

**THE ANDOVER NEWS**  
ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

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No silver man has pronounced in favor of a third term for President Cleveland.

Ireland will never be liberated by holding conventions at Chicago, or any other American city.

New York cranks are hunting up all sorts of old and forgotten laws and appealing to Roosevelt to enforce them.

What with bicycles, electricity and horseless carriages it seems that a greater demand for horseflesh as food will have to be created or the raising of horses be partially abandoned.

The gold key of the Berlin church, which was recently presented to Kaiser William, will not unlock the door over which St. Peter is popularly supposed to preside.

Benjamin Harrison was renominated in '92 although he was opposed by Quay, Platt, and other political bosses, but he had the assistance of the Federal office-holders, which he will not have next year.

Have years ceased to count? Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, at the age of 83, crosses the continent to her son in Washington, returning to review unceasing literary labors and two books to be completed for January, 1896.

So ex-president Harrison, who has been summering in the Adirondacks, has leased a cottage in Saratoga and will continue to breathe the air of the Empire state. Well, New York always was a pretty good commonwealth to live in.

Life in a New England almshouse must be "one glad, sweet song." Nancy Bennett, aged 76, has just died in one after having been an inmate from babyhood; and it is said that after reaching the age of discretion she remained there from choice.

The House of the Forty-fourth Congress adopted an anti-third term resolution by a vote of 233 to 18, declaring such to be "unwise, unpatriotic, and fraught with peril to our free institutions." A similar resolution would doubtless receive a larger majority, if voted upon by the Fifty-fifth Congress.

The Defender has shown that she can defend, by winning the first of the international yacht races. Her's hoping that she will win two more, and thus again prove the superiority of Yankee genius in boat building. In yesterday's race the Defender was only 47 seconds behind the Valkyrie, and sailed the whole of the thirty mile race with a broken spar. The Defender is all right.

The reform police commissioners of New York have caused orders to be issued to the force that no money be subscribed to a fund to influence legislation at Albany during the coming winter. It has been stated in the newspapers that such a fund was to be subscribed, so the commissioners, so to speak, have taken time by the forelock and have warned policemen that raising a corruption fund this year will be a dangerous undertaking.

Chauncey M. Depew is on his way home from Europe, but he could not wait to bring his views on 1896 by steamer. He sent them ahead by cable. Here they are: "Cleveland is as certain to be the Democratic nominee as the national convention is to meet. He is the only possible candidate."

Mr. Depew is an interesting man. He says interesting things. But we don't believe the New York Sun will give much credence to his opinion about Mr. Cleveland and the nomination in 1896.

There are tariffs for revenue only and tariffs for protection, but the Wilson law has just been styled a "tariff for deficit."

The arrest of 900 persons, suspected of being nihilists, in Moscow and St. Petersburg, must give the Russian government some business. It is worse than having "a Congress on its hands."

In the Steuben-Yates Senatorial district are three Republican aspirants for the Senate. The candidates are Franklin D. Sherwood of Hornellsville, W. H. Nichols of Bath, and John S. Sheppard of Penn Yan. The six delegates in the First District of Steuben have been instructed for Nichols, the six in the Second District for Sherwood; and the six in Yates for Sheppard. The chances are said to favor Sherwood, who lost his seat twice through intelligibility, when the district was composed of Allegany, Steuben and Chautauqua counties.

**THE TIDE TURNING.**

A movement of population from the cities back into the country is noted in Minnesota. The Minneapolis Tribune regards this recession in urban growth as an encouraging sign. The St. Paul Pioneer Press notes the fact that the sale of farm lands in Minnesota and the Dakotas is larger now than it has been for years. All the railroads in that neighborhood with unsold lands are disposing of an unusual number of acres, and the best of it is the buyers are actual occupiers who propose to go into diversified farming. In the States where censuses have been taken this year there is an apparent decrease in city population and an increase in the rural districts. The Atlanta Journal hears of a number of this year's college graduates who intend to make farming their life-work. The idea that a professional life or a commercial career is the natural destiny of our college bred men, says the Journal, has caused the waste of an untold amount of energy and the wreck of many a man who either attempted something for which he was not suited, or went down in the maelstrom of fast city life. There is no better occupation than farming, none which requires a better quality of manhood, none which affords a better chance for a happy, inde-

pendent and useful life. A boy should think over the matter well before he makes up his mind to leave the farm and make his fortune or his fame in town. The Springfield Republican says it will be much surprised if the Massachusetts census does not exhibit a similar population movement. "All over the country," says the Republican, "the drift to the cities has been too general and extensive for a decade and a half past to meet the demands of a natural and healthful adjustment between populations engaged in agriculture and populations engaged in manufacturing, transportation, and professional and personal services. The latter avenues of employment have been terribly overcrowded, and the coming on of hard times has compelled something of a halt in this remarkable march of the population to the cities."

The News office does the best job printing

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Pursuant to an order of Hon. S. McArthur Norton, Surrogate of Allegany County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Joanna Fulmer, late of Andover, N. Y., deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, at the office of Van Fleet & Phillips in the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before the 24th day of January, 1896.  
Dated July 16, 1895.  
WILLIAM STOUT, Executor.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Pursuant to an order of Hon. S. McArthur Norton, Surrogate of Allegany County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Eliza A. Hale, late of the town of Andover in said County, deceased, to present the same, with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, at the office of Van Fleet & Phillips, in the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before January 20, 1896.  
Dated July 10, 1895.  
A. M. BURROWS, Executor.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Pursuant to an order of Hon. S. McArthur Norton, Surrogate of Allegany County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Marsh Bundy, late of the town of Andover, in said county, deceased, to present the same, with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned at the office of Van Fleet & Phillips, in the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before October 15, 1895.  
Dated March 27, 1895.  
L. C. VAN FLEET,  
E. J. ATWOOD,  
Executors.

**Notice to Creditors.**  
Pursuant to an order of Hon. S. M. Norton, the Surrogate of the County of Allegany, in Surrogate's Court, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against Adam C. Bentley, late of the town of Andover, in said County of Allegany, deceased, are required to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, the Executor of the late will and testament of said deceased, at the law office of Crayton L. Earley of Andover in said County of Allegany, on or before the 20th day of January, 1896.  
Dated July 10, 1895.  
E. J. ATWOOD, Executor.

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**Gold \* Aluminum \* Test.**

New York, Dec. 27th, 1894.

At 12 o'clock this day, Capt. Long, of Quartermaster's Department, United States Army, witnessed a test made at Dr. Carl Barnes' laboratory, where the following tests were made with a teaspoon made of Gold Aluminum, all of which were satisfactory:

1. The boiling of water in the teaspoon and, after the boiling, the heating of the spoon to a red heat, after which the spoon cleaned up bright.
2. The boiling of vinegar in the spoon.
3. The cooking of salt pork in the spoon.
4. The boiling of coffee in the spoon.
5. The frying of eggs in the spoon.
6. The frying of bacon in the spoon.

After all these, the tablespoon easily polished up and was as clean and handsome as ever—all for the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army.

As a result of the above tests, the Quartermaster's Department ordered a quantity of the tableware for use in the several departments of the army. It is not only durable, but makes an elegant appearance on the table. This tableware is given away at Ross' Cash Store. For full information call at the store and procure a card.

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At a meeting of the Allegany County Association, held at Bolivar, April 18, 1896, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

- RULE 1.—That not less than 5 cents per copy be charged for resolutions of respect, and tickets of entertainment from which revenue is derived.
- RULE 2.—Cards of thanks to be charged for.
- RULE 3.—Obituary notices, except such published as a matter of news, and listing presents to be charged for at not less than 5 cents per line.

Mr. Volney McCorn is again in the city pursuing his studies at Cornell University.

Miss Ella McLaughlin returned last night from a visit in Bradford and other places in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. E. B. Bilby, of Deposit, is accompanied by two children, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Benedict.

L. A. Burrows has bulletins of the result of the yacht race. We thus get the news before it is minutes old.

Lorenzo and David Stearns have the contract for building the new railroad in Wellsville. They have begun the work.

A. E. Cole of Brooklyn, who has been in the city for some time, is now in town.