

THE ANDOVER NEWS
ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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Cripple Creek is an ideally named place for a real simon pure, bare-knuckle prize-fight.

Should China and France go to war with each other the smashing of crockery will be heard around the world.

The gentlemen who have undertaken to restore public confidence in the honesty of horse racing are not to be envied.

Give a man work and you add to his manliness and independence; give him aims and you destroy his self respect and add another pauper to the world.

It is hard to make some things dovetail. For instance, the man who has the grip is quite as likely to become insane as the man who has "lost his grip."

When a stray elephant strolled into a New Orleans shirt store the clerks strolled out. They doubtless knew that they could not fit his Elephantine highness.

The Englishmen who participated in the Behring Sea arbitration have all received special honors from their government. The Americans who took part have been—abused by the newspapers.

A tariff dead-lock in Congress will operate to keep the doors of many mills locked that would otherwise be open; therefore let a dead-lock be shunned, and the new tariff bill either be defeated or passed at the earliest possible moment.

The number of people who would like to loan their money to the U. S. government is steadily increasing, and the same may be said of the individuals who would like to borrow anybody's money. Let some able financier bring about an equitable distribution of these likes, if he can.

After all that has been said and done the fact remains that the people of this country are not "stuck" on Christopher Columbus. They declined to buy the Columbian souvenir coins, notwithstanding the prevailing epidemic of souvenir fever, and the Columbian-postage stamps have to be forced on them.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Company carried 11,261 passengers westward and but 3,179 eastward during last November. These figures represent about the average preponderance of westward over eastward travel upon this line. Westward still the course of emigration takes its way.

A minister lately delivered a lecture on "Truth's Pilgrimage." So truth has gone on a pilgrimage. Well, that accounts for many things that have happened since New Year's day. If anyone hereabouts is in communication with the distinguished pilgrim we trust he will use his influence to get Truth to Washington and to keep her there until the tariff debate is ended.

The total number of postoffices in operation in the United States on Jan. 1, 1894, is 68,806. This is shown in a statement prepared at the postoffice department showing the number of postoffices in the country by classes in effect. The number of offices of the three presidential classes is 3,424. There are 151 in the first class, where the receipts are more than \$40,000, 674 in the second class, where receipts range from \$8,000 to \$40,000, and 2,599 in the third class, where the receipts range from \$1,900 to \$8,000. There are also 65,382 fourth-class offices, where appointments of postmasters are not made by the President, and where the compensation of the postmasters for each of the last four quarters of the year amounted to less than \$250. The recent raising of 43 fourth-class postoffices to

the presidential class took effect Jan. 1 and these are embraced in the statement.

WHITESVILLE NEWS.

We are blessed with plenty of mud and no sleighing.

Lawrence Spade, a lifelong resident of our place, died Saturday. Funeral was held Monday at the Baptist church.

Theodore Potter of South Hill, was buried Sunday, funeral at North Bingham.

Joseph Bassett died Saturday, the 6th inst, funeral Tuesday at Catholic church, Revville, cause of death, pneumonia.

We have been having a great amount of sickness for a few weeks, but as far as I know the sick are all improving at present.

Hiram Horton, who has been in New York working at iron bridge work, is home for the winter.

Byron Wheeler, wife and children, from Nebraska, are visiting at A. C. How's.

James Parker and wife of Nunda, have been in town the past week visiting relatives.

Wilford Crandall is home for a few weeks.

M. C. White and wife entertained a few of their many friends Friday night last.

W. A. Bishop has bought the house and lot formerly owned by N. C. Cowan.

David Peat has purchased the Crabtree block.

The K. O. T. M. installed officers last Tuesday night. Charles Armstrong, C.; N. S. Bartlett, R. K.

The contest in the May Queen, L. O. T. M. is ended, and of course the big side beat, but the small side served one of the nicest suppers I have had the pleasure of eating in a long time.

The continual succession of boils, pimples, and eruptions from which many suffer, indicates an impure state of the blood. The most effective remedy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It expels the poison harmlessly through the natural channels, and leaves the skin clean and clear.

Provide yourself with a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and so have the means at hand for contending successfully with a sudden cold. As an emergency medicine, it has no equal, and leading physicians everywhere recommend it.

The Golden Secret of Long Life.
Keep the head cool, the feet warm and the bowels open. Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves is a vegetable preparation and acts as a natural laxative, and is the greatest remedy ever discovered for the cure of dyspepsia, liver complaint, and all blood, liver and kidney diseases. Call on L. A. Burrows, sole agent, and get a trial package free. Large size 25 and 50 cents.

For Adoption.
A girl 11 years old, two boys 7 years old, one boy three years old. For particulars apply to Sidney Crandall, Superintendent, or D. C. Grunder, Keeper, Angelica, N. Y.

Good News.
No other medicine in the world was ever given such a test of its curative qualities as Otto's Cure. Thousands of bottles of this great German remedy are being distributed FREE OF CHARGE, by druggists in this country, to those afflicted with consumption, asthma, croup, severe coughs, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases, giving the person proof that Otto's Cure will cure them, and that it is the greatest triumph of medical science. Sold only by L. A. Burrows, Andover. Samples free. Large bottles 25 and 50 cents.

Our readers will find Simmons Liver Regulator advertised in these columns. We advertise it, and use it, and we commend it as a safe and excellent medicine. We became acquainted with it in Georgia, where it is a standard family medicine. We do not deny the merits of other preparations but simply state that this one commands confidence. From the "Journal," Lonesboro, Minn.

SPECIMEN CASES.
S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.
Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of 8 years standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Spenser, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by L. A. Burrows, Druggist. 3

CORWIN HILL NEWS.

Miss Lila McGraw is reported a very little better but still very low.

Mr. Jones' people entertained a large company of relatives and friends New Years day.

William Boyd returned from Pennsylvania last Saturday. He reported much sickness.

Miss Florence Cochrane came home for the holidays but has returned to her school again.



Saved Her Life.

Mrs. C. J. WOOLDRIDGE, of Wortham, Texas, saved the life of her child by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

"One of my children had Croup. The case was attended by our physician, and was supposed to be well under control. One night I was startled by the child's hard breathing, and on going to it found it strangling. It had nearly ceased to breathe. Realizing that the child's alarming condition had become possible in spite of the medicines given, I resorted to a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house. I gave the child three doses, at short intervals, and anxiously waited results. From the moment the Pectoral was given, the child's breathing grew easier, and, in a short time, she was sleeping quietly and breathing naturally. The child is alive and well to-day, and I do not hesitate to say that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved her life."

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Prompt to act, sure to cure

Notice to Creditors.
In pursuance of an order of Hon. S. McArthur Norton, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Luther Green, late of the town of Independence, Allegany county, New York, deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of said deceased at the office of L. C. Van Fleet, at Andover, N. Y., on or before the 1st day of May, 1894.

Dated at Andover, N. Y., Sept. 9, 1893.
JEREMIAH CLARKE,
CHARLES E. GREEN,
Administrators.

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 office of Crayton 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.

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WELLSVILLE, N. Y.

We make this business a specialty, and guarantee satisfaction in every instance.

Prices Very Reasonable.
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Bone Phosphates,
Portable and Agricultural

ENGINES,
Thrashing Machines, Buckeye

MOWERS & BINDERS,
ANDOVER, N. Y.

Men Wanted!
To sell Nursery Stock and a first-class line of New Seed Potatoes.

No experience required. Steady work and good pay weekly. Outfits free. Write
C. D. LEONARD, Sec.,
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Oct 25th

Great Explosion

AT

ROSS' CHEAP CASH STORE.

It took place on the morning of Jan. 1st, 1894 and will continue for the next 60 days, before taking my inventory. Prices will be reduced on everything to run the stock down as low as possible. Will sell

READY MADE CLOTHING.
GROCERIES, DRESS GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

In fact a big cut in every department.

JOHN C. ROSS,

Successor to T. McTighe, Andover, N. Y.

PLUMBING! PLUMBING!

The Water Works Are Completed And Accepted.

Our plumber is here. We have purchased the tapping machine, have secured the license to tap the line, and are prepared to do everything in the line of plumbing and pipe fitting in first class order and at rock bottom prices.

Call on us for full particulars. Information cheerfully given. Estimates furnished. Work already done open for inspection.

We guarantee every job perfect.
Our workmen are the best.
Our line of supplies and tools the most complete.
Our prices the lowest.

Hand in your application at once and be ready to take advantage of our limited water supply.

E. J. ATWOOD,

Successor to A. B. Atwood & Son.

WE ARE NOT

Going to tell you about Christmas, but just give you a little sound advice. The year of 1894 has begun and with it YOU should begin to try a sack of that

Celebrated Western Flour

That we have just received. We only ask you to try one sack. Remember the price is right and, like the flour, will be sure to suit.

W. H. PHILLIPS,

Prest Block, Greenwood St.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK

Of Confectionery,

AND

CHRISTMAS GOODS ON HAND.

MUST BE SOLD CHEAP.

COME IN.

BEEBE, WILLIAMS & CO.

Rockwell Bros

YOUR OPPORTUNITY

Those who have waited this year until after the Holidays have for once been quite fortunate, as our stock is still very large, owing to the mild weather of late.

The following will give a idea of the concession in price we are making to reduce the surplus:

\$ 5	Jackets	marked	\$ 2.90
8	"	"	5.80
10	"	"	6.90
12.50	"	"	9.30
15	"	"	11.80
18	Plush Sacques		12.00

Children's Garments,
Ladies' Capes,
Shawls and Muffs

Everything in the wrap line subject to a heavy reduction in price.

MILLINERY.

All trimmed and untrimmed hats at actual cost.

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ESTABLISHED 1854.

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We solicit your deposits.
A. M. BURROWS,
W. R. BUNDY, Cashier.

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Mrs. W. G. Young of Hornellsville was in Andover yesterday.

A boy baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dodge on Monday night.

E. B. Baker is moving into John Hawkins' house at the north end of the village today.

Frohman's Comedy Company Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, at Prest's opera house.

Mr. J. J. Warfield has removed to this village and occupies a part of D. B. Remington's house.

The new hose cart arrived last week and is very handsome in appearance and is substantially made.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Cooper of Westport, Pa., visited Andover with friends during the past week.

County Clerk Green was in Andover Saturday evening, and "mustered in" the newly elected officers of Seaman's G. A. R.

A. A. Diffin spent New Years in Andover by the invitation of friends, after which he made a business trip south and returned Saturday.

All the M. E. Church next Sunday the pastor will preach in the morning on "Preparing the way of the Lord," and in the evening on "Christ's Mission to the World."

Wesley Wells, a former resident of Andover, died January 1st, 1894, at Westport, Pa. He had been working at Westport, Pa., and had relatives at Nelson. He was visiting when he became sick with pneumonia. He was 70 years old, and left Andover 10 years ago.