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ing and excepting out of the same, the one-
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Additional Locals.

—Mr. W. Hanna, who has been so
seriously ill, remains about the same.

—Mrs. B. Scott has been seriously
ill, but is now doing as well as can be
expected.

—Mr. A. F. Hagerman, of Toronto,
after a visit with friends here has re-
turned home.

—The residents in the vicinity of
Charleston are busy stowing the extra
fine ice in their ice-houses.

—Mrs. (Dr.) Post, who has been on
a visit to her parents in New Boyne,
has returned to her home here.

—The Recorder says:—"There are
only three Arnold boys playing on the
Athens' seniors." Count again.

—Miss Eva Brown, of Pine Avenue,
Ont., has been spending a few days
with her cousin, Miss Keitha Brown.

—Miss Luella Brown accompanied
Miss E. Ripley back to Kingston
where she intends spending a few
months.

—Mrs. Eliza McLean, we regret to
say, is very ill with a tumor. Her
many friends hope soon to hear of her
convalescence.

—The trustees of Poole's Resort P.
S. have engaged the services of Mr.
Harold Blanchard to teach their school
for 1902. Success, Harold.

—Miss Elsie Ripley who has been
working in the cotton mills at King-
ston, spent a week or two with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Ripley.

—A donation of \$9.50 has been for-
warded to the General Hospital, Brock-
ville, from the Methodist churches at
Elgin, Phillipsville and Portland.

—The Church Fund Society of the
St. Paul's Presbyterian church will
give a tea, from 6 to 8 p.m. in aid of
the organ fund, on Wednesday next,
Jan. 22nd, at the residence of Mr. Jos.
Thompson.

—The hockey match, which was an-
nounced to take place here last even-
ing between the Granites, of Brockville,
and Crescents I, was declared off on
account of the absence of one of the
Athens' stars.

—A mortgage sale of valuable
property will be held at the Gamble
House, here, on Saturday Jan. 25th,
at 2 p.m. and is lot No. 5, in the 8th
Con., of the township of Yonge, con-
taining 200 acres. H. C. Phillips will
be the auctioneer.

—The Y branch of the W.C.T.U. of
this village held a largely attended
poverty social in Arnold's hall, on Mon-
day evening. A good program was
given and a social time enjoyed by all
present. The success of this social
should encourage this young society to
hold these delightful gatherings often.

—Anniversary services are to be
held at the Presbyterian church, To-
ledo, on Tuesday, Jan 19th. The Rev.
S. A. Wood, B.A., will preach at 11
a.m. and 7 p.m. On Monday evening
a grand entertainment is to be given in
the town hall, at which Miss Joey
Cram, a graduate of Toronto Conserva-
tory, and other first class talent will
take part. Admission, 25 and 15c.

—We regret to learn that one prom-
inent widower in town, who donned
his poverty sash and asked a
charming young lady to accompany
him to the sash, failed to call around
for her at the proper hour as agreed
upon. We would suggest to said
widower the propriety of keeping his
promises, or the cottage near the station
will be vacant for some time to come
yet.

—Mrs. P. Wilcox's condition
remains about the same.

—Those of our subscribers living
convenient to the village who wish to
pay for their paper in wood are re-
quested to bring it in during the next
couple of weeks. We wish it distinct-
ly understood that we will not accept
any furnace blocks more than 15 inches
in diameter, and persons bringing
blocks that we cannot get in the fur-
nace will not be paid for them.

—The following are the officers elect
of Delta I.O.O.F., who were installed
by D.D.G.M. Green on Monday night:
P.G., Bro. W. Sheridan; N.G., Bro.
H. E. Bowser; V.G., Bro. S. K.
Stevens; Rec. Sec., Bro. Joel Barber;
Per. Sec., Bro. W. J. Birch; Treas.,
Bro. W. A. Russell; Warden, Bro.
G. S. McGhee; Con., Bro. W. Sheridan;
R.S.S., Bro. S. Whaley; L.S.S., Bro.
G. Halladay; R.S.N.G., Bro. Geo.
Morris; I.G., Bro. Sid. Gilbert; Chap.,
Bro. R. J. Stevens; R.S.V.G., Bro.
E. Barlow; L.S.V.G., Bro. W. H.
Denant. The Delta Lodge is to be
congratulated upon the most successful
term just ended and upon the bright
prospects for the present one. Mr. R.
J. Green is receiving many compli-
ments upon the energetic and thorough
manner in which he is discharging his
duties as D.D.G.M. of this district.

ATHENS VILLAGE COUNCIL.

The municipal council elect for this
village met for organization on Monday,
13th inst., at 11 a.m.

The following comprise the council
for 1902:—Hermon R. Knowlton,
watchmaker, reeve; and Chas. L. Lamb,
merchant; Wm. H. Jacob, blacksmith;
Charles H. Smith, cheese manufacturer
and Alex. Taylor, agent, councillors.

After making the qualifications and
declarations of office, the council ad-
journed until 7 p.m.

On resuming business in the evening
the clerk read the applications of H.
C. Phillips and Geo. W. Brown for the
position of chief of police, sanitary in-
spector, etc.

By a law to appoint certain village
officers for 1902 was introduced and
passed, the blanks being filled as fol-
lows:—B. Loverin, clerk, salary, \$45;
Jas. P. Lamb, treasurer, salary, \$20;
E. S. Clow and Ed. Taylor, auditors,
salary, \$4 each; Wm. A. Lewis, H.S.
trustee; members of board of health,
Dr. Purvis and Geo. E. Judson; chief
of police, sanitary inspector, Geo. W.
Brown, salary, \$50.

The collector handed in a list of the
uncollected taxes.

On motion the collector's roll, as re-
turned, was accepted, and that the un-
collected taxes be collected by this
council, as per statement filed by the
clerk.

On motion it was decided that the
reeve should receive \$12 and the
councillors \$10 each for their services
for 1902.

The hall of J. P. Lamb & Son was
engaged for village purposes at a rental
of \$20.

The fire hall was rented from B.
Loverin at a rental of \$45, and he was
engaged as caretaker of fire engine and
other fire appliances at a salary of \$12.

On motion the following resolution
was carried unanimously:—That this
council now in session does most heart-
ily concur in the action of the council
of Rear Yonge and Escott in asking to
have the road from Athens to Phillips-
ville via Knapp's hill and Chantry
substituted instead of the road from
Athens via Delta to Phillipsville, as
proposed in the action of the Counties'
council re the Good Roads System;
and further that this council is in
sympathy and will endorse any prac-
tical and fair means of abolishing toll
roads.

On motion council adjourned until
the first Monday in February, at 7.30
p.m., and to meet on the first Monday
of each month thereafter, subject at all
times to the call of reeve.

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he said, "so they can work in view of
the public. I don't know of anything
that catches the attention of the passer-
by more quickly than the sight of a
demonstrator sitting close to the win-
dow running a machine for dear life."

"Manufacturers of all kinds of goods
have adopted this plan. Watchmakers
put their most skilled workers on exhi-
bition to show how the finest garments
are cut and sewed. Cigar manufactur-
ers take the public into their confidence
and let them see the process of rolling
as performed by the cleverest hands.
Men who deal in mechanical contriv-
ances have found that it pays to have
at least one machine set up near a win-
dow so the crowd outside may observe
the intricacy of its parts and the rapid-
ity of its action. Jewelers have station-
ed their most expert lapidaries within
view of the street that possible custom-
ers may see how precious stones are
cut and polished and set.

"It isn't everybody who can work in
public. It takes a person with good
strong nerves and concentration of
thought to do difficult work in a show
window. I have men in my employ
who are excellent workers, but they
get flustered when subjected to unusu-
al surveillance and ruin everything
they put their hands to. I have tried
some of them as window operators, but
they can't get used to it."

"A man who can run a machine at
full tilt or paint a picture or fry pan-
cakes or iron a shirt in the full gaze of
the public eye and not lose his head is
an artist and worth several dollars
more a week to his employer than the
more modest individual. And he gets it
too."

MEN'S VIEW OF WOMEN.

Earth has nothing more tender than
a pious woman's heart.—Luther.

Remember, woman is most perfect
when most womanly.—Gladstone.

Lovely woman that caused our cares
can every care beguile.—Berenford.

He that would have two guests let
him have a fine woman.—Ben Jonson.

A woman's strength is most potent
when robed in gentleness.—Kamartine.

Disguise our bondage as we will, 'tis
woman, woman, rules us still.—Moore.

Oil and water, woman and a secret,
are hostile properties.—Bulwer Lytton.

Women need not look at those dear
to them to know their moods.—How-
ells.

Kindness in woman, not their beau-
tiful looks, shall win my love.—Shake-
speare.

Raptured man quits each dozing
sage, O woman, for thy lovelier page!
—Moore.

He is a fool who thinks by force of
skill to turn the current of a woman's
will.—Samuel Tuke.

The most beautiful object in the
world, it will be allowed, is a beauti-
ful woman.—Macaulay.

If the heart of a man is depressed
with cares, the mist is dispelled when
a woman appears.

Taking Sunday Collections.

An old and not yet obsolete mode of
taking a collection in a Scotch church
is by means of a ladie—a small wooden
box at the end of a straight wooden
shaft about four and a half feet long,
the top of the box being sufficiently
open to receive contributions of money.

For all special collections this was the
usual mode in the chief churches of
Edinburgh when I was a boy at school
there 50 years ago, but it has gradually
gone out of fashion and is not often to
be seen nowadays.

For ordinary Sunday collections the
general custom has been to have a
metal plate or basin on a small table
at the church entrance superintended
by an elder—a mode which was often
called the brod. When ladies are used,
they are banded round the congregation
by elders after the sermon or after the
last psalm, and the common Scotch
phrase to "lift" the collection may have
come from this custom.

Some Queer Verdicts.

What is "a reasonable state of intox-
ication" apparently just missed precise
definition by a coroner's jury in Missis-
sippi which stated in its verdict that
"we, the jury, find that deceased came
to his death by a stroke of an east
bound train, No. 204, on L. C. Railroad,
at Pentress, Miss., in Choctaw county,
he being in a reasonable state of intox-
ication."

A somewhat similar indefiniteness of
legal conclusion mars a verdict of a
neighboring Georgia jury to the effect
that "we, the jury, find the defendant
almost guilty."

Equally as uncertain and ambiguous
as these statements by laymen is the
opinion in an early Maryland case
which "acknowledges the corn" by say-
ing that an occurrence referred to took
place "at a former sitting when the
court was full."

Too Liberal.

Wife—Here's an advertisement in the
paper that you'd better look into. It
says a man is wanted, and he won't be
worked to death, and he'll get paid
enough to live on.

Husband—Says he won't be worked
to death, eh?

Wife—Yes; and they promise pay
enough to live on.

Husband—Some catch about that!

Mary's Fractious Sister.

"I suppose your baby sister cries
some?" asked one of the neighbors.

"Cries!" said Mary. "Why, she just
seems to look on the dark side of things
all the time!"