thousands of people who do not know what is the matter with them. They drag along a miserable existence; they apply to the local doctors occasionally, and sometimes obtain a little temporary relief, but the old, tried, worn-out, all-gone, distressed feeling always comes back again worse than ever, until in time they become tired of living, wonder why they were ever born, and wish they were alive unless to endure constant suffering. To such sufferers there is a haven of refuge in Dr. August Koenig's Hamburg Drops, which was discovered more than 60 years ago, and which is a wonderful medicine. One trial will convince the most sceptical that any or all of these difficulties may be removed, and a perfect cure effected, by taking Dr. August Koenig's Hamburg Drops. Get a bottle at once, before it is too late.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diets.

He Told Him. In a Perthshire village school a boy complained to the teacher that Tom Smith had been swearing. The teacher, wishing to know the truth of the boy's assertion, questioned him as to what Tom had said. "Please, sir," replied the accuser, "I don't swear, and I am afraid to say the word he used." "Why, my boy, you need not be afraid; no harm will come, just whisper the word to me, and I will punish Smith for swearing. Come, now, what did he say?" "I would rather not, sir." "But," insisted the teacher, "how am I to know that Tommy Smith swore if I don't know the word he used?" "I'll tell you how," said the boy, brightening up. "You say over all the swear words that you know, and I'll tell you when you come to the right one."

A Poser. "Don't beat about the bush. Answer my questions, 'Yes' or 'No,'" shouted an excited elector at a political meeting.

Never Grumble. A Scotzman who has a keen appreciation of the strong characteristics of his countrymen delights in this story of a druggist, known both for his thrift and his philosophy. One day he awoke from a deep sleep by the ringing of his night bell. He went down into his little shop and sold a dose of rather nauseous medicine to a distressed customer. "What profit do you make out of that?" grumbled his wife. "A happony," was the cheerful answer. "And for that bit o' money you'll be awake maybe an hour!" she said, impatiently. "Never grumble o'er that, woman," was his placid answer. "The dose will keep him awake all night. We must thank Heaven we ha' all the profit and none o' the pain o' this transaction."

He Took No Risks. He—You want one of those burglar alarm gongs on the front of the house? Nonsense. She—But, my dear, it will be worth your while to do so. He—Not at all. It will only serve to attract burglars and make them think we've got something worth stealing. She—Perhaps, but it will make the neighbors think so, too.—Philadelphia Press.

What made your linens coarse? Common Soap!

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

IT'S WORK OR GO TO JAIL. Nicaragua's New Labor Law Seems to Make Strikes Impossible.

When an employer hires a person to work, the employee must buy a small book from the government in which to register the name, age, description and general characteristics of the person and conditions of the contract.

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If any choice 1-pound roll butter to offer please advise by letter. Choice large rolls are in good demand. Wanted, a quantity of young chickens, dry picked, will pay 50 cts. per lb. for beeswax delivered in Toronto.

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Trick With an Egg.

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FAIR WOMEN DEAL

Of a thing of beauty is a joy forever, what a well-spring of joy a woman must possess who has one or more of the season's new waists.

And now for silk waists. And, indeed, any girl may be pardoned for going into raptures over them. Such combinations of soft silk and flimsy chiffon!

Wing Collars Gaining Ground. The wing or tab collar among the best-dressed men is now the leading style and it is gaining in popularity daily.

How an abscess in the Fallopiian Tubes of Mrs. Hollinger was removed without a surgical operation.



"I had an abscess in my side in the Fallopiian tube (the Fallopiian tube is a connection of the ovaries). I suffered untold misery and was so weak I could scarcely get around.

With all the demand for wing collars, and the prominent place that Canadian manufacturers as well as others have given them, it is a little surprising how the retailer pushes forward his fold collars in the window and interior displays.

HOW GIRLS MAY HAVE PRETTY ARMS.

Although beautiful arms are nature's gift, they may also be cultivated. According to artists and sculptors, perfect arms are rarely given to women, but, as one often sees arms that seem very lovely, it may be concluded that artistic lines can be concealed by the drapery at the shoulder, and that, even if every curve does not conform to beauty's law, at least arms may be made of satin smoothness and alabaster whiteness by careful attention to details.

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A STORY WITH A SEQUEL

Mrs. Barnett's Sufferings Hap-pily, Ended by the Aid of Dodd's Kidney Pills

That was Four Years Ago and now she is able to say, "The Cure was Permanent." Plattsville, Ont., Jan. 5. (Special.) "The cure was permanent." In this one short sentence Mrs. J. Barnett, of this place, gives the sequel to a long tale of suffering and misery.

A TOWN OF ALIASES

There is a town in Russia known by the several unpronounceable names of Ischigri, Schtschigri and Tschigri.

Little Fashion Hints

Narrow, frills trim skirts, especially where there is upper skirt having a yanked edge. For the majority of evening skirts, frills or flounces of some description are used, excepting, of course, when black, tulle or such brocade be the materials employed.

Sunday School

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The Markets

Jan. 19.—The receipts of grain today show an increase. There was a wide range in prices of wheat owing to difference in quality.

Following is the range of quotations: Wheat, white bushel, 60 to 72 1/2; red, 65 to 70; spring, 60; goose, 6 c; o. s., 84 1/2 to 85 1/2; peas, 74 to 76; barley, 44 1/2 to 51; buckwheat, 55 to 61 20; clover, 51c; hay, timothy, per ton, \$13 to \$16; alfalfa, 80 to 85; straw, per ton, \$9 to \$10.50.

Leading Wheat Markets

Following are the closing quotations at important wheat centres to-day: New York ... 82 1/4; Chicago ... 78 3/8; Toledo ... 78 3/4; Duluth, No. 1 ... 76 3/8.

British Cattle Market

London Jan. 17.—Live cattle steady at 12 1/2 to 13 1/2 per lb. Canadian steers, 11 1/2 to 12 3/4 per lb; refrigerator beef, 10 per lb. Toronto Live Stock Market.

Bradstreet on Trade

Trade conditions at Montreal, as reported to Bradstreet's, continue satisfactory. Although January is never a very busy month, retailers being busy with stock-taking, and not inclined to buy largely at present owing to the flatter markets and the difficulty experienced last year in getting late orders filled, more business is now being done than in former years at this period.

Knowledge is power and protection, and is in no sense incompatible with innocence.

It is wiser to be single and suffer with an illusion or to marry and suffer with a delusion? Woman so often wonders what a man will do next that she frequently finds out to her sorrow.

Excuse me, said the life insurance man, with excessive politeness, "but you said he was toothless. How could you know it unless he opened his mouth?"

"Forget it," snarled the little man. "What sort of a dog was it?" gently inquired the merchant. But the little man was angry, and would say no more.

Christ, Prayer and thanksgiving are the two wings of the soul by which it rises upward to God.

19:20. Quench not—Since the Spirit may be quenched, He is a fire, as appeared on the day of Pentecost. (Acts ii. 3). This emblem sets forth the sudden and vehement activities of the Holy Spirit, with His gifts of warmth for the heart and light for the mind, and His power to kindle the human spirit. Prophecy—This may mean either inspired teaching, or predicting the future. Prophecy—This was "devised" by some as being beneath the gift of tongues, but Paul held it to be the best gift, because the most profitable and edifying.

III. Sanctification promised (vs. 23, 24). 23. God of peace—"Peace is the sum of all spiritual blessings that man receives and experiences." The apostle prays that the God of peace might sanctify them wholly. The Thessalonian Christians were truly regenerated; they had had a genuine conversion (see chap. 1), and yet they needed entire sanctification. Sanctify you wholly—The work of sanctification was begun in conversion, and now it was their privilege to be made complete—to be sanctified wholly.

Practical Survey

The conversion of the Thessalonians was brought about, instrumentally, by the self-denying labors of Paul and his fellow-laborers. They had preached to them the gospel not "in word only, but also in power" and "in the Holy Ghost." Conversations of a radical type followed the Spirit-impulse message delivered to the people, so that many "turned from idols to serve the living and true God." Their conversion to Christianity did not come along the line of an easy and popular way, but they "received the word in much affliction."

The boldness and courage which characterized Paul and his assistants is worthy of special notice. Having "suffered before" and having been "shamefully entreated" at Philippi, they were not intimidated by the harsh treatment from continuing their missionary work. But, as stated to the Thessalonians, "We were bold in our God to speak unto you the gospel of our God with much contention." The spirit of compromise or worldly concession would have caused them to tone down in their preaching to escape the opposition they had experienced in the past.

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Now in stock a fine line of stylish Light
Overcoats, Pants, Bicycle Suits, etc. Be sure
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A full range of shirts, black and colored soft
materials, finest qualities of laundered goods
Cuffs, Collars, Ties, Braces, Handkerchiefs,
Caps, Woollen Underwear, etc. You can get
just what you want in these lines here and at
reasonable prices

PRICES DEFY COMPETITION
The undersigned returns thanks to the general
public for their patronage during the
last 10 years, and will endeavor to conduct
his business as to receive their continued
trade and sustain the reputation of his store
as "The Old Reliable" Clothing House.

THE COOK'S COTTON BOOT COMPOUND
Is successfully used monthly by over
10,000 ladies. Safe, effective. Ladies say
"your drugstore for Cook's Cotton Boot
Compound." Take care of all blisters, chafes
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per box; No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 1.00. Sold by all
druggists. The Cook's Company, Windsor,
Ont. No. 1 and 2 sold and recommended by
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Son, Druggists, Athens

ALL THE NEWS
OF THE TOWN

The Events of the Week
Chronicles for Reporter
Readers.....

The Counties Council meets on Jan.
27th at 2 p.m.
Fresh select Oysters constantly on
hand at Wilson & Son's Meat Market.
A skating party from Toledo visited
the rink, here, on Saturday evening.
Miss Veo Stracy has returned home
after visiting friends in North Augusta.

Little Miss Gussie Purcell is ill with
la grippe.
Miss Birdie Moore, of Smith's Falls,
is visiting friends in Athens this week.
Mr. John Cawley, of Brockville,
called on friends in Athens on dav.
Mr. and Mrs. John McKenny, of
Ottawa, are visiting friends in Athens.

Mr. Fred Hamlin, of Sorenton, Pa.,
paid a flying visit to friends in town
last week.
Mr. Ora Grundy, of Toronto, is
spending a few days here, the guest of
his mother.
Mr. Morton Davis, of Frankville, is
shortly to wed Miss Phoebe Gilroy, of
Smith's Falls

Mr. Levi Johnston, of Gananoque,
is spending a few days with friends in
this vicinity.
At the sale yesterday, the B. and W.
railway was purchased by a syndicate of
Americans.
Rev. Jas. Lawson, of Addison, con-
ducted the services in the Methodist
church on Sunday last.

Mr. George Stratton and Miss Walk-
er of Lyn, were united in marriage at
that place on Wednesday last.
Miss Leone Balfe, of Smith's Falls,
one time a student in Athens is now a
professional nurse in New York city.
W. M. Fulford, late of Brockville,
died in Chicago recently of typho-
pneumonia. He was thirty years of
age.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, of Frank
ville, are spending a few days in
Athens, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F.
Earl.
Attention is directed to the new
advertisement of the Athens Lum-ber
Yard, on this page, and the change
of advertisement of Messrs. Johnston &
Lee, on the first page.

Spring is coming. A black bird was
seen in Brockville last week, and the
voice of a crow has been heard in Shea
town.
R. G. Murphy, secretary of the East
ern Ontario Dairyman's Association, will
represent Lovell & Christmas in
Brockville.

Work on the new Methodist church
at North Augusta is to be commenced
in the spring. Some of the material is
already on the ground.
Members of the Methodist church
are this week holding a series of cottage
prayer-meetings, preliminary to special
public services in the church.

Mr. G. N. Young, of Spring Valley,
has taken out a county license as auc-
tioneer, so is prepared to attend to
business anywhere in the united coun-
ties.
Mr. B. J. Howe, of the Brockville
Business College, has been elected
president of the Epworth League of
George Street Methodist church,
Brockville.

Two juvenile village teams, cap-
tained by Jack Donovan and Roy
McLaughlin, respectively, clashed on
the rink, here, on Monday afternoon.
The game resulted in a victory for the
Donovan team.
Mr. James McIntosh, of Harrison,
is visiting old friends here and at his
former home, McIntosh Mills, where, in
company with his brother, he owns the
old homestead, consisting of 350 acres
of fine land.

On Sunday last Rev. W. E. Rey-
nolds delivered sermons in the Metho-
dist church at Rocksprung. An anni-
versary entertainment was held on
Monday evening.
Four eclipses are set down for 1903
Eclipse of the moon April 11 and
Oct. 6, visible, and eclipses of the sun
March 28 and Sept. 20, both visible on
this continent.

Smith's Falls News: Mrs. N. C.
Williams, of Atironto, gave a very
pleasant birthday party for her little
son, Charles, on Monday afternoon,
from 4 to 9 o'clock. There were about
twenty-five little tots present and they
had a jolly time.

On Wednesday last, at Goderich the
death occurred of Mr. Ira Lewis, uncle
of Mr. W. A. Lewis, barrister, of
Brockville. Deceased was the oldest
County Crown Attorney in Ontario.
The people of North Augusta are
pleasantly excited over the prospect of
the new Brockville and Ottawa rail
way being run through the village. It
is thought that the line will run just
west of the village.

News comes from Lansdowne of an
accident that befel Val Randal. He
was driving horses on a hay press when
the wheel broke, and the heavy
arm swung back striking him across
the stomach. Although a doctor was
sent, little could be done for
him and he succumbed in a short
time.

An anniversary service will be
conducted in St. Andrew's Presbyterian
church, Toledo, on Sunday next by
Rev. Mr. Cooke, of Smith's Falls.
There will be a morning and evening
service, and as Mr. Frizell will be
obliged to be away, taking Mr. Cooke's
work in Smith's Falls, there will be no
service in St. Paul's church, here, next
Sabbath evening.

Mr. Ellsworth Plumstead, who is
described as the leading all-round en-
tertainer of the United States, has been
engaged by the Canadian Order of
Foresters for an entertainment to be
held in the high school hall on the
evening of Thursday January 29. Lo-
cal talent will assist, and an enjoyable
evening is assured. A large number
of reserved seats have already been tak-
en. Plan of hall at the drug store of
J. P. Lamb & Son.

Mr. James Fulford, son of Mr. Alon-
zo Fulford, who lives near Lillie's Bay,
two miles above Brockville, was blown
to pieces by an explosion of dynamite
at Nanaimo, B.C., last week. His
wife and three children had gone to
him from Brockville only a short time
before the accident.

The village council for 1903 are dis-
playing unusual activity, having held
two meetings since their inauguration
gathering on the 12th. Besides dis-
posing of the large amount of routine
business connected with the first meet-
ing, they have commenced the solution
of the town hall problem, and the road
commissioners are preparing for effec-
tive work by advertising for cedar, pine
and stone. As soon as the members of
the council have any time, they would
meet the views of a large number of
the ratepayers of Athens by taking up
the subject of toll-gate abolition and
pushing it to a conclusion.

ADDISON
Rev. Mr. Reynolds, of Athens,
occupied the pulpit of our church on
Sabbath last.
Mr. A. Church has leased the experi-
mental farm at Mt. Pleasant from Mr.
P. Brown.
The funeral of the late Mrs. H.
Stewart passed through here on Mon-
day to the cemetery at Lehigh's Cor-
ners.

Mr. David Wiltsie has moved into
the Grand Central, corner King and
Selins streets.
Mr. Vincent Booth will leave us
about the first of March, having pur-
chased a property at Mallorytown.

Mr. Byron Blanchard has leased his
farm to Mr. George Bolton, of Kitley,
and will locate in Brockville for this
season.
Rev. Mr. Lawson intends holding a
series of meetings in our church for a
few weeks.
Mrs. H. Taplin, of Kitley, paid our
village a visit on Tuesday last.

AN ANCIENT FOE
To health and happiness is Scrofula—
as ugly as ever since time immemorial.
It causes bunches in the neck, dis-
figures the skin, inflames the mucous
membrane, wastes the muscles, weak-
ens the bones, reduces the power of
resistance to disease and the capacity
for recovery, and develops into con-
sumption.

MUNICIPAL MIXTURES
Athens' municipal troubles this year
place it right in line with a number
of leading municipalities.
Four of Smith's Falls aldermen suf-
fered from an attack of sulks and re-
signed.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.
Adv'ts of 6 lines and under in this column, 25c
for first insertion and 10c each subsequent
insertions.
Girl Wanted
For dining room at Gamble House. Athens
Apply at once. G. M. FIERCKE.

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.
Farm for Sale
The farm of the late J. B. Bellamy, consist-
ing of 50 acres (more or less), situated near
North Augusta, is offered for sale; also about
17 acres of marsh and woodland contiguous
thereto. If not sold the farm will be rented.
Apply on the premises to N. W. BELLAMY,
North Augusta.

SPECIAL NOMINATION
and Election Notice
Township of the Rear Yonge and
Escoff
The office of Reeve of the Township of the
Rear of Yonge and Escoff, having become
vacant through the resignation of E. J. Row-
son, require the attendance of the electors of
the township at the meeting required at the
town hall in the Village of Athens on Thurs-
day, January 22nd, 1903, at the hour of one
o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of
nominating a fit and proper person to act as
reeve for the said township for the residue
of the term of 1903, and in case no person is
nominated, the day of the election shall be
the first day of February 1903, from
9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the following places:—
P.S.D. No. 1—at Elbe school-house; Hanson
M. Brown, D.R.O.
P.S.D. No. 2—at the Fortune school-house;
Albert Morris, D.R.O.
P.S.D. No. 3—at James Sheldon's residence;
John Chamberlain, D.R.O.
R. E. CHINNELL,
Clerk and Returning Officer.
Dated at Athens this 19th day of January,
1903.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate of Stanley
S. Cornell late of the Village of
Athens in the County of Leeds,
Physician, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the
Act in that behalf that all persons
having claims against the Estate of the said
deceased, who died on or about the 2nd day of
December, A.D. 1902 are required to send by
post, prepaid or deliver to the undersigned
Solicitor for the Administratrix on or before the
First day of February 1903, their claims with
descriptions and a full statement of
particulars of their claims and the nature of
the security, if any held by them duly certified,
and that after the said day the Administratrix
will proceed to distribute the assets of the
deceased among the parties entitled thereto
having regard only to the claims of which she
has been notified and that she will not be
liable for the assets so distributed or any part
thereof to any person or persons of whose
claims she shall not have had notice.
W. A. LEWIS,
Solicitor for Administratrix.
DATED at Brockville this Fifth day of Janu-
ary, A. D. 1903.

HOPE FOR IRISH VET.
John Redmond believes Irish Will Be
Given Chance For Peace.
London, Jan. 19.—John Redmond,
M.P., the Irish leader, responding to a
Nationalist address presented to him at
Edinburgh Saturday night, said he believed that the friends of
Ireland would soon see a measure
become law which would heal the
wounds of centuries, and give the
Irish people a chance of living in
peace and prosperity on their own
soil. If this chance of settling the
Irish land question was lost by the
rejection of the measure, continued
Mr. Redmond, there would be an
overwhelming justification for such a
strong, menacing and dangerous
movement in Ireland as he would be
sorry to see.

CONSUMPTIVES
The undersigned having been restored to
health by simple means, after suffering for
several years with a severe lung affection, and
that dread disease Consumption, is anxious
to make known to his fellow sufferers the
means of cure. To those who desire it, he will
cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the
prescription used, which they will find a sure
cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrhs,
Bronchitis and all lung diseases. He
hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is
invaluable. Those desiring the prescription,
which costs them nothing, and may prove a
blessing, will please address Rev. EDWARD
A. WILSON, Brocklyn, New York. Geo.

Cedar Pine & Stone
Wanted

The undersigned require for the Village of
Athens a number of cedar stringers, not less
than 5 in. diameter at smaller end and 12 feet
and over in length; a quantity of 3 in. pine
plank, 12, 14, and 18 feet; and about 100 cords
stump suitable for cross-beds.
It is requested that any complaint of defects
in road-bed or sidewalks be made to the under-
signed.
W. F. JACOB, Road Comr's
ALEX. BATON

The Bullis Steam Mill

I have resumed the management of
my steam mill at Athens, and hav-
ing placed it in first-class condition, I
will be prepared, on and after Monday
next, to do all kinds of custom work
in sawing, planing, matching, and
gristing.

I invite the patronage of my old
customers and the general public, and
assure all that good satisfaction will be
given in every department.

The biggest cash price will be paid
for all kinds of logs.
S. Y. BULLIS,
Athens.

TEAS AND COFFEES

We carry a full stock of all the
leading lines—full flavored and
good value in every pound.

General - Groceries

Our stock is as new as the new
year, and includes all requisites
for the housekeeper.

A share of your trade for 1903 is
invited. All orders filled and goods
delivered promptly.

G. A. McClary

Store in Parish Block. Athens.

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SYSTEM

IF YOU ARE GOING TO TRAVE
East or West
FROM BROCKVILLE
Take advantage of the new Fast Passenger
Train Service which took effect from
Brockville, Oct. 15th, as follows:—
GOING EAST.
Fast express, daily, Sunday included, 4.10 a.m.
Local passenger, daily, except Sunday 5.45 a.m.
International Limited, Daily, Sunday, 11.38 a.m.
Mail and express daily, except Sun-
day, 2.45 p.m.
GOING WEST.
Mail and express, daily, except Mon-
day, 12.03 a.m.
Limited express, daily, Sunday included,
5.00 a.m.
Local passenger, daily, except Sunday 8.00 a.m.
International Limited (Chicago Flyer)
daily, Sunday included, 11.38 a.m.
Mail and express daily, except Sun-
day, 2.15 p.m.
Local Passenger, daily, except Sun-
day, 7.00 p.m.

REGALANT CAFE SERVICE
on International Limited train leaving at
11.38 a.m.
For tickets, reservations and all information
apply to

G. T. Fulford,
G.T.E. City Passenger Agent
Office: Fulford Block, next to Post Office
Court House Ave Brockville.

B. W. & S. S. M.
RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Table with columns: GOING WEST, GOING EAST, Mail & Express Leaves, Mail & Express Arrives, P.M., STATIONS, A.M.

†Telegraph Stations. §Flag.
E. A. Geiger, Samuel Hunt,
Supt. G.P.A.

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