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The United States no longer has the fastest war vessels afloat. That honor now belongs to the British Cruiser Terrible.

It is easy to convince the most conceited man that he isn't as popular as he thinks himself if you can only get him to make a lecture tour.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES.

It has been an arduous task for Speaker James M. E. Grady to divide 36 chairmanships between 114 Republicans, and of course he could hardly have done so without causing much disappointment. Some of the Assemblymen got back their positions they held last year on the committees. Fred A. Robbins, our Assemblyman, was recognized as a regular, and was placed on three important committees, namely, third on Judiciary, second on Codes, and second on Public Institutions.

THOS. C. PLATT SENATOR.

At the Republican majority caucus held at Albany on the evening of Jan. 14th, Thomas C. Platt received 142 votes out of 149 for Senator from New York. The seven who voted for Joseph H. Choate were Senators Brush, Pavey and Tibbits and Assemblymen Bates, Laimbeer, Robbins and Sanger. The Albany *Argus* says:

"During the afternoon an attempt was made to get Assemblyman Robbins, of Allegany, to vote for Mr. Platt by offering to put his name on the roll and raising no question as to his Republicanism. The Allegany member would not listen to any proposition. He was entitled to be called on a caucus roll of Republican members. If he was omitted he would make a statement of his position. In any event, he would not vote for the man who had tried so hard to compass his defeat. It was not deemed best to create a scene. Robbins was left on the roll and voted for Choate."

INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

The meetings will continue this week. There seems to be an increasing interest. About twenty have come out and have resolved that they will try and live different lives. Let the good work go on.

C. F. Potter has sold his cheese factory in this place to Mr. Stune of Hallsport, an experienced cheese maker.

A. J. Brown has an auction Feb. 1st. to sell his farming tools and stock. We understand that Mr. Brown is to live in Andover to give his children the benefit of the school.

E. A. Cottrell has his new wind mill in running order, and is doing lots of feed grinding when the wind blows.

Several young people from Whitesville attended church here Saturday evening.

ALFRED STATION NEWS.

Mrs. James Spink is quite sick with heart trouble.

Orson Robinson and George Weisbrod have opened a meat market in the room adjoining M. A. Greene's store.

The school is closed for one week on account of the sickness of the teacher, Miss Gertie Witter.

Dr. Geo. E. Burdick, of Andover, was here attending one of F. L. Pettibone's boys, who has been very sick. He is reported better now.

The house that Rev. M. B. Kelly is to occupy is undergoing quite extensive repairs. W. H. Langworthy is superintending the job.

Last week, potatoes were worth 25 cents per bushel. They have dropped to 20 cents. B. A. Clair of Andover is still shipping.

Ezra Hamilton is quite sick with catarrhal fever. Dr. E. C. Green is attending him.

A. A. Hall is so as to be around with a crutch and a cane. His injury is a sprained ankle, received at Andover, while helping clear up the wreck on the railroad.

One of McEwen's men from Wellsville is putting in new flues in the boiler at the new sawmill.

Mrs. L. M. Emerson was at Hornellsville the first of the week, visiting at Ward Brown's.

Mrs. Otelia Merkt is staying in Hornellsville for a while.

The lawsuit of J. B. Woodbury vs. Wm. H. Phillips, Monday, at the hotel, was decided in favor of the defendant.

A number of young people went to Hornellsville Saturday night to see the play entitled, "Snares of New York." They report it very fine.

Mrs. A. A. Hall is reported on the sick list.

Bert King is loading a car of apples for the eastern market, and Mell Grinley is loading a car with hay.

The engines could not take water at the station for a few days last week, on account of the pump being in Hornellsville for repairs. It was returned Saturday morning.

There was a reception of welcome at the church Tuesday evening, for the receiving of Rev. M. B. Kelly, who is to preech here the coming year, and also a farewell for the Rev. A. P. Ashurst, who is to leave here in a few days.

One thing which has made *The Illustrated Buffalo Express* popular heretofore is its special illustrated articles dealing with live American subjects, either of business or politics. We learn that the *Express* proposes to make such features even more prominent during the present year. The *Express* shows good judgment.

Auction Sale.

On the old Edmund Brown farm, half way from Andover to Whitesville, on the East Road, Monday, Feb. 1st. I have rented my farm and am going to sell everything from a hoe to a twine binder. Six head of extra fine Jersey stock; one fine blooded Jersey bull from a fine strain of stock. Any one wishing a choice young cow can get her at this sale. Three fine horses, young and well bred; Buffalo robe, nearly new, single harness, 2 set of heavy harness, one set light driving harness, 1 two-seated carriage, 1 road wagon, 1 cart, 2 lumber wagons, 1 pair farm trucks, 1 set bobs, 1 set new dickies, 1 cutter, harrow, cultivator, potato digger, drill, mowing machine, wheel rake, deering binder. These utensils are all good ones and in first-class condition. 600 bushels of oats; hay, straw, potatoes, potato crates, chains, and all such things as belong to a first class farm.

Terms: All sums of $10 and under; cash; 18 months' time will be given on all sums over $10 on good approved notes on interest. Warm dinner from 11 to 12 a. m. Sale begins at 12:30 sharp.

AL. J. BROWN.
W. C. HAWKS, Auctioneer.

A weed in the garden can be easily destroyed when it first starts. Consumption can be nipped in the bud by One Minute Cough Cure. Benedict & Van Noy.

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The Standard . . . . Designer.

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MRS. G. OLIVEY,
DRY GOODS & MILLINERY,
Wellsville, N. Y.

Minutes seem like hours when a life is at stake. Croup gives no time to send for a doctor, delay may mean death. One Minute Cough Cure gives instant relief and insures recovery. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. Benedict & Van Noy.

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THE GROCER,

Keeps constantly on hand a full line of the best brands of

Flour and General Groceries.

Acme Flour a Specialty.

His stock of

Tobacco and Cigars

is unsurpassed for merit in this market.

FRUIT

fresh and cheap is a specialty. Butter and eggs taken in exchange for goods.

John Trainer.

Ladies' are invited to examine our novelties in

EARTHEN AND STONEWARE.

We also have the largest and finest line of

CANDIES

in town. We are also headquarters for Banjo and Violin strings. A specialty of the celebrated Stratton string.

Anything you wish for on our 5c and 10c counters.

Remember we carry a large line of Patent Medicines, Drugs, etc., at prices that will take your breath away.

O. E. VARS.
Drug and Variety Store.

You can . . . . Save Money,

When in need of Drugs and Patent Medicines, by calling at our store.

We have the best line of Confectionery to be found in town; also, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, and Canned goods of all kinds. Oysters by the quart or dish.

... B. S. BRUNDAGE,

Successor to E. M. STILLMAN.

Furniture

Still continues at the cheap prices at our store. Be sure to come in and see us before purchasing. We want you to look our goods over, and give you prices.

MAIN STREET. **FOWLER & REMINGTON,**

Our Undertaking is Complete.

A fine line of funeral goods always on hand. Charges reasonable. Embalming a specialty, for which no extra charge is made. Night calls promptly attended. For night calls, call at the side door of the Benton block and ring the bell.

MR. & MRS. S. J. FOWLER,
Funeral Directors and Embalmers.

We have just received a reduction in prices on our Suitings, and will give our customers the benefit of it.

SNYDER & MASON.

SUNFLOWERS.

Possibly a little out of the season for some kinds, but just the right time for a

SUNFLOWER CORSET.

Every lady, when she buys a Corset, wants a good one. The Sunflower has been thoroughly tested and every lady who has ever worn one speaks in the highest terms of its perfect fit and durability. Ask your neighbor how they were fitted. Every one guaranteed to give satisfaction.

PHILLIPS & OWEN.

Maple Sugar Making Supplies.

We are in position to name lower prices than ever before on anything in the line of sugar tools. We have 10,000 Syrup Cans to offer, other supplies in proportion.

Kindly give us a chance to figure with you on everything you are in need of in Sugar Tools.

EDWARD J. ATWOOD.

CHIPS AND CHUNKS...

Chips from large lots, huge chunks hewn from the prices. More for you in these chips; gather 'em up.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO WEAR BRASS.

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We have a large amount of plated ware which must be sold. graving free.

We also carry a large line of Guns, Amunition, Violins, which must be sold regardless of cost.

Cleaning and repairing a specialty and the price is right. Come and see me a call.

H. MOURHESS,
The Up-to-date Jeweler.

"'Tis a-piece of advice both to poor and to rich,
If a horse is a Christian, why not use him as such?"

In any event, use him well. You keep yourself warm clad in winter, don't you. Well, give the beast an equally good show. Don't let him stand unblanketed when

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are procurable at reasonable prices. You know what a Blanket is, don't you? If not, don't remain in ignorance buy one or more. You won't regret it.

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SHORT NOTICE,
PROMPT DELIVERY...

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We solicit your deposits.

A. M. BURROWS.
W. B. BUNDY, Cashier.

HERE AND ELSEWHERE.

Read the new advertisements.

Oil leases for sale at this office.

The Cecilian Club at Prest's Opera house Jan. 27th.

B. M. Austin, of Coudersport, visited town several days this week.

Mrs. Lyman C. Bentley was recently married at Coudersport to a Mr. Klesa.

Rev. Father Brown, of Cuba, was the guest of Rev. T. A. Murray on Tuesday.

Mrs. Preston Knox, of Wellsville, was visiting in town the latter part of last week.

Miss Martha B. Langworthy is visiting her aunt, Mrs. V. A. Willard, at Belmont.

Mrs. S. C. Parker and daughter Agnes spent the latter part of last week in Wellsville.

Miss Wilmie Wright is spending some time in Cleveland, Ohio, with Mrs. W. J. Moore.

After a few weeks' visit with Ceres relatives, Mrs. James Owen has returned home.

Mrs. Russell Langworthy, of Lanphear Valley, is visiting Dr. Crandall's family in Wellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil S. Place, of Alfred, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. George E. Burdick last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bullard, of Buffalo, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Rosebush.

Mrs. E. A. Sweet and daughter Fannie, of Wellsville, visited in town the latter part of last week.

Don't forget that the next entertainment of the course will be given at Prest's Opera House, Jan. 27th.

Mrs. W. W. Miller returned on Tuesday from Wellsboro, Pa., where she has been visiting for two weeks past.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hall returned home last week, after spending a few days with her nephew, C. M. Allen, at Westfield, Pa.

The teachers' meeting has been organized at the Baptist Church, and will be held every Thursday night after prayer meeting.

An advertisement is a salesman. In fact salesmen put part of your money in other salesmen. They help all other men.

Lloyd Richardson and family visited friends in Richburg last week, returning Thursday. Mrs. Ralph Lester and son accompanied them home.

Misses Anna and Mary Kinney of Wellsville, and Miss Mary McLaughlin of Friendship, were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Loughlin.

The next entertainment in the course to be given by the Cecilian Club Jan. 27th, will consist of Jean Ingelow's "Story of Seven, and the Cantata, "The Queen of the Hesperus."

TALK TOWN HALL.

Read Epstein's ad. on the first page.

It will soon be daylight until six o'clock.

If your society elects officers bring in a list for publication.

Erasmus Bennett, of Topeka, Kas., is a guest at Jesse Snyder's.

Supervisor D. S. Burdick, of Alfred, was in town today on business.

The Philharmonic reception at Prest's opera house Friday evening promises to be a grand success.

Tickets for the third entertainment of the course will be on sale at L. A. Burrows' next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Dr. E. M. Stillman went to Hornellsville Monday for treatment at the Sanitarium. His speedy restoration to perfect health is, we are sure, desired by all Andover people.

The Golden Rule Mission Band of the Presbyterian church will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Betzner on Friday evening, January 22d. Supper will be served from five p. m. until all are served. Supper 15c.

Subject at the Baptist Church, Sunday morning, "Casting into the Treasury." In the evening, Seaman Post No. 481, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps will attend church in a body to listen to an address appropriate to the occasion. All invited.

Rev. W. L. Burdick, of Independence, preached very acceptably at the M. E. church last Sunday. In the absence of the pastor, the Epworth League took charge of the evening services, and all unite in saying that the meeting was a pleasant and profitable one.

When you go into business you consider a sign a necessity. An advertisement is a traveling sign going regularly before the eyes of the buyers. A buyer may be too busy to hear a salesman, but the "ad" is always waiting and reaches him when he has leisure to read.

Our advertising columns announce the closing-out sale of the stock of the Epstein's Clothing House. This will be what it purports to be—a genuine closing out sale. The large and carefully selected stock of clothing and gent's furnishing goods will be sold at a positive sacrifice to obviate their removal. H. Epstein has done business in Andover quite long enough for his methods to be known. He has on several occasions benefited buyers by giving special sales; but on this occasion he will out do any effort heretofore made in giving good values.

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—OF—

DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, CARPETS & MILLINERY

Wednesday, Jan. 20, to Saturday, Jan. 30,

TO REDUCE STOCK FOR INVENTORY.

Best Indigo blue prints,	4½c. a yard
Fine dress ginghams,	6c. "
Yard wide Percales,	7½c. "
Cotton crepons, were 12½c.,	7c. "
Good outing flannels,	4½c. "
Very best outing flannels,	8c. "
Good blue and white shirting,	6½c. "
Fine feather ticking,	10c. "
Excellent unbleached factory,	4½c. "
Lonsdale bleached muslin,	6½c. "
Ready-made bleached sheets, 72x90 inches,	36c. each
Large cotton bats, only	7c. "
Colored carpet warp,	15c. a pound
All wool shrunken flannel,	35c. a yard
Men's outing night shirts,	56c. each
56 inch cream linen damask,	29c. a yard
Elegant bleached damask,	73c. "
Great bargains in dinner napkins,	$1.20 a dozen
Stevens fine brown crash,	6½c. a yard
Printed French flannels, worth 50c.,	35c. "
Broad cloths, worth $1.10,	85c. "
Fine half wool, 36-inch cashmere,	15c. "
Novelty dress goods, worth $1.00,	72c. "
Elegant 45 inch black and colored serges,	43c. "
Black taffeta brocade silks,	49c. "
Haskell's black satin Luxor,	88c. "
Kid gloves, lace or buttons, worth $1.00,	83c. a pair
C. B. corsets, worth $1.00,	65c. each
Men's heavy underwear, worth 40c.,	29c. "
Good all wool Rose blankets,	$3.00 per pair
Ingrain carpets, every thread wool,	39c. a yard
Good Union Ingrains,	20c. and 30c. "
Tapestry Brussels, worth 90c.,	65c. "
Lace curtains, worth $2.00, at	$1.55 a pair
50c. quality furniture covering,	39c. a yard
Ladies' $10.00 winter Jackets,	$4.90
Ladies' $12.50 Jackets,	$6.50

About a dozen trimmed hats at less than half price.

Large bill with fuller quotations sent on application.

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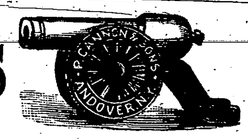
Cannon's  **Store News.**

RELIABLE goods and low prices are our trade winners. There's no two-priced trade here. Hugging over prices wastes time and upsets your confidence. Our price is the lowest you'll find hereabouts for the same quality. Money back in an hour or a week if you're not satisfied. We'd do better if we knew how.

Today we're opening the invoice of Spring Dry Goods. Lots of pretty things here now you'll not see later. Convenient time to make up your spring and summer dresses.

A large line of Muslin Underwear has been added to the stock and hereafter will have what you want in this line.

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PERFORATED.
Only Five Cents Each.

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PURE DRUGS,

. . . LARGE STOCK.

We are particular about the selection of our drugs and medicines.

If you don't find what you want elsewhere, you will generally find it at the

CORNER DRUG STORE.

BENEDICT & VAN NOY.

NEW GOODS

Having completed our annual inventory, we now invite you to call and look at

NEW GOODS

which we are putting in this week. A general fitting up in every department.

We propose to make this the banner year for business in our store. The opening is indeed bright, and trade never better. We have no complaints to make over "poor debts" or "dead beats." Our customers either pay down or when they agree to, which is all any reasonable person can ask.

In the barter deal, which includes everything a farmer wants to exchange for general merchandise, we claim to take the lead—have always done it, and shall keep it up this year. We have a market for anything marketable, and pay the highest prices always. Bring along your stuff and exchange for goods at

ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

A. M. BURROWS.