TERMS: \$1.00 a Year in Advance. Much ado about nothing—the present session of Congress.

a campaign in 1900, not for the Pres- League meetings, 3 o'clock p. m.; Epidency but for the Senate. There worth League at 6 p. m., and preach. | Keeps constantly on hand are others—lots of 'em.

The Cuban question, or any other Rev. W. L. Burdick, of Independthat is likely to come up at Washence, will occupy the pulpit of the M.

The ington, is not in it with those Sen-E. Church next Sunday morning. The ators who are candidates for re-elec- Epworth League will conduct a Gospel tion before State Legislatures now in service in the evening. It will be inter-

Some of the Washington inaugufunds contributed by residents that city.

The banker who loses money deposited with him for safe keeping by reckless attempts to get rich through male quartet. All invited. Strangers dangerous speculation is deserving of welcome. sional thief.

duced a new idea when he announced ray, Rector. his intention to resign next December, unless his health improved. He cannot expect to be very sick during the present year.

It pains us to learn that the financial editor of the London Times prereach a little of it.

Spain is hard to please. It kicking about the inaction of Gen. er's delight in the garnishment of its Weyler when that doughty soldier is language. tearing up and down a little enclosissuing a daily bulletin announcing the collapse of the rebellion. Incapable Weyler may be, and doubtless is, but inactive, never!

HON. FRED A. ROBBINS IN ALBANY.

There has been considerable talk as to whether Hon. Fred A. Robbins, who was elected last fall as an Independent Republican in this county, would be allowed to go into caucus ? with Republicans. Before the caucus, however, he talked freely on the subject with brother members. He

"I am a Republican, and can see no reason why I should not sit in the caucus. I shall go tonight and expect to be admitted, the same as every other Republican member of the As-If my name is not on the roll, I simply shall make a statement | and leave the caucus, because it will will still be a Republican. I came here to represent my district as a Republican, and intend to go to the caucus with my fellow-Republicans, and will abide by any caucus decision on all party questions made such by caucus action. There were some differences in my district over the election of the Assemblyman, at the last election, but there is no intention on my part to bring those differences to Albany. I am not a factionist, but a Republican, and shall act as a Re- MAIN STREET. publican during the session."

It is unnecessary to add that Mr. Robbins was present at the caucus, and no questions were raised as to bell. his presence.

One of the fads of the year past in the rewspaper business was illustration, but we notice that a great many papers which undertook to print pictureswhich were of no value either as news or art—are wisely giving up the attempt. It takes special presses and the lishment to do this thing well. That is one reason why The Illustrated Buffalo Express succeeds where others fail. has facilities nossessed by no other newspaper in the country. As a result, it leads the press today, both for the art and the news value of its illustrations. its every issue is a veritable magazine of good things.

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Where Citizens and Strangers May Attend, Divine Worship. PRESBYTERIAN. Morning service, Sunday, at 10:30;

Morning service, Sunday, at 10:30; only equaled by its power to afford in-Sabbath-school at 12 m.; Mission Band stantaneous relief. Benedict & Van at 3:00: Society of Christian Endeavor Noy. lat 6:00, and preaching service at 7:0. p. m. Strangers particularly invited. Rev. G. M. Janes, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Preaching service, Sunday morning, Ex-Senator Ingalls will also make at 10:30; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Junior ing at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Thursday evenings. Rev. W.B. Wago-

esting and helpful.

BAPTIST. Sunday, 10:30 a. m., preaching; Sunration committeemen are getting day-school at 12 m.; Junior Y. P. S. C themselves into hot water by propos- E. at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6, and ing to actually spend the guarantee preaching at 7 p.m. Prayer meeting f Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. Rev. V. L. Eggleston, Pastor.

Subject at the Baptist church, Sun-, day morning, "The fight of Faith." Music by the male quartet. Evening, patriotic service, and singing by the

greater punishment than the profes- CHURCH OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT. Mass every Sunday morning, at 10:30; Landay morning, at 10:30; Rosary and Benediction of Blessed Sa-Gov. Bradley, of Kentucky, introgramment at 7:30 p.m. Rev. T. A. Mur-Ladies' are invited to examine our

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST. Prayer and conference meeting Friday evening, at 7:00 o'clock. Preach- EARTHEN AND STONEWARE. ling service, Saturday, at 11 a.m.: Sab-) bath-school following. The Y. P. S. C. We also have the largest and finest E. occupies the Sabbath-school hour on the last Sabbath of each month.

dicts that money will be scarce and It is one thing to get the news and high all this year. We hope he is another to present it in readable form. Banjo and Violin strings. A specialty mistaken, because if money gets any The Buffalo Express does both. It is of the celebrated Stratton string scarcer and higher than it has been never scooped on important news items, our arms are likely to be stretched poraries. At the same time, the news out of all proportion by our efforts to pages of the Express are as interesting Patent Medicines, Drugs, etc., at prices as one of Kipling's stories. The men that will take your breath away. who write for that newspaper, judged by their productions, are worthy of is high literary rank, and the zest of reading the news is increased by the read-

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Every lady, when she buys a Corset, wants a good The Sunflower has been thoroughly tested and every in town. We are also headquarters for who has ever worn one speaks in the highest terms of its fect fit and durability. Ask your neighbor how they Anything you wish for on our 5c and Every one guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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No matter how rich you are or how poor and saving, afford to wear brass jewelry. Better go without if you

a little genuine gold or silver. We have a large amount of plated ware which must be so graving free.

We also carry a large line of Guns, Amunition, which must be sold regardless of cost. Cleaning and repairing a specialty and the price is 11gin

The cold wave is here. Joseph Woodbury, of Hornellsville, was in town today.

Rev. Father McFeeley returned to his home in New York Monday night. Mrs. David Davis and Miss Wilma | Wright were in Salamanca last Satur. |

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PROMPT DELIVERY...

Mrs. Mary Lewis, of Friendship, visited friends and relatives in town DRY GOODS.

during the past week. Mr and Mrs. Dell Green, of Alfred, Very best outing flannels, were guests of the family of D. D. Indigo blue calico, -Remington yesterday.

spend Sunday in Cuba with their daugh. Boys' mufflers, ter, Mrs A. E. Underwood. At Prest's Opera House, Jan. 27th, Special mark-down in shawls. the Cecilian Club will give the next

Livermore, Prop., entertainment of the course. When you get the best of a bargain, it's cunning; but when the other fellow

gets the best of it, it's cheating. BIPPOWS, Banker. are informed, is slowly improving, but he is still unable to go out of doors.

Mrs. S. D. West. of Cleveland, Ohio, Davis, and sister, Mrs. D. J. Comstock. James Pardon has moved his housewhich transacts a general bank- hold goods to New York, where he is

engaged in the produce business. Europe, and gives prompt at- family will remain here a few weeks. ento all business at lowest rates. Mrs. D. J. Comstock was summoned to Cleveland last Wednesday by the serious illness of her nephew, Ralph Moore, who died about an hour before her arrival.

> It is expected that Rev. Stephen Bur. dick, the pastor-elect of the Seventh. day Baptist Church in this village, will' be here and preach in that church next Saturday morning.

> If you can arouse curiosity by an advertisement it is a great point gained. The fair sex don't hold all the curiosity in the world. First catch the eye, then appeal to the reason.

Mrs. D. B. Spaulding had a severe attack of heart trouble Tuesday morning, and when found was unconscious, We are glad to announce that she is on Bassett, of Alfred, was in town the gain at this writing.

The next entertainment in the course ' L. Williams had business in Wells- will be given by the Cecilian Club Jan. Monday.

Cecilian Club at Prest's Opera

Wreck of the Hesperus."

27th. It will consist of Jean Ingelow's Central - Drug - Store,

Wreck of the Hesperus."

- Married, at the Seventh-day Baptist parsonage, in Independence, N. Y., Jan. 7th, 1897, by Rev. W. L. Burdick, Mr. Robert O. Mingus of Independence,' and Miss Myrtle Preston of Andover

A Sullivan has gone to Elmira to We are glad that Cashier J. M. Brundage, who has been confined to his Helen Sullivan is spending a few house for the past two weeks or more, is able to take his position in the Bank

Town meeting will soon be with us. As there is no supervisor, town clerk or highway commissioner to elect, the in I Miles Livermore visited terest in the approaching election centpendence Sunday and Monday. | ters around the question of license (

the Presbyterian church last Sunday andidates for village officers have Evangelical Alliance. Rev. W. H But they will in due! Wagoner, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, preached an able and instructdertha and A. Leah Smith, of live sermon.

A. B. Richardson, one day last week, in taking a duster from a nail, in some of FA will buy a good heavy ladies' black! way the hook on the end of the handle | \$0.00 coat, new this season. to spend the winter at came in contact with his eye, cutting the eye lid which necessitated the tak- jackets will be sold regardless of for-A Whiteman, of Richburg, is in ing of two or three stitches. He now mer prices. A the interest of the Harold Oil carries his eye in a sling.

The reception and dance to be given A fishing law permits fishing by the Philharmonics at Prest's Opera Arien from January 1st to House, Friday evening, Jan. 22d, promises to be the social event of the seawinget that the next entertain. son. Merriman's Orchestra of Horthe course will be given at nellsville will furnish the music. Tick-

The Mission at the Church of the CANADIAN HARDblar b. D. Dealy, has re- Blessed Sacrament, held every day and WOOD the home in Meadville, Pa. evening of last week. was interesting BEST QUALITY—MOST FOR YOUR MONEY A Saturday evening on "Why well attended. The services consisted G. STEVENS ONTARIO, CANADA. williams has a new advertise. Who can think the Blessed Sacrament, sermons and the Blessed Sacrament and the Blessed Sacrame

tily L. Kniskern, of Deposit, of New York. The Hawthorne Club, advertised two weeks ago to meet with Mrs. Frank S. n school commissioner for Clark, and postponed on account of the Norton, Surrogate of Allegany county, notice district of Broome county illness of Mrs. Clark, will meet with Mrs. Ella Bundy next Monday evening, lagainst Hamilton C. Norris, late of the town trade, build up your The following is the programme: Quo- sent the same, with proper vouchers thereof who builds up your town fact about the French Revolution: ary 15th, 1897. e valuation of your questions and

French Trates, by Ella Bundy.

This Grocery List Bears Reputa-

tion this Week.

Big Gun coffee equals any 35c coffee on the mar-

Good canned corn,

1000 parlor matches.

All best brands of soda,

Good fine cut tobacco

Good soap,

Rolled oats.

Good green tea,

Jolly Jack plug tobacco per pound.

ket and it costs you but 28c. Try it.

SUNBURST of beautiful embroideries came yesterday. Edgings, insertions and allovers. But we bought too many, they were so tempting. Therefore we make a special season is over, and none of the ticklers embroidery sale to last till the 23d. Prices from 2c up.

In telling you what's going on through the store we could easily fill the space with Miss Wilma Wright goes to Cleve boasting words in big type. But long stories are waste of time. Life is short. Words land, Ohio, tomorrow, to visit friends weary. Prices interest. These last till the next issue of the "News:"

Very best calico, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Wagoner will Good sheeting, Regular 50c blue overalls. Underwear cheaper than ever

OF INTEREST TO MEN.

New styles in caps which arrived this week. Warm gloves and mittens at unusual. prices. Felt boots, knit boots, lumberman's socks. Snag overs to fit them all. The health of Dr. E. M. Stillman, we neighbor how snag overs wear, then you will come here and get them.

Golden Brand Canned Goods, put up by the Wm. McKinley Packing Co., are the purest and finest flavored goods packed. We have the sale of them here and keep on hand s visiting her mother, Mrs. David corn, June peas, pumpkin, cream succofash and tomatoes. Try this brand.

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that he has to say every week. instructions, daily public prayers, etc., write John wedlers instructions of the Rev. Father McFeeley and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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will buy a ladies' double cape, upper cape trimmed Lots of CLOTHING these days. We have put the knife into the whole stock, up to the very handle, and it has caused Bring in that boy and let us dress him up.

MRS. G. OLIVEY, SUITS and OVERCORTS

ASHES all going, and our prices, we know,

towns take care of tations about New Year; two facts to W. W. Miller, at his residence, in the vil-