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4.04	§ Seely's	9.51
4.09	§ Lees	9.46
4.13	§ Forthton	9.38
4.23	§ Elle	9.32
4.36	† Athens	9.26
4.56	§ Soperton	9.04
5.03	§ Lyndhurst	8.56
5.13	† Delta	8.50
5.33	† Elgin	8.30
5.40	§ Fortar	8.21
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## LOCAL NEWS

We are sending out a few Sample Copies of the REPORTER to those who do not take it, with the hope that they will be so well pleased with the "make up and get up" of the paper, as to send us a dollar for a year's subscription. We are doing our best to give our patrons a live, up-to-date paper, and from the large increase in our subscription list, during the past few months, we believe that our efforts are appreciated. We shall be pleased to add a lot more new names to our list or will send it to the address of any friend to whom you would like to make a suitable and welcome present. — THE EDITOR.

—February 12th.  
—Good afternoon.  
—Lent begins to-day.  
—Wedding in town shortly.  
—Mr. Jas Ross paid a visit to the county town last week.  
—Miss Jones spent last week the guest of relatives and friends at Smith's Falls.  
—Mr. Cal. Mullen is removing from Mill street to Mr. Frank Blanchard's residence on Sarah street.  
—Mrs. Isaac Stevens, of Chantry, visited with relatives and friends here last week.  
—Our new tinsmiths, Messrs. Johnson and Lee, now have their commodious store well stocked with all goods in their line.  
—Mrs. T. S. Kendrick was in Prescott this week attending the Woman's Missionary Convention of the Brockville district as a delegate from the Athens branch of the society.  
—We again request those of our subscribers who wish to pay for their paper in wood to bring it in at once or we shall get it elsewhere and they will have to pay their indebtedness in cash. A large number who promised to bring in wood last season failed to do so and our supply was short in consequence. Don't neglect this call if you wish to even up for your paper with wood.

—Use Iron Blood Pills.  
—Mrs. Gilroy is on a visit to relatives near Lyn.  
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—Miss Toffey, of Portland, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jones.  
—Mr. John Eaton returned last week after a visit to the Capital.  
—Mr. Munnell Bates, of Elbe, is attending the Brockville Business College.  
—Mrs. J. J. Kerfoot, of Smith's Falls, is on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Boyce.  
—Mrs. Spencer has been spending a short time with relatives and friends at Kingston.  
—Miss E. Gilroy is spending a short time at Delta the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Morris.  
—Miss Elsie Ripley, of Kingston, was in town last week attending the funeral of her mother.  
—Rev. G. N. Simmons was unable to fill his outside appointments on Sunday last owing to the bad roads.  
—A dance was held at McIntosh's Mills on Friday evening last. A number from this vicinity were there.

—Miss Jennie Caghan, teacher at Sheldon's school, was sick last week, consequently the pupils had a vacation.  
—The Brockville council will likely make a proposition at the next meeting to take over the Unionville Fair.  
—W. G. Parish is arranging to put in a lot more machinery in his mill to meet the increased demand for house furnishing material.  
—Mr. Levi Latham, who met with a severe accident to his leg by cutting it with an ax one day last week, is now around again as usual.  
—Ashwood Hall, Addison, was the scene of a happy gathering on Friday evening last when all present tripped the light fantastic till the wee sma' hours.

—WANTED.—A few cords of maple or beech stove wood wanted at the Reporter office, also a few cords of good soft wood, either stove or cord-wood length.  
—Saunders & Pierce are doing a lot of custom sawing and grinding these days. The reputation of the Saunders' mill stands first for correct and careful sawing as per order.

—Mr. Geo. W. Robeson, of Hard Island, gave a dance to a number of his most intimate friends on Friday evening last. All report a very pleasant evening's enjoyment.  
—Sheldon Y. Bullis has several gangs of men in the woods getting out saw logs, dimension timber and wood. He has just purchased a wood lot at the foot of Hard Island which will yield a lot of first class material.

—Breaking in the roads has been engaging the attention of the farmers for the past week. A bee was held for the purpose of breaking the road from Chantry to Phillipsville on Thursday last, nearly 15 teams being present.  
—RINK NOTES.—On and after Monday, 10th inst. the following changes go into force at the rink: Skating in the afternoon has been discontinued; hockey practice, two nights out of the week instead of three as formerly—Tuesday night, 9 to 10, and Thursday night, 9.30 to 10.30.  
—Iron Blood Pills, with our name on each package are not a patent medicine, but are prepared with great care from a formula of the British Pharmacopoeia (standard work) for the express purpose of supplying the iron lacking in the blood of pale, sallow people.—J. P. LAMB & SON.

—BURNED OUT.—On Wednesday evening last between 8 and 9 p.m. the residence of Mr. John Reid, about one mile below Plum Hollow, was burned to the ground, with all its contents. The origin of the fire is a mystery. We understand Mr. Reid's parents were to have moved into the house next week. There was no insurance.

—The Reporter was in error in stating last week that Jas. Flynn was a brother of P. H. Flynn, and formerly lived in the house now owned by Henry Hawkins on the Charleston road. The James Flynn referred to is no relation to that family of Flynns. He learned the trade of a blacksmith with the late E. Gilroy, staying with him about four years, and married a sister of Henry Hawkins.

—Mr. Blackett Robinson, of the Dominion Presbyterian, Ottawa, was a caller on the Reporter last week. He was here in the interests of his paper, which is rapidly growing in circulation, and at \$1 per year should find a place in every Presbyterian home. Mr. Robinson speaks enthusiastically of Athens, and expressed his regret that his first visit to the town had not been in June instead of February.

—A surprise party composed of Wiltsetown and Oak Leaf friends of Mr. and Mrs. McClary flooded their commodious residence on Tuesday evening of last week and spent a delightful time. They enjoyed themselves by indulging in music, games and other pastimes till a late hour, when all drove home feeling highly pleased with their evening's outing and voting both their host and hostess to be all entertainers.

—To-day is Ash Wednesday.  
—Friday is St. Valentine's day.  
—Mr. A. Foley visited Brockville on Friday last.  
—Mr. A. E. Donovan left for a short visit to Toronto yesterday.  
—Always ask for and be sure to get Lamb's Iron Blood Pills.  
—Will Elliott, of Kempville, spent Sunday in Athens.—Advance.  
—Rev. Father Crawley, of Trevalyn, was a visitor here among his parishioners this week.  
—Mr. George Judson, who has been confined to his house through illness, is now getting along nicely.  
—Mr. Albert Patterson, of the firm of Lewis & Patterson, of Brockville, spent Sunday with his mother here.

—There were 120 pupils enrolled for January at the A.H.S., with an average attendance of 112, the highest for some years.  
—Mr. Bennett, of Montreal, district secretary of M.A.B. & F. Society, was entertained while in Athens by Principal and Mrs. Massey.  
—The Methodist church board have awarded the contract for the stone work for the new church, to Messrs. Taber Bros., of Morton.  
—Mr. Eber Hunter, who has been clerking in Mr. C. L. Lamb's store, leaves shortly for Belleville, where he has secured a good position.

—Mrs. Everts entertained a number of lady friends on Saturday evening at her residence, Wellington street. All present had an enjoyable time.  
—The verandah over Earl's tinshop and the telephone office collapsed on Saturday evening under the weight of snow and has since been removed.  
—Probate of the will of the late Leverna E. Hamblin has been granted to Emily Jackson and Elwood Jackson, executors. Mr. W. A. Lewis was the solicitor.

—Mr. Ford and Misses Essie and Vera Steacy, of Athens, spent a few days in North Augusta last week, the guest of their cousin, Miss Bertha King.—Citizen.  
—HELLO! You can get a No. 1, 1½ in. Team Harness, complete, leather collars, for \$22.00. Single Harness, from \$8.50 to \$20.00—all hand-made, at S. BODDY'S.  
—At the cheese commission, to investigate the weight of cheese, held at Brockville last week, Messrs. C. H. Smith and Andrew Henderson gave their opinions on the subject.

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—The marriage of Miss Livingston, daughter of Mr. Malvin Livingston, of Hard Island, to Mr. Wood, of Lyndhurst, takes place this evening at the former's residence. Congratulations are in order.  
—Miss Perley, of Kingston, who made so favorable an impression at the H.S. Commencement, will again appear before an Athens audience in the H.S. Hall on Friday evening, February 21st full particulars next week.  
—S. M. Barnes, of Smith's Falls, an old Leeds County boy, who was born at Plum Hollow, has been appointed superintendent of the Lanark House of Industry which is to be built this summer. He should make an excellent official.

—LEG BROKEN.—On Friday evening last, while engaged in milking, Mrs. Alex. Taylor met with a very painful accident. It seems she set a pile down behind a cow which immediately kicked, striking Mrs. Taylor on the leg, breaking it in three places—above and below the knee and at the ankle. Dr. Harte is attending the injured lady. Her many friends hope soon to see her around again.

—Mr. Percy Gifford, of Plum Hollow, one day recently, while out in the woods chopping trees in company with his father, Mr. Warren Gifford, sustained a severe bruise on his lip necessitating several stitches, as a result of a limb of a falling tree striking him. It is a wonder that he was not killed. Owing to the presence of mind of his father, who warned him of his danger, he was able to escape the larger limbs of the tree, receiving only a cut on his lip from one of the smaller limbs.

—Mr. G. F. Reynolds, painter and decorator, has been a resident of Westport for 26 years. Mr. Reynolds was born in Bedford, N. Y., and learned the painting trade with the W. C. Payne Co., New York, serving his apprenticeship from 1869 to 1874. In 1875 he came to Westport where he worked for Mr. Wm. Dier, carriage maker. He also worked for Mr. Alex. Stevens, Delta, and for Mr. D. Fisher, Athens. Socially Mr. Reynolds is very popular, being a member of the Masonic fraternity and I.O.F. He has always manifested a growing interest in the progress of the town's welfare, and though he would never accept a seat in the municipal council, he has done much to make Westport the pleasant and prosperous place it is.—Mirror.

—Assessor H. C. Phillips commences on his annual rounds on the 15th.  
—Miss Donnelly, of Kingston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Kendrick last week.  
—Owing to the illness of Mr. Geo. Judson the special sale of extension tables has been postponed until Saturday, 22nd inst.  
—At regular monthly meeting of the C.O.C.F. held on Friday evening Mr. C. P. Bishop, of the H. S. staff was made a member.  
—To-day the ladies of Athens are shipping a large quantity of canned fruits and delicacies to the General hospital, Brockville.

—BEE HIVES—Hough's latest improved. See them before purchasing elsewhere.—ATHENS LUMBER YARD & PLANING MILL.  
—Mr. and Mrs. M. Pierce were at home to a number of their friends on Monday evening last. All present had an enjoyable time.  
—A social evening was spent at the Epworth League on Tuesday evening. The meetings are being well attended and are interesting and helpful to all.  
—HOUSE TO LET.—Near the High School. Six rooms, two halls, pantry, front and back stairs, woodhouse and kitchen; hard and soft water. Apply to G. W. BROWN. 7f

—A. M. Chassels will continue his reduced rate on all suitings for the next two weeks, preparatory to opening up his new spring stock. Call and see his stock of suitings for spring wear.  
—The regular monthly meeting of the Athens Public School Board took place last week in Mr. McLaughlin's office. Members present:—Chairman Thompson, and Messrs. Ross, Beach, Earl, McLaughlin. Beyond the passage of accounts there was no other business transacted.  
—The quarterly service in the Methodist church was largely attended. In the evening a song service was rendered by the choir, which gave several very fine selections. Principal Massey, of the A. H. S., gave a very entertaining address on "Influence and Companionship, and the Power of Song."

—Rev. J. R. Frizell conducted communion service in St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Sunday morning. There was a good congregation present, three candidates being admitted to membership, after which the pastor preached an eloquent and impressive sermon. The collections, which were in aid of the missionary schemes of the church, amounted to \$12.  
—The annual convention of the Kitley Township Sabbath School is to be held on Saturday, February 22nd in the Baptist church, Plum Hollow. The program promises to be of especial interest to those engaged in Sabbath School work, and there is every likelihood of a large attendance of delegates and others from the surrounding districts. Special arrangements are being made to meet the requirements of the delegates. There is every prospect of the convention being one of the most interesting yet held by this association.

—The annual meeting of the Athens branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society took place in St. Paul's, Presbyterian church on Friday evening last. There was a short program, consisting of a duet by Mrs. Anderson and Miss Bell, solo by Miss Bertha Pierce, "Choir Boy." Both songs were well rendered and much appreciated by all present. Miss A. Lillie, the efficient secretary, presented her report for the year, showing the contribution of the local branch to have been \$27.08. After the reading of the report the Rev. T. Bennett, district secretary, gave an address. The officers for the ensuing year were then elected as follows:—President, C. P. Bishop, B.A.; Vice Presidents, Revs. Rural Dean Wright, W. E. Reynolds, G. N. Simmons and J. R. Frizell; Secretary, Miss M. V. Watson; Collectors, Messdames G. Judson, F. C. Anderson, N. Dowsley, and Misses A. Lillie and A. Wiltse. Mr. Jos. Thompson has charge of the sale of Bibles here for the society.

—DEATH OF MRS. WILTSE.—The grim reaper, death, entered the home of Mr. Phil Wiltse on Thursday morning last and carried off his beloved helpmeet and bore her over the dark river. The announcement of her death came as a sudden shock to her many friends. Although she had been a sufferer for the past three or four years from that dread disease consumption, her end was not looked for so soon. Her maiden name was Sarah Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cameron, who passed away a few years ago. She was the 55th year of her age, leaving one daughter, Evelyn, and one son, William.

—The funeral of Mrs. Wiltse will be held on Saturday, February 23rd, at 10 o'clock, from the church, by the Rev. T. Bennett. The interment will be in the cemetery. Mrs. Wiltse was a devoted wife and mother, and her death is a great loss to her family and friends.

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