

THE ANDOVER NEWS

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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They are getting mighty honest in Washington. A negro was sentenced to eleven months and twenty-nine days in jail just for taking an umbrella.

A Canadian claims to be the legal owner of land in New York city valued at \$400,000,000. Needless to add that he favors annexation, in a personal, if not political sense.

A new temperance lecture entitled "Society as it is" is being delivered by Mrs. Marian Baxter. As Mrs. Baxter has not been arrested it is fair to infer that the title is misleading.

The exposition fever has got from the Pacific around to the South, and Atlanta is engineering a big boom for a Cotton State and International Exposition, to be held there next year.

The New York Post outlines the blanket ballot bill which will be introduced at Albany. The bill provides for what is known as the party-column blanket-ballot, with the names of all candidates arranged in parallel party columns, each with a party name and emblem at the top. The voter can express his choice for an entire party ticket by making a single cross (X)-mark in a space reserved for the purpose beneath the emblem at the top of the column, or he may vote for each candidate of his choice separately by placing a mark after each name.

COUNTRY ROADS

New York legislators and agriculturists who are interested in the country road problem should study the report which the Ohio Road Commission has filed with Governor McKinley. The commission estimates that at an average cost of \$5,000 per mile, it would require \$400,000,000 to improve all the roads in that state, and the commissioners further estimate that the average cost of transportation by horses or wagons over country roads is in any event about 25 cents per ton-mile, as contrasted with about 1-2 cent per ton-mile for transportation by steam over railways.

Arguing from this prohibitive cost of road construction and from the waste in any transportation by horsepower even over improved roads, the commission favors the laying of steel rails on highways and the substitution of electric or other inanimate power for the horses for the transportation of both freight and passengers.

In short, the two commissioners do not recommend the improvement of the highways at the expense of the state, but suggest instead the extension, at local expense, of the suburban electric roads already doing good service in the state. The commission believes this to be more just to the people in general and more economical in the end, especially in the relative cost of transportation per ton-mile.

The Ohio report will act as a damper on the enthusiasm of the bicyclists and still further strengthen the prevalent belief among practical-minded farmers that much as good roads are to be desired, the problem has been by no means solved and is worthy of the most serious attention. The Ohio commissioners have suggested an idea which has an important bearing on the matter.

It is a peculiar fact, says the Buffalo Express, that for the first time in over a quarter of a century a barrel of apples is worth more than a barrel of flour and the relative difference promises to prove larger before the year is closed. Fair apples now retail at five dollars a barrel, while flour can be obtained fully a dollar cheaper. It is also cheaper to buy good oranges by the box than by the barrel.

FULMER VALLEY NEWS.

A. A. Stout made a flying visit among friends here last week.

Geo. Graves of Hallsport and Clark Foster of Shongo are visiting here.

W. H. Fulmer visited with the boys at the gas well one evening last week.

Brainard, Lester & Co's well on Stout's lease was drilled to the gas sand Saturday and shows up for a good gas well. It will be treated to a shot this week, after which it is expected they will locate another well. We are informed that the formation here compares favorably with that at the Brown well. These parties think it not advisable to drill this well any deeper, although it is understood there is another sand below this gas, with a show at least, of oil.

Another company has been in this vicinity leasing, and we learn today that they will begin at once to drill a well about one mile west from this one. Farmers here are anticipating the luxury of natural gas for fuel. Thus far there has been no excitement and everybody seems confident that we are located over a strata of gas, if not oil.

Floyd Trask of LaFayette, Pa., formerly of this place, paid a short visit here last week.

People in this section are usually well and all kinds of stock are wintering well. No epidemic has as yet struck us and if we could get some snow soon we could pass the remainder of winter with hope of a prosperous season when spring opens.

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The will of the late Dr. S. P. Burdick of Oakland, Cal., provides that should his son die without wife or issue the whole estate should go to Alfred University.



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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 27th day of January, 1894, 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 12th day of February, 1894. GEO. A. GREEN, Clerk.

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 J. 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. L. C. VAN FLEET, Attorney for Administrators, Andover, N. Y.

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 Crayton L. Earle in Andover, N. Y., on or before the 25th day of January, 1894.

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Get ready for the Oles concert. Donation for Rev. J. M. Leach night.

Found—a pair of skates. Eng at this office. Donation for Rev. Wayne Brew next week Wednesday evening.

O. E. Vars is making extensive improvements on the inside of his and variety store.

E. L. Karr will deliver the book titled "Samantha at the World's Fair" next week, Feb. 1st.

The band makes frequent visits to the pond and the music adds greatly to the pleasure of skating.

The usual number of cases "Drowned while skating" are reported from various parts of the country.

Rev. Joshua Clark has tendered resignation as pastor of the Andover Seventh Day Baptist church, to take effect March 1, 1894.

The Water Commissioners have ordered a couple more play pipes. When they arrive the hose company will be able to throw four streams of water.

William Rogers, son of Davis Rogers had his hand severely crushed in a hay press this morning. He was brought to this village in a wagon, and Dr. Stillman dressed the wound.

The officers of the Farmers' Alliance and Co-operative Fire Insurance Company of Steuben county, claim that the organization is carrying a very large amount of insurance, and that the new and payment sure in case of