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Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Seymour of oledo visited friends here this week. Miss Cora Wiltse has resigned her position on the teaching staff of the Westport public school.

The People's Rink opened for the first this season on Tuesday evening. First-class ice has been formed.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Mr. Geo. Burt, Delta,

The display of perfamery at the store of J. P. Lamb & Son is being much admired. Read their adv's,

On Sunday next there will be no service in St. Paul's on account of the anniver-ary services in the Methodist

Their friends learn with regret that Messrs. Morton and James Tackaberry are very sick at their home on the Pine Hill road.

Mrs. A. Chamberlain of Waddington N. Y., and Mrs. Shipman, of Almonte, were in Athens last week, guests of Mrs. Sherman Coon and Mrs. G. F.

These are busy days for the Ather merchants. Customers come long distances to take advantage of the large assortment and splendid values offered in all lines.

Mr. Robert Towriss of the bank in Erin, Ont., and his wife, Mrs. Laur. Mansel Towriss, will visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Towriss, Glen Buell, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mansel, of Dep eyster, N. Y. (his cheese factory is located on Hickory Lake), will visit his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Manel, on Christmas.

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-Money spent on a business education s money well spent if a reliable school is selected. The results show that the Brockville Collage is among the first in the Province, and a young man or woman will make no mistake in going Soperton for Toronto where they will be a sunited in marriage to Mr. Charles Dixon of Washourn's Corners. The young couple took the train at Soperton for Toronto where they will

Sore and swollen joints, sharp, shooting pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no sleep—that means rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has con-quered it thousands of times. One application gives relief. Try it. J. P. Lamb & Son sells it.

The very best of sleighing now prevails here. About three inches of soft snow, followed by a little rain, fell on the icy roads; then the weather turned cold and formed the very best of roads everywhere. Wood has been coming in freely this week. In the case of dry wood, the capacity of the sleighs was the only limit to the load

About the latter part of October, Mrs. Eli Mansel and Mrs. Milon Mansei took an eight-day drive from Temperance Lake by Delta, Westport and Clarendon Station on to Shanbot Lake, giving a pleasant surprise to friends along the route. Every day was novel the scenery of the north to them delightful—the fine October days pleasant. They will ever retain a pleasant memory of this trip.

The first anniversary of the Methodist church will be celebrated on Sunday next. Rev. C. O. Johnston of Toronto will conduct the morning and evening services and take part in the service to be held in the afternoon at 2.30. Special choral music will be rendered at the services. All collections for the building fund. On Monday evening a lecture will be delivered by Mr. Johnston—subject, "Englishmen, Irish men, Scotchmen."

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Baptist Sabbath school was held on Wednesday evening last when an interesting programme of recitations. dialogues, etc., was presented to a fair sized audience. The principal feature ot the evening was a cantata, entitled "Around the World with Santa Claus" in a Christmas ship. Instead of the usual Christmas tree a small sailing yacht was placed on the platform and covered with presents and good things, which made an interesting and pleasing variation.

Christ Church Sunday school, on Thursday evening last, gave their annual Christmas entertainment in the essement of the church before a large audieuce. A long programme of reci-tations, dialogues, drills etc., was rend-ered, after which the well-laden tree was unloaded. The crowd was badly scared in the early part of the evening by the breaking of a kerosene lamp, which burned fiercely until exting-uished. No damage was done, however, and the programme proceeded without further interuption. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a Bible and address to Mr J. H. Walker, church warden, who is removing to Kingston, on behalf of the congregation, by Rev. Mr. Wright.

Heifer Astray

This is the Time

For paying the printer. All subscrib-ers to the Reporter are requested to see that the figures '04 are put on their address labels this month.

The Foresters Will meet on Tuesday evening next, instead of Friday evening.

Model School Graduates

Following is a list of the successful addidates at the model school exams held in Gananoque and Athens on Dec. 9, 10, 14, 15 and 16, 1903:—

Genanoque—Mary Cochrane, Helen Leeder, Minnie Mitchell, Lottie McCalpin, Nellie Scanlan, Edith Wales, Teresa Whelan Athente, W. C. Johnson, W. R.

Atheris—W. C. Johnson, W. R. Leadbeater, J. A. Moriarte, W. P. Richards, B. M. Stewark, T. R. Whaley, S. F. Tackaberry, Estella M. Beale, C. G. Berry, A. L. Breen, M. Cadwell, M. Carpenter, N. Crummy, Jennie Davison, Annie Doolau, K. Ducolon, E. Gallagher, L. Hudson, N. McCrea, M. Robeson, E. Rabb, L. M. Rourke, R. Ross, A. Thorpe, M. Webster, Grace Wing.

Parish of Lansdowne Rear

Divine Service will be held in the several Churches of this Parish on Christmas Day as follows:

Christ Church Avhens, at 9 o'clock, a.m., Holy Eucharist, and at 7 o'clock, a.m. Evensons and several services.

a.m., Holy Eucharist, and at / o'clock, p.m., Evensong and sermon.

Holy Trinity Church, Lansdowne Rear, at 11 o'clock, a.m., Holy Eucharist and Sermon.

St. Paul's Church, Delta, at 3

o'clock, p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Wm. WRIGHT Rector.

Dixon-Sheffield

A quiet wedding took place this morning at seven o'clock at the residence of Mr. Geo. Sheffield of Lyndhurst, when his only daughter, spend the honeymoon. When they return they will take up their residence at Washburn's. Both the contracting parties are much esteemed, and all join in wishing them a long and happy life.

A Real New Year's Gift

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NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Editor Athens Reporter :-Dear Sir.-In the last

Reporter you gave a statement of the proceedings of the council for 1902 and 1903 in reference to our town hall, so that the voters now have the facts before them.

What a change in the town hall by-iaw vote of this year and last! In 1902 the vote was 102 for the hall and 11 against; this year the by-law to raise \$3,000 more for the hall was defeated by 56 to 28. What brought about this change with the voters in so short a time? They want a hall and are willing to pay for it, but a selfish move so disgusted the people that all interest in the hall vanished. When men look more to their own interest than the interest of the public, things will take a turn in spite of their zeal.

Why not drop this spirit of self interest and get a council next year that will work for the interest of our village at large and lay a foundation above self interest? The people will stand by such a council. They are willing to pay for a good hall, if the business is rightly managed, but they will not stand having their money squandered as has been done in the

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REFERENDUM

A vote of the duly qualified freeholders of the village of Athens will be taken on Monday, Jan. 4th. 1904, at the same places and by the same deputy returning officers as for reeve and councillors, on the question of whether they prefer the Green lot, on the corner of Main and Eigin streets, or the Karley lot, on the corner of the theory and Wellington streets, as the site for the new town hall.

A separate ballot will be prepared and given to those eatitled to vote on this question at the same time as for reeve and councillors, and the mode of procedure in taking the vote and announcing the result shall be the same as for reeve and councillors.

B. LOVERIN.

Clerk and Returning C Athens, Dec. 21st, 1903.

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Nomination Meeting

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places:—
P.S.D. No. 1—at Elbe school-house; Ranson M. Brown, D.R.O.
P.S.D. No. 2—at the Fortune school-house Albert Morris. D.R.O.
P.S.D. No. 3—at James Sheldon's residence laber Chem. at James Sheldon's residence; in, D.R.O. R. E. CORNELL, Clerk,

Nomination Meeting

A meeting of the municipal electors of the Village of Athens will be held in the town hall at 730 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 28th, 1993, for the purpose of nominating a reeve, four councillors and three public school trustees for 1904 and in case a poll be required the votage of the and in case a poil be required the voces of the qualified electors will be taken on Monday, Jan. 4, 1904, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the follow-ing piscos:—
P.S.D. No. 1—at Mary Livingston's house; H. C. Phillips, D.R.O. P.S.D. No. 2—at Alex. Compo's restaurant; James Ross, D.R.O.

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