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THE DEATH RECORD.

Ira S. Mead. Ira S. Mead died at his home in this village, Monday morning, March 23, 1896, after about a week's illness with bronchial disease. The direct cause of his death was cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Mead leaves a widow and seven children: L. W. Mead of Strickland, Neb.; Mrs. Susan A. Keir of Millsport, Pa.; Menzo R. Mead of Andover; Mrs. Nellie E. Baker of Coudersport, Pa.; Mrs. Sarah I. Burdick of Millsport, Pa.; Wm. E. Mead, of Buffalo; Frank B. Mead, of Andover. The funeral services were held this (Wednesday) afternoon at the M. E. church, Rev. W. B. Wagoner officiating.

Mrs. Mary Spicer Brown. Mrs. Mary Spicer-Brown died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Rogers, of Wellsville, Thursday, March 19, 1896.

Mrs. Brown was born in Plainfield, Otsego county, N. Y., Dec. 17, 1813. She came to Allegany when she was seven years old, and has lived here since. She was married to Edmund Brown Jan. 15, 1835. The latter died July 25, 1885. She leaves nine children: Geo. E. Brown, of Andover; Ira Brown, of Whitesville; A. J. Brown, E. J. Brown, Mrs. H. P. Bloss, Mrs. E. W. Bloss, of Independence; Mrs. M. S. Rogers, Mrs. Hartley Parish, of Wellsville, Charles E. Brown, of South Dakota. The funeral services were held at Wellsville last Saturday, burial at Independence. The deceased was a Christian woman, and was highly beloved by all who knew her. She was an invalid for many years and is now at rest.

L. L. Pryor. L. L. Pryor died at his boarding place, the residence of Miss Sarah Green, Sunday, March 23, 1896. Mr. Pryor was taken ill on Saturday, and the cause of his death was heart failure. He was 51 years old. He had lived in this place the greater part of the time for the past twelve or fifteen years. He had no relatives here, but a brother who lives in Arkport came and took the remains to that place for burial.

Mrs. James Hess. Gabella, wife of James Hess, died at her home in this town on Monday, March 23, 1896, after a short illness with typhoid pneumonia. Her age was 76 years. Mrs. Hess was a most excellent woman, and was highly respected by all who knew her. Besides a husband, she leaves four children: Wm. Hess, Mrs. Eliza Fosbury, Alonzo Hess and Miss Nellie Hess, all of Andover.

The funeral was held at the house this (Wednesday) morning, Rev. J. Kenyon of Independence officiating, assisted by Rev. W. Brewster of this place.

School Monies.

The amount of school money apportioned to the town of Andover for the current year is \$1,562.68, divided as follows:

District 1, \$780 03.	District 2, \$111 68.
" 3, 107 56.	" 4, 108 69.
" 5, 107 29.	" 6, 113 59.
" 7, 119 60.	" 8, 1 20.
" 9, 113 04.	

The amount apportioned to the town of Independence is \$1,197 31, as follows:

District 1, \$395 73.	District 2, \$121 30.
" 3, 119 25.	" 4, 117 17.
" 5, 125 26.	" 6, 109 85.
" 7, 115 85.	

Separate Neighborhood, 1 90.

An additional apportionment of about \$50 will undoubtedly be made to Separate Neighborhood by State Superintendent.

Important to Physicians. It shall be the duty of the physician in attendance at every birth to write out and sign upon the form prescribed by the State Board of Health, the certificate of such birth, and make sure that said certificate is returned to the local Board of Health, or person designated by it to receive it, within 30 days of such birth. Any violation of the provision of this ordinance shall subject the offending party to a penalty of \$10.00, and for each 10 days of continual neglect to present such report an additional penalty of \$1.00.

Published by Order of the Andover Board of Health.

Boys' Suits. Please take a look at our new "School Suits" for boys, ages 5 to 15 years, at \$1.50 each. Surely, every boy can have a new suit now.

Where do Cleveland and Carlisle Come in?

A recent straw vote was taken by a well known Andover man among the business men of that town and brought out the fact that Andover is a hot McKinley town. The result was McKinley 41, Morton 3, Allison 1.—Wellsville Reporter.

Fine Entertainment in Prospect.

The entertainment to be given by the Euterpe club, Wednesday evening, April 8th, promises to be one of the most enjoyable ever given in Andover. The play "By Force of Impulse" is one of the best of war dramas full of roaring fun, thrilling incidents and powerful climaxes, and the interest deepens with each act until the curtain descends in a storm of applause. The cast is made up of the members of the Euterpe club, Mrs. E. A. Sweet, Mrs. W. B. Bundy and Mrs. A. B. Richardson. The entertainment will be enlivened by the appearance of Mr. Ed. Sweet in his inimitable character recitations, comic and tropical songs. The Euterpe orchestra, consisting of seven pieces, under the direction of Miss Cannon will be a leading feature of the entertainment. Seats will be on sale next Monday morning at L. A. Burrows' drug store.

A Valuable Law Library.

The law library possessed by the late B. C. Brundage has been secured by Crayton L. Earley of this place and has been moved to the latter's office rooms in the Andover State Bank building. This library comprises not only the books owned by B. C. Brundage during his life-time, but also the library of the late Robert Brundage of Hornellsville, which passed into the hands of B. C. Brundage upon the death of his brother Robert. Mr. Earley thus secures a law library which is surpassed, in the number and value of the books, by probably not more than one or two single libraries in the county. A few of the volumes, perhaps, are somewhat out-of-date, but Mr. Earley tells us that were he to purchase a new library as extensive as the one mentioned, two-thirds of these books would surely be placed on his list. He is to be congratulated upon his new acquisition.

Parliamentary Drill.

Mrs. Mila E. Carson of Hornellsville, a competent and noted parliamentarian, will come to Andover and give a parliamentary drill, Monday evening, March 30, at 8 o'clock. The drill will be held in the Baptist church, and an admission fee of ten cents will be charged. This price is exceedingly small, and the knowledge in parliamentary law which may be obtained by every person who attends the drill will be worth many times the price paid to secure it. This knowledge is just what is needed by people in this and every other place where deliberative meetings of any kind are held. Rev. Edward M. Deems, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Hornellsville, says of Mrs. Carson: "As a member of her class in parliamentary law, I gladly testify that she is not only a thorough parliamentarian, but also a gifted teacher of that branch of knowledge."

Mrs. Carson will also be in Andover the preceding evening (Sunday, March 29), and will deliver a temperance lecture in the Baptist church. No service will be held in the other churches that evening, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance at the lecture. A collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Our Millinery Opening

Will occur Tuesday and Wednesday, March 31 and April 1, at our new millinery parlors, two doors east of dry goods store. This will be the largest opening ever held in this section, an entire store being devoted entirely to millinery, well lighted and filled up. All ladies and their gentlemen friends who are interested in new and pretty things are invited to call, and see our large display of trimmed hats and bonnets, and enjoy a cup of chocolate while you discuss them. A display of the new dress goods and wraps in our dry goods store at the same time. Chocolate from 2 to 5 o'clock.

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NEAR-BY NEWS.

A Few Outside Happenings in Which Our Readers Will Be Interested.

A McKinley club is being organized in Hornellsville.

A Good Templars' lodge has been organized in Wellsville.

Jefferson Thomas of Scio has entered upon his fortieth consecutive year as notary public.

New papers in Hornellsville and Wellsville are among the things that are talked of. Both those fields are well supplied already.

The assembly committee on railroads has decided to report favorably the Armstrong bicycle bill, which provides that steam railroads shall carry bicycles free. An amendment adopted by the committee provides that bicycles carried as baggage need not be crated, covered or otherwise protected.

The report of the great commander of the Maccabees shows that the order has increased in membership from 228 tents and hives, with a membership of 11,358 in 1893, to 638 tents and hives and over 33,000 members at the present time. The report of the grand record keeper showed that the increase in the life benefit funds during the past year was \$8,000,000.

Work has been progressing slowly at the test well of the Torrey Oil Co., on the Wagoner farm, owing to the severe cold weather. In fact drilling was suspended for a few days last week. Tuesday morning operations were resumed and at a depth of 70 feet, rock was struck. From now on rapid progress will be made and the result will be watched with interest.—Wellsville Reporter.

Work on the oil well on the Wagoner farm has been temporarily discontinued by the Torrey Oil Co. Thursday when a depth of about 200 feet had been reached by the drill, the immense spring, the water supply of which has always been unfailing, suddenly went dry and now they know not where to get the 80 barrels a day needed for work. The cause of the sudden failing of the spring is a mystery.—Wellsville Reporter.

The body of an unknown man, supposed to be a tramp was found in a freight car at Alfred Station Sunday. The fellow was around the station Saturday night looking for a warm place to sleep and crawled into a car-half loaded with potatoes where a coal fire was burning in a small stove to keep them from freezing. Some one came along and closed the car door, and it is thought the unfortunate fellow was suffocated by the escaping coal gas.—Wellsville Reporter.

An Olean young lady received an invitation from Miss Clara Beamer of Bradford, to visit her. This was accepted by the young lady, who jokingly stipulated that her friend should meet her at the train with an elephant and brass band. Little things like this never bother a Bradford girl. When the W. N. Y. & P. train arrived from Olean Saturday night the Olean young lady found Miss Beamer, Company C's elephant and a portion of the Sixteenth regiment band. The noble monarch of the desert, band and party proceeded to Miss Beamer's home, where the musicians were entertained. The elephant proceeded to the armory.—Bradford Herald.

A big lot of Kelley's shoes just received at P. Cannon & Sons.

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