The Andover News.

ANDOVER, N. Y., MAY 14, 1890. EDITION

THE NEW BALLOT LAW.

Now that the News gave a short synopsis of the new ballot reform law, this issue not complete enough to give readers a clear understanding of the law. Below will be found a more complete and definite synopsis. The law provides in regard to nominations that the chairman and secretary of a political convention must file with a certified list of every office for which the convention has made a nomination, with the name, residence and place of business of each nominee, and a copy of its platform, with the name of the party. If the candidate is to be voted for only in one county, or a part of a county, this certificate must be filed with the county clerk not more than 30 nor less than 20 days before the election. If the candidate is to be voted for in more than one county the certificate must be filed with the secretary of state not more than 30 nor less than 25 days before the election. Besides these regular party nominations, any 1,000 voters may sign a petition nominating a candidate for a state office, any 250 voters may nominate a candidate for an office for which less than the whole state, but more than an assembly district must vote, 100 voters may nominate for the assembly, and any 50 voters for a town, ward or village. Each voter's signature to such a petition must be accompanied by a notary's certificate. Such a petiton for any office, to be voted for only in the county, must be filed with the county clerk, not more than 20 nor less than 12 days before the election, and for a state office, must be filed with the secretary of state, not more than 40 nor less than 15 days before the election. After all the nominations are made the county clerk must publish the same in newspapers for six days before election, and must cause them to be posted up at each polling place, substantially as such notices are now published. In regard to the ballots the new law provides that all ballots shall be printed by the county clerk and they shall be open to inspection four days before election. The candidates for each party shall be grouped on one ballot and there shall be as many ballots as parties in the fields, with one blank ballot in addition. Each ballot is to be six inches wide, and in length three-eighths of an inch is to be allowed for each printed line. A stub one inch wide shall be at the top of each ballot, and these stubs are to be numbered successively. The ballots for each election district are to be marked for that district, describing it. There are to be printed 200 of each kind of ballots for every 50 voters. These ballots the county clerks, on Saturday before election, send out to the town or city clerks, and the latter shall send them to the inspectors of election in the morning before the polls are opened. A wooden booth shall be provided, six feet high and three feet square, for every 50 voters. For each election district there shall be five instead of three inspectors, two of whom shall act as ballot clerks and shall have charge of the distribution of the ballots. The voter shall receive one of each of the different kinds of ballots from the ballot clerks. He shall take these ballots into the booth for the purpose of preparing the one he wishes to vote. He must remain in the booth for at least three minutes, but is forbidden to stay longer than 10 minutes. If the voter is physically incapable of voting by reason of some bodily disability, he can make an oath to that effect and may then choose some person to assist him. All other persons must leave their ballots unvoted. Each voter is [illegible] with him [illegible] and contain the names of the candidates for whom he wishes to vote, and which he may paste upon the official ballot. He also may use smaller pasters for any part of the ticket, or he may write upon the official ballot any name of names. Having prepared his ballot, the voter shall leave the booth and deliver his ballot to the inspectors, who shall deposit it folded in the single ballot box. The remaining ballots which he received from the ballot clerks shall be deposited in a waste box provided for the purpose. Provision is made for challenge as now. Before September election districts shall be so divided that they shall contain about 300 voters each. No electioneering shall be allowed within 150 feet of the polls. Employes giving their employers notice the Monday before election shall be given two hours without loss of pay in which to vote.

Respect for His First Wife.

A wayfaring couple came to the home of a prominent uptown clergyman and asked to have the marriage ceremony performed. The bridegroom, a boyish looking fellow, was in deepest mourning from the hat band, whose breadth entirely covered the shiny silkiness of his tile, down to his black gloves.

During the conduct of the usual preliminaries to the service, the clergyman, partly from mild professional interest and partly to relieve the strain of the situation to the bridegroom, said: "You are in mourning, I see; is it for some one very near?"

"Er—well—yes, doctor," stammered the man, "you see, I'm a widower, and my black is for my first wife."

"But bless my soul, man, why didn't you leave off black for your first wife before you came to be married to a second?" asked the startled clergyman, pausing in the act of transcribing: "Age of the bride, 22."

"Well, doctor," he explained, "I wanted to do what was right by my first wife. She ain't been dead quite a year yet, and I thought it was only decent to keep on my black till the year was up, you know." — New York Evening Sun.

An Authority.

Stranger (in western newspaper office)—Deg pardon, sir, but myself and friends need help to decide a bet. Have you a copy of Hoyle?

Old Reporter—No; don't need any. If the dispute is anything about cards, go into that room across the hall and ask for the religious editor.—New York Weekly.

Old Muzzle Loaders.

A Yankee in Mexico writes to Forest and Stream that he was greatly amused at the equipment of three Mexican sportsmen, whom he met one day, going out for a day's shooting. One was armed with a French shotgun of twenty four gauge, four foot barrel, muzzle loading. The second carried a twenty-five pound German target rifle, which, though an excellent weapon to shoot with from a rest at a soldier a mile distant, would be rather clumsy if aimed at a jack rabbit on the run. The third of these sportsmen had an old Spanish firelock which had been changed into a percussion gun.

Being Generous.

Waiter (on scent of a) (nefaction)—Beg pardon, sir, but—er, I think, sir, you've forgotten something.

Diner—Have I? Well, never mind; you may keep it for the very satisfactory manner in which you have served me. There, there, not a word! It's no more than you deserve.—Boston Transcript.

A Great Scene.

"It must have been a magnificent sight to see the mighty waves subdued by oil."

"It was a kerosene I shall never forget."—Chatter.

FORCED TO LEAVE HOME.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggist's for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unhealthy complexion, don't fail to call on any druggist to-day for a free sample of this grand remedy. Ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size package 50 cents.

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Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your own satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into nervous prostration. You need a nerve tonic and Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the liver and kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50 cts. at Brainard's druggists.

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You have heard your neighbors and friends talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any throat, chest or lung trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at N. P. Brainard's drugstore.

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Notice to Prove Claims.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. S. M. Norton, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Martha Crandall, late of Andover in the county of Allegany, deceased, to produce the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned sole executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his dwelling house in Andover in said county, on or before the 21st day of October, 1890.

SHERMAN G. CRANDALL, Executor.

Dated April 23, 1890.

Notice to Prove Claims.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. S. M. Norton, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Nelson R. Crandall, late of the town of Andover in the county of Allegany, deceased, to produce the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, sole executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his dwelling house in Andover in said county of Allegany, on or before the 21st day of October, 1890.

SHERMAN G. CRANDALL, Executor.

Dated April 23, 1890.

Notice of Distribution.

In the matter of the disposition of the real property of Morris Thurston, deceased, to pay debts and funeral expenses.

Surrogate's office, Allegany county, SS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Monis Thurston, deceased, late of the town of Andover in said county:

Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 2787 of the code of civil procedure, that under and by virtue of an order duly made and entered in the Surrogate's Court of Allegany county, on the 4th day of April, 1890, the Surrogate of said county will proceed to make distribution of the proceeds of the real estate of said Morris Thurston, deceased, heretofore duly sold for payment of his debts and funeral expenses, at the office of said Surrogate in the village of Friendship in said county, on the 23d day of May, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as claims can be examined, and notice is hereby given to all and all persons having claims and demands against the estate of said Morris Thurston, deceased, which have not heretofore been allowed, to exhibit and prove the same before said Surrogate, upon the day and at the time and place aforesaid, or lose the benefit of the proceeds arising from the disposal of said real estate.

S. M. NORTON, Surrogate.

Dated, April 4, 1890.

Notice of Distribution.

In the matter of the disposition of the real property of Enos Thulston, deceased, to pay debts and funeral expenses.

Surrogate's office, Allegany county, SS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Enos Thurston, deceased, late of the town of Andover, in said county:

Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 2787 of the code of civil procedure, that under and by virtue of an order duly made and entered in the Surrogate's Court of Allegany county, on the 4th day of April 1890. the Surrogate of said county will proceed to make distribution of the proceeds of the real estate of the said Enos Thurston, deceased, heretofore duly sold for the payment of his debts and funeral expenses, at the office of said Surrogate in the village of Friendship in said county, on the 23rd day of May, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as claims can be examined, and notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of the said Enos Thurston, deceased, which have not heretofore been allowed, to exhibit and prove the same before the said Surrogate upon that day, at the time and place aforesaid, or lose the benefit of the proceeds arising from the disposal of said real estate. S. M. NORTON, Surrogate.

Dated at Friendship, N. Y., April 4, 1890.

Notice to Creditors.

In Pursuance of an order of the Hon. Clarence A. Farnum, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Saphronia Pettibone, deceased, late of the town of Andover, County of Allegany, N. Y., deceased, that they are required to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, executor of the will of said deceased, at his office in the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before the first day of May, 1890.—Dated Oct. 29, 1889.

L. C. VANFLEET, Executor.

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(1787)

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Four years old, sired by Almont Lightning 1026, he by Almont 33, the sire of the fastest pacer in the world. 1st dam by Pocahontas Boy, 2nd dam by Maj. Edsall; 3rd-dam by Bashaw; 4th dam by Durock.

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THE ANDOVER NEWS.

ellsville is considering the matter ectric lights.

e Forepaugh Circus bill poster has in Andover.

e new Erie Time Table will be d on first page.

veral train-loads of gravel have unloaded along the Erie road in village.

r Sale—A new sewing machine; be sold at a great bargain. Inquire his office.

ynn's meat market has been mov- to the new location opposite the erican house.

dover Union School is making ex- ive arrangements for the annual mencement.

you want to post yourself in regard he new ballot law, read the synopsis on the second page to-day.

ev. Dr. Talmage is to receive $10,- for twenty lectures before the Chau- qua assemblies this summer.

number of the "boys" have pur- sed a foot-ball, and frequent games played on the school ground.

he Sons of Veterans have purchas- fine large flag which they will use the first time on Decoration Day. y will also appear in new caps.

he Board of Education has authoriz- he purchase of a fine large flag for se of the school. The flag will be by Decoration Day.

ll of the teachers who composed the lty of Andover Union School the year have been engaged for another

ullivan is to be trained by William doon at Belfast this summer for ight with Jackson, which will occur fall.

L—Those wanting oil can have barrels filled at the well on Friday noon, May 16. Price: One dollar barrel. MUTUAL GAS CO.

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MRS. JEREMIAH SMITH.

gene Warfield is suffering from mmation of the lymphatic vessels he right hand and arm. The ble began with a wound made sliver. Dr. O'Donnell attends him. hoped the disease may be arrested no serious results.

rs. Everett is now prepared to wait her friends at her place of busi- on Greenwood St., with a fine se- on of Millinery, Ladies' Furnish- and Fancy goods that will please Call and examine them.

ving to a disappointment over th the Social Club had no con- their dance has been postponed Thursday evening, May 22, at h time the members will be glad e all who would have attended this , and as many others as find it con- ent to attend.

family in this neighborhood who spare $8 a year can afford to be out the Buffalo Morning Express. ports the news of the world as fully as twice that of your par- r locality. It has all the press ces and special correspondents where. Its market and other de- ments are in charge of experts.

e tragic ending of Rufus Carna- r life at the hands of Henry Smith week Wednesday brought together nerampled crowd at the funeral Friday. He was buried in Clarks

Although there was bad blood en the two, public sentiment is st ly against Smith in Clarksville throughout the county as to bly make the selection of a trial under our present statutes, a mat- f difficulty. In [illegible] town who [illegible] will travel [illegible] lith's Case [illegible]

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

The finest line of groceries and low- est prices in town at Beebe, Williams & Co's.

Senator Fassett has our thanks for a copy of the Evening Journal Almanac and other documents.

Seed potatoes, seed oats, American Banner oats, and seed buckwheat for sale at SANFORD MEAD'S.

Ward Oatley, the contractor who is building F. S. Clark's new residence on Elm street, is rushing the work along at a rapid rate.

L. C. Van Fleet has purchased E. L. Hann's lot on Grove street and we understand he will build a house thereon in the near future.

Mr. Case, the Hallsport cheese maker who shot himself in the head a couple of weeks ago, while insane, died Sunday night.

Natural Gas smoking tobacco, the best on the market only 20c per pound at Beebe, Williams & Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Robinson desire to express their heartfelt thanks to their neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them through the sickness and burial of their darling Nettie. Especially A. M. Burrows and the Sunday School of which she was a member, to Prof. Mitchell and all others, and we earnestly pray that death will not enter any of their homes.

The Hawthorne Circle will meet with Mrs. G. A. Hardy next Monday evening. The following program will be presented: Music, No. 27 in C. S.; roll call; miscellaneous quotations. The lesson will consist of 13 questions on each subject, 4 questions on map quiz, questions in April Chautauquan on Engravings; readings, on Italy, by members of the circle. Jesse Phillips will act as questioner. E. D. HARDY, Sec.

Rev. Edward M. Deems was installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Hornellsville, on Friday evening last. Rev. G. M. Janes of this place, the moderator of the Steuben Presbytery, was present and delivered an address on "Constitutional Questions." Dr. Charles M. Deems, of the Church of the Strangers, New York, preached the installation sermon. In speaking of the proceedings the Hornellsville Press of Saturday says: "The installation of the pastor, Rev. E. M. Deems, took place at the Presbyterian church in this city last evening. The spacious church was overfilled and the entire services were of an instructive, entertaining character. The organ voluntary by Miss Belle Ford was executed in admirable style. The sermon by Rev. Chas. F. Deems was produced in an easy and impressive manner. Our limited space will not permit us to give even an outline of his remarks. Enough to say that he was forcible, clear and impressive. The constitutional questions by Rev. G. M. Janes, charge to the pastor, Rev. M. N. Preston, and charge to the people by Jno. Paul Egbert, were put and delivered in an easy manner. The Benediction by Rev. E. M. Deems closed the services.

Personal.

S. Huburtus and Mrs. Henry Huburtus of Dansville, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Everman of this place.

Supervisor F. S. Clark and Assessors N. L. Beebe and Orange Smith attended the meeting of State Assessors at Belmont last Friday.

E. D. Hardy will represent the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church at the District Convention, which will be held at Bath to-morrow.

Chief train dispatcher Wescott of Hornellsville, and station agent C. H. Richardson of this place, went to Fulmer Valley yesterday to fish for trout. They secured about 70 of the speckled beauties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. and Miss Mary and Earl Richardson attended the funeral of Mr. Richardson's aunt, Mrs. Susan Cowles, at Bolivar, Sunday. Deceased was 79 years old and had resided at Bolivar and Richburg for over 70 years. She was a sister to Alvin Richardson of Friendship.

Dr. A. W. Sullivan who recently graduated from the Baltimore medical college has entered the office of Dr. W. W. Crangall of this city, and will practice in conjunction with that gentleman. Dr. Sullivan is to be congratulated on securing so good an opening.—Wellsville Reporter.

Mr. H. C. Coleman and Mrs. Harvey Eastman, of Alfred Centre, were in Andover on Friday. They came to this place with Master Harvey Coleman, who has disease of the knee joint, to consult Dr. O'Donnell, who has been attending the patient for some time, and they were pleased to learn that he is now on the road to recovery.

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To the Craft.

Regular communication of the Andover Lodge, No. 558, F. and A. M., May 19. Work, third degree.

E. R. CARPENTER, W. M.

Edward Seaman Post G. A. R.

Comrades:—Memorial Day is drawing near and it is important that every comrade should be present at the next Post meeting at Masonic Hall, May 17, that proper arrangements may be perfected to honor our dead and perpetuate their memory.

T. N. BOYD, Com.

E. R. CARPENTER, Adj.

Dr. Jones' Lecture.

Doctor Jones, who is to lecture at the Methodist church on Wednesday, May 28, is a born Irishman, full of wit, wisdom, pathos and pleasantry. He is among the best scholars in Western New York. He was pastor of the Methodist church of Bradford, Pa., from 1885 to 1889, when he was made pastor of Asbury Church, Rochester, N. Y. He ranks as one of the ablest ministers in the Genesee Conference. Be sure and hear him.

Block Signals.

The system is now in operation on the Erie from New York to Hornellsville. Trains on the Susquehanna division have been somewhat delayed this week while the new system was being established but all is working smoothly and increased safety is henceforth assured to all trains. The new signal towers are neatly built and comfortably finished but must be lonely places for the telegraph operators who night and day are on duty to watch and report the passing of trains. They are situated about two and one-half miles apart, and no second train can enter a block until the preceding train shall have passed from it, after which the operator notifies the one beyond him that the block is clear, the signal block being always at danger only when raised to the safety mark by the operator. In cases of accident, however, a succeeding train may, if necessary, be let in upon an occupied block by flag or special order to render aid to a disabled or otherwise detained train, or if need be a succeeding train may be passed over a block on the opposite track, but always by special order to facilitate the prompt moving of the trains.—Hornellsville Times.

One of the brightest women in New York, Mrs. Isabel Mallon, who, perhaps, knows more about woman's dress and fixings than any woman in America, has been added to the editorial staff of The Ladies' Home Journal, of Philadelphia. Mrs. Mallon is an experienced editorial writer, and will conduct one of the fullest and strongest fashion departments in the Journal ever attempted in a general magazine. Her position makes her the best paid fashion writer in the country. Mrs. Mallon is young, pretty, and one of the best-known women in New York society.

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KILLED AT TIP TOP.

Opo. Webber, a Brakeman, Falls Under a Train.

Monday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock Geo. Webber, a brakeman on an extra, fell under his train and received injuries from which he died in a short time.

Webber was a new man on this division. After leaving Hornellsville he did not enter the cab but rode on the top of the cars.

No one saw the accident. The last time he was seen before he fell he was standing in the middle of a gondola. As soon as the men in the caboose noticed that they run over a man the train was stopped and the injured man picked up and brought to Andover. The wheels had passed over his body diagonally, his left leg being crushed below the knee, and the injuries extending across his body to the right hip.

He was terribly mangled in the region of the abdomen, and it was apparent from the first that he could not live.

It is supposed that Webber was stepping from one car to another, and losing his footing fell beneath the wheels.

He was made as comfortable as possible until about 8 o'clock in the evening, when he died.

Webber was a young man, aged 22, unmarried, and of good appearance. His home was in Louisville, Ky., where he has relatives, who have been notified. He would not permit his attendants to give him alcoholic liquor in any form.

He requested that a priest be brought, and Father Leddy of Wellsville was sent for, (Father Brown of this place being out of town.) Father Leddy arrived at train 14 and ministered to the dying man.

Coroner Barney of Belmont was sent for but was away from home, and Coroner A. T. Bacon of Canaseraga was secured. He arrived yesterday on train 29, viewed the body and gave a permit for the remains to be removed to Hornellsville on train 14, where burial will take place. An inquest was held last evening by the Coroner and the following named jurors: Frank McGinty, foreman; J. A. Robinson, F. E. Comstock, F. J. Myles, J. B. Martindale, T. K. Regan, Francis Dailey, Arthur Hallett.

After hearing the evidence of Dr. Comstock and a number of the railroad men the jury rendered a verdict substantially in accordance with the facts given above.

HARTSVILLE NEWS.

The Workman farm is being worked this season by John Terriberry.

A herd of over 100 cattle passed through this place last week and attracted considerable attention.

James Kennedy returned to Syracuse last week.

Mrs. James Reed of Scio, is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Merton Kennedy went to Syracuse on the 7th, where he is engaged in business.

Mrs. Henderson, who has been visiting friends in Purdy Creek, returned to her home in Scio the latter part of the week.

Mr. Witter and family of Andover, were visiting friends in this place recently.

Advice to the young man:—Better not tie your horse to a "pear tree," for it is best to keep on the right side of the "old gent."

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INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

Will Wood of your place was in town Sunday.

E. D. Potter is repairing his family residence.

George Updyke is getting lumber on hand to build an addition to his house.

Mrs. Charles Langworthy, formerly of Alfred but later of Alabama, was at church here Saturday.

Rev. H. D. Clarke arrived home from his trip to New London, last week, Wednesday morning.

Mr. J. P. Remington informs me that he has sold and delivered 300 Urbor vita trees this spring. That's 'biz' with a buzz.

Mrs. Jennie Hutchinson of Bolivar was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rosebush, last week and attended church Saturday.

There was a special church meeting at the S. D. B. church Sunday afternoon, to make arrangements for the forthcoming Association, which convenes here next month.

Next Saturday the right hand of Fellowship will be given to those who were baptised last week.

"Handsome is as handsome does," so I will apologize to Messrs. Leclare & Manning, Brighton, N. Y., as those potatoes were delivered here at their expense.

I understand that Memorial services are to be held in this place, but I have not learned particulars.

During services at the church Saturday Mrs. Wm. H. Green, who has been in poor health for a long time past, was taken with a fainting fit soon after reaching the open air, but was able to return to her home after a slight delay.

Mr. J. O'Dell has received transportation to New York and return, a double berth on a palace car, when he goes after an artificial limb to replace the one lately amputated.

There were five candidates for baptism immersed by Rev. H. D. Clarke last Saturday, viz: Misses Florence and Mabel Bassett, Miss Carrie Clark, Miss Florence Clarke and Mrs. Witter.

SOME GUMPTION.

To Our Subscribers.

The special announcement which appeared in our columns some time since, announcing a special arrangement with Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., of Enosburg Falls, Vt., publishers of "A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases," whereby our subscribers were enabled to obtain a copy of that valuable work free by sending their address to B. J. Kendall Co. (and enclosing a two-cent stamp for mailing same) is removed for a limited period. We trust all will avail themselves of the opportunity of obtaining this valuable work. To every lover of the horse it is indispensable, as it treats in a simple manner all the diseases which afflict this noble animal. Its phenomenal sale throughout the United States and Canada, makes it standard authority. Mention this paper when sending for "Treatise."

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Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 22d day May, 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m., a panel of trial and grand jurors will be drawn at this office, to serve at the Circuit court and court of Oyer and Terminer, to be held in and for the county of Allegany, at the Court House in the village of Belmont, on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1890.

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