

W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Andover meets the first and third Thursday in each month.

An enthusiastic mass meeting was held at Wellesley College to celebrate the adoption of the woman suffrage amendment in Colorado. Speeches on various political issues were also made at this meeting, which was presided over by Miss Abigail Loughlin, president of the Agora Society.

The ways and means committee of the House of Representatives claims to have received over a thousand letters from "temperance societies," asking that the tax on whisky be raised. Among such letters one is produced from an unknown W. C. T. U. woman in a small village of the state of Illinois, and is paraded as the sentiment of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at large. Any thinking person will see the absurdity of deducing such a conclusion, but we are glad that our watchful friend, Josiah W. Leeds, of Philadelphia, has sent to this congressional committee a protest to such a base use of our name and influence. Mr. Leeds says: "I feel quite safe in affirming that as a body the W. C. T. U. holds to the belief that the general government ought to wash its hands of all complicity in the death-dealing traffic, and that we are not likely to 'tax it out of existence' by the imposition of the high tax of one dollar and fifty cents per gallon."

The Restraint of Heredity.

It seems hard that when a man does wrong his children should be put under an almost irresistible inclination to do wrong; it seems hard that when a man drinks spirituous liquors his children and his children's children should find themselves urged by a burning thirst, which they can scarcely withstand, toward indulgence in intoxicating drinks; it seems hard because a man has violated the law of health his children should be sickly and short-lived—these things seem hard so long as we look at them only on one side; but what a power of restraint this economy has when every man feels, "I stand not for myself alone, but for the line of my posterity to the third and fourth generations."

Remember the fair tonight.

Drilling the third gas well is progressing continuously day and night. Superintendent Leve has brought his derrick from Almond and it is being erected on David Putnam's farm. Drilling on the fourth well will be begun the first of next week.—*Canisteo Times*

A case has been decided by the Court of Appeals which attracted no attention, but which affects every village and town in the state. The case is known on the records as the "Village of Stamford against James E. Fisher," and the judgment of the Lower Courts is affirmed. The case was brought to determine whether a village may tax a person who sells wares through its streets. The decision of the Court holds that such a person may be taxed.

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It is rumored that Mrs. Newman and son of Wayland were killed in a railroad accident while on their way west. They were on their way to Nevada, where they expected to make their future home and were on the train that was wrecked. Among the killed were a woman and boy who were not identified, and Mrs. Newman and son have not been heard from. It is only too probable that they were among the victims of the accident.

"When your heart is bad, and your head is bad, and you are bad clean through, what is needed?" asked a Sunday school teacher of her class. "I know—Ayer's Sarsaparilla," spoke up a little girl, whose mother had recently been restored to health by that medicine.

The Wish Gratified.

You have often wished for something to take in the place of Pills. Now try a 25-cent package Simmons Liver Regulator powder. Take it dry on the tongue or make it into a tea. It is pleasant to take, and gives quick relief—two good recommendations.

Rates for Water.

The Board of Water Commissioners held a meeting last evening and fixed the rates to be paid for the use of water in this village. In dwellings the prices will be as follows: For the first faucet, \$5.00 per year; for the second faucet, \$1.00 per year; for each additional faucet, 50 cents per year. For a bath room, \$3.00 per year; for a lawn and garden sprinkler, \$4.00 per year. The Board also made other rates, covering the various uses to which the water may be put, and will soon publish the full schedule of rates, together with the rates and regulations adopted to govern the use of water. The Board will be ready in a day or two to receive applications for the use of water and it is expected the work of tapping the mains will soon begin, as many persons in the village are ready to have the water put into their houses. Messrs. E. J. Atwood and D. K. Porter will have the right to tap the line, and parties may consult with either of these dealers in regard to the work.

Brave Deed Remembered.

The following, taken from a recent number of the Topeka, Kan. *Daily Capital*, will be read with interest here, as Hon. W. R. Benton is a brother of Mr. H. P. Benton of this place, and formerly resided in Andover. His son Willie is certainly deserving of great praise for his brave deed:

Last summer William Benton, about 12 years old, son of Hon. W. R. Benton, who formerly lived in Pottawatomie county, but now resides in Oakland in this city, and Gath Freeman of Richmond, Ind., son of Hon. Perry J. Freeman, mayor of that city, went in bathing in the Kansas river. Young Freeman got into deep water, and not being able to swim, would have drowned but for the assistance given him by Willie Benton. As a recognition of the brave deed Mr. Freeman sent young Benton a very cordial letter acknowledging the great service he did in saving his son, accompanying the letter with a handsome gold watch and chain, upon which is inscribed, "From Gath to Willie."

All the indictments against James Faulkner of Dansville hawk fame, or infame, were dismissed at the last term of court.

The Canisteo *Times* says that only one train a day that carries the mail stops at that station of 2,500 population. That is what they get for having an electric road to Hornellsville.

An exchange says: "Candidates for the office of district attorney are on the course for the race next fall. C. S. Hall of Wellsville, Joe Rice of Friendship, Dawson Dixon of Angelica, and D. A. Stebbins of Almond have entered the list."

The Western New York department of the Buffalo *Express* of yesterday has the following: "The people of the village of Andover are becoming wide awake and are booming their village at a great rate. They have natural gas for fuel and light, have just completed a system of water works and organized a fire department, and now they are about to organize a board of trade."

Andover tested her system of water works Tuesday afternoon of last week. Everything was found to work satisfactorily. This is the only system of protection which gives the firemen any considerable show of success when fighting fires. It is safe to say that Andover will never regret the step she has taken. One fire often destroys property of a greater value than the cost of an entire water works system. A pertinent illustration of this fact is the recent fire at Wayland.—*Canastota Times*.

They Are Moving.

And right lively at that. Those Ladies' Coats and Capes that we called your attention to last week in the News. We mention the fact again that if you act at once and do not wait too long, you can get a winter wrap that will please you and at a low price. A. M. BURROWS.

Look Here!

Whoever heard of a large spool of thread being sold for 1c, and a 100 yd. spool best silk for 2c, and a large cake of soap for 2c, and yet that is their price at the Drug and Variety Store on Greenwood St., and a thousand bargains of the same kind in tinware and hardware. Now don't read the rest of this ad, unless you wish to save money. We are in no combine and sell all dollar Patent medicines at 80c and all other Patent medicines at same rate. Pills from 10 to 20c a box. Porous plasters 10c. We want your trade. O. E. VARS.

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Keeper Grunder of the county almshouse was recently the recipient of a thoroughbred bull calf for the use of the county farm. The Hon. William P. Letchworth, president of the State Board of Charities, presented it. Mr. William C. Burdick of Alfred Centre also presented Mr. Grunder a fine thoroughbred Chester White pig.

There is a movement on foot to present the name of Capt. George H. Blackman of Wellsville, for the position of Commander of New York State G. A. R. Mr. Blackman is a trustee of the Soldier's Home, and has many friends in Bath, who would be pleased to see this honor conferred upon him.—*Bath Advocate*.

In Justice's Court at Canisteo several days ago, a young man was tried for petit larceny. He demanded a jury. The jurors were summoned and took their seats; the witnesses were sworn. Then the lawyer for the prisoner asked for his discharge on the ground that the jury had not been sworn, and the justice discharged him.

John Weeks, an aged German farmer of South Sheridan, N. Y., who evidently lost his way driving home from Silver Creek in Friday's storm, was found frozen under the snow one day last week. The next morning his team hitched to a wagon was found about a quarter of a mile from the village. When discovered the horses were wandering aimlessly about in a field endeavoring to pick a meal from a scanty growth of grass. The man who found the animals got them back on to the highway and drove them to the village, where they were cared for.

The *Illustrated Buffalo Express* announces three Holiday numbers, for December 17th, 24th and 31st respectively. Whoever remembers the beautiful Holiday numbers which *The Express* sent out a year ago need not be asured that what *The Express* undertakes in this line is sure to be the finest of its kind. There never were published more beautiful papers than *The Express* sent out a year ago; but the publishers announce that this year's issues will be finer yet. The public has learned to take *The Express* at its word without discount, and expectations may be pitched accordingly.

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