### OIL MARKET.

Wellsville, N. Y., June 18, 1900.

Following are the quotations for credit balances at Joseph Seep's agency in Wellsville at noon to-day:

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| Plows | $1 40 |
| Washingtonia | 1 35 |
| Barnsville | 1 08 |
| Corning | 1 00 |
| New Castle | 90 |
| North Lima | 90 |
| South Lima | 90 |
| Cadiz | 90 |

### ANDOVER PERSONALS.

**This Pleasant Sure to see 'One's Name in Print.—Byron**

Clark Richardson was in Olean Monday.

Crayton L. Earley had business in Wellsville Friday.

Floyd Vars and Geo. Barrett were in Alfred Sunday.

Mrs. V. L. Eggleston visited Steuben Sanitarium Monday.

Mrs. M. Potter visited the family of E. A. Stearns last week.

Olin Pingrey and Miss Ethel Proper drove over to Alfred Sunday.

Mrs. Rachel Burdick of Alfred Station was in Andover Tuesday.

Tim. Regan went to Salem, Mass., Thursday, to attend the funeral of an aunt.

Mrs. Helen Bebee and Miss Agnes Trainer had business in Wellsville Monday.

Miss Florence Bassett is stopping a while at T. R. Bassett's at Independence.

Miss Fannie Ensworth of Salamanca is visiting Mrs. Cunningham and other friends.

Jackson O'Dell started for Corning Wednesday, where he will visit friends for a week.

Mrs. C. L. Earley passed most of last week with relatives and friends in and around Belfast.

Park Rogers and Miss Mabel Bassett were over to Richburg and Little Genesee last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Wagoner left to-day for a few days visit with her youngest son, Joseph, near Bradford, Pa.

Mrs. A. E. Underwood left to-day for her home in Coudersport, Pa., by way of Cuba and Franklinville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Swarts were called to Dunkirk Thursday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Swarts' sister.

Miss Sylvia J. Hardy is taking guitar lessons of Mrs. E. B. Robertson at the Wellsville Musical Conservatory.

Al. Chubb, Mrs. A. W. Sherwood and daughter Emma of Michigan, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frisbey.

Walter Lanphear of this village, State Boiler Inspector, was looking after some of the Alfred boilers Friday.

T. K. Regan, Erie depot agent at Sheridan, is home this week, with a pleasant smile for all his old Andover friends.

E. W. Kemp of East Sharon, Pa., visited at his daughter's, Mrs. John Porter, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Miss Fannie Spaulding started for Washington, D. C., Friday, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hood of Belmont have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Laughlen and other relatives the past week.

Rev. Wm. Trowbridge of Whitesville will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening, in the absence of the pastor.

Rev. Stephen Burdick and seven others from this village attended the Seventh-day Baptist Association at Little Genesee the past week.

Miss Cora E. Deming left last Wednesday for Niagara Falls, where she has a lucrative position as stenographer with Geo. W. Knox, an attorney of that place.

Charles B. Lever, James O'Leary, Henry Horan, D. K. Porter and Wm. Church started Friday for Buffalo, where they will see the sights and do the town for several days.

Mrs. Joseph Baker of Eleven Mile, Pa., visited relatives in Andover. She and her aunt, Mrs. John Porter, went to Hornellsville Wednesday, to visit relatives, returning Friday.

Mrs. Clara Titsworth of Plainfield, N. J., Mrs. E. Cottrell, Mrs. S. G. and Mrs. W. R. Crandall of Independence, and Mrs. G. W. Probasco of Andover were entertained at Mrs. R. Hardy's one day last week.

Among the seventeen from this village attending the Baptist Association at Whitesville last week were Rev. V. L. Eggleston, Mrs. A. M. Burrows, Mrs. Ella Hann, Miss Minnie Clair, B. S. Brundage, E. D. Baker and others.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thompson, A. B. Burrows and Miss Emily Barney started Tuesday for the wilds of Pennsylvania for their annual vacation on the Nine Mile, where they will indulge in the popular amusement of fishing.

"After suffering from severe dyspepsia over twelve years and using many remedies without permanent good I finally took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much good I recommend it to every one" writes J. E. Watkins, Clerk and Recorder, Chillicothe, Mo. It digests what you eat. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

### BARGAIN AND WANT COLUMN.

Hats are going fast. Get one now at Mrs. Mourhess'.

Bring your pelts, hides and tallow to Shults' market and get the cash. tf

**For Sale.**

A Kozy Camera, with directions for loading and use. Inquire at this office.

Summer corsets, short and long, high and low, at Mrs. Mourhess'.

For Sale—Lot on corner of Second St. and Maple Ave. P. M. Swink.

For Sale, a first-class Ideal Deering mowing machine. Good as new. Inquire of H. C. Coleman.

Breing's Ready Mixed oil paint at Atwood's. $1 per gallon.

Save your coupons and get a dish at Mr. Mourhess'.

Found, a bay mare, branded on the left shoulder. Inquire at this office.

Atwood is closing out his stock of Breing's Ready Mixed paint at 15 per cent. less than wholesale cost.

Now is the time to get that best hat at Mrs. Mourhess'.

On Saturday, June 16th, at 1 p. m., at Ackley House barn, Wellsville, work and driving horses, harness, wagons, carriages and cattle will be sold at public auction. Usual terms.

Three cents a pound cash paid for old rubber at E. J. Atwood's hardware store. 50tf

FOR SERVICE.—A thoroughbred Holstein bull. Fee $1. R. HARDY.

**Notice.**

Having concluded to dissolve partnership, all persons owing us must call and settle all accounts before July 1, 1900.

DRISCOLL & HYLAND.

**Excursion Rates to Merchants' Carnival, and Elks Street Fair at Olean via Erie Railroad.**

The greatest Fair of the kind will be held at Olean June 11th to 16th, and will include a number or free attractions. It will be a great week for Olean. Novel and striking features which will both entertain and instruct all who may have the opportunity of seeing them. Some of the attractions which have been procured are: Madame Russell's thrilling side of life, high dives of man and beast, fire works display, streets of Cairo, Filipino village, Japanese and American theater, Gipsy camp, a mammoth animal show, Turkish dancers, etc. See small hand bills, or Erie agents for further information.

**Full Price For The Empty Bottle.**

If Cleveland's Lung Healer doesn't cure your cough, return the empty bottle and get all your money back. But it will cure you. It has cured thousands of cases which other remedies failed to relieve in the slightest. We will give you a trial bottle of this wonderful remedy free. Large bottles 25c. L. A. Burrows. 1

**"Don't Be Cross."**

There is no occasion to be so when you travel via the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway. A journey on this picturesque and perfect route never becomes wearisome. Its route traverses the most beautiful portion of the Middle States, and its cars are so roomy and comfortable and its roadbed so well laid, that should the traveler tire of watching the scenery she may read or sleep with rest and comfort. Ladies especially, who usually find a journey irksome, should be sure to buy tickets via the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway.

J. Q. Hood, Justice of the Peace, Crosby, Miss., makes the following statement: "I can certify that One Minute Cough Cure will do all that is claimed for it. My wife could not get her breath and the first dose of it relieved her. It has also benefited my whole family." It acts immediately and cures coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, asthma and all throat and lung troubles. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

**Gas Consumers, Notice.**

We desire to notify our customers that we intend, commencing Oct. 1st, 1900, to change to the Meter System in the sale of gas, and that we shall make no contracts from the above date either by yearly or regular monthly rates.

Gas consumers who are connected to our lines at present, and all others who may use gas in the future, are to conform to the above. Meters will be loaned by us upon the receipt of $5 deposited in advance. This deposit will be refunded at any time the consumer discontinues the use of gas and returns to us the meter in good condition, together with the meter deposit certificate so issued for the same.

The price of gas will be 25 cents per thousand cubic feet, subject to a discount of 10 per cent, if paid for on, or before the 10th of the month following the meter reading.

Now, in order to take advantage of the summer use of metered gas, the company wish to state to the customers who have a yearly rate and whose contracts as yet have not expired, that they may avail themselves of the same privilege as our regular monthly customers, and connect by meter at once.

We consider that it is the only fair and equitable way of using gas, for in this way you can connect as many stoves or lights as you desire, regardless of the size of the mixer used, and pay for them only when in use.

By the adoption of the meter system, we look forward in giving you an even better service than in the past.

MUTUAL GAS CO., LTD.,
per W. J. Penny, President.

J. C. Kennedy, Roanake, Tenn., says: "I cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. One box of it cured what the doctors called an incurable ulcer on my jaw." Cures piles and all skin diseases. Look out for worthless imitations. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

**Dissolution of Partnership.**

The copartnership heretofore existing between H. P. Benton and Henry Stephens is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and our entire stock of lumber, shingles and coal, and also our coal and lumber sheds, are for sale.

All parties indebted to us are earnestly requested to call and settle within the next thirty days.

Dated at Andover, N. Y., this 12th day of May, 1900.

tf H. P. BENTON,
HENRY STEPHENS.

You may as well expect to run a steam engine without water as to find an active, energetic man with a torpid liver, and you may know that his liver is torpid when he does not relish his food, or feels dull and languid after eating, often has headache and sometimes dizziness. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will restore his liver to its normal functions, renew his vitality, improve his digestion and make him feel like a new man. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at the drug stores of Benedict & Van Noy, Andover, and N. E. Coston, at Greenwood.

E. J. Atwood sells the paint that wears twice as long as lead and oil—Devoe lead and zinc, ground by machinery. 21feb4m

**A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured.**

"At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va. "After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and am pleased to say that relief came as soon as I began its use and a complete cure speedily followed." Sold by Benedict & Van Noy, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

**A Monster Devil Fish**

Destroying its victim, is a type of constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Only 25 cents, at L. A. Burrows, and by other druggists.

**Church Notices.**

Children's-day exercises will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday morning.

Union service will be held next Sunday evening in the M. E. church, Rev. Wm. Trowbridge preaching the sermon.

Services in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 10:30; Sunday-school at 12; Mission Band at 5:30; and Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

**Your Nerves Will Kill You**

If you neglect them. Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea is an immediate and permanent cure for nervous prostration, constipation, indigestion and all the diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys. We will give you a trial package free. Large packages, 25 cents. L. A. Burrows. 1

### TIP TOP.

Mrs. G. N. Martin returned home from the Hornellsville Sanitarium Monday evening on train 1, much improved in health. Her complete recovery is looked for soon.

G. N. Martin and B. S. Baker were in Hornellsville last Thursday on business.

F. M. Lee was in Wellsville last Saturday on business.

Eddie Green was home last Saturday.

Mrs. B. S. Baker does not seem to improve in health much yet.

We understand that Clate puts on the overalls and helps milk the Jerseys once in a while.

Editor J. H. Backus and Mark Houghtling wheeled by on their way to Hornellsville last Saturday. [Guess again Brother.—Ed.]

Miss Mary Whitford will close a very successful year of school next Friday. It is hoped by her many friends that she will return another year.

Miss Edith Rogers, Miss Julia Barrett and Floyd C. Brundage wheeled up to Tip Top Saturday afternoon and were guests of Miss Mabel Lee and Joe Kelly.

J. H. Kelly has gone to Hornellsville to work in VF office again, and will be gone about 10 days.

M. F. Baker and J. M. Lewis have changed offices. Lewis has gone to VM and Baker to JX tower, Belvidere.

Miss Marie Langworthy was calling on her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Burdick, last Saturday.

Bert Langworthy was home over the Saturday.

Jack Lynch has a bran new blacksmith shop all completed now, and is ready for business.

Alfred Dodge was visiting his brother Will last Friday.

B. S. Baker was at Belvidere Sunday visiting his son Merle.

Willie McOmber, wife and daughter Marjorie of Plum Bottom were visiting Mrs. McOmber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lusk, and other friends Saturday and Sunday.

Melvin E. Clair was visiting friends at Tip Top Sunday.

Miss Bessie Clair has returned to help take care of Mrs. B. S. Baker.

Dura Martin of Alfred, father of G. N. and F. E. Martin, is very sick.

Operator H. M. Frank of Salamanca is working at OP tower in place of Joe Kelly.

N. M. Lanphear and W. E. Baker were in Alfred Monday on business.

Melvin Clair has a very bad hand caused by a boil. He has been laid up about two weeks, but is some better at present.

N. M. Lanphear and wife were visiting friends at Alfred Sunday.

**Allegany County Public School Teachers—Attention.**

A union excursion has been suggested of all the county schools to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, to take place just after close of schools. There is no question but that such a delightful outing would afford the much needed recreation. The excursion fares are so extremely low that the item of expense need hardly enter into the question, with half fare for children. The undersigned would be pleased to hear from any and all teachers with regard to this affair, and all inquirers will receive prompt replies. Send in your communications. J. O. Prescott, Excursion Manager, Erie Railroad Company, Buffalo, N. Y.

Call at the drug store of Benedict & Van Noy, at Andover, or at N. E. Coston's, Greenwood, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are an elegant physic. They also improve the appetite, strengthen the digestion and regulate the liver and bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

Mrs. Nettie Goodwin will have her millinery shop open every Wednesday and Saturday and sell goods below cost. Call and see her. 40-2t

W. S. Musser, Millheim, Pa., saved the life of his little girl by giving her One Minute Cough Cure when she was dying from croup. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It quickly cures croup, colds, bronchitis, grip, asthma and all throat and lung troubles. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

### LEGALS.

**Notice to Creditors.**

IN pursuance of an order made by Hon. S. M. Norton, Allegany County Judge, on the 8th day of January, 1900, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against the estate of Uriah Davis, deceased, late of the town of Andover, county of Allegany, state of New York, that they are required to present their claims with the vouchers therefor duly verified, to the subscriber, at the office of Van Fleet & Phillips, in the village of Andover, county of Allegany, and state of New York, on or before the 23 day of July, 1900.

Dated Andover, N. Y., January 6, 1900.

LEWIS E. DAVIS, Administrator.
VAN FLEET & PHILLIPS,
Attorneys for Administrator.

**Notice to Creditors.**

IN pursuance of an order made by Hon. S. M. Norton, Allegany County Judge, on the 6th day of April, 1900, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against the estate of George Spaulding, deceased, late of the town of Amity, county of Allegany, state of New York, that they are required to present their claims with the vouchers therefor duly verified to the subscriber, at the office of Van Fleet & Phillips, in the village of Andover, county of Allegany, and state of New York, on or before the 18th day of October, 1900.

Dated Andover, N. Y., April 11, 1900.

ORANGE SMITH, Executor.
VAN FLEET & PHILLIPS,
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Stock never so large, patterns exceptionally fine, fresh additions nearly every day.

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This store is the Mecca of those who love artistic effects and are able to appreciate genuine luxury and beauty. Many homes own their elegance to our efforts. Our carpet department has had a steady and remarkable growth, but the past year has brought a most noticeable improvement. In our new store this department occupies the front portion of Metropolitan Hall and it is to-day the largest and most complete stock in western New York.

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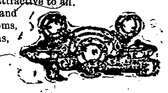
One of the most luxurious and pleasing of all presents that could be bestowed upon a bride, and in this we lead, for we manufacture our own and can guarantee their construction in every respect, and can save them the middleman's profit besides freight and cartage. The dining-room is the room which is the most pleasing to the groom, with its handsome China Cabinet filled with the beautiful dishes, and with the unique Buffet handsomely carved, dining chairs and massive table, it is made the most attractive to all.

We invite you all to call and see our furnished rooms, which are furnished with up-to-date designs, unique patterns, and at low prices.



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**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

CITIZEN'S HOSE CO. NO. 1.—Robert L. O'Donnell Foreman, John E. Cannon Assistant Foreman, C. B. Lever President, L. A. Burrows Secretary.

**CHURCHES.**

BAPTIST.—Rev. V. L. Eggleston, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11:45; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Thursday evenings prayer meeting of the church.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. W. B. Wagoner, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Junior League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:30. Prayer meetings Thursday evenings of each week.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. G. M. Janes, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 12 m.; Mission Band at 5:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

BLESSED SACRAMENT, ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. T. A. Murray, Pastor. Masses at 8 and 10:30 Sunday morning.

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST.—Rev. Stephen Burdick, pastor. Preaching every Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Sabbath-school following. Junior Endeavor 2 p. m.; Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m. Prayer meetings Friday evenings.

**SOCIETIES.**

Mutual Tent, No. 18, K. O. T. M., meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month. Benj. S. Brundage, Commander; Tim Hyland, R. K.

Maple Grove Hive, No. 188, L. O. T. M., meets second and fourth Saturday evenings of each month. Belle Gallagher, Lady Commander; Dell Rollins, Record Keeper.

Andover Lodge, No. 558, F. & A. M., meets first and third Monday of each month. E. F. Stearns, W. M.; B. S. Brundage, Secretary.

Andover Lodge, No. 786, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. L. A. Burrows, Noble Grand; J. H. Backus, Secretary.

Edward Seaman Post, No. 481, G. A. R., meets first and third Saturday evening of each month. T. N. Boyd, Com.; E. R. Carpenter, Adjutant.

Woman's Relief Corps meets first and third Saturday evening of each month. Mrs. Flora L. Mosher, President; Mrs. M. Fowler, Secretary.

Andover W. C. T. U. meets first and third Thursday afternoon. Mrs. H. C. Coleman, President; Mrs. E. Everett, Secretary.

Catholic Mutual Benefit Association meets the first and third Monday evening of each month. John Casey, President; F. W. Corran, Rec. Sec.

Andover Lodge, No. 320, I. O. G. T., meets every Monday evening. J. M. Mosher, C. T.; Harry Smith, Secretary.

Andover Legion, No. 368, N. P. L., meets every Thursday evening. O. H. Vars, President; Mrs. O. H. Vars, Secretary.

West Greenwood Grange, No. 855, meets on the second Tuesday of each month. J. E. Redmond, Master; J. K. Miller, Secretary.

**LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.**

Andover Free Library, open every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 5, and Saturday evenings from 7 to 10. The Reading Room is open to all every evening from 7 to 10, and on Sunday afternoons from 2 to 5.


The easiest and most effective method of purifying the blood and invigorating the system is to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for cleansing the liver and bowels. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.



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In the Grocery line we have everything in canned goods usually kept at a first-class grocery. A full line of teas, coffees, tobacco, cigars, pipes, confectionery, Etc. Land plaster and Paris Green.

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## H. H. WILLIAMS.


**Business Men Easy Marks.**

Baldwinsville Gazette.

It seems business men in other towns than Baldwinsville are considered easy by the masses. When the boys organize a base ball team here they expect the business men to furnish suits, gloves, balls and bats, and also pay an admission fee to see the game. In foot ball and all other sports it's the same way. The fellows who have the fun expect the business men to pay for their outfit. In the days when these business men were boys they would no more have thought of going to the men who were doing business and asking for contributions than they would now of passing the hat to pay the cost of a trip to the Paris Exposition. When a business man gets a vacation he has to foot the bills, but in line with the present prevailing practice he should pass the hat to defray his expenses. It seems to be the proper caper nowa-days to let some one else pay for your fun. In the old days the man who danced paid the piper, but now whenever the boys want to have some fun they say: "Let's get the business men to pay the bills!" Other towns have similar experiences, the Cortland Democrat recently having this to say upon the subject:

"An endless chain of peddlers and traveling agents infest every railroad village in this State, especially at this season of the year. They keep door bells hot in every town. Freeze out these peddlers. Give them the mortible heart and patronize your home merchants who pay taxes and rent, help support the schools, churches and newspapers. When you patronize a peddler just show him a subscription list and invite him to sign his name for a dollar for your church society or a needy family on your street. Your request would be regarded so singular that the peddler you have just patronized would think you demented. Yet, after buying his wares and giving spot cash, you some times take the same list to the home of a merchant and expect him to place his name thereon. Let peddlers alone and pay cash to the local merchants."

The Fulton Patriot says:

"In a recent issue of the Phœnix Press is an article on the subject of the graduatiug class of the Phœnix High school sending out of town for their badges, that could have been procured through a local dealer at a lower figure: and sending to Albany to have their invitations to commencement exercises printed, that could have been done at home."

"We are pleased to see Editor Ketcheson register an objection to this one-sided style of attempting to do business. They will come around regular with their notices, which are printed for them freely, and then when they have a small job of printing they will spend half a day in running around to see who will do it the cheapest—or possibly they will ask if the paper cannot afford to do the job and contribute toward the success of the entertainment. Then there are others who will come in and ask for unlimited free notices of some entertainment, and go out and blackmail the merchants with an advertising program scheme—that is not worth a cent to the advertiser—thus cutting in on the advertising resources of the papers that have advertised their entertainment without charge. It is heads I win and tails you lose game, and it is played every week in the year. The newspaper men are responsible for its existence. If they will get together and agree—and then be honest with each other—they can soon put a stop to this one-sided, unfair style of reciprocity that doesn't reciprocate."

The Gazette has little complaint to make of business going out of town, but it does find about all the other kinds of people. There are people in this vicinity who will get you to print a half column obituary of some dear friend and then go among their neighbors and beg enough papers to send to absent friends, thereby preventing the printer from getting a cent in return for the labor involved in telling what a good fellow the deceased had always been. But what's the use of talking over our trials? If printers are willing to be imposed upon they can always find some one willing to do the job—so long as it doesn't cost anything. To get back to the original subject, an organization of four or five counties into an association, with a forfeit for violation of rules, would result in a printer getting money enough ahead to be buried decently without passing the hat among the business men.

### TIP TOP.

Misses Lena and Fannie Brundage visited at D. L. Langworthy's Saturday afternoon, and attended the school entertainment in the evening.

George Green and wife of Five Corners were visiting at Will Dodge's Saturday and Sunday.

W. H. Green and Miss Bessie Clair attended the Odd Fellow's Memorial services at Wellsville Sunday.

B. S. Baker and Jack Lynch were in Wellsville Saturday.

Miss Marie Langworthy was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Clarke, Sunday and Monday.

W. E. Baker attended the Odd Fellow's Memorial services at Wellsville Sunday.

Some theives broke into John Lusk's cellar Saturday night, taking eight dozen of eggs, some bread and other things.

Mrs. Emma Burdick and Mrs. M. A. Green were calling on Mrs. B. S. Baker Saturday afternoon.

D. L. Langworthy, wife and daughter Marie were calling at B. S. and W. E. Baker's last Thursday evening.

B. J. Baker was calling at Dell Clair's last Saturday.

Mrs. B. S. Baker is still confined to her bed.

A very fine entertainment was given by the teacher, Miss Mary Whitford, and school, Saturday evening. There was a full house.

F. M. Lee was in Wellsville last Thursday on business.

Miss Phœbe Burdick was calling on her neice, Mrs. B. S. Baker, one day last week.

Lee Baker is visiting her uncle, F. M. Lee, a few days.

**Baptist C. E. Officers Nominated.**

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Baptist Church last Wednesday night, the following officers were nominated for the next six months:

President, J. D. Cheesman
Vice President, Drexia Scott
Recording Secretary, B. S. Brundage
Assistant Recording Sec'y, Alta Baker
Treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Cheesman
Organist, Minnie A. Clair
Assistant Organist, Ethel Proper

The following were nominated as chairman of the various committees:

Prayer-meeting, Mrs. Genevieve Bronner
Lookout, Mrs. Ella Hann
Sunday-school, Mrs. Julia Clair
Program, Mrs. N. Perkins
Floral and Relief, Winifred Eggleston
Social, Mrs. Maud Prest
Junior Endeavor Work, Mrs. V. L. Eggleston
Good Literature and Information, John Boyd

**A Necktie Social.**

About fifty of the friends of Rev. L. C. Randolph of Alfred assembled at the home of Charles Leonard Tuesday evening of last week, to show their appreciation of his work at the White School-House by a donation in the form of a necktie social. The neckties was auctioneered off to the highest bidder, by Ed. Leonard, who is first-class at the business. The gentleman buying a tie had the pleasure of taking the lady who made it to supper. The proceeds from the sale of the ties, amounting to $10, was given to Mr. Randolph. Very fine music was rendered during the greater share of the evening by Mr. Randolph, accompanied by a male quartet from Alfred University. B.

**First-Class Entertainments.**

It is a very strange thing that the people of Andover do not seem to be able to distinguish, before an entertainment is presented, between a high-grade, really a first-class article, and the other kind that everybody feels ashamed to let others know they were in attendance at. When the Parker Concert Company came to Andover the first time they had a very small house, so small indeed that one felt lonesome while there, yet a ten cent medicine show would pack the house every time. The reason must be that the people cannot distinguish, by the advertisements, between the good and that not so good, for we have had different kinds of entertainments of high-class character, and they invariably are welcomed at their first appearance by empty seats. We cannot expect anything of merit to visit the town much longer if this thing is not stopped immediately. When the Parker Concert Company was here first we thought possibly the people did not appreciate a concert, readings and singing, but at their return we discovered they did; it was only the lack of inability to distinguish.

### ALFRED STATION.

Herbert Bardeen, wife and children of Richburg were here visiting friends for a few days.

Miss Vina Hemphill of Hebron, Pa., was called home last Thursday on account of her sister being very sick.

Ed. Pierce was home from Richburg for a few days.

Mrs. Will Scott and children and Mrs. Barton and son of Richburg arrived in town Monday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

The population is gaining quite rapidly since the census enumerator started out. R. C. Cook's folks are the happy possessors of a pair of twin girls and S. B. Stillman's folks a fine large boy.

H. C. Goodwin, wife and child of Hornellsville, Fred Palmiter and children and G. J. Palmiter were at F. B. Goodwin's Sunday.

Lewis Brownell of Hornellsville was at Geo. Wattrous' last Friday and Sunday. Their cousin, Allen Wilkins, of Hornellsville spent the day with them.

H. C. Keller has gone to Osceola, Pa., to work there in a station on the B. & S. Road for a few days.

Mrs. Betsey Emerson is building a new barn this summer. It was raised Monday.

Wool sold this week for 21 cents per pound here.

**Got Your Money's Worth.**

Every one want to spend the Fourth of July where they can get the most for their money. Hornellsville is that place. The program arranged for the big celebration there offers more new, novel and original features than have ever been given the public upon such an occasion. There will be something to amuse the people from early morning until late at night. Go to Hornellsville for the Fourth and put in a day of unalloyed pleasure. Excursion rates on all railroads.

**Reading Room Patrons, Attention.**

At a meeting of the trustees of the Public Library, June 15th, it was voted to close the Reading Room during the summer evenings until the 1st of September. The Library will be open for the loaning of books Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons, and Saturday evening from 7 to 10 o'clock.

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