THE ANDOVER NEWS.

HAMILTON C. NORRIS, - EDITOR

ANDOVER, N. Y., DEC. 17, 1890.

The Board of Supervisors last week gave the printing of the session laws to the Angelica *Republican*. Some of the papers of the county are indignant at this, and say that Raymond should not receive the prize because he has been kicking against the so-called "Session Law Swindle." That is just the reason why the News thinks he ought to have it. What Raymond has been kicking against is the unlawful overcharges that have been made for doing this work. Why not give it to him once and have it done honestly? And that it *will* be done honestly the News does not doubt. Wait and compare next year's bill with this year's and see if we are right.

A resolution was passed last week by the Board of Supervisors asking Assemblyman Thompson and Senator Fassett to secure the repeal of the Half Shire Act, and so consolidate the county seat at Belmont. Only four of the Supervisors voted against the resolution. Everybody knows that it is folly to maintain two sets of county buildings and compel people to travel "over the hill" to attend court. But as the Belmont *Post* says "there is a bull-dog down at New York harbor" (Dr. Wm. M. Smith) who holds a pretty tight pull on the State Legislature, and it may be impossible to secure the desired change. But there is no good reason why the object should not be accomplished and we await with interest the outcome of the struggle.

A BLOW AT PENSION AGENTS.

Representative Dockery's amendment to the Pension bill reducing the fees of pension-claim agents, and forbidding the collection of any fees for getting pensions under the new Department Pension Law, is one of the best measures before Congress. The country does not begrudge paying money to deserving soldiers, but it does begrudge the enormous fees that go to the claim agents. No Congressman can oppose the amendment unless he is in league with these sharks.

There is no reason why the pension laws should not be so simple that any honest soldier can get his pension without the aid of an attorney—and no other soldiers should have pensions. Secretary Noble is trying to put the department on such a basis. Success to him.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The News recently received the following circular:

WELLSVILLE, N. Y., Dec. 1, 1890.

To the Editor Andover News:

DEAR SIR:—You are aware that in the coming April the following Amendment is to be submitted to the people of New York State. As it is of the utmost importance that we should know the position the press of Allegany county will take in the matter, we ask you to read the Amendment and signify your intent to or not to support it in the colums of your paper, by notifying the Secretary. A similar request has been sent to all the papers in the county.

Allegany County Amendment Association. A. B. COTTRELL, Pres.
W. J. HOYT, Secretary.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Section 1. No person shall manufacture for sale, or sell, or keep for sale as a beverage, any intoxicating liquors, whether brewed, fermented or distilled. The Legislature shall by law prescribe regulations for the enforcement of this article, and provide suitable penalties for its violation.

We desire to say to the officers named above, and to all other persons, that the News wishes itself put on record as favoring the Amendment. We are ready to do all in our power to assist in making votes for it, and are willing to devote a suitable amount of space in this paper to that end.

And will the President and Secretary of the committee allow us to make a suggestion? We think it would be a good plan to secure a column in each county paper that will give the space, from now until the question is voted on, appoint a person to see that this column is filled with suitable matter (the matter could be the same in all the papers.) The News will cheerfully give such a column, and in addition will make such editorial mention of the matter as seems best.

New Route to Rochester.

The people of Hornellsville are congratulating themselves on a new opening to Rochester. This is a deal which has been much thought of and talked about by the Erie and figured on by other companies, but the nearest that was ever come to these hopes was the promise. But at last it appears as if those interested certainly were to have the realization of that hope, for in all probability the first of January will see trains running direct from Hornellsville over the R. H. & L. to Swains on a new track from Swains to Nunda and thence direct to Rochester via Western New York & Pennsylvania. Every dollar which it will require to build the necessary four miles of new track has been raised and the long disused portion of the Rochester, Hornellsville & Lackawanna has been placed in order. Receiver Blair is authority for the statement that trains will be running in less than sixty days. The distance by this route is but sixty-five miles.

County Lodge I. O. G. T.

The regular quarterly session of the County Lodge, I. O. G. T. was held with Friendship Lodge, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 9th and 10th. C. W. Saevens, County Chief Templar, presided. Routine work occupied Tuesday afternoon. Thirty-two members were intiated.

At 8 p. m. Tuesday evening Dr. Mann, Grand Chief Templar, of Brooklyn, delivered a lecture in Academy Hall to a very large audience.

Wednesday morning the following officers were elected:

Chief Templar—C. W. Stevens.
Counselor—Louis Gratton.
Vice Templar—Sister Royce.
Secretary—Laura Saunders.
Treasurer—Chas. Stickney.
Chaplain—Rev. C. H. Norris.
Marshal—D. McLeod.
A. Secretary—D. H. Bassett.
Deputy Marshal—Sarah Guinn.
Guard—Sister Hortnez.
Sentinel—L. Wardner.
Executive Committee—C. W. Stevens, chairman; W. F. Renwick, E. F. Stone, A. A. McCarn, Laura Saunders.

The reports of the delegates showed the membership in the county had increased 146 during the past quarter.

Wednesday afternoon the reports of the county officers were received. The Order was stated to be in a flourishing condition throughout the county. The gavel contest was won by the Scio Lodge, 74 new members having been added to the membership of that lodge during the past quarter.

The County Lodge is out of debt and has a good balance in the Treasury.

The next session will be held in Belmont March 10th and 11th.

To feel bright and cheerful attend to your stomach. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator.

Handy for travelers is Simmons' Liver Regulator in powder. It can be carried in the pocket.

Next Sunday, the 21st, will be the shortest day in the year and consequently the middle of the winter. The days will then begin to lengthen and, according to the old saying, "the cold will begin to strengthen."

My wife was cured of malaria by taking Simmons' Liver Regulator.—J. N. Thompson, Pastor M. E. church, Leigh, Neb.

CORWIN HILL NEWS.

School commenced last Monday with Wm. Pingrey as teacher. Will did well last winter and we trust he will this.

All of the big boys are attending school at home except Lewis Pingrey. He is attending school at Alfred Centre.

Mrs. Patrick O'Connor returned to Allentown Monday last. She had been staying a week with her relatives.

Philip Corwin had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse a few days ago.

BONNE FOI.

The healthy people you meet have healthy livers. They take Simmons' Liver Regulator.

The Erie railway will make its usual Holiday rates of fare for this year, viz: two cents per mile each way. Tickets sold at said rates from Dec. 14, 1890, to Jan. 1, 1891, inclusive and to be valid till Jan. 5th, inclusive, for return.

Do not injure yourself by dastic purgatives. Take Simmon's Liver Regulator.

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Trial bottles free at Dr. Brainard's drug store. 1

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Hop Soda, Ginger Ale and Gardner's Refined Cider at Harman's.

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DRUGGIST,

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It consists of a complete line of papers and borders of all grades, and he invites you to call and inspect the stock. You can not fail to be suited both in price and quality of goods.

Also a full line of

Drugs and Medicines, Books and Stationery, and Fancy Articles,

FINE CANDIES,

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ANDOVER, N. Y.

WORMS IN CHILRDEN.

Mother Gray, a nurse in the Children's Home in New York, has for years treated children successfully with a remedy, now prepared and put on the market, called Mother Gray Sweet Worm Powders. They are sold by all druggists at 25 cents a package. They remove all worms, are harmless as milk, pleasant to take and never fail. Valuable for feverishness and headache, even if no worms are present. Sold by all druggists.

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Allen's New Discovery for piles cure blind, bleeding and itching when all other treatments have failed. It stops the itching at once, soothes the soreness, acts as a poultice and cures the tumors. It is a new discovery and itching of the private parts is nothing else. Ask to-day for Allen's New Discovery. Sold by all druggists. Price 50 cents.

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We solicit your deposits.

A. M. BURROWS.

W. B. BUNDY, Cashier.

THE ANDOVER NEWS.

Wedding bells this afternoon.

Don't forget the chicken pie supper at Benton's store Saturday evening of this week.

It is rumored that Andover is to have a new furniture and undertaking establishment.

Something useful as well as ornamental. If That's what you're in search of for a present, go to Cannon's.

Are you going to Washington on the Holiday excursion? We understand that several are going from this place.

When in want of fine confectionery go to D. B. Spaulding's. There you will find the largest line in town.

For sale—the residence owned by J. C. Nichols in the village of Andover. For particulars, terms, &c. inquire of Mr. Nichols.

Large stock of grapes, oranges and lemons just received at H. E. Miner's.

The News has secured a good Washington correspondent, who will keep our readers posted concerning events in the Capital City. The first letter appears this week.

The handkerchief craze is on and we are in it, 5c and up.

P. CANNON & SON.

An oyster supper and dance will be given by Hakes Post, G. A. R. at Smith's Opera House, Scio, N. Y., Christmas night, Dec. 25th, 1890. Bill $1.00. Good music. Everybody invited.

We want your poultry, eggs and butter and will give the highest price.

P. CANNON & SON.

The Presbyterian society will hold a "pass social" at the residence of James Guinn on Friday evening of this week. Those wishing to attend are requested to meet at the Presbyterian church at 6:30 p. m., where conveyances will be provided. All are invited.

We want the trappers to understand that we are paying the highest market price for furs.

BEEBE, WILLIAMS & Co.

Every Good Templar is earnestly requested to be present at Union Hall next Tuesday evening at 7:30 sharp, at which time a full report of County Lodge will be presented and the unfinished work of subordinate degree will be given. By order Chief Templar.

F. A. RICARDSON.

Bob-sleepers and wide-awakes, large and small, inexpensive and expensive, an endless variety and sure to please everyone at D. B. Spaulding's.

Look over our stock before purchasing a Holiday present.

P. CANNON & SON.

For common sense Holiday gifts go to Cannon's.

Two shows in Andover last week—each of them worse than we ever thought a show could be.

John Beebe, whose leg was broken some time ago at the Main street bridge, is able to be on the streets.

Thomas Kenneally was the ninth or tenth man who has been killed by the cars since Station Agent Richardson has been in Andover.

A fine literary program will be rendered by the sixth and seventh grades of Andover Udion School next Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2 o'clock p. m. All are invited.

You can find plush Albums from 25c to $5, plush toilet cases, work boxes, jewel cases, manicure sets, cuff and collar boxes, stationery and books to suit all ages at D. B. Spaulding's.

Mourhess has a fine line of clocks, watches and jewelry of every description for the Holiday trade, also a nice line of knives, forks and spoons. Goods engraved free of charge. All repairing promptly done. Give him a call.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder have invited friends to be present at the marriage of their sister, Miss Georgie A. Snyder, to Hiram W. Boyd. The event will occur on Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 8:30 p. m.

The Erie railway company will issue return tickets to all stations on the western division to persons attending the Farmers' Institute, to be held in Belmont Jan. 12 and 13, 1891, at the greatly reduced rate of only one cent per mile.

The News has received a neat calendar for 1891, with the compliments of A. M. Burrows. The design is extremely pretty, and the whole is mounted on cardboard, making an appropriate and serviceable article for use in office or family.

The highest market price paid for dressed poultry and dried fruits of all kinds from now until Jan. 1, 1891, also cash for butter. A. M. BURROWS.

Little Nellie, 2½ years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Warfield of this place, sustained a fracture of the forearm, breaking both bones about half way between hand and elbow, on Dec. 15. Dr. O'Donnell reduced the fracture and the little patient will without doubt make a rapid recovery. This child with a little sister of four years were sliding down a frozen incline when the accident happened.

Five gentlemen residing in the same neighborhood in the town of Independence were all in Remington & Church's store at the same time yesterday, when the question of the weight of some of the parties came up. It was ascertained that the combined weight of the five was 1,133 pounds. Their individual weight was as follows: Henry Mingus, 226, Chas. Mingus 226, John Green 241, Erwin Briggs 213, Monroe Mingus 227.

The Andover Social Club will hold a New Years Dance Wednesday evening, Dec. 31. Music will be furnished by Shattuck's celebrated orchestra of Portville. This is one of the best musical organizations in this part of the state, and those who have heard them say that no better music for dancing could possibly be desired. It is doubtful if Prest's opera house will be more than large enough to accommodate all who will attend, and all who go are sure to see one of the most enjoyable dancing parties that ever assembled in Andover.

We understand that some or all of the Andover churches are to depart somewhat from the usual method of celebrating the Christmas festival. Entertainments will be held at the churches on Christmas Eve, and all who attend are requested to give some article at the door—a chicken, a bushel of potatoes, a sack of flour, a package of groceries, money—anything, large or small, to suit your inclination. The next day these articles will be distributed among the worthy poor of the town. This is a laudable work of charity on the part of the churches, and the receipts should be large in all that will help to make a happy Christmas for those in need. We understand also that the same churches will send useful gifts to certain out-side points. The entertainments spoken of above will be all that could be desired in the way of a Christmas celebration, and it is hoped will be witnessed by large crowds.

F. & A. M. Officers.

At a regular communication of Andover Lodge No. 558, F. & A. M., the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:

Orange Smith—W. M.
F. R. Hincher—S. W.
C. C. Burdick—J. W.
E. J. Atwood—Treasurer.
H. P. Benton—Secretary.
E. F. Stearns—S. D.
G. B. Proper—J. D.
John Swain—Chaplain.
C. B. Lever—S. M. C.
A. C. Mitchell—J. M. C.
D. D. Remington—Trustee.
John C. Cartwright—Tyler.

THE PUSHER KILLS ANOTHER.

Thomas Kenneally is Struck and Instantly Killed Last Friday.

Last Friday Thomas Kenneally, a section hand employed on the Erie railway was instantly killed by a pusher engine in charge of Charles Rogers engineer.

Kenneally in company with three or four other hands, started from the Prangen switch at the pond above the village, with a hand-car. They arrived at a point near the Main-street crossing when they heard the pusher whistle some distance behind them. Thinking they had time to get the hand-car onto the switch, they kept the track ahead of the pusher. They reached the switch and were in the act of lifting the hand-car off the main track when the pusher appeared in sight only a few rods away.

Kenneally was behind the hand-car, either on the track or very near it. He did not appear to realize his danger or was paralyzed with fear, for he made no effort to reach a place of safety. The other men were at the other end of the hand-car, which had been swung crosswise of the track, and were therefore not in danger.

The pusher approached at a rapid rate notwithstanding the effort made by engineer Rogers to stop, and almost in the twinkling of an eye Kenneally was run over and instantly killed. He was badly mangled about the limbs, body, and head. He was picked up about 75 feet from where he was struck, and carried to the depot.

Coroner A. T. Bacon of Canaseraga, was summoned and arrived on a freight train at about 5 o'clock p. m. He empannelled the following jury: E. F. Stearns, H. D. Smith, W. B. Hall, F. R. Hincher, G. B. Proper, H. C. Norris; and an inquest was held the same evening. After hearing the evidence of Dr. F. E. Comstock, James Doran, James Owen, Chas. Rogers, and one or two corroborating witnesses, the jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by being run over by a pusher engine in charge of Chas. Rogers engineer, and that no blame was attached to any person for the accident.

The funeral services were held at the Catholic church Sunday morning, Rev. Father Brown officiating, and were attended by a very large number of people.

Thomas Kenneally was born in Ireland. He was 26 years of age and had been in this country about one year. He was a cousin of Daniel Regan, foreman on this section of the Erie, with whom he resided. During his residence in Andover Mr. Kenneally had made many warm friends. He led an exemplary life, and Father Brown in speaking of this said that probably not one of his associates was better prepared for a sudden summons than was he. Mr. Kenneally was well educated. He was a good Latin scholar, could also speak one or two other languages besides English, and we understand it was his intention soon to attend a Normal school and fit himself for a teacher.

He has one brother here, his parents being in Ireland.

Deep sympathy is expressed for his friends and relatives here, and also for his parents when they shall hear of their son's tragic death in a far-away land.

Personal.

Miss Lizzie Pardon spent Sunday in Almond.

P. F. Lynch of Friendship, was in town Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. D. K. Porter visited in Hornellsville over Sunday.

Miss Alice Rogers of Wellsville, called on friends in town Tuesday.

"Dick" Coyle, who used to live in Andover, is learning telegraphy in the Erie depot at Scio.

Mrs. Carrie M. Davis is spending several days with friends and relatives in Andover and Independence.—*Belmont Dispatch.*

B. C. Smith of Fostoria, Ohio, is in town visiting his mother and brothers H. D., H. S., and Orange Smith. Their mother is over 90 years of age and in remarkably good bodily health. She is, however, losing her eyesight, a fact much to be regretted.

Dedication of Union Hall.

On Saturday evening of this week Union Hall, the new home of Seaman Post, G. A. R., the Ladies' Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans, and one or two other societies, will be dedicated by appropriate ceremonies. The Ladies Relief Corps will serve a chicken pie supper in Benton's store from 5 to 8 o'clock, after which the exercises at the hall will take place. The price for supper will be 25 cents, which is cheap enough to tempt all to go and partake, and the ladies will no doubt have enough custom to keep them busy during the stated hours—at least we hope so.

A special invitation to the dedicatory exercises is extended to all those who have helped to sustain the G. A. R. Ladies Relief Corps and S. O. V. by contributing to the fund for furnishing the hall, and for other purposes, and all who are in sympathy with the objects of the orders. A committeee at the entrance will be pleased to admit all who come under the above qualifications.

Cash paid for hides at Beebe, Williams & Co.'s

G. M. B. A. Officers.

At a regular meeting of Branch 37, C. M. B. A., held Dec. 9, 1890, the following officers were elected:

Spiritual Advisor—Rev. J. H. Brown.
Chancellor—Michael McTighe.
President—P. C. Lynch.
First Vice-president—Timothy Hyland, Jr.
Second Vice-president—Bernard Doran.
Treasurer—J. A. O'Leary.
Rec. Sec.—John Casey.
Asst. Sec.—S. B. Keough.
Financial Sec.—Andrew J. Flynn.
Marshal—Henry Horan, Jr.
Guard—Richard O'Boyle.
Board of Trustees—J. A. O'Leary, Timothy Hyland, Jr., John Casey.

JOHN CASEY, Rec. Sec.

Train One Partially Wrecked.

Erie No. 1 was wrecked a mile and a half east of Owego Thursday afternoon, and two persons were hurt, neither of them dangerously. The train loaded with passengers was running west at a good rate of speed when a broken journal on the postal car threw that car and express and baggage cars from the track. The passenger cars did not leave the rails. Harry Comp, a postal clerk, was slightly injured, and Thomas Stapleton, of Salamanca, had one leg bruised and received a severe scalp wound. Superintendent Mguire and the wrecking crew went down from Elmira and cleared up the wreck. While they were doing it Erie trains went around on the Lackawanna tracks. Harry Joyce of this place was on the train. He was returning from the south, and was in another wreck on a southern road only a day or two before.

Special Notice.

Having received a quantity of cloak and overcoat hooks, I shall be glad to furnish the same, free of charge, to any having purchased cloaks, jackets or overcoats during the past year, also to any purchasing the same hereafter.

A. M. BURROWS.

For sale—A farm of 100 acres about 2 miles from Andover village, well watered. About 40 acres improved land and about 50 acres good timber. Will be sold on reasonable terms. Inquire of L. D. BAKER, Andover, N. Y.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

Elder Kenyon journeyed to Alfred Centre and back last week Monday.

There was a choir meeting at the parsonage last Saturday evening.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held at the parsonage Wednesday evening of this week.

Comrade J. T. Livermore went to Bolivar last Thursday, to do a job of painting, &c.

Mr. J. P. Remington and Mr. H. P. Bloss are hunting game in the wilds of Pennsylvania.

There is to be a Christmas tree in the S. D. B. church on the evening of the 24th inst.

E. H. Potter and sister, Sate, attended the County Lodge, I. O. G. T., at Friendship last week.

H. C. Coleman of Alfred Centre, was in town the latter part of last week, and initiated four members into the mysteries of Good Templarism.

Mr. E. H. Potter started for Findley, Ohio, the scene of his labors, Sunday. I understand he is engaged in drilling oil wells.

Mr. Floyd Green took a trip to Coudersport, Pa., last Friday, but returned in time to attend the I. O. G. T. lodge meeting Saturday night.

Mr. Ephraim Meeks, who is taking orders for nursery stock raised by D. C. Hopkins, of Almond, is doing considerable business in this town.

Last week Tuesday the Ladies' Aid Society of the S. D. B. church met at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Berry, Whitesville, and fine weather and good sleighing caused quite a crowd to be in attendance.

Comrade J. T. Livermore recently did an artistic job of carriage painting for the Hon. A. C. Barney of West Union. Jim knows how to "sling paint" and put on the finishing touches in fine style.

Last week Thursday Mr. W. J. Potter moved his family into the old J. P. Livermore house, which had been extensively and elaborately repaired inside, till it resembles a new house, and is a nice, pleasant, cosey home-nest for the happy occupants.

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Glorious Holiday Trip.

An excursion to the National Capital during the Public School Holiday. The popular Erie Railway has arranged for such a trip for Friday, December 26. The route will be via Erie and Lehigh Valley, Philadelphia & Reading, and the Baltimore & Ohio, passing through the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore. The fare to go and return same route will be only $10. Go return via New York city, $3 additional. Tickets limited to ten days. Reduced rates have been secured at hotels and private boarding houses in Washington. Pullman sleeping car berths must be secured in advance. For tickets and further information call on ticket agents of the Erie railway at once. The train will leave Andover at 6:54 p. m.

MERIT WINS.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and never handled remedies that sell so well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. For sale by N. P. Brainard, Druggist. 1

ROCKWELL BROS.

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

Grand preparations for the Holiday trade. Below we outline a few of the attractions we are offering.

Delicate and pretty Japanese ware, consisting of Creamers, Chocolate and Tea pots, bowls, cups and saucers, vases, &c.

100 shapes in Japanese baskets.

Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, plain, embroidered and initialed for ladies, for gentlemen and for children.

Beautiful display of Silk and Wool Mufflers

Just at hand, a large invoice of Silk Umbrellas, 26 and 28 inch, silver, gold, patchwork and plain handles. Highest grade of silks.

SUBSTANTIALS.

Haskell Princess and Faille Silks; Priestly's Silk Warp Henriettas; rich values in Table Linens, Napkins and Hemstitched Towels, Aprons, Night Dresses, Flannel Skirts, all-wool Rose blankets, Superior-quality Gossamers for Ladies. Gents fine Neckwear, Dress and Night Shirts. Embroidered Slippers.

The largest stock of Ladies', Misses,' and Children's Cloaks and Jackets in south-western New York. Come and see us before making your Christmas purchases.

ROCKWELL BROS.,

DRY GOODS--SHOES,

Fassett House Block,
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Drawing Jurors.

State of New York, Allegany County Clerk's office. ss.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 22d day of December, 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m., a panel of Trial and Grand Jurors will be drawn at this office, to serve at a 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 5th day of January, 1891. GEO. A. GREEN, Clerk.

Notice To Prove Claims.

Pursuant to an order of Hon. S. M. Norton, Surrogate of the county of Allegany, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against George Lockhart, late of the town of Almond in said county, deceased, to present the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, administrators of said estate, at the residence of Miranda Lockhart, in the town of Almond, Allegany Co., N. Y., on or before May 15th next.

Dated Oct. 31st, 1890.

MIRANDA LOCKHART,
JOSEPH LOCKHART,
Administrators.

D. A. STEBBINS, Attorney.

Notice to Prove Claims

Pursuant to an order of the Surrogate of the county of Allegany, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Samuel C. Kemp, deceased, late of the town of Andover, Allegany county, N. Y., to present the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, at his place of transacting business, at the law-office of Clarence A. Farnum, in the village of Wellsville, Allegany county, N. Y., on or before the 24th day of April, 1891.—Dated Oct. 14, 1890. OLIVER M. KEMP,

Executor of the will of Samuel C. Kemp, deceased.