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Have you seen
**Those Lovely
Water Sets**

only 50c. - Only a few left.
**3 Piece Table Set at 30 Cents
For This Week.**

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HEADGEAR.

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Cultivated taste and prudent economy no longer quarrel in Merchant Tailoring. We constantly study to supply well cut, thoroughly made, finely finished clothes to order at moderate prices.

The spring piece goods and the revised prices show how much we give for little. There are English Cheviots and Thickets, black and blue, at \$18.50 for Coat and Vest; Trousers Worsteds at \$5, \$6.50, \$8, and \$10 for Trousers; and fancy goods of many sorts at \$20, \$25 and \$30 for suits. Satisfied content at the end of every order, of course.

"THE UTICA."
Cash and one price.

Death of Abram Slocum.

Abram Slocum, whose serious illness has been known to all of our readers for several weeks past, died at his home in this village, Thursday, March 14, 1895, aged 58 years. The disease which took him away was inflammation of the liver, complicated with kidney trouble. The funeral was held on Saturday at 11 o'clock a. m., at the M. E. church, Rev. J. M. Leach officiating, assisted by Rev. G. M. Jones and Rev. W. Brewster. The large audience room was filled with relatives, friends and neighbors. Burial took place at the family cemetery, about 2½ miles east of this village.

Abram Slocum was born in Newfield, Conn., in 1836. When a small boy his parents moved to this place, where the deceased has resided continuously ever since. Mr. Slocum was a member of the M. E. church for 35 years, and his whole life was consecrated to the service of God. He was a man of strict honesty, and his integrity and uprightness in all dealings won for him the esteem and respect of all who knew him. His last hours were peaceful and he passed away in the full expectation of enjoying the treasures in that place "where moth and rust do not corrupt, nor thieves break through and steal."

Mr. Slocum was a man whom this community can ill afford to lose. He was enterprising, public spirited, and his duty, whether public or private, was always done without fear or favor. He never sought personal preferment, but was ready at all times to assume his share of public responsibility. He has held the office of Street Commissioner ever since this village was incorporated, and his official acts were always open to the closest scrutiny. The deceased leaves a wife and twelve children, who have the sympathy of the entire community.

Death of Mrs. John L. Russell.

Philena Thatcher, wife of John L. Russell, of Scio, died at her home in that place on Wednesday, March 13, 1895, aged 78 years. Mrs. Russell had been in feeble health for some time, in fact she had been gradually declining for a number of years, but for the past few months the decline had been more rapid, and at last, only a few days before her death, she was compelled to take to her bed.

The deceased was born in Alfred in 1816, and was married to John L. Russell January 1, 1831. Thus it will be seen that on last New Years Day this couple celebrated the sixty-first anniversary of their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell have resided in the towns of Alfred, Belmont and Scio in this county, the last eight years having been spent at the latter named place.

The deceased was a most estimable woman, dearly beloved by the members of family and a wide circle of relatives. She was a faithful and devoted wife and mother, and it was in her own home that her good qualities were most manifest, in the efforts—which have been indeed most successful—to provide a pleasant and attractive habitation for those about her. She leaves a husband, a few years her senior, to travel the balance of life's journey without the companionship of her whose company he has enjoyed for more than three score years. Mrs. Russell was the mother of J. J. Russell, who resides at Scio. She was also the grandmother of Mrs. C. E. Very of Belfast and Mrs. H. C. Norris of Andover.

Funeral services were held on Friday at the house, Rev. A. R. Miller of Wells-ville officiating. The text was the passage of scripture reading, "In my Father's house there are many mansions," and the following verses, which the deceased had been fond of hearing read.

The burial took place at Belmont.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for the assistance so kindly rendered during the illness and after the death of our wife and mother.

J. L. RUSSELL,
J. J. RUSSELL.

A. L. Jones the painter.

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Clothing is Cheaper

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