CLOTHING

That reputation pronounces best is the

SCHAUL & ROOSA.

kind. It isn't for to-day, to-morrow or next week that you buy a suit of clothes or overcoat. Clothes are bought to serve—the longer the better. The better the clothes the better they look even to the last day.

You can't get service or appearance out of poor workmanship. A thrown-together, pressed-up suit may look all right for a week—then comes the time of kinks and dissatisfaction.

SCHAUL & ROOSA Clothing is made to serve long and well—to keep its shape—to look dressy as long as you want to wear it. That is the kind of clothing it pays to buy.

Men's Suits, - $8 to $25.
Men's Overcoats, $8 to $35.

And your money back for the asking if not satisfied.

SCHAUL & ROOSA,
150 MAIN ST., HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y.

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS.

GREENWOOD.

More snow.

Good sleighing.

Roads on the hills are somewhat drifted.

John Scherette and wife of Webster are visiting at D. Parshall's.

Mrs. Minnie Scribner of Andover was in town last week, calling on former neighbors.

Harry Sargent and Harry Taylor and the Misses Parshall were in Jasper Saturday, as guests of Sumner Sargent.

Charles Lewis and wife of Oyster Bay are guests of David Travis.

George Phillips returned from his work Monday from Ohio, where he has been canvassing for pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred White were in Canisteo Sunday to attend the funeral of James Hare, Mrs. White's father. The services were held at the house of Albert Hoffman. Interment at Cameron.

Mrs. Benoni Young has moved to Canisteo. She expects to keep boarding house on Depot street of that village

J. B. Jones of Troupsburg called in town Thursday.

Regents examinations this week.

Show company coming Thursday night.

F. J. Howe of Elmira was in town Thursday.

Silas A. Ryan of Hornellsville called in town Monday.

I. W. Crandall of Canisteo made Greenwood a visit last week.

James McBurney of Corning made a visit to this town Friday.

Byron Rogers is with a cold.

David Travis was in Canisteo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Travis and sons were in Canisteo Saturday, guests of Byron Crosby.

Newton Richardson returned to his home near Warsaw last week.

Mrs. Jennie Allison and daughter, Mrs. Hobart Lent, of Canisteo, visited relatives in Greenwood Saturday.

Mrs. S. U. Hauber of West Union called in town Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie French and son of Canisteo is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Bess.

Mrs. Emory Chilson and daughter are guests of Mrs. Samuel Pease.

Revival meetings at the Christian church this week under direction of Rev. Hayner.

Wells Trowbridge of Canisteo was the guest of his sister, Mrs. N. Reynolds, Wednesday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hovey has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Boyd of Philadelphia visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. Bennet of Hornellsville, representing the Century Telephone Company, was in town Monday on business.

Mrs. W. O. Slocum, who has been on the sick list, is convalescing.

Rosolvo Wyckoff of West Jasper was in town Monday.

H. G. Butterfield, of the house of Wm. Hengerer & Co., was in town Monday.

Marion Streeter and wife were in Andover Saturday and Sunday, the guests of E. B. Rollins.

Maude and Florence Plaisted went to their home in Shingle House Saturday.

Sanford Gardner of Bath was in town in the interest of the Pultney Land office Thursday.

Frank Barber loaded potatoes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller visited in Jasper Monday.

Lee and Glenn Plaisted went to Shingle House Monday.

James Moran, the popular merchant of Rexville, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Banks is on the sick list.

Miss Ellen Young is at Mrs. George Dennis' in Jasper this week.

L. Porter of Andover was in this city Tuesday.

S. W. Snyder of Springwater called in Greenwood on business Tuesday.

L. D. Wilcox of Buffalo called in Greenwood Friday.

J. W. Call of Hartsville was in Greenwood Thursday.

J. C. Darcy of Castile called in town last week.

L. J. Roberts of Sabinsville made a business trip to Greenwood Tuesday.

A Good Recommendation.

"I have noticed that the sale on Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is almost invariably to those who have once used them," says Mr. J. H. Weber, a prominent druggist of Lansdale, Iowa. "What better recommendation could any medicine have than for people to call for it when again in need of such a remedy? Try them when you feel dull after eating, when you have a bad taste in your mouth, feel bilious, have no appetite or when troubled with constipation, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which they afford. For sale by L. A. Burrows, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

REDUCTIONS IN PRICES

On Suits, Cloaks and Fur Garments

Unusual Low Prices for Standard High Grade Apparel—That's the Story.

To conduct a business upon the broad principles which characterizes ours, an unusual variety of every kind of garments is essential. The ordinary course of merchandizing does not admit of the disposition of every one of them by a given time; but we do not propose to carry a single garment until next season which was made for this. We have therefore cut the prices to insure a demand for every garment. We invite a critical examination of every one of them.

ERTICH BROS.,
148 Main St., Hornellsville.

REXVILLE.

Michael Moran has gone to Pittsburg, Pa., on a three months visit with his daughter.

Father Casey has filled his ice house with a fair supply of congealed water.

Mort Richey left Monday for California on a three months trip. He will stop at Los Angeles. A bon voyage to you, Mort.

Mrs. John McCormick is on the sick list.

John Dempsey was in Canisteo Monday.

Land is being leased at a lively rate here for oil purposes.

James Moran and Watts Smith were in Greenwood Monday.

TIME'S UP

Our Great Special Clearing Sale ... evening, January 31. This is our last ... give fair warning. The wide-awake man ... profited, and gone on his way rejoicing.

IT'S UP TO YOU, SIR!

For if you let this golden opportunity escape you—it's your own fault, not ours. If you will come in for a look, you'll buy—rejoice at your bargain and wonder why you didn't come before. Here's a chance you don't get every day. Yes, sir, it's up to you for our Great Clearing Sale ends Saturday, Jan. 31. Are you going to miss it?

Men's Suits and Overcoats.

Sale price on all $8.00 Suits or Overcoats,	$5 00
" " " " $10.00 " " "	7 00
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Men's Pants.

Heavy Cotton Pants, worth $1.00, now	$ 79
Woolen Pants, worth $2.00, now	1 25
Hairline Cassimere Pants, worth $2.50, now	1 50
Fine Worsted Pants, worth $3.50, now	2 50
Boys' long pant Suits, worth $10.00, now	6 50
Fleeced Underwear, worth 35c, now	25
Ribbed Underwear, worth 50c, now	33
Knee pant Suits, worth $3.00 and $3.50, now	$2 00 and $2 50

Star Clothing House,
Leading Clothiers and Furnishers,
Nos. 109-111 Main Street. 6-8 Church Street,
Hornellsville, New York.
Sole Agency Dunlap Hats.

GREENWOOD HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Conley of Andover visited at their old home on the Hill Sunday.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northop is gaining rapidly under the skillful treatment of Dr. George E. Burdick.

Mrs. Lawrence Hyland and daughter Mildred of Canisteo are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bernard Murray.

We were glad to see the pleasant face of Will Mullen of Slate Creek one day last week.

Charles Warner of Rock Creek is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Northrup.

Little Tom and James Murray were calling in this vicinity last Friday.

The young woman who is reported to have settled $100,000 on the tottering old Marquis of Donegal in return for his title and himself is a graduate of one of the leading female colleges of this country. This would appear to controvert the theory that the higher education of women is a drawback to the securing of a noble title.

The legislatures of thirty-seven states are now in session. With what a flood of new laws, good, bad and indifferent, will the long suffering and patient public be inundated!

It begins to look as though the Mormon lawmakers would not be satisfied until they can call the roll of their wives at the foot of Washington monument.

Wonderful Nerve

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need of it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best Salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c. at O. E. Vars & Son Druggists, Andover.

Cambridge Springs a Winter Resort, and Why.

The idea that because a change is needed it is necessary that this season to go to some much warmer climate, is not always correct. Such a course may sometimes be necessary but in nervous troubles, disorder of the digestive functions, kidney complaints and many others, nothing is gained, and much is often lost by breathing an enervating atmosphere when vitality and vigor most are needed. Besides, one is seldom comfortable in such places because there are cold days there, with no facilities to meet them.

The best place to thoroly enjoy and benefit by cold weather is in a dry, ozonic atmosphere, with ample preparations for keeping warm, a generous table, good society, opportunity for exercise indoors, such as enclosed balconies, sun parlors, etc. Add to these the health-giving waters of Cambridge Springs, Pa., and you have an ideal place to spend the winter, or any part of it. If not informed as to Cambridge Springs ask any Erie Ticket Agent for illustrated booklet, or send to D. W. Cooke, G. P. A., Erie Railroad, New York.

Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York. Breaks up Colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroys Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

A Marvelous Invention.

Wonders never cease. A machine has been invented that will cut, paste and hang wall paper. The field of inventions and discoveries seems to be unlimited. Notable among great discoveries is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It has done a world of good for weak lungs and saved many a life. Thousands have used it and conquered grip, pneumonia, bronchitis and consumption. Their general verdict is: "It's the best and most reliable medicine for throat and lung troubles. Every 50c and $1.00 bottle is guaranteed by O. E. Vars & Son, Druggists, Andover. Trial bottle free.

Good Advice.

The most miserable things in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, chronic costiveness, palpitation of the heart, heartburn, waterbrash, gnawing or burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 25 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. O. E. Vars & Son, Andover.

Good, but Might Be Better.

Taking all in all, the United States postoffice department is perhaps the most efficient and useful of all the public functions of our government. Through varying political administrations it has in the main been conducted with intelligence and integrity and in the interest of the people. Yet there is still chance for improvement and for the broadening of the scope of its usefulness. There are several important things that the postal authorities upon sufficient congressional authorization might do, and perhaps may do, to perfect the system already admirable in most respects.

Among these are the completion of the free delivery projects already under consideration. The territory of the United States available for rural free delivery embraces about 1,000,000 square miles, or about one-third of the country's area. The general superintendent of the free delivery system estimates that within the next three years this system will cover 700,000 square miles and employ 40,000 carriers. There are 11,650 routes now in operation, covering some 300,000 square miles, so that almost one-third of the work is already accomplished. All it wants is sufficient governmental appropriations, and at the rate of 12,000 new routes a year universal free delivery will soon be an accomplished fact.

But the mere delivery of letters and packages is by no means all that is contemplated. It is proposed that rural carriers be authorized to pay money orders to patrons as well as to issue them. In this way the postoffice can be made to supply ready capital to isolated farmers having credit, without further banking charges.

Another project which would greatly increase the usefulness and popularity of the postal department is the proposed universal postage stamps, which would pass current in all countries and which could be used in settling not too large accounts by letter. This innovation may before long be instrumental in establishing one form of money for all the principal nations.

The adoption of a parcels post system similar to those in successful operation in various European countries would undoubtedly meet the approval of the great majority of the American people. They would likewise approve the establishment of postal savings banks such as have been found to work admirably in England.

To all this there should be added in the near future penny postage, which would be hailed with popular delight. In scarcely anything can the present congress better serve the public than in improving, broadening and cheapening the nation's postal facilities.

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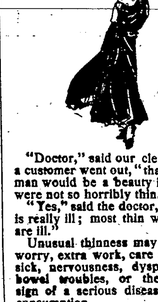

"Doctor," said our clerk, as a customer went out, "that woman would be a beauty if she were not so horribly thin."

"Yes," said the doctor, "she is really ill; most thin women are ill."

Unusual thinness may mean worry, extra work, care of the sick, nervousness, dyspepsia, bowel troubles, or the first sign of a serious disease like consumption.

The best thing we have found for this people, whatever the cause, is Vinol.

To combine the medicinal properties of cod-liver oil with organic iron in such a powerful and yet well-tasting preparation, was a great discovery. If you try it and are not pleased, we pay the money back.

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The students of Nanyang college at Sicawei, China, recently went on strike because several of their fellows were suspended. Thus does the youth of the orient assimilate occidental civilization.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

One Hundred Dollars A Box.

is the value H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 30 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. L. A. Burrows, Andover.

A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappoints."
J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he advises you not to take it, then do not take it. He knows. Leave it with him.
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Solid trains between
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No. 3, daily, Solid Vestibule train Olean Salamanca, Jamestown, Cleveland, Sandusky, Chicago. Meals in dining car. Stops at Wellsville at 12.46 a. m.

No. 7, daily, solid Vestibuled train, leaves Wellsville at 5.19 a. m., for Olean, Jamestown, Chautauqua Lake, Youngstown, Pittsburg and Cleveland.

8.34 a. m. No. 7, daily, stopping at all principal stations to Salamanca. Pullman cars to Cincinnati and Chicago, connecting for Bradford. Meals in dining car.

12 p. m. No. 25, daily accommodation for Dunkirk, connecting at Carrollton for Bradford

6.06 p. m. No. 101, daily accomodation for Salamanca.

EAST.

9.31 a. m. No. 102, daily, accommodation for Hornellsville.

No. 4, daily solid Vestibule train, for Hornellsville, Corning, Elmira, Binghamton, New York and Boston, connections for Philadelphia and Washington, also connecting for points on Buffalo and Rochester Divisions. Stops at Wellsville 2.47 p. m.

1.47 p. m., No. 14, daily for Hornellsville, Addison, Corning, Elmira, Waverly, Owego, Binghamton and New York.

4 21 p. m. No 18, daily accommodation for Hornellsville, connecting for points on Buffalo and Rochester Divisions.

7.00 p. m. No. 8, daily for Hornellsville, Corning, Elmira Binghamton, Boston and New York, through Pullman sleepers.

No. 6, daily, New York special stopping at Hornellsville, Corning, Elmira, Binghamton, arrive at New York 8.05 a. m. Pullman Vestibule cars. Stops at Wellsville 10.04 p. m.

Further information may be obtained from Erie agent or address

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TIME TABLE.

Takes effect Sept 15, 1905.

NORTH

Angelica Express, leaves Hornellsville at 8.40 p. m., arriving at Canaseraga at 6.35, Angelica, at 8.10.

New York Express via Wayland, leaves Hornellsville at 3.00 p. m., arriving at Wayland at 7.15 p. m.

Buffalo and Wayland Accommodation, leaves Hornellsville at 1.00 p. m., arriving at Wayland at 2.30.

New York and Buffalo Express via Wayland, leaves Hornellsville at 9.35 a. m., arriving at Wayland at 10.30.

SOUTH

New York Express leaves Wayland at 7.00 a. m., arriving at Hornellsville at 7.55.

New York and Buffalo Express, leaves Wayland at 11.00 a. m., arriving at Hornellsville at 11.55 a. m.

Bath and Wayland Accommodation, leaves Wayland at 13.30 p. m., arriving at Hornellsville at 4.00.

Expr. ... Avon Angelica at 7.00 a. m., arriving at ... 8.50, Hornellsville at 9.45.

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CHAS L. HAMMOND, Gen. Pass. Agent.

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WEST.

No 10 Way Freight and accommodation leaves Shingle House 6.05 a. m., arriving at Carlos at 7.10 a. m.

No. 8, Way Freight and Accommodation Leave Ossayo at 11.25 a. m., arriving at Shingle House at 12.25.

No. 6, Way Freight and Accommodation. Leave Canisteo at 6.30 p. m., arriving at Greenwood at 7.15, Rexville 8.15, Whitesville 9.00, Genesee 9.35, Ossayo 10.50.

No. 4, Mail. Leave Erie junction at 5.30 p. m., arriving at Canisteo at 5.45, Greenwood 6.19, Hilsburg 7.17, Ossayo 7.41, Millport 7.55, and at Shingle House 8.15.

No. 2, Mail. Leave Erie junction at 9.61 a. m., arriving at Canisteo 9.16, Greenwood 9.44, Hilsburg 10.47, Ossayo 11.12, Millport 11.27, Shingle House at 11.40, P. S. S.R. Junction 11.52, Ceres 11.56

EAST.

No. 1, Mail. Leaves Shingle House at 8.30 a. m., arriving at Millport at 8.44, Ossayo 7.00, Hilsburg 7.35, Genesee 7.41, Whitesville 7.58, Rexville 8.10, Greenwood 8.39, Canisteo 8.55, Erie Junction 9.07.

No. 3, Mail. Leave Ceres 12.55 p. m., arriving at P. S. & N Junction at 12.57, Shingle House 1.10 Millport at 1.24, Ossayo 1.36 Hilsburg 1.50, Genesee 2.03, Whitesville 2.26, Rexville 2.37, Greenwood 3.12, Canisteo 3.40, Erie Junction at 3.45.

No. 5, Way Freight and Accommodation. Leave Ossayo at 11.30 a. m., Hilsburg 12.17 2.05, Greenwood 2.21, Canisteo 2.45, arriving at Erie Junction at 3.00.

No. 7, Way Freight and Accommodation. Leave Ceres at 7.00 a. m. arriving at Ossayo at 8.00 a. m.

S. S. BROWN, General Manager.

Sciatic

Trouble From Sprain of Back.

Dizzy, Dull, Nervous, Constipated.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Completely Cured Me.

A frequent complication of rheumatism and sciatica is constipation. The use of Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills in conjunction with Restorative Nervine makes an ideal treatment for such cases. The Nerve and Liver Pills, by their tonic influence upon the nerves of the stomach, liver and bowels, cause them to act naturally. Thus the system is readily cleansed of the impurities which cause the trouble and the nourishing and soothing effect of Nervine is allowed to do its wonderful work of restoration without hindrance from the complication.

"About ten months ago I sprained my back. This ran into sciatic trouble from which I have suffered more or less ever since. This was complicated by chronic indigestion. I had sick headache every day with a dizzy, dull feeling, also quite a little confusion. Was extremely nervous and suffered much soothing effect of Nervine is allowed to do its wonderful work of restoration without hindrance from the complication.

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"I was induced to try Dr. Miles' Remedies and decided to give them a trial. I procured a bottle of the Restorative Nervine and a box of the Nerve and Liver Pills. I used them as per directions and received much relief. I continued the Nervine until I had used several bottles of the same and I am glad to state that I am cured me completely and permanently. I now enjoy good health, relish my meals and can eat any kind of food without fear. I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Miles' Remedies to the public."—Rev. A. B. Mowress, Taneytown, Md.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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You cannot spurt much and win. A business career that goes by fits and starts will not pay so well in the long run as a business that follows a course mapped out for it and keeps increasing its advertising as the business demands it until the maximum is reached. There is a maximum for a small business beyond which it is not economy or policy to go.—Brooklyn Chronicle.

Our columns furnish the key to successful advertising in this community.

Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds Surrogate, Allegany County, New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Julia Dobbins, late of the town of Andover, Allegany County, New York, deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the estate of the said deceased, at his banking office in the village of Andover, New York, on or before the 25th day of March, 1906.

Dated at Andover, N. Y., September 25, 1905.

A. M. BURROWS, Executor.
J. S. PHILLIPS, Attorney for Executor,
Andover, N. Y.

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McKINLEY'S BIRTHDAY.

Notable Tribute to the Dead President.

ONE OF THE GREAT AMERICANS

President Roosevelt the Chief Orator Made a Beautiful and Heartfelt Tribute to the Distinguished Dead Many Prominent Men Present Governor Nash Unable to Attend.

Canton, O., Jan. 28.—President Roosevelt last night participated in a notable tribute to the memory of President McKinley. He was the principal orator at a banquet given under the auspices of the Canton Republican League in commemoration of the birthday of McKinley.

Surrounded by friends, neighbors and business and political associates of the dead president, he pronounced a brilliant and eloquent eulogy upon the life and works of McKinley.

It was an eulogy regarded by many as the most beautiful and heartfelt tribute ever paid to the memory of the distinguished dead.

The banquet was held in the Grand Opera House, the seats being removed from the pit and the house entirely refloored for the occasion. The interior of the building was beautifully decorated with flags and flowers, the floral decorations being particularly elaborate.

Festoons of flags were arranged at the balcony and gallery and 13 great banquet boards were massed with roses and carnations mingled with smilax and ferns. An orchestra of 22 pieces furnished music.

Distinguished Men Present.

Among the 425 guests assembled about the boards were some of the most distinguished men in the public and political life of the country. At the speaker's table besides President Roosevelt were seated Judge W. R. Day, who acted as toastmaster; Secretary Root, Secretary Cortelyou, General S. M. B. Young, General Leonard Wood, General Luke E. Wright, vice governor of the Philippines; Surgeon General Rixey, Captain Cowles, the president's naval aide; Colonel Theodore A. Bingham, his military aide; Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Brigham, Representative R. W. Taylor, James W. Grant, Colonel Myron T. Herrick and Chicago, J. G. Schmidlapp, H. H. Kohlsaat of Chicago, Charles Emory Smith, Judge Harter, Judge Smyser and Alfred C. Tynon.

At the tables throughout the large auditorium were men of state and national prominence.

Governor Nash of Ohio who was expected to be present to respond to the toast "Ohio," was unable to leave his home on account of illness. His place on the program was taken by James J. Grant of Canton.

Soon after the close of the reception at the Hotel McKinley, President Roosevelt and party walked in a drizzling rain from the hotel to the banquet hall, half a square distant. Despite the inclemency of the weather the streets were thronged with people. Special precautions were taken to insure the safety of the president and his pathway to the Opera House was lined with secret service officers, policemen and soldiers.

As the president entered the banquet hall the assemblage rose and cheered him heartily. The demonstration—the first of the day—was a personal tribute to the president, which he acknowledged with evident pleasure. As soon as the president and party were seated the doors of the balcony and gallery were opened and in a few minutes both were crowded.

President Roosevelt's Speech.

After an eloquent and effective address by Judge Day, President Roosevelt was introduced and spoke in part as follows:

Throughout our history, and indeed throughout history generally, it has been given only a very few thrice favored men to take so marked a lead in the crises faced by their several generations that thereafter each stands as the embodiment of the triumphant effort of his generation. President McKinley was one of these men.

It was given to President McKinley to take the foremost place in our political life at a time when our country was brought face to face with problems more momentous than any whose solution we have ever attempted, save only in the revolution and in the civil war; and it was under his leadership that the nation solved those mighty problems aright.

Therefore he shall stand in the eyes of history not merely as the first man of his generation, but as among the greatest figures in our national life, coming second only to the men of the two great crises in which the Union was founded and preserved.

No man could carry through successfully such a task as President McKinley undertook, unless trained by long years of effort for its performance. Knowledge of his fellow-citizens, ability to understand them, keen sympathy with even their innermost feelings, and yet power to lead them, together with far-sighted sagacity and resolute belief both in the people and in the future—all these were needed in the man who headed the march of our people during the eventful years from 1896 to 1901. These were the qualities possessed by McKinley and developed by him throughout his whole history previous to assuming the presidency.

As a lad he had the inestimable privilege of serving, first in the ranks and then as a commissioned officer, in the great war for national union, righteousness, and grandeur; he was one of those who saw a steady service permitted to take part in a struggle which ennobled every man who fought therein.

Some years after the war closed McKinley came to congress, and rose during a succession of terms to leadership in his party in the lower house. He also became governor of his native state, Ohio. During this varied service he received practical training of the kind most valuable to him when he became chief executive of the nation.

President McKinley's rise to greatness had in it nothing of the sudden, nothing of the unexpected or seemingly accidental.

Eight years before he was nominated for president he was already considered a presidential possibility. Four years before he was nominated only his own high sense of honor prevented his being made a formidable competitor of the chief upon whom the choice of the convention then actually fell. In 1895 he was chosen because the great mass of his party knew him and believed in him and regarded him as symbolizing their ideals, as representing their aspirations.

But even as a candidate President McKinley was far more than the candidate of a party, and as president he was in the broadest and fullest sense the president of all the people of all sections of the country.

His first nomination came to him because of the qualities he had shown in healthy and open political leadership, the leadership which by word and deed impresses itself as a virile force for good upon the people at large and which has nothing in common with mere intrigue or manipulation.

But in 1896 the issue was fairly joined, chiefly upon a question which as a party question was entirely new, so that the old lines of political cleavage were in large part abandoned. All other issues sank in importance when compared with the vital need of keeping our financial system on the high and honorable plane imperatively demanded by our position as a great civilized power.

As the champion of such a principle President McKinley received the support not only of his own party but the support of hundreds of thousands of those to whom he had been politically opposed. He triumphed, and made good with scrupulous fidelity the promises upon which the campaign was won. We were at the time in a period of great industrial depression and it was promised by and on behalf of McKinley that if he were elected our financial system should not only be preserved unharmed but improved and our economic system shaped in accordance with those theories which have always marked our periods of greatest prosperity. The promises were kept and following their keeping came the prosperity which we now enjoy.

But as so often happens in our history, the president was forced to face questions other than those at issue at the time of his election. Within a year the situation in Cuba had become literally intolerable. President McKinley had fought too well in his youth, he knew too well at first hand what war really was, lightly to enter into a struggle. He sought by every honorable means to preserve peace, to avert war. He made every effort consistent with the national honor to bring about an amicable settlement of the Cuban difficulty. Then, when it became evident that these efforts were useless, that peace could not be honorably entertained, he devoted his strength to making the war as short and as decisive as possible.

There followed a harder task. As a result of the war we came into possession of Cuba, Porto Rico, and the Philippines. In each island the conditions were such that we had to face problems entirely new to our national experience, and, moreover, in each island or group of islands the problems differed radically from those presented in the others. In Porto Rico the task was simple. The island could not be independent. It became in all essentials a part of the Union. It has been given all the benefits of our economic and financial system.

In Cuba, where we were pledged to give the island independence, the pledge was kept not merely in letter but in spirit.

Finally, in the Philippines, the problem was one of great complexity. There was an insurrectionary party claiming to represent the people of the islands and putting forth their claim with a certain specious ness which deceived no small number of excellent men here at home, and which afforded to yet others a chance to arouse a factious party spirit against the president.

Of course, looking back, it is now easy to see that it would have been both absurd and wicked to abandon the Philippine archipelago and let the scores of different tribes—Christian, Mohammedan and pagan, in every stage of semi-civilization and Asiatic barbarism—turn the islands into a welter of bloody savagery, with the absolute certainty that some strong power would have to step in and take possession. But though now it is easy enough to see that our duty was to stay in the islands, to put down the insurrection by force of arms, and then to establish freedom-giving civil government, it needed genuine statesmanship to see this and to act accordingly at the time of the first revolt.

A weaker and less far-sighted man than President McKinley would have shrunk from a task very difficult in itself, and certain to furnish occasion for attack and misrepresentation at least as long as the immediate results were in doubt, and would have preferred to let the islands go their own way, to the inevitable loss then for honest misunderstanding. But President McKinley never flinched. He refused to consider the thought of abandoning our duty in our new possessions.

While sedulously endeavoring to act with the utmost humanity toward the insurrectionists, he never faltered in the determination to put down by force of arms, alike for the sake of our interest and honor, and for the sake of the interest of the islanders, and particularly of the great numbers of friendly natives, including those most highly civilized, for whom abandonment by us would have meant ruin and death.

Again his policy was most amply vindicated. Peace has come to the islands, together with a greater measure of individual liberty and self-government than they have ever before known.

No other president in our history has seen high and honorable effort crowned with more conspicuous personal success. No other president entered upon his second term feeling such right to a profound and peaceful satisfaction.

Then by a stroke of horror, as strange in its fantastic iniquity as it stand unique in the black annals of crime, he was struck down. The brave, strong, gentle heart was stilled forever, and word was brought to the woman who wept that she was to walk thenceforth alone in the shadow.

The hideous infamy of the deed shocked the nation to its depths, for the man thus struck at was in a peculiar sense the champion of the plain people, in a peculiar sense the representative and the exponent of those ideals which, if we live up to them, will make as they have largely made, our country a blessed refuge for all who strive to do right and to live their lives simply and well as light is given them.

The nation was stunned, and the people mourned with a sense of bitter bereavement because they had lost a man whose heart beat for them as the heart of Lincoln once had beaten.

We are gathered together tonight to recall his memory, to pay our tribute of respect to the great chief and leader who fell in the harness, who was stricken down while his eyes were bright with "the light that tells of triumph tasted."

We can honor him best by the way we show in actual deed that we have taken to heart the lessons of his life. We must strive to achieve, each in the measure that he can, something of the qualities which made President McKinley a leader of men, a mighty power for good—his strength, his courage, his courtesy and dignity, his sense of justice, his ever-present kindliness and regard for the rights of others.

He won greatness by meeting and solving the issues as they arose—not by shirking them—meeting them with wisdom, with the exercise of the most skillful and cautious judgment, but with fearless resolution when the time of crisis came.

The long public career, which opened when as a boy he carried a musket in the ranks and closed when as a man in the prime of his intellectual strength he stood among the world's chief statesmen, came to what it was because he treated each triumph as opening the road to fresh effort, not as an excuse for ceasing from effort. He undertook mighty tasks. Some of them he finished completely; others we must finish; and there remain yet others which he did not have to face, but which if we are worthy to be the inheritors of his principles we will in our turn face with the same resolution, the same sanity, the same unfaltering belief in the greatness of this country, and unflattering championship of the rights of each and all of our people, which marked his high and splendid career.

ELMIRA CHARTER.

Two Measures Presented Before Senate Cities Committee.

Albany, Jan. 28.—Two former candidates for governor of New York state, J. Sloat Fassett and John B. Stanchfield, appeared before the cities committee of the senate and discussed the Elmira charter amendment bills.

The measure was introduced by Senator Stewart and is favored by the Republicans of that city while the other was drafted by the Democratic majority of the common council and was introduced by Senator Grady, the minority leader.

Mr. Stanchfield claimed that the Stewart bill was a gerrymander of the wards to give the Republicans a majority of the common council. Mr. Fassett asserted that the purpose of the rearrangement of the wards was to equalise the voting population. The committee will pass on the bill in executive session to-day.

Five Cars of Coal Stolen.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—A mob of nearly 500 men, women and boys held up a Northwestern coal train and carried away the contents of five cars before they were dispersed by the police. Women led the attack. Three women and two men were arrested, but the menacing attitude of the crowd caused the women to be quickly released.

Ex-Senator Baldwin Dead.

Wellsville, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Hon Sumner Baldwin is dead at his home here, aged 70 years. He was a member of the assembly in 1876 and 1877 and was state senator in 1883. He was succeeded in the senate by J. Sloat Fassett.

Sixty Thousand People Banqueted.

Calcutta, Jan. 28.—In celebration of the coronation of King Edward, 60,000 poor people were banqueted Tuesday afternoon. A display of fireworks, which followed, was witnessed by about 150,000 people.

Well Known Machinist.

Theo. H. LeClair of Port Henry, N. Y., suffered from Inflammatory Rheumatism, was generally run down. He says: "Mr. Smith, druggist, advised my taking Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy; said he recommended it as he knew it to be a good medicine. I got a bottle and it cured me."

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