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Your money back for the asking if not satisfied.

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

GREENWOOD LOCAL BRIEFS.

More snow.

Sleighing is good.

Christmas is near.

Friday's wind piled up the snow.

Oliver Trowbridge is reported better.

Our merchants have good lines of holiday goods.

Mrs. Mary Andrus was in Hornellsville Saturday.

Supervisor Wyckoff was a caller in Greenwood Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Wingeat was in Hornellsville Thursday.

Jas. McGill of West Union was a caller in town Saturday.

Wallace Knight and wife visited at Menzo Knight's Sunday.

William Baker, an aged resident of this place, is quite sick.

Miss Kate Chapin spent Sunday at her home in Whitesville.

Miss Mary Whitford spent Sunday at her home in Canisteo.

Sol. Roseman was in town Monday calling on his customers.

Neil O'Hargan spent several days in Binghamton last week.

Mrs. J. S. Webster was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Kane last week.

David Travis is entertaining his mother who resides in Jasper.

Lee Trowbridge and wife of Andover are guests of his parents.

Jay Deary and R. Burdick of Hornellsville were in town Thursday.

Mr. Reed of Hornellsville was selling medicines in town last week.

A sleighing party from Canisteo visited Greenwood Friday evening.

School Commissioner Weeks visited our school Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. A. P. Woodward and daughter Lucile were in Hornellsville Saturday.

Rev John A. Copeland was greeting friends in town Monday of this week.

Chas. Kreidler, the potato merchant of Arkport, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. George Dennis of Jasper was the guest of Mrs. John Young Thursday.

Miss Marie Woodward was home over Sunday from her school at Gravel Run.

Miss Sofa Lewis spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister at Whitesville.

Miss Maggie Berger of Canisteo was in this place Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. George Emory of Buffalo is in Greenwood, called here by the severe illness of her father.

A company of the larger students of our school sleighridded to the Marsh Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Williamson has returned home from Sidney where she has been in a millinery store.

Mrs. Marvin Goff has gone to Avoca to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Emma Smith.

The Sunday school of the M. E. church are preparing an entertainment for Christmas time.

Freeman Rogers and M. A. Gaybart of West Greenwood were in this place Monday, making a call at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Bath returned Monday from a visit with his sister, Mrs. David Travis.

George Bruce and wife went last week on a thirty days visit to their son, Ora Bruce, in Chicago.

The oil well drilled some time ago on the James Redmond farm is still producing about 20 barrels daily.

Mrs. Timothy Blair has so far recovered from typhoid fever as to be able to visit her parents this week.

Monday night of this week was one of the coldest of the season, the mercury hovering around the zero point.

The Sunday school of the Church of Latter Day Saints are preparing an evening entertainment for Christmas.

The prospect for high priced potatoes is good as the crop thruout the country is the lightest in many years.

The engine became disabled on the excursion train Sunday, delaying the train about four hours on the return trip.

W. A. Scribner has now one of the best equipped meat markets in the county. He also has a good stock of meats.

Mrs. Ada Miner of Hornellsville, who has been spending a few days with relatives in town, returned home Friday.

Miss Anna Rollins, Mrs. G. M. Webster, Miss Lotta Knight and Mrs. J. S. Webster were in Hornellsville Saturday.

Rev. McCallum of Jasper, President of the McKinley Memorial Institute, preached at the M. E. church Thursday evening.

George Woodward with a force of men and teams is lumbering on McCormick and Johnson farms. He has a stock of 200,000 pine and oak.

Wm. Baker and Thos. Fisher were in town Monday as apprisers making an inventory of the estate of Michael Shanley, late of this place, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs George Dennis and daughter Ora of West Jasper are going Friday to Florida to spend the winter. They will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woodbury of Hornellsville. Mr. Woodbury and Mr. Dennis have purchased a place in the Land of Flowers for their winter residence.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered torture. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Leuhart, Bowling Green, O.

Beginning Saturday.

On Saturday the 19th, we begin a few days special holiday bargain sale During this period you find the lowest prices ever quoted on good honest merchandise—Hundreds of pieces of furs and fur coats, valued at several thousand dollars will be offered at surprisingly low prices for the class of goods—Nothing but absolutely guaranteed furs are sold here—Everything in cloaks and suits will be sold at January prices—Grand kid glove values, and each pair put up in a handsome embossed box without extra charge. Waists, dressing sacques, bath robes, silk petticoats, umbrellas, lace and stock collars, sofa pillows, beautiful linens, muslin, wool and flannelette underwear, leather and silk bags, purses, bead belts and chains, silk belts, lisle thread and silk hosiery, jewelry and hundreds of other articles suitable for gifts will be found at money-saving prices—If you get it here you know it is right.

ERLICH BROS.,
READY-MADE CLOTHING FOR WOMEN,
148 Main Street, Hornellsville.

Homeseekers' Excursions

To the west, south-west, also to the south, east of Mississippi River, points in Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mexico, Michigan, upper peninsula, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, North Dakota, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming. Upon application to W. T. Jaeger, General Agent, Passenger Department, 309 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y., or any Erie coupon ticket agent, information will be cheerfully furnished, regarding homeseekers' excursion rates. Tickets will be on sale December 15, 1903, January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 1 and 15, and April 5 and 19, 1904. Also special one-way colonist tickets will be on sale.

Is the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Use Woods Norway Pine Syrup.

We Are Ready For Christmas, Are You?

It's the part of wisdom not to delay your preparation until the last week. Better begin it now when you can do it more leisurely. The whole store has caught the holiday spirit. You are welcome to inspect an array of useful and beautiful gifts such as is seldom your good fortune to see. It's a stock to enlist the interest the interest of every taste and satisfy the demand of any pocket book. What you select now will be held for later delivery if you wish. Whatever is wearable is givable and acceptable for a Christmas present. We have everything that is new, beautiful, acceptable and excellent in all

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

Our prices place these things within reach of the most modest purse

MEN'S House Coats and smoking Jackets in beautiful patterns plain and fancy trimmed $5, $10

MEN'S Bath Robes and Lounging Gowns, $5 to $10.

NIGHT Robes and Pajamas 50c to $3.

SILK Mufflers from 50c to $5.50

A truly fine assortment of patterns. Something entirely new in full dress protectors.

DRESS or Street Gloves 25c to $3.50 a pair.

SILK Handkerchiefs from 25c to $1. Beautiful designs.

UMBRELLAS Plain or mounted in great variety of styles, 50c to $7.50

HOLIDAY Neckwear from 25c to $2. All newest effects.

HOLIDAY Jewelry. A spread at prices that are sure to please.

PLAIN and Fancy Hosiery and Fancy Silk Suspenders. All at prices calculated to surprise and please you,

If you want your Christmas money to reach a long way, buy your presents here.

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HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y.

Greenwood Union School.

The following is a list of certificates and diplomas received by students of the Greenwood Union School:

Pitt Coston	96	count Diploma
Kelts C. Baker	60	" "
Gertrude Kellogg	60	" "
Genevieve Richey	60	" "
Jeanne Rogers	48	" "
Hattie Cole	48	" "
Mary Fisher	48	" "
Michael Fisher	48	" "
John Hauber	48	" "
Miller Travis	48	" "
Anna Rollins	48	" "
Blanche Caffrey	36	count cer.
Sabry Stephens	36	" "
Eva Scott	24	" "
Nora Atkins	24	" "
Edith Daily	24	" "
Addie Hauber	12	" "
Grace Cole	12	" "
Marie Mallory		Preliminary cer.
Ruby Tyler		" "
Addie Hauber		" "
Jesse Brundage		" "

There are 34 non-resident students in our school and probably more will avail themselves of the superior advantages offered here for an education.

Former Painted Post Resident Died at Buffalo.

Patrick Leonard, a former resident of Painted Post for many years, died in Buffalo last Saturday night. Mr. Leonard is survived by his wife, one son, John, and one granddaughter, Florence of Buffalo, and one sister of Corning, Mrs. John Walker of West Second street.

Fight Will be Bitter.

Thosewho will persist in closing their eaters against the continuation of the agitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if notended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by O. E. Vars & Son Andover, N. E. Coston, Greenwood, Druggist. Price 50c, and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

The return to this country of the Earl and Countess of Yarmouth is probably for the purpose of trying to induce her ladyship's family to Thaw some more.

Senator Newlands' joint resolution for the annexation of Cuba to the United States has the appearance of a play on his patronymic.

Long Hair

"About a year ago my hair was coming out very fast, so I bought a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It stopped the falling and made my hair grow very rapidly, until now it is 45 inches in length."—Mrs. A. Boydston, Atchison, Kans.

There's another hunger than that of the stomach. Hair hunger, for instance. Hungry hair needs food, needs hair vigor—*Ayer's.*

This is why we say that Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color, and makes the hair grow long and heavy. $1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Better Than a Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by O. E. Vars & Son, Andover, and N. E. Coston, Greenwood.

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 workmanlike manner and at prices that baffle all competitors. tf

The Lone Star State.

Down in Texas at Yoakum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips East to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here, take one of these Little Early Risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning feeling good." For the "dark brown" taste, headache and that logy feeling De Witt's Little Early Risers are the best pill to use. Sold by O. E. Vars & Son.

What shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10cts. 2

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are not cheap. That which makes them valuable is the brains used in fitting them. Our prices are as low as is consistent with best quality and satisfactory service.

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The Wellsville optician at Swink's Hotel, Andover, the first Tuesday in each month. Dr. Ellsworth's office at Wellsville Saturday.

Citation.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, by the Grace of God, free and independent.—To Elinor C. O'Donnell, George M. O'Donnell, heirs at law, Thomas O'Donnell, Pr., R. J. Atwood, G. R. Vars, Mary O'Donnell, creditors of Thomas J. O'Donnell, deceased, and to Otis Van Fleet, occupant of the real estate of the said deceased, and all other persons interested in the estate of the said deceased.

Whereas, May O'Donnell, as administratrix of the estate of Thomas J. O'Donnell, deceased, has applied to our Surrogate of Allegany County for a citation touching you and each of you to appear and show cause why authority should not be given her by said Surrogate to mortgage, lease, or sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary for the payment of his debts: You and each of you are required to be and appear before our Surrogate, at his office, in the village of Belmont in said county on the fifteenth day of January, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause why authority should not be given said May O'Donnell to mortgage, lease or sell so much of the real estate of said deceased as shall be necessary for the payment of his debts. And you and each of you having claims against said Deceased are further required to exhibit and prove the same before said Surrogate at the time and place aforesaid. And those of you who are under the age of twenty-one years are required to appear by your guardian; if you have no such, if you know not, that you appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in these proceedings.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said Surrogate to be hereunto (L.S.) affixed.

Witness, Hon. Elba Reynolds, Surrogate of said County of Allegany, at Belmont in said County, this 19th day of November, 1903.

ELBA REYNOLDS, Surrogate.
CRAYTON L. HARLEY, Att'y for Petitioner.
Andover, N. Y. 2

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Quarterly Report OF THE Andover State Bank,

at the close of business on the 8th day of December, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$60,051 83
Overdrafts	214 32
Due from approved Reserve Agents	8,809 51
Banking House and Lot	3,100 00
Mortgages owned	3,976 00
Stocks and Bonds	1,000 00
Specie	3,893 17
U. S. Legal Tenders and Circulating Notes of National Banks	4,720 00
Cash items, viz: Bills and Checks for the next day's exchanges	1,095 10
Other items carried as cash	22 96
Furniture and Fixtures	1,100 00
	$89,003 92

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	$20,000 00
Surplus Fund	6,000 00
Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	2,455 50
Due Depositors	56,944 16
Reserved for taxes	604 26
	$89,003 92

STATE OF NEW YORK, } ss.:
County of Allegany, }

James Owen, President and J. M. Brundage, Cashier of the Andover State Bank, a Bank located and doing business at Andover, in the village of Andover, N. Y., in said county, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing Report, with the schedule accompanying the same, is true and correct in all respects to the best of his knowledge and belief, and they further say that the usual business of said bank has been transacted at the location required by the banking law (Chap. 690, Laws of 1892, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Superintendent of Banks designating the 8th day of December, 1903, as the day on which such report shall be made.

JAMES OWEN, President.
J. M. BRUNDAGE, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents, the 14th day of Dec., 1903, before me.

CRAYTON L. HARLEY,
[L. S.] Notary Public.

JUDGMENTS FOR SALE.

TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned will receive bids for the following Judgments heretofore obtained and Jutertained against the following named persons, which judgments are for the sums set opposite the names of the respective persons,

MANUFACTURERS & TRADERS COMMERCIAL AGENCY,
BALDWIN BLOCK, - WELLSVILLE, N. Y.

John Higgins, Wellsville,	$6 70	Chas L. Arnold, Hornellsville,	$7 54
W. A. Galpin, "	5 37	C. Judson DeGroat, "	8 15
John Higgins, "	2 20	Lizzie Brown, "	12 77
Mike O'Brien, "	5 70	Eliza McAllister, Warsaw,	20 54
Judd Tidd, "	5 95	Jacob Smith, Wyoming,	10 54
W. H. Travis, Arkport,	39 92	Lorain W. Caryl, Pike,	13 93
Leonard C. King, Elmira,	9 65	Headley McVeigh, Dale,	16 95
William Lee, Hornellsville,	9 72	Michael Furnace, Bath,	118 66
C. A. Silver, "	10 74	Loretta A. Ordway, "	34 51
Wm. Tenney, "	30 08	John Rumsey, "	17 01
C. G. Tharp, "	49 00	C. W Hogancamp, Bingham'n	70 77
N. B. Palmer, "	48 78	Chas. Fisher, Lyons,	801 58
Mary Brong, "	64 91	Chas. Gregorius, Corning,	118 17
Fred Webb, "	5 59	C. Beebe, Olean,	82 23
Horace Galpin, "	13 88		

STATEHOOD BILLS,

They Are Not Likely to Pass During Present Session.

CONGRESS OPPOSED TO IDEA.

The Outlook for Financial Legislation Not Promising—Business Wants to be Let Alone—Leader Williams a Success.

Washington, Dec. 17.—[Special.]—There will be no new states. It is evident thus early in the regular session that the territories of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico must wait until the presidential election passes before they can hope for admission. Perhaps after that they may be admitted. The short session of congress which meets a year hence may take up the statehood bills and pass them, but even this is a doubtful proposition. There is no doubt, however, that the new states are going to wait now, as was made manifest during the gathering of the Republicans when the national committee selected the time and place for the national convention. But before this it was evident that congress did not take kindly to the idea of admitting new states and it was apparent that Republicans did not want this issue raised if they could avoid it.

They Were in Evidence.

The advocates of statehood were in evidence at the meeting of the Republican committee. Dennis Flynn, who has been in congress for many years and who has been able to carry Oklahoma when no other Republican could, was mingling with the members of the national committee and talked as strongly as ever for statehood. Governor Brodie of Arizona, along with ex-Governor and ex-Delegate N. O. Murphy, were also on deck talking new states to the Republicans with all the vigor they possessed. National Committeeman Grimes of Oklahoma, as well as Mr. Luna, the member of the committee from New Mexico, devoted their time to statehood and tried by convincing argument to show that this ought to be the policy of the Republicans. They made no appreciable effect upon the members of the committee. In fact, it seemed as if the committee had heard from places "higher up" and did not care to talk about statehood matters at this session.

Financial Legislation.

A large number of bills have already been introduced in congress, which indicates that senators and members think that there should be some financial legislation during this congress, but the prospects are that nothing will be done. I expect to see the Aldrich bill of the last session or a modification of it pass the senate, as the Republicans of that body seem inclined to think that it will meet with very little opposition and that it will be a material aid to the government. The ship purchase bill may go through the senate, as there were very few senators opposed to it last session, it will eventually meet a snag in the house. Not only will Representative Fowler, chairman of the banking and currency committee, and Representative Hill of Connecticut jump on it and propose what they think are far better measures, but the speaker himself is said to be provided with no great favor upon legislation proposed by the Rhode Island senator. Speaker Cannon not only has the power, but the inclination, to defeat and smother legislation he does not want.

No Experimenting.

A number of Republican leaders think that it would be very injudicious at this time to make any experiments with the currency, as people are generally satisfied with the money that is in circulation now, and the only complaint they make is that they do not get enough of it. It has been stated over and over again that reform in the currency is like the old story of the man who had a defective roof—when it was raining he could not fix it and in fine weather it didn't need fixing. At the same time, when conditions are good and there is plain sailing it is not very likely that any currency reform would be popular. If the currency situation needs reform in bad times that is when congress will take it up.

Williams Makes Good.

While some members of the Democratic minority are inclined to find fault with Representative Williams, who was chosen as the minority leader, the Mississippi man upon the whole has proved a good selection. He has taken very good care of the minority in the matter of committee assignments and has also been very efficient in looking after the interest of the Democrats on the floor of the house. He has not shown as much aggressiveness as some of his Democratic colleagues might like, but he has been able to make points for his party on several occasions, and has done everything that any other man in the same place could do and a great deal better than some others might have done.

They Like Clarkson.

Whenever there is a gathering of Republican politicians anywhere and a number of colored men are in attendance it is always observed that these colored politicians gather around J. S. Clarkson, for many years a Republican national committeeman from Iowa and now surveyor of the port of New York. They are guided by him in what they do politically. These men have known Clarkson during all trying and troublesome times of southern politics, and they believe in him implicitly. It is doubtful if there is one man has more personal influence with the colored men than Clarkson, whose manner toward them is the same as toward all others.

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If in need of such service call, phone or write.

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This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and permanently cures dyspepsia, indigestion, heartburn, sick headache, gastritis, nervous dyspepsia, flatulence, sour stomach, and all other results of imperfect digestion. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive may eat what they like. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured who had given everything else up as hopeless, and who could not even take food into their stomachs. Children who are weakly thrive on it. First dose gives relief. A few months' use completely cures all stomach troubles.
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TIME TABLE.

Takes effect March 14, 1903.

NORTH

Angelica Express, leaves Hornellsville at 5.45 p. m., arriving at Canaseraga at 6.35, Angelica, at 8.10.

New York Express via Wayland, leaves Hornellsville at 6.05 p m, arriving at Wayland at 7.15 p. m.

Buffal. and Wayland Accommodation, leaves Hornellsville at 1.05 p. m., arriving at Wayland at 3.40.

New York and Buffalo Express via Wayland, leaves Hornellsville at 9.40 a. m., arriving at Wayland at 10.30.

SOUTH

New York Express, leaves Wayland at 7.00 a. m., arriving at Hornellsville at 7.50.

New York and Buffalo Express, leaves Wayland at 11.00 a. m. arriving at Hornellsville at 11.50 a. m.

Buffalo and Wayland Accommodation, leaves Wayland at 3.30 p. m., arriving at Hornellsville at 6.45.

Express, leaves Angelica at 7.00 a. m., arriving at Canaseraga at 8.00, Hornellsville at 9.20.

H. F. ALKINS, Vice Pres.,
C. J. RENWICK Gen. Pass. Agent

COUNT TO TRY LABOR DISPUTES.

The prize of $200 offered nearly a year ago by the American Humane Education society for the best plan for preventing strikes has been awarded to Amos Judson Bailey of Meriden, N. H. Mr. Bailey's plan, as published in Our Dumb Animals, the organ of the society offering the prize, presupposes four interested parties in every strike—the employer, the employee, the state and the public. The manner in which the interests of all are to be safeguarded is outlined in the following extracts from the plan submitted by Mr. Bailey:

Establish a system of courts, one system to be established by the state and the judges to be elected by the people; another system, with corresponding jurisdiction, to be established by the federal government, the judges to be appointed by the president, with the consent of the senate. These state courts may be called the industrial court, the industrial court of appeals, the industrial supreme court. To the other series may be prefixed the word federal in each case. These courts shall have full jurisdiction in every case in which industrial problems are involved and which cannot be tried in the civil courts. Full liberty shall be given in the presenting of evidence, and no evidence which may have a bearing on the case in hand shall be ruled out on technical grounds. In rendering a decision the court shall first strive to suggest adjustments of differences that the decision of the court shall be satisfactory to both or all parties concerned and may be voluntarily accepted by them. But in case of failure in such arbitration the decision of the court shall be according to the facts and shall be final, subject only to appeal from lower to higher courts.

All this looks well enough on paper, but putting this or any other plan of compulsory arbitration in practice is quite another matter. However, the continued discussion of schemes of arbitration can do no harm and may create additional public sentiment in favor of that method of settling the disputes between capital and labor.

Arbitration With Great Britain.

With the coming of Ambassador Durand there is a renewal of the talk of an agreement between the government of Great Britain and the United States to arbitrate all disputes. There is no apparent reason why they should not enter into such a compact. There is unquestionably a general disposition in both countries to settle all questions at issue by negotiation. So long as that disposition exists, there can be no war between the two peoples. Every decade, bringing with it various questions which yield readily to negotiation, renders that more certain. Yet for many reasons it is desirable that this triumphant understanding shall be embodied in a formal agreement.

A step toward such an agreement was taken the other day in a meeting of a number of influential gentlemen at Washington which will result in the preparation of a specific plan of arbitration later. Starting some great outburst of public rage, which now seems impossible, arbitration between the United States and Great Britain is a foregone conclusion. Since such British-American arbitration is practically inevitable, there would be greater pertinence and value in the association of this country with the arbitration arrangement negotiated between Great Britain and France, for international arbitration is of value in proportion as it is widespread. The Hague agreement, admirable and significant as it is, needs re-enforcing by solid and definite bargains between the powers.

According to a Lakewood (N. J.) dispatch, John D. Rockefeller created something of a sensation on the golf links of that winter resort by appearing in a gay golf suit the like of which was never before seen. The dispatch says: "A tourist's cap of some checked material was the least gaudy part of the outfit. The vest was of satin, of the greenest green known, with huge brass buttons. Gray striped trousers of fashionable cut and yellow golfing shoes added to the gayety of the Standard Oil man's rig." This is a more lurid picture of the great oil king and philanthropist than any that even Ida Tarbell has drawn.

The Daily "Female" of London, a paper devoted exclusively to womankind, recently offered a prize for the best suggestion for its welfare. One of the competitors for the reward sent in the brief and pungent suggestion, "Drop it." Strangely enough, it didn't win the prize.

A New York woman who was sued for divorce has gone on the stage, which would indicate that the stage deserves our sympathy rather than our condemnation.

Naturally Japan will take into consideration the possibility of mental reservations in considering Russia's representations as to future intentions.

The annual reports of the territorial governors of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona read very much like statehood campaign documents.

The Washington Post expresses the hope that the senate subcommittee that is to go to Havana will not lose its money at Jai Alai.

Despite the reported weakness of Mr. Rockefeller's stomach, he never has any trouble in digesting his securities.

No doubt Cuba is beginning to fear that some American statesmen have contracted the mañana habit.

ELECTRIC PROPULSION ON RAILWAYS.

The announcement of the intention of the Vanderbilts to equip for electric traction the Grand Central passenger station in New York and the lines running into it for fifty miles out is of general public interest as showing the trend toward the adoption of electricity in place of steam on the railroads of the country.

The problem of electric propulsion is no longer one of physics or mechanics, but one of dollars and cents. No well informed and up to date engineer will now deny that every steam locomotive in the country could be supplanted by an electric locomotive if expense were no object. The physical and mechanical difficulties have long since been solved. It is now simply a matter of economics of construction and operation and of return on capital invested.

About two years ago the New York Central company took up the question of electric propulsion for its suburban traffic, consulting expert electricians, who reported to the management that it was commercially feasible to equip the suburban lines and the Grand Central depot for electric traction. Two plans were presented, one for electrical equipment for only a few miles out and another for electricity for fifty miles from the central station. If after two years of figuring and consideration the New York Central management has decided to use electricity for the greater distance it is safe to say that the use of electricity will be more profitable than the use of steam.

The incident indicates that some of the best engineers and railway managers have decided electricity is preferable to steam for railroad motive power for a distance of fifty miles with heavy traffic. The limit a short time ago was ten miles. Now it is fifty. Soon it will be 100 miles, then 1,000 miles. It is not at all unlikely that the next decade will see steam go the way of the stagecoach and the horse car in the forward march of transportation.

Teaching "Isms" and "Ologies."

State Superintendent of Schools Schaeffer of Pennsylvania in a recent address delivered at a teachers' institute took the ground that the mistake of the school curriculum of today lies in the fact that too much time and study are devoted to the "isms" and "ologies" and too little to the three "r's," which represent the fundamentals of education—that is to say, "read-in', 'ritin' and 'rithmetic." Common observation, he contended, makes obvious the fact that these three branches—the very groundwork and foundation of all useful education—are slurred over and neglected for the higher branches. He thinks a knowledge of "the whale or krill" is absolutely essential and that more careful attention should be given to the rudimentary studies.

There seems to be much good "horse sense" in Mr. Schaeffer's contention.

One of the most interesting speeches at the discussion of Canadian problems before the Canadian club of Boston was that of John A. Cooper of Toronto, who proposed that Canada should receive the power of making treaties independently of Great Britain. This would be a step toward separation from Great Britain, and Professor De Sumichrast of Harvard said that the result would be to place a member of the British family on the throne of Canada and divide the power of the British monarch. Something of this sort happened in the case of Portugal many years ago, the end being that the Portuguese empire of Brazil became in time a republic. While it is hardly probable that Canada will go through the same stages as Brazil, it is not altogether unlikely that a similar result might follow the undue exercise of monarchial authority in the Dominion.

The millers of Minneapolis report that in the nine months ended with Sept. 30 the exports of flour to Japan amounted to 800,000 barrels as against 807,736 barrels in the corresponding period of 1902. They believe this remarkable increase indicates preparations for war. While the Japs are wise in laying in a good supply of Minnesota flour as a precautionary measure, preparation does not necessarily mean that there will be war.

A government official makes an elaborate argument in support of the theory that farming should be taught in the district schools. That's what most of the boys learn outside of the school hours.

The price of radium has been marked down from $1,000,000 to $900,000 a pound, but at the reduced price the manufacturers do not give green trading stamps.

The bill in congress looking to the facilitating of the exchange of unclean bank notes for clean ones deserves popular approval. Away with the filthy lucre!

The remark of Governor Odell that reform is needed in New York city sounds very much like something that has been said before.

In answer to the charge that the late extra session of congress was profitless the members can show their mileage certificates.

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