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EDITOR

...., JUNE 26, 1890.

...scheme is now in ... the legislature of ... been called to meet in ... to see what should be ...

...census of 1880, the popula... the city of New York at that ... 1,206,299. This year's ... expected to show a popula... 1,675,000. There has been no ... of geographical boundaries ... the intervening 10 years.

A Brooklyn woman refused to ad... the census-taker, and when called ... court for it, explained that she thought the man was a directory canvasser. She didn't want her name in the directory, she said, because her country cousins could swoop down on her next winter.

Probably the first person to be executed under the new law in this state will be Joseph Chapleau, who is confined at Clinton state prison. The sentence will be carried out during the week commencing July 21, unless Gov. Hill should commute the sentence. The death-dealing dynamos and necessary appliances for carrying out the sentence are in readiness.

The trouble attending electrocution continues. The Albany correspondent of the Times states the new obstruction in this wise: "The next legal step that will be taken by the Westinghouse electric company to prevent the use of their vibatory current dynamos for the execution of murderers in this state will be in the form of a writ of replevin to repossess themselves of the three dynamos of their patent now in the state prisons at Auburn, Cannemora and Sing Sing, which Harold P. Brown, the electrical expert, purchased for the state. The Westinghouse company claim to retain proprietary interest in the dynamos they sell (or claim merely to lease) to customers, after the manner of the Bell Telephone company in leasing telephones, and will seek by action to restrain the state from employing them for purposes of execution by claiming that Brown illegally and fraudulently obtained possession of them by collusion with the customers having a leasehold possession of the dynamos in question. This will prove a novel and interesting question.

Puzzles the Masons.

A very old masonic jug has just come in possession of an English gentleman, which is said to have been brought into the country more than 100 years ago, says the Brooklyn Eagle. It stands 13 inches high, and measures 5¼ inches across the mouth, and 8¼ inches in the bulge. It bears out its age when we examine the texture and finish of the crockery, and its battered and cracked, chipped and stained appearance, together with the fact that every design on it has been engraved (and beautifully done, too) tend us to conclude that it was a costly ornament when first bought, although it has lost the freshness of its early days. In front, under the lip, stands a circular wreath of leaves are two pillars, standing on a 'square and compass.' These pillars are about an inch apart, and across the pavement is written 'Holiness to the Lord.' A ladder with 14 steps leans diagonally from one pillar to the other, leaving the base of the right hand pillar to the top the pillar on the left. Around through the circle are distributed the working tools of the E. A., the three 'great lights,' also on the E. A., the sun, moon and stars, and surmounting all the 'eye' and underneath outside the circle is the square and compass arranged as F. C., with the letter G (inside a triangle) suspended. On the right hand side of the jug, inside a peculiar and beautiful wreath, in which are intermingled Masonic emblems, are again the two pillars and pavement, with a compass extended, the points resting on a semi-circular graded disk of 90 degrees, beneath which are the emblems of mortality, the V. S. L., all of which are surmounted by the 'eye' and seven stars, inclosed in a scroll which bears the inscription, 'deum time et regem honora.' On the left side of the jug is a most elaborate design, a similar wreath to that on the right. Here again the two pillars appear as a centre piece, outside of each pillar the figure of a man on a cube, standing as one sees on men's tiles; both have a W. M. ... they feel are working

WOMAN'S COLUMN.

You have heard it said that you cannot make men moral by act of Congress. Of course you cannot, nobody proposes to do so. But you can, at least, restrain unscrupulous people from making a business out of temptations to immorality. You cannot keep men on their feet in a snow time by a city ordinance; but you can say, nobody shall be allowed to leave the snow lying on the sidewalk before his house.—Rev. Brooke Herford.

Thirty young girls in Cheyenne have been enrolled as Wyoming State Guards and are drilling in uniform. They expect to march in the coming Statehood celebration. Thousands of girls and women who do not drill in uniform, nor march in processions, are, nevertheless, State and national guards. They constitute a strong corps in the army of defence against intemperance, vice and infidelity. In time of necessity they become an efficient army of offense as well.—Herald and Presbyter.

Rev. Frances E. Townley has long cherished a ring made from the gold watch which her father gave her mother at the time of their marriage, 57 years ago. This sacred relic she has disposed of in the following touching words: "My loved ones in family relationship are every one over the river waiting for me. For my dear mother's sake, that she, though dead, may speak for the cause so dear to true womanhood, I present this ring to the W. C. T. U. of Nebraska, and beg your acceptance in her name."

A temperance writer has given us the following original sentiments concerning the popular beverage known as 'half and half': The title of 'half and half' is given to a mixture composed of two sorts of liquor. To the drunkard's wife it suggests that her 'better half' has proved for worse instead of for better. It may also signify the many half-dollars that are transferred from the drunkard's pocket to the saloonkeeper's till. In some cases it is suggestive of half-witted children, born so because their father was a drunkard—half and half—the best half of the man gone and the other going. Who or what shall stop him?

Every man has constantly heard of the superiority of women. But it is long since he has been obliged to receive evidence so conclusive of the intellectual superiority of young women as that which the Harvard professors have lately been offering. Prof. Palmer, of the philosophical department, who teaches in both the College and the Annex for young women, has publicly said that he has to prepare his lessons better for the Annex than for the College, for the young women are sharper questioners than the young men. Prof. Chas. Elliott Norton has told his college students that they do not pass as good examinations as the women, and even a Greek professor bears the same testimony. *Dux femina* indeed it is.—Advance.

MERIT WINS.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and never handled remedies that sell so well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. For sale by N. P. Brainard, Druggist.

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Two houses and lots in Andover village, each with garden, good water, &c. For particulars inquire of

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For Sale.

Mrs. B. P. Garvin offers for sale her store building on Greenwood street in Andover. For particulars inquire of P. C. LYNCH, Andover, N. Y.

Notice to Prove Claims.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. S. M. Norton, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Martha Crandall, late of Andover in the county of Allegany, deceased, to produce the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, sole executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his dwelling house in Andover in said county, on or before the 31st day of October, 1890.

SHERMAN G. CRANDALL, Executor.

Dated April 23, 1890.

Tobacco Cures.

Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is a specific for all diseases of the throat and lungs, and will cure you. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he think of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50 cents and $1 at all druggists.

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A large stock just received and for sale cheap by

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Trial bottles free at Dr. Brainard's drug store.

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SHERMAN G. CRANDALL.

Dated April 23, 1890.

EVERY FAMI...

wastes or gives away during the ... less kitchen grease, each pound of ... in a few minutes be converted into ... of the PUREST SOAP ... than can be found on sale. The ... for making ten pounds of this soap ... and one-half pounds of grease ... trifling cost of one cent ... to be found at nearly every ... BAN... ery grocery store.

Dissolve the contents of one can ... lye in three and one-half pints of ... and pour slowly into five and one-half ... of lukewarm grease, stirring ... until it thickens into a mushy con... pour into any kind of mould ... child can make it, and full directions found back of each label.

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...olicit your deposits.

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...ot ducked in the pond?

...to Andover to celebrate!

...Paris Green at

BEEBE, WILLIAMS & CO.

...in Swink's invincibles" will be ...the Fourth.

...el, a good man for haying. In ...the store in Elm Valley.

...adies of the Baptist church will ...nches and ice cream on the Por... Bradley lawns, on July 4th.

...ver's 4th of July celebration ...s to be a dandy. The whole ...will be there.—*Wellsville Reporter.*

...se out stock I will for ten days, ...ncing Monday, June 30, sell all ...early at cost for cash.

A. A. McCARN.

...out the flags, bunting, Chinese ...and everything else you have ...appropriate, and decorate for the

...Alumni Association of Alfred ...sity will please accept our thanks ...invitation and complimentary ...their annual banquet which ...to-day.

...Ellen Regan has begun the ...of a dwelling house on Second ...Geo. Sweet has the contract ...ing up the building, and has ...work about ready to raise.

...to the break-down which ...d to our press, the large ...for the Fourth of July ...ion were printed at the Wells... ...porter office. The job is a good

...Good Templars will serve ice ...Saturday evening of this week. ...weather is pleasant the tables ...set on A. M. Burrows' lawn, ...se in Joseph Kruzen's store. ...dy is invited to attend.

...Williams & Co. will pay the ...price for wool. See them be...ing.

...isn't anything that is laughable, ...omical, odd, droll, ludicrous, ...fantastic, queer, quaint, eccen...tesque, farcial or outlandish, ...committee on fantastics can't ..., and it will all be in the pro...

...want a nice lunch or a dish of ...to patronize the ladies of the ...church July 4.

...gent of the Unexcelled Fire... ...Company, of New York, was in ...st week. The committee to se... ...eworks for the "Fourth" will ...y make their purchases of this ...y, and will have a display that ...er been equaled in this section. ...old reliable" Erie makes its ...th of July reductions in fare ..., viz: Two cents a mile for ...p tickets to all points on the ...said tickets will be sold on the ...4th of July and will be good ...n on or before the 7th.

...an Brown, who recently as... ...T. N. Boyd of this place, is out ...His bail is fixed at $1,500, and ...$500, as has been reported. We ...the assertion that Brown ...est easy in his mind, with the ...ant prospect that is before him.

...Seth Fenner addressed a good... ...dience of farmers at Harman's ...this village last Saturday after... ...Mr. Fenner explains the object ...Farmer's League in a clear man... ...It does everybody good to hear ...the Farmers are going in for ...in this League matter, and ...et be surprising if a radical ...is soon made in the workings ...if not all of the political par...

...News is late this week, owing to ...sident, which occurred to our ...st week. It took about a week ...new casting to replace the one ...ke. But we are on deck again

Amos Milling Co's best Snow Flake and Pure Gold flour for sale by

BEEBE, WILLIAMS & CO.

Having procured the necessary funds, Andover will celebrate the ever glorious Fourth in the regular old-fashioned style. Edward J. Atwood has been elected President of the day and District Attorney Chas. H. Brown will be orator. The sports will consist in part of a bicycle race, foot race, tub race, wheelbarrow race, potato race, foot ball, &c. Captain Swink, who pleased the people so well when Andover celebrated last, will be on hand with his 113 invincibles. The display of fireworks will be one of the grandest ever seen in this vicinity. Excursion rates have been obtained and as there is to be no other celebration between Addison and Friendship, on the Erie, Andover will be crowded with people on that day.—*Wellsville Democrat.*

Personal.

Miss Sophia McLaughlin is visiting friends in Wellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Bundy returned from their western trip last week.

Mrs. Lucinda McCarn is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. E. E. Crandall of Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Snyder left on train 14 Tuesday evening for Albany, to be absent several days.

Mrs. H. E. Miner, who has been quite ill recently, is considerably improved, and is now able to ride out.

Mrs. P. Phillips and youngest son left town a few days ago for Albany, where they will spend the summer.

Dr. Comstock attended the annual meeting of the Allegany County Medical Society, held at Wellsville last Wednesday.

Mrs. L. A. Bowers and children and Mrs. O. E. Van Liew, of Hornellsville, attended the commencement exercises in Andover last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Berry of Oil City, were called to this place last week on account of the sickness and death of Mrs. Berry's sister, Mrs. Arthur Moland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Herrick returned from Mansfield Tuesday. Their son Miles went with his brother Seymour to the latter's home in Shady Side, N. J., where he will spend the summer vacation.

Lizzie Mead, the adopted daughter of J. B. Mead has left town for the present, and is now with relatives. Mr. Mead informs us that the length of time she will be absent depends entirely upon future circumstances.

M. McTighe returned Wednesday from a visit to Allegany and Salamanca. While absent he attended the 30.h annual commencement of St. Bonaventure Seminary and College at Allegany, which occurred on Tuesday.

Fourth of July Committees.

At the meeting held at Harman's hall last week Wednesday evening M. H. Harman was elected chairman of the meeting and W. B. Bundy secretary.

The following officers and committees were appointed:

President of the Day, E. J. Atwood.
Secretary, W. B. Bundy.
Treasurer, A. M. Burrows.
Marshal, T. N. Boyd.
Reader, John E. Cannon.
Chaplain, G. W. Gibson.
Chief of Police, Wm. Pardon.

Committee on Arrangements, Wm Pardon, L. H. Thompson, Dr. C. W. O'Donnell, F. S. Clark, Frank Hincher.

On Fireworks, E. J. Atwood, N. P. Brainard.

On Fantastics, Robert O'Donnell, Arthur Hallett, Frank McGinty, S. J. Bines Frank Miner, A. E. Durand, Jas. O'Leary, Jr.

On Music, J. E. Cannon, J. P. McGinty.

To Secure Speaker, D. K. Porter, D. D. Remington.

On Printing, H. C. Norris, W. B. Bundy, M. McTighe

On Sports, S. J. Bines, L. H. Thompson, W. H. Phillips.

Auditing Committee, C. H. Richardson, H. E. Miner, D. D. Remington.

To Secure Grove, Ed. Kinney, M. H. Harman, E. J. Atwood.

To Distribute Bills, Arthur Hallett, Rob't O'Donnell, Frank McGinty, L. H. Thompson.

The meeting then adjourned to meet Monday evening, June 23, to listen to a report of committees.

On Monday evening a meeting was held and the committees reported what they had done. It was found that the arrangements were all completed, as nearly as was possible at that time. The full program will be issued in a day or two, and will contain a lay-out that ought to furnish amusement enough to satisfy anybody.

Mary E. Davis has been granted a divorce from her former husband, Reuben Davis. The decree was made by Judge Charles E. Taylor and is dated August 29, 1889.

ANDOVER'S FOURTH!

Our Celebration Will Be A Regular Rouser!

CHAS. H. BROWN OF BOLIVAR,

Allegany County's District Attorney, Will Be the Orator.

Plenty of Amusement for Everybody, and if You Don't Come You Will Miss a Big Time!

Andover's Fourth of July celebration is bound to draw a big crowd. The various committees have left nothing undone that would tend to make the project successful, and we not only expect a large crowd, but will be prepared for one, and shall expect also to see everybody satisfied.

The President of the Day will be

MR. EDWARD J. ATWOOD,

of Andover, and all agree that no one could have been selected who would honor the position to a greater degree than the gentleman named.

THE TOWN VICE PRESIDENTS

are as follows:

Andover—W. W. Miller.
Wellsville—R. A. Crittenden, Thomas O'Connor.
Scio—Ebenezer Norton.
Amity—Geo. A. Green, Elba Reynolds.
Friendship—F. C. Mulkin.
Cuba—P. J. Kelly, Chas. Smith.
Independence—A. D. Howe, Theo. Cobb.
Ulysses—Geo. C. Marion.
West Union—Hon. A. C. Barney, John Harden.
Greenwood—M. F. Smith, N. E. Costen.
Almond—Fred Halsey.
Alfred—J. K. Reading.
Alfred Centre—D. S. Burdick.
Willing—Wallace Hawks.
Hartsville—Jas. A. Almy.
Hornellsville—Hon. Milo Acker, C. A. Dolson.

The selection of

MR. T. N. BOYD

as Marshal gives assurance that the duties of that officer will be attended to with promptness and efficiency.

REV. G. W. GIBSON

will act as chaplain.

The reader of the Declaration of Independence will be

MR. JOHN E. CANNON,

of this place. Mr. Cannon will perform his part to the satisfaction of all who may listen to him.

The committee to secure the orator have been fortunate in securing

DISTRICT ATTORNEY CHARLES H. BROWN OF BOLIVAR,

who as everybody knows, is an eloquent and graceful speaker, and will be sure to deliver a speech that will be interesting and profitable to listen to.

The committee on the grove have secured the

BEAUTIFUL MAPLE GROVE,

just north of the village, where the oration and other exercises will take place at 10 a. m.

THE MUSIC

will be furnished by the Whitesville Cornet Band, the Andover Martial Band, and a glee club composed of some of Andover's best male singers.

THE SPORTS

will consist of foot race, potato race, wheelbarrow race, sack race, greased pole, a game of foot-ball, &c., for which veay liberal prizes have been offered.

THE FANTASTICS

will, of course, be one of the principal and most interesting features of the day. This part of the program is in the hands of the right persons, and is sure to be a success. It is understood the column will be headed by the noted Captain Swink, who led the forces upon a former occasion, and who was presented with a gold-headed cane by his admirers. He will have able assistants in managing the procession, and it is expected that this exhibition will out-do all former affairs of the kind.

THE DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS

will be the finest ever seen in this section, the committee in charge having taken particular pains to secure an attractive assortment, which includes a number of exhibition pieces of wonderful brilliancy and peculiar design.

In addition to those mentioned, there will be numerous other attractions among which is the grand

FOURTH OF JULY HOP

under the auspices of the Social Club, who have secured Harman's hall for both afternoon and evening, and lovers of dancing will have an opportunity to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

It is proposed by those in charge to provide a day of unequaled enjoyment. Every hour will be crowded with something that will amuse and please, and all who wish to celebrate the day in their entire satisfaction and at a very moderate expense, should by all means come to Andover.

Mass Meeting and Picnic.

A grand "Amendment Mass Meeting and Temperance Picnic" will be held at Belmont, Wednesday, July 2, at 11 a. m. All Churches, Sons of Temperance, Royal Templars, Good Templars, Democrats, Republicans, W. C. T. U.'s, Prohibitionists, who favor abolition and out-lawing of the drink traffic in intoxicating liquors, are requested to send three delegates from each society and each town in Allegany county.

Reduced rates on the Erie railroad will be given as follows for the round trip: Canaseraga, $1.85; Burns, $1.70; Hornellsville, $1.35; Almond, $1.20; Alfred, $1; Andover 65c; Wellsville, 35c; Scio, 20c; Belvidere 15c; Friendship, 35c; Cuba, 70c. Tickets good for return on any regular train July 2 and 3. Tea and coffee will be served free of charge.

Important Litigation.

The Wellsville Reporter of Thursday contained the following:

"For a long time it was hoped that the feeling existing between Banker Bundy of Andover, N. Y., and several of our local Rothschilds could be brought to an amicable settlement. All hopes, however, of a peaceful settlement have gone by and it seems the matter must now be judicially disposed of. Justice Whitwood by summons issued this morning commands the appearance of W. B. Bundy in his august presence on June 27, to answer a complaint of Frank Macken, Frank Stillman, Edward Brown and David O. Batterson.

The bringing of the action was delayed until to-day to give the plaintiffs time to hear from their attorney and counsellor John C. Sullivan now of Colorado, who is to conduct the prosecution. The 'syndicate' does not intend to allow their tender financial corns to be trampled on by any delegate from that "neck of the woods" known as Andover. Mr. Bundy rattles a little silver in his pocket and adds: "tell those fellows to send on their small change. I can use it in my business." Whitwood's court will adjourn to the opera house or fair grounds when the case is called for trial.

Mr. Bundy has been offered the free use of the most eminent legal talent to defend him in this suit, while it seems the plaintiffs are so well known that they can't secure a lawyer this side of Colorado. And we understand Mr. Bundy has received a telephone dispatch from the plaintiffs saying that they are willing to agree on an adjournment, in order, probably, to give them time to think up a cause of action. But the defendant replied that he wanted no adjournment, and the case will probably end with a verdict of "no cause for their acting so."

Died.

Mrs. Arthur Moland, daughter of Mrs. Persis Potter, died at her home in this village on Thursday, June 19, 1890, aged 35 years. Mrs. Moland suffered a long and painful illness, and leaves a husband, mother and three sisters to mourn their loss. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon. Rev. Joshua Clark officiated. The interment took place at Alfred Centre.

Family Reunion.

The two families, Wallace and Young, and their branches, held a reunion at the residence of Gordon Pease in Greenwood, N. Y., June 11, 1890. The gathering was large, about 160 taking dinner. But one death had occurred during the past year in this large circle, and we think three births. The friends of nearly all ages, from the little child to the aged, mingled freely together, all feeling it was their family. Near the close it was unanimously voted to hold the reunion of 1891 in West Union, at the same time of the year, the second Wednesday in June. There was plenty of good music, two short addresses, and the reunion closed with a prayer, that there might be a happy reunion with those loved ones in heaven by-and-by. It was a pleasant and we trust profitable reunion.

J. H.

There will be a Farmer's League meeting at Jones hall in Whitesville on Tuesday, July 1, 1890, at 2 o'clock. A. W. Litchard, President of the Allegany County Farmer's Club, will address the meeting. Everyone is invited to attend.

J. H.

Choice lessons at Harman's 25c doz.

The work being done on the roads, both in the village and outside, will put them in the best condition they have been in for years. The improvement will be appreciated by all who have occasion to travel.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

'Rah for the Fourth!

The assessors were making their rounds last week.

Quite a number of the old vets. attended the re-union of the prisoners of war at Belmont last week.

It is said that "figures don't lie," but they lied like Annanias last week, when they make the number 30 instead of 20 members of the Farmer's League lately organized at this place. "Give the devil his due," even though no one seems to know where Moses was "when the light went out."

I was sorry to learn of the accident to your press last week, but, nevertheless, your little "cabbage leaf" was as neat and newsy as a natty old maid.

Apples and pears, for some unexplained reason, are falling off from the trees so fast as to cause fears of a failure of the fruit crop, though there will probably be enough for home consumption.

Oats are badly rusted, on account of the long continued wet weather.

Your correspondent recently had some orchard grass cut that measured over four feet in height. The hay crop (if it is ever cured enough to be called hay) promises to be very heavy.

B. S. Bassett of Alfred Centre, was in Whitesville on business one day last week.

A number from this place attended the closing exercises of the Andover Graded School, last week.

The school closed at this place last Friday.

Last week Tuesday Mr. C. F. Potter had a barn raising. Mr. Elwin Livermore is the architect.

One day of sunshine, then more rain;
Old mother earth's full to the brim;
Hope of good gardens will and wane,
While weeds grow with a vim.

Mrs. S. Allen Livermore and daughter, of Whitesville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Potter last week Monday.

Miss Edith Briggs of Spring Mills, assisted her cousin, Mrs. Eva Livermore, through Association week.

The Association convened here last Thursday and ended Sunday afternoon. There were present about 18 ministers, and Sunday the crowd of people present was variously estimated to number about 300. The exercises were varied and interesting, interspersed with excellent sermons, music, matters pertaining to church affairs, the Christian Endeavor Society, China missions, &c. There were those present from Rhode Island, West Virginia, Wisconsin, and surrounding towns in Allegany county. The interest was keen throughout, and one old church member said it was the best association he ever attended. It was a veritable "red letter day" for this little place, and will long linger in the memories of those who were happily permitted to participate in the soul-satisfying exercises.

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Resolution of Thanks.

At a meeting of Edward Seaman Post, G. A. R. held Saturday evening, it was

RESOLVED, that a vote of thanks be extended to the citizens of Andover for assistance rendered their Post on Memorial Day, May 30, 1890. Especially do we thank Mr. M. H. Harman and the pupils and teachers of the Andover Union School, for various favors and assistance.

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