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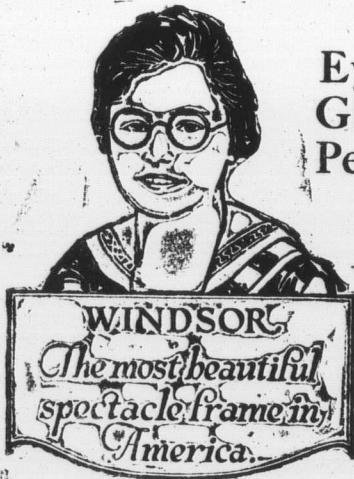
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Auditors' Report

Statement for the Village of Athens for 1919, of Receipts and Disbursements, as per Treasurer's Books.

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand	\$ 375.87
Resident Taxes collected	7,500.00
Arrears of Taxes for 1918	3,203.49
Fines	4.00
Rents from Town Hall	354.00
Tp. share Pub. School Deb.	23.75
Tp. share H.S. Deb.	232.19
Fees from Hay Scales	22.75
Licenses	69.38
Railway Taxes	64.16
Wm. Kavanaugh, for tile	5.00
Total	\$11,959.59

EXPENDITURES	
Salaries and Allowances	\$ 568.19
Printing, Postage and Adv.	105.68
Interest paid on overdrafts	5.50
Roads, Bridges and Sidewalks	652.66
Law costs to E. J. Purcell	2.82
Charities	98.10
Public School	1,000.00
High School	1,036.00
S. L. L. Debts, at \$87.49 each	699.92
Town Hall Deb. No. 17	441.50
Town Hall Deb. No. 15	387.90
Pub. S. Deb. No. 14	220.70
H. S. Deb. No. 6	368.35
L. I. Deb. No. 9	688.08
Fire Protection	81.79
County Levy	1,152.16
Street Lighting	74.90
Town Hall, exp. &c.	321.62
Grants to Public Library	97.27
Exps. Municipal Election	26.00
A. M. Chassels, stove	7.00
T. R. Bonke, Treas. Bonds	10.00
Refund, Meth. S.S. rental	
Belgian Relief Fund	8.00
John Livingston, for drawing refuse	20.00
Scale Inspection	2.40
C. C. Slack, sign painting	2.00
Refund Dog Tax, Chas. Hawkins	1.00
Refund Taxes, Joseph Thompson	6.30
Mayor Holmes, exp. to Ottawa	11.50
J. P. Lamb, disinfectants	7.65
Cash on hand	3,924.55
Total	\$11,959.59

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	
Assets	
1919, Dec. 15—	
Cash on hand	\$ 3,924.55
Uncollected Taxes	1,407.96
103 cords Stone	232.25
Tile sold and unpaid for	10.90
Tile on hand	34.10
Town Hall and Furnishings	14,000.00
Fire Equipment	600.00
Village share of Public Sch'l	6,150.00
Village share of High Sch'l	7,000.00
Total	\$33,410.76
Liabilities	
Town Hall Deb. (\$5,588.94)	\$1,224.98
Town Hall Deb. (\$5,000.00)	1,637.72
Pub. School Deb. (\$3,000.00)	1,157.10
H. School Deb. (\$5,461.95)	5,339.39
Local Imp. Deb. (\$8,575.32)	5,313.37
Local Imp. Deb. (\$8,764.72)	6,928.00
Bal. due Pub. Levy	1,175.00
Bal. due H.S. maintenance	592.00
Total	\$23,367.56

ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL	
Statement of High School Treasurer for 1919.	
Receipts.	
Cash on hand	\$ 3,321.55
Interest earned at Bank	30.20
Govt. grant for Agriculture Teachers' Superann. Assmt.	56.03
Tuition fees paid by pupils.	161.00
Dept. Exams., candidates' fees	319.50
District levy for maintenance	83.00
Township grant for maintenance	1,036.00
Co. grant for maintenance	1,764.00
County special grant	\$551.89
Govt. grant, 1919	400.00
Bal. in permanent improvement acct.	641.13
Bal. in Cadet Corps Acct.	135.62
	41.30
Total	\$11,541.22
Expenditures.	
J. E. Burchell, salary	\$ 1,794.00
H. J. Case, salary	1,404.00
Miss M. Donnelly, salary	585.00
Miss M. Wallace, salary	585.00
Miss K. Ferris, salary	1,053.00
Miss L. M. Guest, salary	429.00
Miss M. Lewis, salary	429.00
Geo. Robinson, janitor	270.00
James Hannah, janitor	49.90
L. Brown, janitor	174.19
Fuel	420.42
Supplies	189.59
Express and telegraph	1.58
Repairs and painting	121.78
Taxes	16.63
Printing and Adv.	4.64
Dept. Exams.	110.26
Insurance	132.00
Postage and Stationery	3.50
For Agriculture, 1919	65.28
Entrance Exams.	111.85
Teachers' Superann. Fees	161.00
Geo. Holmes, Sec.-Treas.	75.00
Miscellaneous	9.35
Boiler Inspection	5.50
Cash on hand	3,339.75
Total	\$11,541.22

PUBLIC SCHOOL	
Statement as Per Public School Treasurer's Books for 1919.	
Receipts.	
Cash on hand from 1918	\$ 2,191.66
Special grant	52.50
Govt. grant	4.14
Cheque from Vil. Treas.	2,500.00
Cheque from Tp. Treas.	
Superannuation Fund	49.70
Total	\$4,798.00
Expenditures.	
Mr. S. L. Snowdon, salary	\$ 824.10
Mrs. Ada Fisher, salary	512.10
Miss G. Johnson, salary	395.10
Miss M. Carl, salary	234.00
Mr. C. Wiltse, janitor	199.92
Labour	5.00
Boiler Inspection	11.50
Superannuation Fund	49.70
Taxes	15.55
Treas. Bonds	10.00
Supplies	78.36

Fuel	447.82
Cash on hand	2,015.15
Total	\$4,798.00

To the Mayor and Council of the Village of Athens:—

We, the undersigned Auditors, have examined the Books and Vouchers of the Treasurers, Village of Athens, Public School No. 6 Rear Yonge and Escott, and the Athens High School, and have found them correct, beg to tender the detailed statement appended.

S. J. DILLABOUGH,
L. G. EARL, Auditors.

Athens, Ont., Jan. 30, 1920.

Just before going to press received the sad intelligence of the death of Mrs. Harry Botsford.

AUCTION SALES

On Saturday, March 6 at McVeigh's Hotel, Athens, 22 Head of Horses.

On Saturday, March 6, at the home of the late Mrs. Mary A. Halladay, all her household furniture, etc.

On Thursday, March 11, at W. H. Smith's, 14 head of Pure Bred Ayreshire cattle.

For Sale

LARGE HOUSE for sale—On Wiltse St. Athens, Good Barn and Stable—large lot Hard and soft Water in the house, apply to T. Foley, Route 4 or E. Taylor, Athens

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Champion Evaporator 3x12, used for one season only—apply to F. W. Scovill, Athens

FRAME HOUSE—and Lot for Sale on Wiltse St. Athens—Apply to A. G. Palmer or J. Chapman, Plum Hollow.

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