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$1.00 will be charged for a card of thanks.

Rates for space advertising made known on application at the office.

Five cents a line, each issue, will be charged for resolutions and business notices.

Copy for change of display advertisements must be in the office Tuesday noon to insure change the same week.

Organized Labor. Never in the history of labor has there been so many disturbances as during the last few months. The aggressiveness of organized labor has caused the capitalists to form a union to fight union labor. What the outcome will be none can predict. New York city is mourning over the loss of important time by the "subway" workers; Chicago has a laundry strike, and other parts of the country are suffering from the effects of these labor eruptions. Wonder what Andover would do with a strike on her hands? The only organization apparent is the organized effort to keep out of the clutches of work as far as possible.

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Just a Word. Midsummer political moves are often like the "will o'-the wisp," leading minds into labyrinths, darkness and confusion, and yet quietly and persistently the fences are being looked after. It may be well, as far as possible, to continue in office those who have proven by act, ability and fitness for the position. Henry Stephens has made a good Supervisor, careful of the interests of his constituents, genial, good natured and accommodating. There ought to be no question about his nomination. Indeed it looks as tho harmony with a big H is resting calmly on the banner of the predominant party, and it's well. The true servant should be rewarded.

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A Live Question. The Eastern question will not be downed. The "Bear" Russia is not ready to relinquish one jot or tittle of the foothold secured. While the surface indications have served somewhat to allay the excitement, yet it is evident from the reported warlike preparations by the different countries that the question is far from being a dead one. That the whole East is in a state bordering on war is seen by the massacre of the Kischineff Jews, to which Russia tacitly consented. The dark ages have returned and the middle ages are outdone, if the telegraph dispatches are true, and they are, for they have come in slow detail, as all the news of Russian misdoings come, giving Russia time to find a plausible excuse and square herself. The world will give her sympathy to the Jews, and perhaps some day will demonstrate it by acts.

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GAG LAW.

The Pennsylvania politicians and Gov. Pennypacker of Ohio, who are responsible for the press gagging law recently enacted and signed by Pennsylvania's chief executive, have brought a hornet's nest about their ears. Every newspaper in the state, regardless of their political affiliations, are openly defying the law and assailing the Governor and the politicians back of him with a storm of ridicule and satire. An association has been formed to fight the press-stranglers and to see to the finish the political death of every one who can in any way be held politically responsible for the measure. There are two sides to the question of course. American principle will never allow the press to be gagged, and indeed the press is very often the monitor of public conscience. On the other hand the asinine policy of the party who would permit such a thing to be, will learn that there is a power in the press, and when rightly treated will be rightly used. Not long since some New York politicians showed symptoms of a desire to muzzle the press by legislation. Perhaps the lesson of experiment by the Pennsylvanians will prove a valuable warning.

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The Strenuous Life.

Every day the system needs a certain quantity of nutritious matter to supply the deficiencies of the day before. The building-up process must begin at the breakfast table. " Joe", the new cereal, tastes good and furnishes that material. A breakfast of "Joe" fits the entire body for the strenuous trials of the day. "Joe" is made of best selected wheat. "Joe" has a taste to it. One dish makes you want another. You can eat "Joe" at any meal. At grocers everywhere.

PASSING OF THE VETERANS.

The old soldier is passing away. The "Boys in Blue" will, ere many years, be only a memory. How much they have influenced the things that make for the destiny of the country time alone can reveal. That they were the flower of the country and gave the world an example of ready courage and loyalty to the world no one can deny. It is 43 years since the civil war began, and the average age of the old soldier is more than 60 years. The old soldier, in a few days will honor the comrades gone on to the Great Review, and soon it will be only the living memory of the past that will cause "Memorial Day" to be fittingly celebrated. The bent form, the gray hair and the dimmed eye will be unable to stand the marchings on parade as once they did; but the old fires of patriotism and loyalty burn just as bright, and whether it be on parade or in the quiet of home they will live again the days of '61 and '65, and think of the faces of comrades that have passed on, calmly, patiently waiting their summons, and the younger men are not ashamed to doff their hat to the old men, the "boys in blue."

The veterans are passing. According to Pension Commissioner Ware, the months of July and September last saw the list of pensioners reach the highest in the history of the country. More than 1,000,000 names were on the roll. After September it fell off steadily, and the decline was due to the deaths among the old and feeble. He further says: "The probabilities are that the number of pensioners will linger in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 or so for a few years and then the decline will come rapidly." He estimates the deaths among the pensioners this year to exceed 36,000. Thus an army of men will probably pass on, and it reminds us all too easily of the passing of the veterans.

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THE CANAL PROBLEM.

"The Engineering News," a recognized authority, is out with an article on the canal problem, which ought to convince every clear thinking man that the approval by the people of the state of the barge canal proposition in the November elections would not only give the people an inferior canal, but would lead to the absolute waste of something like forty millions of dollars. It is true, as stated by the "News," that the advocates of the barge canal propose that Lake Ontario, with its seven United States harbors so near together, where at no time a barge would be more than eleven miles from a safe refuge, the elevator interests of Buffalo have shrewdly managed to have left out of the proposed route, and that no alternative proposition should go before the people. The law passed by the last Legislature provides that the people shall express their opinion to the creation of a state debt of $101,000,000. If they give their consent to the debt then a barge canal is to be constructed along the route already laid down in the law itself. In other words, the route is already determined upon, and all the people are asked to do is to vote the required funds.

What is the proper thing? It is to defeat the proposition in November. This will leave the whole problem open. It will place the matter where the Government can take hold of it. A government canal is the canal we think the people want. A great mistake was made when the people authorized the expenditure of the $9,000,000, and we do not believe they are ready to make the infinitely greater mistake of authorizing the expenditure of $101,000,000 for the construction of a barge canal. Therefore it is not too early to commence the agitation to defeat the proposition at the November election.

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Pasturage of Stock

In less than a mile from this village. Well watered. Inquire of Dr. E. J. Loughlen or Geo. Alvord. tf

Always the Best.

Another new assignment of the very latest type faces just laid in our job rooms. If you want printing of any kind, from a calling card to a book, just drop us a hint and we will do the rest in the most workman-like manner and at prices that baffle all competitors. tf

DO YOU KNOW?

Do you know that this question of the right of women to self government is one which is commanding the attention of the whole civilized world? The women of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales may vote upon the same terms as men in all elections except that of members of Parliament.

Do you know that in England the House of Commons has three times recorded itself in favor of full suffrage for women and that it would now be established but for the hereditary and unprogressive House of Lords?

Do you know that the women of Australia, numbering 800,000, the women of the Isle of Man, and of New Zealand, enjoy full suffrage upon the same terms as men and the women of Sweden and Norway, with a slight property qualification, may vote in all elections except members of Parliament?

Do you know that the women of Wyoming have voted upon the same terms as men since 1869; the women of Colorado since 1893; the women of Utah and Idaho since 1896 and that the universal testimony is that it has resulted in great good to both the women and the state?

Do you know that the movement for woman suffrage is only one phase of the eternal warfare of all the centuries for human liberty?

Do you know that, while women are ruled out, the highest intelligence and morality will never be fully represented in any community in its law, since intelligence and morality must always be averaged at the ballot box with ignorance and immorality? It is plain that wherever intelligence and morality must always be averaged at the ballot box with ignorance and immorality, the trend of civilization must be upward, and since women can offer a per cent. of morality, and certainly an equal amount of intelligence with men, it requires no demonstration to show that women will help to make the world better.

Keeping Solid. That speech of President Roosevelt the other day, in San Francisco, gave, in no uncertain sounds, the position of the administration in the far East. We are there and there to stay. It must have given some of the "little Americans" and anti imperialists a little of the cold shivers. Roosevelt's frankness is winning the hearts of the people, and the outlook is that no other name will come before the Republican Convention of 1904, and one of the leaders predicts a majority that will exceed even Grant's wonderful run.

OUR INTENTION

is to please the determination is to satisfy, yes, to gratify. Some things you may be sure of—always. These for instance—you benefit by all the "know hows" that competent tailoring has at its finger ends.

You benefit by having loads of variety to make your choosing easy. You have our promise that the fabrics are fashionable and the patterns correct.

And if you're acquainted with clothing values—you'll know we aren't charging you too much.

Paine, The Tailor.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50c

GRIP TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. 7 leaves Andover at 1:51 a. m.
No. 35 leaves at 12:21 p. m.
No. 101 leaves at 5:26 p. m.

GOING EAST.

No. 108 leaves Andover at 9:31 a. m.
No. 14 leaves at 1:47 p. m.
No. 18 leaves at 4:21 p. m.
No. 8 leaves at 7:20 p. m.

BOARD,

BY THE DAY OR MEAL.

ICE CREAM by the dish or in bulk.

Mrs. Sophia Slocum.

Established 1884.

A. M. Burrows,

BANKER,

Andover, N.Y.

THIS Bank transacts a general banking business, makes collections, sells drafts on Europe, and gives prompt attention to all business at lowest rates. Steamship tickets by the Anchor, White Star and Hamburg-American Packet Co., to and from all European ports.

We Solicit Your Deposits.

A. M. BURROWS,
W. B. BUNDY, Cashier.

DR. JOHN COMMON,

DENTIST

OFFICE HOURS:
9 A.M. to 12 M. 1 P.M. to 5:30 P.M.

OFFICE UP-STAIRS IN STATE BANK BUILDING, ANDOVER, N. Y.

Talking Machines...

On the Instalment Plan.

We sell these machines on a small payment down, and the balance by the week or month.

Our terms are such that almost anyone can be the possessor of a machine.

We carry a large stock of records, both disc and cylinder.

BALDWIN MUSIC STORE,

Hornellsville, N. Y.

Will close out all my

STIFF BOSOM SHIRTS

at cost to make room for my new negligees.

C. T. ROGERS, Prop.,

East Greenwood St. Andover, N.Y.

BEST PRICES,

best goods, best treatment— these are the three rules which rule this store in all seasons of the year.

Our aim is to give perfect satisfaction. There is no reason why we shouldn't, and if at any time you get anything here which is not right, we ask you to tell us of it.

Questionable Furniture has no place here at any price. We warrant everything—and save you money as well as worry.

S. J. FOWLER.

NEW GOODS.

This week brings us another lot of summer goods.

Silk Gloves, white, black and drab Waist Sets, Belt Pins, Pearl Buttons, etc. Don't forget to look at our Waisting and Summer Suitings.

Window Shades, 10c up.

Lace Curtains, 48c pair.

GROCERIES.

Staple and fancy Greceries. Try our 25c Tea. Good Salmon, three cans for 25c.

Williams & Crandall.

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Are You a Doubting Peter

On the question of Mixed Paints?
Possibly you have tried some cheap brand and found it poor.
There is a deal of mystery in much of the mixed paints. No mystery about the composition of B. P. S. Paint.
White Lead, Zinc, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Color and Dryer. Nothing else.
Chemical Analyses have been made of it in nearly every State in the Union.
It has stood the test in every instance.
You take no chances when you buy B. P. S. Paint or Varnish.
Color Cards and Literature at

C. J. VERS, Druggist,

Corner Main and Greenwood Streets.

THE OLD RELIABLE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

REPORTORIAL.

Every one is busy.

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After all there is but one blessing—good health.

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Mrs. M. J. Atwood has been ill at her home on Pleasant avenue.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Emma Robbins, Thursday afternoon, May 21st.

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The hum of the carpenter's hammer is heard in almost every direction in Andover now-a-days.

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Rev. S. D. Pickett has been engaged to preach the G. A. R. memorial sermon at Alfred on the morning of the 30th.

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Rev. H. D. Bacon will preach the memorial sermon at the Seventh-day Baptist church Saturday morning, ay 23rd.

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Remember the Ithaca Conservatory of Music entertainment at Prest's Opera house next Tuesday evening. They come with the best recommendations.

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Rev. Wm. Rogers of Shongo occupied the pulpit at the M. E. church Sunday morning, Rev. S. D. Pickett being in attendance at a quarterly meeting at Shongo.

Stand By Those Who Have Stood By You.

Andover people will all stand by the farmers. It is the farmers and their patronage that has made Andover what it is, and now that the western people are striving to get free transportation for their products into the eastern markets and saddle the expenses not only of construction but of maintenance in the future of this barge canal on the shoulders of the eastern farmers, it is time for us to lay aside all else and stand up for our own rights, and the rights of the hard working, honest men who have stood by us.

Credit Due the Erie.

Much credit is due the Erie railroad this summer for the manner they are serving the traveling public, especially in the matter of having trains on time. Fewer trains have been late so far this year than any other year in the knowledge of the writer. Better be on time now or you are liable to get left.

Publishers Meet.

The Publishers' Association of Allegany County met at Hotel Fassett, Wellsville, Thursday afternoon, and elected officers for the ensuing year, after which papers were presented and timely craft discussions enjoyed. Their next meeting will be held Aug. 14th, at Bon Air Hotel, Rock City.

Morris Crandall Changes Location.

Word has come to Andover that Morris Crandall, who has been at work as night clerk in Leeds, North Dakota, has secured a much better position in a large hotel in Devil's Lake, North Dakota, the largest village in that part of the state, at the same business and an increase in salary.

Mill Burned at Canaseraga.

Newton S. Barber's mill at Canaseraga was burned Monday of last week with 100,000 feet of lumber and 500,000 feet of logs. Loss $10,000 with no insurance. It is thought the fire was set, as fires were started twice Sunday in the woods near the mill.

Work on Narrows Commenced.

Rails for the piling of the Narrows are here and work commenced. The pile drivers are expected soon.

All the new styles as soon as out at Mrs. Mourhess'.

HAWTHORNE CIRCLE.

Last Meeting of the Year—Election of Officers—Held With Mrs. R. A. Pease.

The Hawthorne Circle will meet Monday evening, May 25th, with Mrs. Pease. Lesson:

Roll call, Name a seed carrier.
Fact about the germination of seed.
Fact, Required reading.
Current event, foreign.
Reading. "The Boes which we Pass By," Mrs. Fannie Backus
Reading, Chautauquan. Miss Collins
Discussion, "Resolved, That the Government appropriate money to irrigate the American Desert,"
Affir., Mrs. Brundage
Neg., Miss Helen Baker
Election of officers for the coming year.

NO. ONE ON KEENAN.

The Tracy Oil Co. Shot Another Well in The Marsh Field Monday.

The Tracy Oil Co. drilled in and shot Monday another good producer. It is their No. 1 on the Keenan farm, and is located on the extreme eastern part of their leases. The well, while it shows to be a fair little producer, is not nearly up to the other wells drilled by this company in that locality and plainly shows that it is about as far east as it is safe to bank on finding oil.

1789 SPANISH COIN.

Jesse Greene Finds Ancient Piece.

Jesse C. Greene of Chestnut street, while sewing onion seeds this spring picked up a Spanish coin dated 1789. It was inscribed "Casolus III. Rex Dei Gratia," meaning Casolus III. King by the grace of God. Several other ancient coins have been picked up this spring and mentioned in exchanges but the one found by Mr. Greene beats them all in the at least ten years.

DR. GARDNER WHIPPLE DEAD

The Passing of Cuba's Dentist Monday Morning.

Dr. Gardner Whipple of Cuba died Monday morning of pneumonia after but a very brief illness. Funeral services were held to-day. Dr. John Common of Andover was in attendance.

THE DAY WE CELEBRATE.

Saturday, Decoration Day Excursion to Jamestown and Celeron Park.

The Erie Railroad will run a popular low rate excursion to above points on Decoration Day, May 30th. Celeron Park offers special attractions for the week beginning May 25th as follows: At the theater, high class vaudeville; out of doors Kitamur's Japanese Troupe, nine in number; Rosati's Marine Band; latest moving pictures; and a score of other new and novel out-of-door attractions.

Train will leave Andover at 7:15 a. m. Fare, round trip, $1.50.

See Ts Blush.

Bolivar Breeze.

The typographical appearance of the ANDOVER NEWS has recently been materially changed for the better by the use of heads varying from single to quadruple over interesting news matter. The NEWS covers its field very thoroly and has materially improved in the quantity and quality of news printed during the past six months.

Hold on J. P., don't blow the hot air too thick, you're liable to swell our heads. The editor of the Bolivar Breeze is a critic as the readers of his "foremost country newspaper" will all testify.

A Surprise to Miss MacKay.

The Kappa Zeta society of Andover High School to the number of about 20 surprised their president and teacher, Miss Catherine MacKay, Tuesday by securing a rig and driving up to the school house and sending for her, a place in the carryall having been reserved for her. The party drove to Alfred and enjoyed a picnic neath the shady bowers of "Lover's Lane." A very pleasant afternoon was passed.

P. H. Dougherty of Bolivar Coming to the Front.

Patrick H. Dougherty of Bolivar is fast gaining a reputation as a clever ball player. He now leads off the batting for the Boston American League team and is immensely popular.

New goods every Thursday at Mrs. Mourhess'.

ELM VALLEY.

Harry and Jennie Smith and Cora Corwin of East Hill were visitors at the I. O. G. T. Lodge last Saturday evening.

Rev. C. H. Harrington of Andover was in this place on business last Tuesday evening.

Lester Burdick and Adelbert Hann went to Alma Saturday, returning Sunday, guests of W. A. Howland.

A. J. Dayton and wife of Wellsville were visiting Simeon Hann last Tuesday.

Mrs. E. H. Hann was in Cuba and Salamanca last week.

Victor Stearns of Andover was the guest of Ray Smith Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Roche will close a very successful term of school next Monday.

Adelbert Hann still wears the fish belt. He recently caught a trout from Dyke's creek that weighed four pounds and measured 22 inches in length.

Mrs. W. A. Howland and daughter Florence are home for a few weeks.

The new chapel building project moves on with a rapidity these days, which insures its completion in the very near future. The Board of trustees, in a meeting with the building committee, at a session held Sunday afternoon decided to commence the building of the foundation 30x48 as soon as possible.

The subscriptions amount now to over $8800, nearing the $900 point. It is hoped that, now the project is assured, those who are hesitating will state the amount of their donation.

A Ladies Aid Society has been organized with Mrs. E. Breeze, President; Mrs. Hann, Vice President; Miss Fannie Burdick, Secretary and Mrs. Prentis Burdick, Treasurer.

Lecture on "Ben Hur"

at the Baptist church, Friday, May 22nd, at 8 p. m., by Rev. W. C. Gates. Admission 20 and 10 cents. 100 beautiful views.

To make hens lay, feed ground beef scrap. Sold by A. E. Starr. tf

It Costs Less.

If you wish to keep your friends living away posted as to things doing in Andover, just remember the NEWS, sent every week, will be cheaper than a letter every week, and will give them more information. tf

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.
(SEAL)

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Green Peas,
" String Beans,
" Cucumbers,
New Cabbage,
" Potatoes,
Pine Apples,
Strawberries,
This Week at

JOHN TRAINOR,

ANDOVER, N. Y.
TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS

ALL MEATS LOOK ALIKE

but they taste vastly different. We handle the good kind; choice stock selected with utmost care. Poultry for extra occasions is our specialty. Phone your order.

HENRY STEPHENS,

Cold Storage Block.

SCHOOL MONEY.

Supervisor Stephens Receives A Check for $1633.27.

Supervisor Stephens informs the NEWS that the state money for the schools in the town of Andover has been sent him. The sums for each district is as follows:

District.	
No. 1	$649.13
2	150 28
3	150 55
4	151 74
5	150 41
6	126 67
7	127 25
9	127 09
Total	1633 27

Farm For Sale.

Will sell 70 acre farm with 40,000 feet standing pine for $20 per acre, in the town of Canisteo, two miles from the Erie railroad. Farm under good cultivation. Thomas McMinn, Independence, N. Y. 13may2t

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the Village of Andover, N Y., has been completed and was filed with the Village Clerk on May 6, 1903, and that such roll will remain on file with the clerk, subject to public inspection, for fifteen days from date of such delivery.

Dated Andover, N. Y., May 7, 1903.

CHAS. B. LEVER,
J. HARVEY BACKUS, } Assessors
JESSE SNYDER,
A. B. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Mail Closing at Andover.

WEST.

For Train 7, at 8:30 a. m.
" 25, at 12 m.
For Train 102, at 9:10 a. m.
" 14, at 1:25 p. m.
" 8, at 7 p. m.
Sunday, for Train 14, at 1 p. m.

Hats at all prices at Mrs. Mourhess'. Get one now.

Men's straw hats cleaned and made to look like new, at Beebe's, Greenwood street.

LOWELL A. BURROWS.

POLITE UP-TO-DATE STATIONERY

EATON-HURLBUTS LINE.

A new lot just received.

Call and see it.

HAMMOCKS.

This fine weather is a gentle reminder that the Hammock is the coming necessity. We have a neat line and the prices are right.

Watch our bulletin for the latest ads.

LOWELL A. BURROWS,

Druggist.

BURROWS' BARGAINS

MORE NEW GOODS THIS WEEK.

New "Waldorf" Shirt Waists. A handsomer line of White Waists in both the merserized and thinner fabrics would be hard to find. Waldorf waists are second to none. They lead in style and being properly made "they fit." We have never shown a better lot. Come in and look them over.

SHOES.

For the past few years no department in our store has grown so rapidly as our Shoe department. In ladies' Shoes,

Queen Quality and Lincoln

have no equal. We are showing more of them than ever before. Several distinctively new spring designs in Oxfords you'll not find elsewhere are among the latest arrivals.

In Men's Wear

We have a good Oxford at $1.50.
"On Top" Shoes in all the new spring shapes at $3.50.
The "Genesee" and "Berwick" lines including guaranteed patent leathers at $2.50.
The Honest Value Shoes at $1.50.
A full line of Men's Heavy Shoes that are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

A. M. Burrows & Son.