

**THE ANDOVER NEWS.**  
ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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Oh, this crooked August weather!  
It hoodoos us altogether,  
The mercury stands so in the shade,

Till we don't know what to do,  
And the weather clerk we volubly upbraid.

Then a cold wave knocks us silly,  
And we shiver willy nilly  
As cold chills meander through our mortal  
frame,  
And we hawk and cough and sneeze,  
And we really think we'll freeze,  
And again the weather clerk we fiercely  
blame.

Under the Raines law some fifteen  
hundred drinking places have been  
closed in New York city, out of about  
nine thousand.

In another column will be found a  
call for the electors to meet in caucus  
this evening, for the purpose of  
choosing delegates to the Independent  
Republican Convention to be held  
at Belmont, to nominate a candidate  
for Member of Assembly. Besides  
the delegates appointed it is expected  
that a large number of our citizens  
will attend the convention.

The New York Agricultural Ex-  
periment Station has just issued a  
bulletin treating of that much dread-  
ed pest, the army worm. The bulletin  
is No. 104, New Series, and is  
entitled "Notes on the Recent Inva-  
sion of the Army Worm," giving a  
general review of the life, history  
and habits of the insect, and the  
methods of checking the worms dur-  
ing an invasion. Sent free on appli-  
cation.

The reports of the 651 posts com-  
prising within the New York state  
department of the G. A. R. for the  
six months ended June 30, show that  
the membership of June 30 was 37,  
058, against 37,629 on December 31  
last. During that period 1,115 mem-  
bers were suspended, and 321 trans-  
ferred, 74 honorably discharged, 457  
died, 525 were mustered in, 677 re-  
instated and 301 transferred to this  
department. The posts expended  
about \$50,000 in charity in the six  
months.

**ALFRED NEWS.**

The delegates have already com-  
menced to arrive in town to attend the  
Conference to begin on Wednesday of  
this week. Ample preparations have  
been made to entertain the people. A  
building, 40x120 feet, has been erected  
in which to serve dinners and suppers  
each day for the six days. On Saturday  
morning next it is arranged for two  
sermons at the same hour, one in the  
church and the other in University  
chapel. The former will be preached  
by Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., of Plain-  
field, N. J., the latter by Rev. L. F.  
Randolph, of Chicago.

The additional macadam road inside  
the corporation is almost completed,  
and now we can boast of three miles or  
more of the best roads in the land.

Three arches across the streets are  
being trimmed with evergreens, with  
the word "Welcome" hanging under-  
neath, for the reception of the strangers  
who are expected this week.

It is so dry here that several wells,  
heretofore abundant in supply, have  
failed. What we need to make Alfred  
complete, is a system of gravity water  
works.

**INDEPENDENCE NEWS.**

Miss Emma Wood, of Greenwood, is  
spending several weeks with her sister,  
Mrs. Mevin Atwell.

Mrs. George Stillman is the guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burdick.

Miss Libbie Murray visited here Mon-  
day.

Charles Eaton, of Alfred, made a  
business trip to this place Monday.

The Saxton reunion will be held at  
the residence of Charles Bishop in Jas-  
per, Sept. 12th. All relatives are cordi-  
ally invited.

E. D. Potter returned from a visit  
with friends in Nile, Friendship and  
Belmont, Monday.

Miss Pauline Barney is the guest of  
Miss Grace Taylor in Rushford.

Will our Independence correspondent  
please send address.

**SPECIFIC  
FOR SCROFULA.**

"Since childhood, I have been  
afflicted with scrofulous boils and  
sores, which caused me terrible  
suffering. Physicians were unable  
to help me, and I only grew worse  
under their care.



**AYER'S**  
Sarsaparilla, and  
very soon grew bet-  
ter. After using  
half a dozen bottles  
I was completely  
cured, so that I have not had a boil  
or pimple on any part of my body  
for the last twelve years. I can  
cordially recommend Ayer's Sarsa-  
parilla as the very best blood-purifier  
in existence."—G. T. REINHART,  
Myersville, Texas.

**AYER'S**  
THE ONLY WORLD'S FAIR  
Sarsaparilla

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cures Coughs and Colds

The hair, when not properly cared  
for, loses its luster, becomes crisp, harsh  
and dry, and falls out freely with every  
combing. To prevent this, the best  
dressing in the market is Ayer's Hair  
Vigor. It imparts that silky gloss so  
essential to perfect beauty.

It doesn't matter much whether sick  
headache, biliousness, indigestion and  
constipation are caused by neglect or  
by unavoidable circumstances; De-  
Witt's Little Early Risers will speedily  
cure them all. Benedict & Van Noy.

Mr. Nathanael Mortonson, a well  
known citizen of Ishpening, Mich.,  
and editor Superior Posten, who, for a  
long time, suffered from the most ex-  
cruciating pain of rheumatism, was  
cured, eight years ago, by taking Ayer's  
Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge  
of it since.

Don't trifle away time when you have  
cholera morbus or diarrhoea. Fight  
them in the beginning with DeWitt's  
Colic and Cholera Cure. You don't  
have to wait for results, they are in-  
stantaneous, and it leaves the bowels in  
healthy condition. Benedict & Van  
Noy.

**Wellsville Fair.**

**AUGUST 31-SEPT. 4.**  
ADMISSION 25 CENTS.

**Gold and Silver Orations by Famous Men.**  
3 DAYS HORSE RACING 3  
1 BIG BICYCLE DAY 1  
Free Variety Performances.

On one side of the judges' stand there will be erected a platform on which a variety  
show will be given free. Comedy acts, singing, dancing, etc.

**FARMERS' SALES DAY.**

One of the fair's great specialties will be FARMERS' SALES DAY ON FRIDAY.  
An auctioneer will be furnished, and farmers are invited to bring in goods of any kind,  
stock, produce, wagons, etc. Music and a glib talker will do their best to make sales.

**Excursion Rates on all Railroads.**

**N. PERKINS**

Has an elegant line of

**Summer Horse Goods,**

**DUSTERS, ROBES, SHEETS,  
SCRIMS, WHIPS, ETC., ETC**

Come in and see them. The price is right, of course.

New Harnesses always in stock. Repairing promptly done.

**N. PERKINS,**

MAIN STREET,

ANDOVER, N. Y.

Old newspapers, for putting under  
carpets, upon pantry shelves, etc., for  
sale at this office.

**A BABY'S LIFE SAVED.**

"My baby had croup and was saved  
by Shiloh's Cure," writes Mrs. J. B.  
Martin, of Huntsville, Ala. For sale  
by L. A. Burrows.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and  
croup cure is in great demand. Pocket  
size, 25c. Child.

ren love it. Sold by O. E. Vars.

**CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED**  
by the use of Shiloh's Cure. This  
great Cough Cure is the only known  
remedy for that terrible disease. For  
sale by L. A. Burrows.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga  
Tenn., says, "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved  
my life. I consider it the best remedy  
for a debilitated system I ever used."  
For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble  
it excels. Price 75c. Sold by O. E. Vars

**CAPTAIN SWEENEY, U. S. A.,**  
San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Ca-  
tarrh Remedy is the first medicine I  
have ever found that would ever do me  
good." Price 50c. For sale by L. A.  
Burrows.

**\$100 REWARD**

is offered for a case of Blood, Nerve  
Liver, Skin and Kidney disease that  
can not be cured by the proper use of  
Dr. Custer's Extract of Sarsaparilla,  
Celery, Stillingia, Dandelion, Mandrake,  
etc. This great medicine cures and  
prevents disease by removing the cause,  
and by strengthening the blood which  
becomes foul and weak through failure  
of the Liver and Kidneys to do their  
duty. This medicine has greater merit  
than any other preparation and is em-  
dorsed by prominent physicians, and  
thousands of people who have testified  
to miraculous cures of the most trouble-  
some and obstinate nature that owe  
their origin to impure blood. The above  
offer is made in good faith, and the ex-  
cellence of the medicine justifies manu-  
facturers in making it and the people  
in giving it a proper trial. 125 doses  
per bottle. Regular dollar size bottles  
for 65c, or 5 for \$3 for a limited time  
only, to quickly introduce it. For sale  
by L. A. Burrows, Druggist.

**DR. DEKOVEN'S COMPOUND  
Pennyroyal & Tansy Pills**

**SAFE**—Always reliable—prompt  
in effects—never disappoint.  
Clears the bowels, gives satisfaction  
or money refunded. In 1 thor-  
oughly metallic boxes, sealed  
with pink ribbon and red seal.  
Price, \$1. Sold at drug stores, or  
sent by mail. Address,  
The Crescent Chemical Co.,  
Elmira, N. Y.

Sold by Benedict & Van Noy, Druggists

**Wanted—An Idea**  
Who can think of some simple  
thing to patent?  
Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth.  
Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attor-  
neys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1.00 price offer  
and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

**Great Midsummer Clearing Sale**

In order to make room for the largest and best assortment  
Fall and Winter Clothing and

**Gent's Furnishing Goods**  
ever brought into this vicinity, for which we have al-  
placed our orders. We offer to the public the balance

**SUMMER GOODS**

regardless of cost.  
Now if you are not blind to your own interest and you  
anxious to buy the best, the most stylish goods for the  
money, you should call at once.

**Epstein's Clothing House,**  
McTIGHE'S OLD STAND, ANDOVER, N. Y.

**"DO UNTO OTHERS AS YOU WOULD BE DONE BY."**

This is and always has been our Motto.

We want YOUR trade, and we know that fair  
square dealing is the only way to get it.

A full and complete assortment in our several lines,  
at rock bottom prices.

Our store not

**CAMPAIGN HEADQUARTERS**

We are here to do business, and will serve you to the best  
of our ability.

**PHILLIPS & OWEN**

**Attention, Farmers**

We have a fresh stock of fine  
quality Binder Twine, which  
can name very attractive prices

EDWARD J. ATWOOD

**CASH!**

On September 1st we will begin a cash business.

No man, rich or poor, can run a book account after  
date.

Those having book accounts please call and adjust.

**J. L. WILLIAMS**

**ROCKWELL  
BROTHERS**

We shall place on sale,

Thursday morning, the fol-  
lowing lots of merchandise at  
reducing prices:

dozen children's hose, black  
and tan, ribbed and plain,  
worth 1 1/2 to 20c., closing  
price, 5c. a pair.

dozen ladies' fine gauze  
double sole black hose, reg-  
ular 25c. quality, at 18c. a  
pair.

dozen Milinese silk mitts,  
considered a bargain at 39c.  
at 28c. a pair.

dozen boys' high grade  
blouse waists, ranging from  
75c. to \$1.50, at 33c. each.

dozen ladies' fine ribbed lisle  
socks, vests at 36c. each.

only ladies' imported wool  
sweaters, sold at \$3.50 to  
\$4.75, now \$1.00.

pieces wide embroidered  
Swiss flouncing, were 60c.  
to \$2.00 a yard, at 35c.

yards figured cotton chal-  
lies, 2c. a yard.

dozen large bleached and  
brown Turkish bath towels,  
60c. each.

Rockwell Bros.,  
Wellsville, N. Y.

**M. Burrows, Banker.**

SUCCESSOR TO

**BRADLEY & CO'S BANK.**  
ESTABLISHED 1854.

This bank transacts a general bank-  
business; makes collections, sells  
in Europe, and gives prompt at-  
tention to all business at lowest rates.  
Membership tickets by the Anchor,  
Star and Hambar-American  
Co. to and from all European

sollicit your deposits.

A. M. BURROWS,  
R. BENDY, Cashier.

**THE ANDOVER NEWS.**

ice up stairs in Prest's  
Brick Block, Main Street.

light frost Monday morning.

to cure meetings are being held

posts \$9277 a year to run Wells-

schools.

Lena Brundage will teach in

near Valley.

street lamps in the village have

ed a new coat of paint.

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Edward J. Atwood's hardware.

N. Perkins went to the Hor-

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