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R. WALKER

Lyn, May 20, 1892

Our judges are in favor of a poor house, also our counties council, and we are satisfied that Mr. Fulford does not voice the sentiments of the people of Brockville when he claims that no poor house is needed. We wish to thank Mr. J. B. Saunders of Athens, reeve of the Rear of Yonge, and other gentlemen of the counties council, for their action in postponing the matter until next January. We were always under the impression that the jail was not the place for those whose only crime was poverty, and we have confidence enough in the people of Brockville that they will repudiate the false assertions made by Mr. Fulford, and that they will unite heart and hand with the counties in having some place of refuge for the indigent poor besides the jail. God help the poor, as they need expect none from George Taylor Fulford, town councillor of the town of Brockville.

Rooms to Rent Over Most & Robinson's grocery. Application to be made at once by J. B. SAUNDERS. 7th.

Teacher Wanted. Having 3rd class certificate, for S. No. 11 in the Public Schools, apply at once to BENNETT BARRIE, No. 10, Athens P. O.

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Superintendents, Attention! BOOKS BOOKS BOOKS We will allow you 30 per cent off for your schools or for your teachers; also a discount off all goods. OUR STOCK IS LARGE. O'DELL'S BOOK - STORE BROCKVILLE

DR. WASHINGTON Graduate of the University with honors, the same year passed the examination of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ont. Since 1870 Dr. W. has devoted his whole time to the study of the human system. The cut represents a Porous Respirator and the patient in the act of breathing.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETINGS. Meetings of the Farmers' Institute will be held at New Dublin on Jan. 16 and at Athens on Jan. 17. At each place there will be three sessions, viz: at 10:30 a.m., 1:30 and 7 p.m. The Athens meeting will be held in the Town Hall. Professor J. H. Paxton, M. A., F. O. S., of Ontario College, Mr. Jos. Yule and Edward J. Kelly will be the lecturers and papers or deliver addresses at all of the meetings. M. L. MALLORY, Secy. Malloytown, Jan. 2, 1892.

REMEMBER is the latest triumph in pharmacy for the cure and relief of all cases of Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Migraine, Headache, Indigestion, Pain in Arteries, Throat, Hoarseness, Stomach, Liver, Spleen, Kidney and Bladder. MEMBRAY'S KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE will give immediate relief and Eradicate the Cause of all these Diseases. Sold at all Drug Stores. Peterboro' Medicate Co., Limited, PETERBORO, ONT.



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The family who spend their money right will succeed. The family who spend their money wrong can not. When you want Groceries and Provisions go to the store and get our prices and see our goods. We claim to give you more value for your dollar than you can get elsewhere. The question will arise, how can this be? It only requires an explanation and you will admit that we can do all we claim. We have always had a large trade in Athens, but at the present we are closely connected with another store in Lyndhurst. This enables us to buy goods in almost car lots; in fact, for the last six months we have had car lots every month, besides nearly every day's train has goods for us. This we can prove by the freight agent. We say, and conscientiously, too, that there is no other store in Athens handling this amount of goods. Why is it? ... We started business to sell goods, not to give them away. We cannot live without a little profit, but we cut that profit down to the lowest point. We prefer 5 per cent profit on ten sales than 40 per cent profit on one. When you want any and everything in Groceries and Provisions, go to Thompson's. Please note the following prices: ... Best granulated sugar 20 lbs. for \$1.00 ... Bright yellow sugar 25 lbs. for \$1.00 ... Best Valencia Raisins, 5 lbs. for \$1.00 ... We have purchased this week a whole line of Tea, well worth 35c., which will be sold for 25c. per pound. Don't fail to come and see for yourself. Faithfully Yours, Joseph Thompson, Athens, Nov. 1, 1892.

D. W. DOWNEY THE ONE PRICE BARGAIN SHOE HOUSE As Xmas approaches we are all at work trying to find a suitable present for our friends that will not cost too much and be appreciated. We can satisfy you in both. ... Ladies' Mitts and children's new patented Weather Overcoats. They fit better and wear longer than any other stockings in the market. See our Ladies' new bookie Overcoats - water proof and wool lined. They are neat and comfortable. ... D. W. DOWNEY FLINT'S NEW BLOCK BROCKVILLE.

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LOCAL SUMMARY. ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALITIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Reporters of the Week. Local Amusements and Festivals Briefly Noted. Gladstone was 84 years of age on Thursday last. A good second-hand buggy for sale at A. James'. Fresh Oysters, daily at Wilson & Son's. Miss Bridie Halladay, of Elgin, is visiting friends in Athens. Miss Loverin spent last week with Miss Florence Hanes, at Iroquois. Miss Leah Addison, of New York, is spending a brief vacation at her home in Athens. Carriages built or reared, repairing and painting done in first class style at moderate prices. - A. James. Invitations are out for a grand quadrille party, under popular management, at Oak Leaf, on Friday evening next. Lamb's Lubricating Liment for sore throat, sprains, bruises and every place where a liniment is required. This is the season for cough with horses. Lamb's Horse Powder is the only safe and sure remedy. Try it. Every person that has used Hen's Cough Syrup says that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Athens Model School. Results of the Christmas examinations at the Athens Model School, 1891-92. ... Senior Fourth Class - Mary Wright, Lillie Earle, Annie Berny, Elma White. ... Junior Fourth Class - Norman Hargreaves, M. Greenfield, C. Wilson. ... Senior Third Class - W. Elliott, W. Gardner, H. Lawson, M. Barr. ... Junior Third Class - M. Simpson, M. Barber, G. Rappell, K. Groy. ... Senior Second Class - M. Collinson, B. Hargreaves, E. Rowson. ... Junior Second Class - M. Black, J. Crawford, C. Redmond, J. Barber, C. Simpson. ... First Book, Part II, Sen. - B. Wright, M. White, B. White. ... First Book, Part II, Sen. - Len Stevens, M. Barr, G. Sherman, M. Young. ... First Book, Sen. Part I - E. McLaughlin, M. Brooks, L. Hawkins, G. Simpson. ... First Book, Jun. Part I - A. Fox, R. Ross, K. Johnston. ... Athens Fair Association. Meeting of the officers of the association was held at Union on Wednesday last, 28th inst., at the minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The members decided to lay over until meeting of the board (which will be held at 10 a. m. on the day following) the protest against Jas. McLaughlin's nomination for reeve, on the ground that he did not exhibit the necessary qualifications. The protest was moved by John Forth, and carried by a majority of the members. It was decided to notify all members of the date of the meeting of the board, and to have the protest moved by John Forth, and carried by a majority of the members. It was decided to notify all members of the date of the meeting of the board, and to have the protest moved by John Forth, and carried by a majority of the members.

At a late hour last night a large number of men were seen in the streets of Athens, and it was supposed that they were engaged in some kind of a riot. The police were called out, and they were dispersed. It was found that they were only a group of men who were drinking and were in a state of intoxication. They were taken to the police station and were released after a short time.

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