All Around Old Allegany

Epitome of County Happenings Gathered by News Reporters and Clipped from Our Exchanges.

It costs $300 a year to heat and light the Friendship school-house and $100 to insure it.

Forrest Welch, who was so badly injured at an oil well near Allentown some time ago, is improving.

Clark Bros. Company of Belmont are experiencing difficulty in procuring supplies sufficient to carry on their business.

Rev. Charles Bloom of Scio has accepted the pastorate of a church at LeRoy, Ill., and will commence his work there about August 15.

A crew of men is now at work fencing the Shawmut line right of way from Bolivar to Angelica. The posts are of chestnut and the fencing of wire.

It is understood that the Pittsburg, Shawmut & Northern Railroad Company will build a new passenger station in Bolivar and use the present station for a freight house.

Bought Alfred Grist-mill.

Lester Reynolds of Alfred has purchased the feed and grist-mill in that village owned by C. D. Reynolds and run by himself the past few years.

To Help Buy Rights of Way.

Hume has subscribed $1,300 toward purchasing rights of way for the B. & S. should it come thru their village. Pike has raised $3,300

He Is Not Insane.

Drs. Witter of Wellsville, Allen of Cuba and Barney of Belmont, after a thoro examination of Dr. Cory, pronounces him entirely sane and responsible for his actions.

Has Left Belmont.

Samuel Ostrander of Belmont, left for the west Monday, where he has a good position. He has been an employee of M. N. Sammet at that place nearly four years.

New Shoe Factory.

A new Shoe Company has been organized at Friendship, a number of local capitalists being financially interested. They will make three styles of $3.50 men's shoes.

A Good Record.

P. H. Dougherty, Bolivar's crack professional ball player, is the first player in the American League to make 100 hits this season. He plays out field for the Boston American League.

General Manager of B. & B. R. R.

George W. Berry, who learned the rudiments of railroad business in Belvidere, has recently accepted the position of general manager of the Birmingham Brunswick R. R. with headquarters at Brunswick, Ala.

Bolivar Base Ball Team.

Bolivar's lovers of the national game have organized a base ball team and will be in line for a series of games the remainder of the season. They have fitted up a new diamond and built a commodious grandstand.

Uniform Examination for 1903.

For 1st. 2nd and 3rd Grade Certificates will be held as follows in the Second District of Allegany County:

Aug. 13th and 14th.....Wellsville
Nov. 12th and 13th.....Friendship

The examinations will open promptly at 9 a. m. and close at 12:30 p. m., and also open at 1:30 p. m. and close at 5 p. m.

Candidates will not be allowed to enter an examination more than one hour late or leave the room within one hour from the distribution of question papers.

J. D. JONES, Commissioner.

Not Over-Wise.

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl scared at a grass hopper, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy as a safe guard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumber those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

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JOSEPH BRADLEY INJURED.

Brother of Contractor J. C. Bradley Struck by Heavy Hook.

While laying stone beneath the trestle near the Erie depot at Belmont Monday afternoon of last week, Joseph Bradley was struck in the side of the face by a heavy steel hook used on the big cranes in raising large stones. The hook dropped between the ties fifteen feet above and struck Bradley a glancing blow on the right side of the face. He was felled to the earth unconscious, with the blood pouring from a deep gash entirely thru his cheek. The teeth in both jaws were loosened so he picked one out with his fingers later when he regained his senses. A call was sent to Dr. W. L. Hardy, who was on his farm west of the village but, altho the accident occurred at 4 o'clock it was six before medical attendance was given Bradley. It was necessary to take five stitches on the inside of his cheek and four on the outside, and the intense pain was relieved as much as possible.

Death of John Dugan.

Tuesday morning of last week the family and relatives in Wellsville, received the sad news of the death of John Dugan, Monday evening, at Wheeling, W. Va., where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. The remains were taken to Salamanca, the former home of his wife, where the funeral occurred on Thursday morning.

Marriage of Friendship Young People.

On Thursday evening of last week, at the home of the groom, in Friendship, Dr. N. H. Fuller was united in marriage to Miss Eugenie Corbin. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Both groom and bride are well known and popular young people of Friendship.

To Drill For Oil.

An Oil and Gas Company has been formed by Geo. E. Shaw, of West Almond, and B. W. Peck, of Phillips Creek, to test West Almond for oil or gas. They have, under the firm name of Shaw, Peck & Co., formed a strong company. The company controls 1,600 acres of leases and will put down a well on the Wm. Miller farm as soon as the rig can be put up.

The Best Well in Allegany County.

A. J. McDivitt, of Bolivar, owns what is claimed to be the best oil well in Allegany county. It is known as No. 2, and is located on the Hazzard farm in the town of Bolivar. In seven years this well has produced 15,000 barrels of oil. It is still good for three barrels a day, and at present is yielding its owner a monthly income of $135.

Purchased Another Clothing Store.

Joe Levey of the firm of Frank & Levey has purchased a large clothing house in Pittsburg, Pa., and will go there in person to take charge about Sept. 15th. Harry Levey will have charge of the Wellsville store. Mr. Levey has been in Wellsville fifteen years.

Dysentery Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor.

"I am just up from a hard spell of the flux" (dysentery), says Mr. T. A. Pinner, a well known merchant of Drummond, Tenn. "I used one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy and was cured without having a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world." There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for no doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaints in any form either for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

ANGELICA WATER LINE IN DANGER.

Now Laid on Shawmut Right of Way—It May Have to be Relaid.

The Angelica water line may have to be relaid, as for a long distance it is laid on the right of way of the Shawmut railroad, says the Advocate. The rebuilding of the railroad with the necessary raising and widening of the embankments, the line in many places becomes deeply buried, and the engineers seems to think it dangerous. Experts are passing upon the matter, and the entire line may have to be relaid.

Elected Treasurer.

An official communication states that Mr. D. W. Bigoney has been elected treasurer of the Erie R. R. Co., vice Mr. J. W. Platten, resigned to accept service elsewhere. He begins his new duties August 1st. Mr. Bigoney is a son-in-law of Landlord J. Budd of Almond, and his friends here congratulate him upon his new appointment.

Will Be Running Within 60 Days.

Engineer A. G. McComb of the Shawmut Line was in town Monday, says the Bolivar Breeze. He says that trains will be running between Clermont and Angelica within 60 days. Work at all points is being rushed rapidly and it is planned to have the work finished all along the line about the same time.

Operation on Friendship Resident.

Wednesday morning Dr. Comstock, assisted by Drs. Cooper and Kinney, operated upon H. D. Farnum of Friendship for tubercular disease of the elbow joint which he has had for eight years. The arm was amputated above the elbow.

At the recent international medical congress held in Madrid, Professor Edoardo Maragliano of Genoa, Italy, delivered an address on the struggle of the body against tuberculosis and its immunization. This address revealed the success he has had in determining the natural means, if any, that the body possesses and employs to combat this disease and the means by which one can create in it an artificial immunity against tuberculosis. Professor Maragliano says he has succeeded at last in preparing a material which—all danger of infection excluded—will cause, when inoculated under the skin, a tuberculous phlegmon. By means of these inoculations, Professor Maragliano says, human beings may become immune. The discovery has awakened interest throughout the world, and the material prepared by Dr. Maragliano for inoculation against tuberculosis is coming into general use.

With Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's tariff policy attacked in the house of lords and Premier Balfour's foreign policy assailed in the house of commons, nothing but an Irish land bill seems to be able to slide through the British parliament. "Nothing is too good for the Irish" these days.

The Rural Police Force.

Following the many recent crimes in agricultural communities, particularly against women, there is observed renewed agitation for a rural police force in many states. It is recognized by all the advocates of such protection that sparsely settled towns or counties cannot be expected to bear the expense of such policing, and all look to the state to foot the bills. While security to life cannot be calculated in dollars, the residents of few towns would be willing to pay the tax which such security would cost, and they ought in reason not to be compelled to do so.

It is noted in this connection that Connecticut recently created a small state police force to supplant the officers of a private organization in the suppression of pool selling and other forms of gambling and in the detection of violations of the excise laws.

These are small matters in comparison with the protection of life and property, and a state which is willing to hire men to detect saloons open in forbidden hours should be willing to extend the duties of such officers to the prevention or detection of worse offenses.

NUMBER THREE

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The Gnat That Does the Trick.

The fatal note—the note which paralyzes the mosquito—has at last been found, and, quite in accord with the eternal fitness of things, it has been found in New Jersey. The discoverer is Professor J. H. Thomas, who leads the National Cornet band of New Brunswick, N. J. According to the account, which comes from a no less reliable source than a special dispatch from New Brunswick to a metropolitan newspaper, the National Cornet band was rehearsing the other evening a very difficult composition in A minor, and horn blower Fred Nixon had been struggling, though unsuccessfully, with a solo of eight bars for the first alto. The solo would have been easy enough for an amateur of Mr. Nixon's talent and experience but for one note, A above the staff, which during several consecutive minutes eluded his most frantic efforts. The professor says:

> After several attempts Nixon succeeded in reaching the note A, which, on an alto horn, produces about 900 vibrations per second. He made it with great force. I had noticed five mosquitoes sitting on the ceiling, but the instant he reached the A every mosquito dropped into the horn. Being curious to know the cause of their sudden fall from the ceiling, I secured a powerful microscope and found that both the auditory and optic nerves were completely paralyzed, showing that if they had lived they would have been blind as well as deaf.

Judging from this, I think that there is no doubt that the musical note that is fatal to the mosquito is the note A above the staff produced on an alto horn in the hands of an amateur. I intend to experiment further with a bass horn. From rough calculations I think that an ordinary amateur band ought to be able to kill off all of the mosquitoes in the Newark meadows in three days.

If there is any "fatal note" which will put the mosquito out of commission it is evidently the "A above the staff" jerked out of an alto horn by a husky Jerseyman, and we are inclined to give Professor Thomas full credit for his discovery. Meanwhile, before he proceeds too far with his campaign of extermination, it might be well to inquire the effect it will have upon the human beings in the neighborhood. It is possible that the continuance of the mosquito pest would be quite as endurable as the promiscuous scattering of "A's above the staff" throughout the populous villages that environ the Jersey meadows.

Wall Street and the Country.

Whatever may happen among the bricks and stones of Wall street, the country at large is not likely to suffer materially. Speculative disturbances in New York cannot upset the solid basis of wealth in this country. Agriculture flourishes without regard to the quotations on the ticker. The range of prices of securities may have this or that relation to their real value, but the grain goes on growing, and the live stock keep on fattening. All of this is eminently satisfying to Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who tersely remarks:

"I believe the country will continue to enjoy its prosperity, because I believe the whole system rests upon agriculture."

With an abundant yield of all the great food staples the country has much to sell, and there are foreign markets hungry for its products. Of our exports, 62.72 per cent are from the farms. That contribution to the world's table yields and will continue to yield its tribute in freight for carriage from field to port.

While speculative fortunes may dwindle and fade, the real wealth of the country goes on increasing. In 1893 the aggregate money in this country was $9,073,000,000. In five years this sum has grown to $2,068,000,000. Cash in the banks in 1902 was $839,000,000, an increase in ten years of $253,000,000. American farmers in 1890 owned $494,000,000 of implements and machinery. In 1900 this form of wealth had grown to $761,000,000. The farmers' products in 1890 were worth $2,460,000,000; in 1900 their value was $4,739,000,000. Simultaneously the factories are busy. Their output increased last year $1,950,000,000 in value over the previous year, and they paid out $232,000,000 more in wages.

It is these fundamental facts that give the country serenity and security while the stock manipulators, who have been sowing to the wind, are reaping the whirlwind. The country at large is not particularly disturbed by the antics of Wall street.

It is inferred that the two college professors who succeeded in climbing to the top of Mount Goodsir, the tallest peak in the Otter Tail range and one of the loftiest mountains in the Canadian Rockies, made the dangerous ascent in the interest of higher education.

After the failure of kerosene oil as a mosquito exterminator the Standard Oil company may feel constrained to raise the price to offset the decreased consumption.

In the neighborhood of Maxton, N. C., there are 400 acres of cucumbers, though no statistician has yet computed the number of aches to the acre.

Mosquitoes were never so plentiful and vicious as now, which indicates that scientific exterminators are being laughed to scorn.

Suburban Trolley Accidents.

The alarming frequency with which serious accidents occur on suburban and rural trolley lines gives timely interest and pertinency to some suggestions just made in an open letter sent to Governor Bates of Massachusetts by Mr. W. H. Wheeler of Worcester. Mr. Wheeler wants the legislature to see to it, first of all, that no motorman shall be employed on a country trolley line until he has had two years' experience and has, besides, proved to a state licensing board that he is able to do the right thing at an emergency as well as to manage his car when no dangers are in sight. Just how the test is to be made is not revealed, and not much would be revealed by prearranged difficulties. Still, something could be done in this direction, and the idea has certain merits.

In the next place, Mr. Wheeler would have the state pass a law forbidding one rapid transit car to follow another at a less distance than 100 yards, and ordering the equipment of all such cars with a double set of air brakes, so that one could be used in case the other failed. The regulation as to distance between cars, which seems extremely close, could no doubt be enforced, but in the matter of air brake equipment it will be difficult to force compliance while the world and corporations remain what they are.

Lastly, Mr. Wheeler would have it declared a criminal offense, even when no accident results, to "steal a switch"—that is, for one car to pass the place appointed for meeting another. This is a serious but rather sporting act, he says, is often committed, sometimes with the approval of the passengers, who would rather take large chances than to endure prolonged delays, and therefore he would have rewards offered to those who betray the offenders. One of the essential causes of so many accidents on suburban trolley lines is that they are in reality undersized railroads instead of oversized street car companies and follow the methods of the latter at the great peril of their passengers and the public using the highways over which they pass. While the trolley lines are a great convenience to the suburban and rural population, it is evident that there is still chance for great improvement in their management, particularly in relation to public safety.

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The Stewart family reunion will be held in Edgar Stewart's grove, Campbell creek, on Saturday, Aug. 8.

The family reunion and picnic of the Goff family will be held at the home of Jacob Rhinehart, Big Flats, N. Y., Friday, August 7.

A carpenter on the N. Y. & P. R. R. killed a rattle snake four feet eight inches long and six inches in circumference at Canisteo. The snake had nine rattles.

The Forty-Seventh Separate Company of Hornellsville left Saturday morning for their week's tour of outdoor service in Camp Henry at Farnham on Lake Erie.

While at work on Frank Woodward's barn at Jasper, D. W. Timmerman slightly injured his foot Saturday by letting fall a sleeper upon it. Fortunately it was soft wood.

Trustee to Be Appointed.

The first meeting of the creditors of the Shults banking house of Cohocton will be held at that village August 13, when Andrew Shults, the cashier of the bank, will be examined and a trustee appointed.

Injuries Proved Fatal.

Agnes Brunskill, the six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brunskill of Hornellsville, died at their home, No. 72 Bennett street, Friday evening. Death resulted from burns sustained the previous evening and the resultant shock.

Puts an End to It All.

A grievous wail of times comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, headache, liver complaint and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thoro. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover.

Will Go to Cenclave.

DeMolay commandery, of Hornellsville, No. 27, Knights Templar, is preparing to attend the state conclave to be held in Buffalo next month. They will be accompanied by the Canaseraga band, and it is expected that the companandery will turn out a very large number of swords.

Landgraf Leaves Hornellsville.

Ernest C. Landgraf, who has been managing the Hornellsville base ball team the past season, has retired several hundred dollars the loser. A home company has taken up the work begun by him and will endeavor to supply the lovers of the game in that city entertainment the remainder of the season.

An Accident.

Mrs. Maggie Thomas of Hornellsville was quite badly injured by a bicycle rider Friday. She had stepped into the street to watch the chemical engine which was passing on its way to the fire in the house of Peter Aiken. She was knocked down and rendered unconscious but at last accounts was resting easily.

Addison's Importance as a Railroad Point to Be Increased.

The relative importance of the village of Addison as a railroad center will be greatly increased in a short time and stupendous improvements and facilities for connection with the Erie will be made. As soon as the new line is completed into the Dubois coal fields all the products of the Goodyear coal mines will be shipped in this direction. In order to do this the present transfer tracks of the Buffalo & Susquehanna will have to be extended into a railroad yard capacity of holding hundreds of cars, covering many more acres of land.

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12½ children's ribbed hose, sizes 5 to 9½ now two for.....15c
18c ladies' and childrens frill hose supporters, now.....9c
25c ladies fine muslin pants, hemstitched ruffle, now.....19c
50 and 65c ladies' fine muslin pants, lace and embroidery trimmed, now 42c
Muslin night gowns, trimmed with embroidery, special value.....39c
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Carpets.

Bargains in carpets and rugs. New carpets arriving daily, many of the spring patterns closing at reduced values, make our carpet department lively

Neck Wear.

Lot of fancy neck ribbons, former price 25c and 27c, now.....15c
Lot of fancy neck ribbons, former price 35c and 45c, now.....25c
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$2.25 heavy double thread fishnet curtain, inserted border and edge...$1.39
$3.50 fine Irish point, appique design.....$2.69 per pair
$5.00 heavy bobinet, plain centre, corded design for.....$2.75 per pair
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Misuse of Mileage Books.

The New York & Pennsylvania Railroad Company advise that it may be necessary to issue their mileage books for the use of the person only who signs the contract on them, instead of allowing books to be sold on account of families and firms, for the reason that they find they are much misused on account of people loaning or selling mileage.

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The ANDOVER NEWS is to-day the only paper in Allegany county printing eight six-column pages all at home, that does not charge more than $1.00 per year subscription. It is a close thing to issue such a sheet at that price and make both ends meet. The price of print paper has doubled within the past four years. The only way the NEWS can possibly maintain the present $1.00 rate is to carry no deadheads. Believing it unjust that a good subscriber be taxed to help pay for his deadbeat neighbor's paper, we have determined to adopt the "No pay, no paper" policy January 1st, 1904, and live rigidly up to it after that date. Kindly read the label on your paper and if you are not credited beyond Jan. 1st, 1904, you are hereby notified that your paper will then be discontinued unless you walk up to the Captain's office and settle before that date. After Jan. 1st, 1904, all subscription accounts then due will be placed in an attorney's hands for collection.

THE PUBLISHERS.

Speculator Used City Money.

Montreal, July 29.—Albert Fournier, a civic official, has been missing some days and it was supposed he had fled across the border owing to a shortage in his accounts. His body was found floating in the St. Lawrence, not far from the city. He had been speculating in stocks and had used the city's money.

The Scranton (Pa.) man who has sued an editor for libel asks damages in the sum of $10,000 on the ground of mental anguish caused by the alleged libelous publication. Ten thousand dollars' worth of mental anguish must make a man feel very uncomfortable in dog days.

The government entomologist says that the unusual prevalence of mosquitoes this year is due to the enormous rainfall. It is now up to the government meteorologist to earn his salary by explaining the reason for the enormous rainfall.

The telegraph reports of the remarkable hailstorm in Chicago appear not to have been exaggerated, as the Tribune, published on the spot, insists that some of the hailstones were as large as a chunk of coal.

It begins to look as if Mr. Wu were one of the great men who are without honor in their own country.

It is safe to predict a breezy session at the coming international congress of weather prophets.

If the new toy trust does not last any longer than most toys it will go to pieces the day after next Christmas.

Poultry wanted. A. E. STEBE.

From the Greenwood Times

Comment of Archbishop Ireland.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 5.—Archbishop Ireland, in speaking of the new pope said:

"So far as known, Cardinal Sarto, now elected pope, is a man of deep learning and recognized prudence of action.

"He enters upon the pontificate free from all entangling alliances, free in every way to carve out for himself his own career.

"The election of Cardinal Sarto is not a surprise. It was evident from the beginning that if one outside of Rome was to be chosen that one would be Cardinal Sarto and a not uncommon course of conclaves is to take as its candidate one outside the Eternal City, so that his future administration may be from the beginning one entirely and manifestly inspired by the will wisdom and knowledge of affairs."

Seventh Pope From Venice.

Rome, Aug. 5.—The new pope was one of eight children, two sons and six daughters. One of his sisters is a dressmaker, another is married to a sacristan and peddler, a third married a wine shop keeper and the others are unmarried. The new pope is the seventh who has come from the region of Venice, among whom was Benedict XIII, who also came from Treviso and who, by a strange coincidence was elected pope exactly 599 years ago today.

Two Officials Retained.

Rome, Aug. 5.—Pius X has given orders that he will receive the court in great state today at 1 o'clock. He has confirmed in the post of master of the chamber, Mgr. Bisletti who was so trusted by Pope Leo in that position and has also reappointed Dr. Lapponi the papal doctor.

MARCUM MURDER TRIAL.

Three Witnesses Swear to Seeing Ewen Running From Court House.

Cynthiana, Ky., Aug. 5. — Asbury Spicer's testimony at the Jett-White trial corroborated that of Jett, John Abner and Newton Bowling. Bowling and Adams testified that they reached town immediately before the killing of Marcum and that they saw Jett on the sidewalk near the court house after the shooting.

All three witnessed Ewen running from the court house immediately after the firing of the first shot, but say Jett did not go to the court house until the firing of the second and last shot.

Alfred Tharpe, a boy about 16 years of age, testified that Jett was near the court house when the shots were fired and that he did not reach the building until after both shots had been fired.

Vacancy In Carnegie Company.

Pittsburg, Aug. 5.—The election of E. E. Corey to the presidency of the United States Steel corporation will cause a vacancy in the office of president of the Carnegie Steel company. The directors of the company are expected to meet within a few days in Pittsburg and elect a successor. A. C. Dinkey, superintendent of the Edgar Thompson Steel works at Braddock, is reported to be slated as head of the Carnegie company and Homer Williams will be chosen to take Mr. Dinkey's present position. Dinkey is a brother-in-law of former President Schwab.

Court Want Telegraph Messages.

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 5.—The Cole county grand jury, which is investigating charges of boodling in the legislature, is after the telegrams between Daniel J. Kelley, and former Lieutenant Governor Lee, and other members of the legislature. Representatives of the telegraph companies refused to furnish these telegrams. Judge Hazel gave the telegraph companies until Thursday to produce the telegrams or show cause.

Woman Raised Postal Notes.

New York, Aug. 5.—Mrs. Annie E. Sharply of Philadelphia, was arrested in the general postoffice charged with systematically "raising" postal notes. She is said to have purchased small postal notes, usually for 25 cents, erase the figures with acids, raising them to sums ranging from $65 to $100, and induce hotel keepers or tradesmen to cash them. She will be taken to Philadelphia.

Governor Odell In Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 5.—Governor Odell of New York spent two hours in the city, being a guest of President Horace G. Burt of the Union Pacific and General Charles F. Manderson. He was driven to the Omaha club for two hours of rest, where he held a brief informal reception. He left for the East last evening.

Explosion of Locomotive Boiler.

Baltimore, Aug. 5.—By the explosion of the boiler of a Northern Central railroad engine, drawing a northbound fast freight train at Timonum, Md., last night, two men were probably fatally injured.

RUNAWAY.

Team Frightened by a Train of Cars and One Horse Seriously Injured.

Wednesday morning, while Will Rollins' team stood near the whey vat at Rexville, they got frightened at the cars and started on the run for home. They had gone but a few rods when they ran into the milk wagon of Mr. Hanrahan, one of Mr. Rollins' horses jumping on the wheel of Mr. Hanrahan's wagon and injuring the horse so the driver had to get another one to get home. Mr. Rollins' horse is seriously injured.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.

Team Struck by Locomotive, One Horse Stripped of It's Harness but Not Injured.

On Friday the Hyland Brothers let one of their livery teams to be driven to Young Hickory and on the return they got as far as Blair's crossing where they were overtaken by the afternoon train on the N. Y. & P. R. R. The locomotive struck the near horse and rolled it over and tore off the harness, but strange to say the horses, carriage and driver escaped injury excepting the broken harness. It was a lucky escape.

LUCKY RUNAWAY.

Furniture Scattered in Every Direction, but No Serious Damage.

Monday afternoon our popular furniture dealer, Mr. Miller, was at the station with his matched grays and furniture wagon, loading furniture. He went in the freight room, leaving his team with a load of furniture and he had hardly entered the building, when both horses sprang and started at a lively gait for Main street. The wagon tipped over, scattering the furniture in every direction. After crossing Main street the horses snubbed up against a telephone pole, which brought them to a sudden stop. No injury was done beside breaking the reach to the wagon.

Eat All You Want.

Persons troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia can eat all they want if they will take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. This remedy prepares the stomach for the reception, retention, digestion and assimilation of all of the wholesome food that may be eaten, and enables the digestive organs to perform their functions into the kind of blood that gives health and strength. Sold by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover.

VACANCY IN CARNEGIE COMPANY.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have aching feet, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests the feet and makes new or tight shoes easy. Cures aching, swollen, sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe dealers, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Business

Affords better opportunities for capable, ambitious, energetic young people than any other department of human activity. The Rochester Business Institute has a national reputation for thorough work, and its graduates are in constant demand. Many times during the last year the managers were compelled to say to applicants for young men and women to fill genuine, remunerative positions—"Nobody to send—the supply is exhausted." Catalogue free. Rochester, N. Y.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c, at O. E. Vars & Son's Drug Store, Andover.

Played Out.

That "played out"—"done up" feeling makes life miserable for every sufferer from Kidney ills, backaches, headaches and urinary troubles, painful and annoying.

Doan's Kidney Pills

bring new life and activity, remove the pain and cure the cause, from common backache to dangerous urinary complications.

Ex-Policeman Joseph Cowdry, of 28 Kent street, Jamestown, N. Y., says: "While serving on the police force exposure to all sorts of weather left its mark on me. I suffered from kidney trouble for some time; I doctored and tried recommended medicines, but obtained no permanent relief. My greatest trouble was a difficulty with the kidney secretions, and reading of the efficacy of Doan's Kidney Pills in such complaints, I procured them at Clark Bros' drug store. They relieved me quickly and regulated the action of the kidney secretions."

For sale by all druggists; 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a lu