OIL MARKET.

Wellsville, N. Y., Aug. 30, 1900.

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

Thorn	1 35
Pennsylvania	1 35
Bradfordville	1 05
Corning	1 00
New Castle	1 00
North Lima	1 00
South Lima	1 00
Indiana	1 00

ANDOVER PERSONALS.

'Tis Pleasant Sure to See One's Name in Print.—Byron.

Ed. O'Malley of Cuba was doing business in Andover Monday.

E. A. Stearns and family attended a reunion out of town last week.

Miss Alta Baker has been visiting friends in Alfred the past week.

Meldrid Wood of Wellsville is a guest of the family of Cal. Wood.

Jesse S. Phillips returned home Monday morning from his vacation.

Bert Austin of Coudersport, Pa., was in Andover Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. B. S. Brundage and child are with friends in Buffalo for a few days.

W. B. Bundy and wife returned from Chautauqua Monday evening.

Glenn R. Miner of Canisteo was visiting friends in Andover last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Abrams of Wayland are visiting at the home of Isaac Smith.

Park Rogers started for Elmer, Pa., Monday, where he has a position as driller.

Dewert Young of Hornellsville passed a week with his aunt, Mrs. C. S. Hann.

Hamilton Cochrane of Alden is visiting his sons, Charles and John, for a few weeks.

Miss Ethel Benjamin of Almond was a guest of Miss Ina Hann a few days last week.

John Swain of Canaseraga unloaded from train 29 Monday as smiling and clever as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Potter of Independence were guests at the home of Frank Potter Thursday.

Michael Maguire of Hornellsville was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Whiting, this week.

Mrs Chas. Cochrane returned Monday from Rochester, where she has been the guest of relatives.

Schuyler Whitford and sister Bertha of Alfred Station were guests of Andover relatives Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hale, living near Rochester, old acquaintances, visited at Ed. Everett's Monday night.

Mrs. F. R. Hincher and daughter Carolyn have returned from their two weeks outing and Frank is happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Hunt and daughter Ruby of Belfast were guests at Henry Stephens' the first of the week.

Miss Retta Wiles of Fillmore is at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Robinson for a few weeks.

Matthew Karr of Almond came to Andover Monday after a wood planer that he is placing in his mill up Karr Valley.

H. A. Benedict and Frank Potter went over a few of the local telephone lines last week, inspecting and repairing.

Chas. Campbell of Worcester, Mass., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davis, he being a cousin of Mrs. Davis.

The Misses Grace and Agnes Ingley of Honeoye, Pa., are being entertained by relatives and friends in Andover and vicinity.

Rev. A. E. Waffle, pastor of the Baptist church of Albion, N. Y., and his mother of Elm Valley, were in town Sunday.

Herbert Hoyt, who has been working in A. I. Ray's barber-shop several weeks, is now working for his uncle in Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bloss and little son of Alfred were visiting Mrs. Bloss' brother and family, L. D. Broner, Thursday.

Ed. Donaldson and family were called to Alfred the first of the week on account of the illness of Mr. Donaldson's mother.

Misses Ida Dodge and Alice Davidson and William Pingrey visited in Greenwood last Monday, at the home of P. E. Stephens.

Robt. Brundage is visiting relatives in Hornellsville.

Misses Anna and Elizabeth Sullivan of Genesee, Pa., are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Catlin, a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Crandall started Tuesday for the Toronto fair. They will be gone until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davis returned Thursday night from a three weeks visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. S. Clark, at Mosiertown, Pa.

Miss Lois Ingalls, from the Steuben Sanitarium, Hornellsville, visited her aunt, Mrs. Jesse Hunt, and other friends in Andover, Sunday.

F. W. Potter and Geo. Mead went over to Almond Sunday and jollied up a few friends, making their headquarters at Horace Stillman's.

Miss Irene Redell, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wood for a couple of weeks, returned to her home in Buffalo last Saturday.

L. L. Pingrey of Friendship and Reuben Moses of Cuba were guests at the homes of Loren Pingrey and Elmer Kaple Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Richardson and Mrs. F. A. Richardson and two children are visiting at Gainesville, where their relatives are as thick as sand on a beach.

Frank Cannon is taking a fortnight's vacation with relatives in and around Buffalo. He will visit Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Dunkirk before returning.

Miss Ida Dodge of Friendship and Miss Alice Davidson of Bolivar returned home Tuesday, after visiting a few days at the home of Loren Pingrey.

Mrs. A. McKenzie and son, Vinson, of Washington, D. C., who have been guests at D. B. Spaulding's for a couple of weeks, returned to their home last Friday.

Harry Smith started Monday morning on train 6 for Ithaca, where he will attend the I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge there this week, as delegate from Andover Lodge, No. 820.

Miss Anna Muller of Chicago, who has been visiting the family of Henry Horan for several weeks, started for home Monday on train 8. She will stop at Cleveland for a few days.

G. E. Mead returned home from the Philippine Islands Tuesday. He has been at work for Uncle Sam, fighting the Filippinos. He doesn't think much of the islands or the natives.

Mrs. Ella Bundy returned a few days ago from a four weeks outing; the first two weeks being spent at Chautauqua, the last two in Cleveland, Ohio, returning from there to Buffalo by boat.

Geo. Youngs was in attendance last Monday at the Exempt Firemen's Convention held at Elmira. Mr. Youngs says the boys always have a fine time at these gatherings. He has been in attendance at several in years past.

Mrs. Varnum Hall of East Valley and Earl Jane of Webster were visiting Mrs. Hall's daughter, Mrs. G. B. Proper, one day last week. We are glad that Mrs. Hall has so far recovered from a broken hip received several months ago, as to be able to visit her Andover friends again.

Capt. J. A. Travis and wife, and their friends, Mrs. Elizabeth Richmond and Albert Barton of Dallas Centre, Iowa, returned from Chautauqua Lake Saturday night. Mrs. Travis and her cousin, Mr. Barton, will visit friends in the east for a few weeks, while Andover people will have the pleasure of entertaining Mr. Travis in the meantime.

Consumption, the Snake.

Consumption is the serpent of diseases—it creeps upon its victims and fastens its deadly fangs without warning. Don't neglect that cold of yours Cleveland's Lung Healer will cure it without fail. If it doesn't, you can have your money back. We will give you a trial bottle free. Large bottles, 25 cents. L. A. Burrows. 2

Cuba Fair.

Account of the Cuba Fair, Sept. 4th to 7th, inclusive, the Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets goot on all regular trains. As the Cuba Fair will be greater than ever this year, the attractions up-to-date in every respect, there should be a much larger attendance than heretofore. For further information, rates, etc., call on Erie Agents.

Church Notices.

Usual services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Covenant meeting at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon, at 2:30.

The subject of Rev. S. Burdick's sermon next Saturday morning, at the Seventh-day Baptist church, will be "Source of the Christian's joy."

Services as usual at the Baptist church Sunday morning. Union service in the evening, at 7:30. Subject, "The Diminutive Quartet." All invited.

Next Sunday, at the M. E. church, will be general class meeting at 10 o'clock a. m., followed by a sermon on "Christ in Gethsemane," and the administration of the Lord's Supper.

The wolf in the fable put on sheep's clothing because if he traveled on his own reputation he couldn't accomplish his purpose. Counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve couldn't sell their worthless salves on their merits, so they put them in boxes and wrappers like DeWitt's. Look out for them. Take only DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles and all skin diseases. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

Notice.

There will be no work done at the laundry during the week beginning Sept. 3d, and ending Sept. 8th, but will be kept open during the week as usual. Prepare ye.

M. F. LIVERMORE.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Benedict & Van Noy, at Andover, and N. E. Coston, at Greenwood.

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Corsets for old or young, at Mrs. Mourhess'.

Caster Machine Oil, 30 cents per gallon, for sale by N. Perkins.

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

Have you seen the new mid-summer felt hat at Mrs. Mourhess'?

For Sale.—Best Hornellsville sand, 6 cents a bushel, at O. E. Wood.

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

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Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold at L. A. Burrows', and by other druggists.

Letter to a Coal Dealer.

ANDOVER, N. Y.

Dear Sir,—You give full weight of good coal?

So do we—231 inches to a gallon of paint that lasts twice as long as old-fashion painter's paint, lead and oil; and allow our agent to sell it on this guarantee:

"If you have any trouble with this paint, either now in putting it on, or hereafter in the wear, tell your dealer about it.

"We authorize him to do what is right at our expense."

We know a dealer in coal, who delivered his coal with a public weigher's ticket (full weight) invited complaints, and actually exchanged the coal when complaint was made. He had half the business; a dozen firms had the other half.

We are 146 years old, but not too old to sell paint as that dealer sold coal. We like to pay damages—when there are any.

Yours truly,

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E. W. Grove

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Millions will be spent in politics this year. We can't keep the campaign going without money any more than we can keep the body vigorous without food. Dyspeptics used to starve themselves. Now Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and allows you to eat all the good food you want. It radically cures stomach troubles. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

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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 thereof 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 15th day of October, 1900.

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

ORANGE SMITH, Executor.
VAN FLEET & PHILLIPS, Attorneys for Executor.

You will never find any other pills so prompt and so pleasant as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Benedict & Van Noy, Andover; E. Breeze, Elm Valley.

"My boy was terribly sick with diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by Benedict & Van Noy, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

"Thru the [illegible] our baby was [illegible] ning of [illegible] the stomach," says G. P. M. Rollins, of Deming, Ind. "His food would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by Benedict & Van Noy, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

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We have just received a new line of Screens, Bedroom suits and mattresses.

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Headquarters for Foley Bros'. monuments, headstones and all kinds of marble and granite.

Housekeeper's Day in the Big, Busy Store.

We might better, perhaps, have said "Housekeeper's Week," for our store should be a busy place to day and every day this week, or until the various lots we offer at special prices are closed out. You'll never have better opportunities to lay in a supply of these handy helpers and comfort breeders at so little money as you will here under these specially inviting offerings. THESE PRICES HOLD GOOD WHILE LOT LASTS. NO LONGER.

CARPETS.

An all wool carpet at 50c, regular price 60c. A Brussel carpet for 49c, regular price 55c.
A handsome rocker with arms for $1.98, regular price $2.50.
Two Chamber Suits for $13.48, regular price $15.48.
A handsome Sideboard for $10.48, regular price $12.00.
A dinner set of 100 pieces, best American porcelain, nicely decorated, all large sized pieces, for $8.50, regular price $10.
A dinner set of 112 pieces, best English porcelain, have been selling for $15, special for this sale $9.98.
Toilet sets, 12 pieces, regular decorations, all large sized pieces, well worth $5.75, for $3.75.
Ladies' Desk at $3.98, regular $5.00.
Carpet Sweepers $2.50 regular price, will be sold at $1.98.
Lace Curtains at $5.48, regular price $6.00.
Rugs, a handsome line of rugs at $1.49, regular price $2.25.
Never before has Hornellsville had a store where art draperies and art decorations could be obtained, or where there were artists to do this work. But today this has become one of the leading features of the Home Furnishing House. Special work will receive prompt and immediate attention, and designs will be made upon application.

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H. H. WILLIAMS.

Democratic County Convention.

H. A. BENEDICT OF ANDOVER NOMINATED FOR COUNTY CLERK

The Croker and Hill Factions of the Party Have a Lively Scrap in the Convention,—the Croker Crowd Withdraws and Send a Contesting Delegation to the State Convention.

CUBA, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1900.

The sun never rose on a brighter, finer day than that on which the Allegany county Democrats chose for their County Convention. It was a beaut. Train 3 Tuesday morning carried most of the delegates from the various towns in the county to Cuba, and one car, the smoker, most of them. Democrats, as a rule, like to "watch their own smoke." On arrival at the Convention town and the home of political bosses, the majority of the delegates took a bee liner for The St. James Hotel, the once in awhile a tenderfoot opened the doors of the Kinney House, only to be informed by his party that the headquarters were still up Main street. On entering the St. James, where the 50 cents you gave for a dinner is larger than the piece of bread you get in exchange, one notices all the old Democratic war horses ready for battle—Dol Cowles, Homer Elliott, Pat Kelley, Pete Quinn, Dr. Bowen, Frank Todd, L. C. Van Fleet, Jas. McGinty and others. The air was smooth, not a ripple stirring. Soon the long-legged, bald faced gentleman from Cuba began to busy himself calling his chickens together. They assembled in the west room, and had a closed-doors counsel. It was supposed by those on the outside that they had adopted the Republican method of holding smooth Conventions, and were to settle all little differences right there and then, and then at the Convention proper all join in a love feast; but wait.

It turned out later that the secret session was the observance of the Democratic communion season, administered by the waiters of the hotel. However, the prophet of oil, had he been there, might have observed a cloud, even the small, arising, and the wind began to blow.

After dinner and a long and weary wait, the bell on Fireman's Hall announced that that was the time and place to go. They all went, and the wind was now blowing in earnest. At 2:45, W. M. Sweet of Hume, chairman of the Executive Committee, called the Convention to order, and stated that the committee had suggested the name of Dr. C. R. Bowen of Almond as chairman. The motion was made and seconded that he be made chairman, but before it could be voted upon Homer Elliott of Wellsville was taken in one of his Lily Dale fever fits, and his spirit began to talk thru Pete Quinn, and the storm was on in earnest. Right here we must give up; the Convention had turned into an uncontrollable mob, every one on his feet, with mouth open. During the tumult, Sweet shouted that Bowen was elected chairman, and W. J. Weatherby secretary, and they took their seats. Still the storm raged. In the meantime the man in the chair managed to get heard, and he demanded all delegates to present their credentials. After the secretary read the list of delegates who were to be seated in the Convention, came the cloudburst, and the only thing in the room distinguishable was Pete Quinn calling his followers out of the Convention. They left. The storm was over, and there was a great calm.

W. M. Sweet of Hume, F. M. Todd of Cuba and S. A. Westman of Bolivar were elected delegates to attend the State Convention on the 11th, and Robt. E. McConnell of Rushford, D. A. Daniels of Friendship and C. W. Davis of Centerville alternate delegates.

F. E. Hammond of Cuba, Robert Scott of Friendship, James Fox of Caneadea, Frank Miller of Canaseraga, James McGinty of Andover, George Crandall of Allen, C. K. Farnsworth of Hume and Chas. Crone of New Hudson were elected delegates to the Congressional Convention, with power of substitution.

The Judicial delegates were L. C. Van Fleet of Andover and Edward Londongen of Rushford, and the Senatorial delegates, Henry McMahon of Birdsall and J. W. Fox of Caneadea.

The County Ticket was named as follows:

For Member of Assembly—Alexander L. Litchard of Rushford.

For Sheriff—E. G. Wasson of Cuba.

For County Clerk—H. A. Benedict of Andover.

The offices of Superintendent of the Poor and Coroner were left for the Executive Committee to fill.

After selecting Committeemen the Convention closed, 54 of the 78 delegates signing a register, they representing 22 towns of the 29 in the county.

AT THE CROKER CONVENTION.

The party who thought themselves abused retired to the St. James Hotel and elected Homer Elliott of Wellsville, P. J. Quinn of Belfast and Eldyn Reynolds of Amity to represent them at the State Convention. This being the only scrap they cared to indulge in at this time, they nominated a committee of five members to do what they thought wise and expedient in the matter of nominations for county officers and the election of delegates to the Congressional, Judicial and Senatorial Conventions. They then organized a Croker County Committee and adjourned.

H. A. BENEDICT,

who received the nomination for County Clerk is one of Andover's most successful business men, honored and respected by the entire community, regardless of political differences, and is an earnest Christian worker in the First Baptist Church of this place. Should he receive the election this fall, no one could for a moment doubt his ability to fill the office in a most acceptable manner.

George W. Holcomb.

Word comes from Fort Wayne, Ind., that Geo. W. Holcomb, well known in and around Andover, is dead, at the age of 45 years. He was married to Miss Ida Robinson of Fulmer Valley, Sept. 3, 1876. To them were born one child, a son, who died at the age of 10. The affliction that bore him away began about two years ago, which proved later to be cancer of the stomach and liver. These years were of intense suffering, the borne without complaint. He was a member of the M. E. Church at Fort Wayne. The beautiful emblem of flowers that rested on his casket at the funeral was given by the brothers of the Maccabees of Fort Wayne with many other acts of kindness that were duly appreciated. He was a member of the Maccabee tent of Andover. He leaves in the immediate family an adopted daughter, his wife and one brother. His remains rest in the West Lawn Cemetery at Fort Wayne.

Thomas White.

Thomas White, whose death was noticed last week, was born in County Sligo, Ireland, in 1814, crossed the water and landed in Quebec in 1835, lived there one year, when he came to this country and settled in Illinois, where he married Margaret Feeney in 1840, who died in 1894. He came to Andover in 1841, where he has since resided, until about two months ago, when he went to board at the St. Francis Home in Buffalo, where he passed away a truly penitent Christian Aug. 23d, 1900. There were six children born, of whom only two survive him, Mrs. John Baker of Elm Valley and Mrs. M. Tulis of Emporium, Pa.

Competition is the Life of Trade.

They say competition is the life of trade. If so, Andover must be about to enjoy a lively trade this fall. Some of our general merchandise merchants are vieing with each other to see which can give the best bargains to their customers. A new gas company has been organized to cut the corners of the old Mutual, if possible; and last, but not least, the Bell Telephone Co. have cut the rates on messages to near-by points wide open. Last Monday morning the following low terms were inaugurated at the Andover office:

Message to	Whitesville,	10 cents.
" "	Elm Valley,	10 "
" "	Greenwood,	10 "
" "	West Union,	15 "
" "	Wellsville,	15 "
" "	Alfred,	15 "
" "	Alfred Station,	15 "
" "	Almond,	15 "
" "	Belmont,	20 "
" "	Scio,	20 "
" "	Canisteo,	20 "

There is no doubt but they are after the local telephone company now with both feet, and a nice time is expected.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to all who in any way have shown kindness to our father, Thos. White, especially to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Padden and Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, at the time of his funeral.

MRS. ELIZA BAKER,
MRS. HANNAH TULIS.

Letter to John Doan.

ANDOVER, N. Y.

Dear Sir,—H. M. Hooker & Co., Cooperstown, N. Y., have sold Devoe paint for 42 years. D. T. McGown, of that firm, built a house in '85 and painted Devoe, of course. The paint lasted ten years.

A year or two later, a neighbor built a house, and painted it lead and oil. The neighbor's house was repainted twice in the same time.

This looks as if the neighbor's house was painted three times in eight or nine years, and McGown's once in ten years. We are not quite sure—we tell the tale as it comes to us.

It is enough to say that Devoe lead and zinc lasts twice as long as lead and oil.

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

Democratic State Convention.

Account of the Democratic State Convention held at Saratoga Sept. 9th and 10th, the Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Saratoga and return at rate of one first-class fare for the round trip. For further information, see Erie Agents.

Special sale of children's hosiery at Cannons'.

Assessors' Notice.

Final Completion of the Roll.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessors of the town of Andover, N. Y., have finally completed and verified the Assessment Roll of the town of Andover for the year 1900, and delivered the same to H. D. Smith, Town Clerk of said town, where the same will remain for public inspection for a period of fifteen days from this date.

Dated Andover, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1900.

ORANGE SMITH,
J. J. WARFIELD,
J. C. GREEN,
Assessors of the Town of Andover.

DIRECTORY.

TOWN OFFICERS

Supervisor	Jesse S. Phillips
Clerk	Hiram D. Smith
Collector	Lew R. Davis
Justices of the Peace	Elisha S. Carpenter; S. S. Scribner; Edward Kinney; Nathan L. Beebe; Thos. M. Comstock
Overseer of the Poor	George W. Wescott
Assessors	Orange Smith; Jesse C. Greene; Josiah J. Warfield
Highway Commissioner	Rodolpho Howland
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CHURCHES.

BAPTIST.—Rev. V. L. Eggleston, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 11:45; Junior Endeavor at 2 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 3:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Prayer meeting each Thursday evening.

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

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST.—Rev. Stephen Burdick, pastor. Preaching every Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Sabbath-school following. Junior Endeavor 3 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. 356, F. & A. M., meets first and third Monday of each month. H. F. Stearns, W. M.; B. S. Brundage, Secretary.

Andover Lodge, No. 782, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night. Ernest G. Smith, 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. S. Carpenter, Adjutant.

Woman's Relief Corps meets first and third Saturday evening of each month. Mrs. Flora J. 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. 820, I. O. G. T., meets every Monday evening. J. M. Mosher, C. T.; Harry Smith, Secretary.

Andover Legion, No. 308, N. P. L., meets every Wednesday evening. J. C. Green, President; Mrs. O. E. Vars, Secretary.

West Greenwood Grange, No. 885, meets on the second Tuesday of each month. J. E. Redmond, Master; J. K. Miller, Secretary.

LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.

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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 thereof 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 15th day of October, 1900.

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

ORANGE SMITH, Executor.
VAN FLEET & PHILLIPS, Attorneys for Executor.