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Store open till 9 o'clock each evening. **The Champion Clothier**

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THE ONE PRICE BARGAIN SHOE HOUSE

BROCKVILLE, ONT.

THINK CAREFULLY, DECIDE WISELY, AND COME TO US FOR YOUR

Felt Boots and Slippers.

Men's Berlin Felt Boots, half-foxed and leathered to top of leg	$2.00
Women's Felt Congress, Lace and Button. Boots, from	.75
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See our stock before you purchase. Our Ladies' Button Boots at 98c. are good value for $1.25

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OUR WAREHOUSE IS FULL OF SUGAR.

We got in nearly a car load before winter rates came into effect. We have a large open shed filled with Coal Oil. We are selling as many pounds of Sugar for one dollar and Coal Oil for as few cents per gallon.

We are here to sell Groceries and will not be undersold. We claim to do one of the largest grocery businesses in the county. Please call and see the quantity and quality of our goods before purchasing elsewhere, and we will be satisfied with your verdict.

JOSEPH THOMPSON

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For all kinds and the best kinds of Harness, Blankets, Robes, etc., go to

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As I intend moving to the North West in a few months, I will sell all that wood lot being the south-east quarter and the rear half of Lot number 20 in the eight concession of Yonge, containing about 170 acres, at a reasonable figure. The lot is well timbered and will be sold in quarter sections if desired. Apply to

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MOTT & ROBESON

It is generally conceded that we are doing the grocery trade of Athens. The reason for this is simply that we buy the best goods in the market for cash and sell them at a price that pleases our customers.

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Just now we have a special line of TEA that we invite your attention to, selling at 25, 35 and 40c. per lb. The 25c. tea is extra value. Try it.

Our stock of general groceries was never so full and complete as now. We can supply all your wants in the grocery line and give you the very best value for your money.

Call and see our stock, learn our prices, we shall be pleased to see you whether you buy or not.

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TIME-TABLE B. W. & S. S. M. R.

	GOING W.	GOING E.
Brockville	3 50 p.m.	10 30 a.m.
xLyn	4 10 "	10 00 "
xSeeley's	4 35 "	9 45 "
xLeo's	4 45 "	9 37 "
xForthton	4 55 "	9 25 "
xElbe	5 02 "	9 18 "
Athens	5 12 "	9 08 "
xSoperton	5 34 "	8 46 "
xLyndhurst	5 42 "	8 38 "
Delta	5 49 "	8 31 "
Elgin	6 07 "	8 13 "
xFarfar	6 15 "	8 05 "
xCrosby	6 22 "	7 57 "
Newboro	6 35 "	7 45 "
Westport	6 50 "	7 30 "

☞ Flag stations are marked thus—x.

THE REPORTER

ATHENS, ONT., FEB. 9, 1892.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of the Pencil.—Local Announcements Retled Right Down.

Butter Biscuits 25c per box at Mott & Robeson's.

Miss M. Griffin, of Brockville, is visiting Mrs. A. Alguire.

T. & B. Biscuit 25c per box at Mott & Robeson's.

Athens school affairs receive considerable attention from correspondents this week.

Wanted—A few birch and cherry logs.—W. G. Parish.

Orrison V. Lillie, a highly respected resident of Daytown, died last week.

Oranges at 20c. per doz. at Mott & Robeson's.

Mr. G. Fredenburg and Miss Ripley, of Westport, were married last week.

Cash paid for Ash, elm, basswood, birch and soft maple lumber.—W. G. Parish.

Ask for the Red Clover Syrup, 4c. per lb. at Mott & Robeson's.

Several Athenians are prostrated with a mild form of grippe. It seems to "hold on and never let go."

Mott & Robeson's 25c. Tea is a leader. Have you tried it?

Mrs. Chamberlain who has been on a visit to friends in Morton and Delta, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Stevens have gone on a two weeks visit to friends at Deseronto, Bloomfield and Selby.

Ash Wednesday comes this year on the 2nd of March; Good Friday, April 15th, and Easter Sunday, the 17th of April.

Don't forget that A. James has a first class horse shoer and will give you a first class job at the following prices for cash: Setting shoes, 10c; new shoes, 20c.

The Hon. David Mills says that the opposition will, during the coming session, press the section "B" charges against Mr. Haggart to an issue and ascertain if the governor general will do his duty.

There is great excitement at Wolfe Island owing to the discovery of a great quantity of salt in a well, 100 feet deep on the farm of Mr. McRae. There are indications of plenty of salt in the vicinity.

Stuart Paul, Earnestown, last year sowed 12½ bushels of two-rowed barley on ten acres and threshed therefrom 455 bushels, 45½ bushels to the acre, which he sold to C. E. Barlett in Napanee for 55 cents.

A young lad named Geo. Brewster, of Westport, who some time ago gallantly rescued from drowning a boy named Tyron, is to be recommended to the Royal Humane Society for a medal.

The voting on the Local Option took place in Winchester village on Friday 22nd inst. and carried with a sweeping majority—71 for, 15 against. There are not more than 100 freehold voters in the place.

The new St. Paul's church at Westport cost $4,000. The Children's League, of Napanee, provided the baptismal font, the altar linen, etc. At the opening service thirty-five candidates were confirmed.

A Chamber Set worth $16 will be given to the person guessing the nearest to the number of seeds in a squash now on exhibition at T store. Every purchase of one pound of T or coffee entitles the purchaser to one guess.—T. W. Devins, Brockville.

A correspondent asks us the origin of the phase "He isn't in it." It was first used by an editor who died and went to heaven and looked around for the man who took his paper for three years and then left in the postoffice marked "refused."—Ex.

We understand that if the United States small bank bills are scarce, their place has been taken by silver, and for this reason our subscribers delay their remittances. They can get over this, however, by sending post-office or express orders.

Do You Cough?

Will you heed the warning. This signal perhaps of the sure approach of that terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourself if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails.

Quarterly meeting in the Methodist church was well attended on Sunday last. In the fellowship meeting 145 testified, and about 250 partook of the sacrament, some for the first time.

J. L. Gallagher has a severe attack of the grip. Not that malignant type of influenza, however, but the grip on the piano and organ trade in this county. Geo. C. Bellamy, Toledo, and Mrs. Scott, of Morton, were purchasers of beautiful cabinet organs last week.

According to Grant Allen, in the Cornhill Magazine, mud is the most valuable material in the world. It is by mud we live, without it we should die; mud is filling up the lakes, mud created Egypt and mud created Lombardy; can there any longer be doubt as to the future greatness of Toronto?

Owing to the illness of Mr. Karley and the absence from the village of Mr. Cauley, there was no meeting of the village council held last night. The date of the meeting was therefore changed to Friday evening next, 12th inst., to be held in the Mechanic's Institute room over Parish's store.

Considerable surprise was created here last week by the news that our well-known citizen Sala Blancher, had taken unto himself a wife. He was married at Marshalltown, Iowa, on Saturday, Jan. 30th, to Mrs. Layng, a daughter of the eminent authoress, Mrs. Haverley. They are expected home this week.

Mrs. Blackwell of Wolftown, Renfrew county, died on the 30th ult. from the effects of poison. She was charged by her husband and daughter with having put poison in the tea, the taste of which they detected before drinking. She denied the accusation and to refute it drank a cupful of the tea. She was taken violently sick and died before a doctor could be summoned.

The directors of Unionville fair will meet for revision of the prize list on Friday, Feb. 26th, at 10 a.m. Any member wishing any changed or additions made in the prize list for 1892 should send a note to that effect to the secretary before that date and it will be considered by the board. A number of ladies are now engaged revising the domestic and ladies' work department.

Judge Rose, of the High Court of Justice last week, in a liquor license case decided that when, under the authority conferred by the Provincial License Law, municipal councils declined to forbid the sale of liquor during the night, the license commissioners may forbid it. The case decided arose in Brantford, where the license commissioners adopted a regulation to the effect that no liquor should be sold any night between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m.

Despite the hard times Mr. D. Fisher, Athens, has been able to dispose of all the cutters made in his factory last fall. A full staff of workmen are now engaged getting up a large number of carriages for next season's trade. Those contemplating purchasing a carriage of any kind next season would do well to call at his factory and spend an hour or two looking over the neat and careful way every piece entering into into the manufacture of his carriages is finished.

Early in January we received from The Steele Bros. Co., seedsmen and florists, Toronto, sample bulbs of their famous Chinese Sacred Lily. They were deposited on pebbles in a glass jar and in the space of four weeks the plants attained a height of 14 inches and blossomed very freely. While not a showy flower, they are quite pretty, exceedingly fragrant, and their rapid growth and abundance of blossoms make them an interesting and welcome addition to any conservatory. Steele Bros. will send two bulbs, together with their handsome illustrated catalogue, for 25c.

A Fine Exhibit.

A group of crayon portraits in the window of Phil Wiltse & Co's store attracted considerable attention this morning. The first to attract notice was a fine life size portrait of S. A. Taplin, Esq. The expression of the countenance is perfect and the artist must have caught a glimpse of Mr. Taplin at a time when he had just satisfied six, which he usually wears after dressing down an imaginary boodler or press-door. The next in the group is Curzon Lamb, son of P. Lamb, druggist, and has retained that frank open-hearted look for which Curzon is noted. Theodore G. Steven's physiog. stands out in bold relief from the corner on the left. Here, too, the expression is perfect and the shading true to life. Taken altogether, the three pictures are such as to reflect credit on the artists, who are all beginners in this particular line of crayon portraits. Mr. Taplin's portrait was made by Miss Lizzie Taber; Curzon Lamb's by his mother, Mrs. J. P. Lamb; and Mr. Stevens' by Miss Etta Ransier,—all working under instructions from Miss Norton, Brockville, who has established a large class in crayon drawing in this village.

Democrat Medal Contest.

The contest for the third Democrat medal, held in the vestry of the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, was attended by a large number, composed principally of young people. Mr. Sherman presided and introduced the programme shortly after 8 o'clock. The competants for the medal were W. Ackland, Herbert Breese, Fred Eaton, Claud Kilborn, W. Earl, Elmo Hickey, Campbell Oliver, Geo Slack, Rupert Rhodes. The recitations were in every respect high class, and too much cannot be said in praise of those who inspired the worthy spirit of emulation that gave them their excellence. The W. C. T. U. are doing a good work along this line, not only in propagating temperance principles, but in developing the talents of the contestants and establishing in their minds truths that in the future will undoubtedly influence their lives for good. But, however excellent each recitation might be, all could not get the prize; and so the decision of the judges was awaited with considerable interest. It was found that Willie Earl possessed the plurality of marks, and the announcement was made accordingly. The medal was presented by the president, Rev. N. Powers, with a few appropriate words, and the medal received a round of applause. Well rendered solos were sung by Miss Jennie Beckett and Mr. Kerfoot, who served pleasantly at the organ.

Andrew Henderson, Lake Eloida, has a few choice white Yorkshire pigs for sale. Thoroughbred, good size and cheap.

Some doubts were expressed as to the genuineness of Mayor's Cave silver covery reported in our last issue. We learn from the Kingston Whig that samples of the silver ore taken from the mine are now on exhibition in that city. The entrance to the cave is now said to be guarded.

An eastern exchange says that a swindler has been going about the neighboring towns representing himself as an agent of a large firm dealing in rugs and carpets. He carried with him a large stock of membership tickets, and all who paid him 25 cents had a chance of drawing one of the tickets which entitles the purchaser to a rug. The people are anxiously awaiting their goods. Look out for him. He may give you a call some of these days.

Some tobaccos spurt up in the pipe while smoking, with little crackling explosions. This is caused by the addition of foreign matter to assist the combustion. When the purity of the tobacco is not tampered with and it has been properly taken care of, this combustible foreign matter is wholly unnecessary. For in that case it burns at a lower temperature than almost anything else. Nothing of this kind is seen in smoking the "Myrtle Navy." It burns with steady combustion throughout.

This year for the first time the assessors of Ontario are required, when making their assessments to enter in a book to be provided by the clerk, the name, age and residence of every child between the ages of eight and fourteen years, resident in their respective municipalities, and the name and residence of the child's parent's or guardian, and return the said book to the clerk of the municipality, with the assessment roll, for the use of the truant officer. This is in accordance with a clause of the Truancy Act, passed last year. The said act also provides the penalty for non-compliance with this duty.

Another Gold Watch Free.

A lady's solid gold watch, valued at $50, will be given to the person guessing nearest to the number of beans in a glass jar now on exhibition in our show case. This jar was filled and sealed by Isaac C. Alguire, who will form one of the committee to break the seal and count the beans on the 1st day of May, 1892. Any person buying goods to the value of $1 at our store will have an opportunity of guessing for every dollars worth purchased.—Phil Wiltse & Co.

His Opinion.

Rev. C. O. Johnston, Methodist minister, of Napanee, attacks dancing in this style:—"I saw the program of a dance held in Napanee a few nights before, and did it commence with the round dances? Oh, no! It commenced with something quite modest. The young ladies were not yet prepared to be squeezed by the young rowdies of the town; not yet willing to allow liberties that would shock them in their own parlors. No, they waited until their passions were inflamed with wine and the excitement of the occasion, then they would submit to be tossed and whirled, then they could listen to remarks low and obscene and drink in the breath of the half-drunken rowdy and rascal."

A New Feature.

Revival services in the vicinity of Newboro are moving with great force. There appears to be much good being done, as several have been converted. These evangelistic meetings are held at a private house as the clergyman resident has not yet opened up the chapel for that purpose. They are, however, regarded with favor by the majority. Prostrations are quite general, but a new feature has come in view connected therewith. A boy and girl, after being prostrated to an unconscious degree, return to the clairvoyant state and are able to answer a great many very curious questions. The girl, especially, gives some very striking and remarkable replies, necessarily involving clear views of the other world. Our informant says the whole affair seems rational, clear and sincere. Besides, it appears on good authority that some very prompt and remarkable replies to prayer were received.

A Work of Art.

Last Saturday evening the promenaders on Main street had an opportunity of inspecting a superb work of art. A few weeks ago Mr. C. C. Slack conceived the idea of fitting up a fire screen for a friend and embellishing each panel with a sketch from life or imagination. The work was completed on Friday, and on Saturday afternoon it was placed on exhibition in the show window at J. P. Lamb's drug store. The hundreds who gazed upon the different scenes were unanimous in their praise of the artist's excellent taste and artistic ability. The first was a moonlight scene in winter and depicted in true colors the rigor of our Canadian climate. The next was a well known and familiar sketch of the residence of J. H. McLaughlin, in winter, and appropriately named the "old parsonage" from its having for nearly half a century been occupied as a parsonage by the ministers of the W. M. Church. On the opposite panel is a scene that made the blood tingle in the veins of "ye editor." Here the artist had depicted a wild, romantic glen with a small and placid lake in the foreground and a group of deer quietly drinking from its limpid shallows. The coloring of the surrounding hills, verdure clad and bare rock, is such as to catch the admiring eye of the connoisseur of rugged nature's wilds. The scene is designed to represent the witching hour of twilight, and the canvas faithfully depicts the artist's idea. A lower Canadian scene is depicted on an adjoining panel. Here again the artist's love of the romantic has full play. The mountain peaks in the distance, over which the morning sun is glinting, the placid lake dotted here and there with the white sails of the seekers of health and pleasure—the dipping waterfall,—and the lowly cottage by the wayside—all lend a realistic charm to the scene. The paintings as a whole are of rare merit and denote the skill not only of a master hand in their execution, but the lively brain of a real genius. We unhesitatingly pronounce the group one of Owen's best efforts and worthy a place alongside the production of Canada's best artists.

Men Who Hurt a Town.

All who oppose improvements.

Who never push their business.

All who distrust public-spirited men.

Those who run down the town to strangers.

Those who show no hospitality to its visitors.

Men who envy their neighbors their prosperity.

Men who oppose everything that does not originate with them.

Who wear long faces when strangers speak of locating in the town.

Who refuse to subscribe towards the building of schools and churches.

Who think all systems of theology except their own are erroneous.

Who find fault with all enterprises with which they are connected.

Men who never subscribe for, advertise in, or in any way patronize their newspapers and are always ready to find fault with everything they contain.—Sunny South.

More and There.

Some church members exhibit a feeling of pride in their pastor. They are with him in his doctrines and they metaphorically step up beside him and assist him to pass the truths down among those who need them. They are banded together—these good elders—to influence the wicked and the ignorant.

They chuckle over the well-put principles and agree with their minister in everything. They come out of church wagging their heads appreciatively and exhibit much the same pride and faith in he of the pulpit as does a friend who has a tonic-prescription for you in her very own doctor.

The feeling is a natural one—it is born of our own self-satisfaction and selfishness. We have an unfailing faith in our own, and it keeps us contented. We put our virtues on stilts, and we crowd our bad qualities into dark corners. Our feelings are too often supposed to regulate the actions of the world. We can poke fires and our nerves will not flinch, we can sharpen pencils and we rather like the grating and scratching. Our friends, our new hats and our children are exceptional, and what wonder that people have the same pride and faith in their minister and doctor?—Ex.

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This GREAT COUGH CURE, this successful CONSUMPTION CURE, is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease CONSUMPTION, *don't fail* to use it, it will cure you or cost nothing. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE, Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00.

Stray Dog.

There has come to my premises in Athens, a half-collie dog, apparently [illegible] old. The owner may have the same by identifying it and paying [illegible] expenses.

SEAMAN P. MANHARD.

To Rent.

Two good houses to rent and a house and lot for sale. Apply to ISAAC ROBESON, Athens.

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MORTGAGE SALE

—OF—

Valuable Farm

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Default having been made in the payment of money secured to be paid by a certain indenture of Mortgage dated the 29th day of January A.D. 1884, and made by Torrence A. Shook, Nancy Shook and Julia A. Shook wife of the said Torrence A. Shook, to and in favor of Stephen Seaman which mortgage will be produced at the time of sale,

Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to the conditions of said mortgage and of the power of sale therein contained the following lands and premises therein mentioned will be sold by public auction at

"BROWNBRIDGE'S HOTEL"

In the village of

FRANKVILLE

on

Saturday, Febr'y 27th, 1892

At the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, namely:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Bastard, in the County of Leeds and Province of Ontario, being composed of lot number five in the seventh concession of the said Township of Bastard, excepting thereout and therefrom eighty-four acres of land more or less from off the front of said lot.

Terms of sale made known at time and place of sale.

The property will be sold subject to a reserved bid.

For further information and particulars apply to

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Dated at Athens this 9th Feb. 1892.

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RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE Athens Public School

FOR THE YEAR 1891.

RECEIPTS

Balance from account, 1890		$1121 86
Received from county municipal grant for township scholars	8 68 20	
" Model school	159 03	168 23
Received Government grants: for Public school	120 00	
for Model School	150 00	270 00
Received taxes on Rateable property from the village	$1287 74	
from rear Yonge & Kenny	189 45	1477 19
Received from other sources: Students of Model school	$165 00	
Non-resident fees	5 00	
Leon A. Parish & Son	309 00	
Material sold	15 77	494 77
Total amount received		$3411 05

EXPENDITURES

Paid teachers since last account		$1555 00
Paid for building		594 60
Paid for mats, superintendent, &c.; for fuel, cleaning school house; Secretary, Trustees, &c.		352 62
Paid loan A. Parish & Son		300 00
		$2802 12
Total amount received	$3411 05	
Total expenditure	2802 12	
Balance		$ 608 93

Dec. 31, balance on hand, $608.93.

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JOHN WILTSE, }

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We always carry a full line of the famous Ames Holden brand (all values) and have recently added a new line which is fully 25 per cent. cheaper than any we have ever sold.

Come and see—just now. Our stock is for sale, not to keep, and our prices show that we don't want the goods.

Wanted.

A few choice cherry logs cut 8 or 12 feet long, from 8 to 12 inches in diameter; also, 500 pieces shumac cut from 2 to 4 feet long and from 3 inches in diameter up; also a few second-growth maple logs 12 feet long and 8 to 12 inches at top end. All the above must be straight and free from knots or shakes.

Apply at once to REPORTER OFFICE.

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Rough bark hickory	" " 9 or 11	"	2 00
White Ash	" " 6 or 12	"	2 00
Rock elm	" " 9 or 12	"	1 60
Elm Ash	" " 6 or 12	"	1 50
2nd-growth red oak	" " 11 or 16	"	1 75
Black ash	" " 12	"	1 00
Basswood	" " 12	"	1 25
Water elm	" " 12	"	1 25

Stave bolts 24 in. long, $2 per cord.

Parties wishing to contract for any of the above cuts consult Mr. Bullis at his home, Plum Hollow, or at the Armstrong House, Athens.

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