

## THE ANDOVER NEWS

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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People who imagine this an "off year" in New York state politics are reminded of the fact that five state officers, a judge of the Court of Appeals, 160 members of the legislature, 175 delegates to the constitutional convention, and a variety of county officers are to be chosen next fall.

James Woodward of Jamestown is mentioned as a possible nominee on the Republican ticket this fall for Attorney General. F. B. Church of Wellsville is also in the lead for the nomination for Comptroller. Western New York probably won't get two places on the State ticket, and as we're for Allegany first, we hope Mr. Church will be the lucky man.

While the civilized world has been stirred over the seizure of Siamese territory by France, England has quietly annexed a group of islands in the Western Pacific, by no means contemptible in area, and of some value from being a commercial and naval standpoint. The group in question is known as the Solomon Islands. These islands lie 500 miles to the east of New Guinea and stretch southeastward in two parallel chains for 600 miles toward the Santa Cruz group. The soil is of great fertility and the atmosphere moist. The natives are savages and said to be cannibals.

### THE BUSINESS SITUATION.

The following from the Elmira Advertiser is so pertinent and so sensible that we copy it into our columns:

"Speaking of banks, do people stop to think over the record which the banks of the United States are making? There are in the United States about 4,000 national banks and not far from 5,000 state and private banks. Of this enormous number not 300 during these trying times have closed their doors. Of these 300 seventy-five per cent. had to close because they could not convert really good assets into ready cash. The people actually owed them more than they owed the people. Banks are required to pay spot cash on the presentation of evidences of their indebtedness. They must be ready at any and all times to pay and to pay money. What business man in Elmira or elsewhere, in these hard times or in easy times, would care to have his solvency subjected to a similarly trying test? And yet out of the 9,000 or more banks of the United States all but about 300, or about ninety-seven per cent. of them, have met just this test and met it nobly. To be sure 300 failures is 300 too many, but in thinking of them the 8,700 sound institutions should not be forgotten. They have done and are doing superbly. As a rule it must be remembered that much more money is owing to them than from them. Not since 1857 has money been so tied up and so scarce as now. In 1857 the currency was so poor that men hurried to get rid of it and yet banks had to close. In 1893 the currency is so good that hundreds of thousands of small owners of cash are hoarding it and yet not four per cent. of the banks have had to suspend business. In spite of the trepidation of the multitude, in spite of the cruel cupidity of greedy speculators, in spite of heavy gold exports, the ninety-seven per cent. of the banks and bankers of the United States have weathered an unprecedented stress of weather. It now looks as though bottom had been reached. Gold has commenced to come back. The wheat crop in sixty days will be on its way to the world's markets. Stocks have made a substantial gain and held it over the prices a week ago, and business men have squared themselves to an intelligent appreciation of the situation. There is just as much money in the country now as a year ago except about sixty millions of gold, and this sum does not cut much of a figure in comparison with our total currency of \$1,600,000,000. There is everything in the outlook for the immediate future tending to allay the fright which has come to affect so many of the plain people, who are, after all, the owners of most of the cold cash in the country."

## INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

J. J. Brown of Alfred is the guest of his father, C. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelwin Stout and child of Kinzua, Pa., were in town and attended the ice cream festival at Potter's hall last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Remington are on a visiting tour to friends in Alfred, Almond and Hornellsville.

The long drouth was broken by a refreshing shower last Saturday, for which we are truly thankful.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Parker, who reside in the wilds of Potter county, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Hull one day last week.

A number of our citizens attended the ceremonies at the opening of the new railroad at Ulyses last week, and report a high old time.

The Misses Rose and Lily La-Forge of Alfred Centre, are guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Potter.

I am glad to note that Chester Forsythe has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be out again, and called on your correspondent Sunday. May his shadow never grow less.

Miss Ruth Randolph of Andover was the guest of Miss Carrie Clark last week.

Comrade Thompson Richardson recently purchased a cottage in Whitesville of Prof. Howe, and will move into it as soon as it can be repaired.

The Sunday School picnic held in Bloss' grove last week Thursday, was a grand success as the woods were full of people, who enjoyed the outing with real zest.

Last Monday evening quite a large crowd of invited guests were in attendance at the 15th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Chapin of West Union, near Spring Mills. About 75 partook of the excellent supper prepared by the genial host and hostess. Wellsville, Andover, Independence, White's Corners, Pa., Washington, D. C., and Virginia were represented, and a grand time is reported.

The sad news of the death of Mr. Nelson Clark, the aged father of Rev. H. D. Clark, of Dodge Centre, Minn., has reached us. Mr. Clark resided in this place something over six years, and when his son went west last spring he went east to visit a sister, and on his way to Minnesota he stopped to see an elder brother who resides in Milton, Wis., and was taken sick so he could not go on. He sent for his son who went to him; but his earthly pilgrimage was brought to a close by the grim destroyer. I understand his remains were taken to Brookfield, this state, for interment by the side of his wife, who preceded him to the spirit land several years ago. He was a quiet, conscientious christian, and will be greatly missed by those who knew him best.

"When the good man yields his breath,  
For the good man never dies,  
Bright beyond the fields of death,  
Lo, the land of promise lies."

GUMPTION.

Read what G. B. Hart, a prominent druggist of Sing Sing, N. Y., says of a preparation which L. A. Burrows the druggist, is introducing here. "I can safely say there is no medicine so good for bowel complaints as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. There are families here who would not do without it during the summer months. I consider it far superior to any other."

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Drawing of Jurors.

State of New York, Allegany County Clerk's Office, ss.  
Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m., a panel of Trial Jurors will be drawn at this office, to serve at a County Court and Court of Sessions, to be held in and for the County of Allegany, at the Court House in the village of Belmont, on Monday, the 11th day of September, 1893.  
Geo. A. GREEN, Clerk.

## Only the Scars Remain.

"Among the many testimonials which I see in regard to certain medicines performing cures, cleansing the blood, etc.," writes HENRY HUDSON, of the James Smith



Woolen Machinery Co., Philadelphia, Pa., "none impress me more than my own case. Twenty years ago, at the age of 18 years, I had swellings come on my legs, which broke and became running sores. Our family physician could do me no good, and it was feared that the bones would be affected. At last, my good old mother urged me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I took three bottles, the sores healed, and I have not been troubled since. Only the scars remain, and the memory of the past, to remind me of the good Ayer's Sarsaparilla has done me. I now weigh two hundred and twenty pounds, and am in the best of health. I have been on the road for the past twelve years, have noticed Ayer's Sarsaparilla advertised in all parts of the United States, and always take pleasure in telling what good it did for me."

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### Notice to Creditors.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. S. McArthur Norton, Surrogate of Allegany county, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Miller, late of the town of Andover, Allegany county, N. Y., deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased at the law office of Clayton L. Earley in Andover, N. Y., on or before the 25th day of January, 1894.

Dated at Andover, N. Y., July 17, 1893.

BRADNER B. MILLER, Administrator.

### Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Water Commissioners of the Village of Andover, N. Y., until 2 o'clock p. m., August 17, 1893, at their office in said village, for the material and labor required to construct Water Works for the Village of Andover. Specifications and proposal blanks may be obtained upon application to the Water Commissioners. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

Andover, N. Y., July 25th, 1893.

PATRICK CANNON,  
JAMES OWEN,  
F. S. CLARK,  
A. M. BURROWS,  
Board of Water Commissioners of the Village of Andover, N. Y.

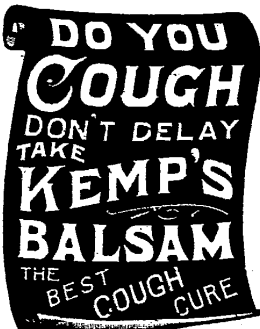
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" " " 25c lb. " 20c.		Storm Serges former price 40c now 25c. All other dress goods at the same rate.	
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