All Around Old Allegany

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

Wm. Duke, of Wellsville, has been engaged by Wm. K. Vanderbilt to have charge of his famous racing stables at Paris next season.

A former Alfred girl, Miss Stella Pettibone, is a traveling agent, representative of a Chicago corset house with a salary of about $7,000 a year.

Rev. T. Thurneson, formerly of Angelica, has been elected Dean of the Iowa Bible Training School and Deaconness Home at Des Moines, Iowa, where he is at present located.

Luther Skinner of Friendship, who has been an inmate of the Willard asylum for the past three years, has returned home. While he was in the asylum his wife and eldest daughter both died.

An Ice Famine.

The Breeze says there is almost an ice famine in Bolivar, owing to the floods of last spring which melted the two lower courses of ice in a number of ice houses. As a result there are a good many empty refrigerators in that village.

The Chickens Have a Good Time.

The Reporter says that the Erie station agent at Wellsville has a novel way of cleaning rice off the platform: he turns a flock of hungry chickens loose and before you can say Jack Robinson the rice has disappeared.

Death of an Old Allegany Woman.

Mrs. Eunice Lackey, the oldest resident of the town of Genesee and one of the very oldest residents of Allegany county, passed away at her home in the town of Genesee, Monday evening of last week, aged 99 years. Death resulted from the infirmities of age.

Lots of Apples.

The apple crop thruout Southern Allegany is very large this year and there will be thousands of bushels more than are needed for home consumption. Some of the finest winter fruit ever grown here will be picked this fall, while the yield of cider apples was never larger.

Wellsville Will Hold a fair.

It has been decided that Wellsville will have a Fair this year. The dates are Oct. 20-22. It will be distinctly an agricultural exhibition with some special attractions. The fair will be held on the athletic grounds. Next year new grounds will be purchased and fitted up with a race track.

Burdick—Saunders Marriage.

Miss Susie Crandall Saunders, daughter of Irving Saunders of Rochester was married to Starr Adelbert Burdick last Wednesday at noon. Mr. Burdick is a resident of Alfred. The bride was attended by her two sisters, Miss Ethelwyn Saunders as maid of honor and Miss Marian Saunders, bridesmaid. Coit Bliss of Alfred acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Burdick left for an eastern trip.—Rochester Union.

The County Federation.

The Allegany County Federation of Woman's Clubs will hold its ninth annual convention in the Methodist church at Fillmore, Oct. 16, 1903. At the opening session an address of welcome given by Miss Mary E. Crowley, president of the Wide Awake Club, will be responded to by Mrs. J. M. Brundage of Andover, vice president of the Federation. The principal speakers of the day will be Mrs. Annis Ford Eastman of Elmira and Mrs. Charles M. Dow of Jamestown, President of the State Federation.

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"MOB SPIRIT IN AMERICA."

UTTERANCES OF NOTED MEN ON THE ABOVE SUBJECT AT CHAUTAUQUA.

The Vital Importance of These Utterances Has Demanded their Publication in Permanent Form.

During the conference on the Mob Spirit in America, held at Chautauqua, N. Y., this summer, Hon. John Temple Graves of Atlanta, Georgia, declared that lynching has come to stay until the negro race is separated from the white race. He advocated the establishment of a negro state in the irrigable lands of the West—a state in which alone negroes should have the franchise—in every other state they should be disfranchised, as the only remedy for the lynching evil. Mr. Graves also discussed two other proposed remedies: surgery on the negro rapist, and clothing the mob posse with legal power to quickly execute punishment. No utterances on this question have been more sharply criticised or commended by the press in all parts of the country.

The Chautauqua conference lasted for a week and every phase of the alarming growth of the mob spirit in America was discussed by representatives of all shades of opinion. President Frost of Berea College, and Supt. H. M. Brock of the public schools of Leslie county, Kentucky, spoke on "The Mountain Feud." Dr. J. M. Buckley of New York spoke on "Mental and Moral Contagion," replying especially to Mr. Graves. Dr. Dean Richmond Babbitt of Brooklyn gave an address on "Lynching and Mobs from a National Standpoint." D. M. Parry, President of the National Association of Manufacturers and Employers, declared that labor unions were a standing mob, and that there is no room for arbitration business. Thomas I. Kidd defended labor unions as a factor in securing conciliation and arbitration. Chief Justice James B. Lore, of Delaware, and Justice John Woodward of the Supreme Court of New York, in notable addresses argued for obedience to law under our government as constituted and pleaded against the anarchy of mob rule.

The vital importance of these utterances has demanded their publication in permanent form. All the addresses, together with a report of a special conference led by Mr. Graves, and the text of President Roosevelt's letter to Governor Durbin of Indiana made public during the week of the Chautauqua mob conference, have been printed in a booklet entitled "The Mob Spirit in America," price 25 cents. Address "The Chautauqua Press," Chautauqua, N. Y.

DEATH OF W. S. BISSELL.

Former Postmaster General Died Last Night at His Home.

Buffalo, Oct. 7. — Wilson Shannon Bissell, former postmaster general, died at 10:05 o'clock last night at his home, No. 1097 Delaware avenue. About 10 o'clock yesterday morning he began to fail rapidly and that was continued during the day. The end came peacefully. Dr. De Witt H. Sherman, who had been attending him during his recent illness, and other friends were at the bedside.

Mr. Bissell suffered from complications thought to be akin to Bright's disease, but not well understood. It was thought the physicians did not know just what was the matter. If they did know, they did not tell, for none of the members of the family knew.

On June 1 Mr. Bissell's illness became so serious that he was sent to New York to consult specialists. It was thought an operation would be performed. After an examination the specialists decided he should rebuild his health and sent him, under strict orders regarding his methods of living, to his summer home at Bar Harbor, R. I., where his wife was staying for the summer. At that time, it is said, the physicians realized that Mr. Bissell could not live. The time at Bar Harbor was spent in bed.

In September he came back to Buffalo and was thereafter confined to his bed. On Monday a serious turn for the worse was announced and his death was expected in a few hours. Drs. Roswell Park and John Parmenter were called into consultation with Dr. Sherman. Yesterday Mr. Bissell rallied and much was hoped for in the way of warding off death, although it was not expected he would recover.

WILSON S. BISSELL.

HOW TO VOTE.

The form of ballot to be voted at the coming election will be as follows: Put the X mark in the square as shown opposite the word No.

Yes.		Shall the state expend $101,000,000 in the building of a barge canal?
No.	X	

Railway's Advantages.

Railway transportation, as it exists in this country, has advantages for the state that should be considered in this connection. Employment is given to an army of men, millions are distributed for wages, railway property appears upon the assessment rolls, the sum of taxes paid to the state and its municipalities exceeds the wildest claim of benefit that can be attributed to the canal, and the railway is useful where and when the canal is not. The welfare and prosperity of the state receives a thousandfold greater and more substantial support from the railways than it has ever received from the canal, and the logic of the situation discountenances any attempt to abridge their legitimate sphere of usefulness, except through the development of improved methods at other than state expense. Take away the railways and the effect would be paralyzing, while, on the other hand, to withhold state support from the canal would add something to the railway freightage in summer and lighten the burden of taxes—a compensating benefit more than offsetting any increase of railway rates possible in the face of competition and restrictive legislation.—Address of E. A. Young at Cheyenne County Grange Picnic.

How Much is "Enough?"

Colonel Symons has come to the aid of the canal men by declaring that $101,000,000 is enough.—Binghamton Leader.

Enough for what? Enough for a starter, probably.—Post Express.

Perhaps. Certainly he could not have thought of conveying the idea that it was enough for the canal men if more were to be had.—Binghamton Leader.

Buffalo Ring Plan.

Let all the taxpayers of Tompkins county and of all the region unite in opposition to the Buffalo elevator ring plan, this wild scheme which means the expenditure of millions upon millions of the people's money. We don't want the big canal, and if we all stand together we will not have this big canal and the bigger debt.—Ithaca Journal (Rep.).

Much is said about the diversion of trade from New York to other ports. Is this any argument for a canal? New York alone has water transportation from the grain districts of the west. Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Newport News and Galveston never had and never can have a canal. Their increase of business has resulted from railway development.

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well. Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth." Infallible for coughs and colds. 50c and $1.00 bottles guaranteed by O. E. Vars & Son.

RAILWAYS AND CANALS.

The advocates of the barge canal scheme assert that their only opponents are the railways and those interested in them. Thousands of farmers can testify to the utter falsity of this charge. The committee in opposition to the barge canal scheme does not represent any interest whatever but that of the taxpayers. Railways are heavy taxpayers; therefore in that sense it represents them, but in no other.

But the question is wholly one of transportation and of the benefits realized and to be obtained by cheap transportation. The entire plea for the barge canal is that "water transportation is inherently cheaper than railway transportation," and it would be eminently proper and right for the railways to enter the controversy thus raised. The barge canal men even so so far as to claim that the railways, with their enormous and profitable transportation, voluntarily used and cheerfully paid for by those who use it, costing the state nothing, but contributing millions to its treasury in taxes, the essential factor in all industries and in all commercial enterprise, have not benefited the state. The canals have done it all! Their pitiful little three and a half million tonnage per annum of the cheapest and coarsest raw products is credited with having more value than the 120,000,000 tonnage per anqum of the railways! And the railway managers are not only justified in standing up for themselves. It is their duty to do it, and it is a shame that they do not.

In November, 1902, the New York Commercial Advertiser published a tabular statement of the industrial growth of the United States in the preceding twenty years, compiled from official sources, in which it was shown that from 1882 to 1902 there had been an increase—

	Per cent.
In population of	50.5
In wealth	115.75
In wheat raised	24.36
In corn raised	57.41
In cotton raised	96.75
In value of all farm products	73.12
In coal mined	323.62
In value of all manufactures	142.54
In railway tonnage	261.36

Thus in the forefront of all stood railway transportation, the great agency of all the rest, itself having a greater increase than any other.

Where were the canals? They were not important enough to have a place in the compilation at all. If they had been there, their tonnage would have shown a decrease during the period of their "freedom" from tolls, when they were supported wholly at public expense, of 40.11 per cent and in value of articles transported of 43.36 per cent.

This was the Empire State, and New York was the greatest commercial city before there was any canal. Their growth relatively to the rest of the Union was greater before the Erie canal was opened than during the time of that canal's greatest prosperity and has been greatest of all during the period of the canal's decline.

Ran a Ten Penny Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail thru the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover; and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

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$3,308,741.79.

The cost of maintaining the barge canal will necessarily be greater, but if we put it at only $2,655,290 it will make the total canal cost per annum to the taxpayers a round

$10,000,000.

The highest estimate by the most exuberant canal crank of traffic on the barge canal, if it is ever finished, is

20,000,000 Tons.

And every schoolboy knows that that means that the state must pay on every ton of that traffic

50 Cents a Ton.

But the Roosevelt committee, on whose report the whole barge canal scheme is founded, declared the average distance the canal freight was carried in 1898 to be

150 Miles.

It is less now, and barge canal advocates tell us that their scheme will increase way freight and through freight relatively in the same proportions as now, but if we put the distance, as in 1898, at 150 miles, this will make the state cost for carrying freight

3 1-3 Mills Per Ton Mile.

The barge canal men say they are going to carry freight at

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MOB DESTROYED PROPERTY.

City of Buffalo Declared Liable For Demolishing of Marshall's Houses.

Albany, Oct. 7.—The court of appeals decides that an enormous crowd of people pulling a house down piecemeal may constitute technical riot. In the case of Charles D. Marshall, trustee, against the city of Buffalo, the court handed down an opinion sustaining the appellate division in holding that the destruction of the plaintiff's property by an unauthorized mob was in effect a riot and that the city is liable for not protecting the property.

The case was tried three times and on the last trial the jury was directed to give a verdict for the defendant city. The appellate division reversed this judgment and the court of appeals yesterday sustained the appellate division in so doing. The destroyed buildings were valued at $2,500, which sum the plaintiff will now recover.

It appears in the record that some one passed the word that the buildings were to be demolished and on July 30, 1897, a crowd of men, women, boys and girls entered upon respondent's premises with ropes, crowbars, axes, shovels, pickaxes and saws and began pulling down the buildings and carrying away the material and they continued until nothing remained but the land, foundations and iron material too heavy to carry away. Plaintiff had no knowledge or notice that the buildings were being destroyed and authorized no one to destroy them.

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CAN IT HELP NEW YORK?

Reasons Why the Proposed Barge Canal Will Not Benefit the Metropolis.

The grain differential, as viewed by the commissions which have investigated it, was discussed in the Railroad Gazette last week, and it was shown that the southern lines were in a position to lower their rates resting if at any time New York competition should force them to do so. Disregarding entirely, therefore, the practicability of the proposed barge canal as a cheap carrier and assuming that such a canal could and would carry grain as cheaply as its advocates believe, it seems profitable to study further the benefits which would accrue to New York under such conditions.

It is well known that grain which is exported from the country is carried either at cargo rates, when it forms the charter cargo of a vessel, or at berth rates, when it is used to fill space not required for merchandise. Grain in cargoes is the characteristic of the southern ports. The prevalent shipment of grain from New York is at berth freight, for the obvious reason that it is a convenient filler for ships otherwise partially loaded. Berth rates are proverbially unstable, depending to a large degree upon the temporary demand for carriers or for cargo, while ocean cargo rates, although subject to frequent fluctuations, may be said at least to represent a fair rate for service performed, since the profit to the carrier is derived in this case from a single source. It follows, then, that the port which does the most extensive business in other kinds of freight and maintains the most lines of steamers is naturally in a very advantageous position to export grain incidentally to the other business done. Its profit on grain carrying is added to its profit.

New York is pre-eminent in this respect. In the current issue of the Journal of Commerce, for example, some ninety lines of steamers are advertised, reaching every part of Europe and running also to islands in the Atlantic, to South America, India, China and Japan, Australia, South Africa, etc. If the southern ports are to receive any grain at all, they must make it a substantial bid for it, and it is natural and perfectly legitimate for them to do so.

Suppose, then, that the voters of New York state authorize the carrying of grain from the great lakes to New York city at state expense, in accordance with the barge canal proposition, reduced to its actual terms. Baltimore, Philadelphia and the other southern ports, with the railroad systems which reach them, must still have grain. Therefore they must still maintain the differential which enables them to receive it. As before stated, the character of the port of New York in reference to the far reaching business done there—the competitive principle of the commission's decision—gives New York an advantage so great that a differential is needed to equalize it. But the southern ports have advantages of a different character, which can be applied for effecting a material reduction in rail rates should the occasion require it.

Terminal facilities of any kind whatever at New York require a great outlay of money, and even a small increase in business in a territory so congested calls for heavy additional expenditure. The difference in rate between Baltimore and New York does not serve as an inducement to the Baltimore and Ohio to ship grain to New York. It is more profitable to discharge it at the convenient Baltimore docks instead of lightering it from Staten Island with floats of freight cars distributed around New York harbor and slow to return. If the proposed canal were successful as a rate cutter, therefore, it would be met by a group of railroads which could well afford to make material reductions to the southern ports, ports located far nearer the grain territory, with terminal facilities much less expensive to the carriers. Indeed, throughout the years when the differential was ordered, but not much observed, these railroads were able to keep far enough below New York cuts to maintain their business.

The current reduction in grain rates from Lake Erie to New York and Philadelphia illustrates another tendency sure to work against any material benefit which a lower rate might be expected to bring to New York. It has been followed by an instantaneous increase in ocean freights from New York in spite of the protests of local interests. The rate to London has been advanced within the last few days from 1½d. minimum to 2d., and the same ratio holds to other foreign ports.

If the summing up of the two previous articles which the Railroad Gazette has printed on the canal question be sound—(1) that the canal would be most unlikely to effect any reduction in the ultimate cost of transportation and (2) that it ought not to if it could—it seems that a third statement may now be added to the effect that it would make no eventual difference to New York city if it did.—Railroad Gazette.

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Letter to Whom was Found on Person of Peter Elliott.

ROOMED AT BINGHAMTON HOTEL

Registering There on Sept. 9 and Stayed Until Sept. 29—Proprietor Says He Was a Queer Acting Fellow and Did Not Mingle With any of the People at the Hotel.

Binghamton, Oct. 7.—The local police have found a trace of P. O. Olafsen, a letter to whom was found on the person of Peter Elliott, the demented man who attempted to get into the White House at Washington on Monday.

A man registered at the Imperial hotel on Chenango street on September 9 under that name and in a crabbed foreign style of writing wrote the name of the place from whence he came as Lawrenceville or Laurotville.

He stayed there until September 23, when he left, saying that he had secured a job at Lestershire and that he expected a chest of tools and some clothes to come here and asked the hotel proprietor to pay the express charges on them and hold them for him.

No clothes or tools have come, but a letter has been received at the postoffice for him and is still unclaimed.

While at the hotel the man did not mingle with any of the people there and the proprietor says he was a very queer acting fellow and that he was a Swede. While there he expressed that he worked three days in a local machine shop. He always went directly to his room on returning from work, washing there and eating his meals by himself, never coming to the dining room.

EVACUATION OF MANCHURIA.

Popular Feeling In Japan Exasperated at Failure to Carry Out Agreement.

Yokohama, Oct. 7.—With the approach of October 8, the nominal date for Russia's evacuation of Manchuria, great tension is observable among the Japanese populace, but in diplomatic circles it is reaffirmed that hopefulness prevails of an amicable settlement of the imbroglio between Russia and Japan on the basis of minor concessions by Russia in Corea and Manchuria, though officials do not expect evacuation October 8.

Baron Von Rosen, the Russian minister to Japan, has returned here from a conference with Viceroy Alexieff at Port Arthur. Baron Komura, the foreign minister, has given out a hopeful interview, but the Japanese minister and emperor have had long conferences, indicating preparations for any eventuality. The uect and the army are both without question in readiness.

Popular feeling in Japan is exasperated at Russia's dilatory tactics, and the excitement has become aggravated by the sensational press which is constantly circulating rumors of fresh Russian aggressions. The officials deprecate these.

It is believed in some quarters that these reports emanate from Russian sources with the object of forcing Japan's hand.

The Japanese press claims America is ready to yield Japan her strong moral support against any unfair encroachments.

In spite of popular irritation it is believed that the Japanese officials will be able to maintain the present peaceful defensive attitude.

Retail Butchers' Association.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The Eastern and Western Retail Butchers' Protective association have failed to effect a consolidation. Committees from both organizations at a conference agreed upon certain concessions but their recommendations were rejected by both organizations and the conventions proceeded separately. The Eastern association after electing officers adjourned. The Western association changed its name to the Master Butchers of America.

Boodling in Education Department.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 7. — Jones' confession has started a further investigation of "boodling" in the board of education. Several teachers allege they have paid for appointments, and there are said to be irregularities in the letting of contracts.

Albany Mayoralty Nomination.

Albany, Oct. 7.—The Democratic city convention last night nominated for mayor Colonel William Gorham Rice, United States civil service commissioner under President Cleveland.

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Proposition Defeated.

The proposition that came up at a special election at Canisteo Oct. 1st, to bond the village for $8,000 for the purpose of building dykes of steel and wood along the Bennett's and Purdy creeks to prevent damage from future floods, was defeated by 113 against it and 27 for it.

An Addition of Six to the Family in One Night.

Mrs. John Beam, of Mitchellsville, Steuben county, aged 65 years, has given birth to twins. Her daughter, who lives in the neighboring township, presented her husband with twins the same evening. Before congratulations were over, Mrs. Beam's granddaughter sent word that she had just become the mother of two healthy children.—Susquehanna Journal.

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Everybody who has visited New York city during the past summer or who has read the news-papers of that city has probably heard of this great play. The scenes which are "A Kansas Farm," "The Country of Munchkins," "The Road thru the Forest," "The Poppy Field," "The Poppy Field in Winter," and the "The Courtyard of the Wizard's Palace" are very gorgeous. The characters are very funny, the principals being "The Scar Crow," "Tin Woodman," "The Awful Lion," etc. One hundred and fifty in the cast.

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