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Miss Katie Cavanaugh, of Ottawa, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J.

Rev. Wm. Stewart will conductervice in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath.

Dunlop, Conservative, was elected in North Renfrew by a majority of

Mr. S. E. Barnes has been very for the last two weeks and is still fined to his bed.

Miss Lena Fair is this week visitin

Mrs. Frank Stevens, of Montre is visiting friends in Athens, the guer of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Connerty.

Mrs. Norman Ferguson (nee Miss Stella Bullis) and child of Drayton, N. D., are visiting old friends in Athena Miss Paulina Moore of Smith's

Mr. Wal. Steacy of Buffalo Dental College and Miss Victoria Steacy of Warburton spent Christmas with their sister. Mrs. E. Fair.

Falls.

Mr. James S. Tackaberry, a highly esteemed resident of Lansdowne, died on Sunday evening, aged 33 years. The funeral yesterday was very largely

Employees of the Athens Lumbe Yard and Grain Warehouse each re ceived a Christmas present of a turkey from the proprietor, Mr. W. G. Parish, and assure us that they are becomingly grateful for the kind remembrance.

He was here about four years ago, when the remarkably close resemblance he bore to his twin brother, the late

been very ill, and many times her condition has been critical. First an Miss Addie Whitmore and Mr. Thomyery weak, and later a dropsical condition developed. Through it all, her physician Dr. Harten her the large circle of friends in Athense her the large circle of the large circle of the large circle of the large circle of the large circle o physician, Dr. Harte, has been unre in her former home, Plum Hollow, mitting in his attention and devotion to her case, and with such success that wishes o on Chaistmas Day Pearl was able to ded life. come down stairs and join the family at dinner. That further improvement may follow this favorable condition, until complete restoration to health is attained, is the fervent wish of her many friends throughout the viller many friends the viller many friends throughout the viller many friends throughout the viller many friends thro her many friends throughout the vil-



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Chicago and Mr. Ed. C. Wight Ottawa are visiting at the home George P. Wight.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Patterson of Brockville spent Christman here and attended the annive sary services on Sunday, guests of Mrs. Patterson, Reid street.

Marsden Kemp, specialist in piano treatment, was unable to finish his orders in town before Xmas and will return the first of the year. In the meantime, those with whom he has not made engagement will oblige by leaving order at Mr. Lamb's drug store. Those in the country will kindly make arrangement for his going and returning. Mr. Kemp comes twice yearly and is one of the best trained and such that the state of the problem. cessful men travelling. He has not canvassed a person in 8 years and busy all the year, neither is he controlled by

any agent, or firm, and all pianos given to his charge receive his best attention. Ottawa Citizen : Rev. R. H. Steacy, of Bell's Corners, has made a warm Miss Paulina Moore of Daniel Place for himself in the hearts of the Falls has been spending a few days in Athens, a guest of the Misses Wiltse, last summer. This was shown on last summer. This was shown on Thursday night when at a ple dinner party at the home of Mr. J. J. Hodgins, the congregation of St. Paul's, Hazeldean, presented him with a hand-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnston and son Eddie, of Bygland, Minn., arrived in Athens this week and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McClary.

Mrs. Wm. F. Kerr of Toronto spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. H. Elliott, Athens, and with friends at Smith's Falls.

Hazeldean, presented him with a handsome cutter. The presentation was made in a graceful speech by Dr. Richardson, who expressed the good will of the congregation and their appreciation of Mr. Steacy's labors. Rev. Mr. Gorman, of Grace church, Ottawa, was present as a guest and added his felicitation, and Mr. Steacy's acknowledgement of the kindness of the congregation was in happy vein. Dec. 12.

## HYMENEAL

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones, on Wed-nesday, Dec. 23, Miss Angie Jones and Mr. W. J Poole of Poole's Resort were united in matrimonial bonds by the Rev. G. N. Simmons. A large number of guests attended the cermony which was witnessed by Miss Alice Tennant of Caintown and Mr. Harry Mr. Anson Wiltse, of Dakota, is here on a visit to his grandson, Mr. Mort Wiltse and other old friends. the pleasure of her acquaintance, and her many friends will join with the Reporter in extending congratulations and best wishes to the newly wedded

For over a year Miss Pearl Fair has At the home of the bride's mother, as Hill of Brewers' Mills were united and Mr. and Mrs. Hill have the best wishes of all for a long and happy wed-

At the home of Mr. Wm. Langdon, Lyn, on Wednesday last, Miss Emma Covey of Ivy Lea and Mr. Charles Powers of Morristown, N. Y., were united in marriage by the Rev. R. Stillwell. The bride is a graduate of the A.H.S. and will be pleasantly remembered by many in Athens.

On Wednesday evening last, at the home of Mr. William Moulton, his daughter, Miss Elva, was united in marriage with Mr. Stephen Stevens of Delta the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Rural Dean Wright in the presence of a number of guests. Mr. Stevens has purchased a cheese factory in Ontario county, and thither he will take his young bride in a few days. They have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends for a long and happy wedded life.

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