

### WESTERN NEW YORK

Wayne county has issued 9,000 automobile plates this year.

Dunkirk is to get gas from the 3,000-foot well struck at Abbey.

The improved road from Olean to H. Hadley will be completed by Aug. 15th.

Olean proposes to extend its city limits to take in part of boardmanville.

Jamestown's natural gas rate may go up, as the company is petitioning for an increase.

Williamson has a new industry, the Mode, Parts company, which employs 20 women.

The office of the American Railway Express company at Brockport has been discontinued.

The demand for houses and rooms for housekeeping in Catawaga far exceeded the supply.

Wheat threshed in the vicinity of Chili shows an average yield of 20 bushels to the acre.

The proposition to establish a farm course in school district No. 6 at Pittsford was voted down.

In adopting the school budget at Newark provision was made for the purchase of a playground.

George Eastman of Rochester is credited with gifts of \$40,000 to charitable and educational institutions.

Estates amounting to \$7,407,914.25 passed through the Monroe county surrogate's office during the month of July.

Hughes post of the American Legion at Salamanca has a fund of more than \$500 for the relief of disabled soldiers.

The Augusta Knitting mills at Bath, which has been closed for the last five weeks, resumed operations last week.

The Steuben county farm bureau will direct a tour of farmers through the county on Aug. 15 to inspect potato fields.

Drilling for gas has begun on the Nelson-Dye farm at South Dayton, the first drilling done in the vicinity for 15 years.

Three hundred and nineteen cars of hay have been shipped from Seneca county by the Seneca County Hay Growers' association.

The New York state industrial conference will be held under direction of the state industrial commission at Buffalo, Nov. 22 and 23.

The Olean spinning factory at Albion has installed eight new machines for spinning beans, a process heretofore done by hand.

Buffalo was 17th for the year 1921 in the amount of postal receipts, according to an announcement by Postmaster General York.

Geneva school officials propose to sell the property of delinquent school taxpayers. It is claimed there is \$9,400 in unpaid school taxes on the rolls.

Action of the village trustees of Brockport permitting Sunday baseball games has aroused the ministers, who have made a protest to the council.

Civil service examinations will be held soon for the election of lists of eligibles for the postmasters at East Aurora, Tonawanda, North Tonawanda and Friendship.

With practically all available labor in Lockport employed at the exit, owing to the large amount of construction work under way, a scarcity of men for all jobs is reported.

The Niagara Anglers' club has just received a consignment of young pheasants from the state game farm, which contained a rare specimen, a white bird, among the number.

Work is being pushed on the new state highway from Downey's Corners to Leicester in Livingston county and it is expected that the new road will be completed by Aug. 10.

Secretary Bolles of the Naples fair has arranged a bee consisting of 50 men volunteers who make repairs to a bridge and entrance to the fair ground. The fair will open on Sept. 6th.

Clude Mann, driver of the Seneca Falls-Auburn bus line, reports that in 65 days there have been 29 accidents, including two fatalities, on the road between Seneca Falls and Auburn.

More than \$30,000 in premiums will be offered in the various departments of this year's Rochester exposition, according to figures recently compiled by Secretary Edgar F. Edwards.

Bricklayers employed on the construction of the Corning Free Academy building at Corning have been advanced to \$11 a day or \$1.37 1/2 an hour as a result of their demand for an increase in wages from \$1.25 to \$1.50 an hour. The J. C. Vrooman company, the contractors, succeeded in effecting the compromise. The rate paid is 47 1/2 cents an hour above the prevailing union scale in Corning.

J. M. Dayo of Rochester, secretary of the State Odd Fellows' Home association for 30 years, resigned at the annual meeting in Lockport. His health and age was given as reason for the action.

Vehicle accidents, including motor car crashes at grade crossings, took a toll of 269 lives in the state during the past month, according to a report of the National Highways Protective society.

Inspection of Salamanca's milk supply by men from the state college of

Health Officer L. D. Gunn says most dealers were found to be handling a satisfactory product.

Keenath, Orleans county, will have a firemen's convention and parade this week, with marching companies from Hilton, Ontario, Williamson, Marion, Wolcott, North Rose, Sodus, Red Creek and Webster.

Hamburg, Orleans county, have secured a farm of 158 acres between Athol Springs and Hamburg and one mile from Lake Erie, and will lay out a course and build a club house to be ready for the 1923 season.

Dear, wolf and rattlesnake stories are believed to be propaganda circulated in the vicinity of Cohocton for the purpose of scaring berry pickers who have not been particular from whose property they took the fruit.

Pity gallons of intoxicating liquor were poured into the sewer at police headquarters in Dunkirk by Police Chief Warren. Seven stills, also taken in recent raids, were destroyed, the copper being sold to a junk dealer.

Compulsory inspection of all meat sold, as plain by farmers and offered for sale at Corning will be adopted, if the common council carries out the wishes of the board of health and provides an appropriation of \$600 for starting the inspection work.

Rochester now ranks 28th in bulk of postoffice receipts, according to a report recently received from Washington, with receipts of \$2,142,450. The postmaster's salary, \$5,000 a year, is only exceeded by five other cities in the country.

John F. Ziesman of Rome was elected president of the New York State Retail Grocers' association at the closing session of their 26th annual convention at Elmira to succeed Philip Deputy of Rochester. Syracuse will be the 1923 convention city.

Milk distributors in Niagara Falls announced that the price of milk, beginning Aug. 1 would advance another penny, making the price 14 cents a quart. Cream, at same time, was increased 8 cents per quart, making the cost 80 cents a quart.

Eight persons died as the result of traffic accidents in Buffalo during July, according to a report compiled by the safety bureau of the Buffalo chamber of commerce. The bureau says 50 children 16 years old and under were hurt in traffic accidents. Of this number four died.

The New York subway turnstile coin boxes are the latest to feel the effects of the slump in German currency in the shape of hundreds of five pennig pieces, worth one-fifth of a cent in United States money. The coins closely resemble a five-cent piece in size and weight.

Reward for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who dynamited the home of John F. Digas, Erie shop foreman, at Salamanca, has been increased to \$2,000. Half of this has been offered by the Hornell Construction company, operating the Erie shop, and half by Cattaraugus county.

Dunkirk will be hard hit by the scarcity of coal this winter, according to reports none of the dealers have any coal on hand and just when a supply will reach Dunkirk is problematical. The gas supply last winter was the lowest it has ever been, and the chances are it will be no better during the coming winter.

The Gasport Fruit Growers' association has broken ground at Orangeport for a new packing house to be built on a site purchased from Mortimer Wilcox of Gasport. The structure will be one of the largest in the county. Niagara has several of these packing houses and they are a credit to the county, for they assure well packed fruit for the market of the world.

Communities in Western New York represented in "Who's Who in America" are Albion, Avon, Bath, Brighton, Canajoharie, Canandaigua, Clifton Springs, Corning, Cortland, Cuylersville, Geneseo, Geneva, Honeoye Falls, Lima, Livonia, Lyons, Lockport, Medina, Mt. Morris, Newark, Niagara Falls, Olean, Pittsford, Seneca Falls, Scottsville, Stafford, Watkins, Wayland and Wyoming.

State troopers may be called upon to perform new duties during August, September and part of October. The New York State Civic league requested that they be detailed at county fairs to prevent gambling in any form. The Rev. O. R. Miller, head of the Civic league, last year obtained much evidence of violations of the agricultural law, which forbids gambling of any character in connection with a county fair. This evidence, he says, he laid before Berne A. Pyrke, state commissioner of farms and markets, but said no satisfaction was obtained. Commissioner Pyrke, he said, did not even cause an investigation into the charges. He accepted instead, it is said, affidavits from the management of the various county fair organizations which declared no gambling had occurred on the grounds.

Some people are proud of their ancestors, while others are not to blame. The lazy man is most considered. He allows others to hold down his jobs.

### Births

July 26th.—To Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, of Bolivar, a daughter Gertrude.

July 29th.—To Mr. and Mrs. Elba Hulbert, of Bolivar, a son, Gerald Ward.

July 28th.—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nicholson, of Wellsville, a daughter Fern Marie.

### Marriages

Miss Ruth M. Parker of Belfast and La Mort T. Childs of Rochester, were united in marriage July 29th.

Miss Marcella Keenan, of Ward and Walter L. Zink, of Olean, were married Aug. 2nd.

Miss Agnes Karr, of Almond and Frank Coombe of Whitney's Crossing were married August 2nd, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Jessie Karr.

### Deaths

Willes Smith, a farmer living near Belfast died Aug. 1st, at the Wellsville Memorial Hospital, following an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Margaret Bosworth, aged 23 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bosworth of Friendship, died Aug. 1st, at the Wellsville hospital, following an operation performed the day previous. Miss Bosworth was injured by a fall while leading a calf to the pasture two weeks before the operation.

Chris Smith, aged 93, a much respected resident of Fillmore, hung himself at the home of his son Albert on the night of July 25th. His mind had been falling for some time. He was a native of Germany. He leaves four sons, and one daughter.

Mrs. Elmer Royce died July 27th at her home in Belfast, of cancer. Deceased was born in Boston, Mass., Nov. 1st, 1837.

Aaron Stone, aged 80 years, died suddenly Aug. 2nd, while working in the barn at his home in Belfast.

Mrs. Mary I. Ward, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Meriel of Belmont, Aug. 1st. Deceased was born in 1843.

Mrs. Nathan Tucker, died at her home on the Vandemark, Monday morning Aug. 7th.

Nettie, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dauphin Dexter, of Willing Township, who a few weeks ago was taken to a state institution at Sonyea, for care and treatment, died at that institution, July 31st. The girl was eleven years and nearly five months old.

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