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**40 PER CENT.**  
Reduction Sale.

In order to close our stock of  
**Overcoats**

We will on  
Wednesday, January 2, 1895,  
offer them at a tremendous reduction of 40 per cent. Our goods are all marked in plain figures and we are strictly one price. If you find a fit, deduct 40 per cent. and take the overcoat.

Black Kersey, sold for \$20.00, 40 per cent. off, now	\$12.00
Black Kersey, sold for \$8.00, 40 per cent. off, now	5.20
Black Kersey, sold for \$12.00, 40 per cent. off, now	7.20
Chinchilla Overcoat, sold for \$19.00, 40 per cent. off, now	12.60
Chinchilla Overcoat, sold for \$5.75, 40 per cent. off, now	3.45
Melton Overcoat, sold for \$4.00, 40 per cent. off, now	2.40
Melton Overcoat, sold for \$4.50, 40 per cent. off, now	2.70
Men's Ulsters, sold for \$25.00, 40 per cent. off, now	15.00
Men's Ulsters, sold for \$9.50, 40 per cent. off, now	5.70
Men's Ulsters, sold for \$14.00, 40 per cent. off, now	8.40
Men's Ulsters, sold for \$7.50, 40 per cent. off, now	4.50
Child's Ulsters sold for \$2.75, 40 per cent. off, now	1.65

Do not wait. The sizes are broken but come at once. We will give you a genuine bargain. Remember.

**"THE UTICA."**  
The only one price Clothing store in Wellsville.  
Crandall block, 5 doors from post office.

**Died.**  
Loretta A. Raptee, wife of John Miner, died at her home in this village, Monday, Dec. 31, 1894, of consumption, aged 28 years. Deceased had been ill for some time, and for several days previous to her death had been failing rapidly. The funeral will be held tomorrow (Thursday) at 1:30 p. m., at the Presbyterian church.

**Sixty Years of Married Life.**  
January 1, 1895, was the 60th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russell of Sefto. It is doubtful if there are many couples in this county who have lived together as long. Mr. Russell is a brother of Samuel Russell, who formerly lived in Andover, and is grandfather of Mrs. H. C. Norris. Mrs. Russell is in feeble health at present, but it is hoped she may soon regain strength.

**We Should Have an Oil Boom.**  
The Mutual Gas Company's new oil well on Wm. Hunt's farm continues to produce large quantities of oil, and is doubtless the best well in this field. With oil near the dollar point we shall not be surprised to see considerable activity in this field in the near future. The oil is here beyond question, and the only condition necessary to bring development is a good price for the product.

**The Water Works Are All Right.**  
Prangen Brothers on Monday flooded the pond with city water, using fire hose attached to hydrants. The stream was poured onto the pond with full force for six hours, at the end of which time the water in the reservoir was found to have been lowered only eight inches, showing that the supply from the springs was nearly sufficient for this in addition to the amount used for domestic purposes.

**A New Firm.**  
James Owen will enter into partnership with W. H. Phillips, in the dry goods and grocery business heretofore conducted by Mr. Phillips. The new firm will carry a large stock of goods in every department, and will be "right in line" for doing a large business. An inventory of Mr. Phillips' stock is now being taken, and as soon as this is completed it is expected the new arrangement will go into effect. The News wishes Messrs. Phillips & Owen the best of success.

**The "Standard" is the Best.**  
Mr. Crandall, the agent for the new Standard Dictionary, will probably resume his canvass of this place next week, having taken a vacation during the holidays. The more a person examines this work the nearer he or she will be convinced that it is superior to all other works of the kind. It should find a place in very many homes here, and after spending a few days among our people Mr. Crandall expressed himself as being of the opinion that a large number of copies would be sold here. It is the dictionary needed in every day life and will prove a most valuable fund of information for the possessor.

**The New Bank Building.**  
The officers of the Andover State Bank now expect to occupy the new building about the first of February. The contractors would have had the building completed by January first had it not been for the fact that more time was voluntarily given them. The inside fixtures could not be delivered at the time the building was to have been completed, consequently there was no occasion for finishing the edifice at the appointed time. The new safe will probably be delivered about March 1st, and will be one of the most substantial pieces of workmanship of the kind to be found anywhere. It is being constructed to order, under the direction of an engineer, and the specifications for the safe comprise several more pages of manuscript than do the specifications for the bank building. The regular quarterly bank statement is published this week.

**Notice to Stockholders.**  
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of stockholders of the Farmers' State Co. will be held at Crayton L. Earley's law office in Andover, on the 8th day of January, 1895, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.  
A. L. ROGERS, Sec'y.  
Candy 7 cents at Beebe, Williams & Co's.

**Death of Marsh Bundy.**  
Marsh Bundy died at his home in this village Wednesday morning, Dec. 25, 1894. Mr. Bundy's death was not unexpected, as for the past few weeks his condition has been growing rapidly worse, and his ill health has been a matter of common knowledge for two or three years past, during which time he had been able to transact business a good portion of the time, but has been confined to the house at various intervals. At times there would seem to be evidences of improvement in his general condition, but the improvement has been but temporary, his gradual decline being noticeable at nearly all times. The best medical skill and the most tender care failed to bring desired results, and his friends have not in many months entertained hopes that he would long survive.

Marsh Bundy was one of the best known citizens of Andover. He was the son of the late Menzo Bundy, and was born here in 1856. His youth and manhood days were all passed in the place of his birth. He has been engaged in business here for years, previous to his father's death being associated with him in the grocery business under the firm name of M. Bundy & Son. The business was continued by the son after the death of the father, until a few years ago, when the sale of the stock of goods resulted in Mr. Bundy's temporary retirement from active business, and then he was not idle, being much of the time engaged in buying and selling fine live stock, and looking after various matters in which he was interested. A little over a year ago he formed a partnership with Oliver Rosebush, and since that time this firm has conducted a feed and farmers' supply store in Mr. Bundy's brick building on Main street.

In 1881 Mr. Bundy married Ella E. Crandall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Crandall of this place, who survives him, and who had been a most faithful and devoted attendant upon him during his long period of illness.

In his business dealings Mr. Bundy was exact and careful, and we believe no person can point to a single transaction of his that was not honorable. He had the reputation of being shrewd, competent and perfectly honest in all his dealings. His friends were numbered by scores, and everybody had a personal liking and strong friendship for Marsh Bundy. Although he had never publicly professed religion, during the past few years he seriously considered spiritual matters, and previous to his death his friends were convinced that he had made his peace with God and enjoyed the hope of eternal salvation.

The deceased leaves, besides a wife, one sister, Mrs. W. H. Church, and one half sister, Mrs. E. M. Stillman, both of this place.

Funeral services were held at the house Friday afternoon, and were very largely attended. Rev. J. Kenyon of Independence officiated, assisted by the three protestant clergymen of this place.

**The Yearly Roll call**  
Of the First Baptist Church of Andover, N. Y., will be January 5, at 10:30 a. m. Dinner at the church and an afternoon session. It is earnestly desired that all members attend.  
In response to the name, each may also give a Scripture text as a motto for the year.  
Please do not fail to be present or to write. **WAYNE BREWSTER, Pastor.**

**Allegany's Centennial Celebration.**  
Judge Ward, chairman of the committee to whom was referred the time and place for holding the forth-coming centennial celebration in this county has forwarded to the president of the Allegany County Historical Society a report recommending Wellsville as the place and June 19, 1895, as the time for the celebration. It is expected that the date above named will be a great day for Wellsville, and a very interesting program of exercises will be arranged.

**Carlton "Curewell" Pillsbury** of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough, with the best results." 25 and 50c. bottles for sale by L. A. Burrows.

**Some Opinions of the Standard Dictionary.**  
Prof. Thomas D. Goodell of Yale University: The Standard Dictionary will certainly meet my daily needs better than any single volume dictionary in existence.

F. G. Kenyon of the British Museum: "The Prospectus helps one to realize more fully what a mass of information the Dictionary will contain, and what an admirably useful volume it will be."  
Prof. William Hand Browne of John Hopkins University: "In accuracy, clearness, and fullness, within its prescribed limits, it surpasses all similar works."

Prof. R. Ogden Doremus of the College of the City of N. Y.: I am delighted with the principles upon which you are building the Dictionary.

Dr. G. Brown Goods of Smithsonian Institute: "Will be to words what we hope the National Museum will sometimes become to concrete things."

Prof. Wm. H. Carpenter of Columbia College: "A valuable addition to the lexicographical material of the language."

Prof. Theodore W. Hunt of the College of New Jersey, (Princeton.): "Will be the English people's word-book."

Ex-Pres. Julius H. Seelye of Amherst College: "I like the plan and general appearance."

Prof. Edward Dowden of the University of Dublin: "I am satisfied that the Dictionary will take a place in the highest ranks of works of the kind."

**Pleasant Christmas Gathering.**  
A very pleasant and enjoyable Christmas reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orsamus Baker in the town of Hartsville, Dec. 25th, in honor of the father and founder of the family, Rev. James W. Babcock. Mr. Baker's house was well filled with guests, a large proportion being relatives. A sumptuous dinner was served, after which presents were distributed from a large Christmas tree. The rest of the day was spent in a very enjoyable manner, with music, games, pleasant conversation, etc., and as evening approached the guests departed for their several homes, well pleased with the day's enjoyment. Among those present from other places were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Orvis, of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Orvis, Miss Florence Orvis and Mr. Jean Orvis, of Canistota.

**Contest for Position.**  
"THE BOY STOOD ON THE BARN-YARD FENCE."

Class in Elocution will contest for first honor Monday Jan 7. The successful candidate will contest with eight other candidates from eight different towns for a gold medal.

The class will be assisted by the Enterpe Club, and also by the Eolian Mandolin and Guitar Club. This club is composed of twelve members and has won enviable praise wherever they have appeared. They made a great hit in Wellsville.

Reserved seats at L. A. Burrows'. Come out and encourage this art of arts. Opera house, Jan. 7. Doors open at 7, gong sounds at 8 p. m.

The boys will stand on the rostrum and holler like a lion.  
The girls will be so graceful  
The boys will surely swoon.  
Vat you dink of dat? eh!  
Den back will come dat eat.

There will be many attractions which are not advertised.  
Pure candy for 10c. a pound at Benedict & VanNoy's and a good candy at 7c. a pound.

Wanted, by a competent young man, position as assistant book keeper or clerk. Experience, best of reference. Address this office.

Fresh candy, oranges, figs, dates, etc., at Williams'.

Parks' Cough Syrup cures Coughs, Croup and Consumption. Mrs. Catherine Black of LeRoy, N. Y., says: "I took one bottle of Parks' Cough Syrup; it acted like magic. Stopped my Cough and I am perfectly well now. Sold by Benedict & VanNoy."

**From Sire to Son.**  
As a Family medicine Bacon's Celery King for the nerves passes from sire to son as a legacy. If you have kidney, liver or blood disorder, do not delay but get a sample package of this remedy at once. If you have indigestion, constipation, headache, rheumatism, etc., this grand specific will cure you. L. A. Burrows, Andover, the leading druggist is sole agent and is distributing samples free to the afflicted. Large packages 25 and 50 cents.