FINAL WIND-UP
Clearance Sale!
OF
MEN'S SUITS AT $11.50

Suits regularly worth $16, $18 and some even $20. It is a most important sale, as it embraces all "Odd Lots" in fancy Worsteds, plain Greys, Stripes and black goods. Every size from 33 to 44 is still represented. Come early and get the first pick at $11 50 per suit.

Odd Groups of Boys' Suits In Clearance Sale.

At $3 50, all that were $4, $4 50 and $5.

At $4.50, all Suits that were $6.

Showing of new Fall Boys' and Children's Suits, Friday, Aug. 30

Fall Styles of Knox Hats.

First Showing, Tuesday, Aug. 27

All Fall blocks in Derbies, Soft Felts and Silk Hats will be on exhibition. This is the store where you will also find all other new blocks.

The English Carlton "Dual Felt." The Beacon and the Maxim Hats, ranging in price from $2 to $5.

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GREENWOOD LOCAL BRIEFS

The rain holds itself back.

Water in our streams is at low tide.

The great Hornell Fair was a success.

Reunion of the 56th Regiment N. Y. S. Vols. last Wednesday.

Potatoes will be a light crop on account of the drouth.

Mr. Ordway of Howard was in Greenwood Saturday looking for a farm to purchase.

Joshua Saunders was a Greenwood visitor yesterday.

Thomas Coleman of West Union was a Greenwood visitor Monday.

A fine rain Sunday night. Vegetation smiles in appreciation.

Abram Hutchinson was in our city Tuesday.

Silas Lewis was a Greenwood visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mary Barkley, who has been visiting relatives in town, returned to her home in Topeka, Kan., Wednesday.

Jerome White was in our city Monday.

Homer Donaldson was in town on Tuesday.

Will Stephens has engaged board with one of our teachers.

George Phillips of Rochester who has been spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Mary Phillips, returned to his work Monday.

School began Monday with Prof. Tucker again at the helm. The professor's motto in school affairs is progression.

W. O. Slocum is re-stocking his hill yard with pine logs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wyckoff were in our city Wednesday.

Larry Hyland was greeting old friends and neighbors Tuesday.

Miss Alida Smith of Rochester, who has been visiting in Greenwood, has returned to her home.

Frank Warriner was in town Monday.

John Schuette is on hand putting his evaporator in condition for the apple crop.

William and Henry Price of Troupsburg were in our city Wednesday.

Saturday was shipping day for veals and pigs.

George Case was a caller in town Wednesday.

Allie Mead of West Hill was in town Monday.

An immense crowd took the N. Y. & P. train for the Hornell Fair Tuesday.

Neal O'Hagan was a Greenwood visitor Monday.

Supreme court at Bath September 16th.

Miss Helen Stratton and Miss Lillian Reid, who have secured positions on the faculty of our school, are boarding with Mrs. Mary Phillips.

Miss Roach is spending a few days in Hornell visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Minnie Baker and son have gone to Buffalo for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Atkins Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Atkins and Mr. Will Taylor are attending the Toronto Fair.

Floyd Pease went to Buffalo Monday.

Miss Genevieve Davis has returned to her school work in Bath.

The Order of the Golden Seal has taken the entire issue of thirty thousand dollars 5 per cent. bonds issued by the county to defray the expenses of building the new court house at Hornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter, who have been spending a short time visiting relatives in Greenwood, returned to their home in Buffalo Monday. Mrs. Carter is a niece of William and Peter Rollins.

Charles Flaisted was in town Monday on business.

The well drilled by Thomas Gale on Colonel Bill's creek was a duster.

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Rich McNichols, the popular landlord of Rexville, was in town Monday.

Knox Miller was in our city Tuesday.

There was a family reunion at James Miner's Tuesday.

Free, for Catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm, containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make a free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by O. E. Vars.

School Days Are Near

Are the Children Ready

We are prepared to help you get the children ready for school at very little trouble or expense. Our new stock of Fall Dresses are here—either in wash material or wool fabric. The girls of today want to be clothed in neat, natty dresses—dresses that are up to the minute in style—not worn over ideas. Our showing reflects what dame fashion says is right style for girls from 6 to 14 years of age. We have them in variety too. You should bear in mind that it takes no longer to buy the dress ready to put on than it does the cloth, and then you see just how it looks made up. Bring the girls in and try on several styles. It's our pleasure to have you do it.

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of being well dressed; everybody doesn't. It grows out of the fact that people have to judge your ability and standing by the way you look, until you give them something else to judge by.

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If you're in Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes, you look like success; that's a big step towards it. Made of all wool fabrics; made to fit all sizes of men.

Your Hat, Sir! Everything else may be absolutely correct, but if your Hat lacks style, you are not well dressed. The beauty of our new fall shapes, combined with other qualities, guarantees Hat satisfaction.

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Frank Watkins and family are going to move to Hornell. Hornell secures good citizens thereby.

Oscar Bell of Rochester is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bell.

Mrs. Sarah Wright and Mrs. Lena Cheesman started Tuesday for the Toronto Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Whiteman of Canisteo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shaw Tuesday.

Mrs. George Banks is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Caffrey.

Minor Shaw and wife spent Labor day with H. N. Guernsey.

George Murphy of Jasper was a Greenwood visitor Tuesday.

Nealey Dempsey was in town Monday.

Mrs. Martin Ebersold is the guest of Mrs. Leroy Smith.

Glenn Coston is in Buffalo enjoying the festivities of home-coming week.

Scott Stephens of Canisteo was in our village Monday.

Charles Foster of Moravia was a business visitor in this place Friday.

Mrs. Johnson of Troupsburg was in town Saturday.

Salem Knight of Huntsville visited the city Wednesday.

Frank Bristol of Sunderlandville is in town selling horses.

A. Williams of Nois, Pa., was in Greenwood Wednesday.

Joshua Saunders was in town Saturday on business.

F. L. Foster visited Greenwood Saturday.

Melvin Madison was a caller in town Monday.

R. W. Lewis of Troupsburg was in our city Saturday.

T. F. Boyle of Rochester was a Greenwood visitor Tuesday.

The new well on the Lee farm started off at a twenty-five barrel pace. Another will be started on this farm at once.

John Paine visited relatives in Greenwood Tuesday.

Miss Teresa Shanley was among the Greenwood visitors Monday.

Dan Coleman and Larry Hyland of West Union were in town Monday.

Leroy Smith is on the sick list, suffering from appoplexy. Dr. Vaughan is attending him.

John Cahill was in town Tuesday on business.

Newberry Whitney was a business visitor in Greenwood Tuesday.

Verne Johnson is improving his premises by building a new sewer.

Stan Murray was a caller in Greenwood Monday.

Menzo Knight of Bennetts called on Greenwood friends Tuesday.

Pearl Crop Good Last Year.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Pearls of the value of $500,000 were found in the United States and other precious stones to the value of $2,000,000 were produced during the year, according to statistics just given out by the government. The value of the diamonds discovered in Arkansas in the latter part of the year is not included.

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Victims of hay fever will experience great benefit by taking Piso's Cures. Mild Tar, as it stops difficult breathing immediately and heals the inflamed air passages. Sold by druggists, 25 cents. Piso's Cure for Consumption is a cough cure. It will give instant relief. The genuine is in a yellow package. Brundage & Rogers.

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BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

At New York—

										R.
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Hits — New York, 2; Brooklyn, 5. Errors — New York, 0; Brooklyn, 1. Batteries — Matthewson and Bresnahan; Pastoriu and Ritter.

First game—New York, 2, 5, 1, Taylor. Brooklyn, 0, 2, 2, Strickleott.

At St. Louis—

										R.
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	— 4

Hits—St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 11. Errors—St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 1. Batteries—Carger and Marshall; Ames and Moran.

At Pittsburg — Pittsburg, 2, 8, 1, Leifield. Cincinnati, 4, 10, 2, Ewing.

American League.

At New York—

										R.
New York	3	0	1	2	0	0	4	—	10
Boston	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	—	5

Hits—New York, 11; Boston, 7. Errors—New York, 2; Boston, 3. Batteries—Neuner and Thomas; Pruitt and Criger.

First game—New York, 2, 6, 3, Mordan. Boston, 3, 9, 2, Hogg.

At Philadelphia—

										R.
Philadelphia	0	3	2	2	2	—	9			
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1		

Hits — Philadelphia, 11; Washington, 5. Errors — Philadelphia, 2; Washington, 6. Batteries — Waddell and Schreck; Patkins and Block.

First game—Philadelphia, 15, 20, 1. Block. Washington, 6, 10, 3, Oberlin.

At Cleveland—

										R.
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	— 1

Hits — Cleveland, 6; St. Louis, 5. Errors — Cleveland, 0; St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Thielman and Clark; Dineen and Spencer.

At Chicago—

										R.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	—	6
Detroit	3	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	—	9

Hits—Chicago, 13; Detroit, 11. Errors—Chicago, 5; Detroit, 2. Batteries—White and Sullivan; Smith and Payne.

Eastern League.

At Buffalo—

										R.
Buffalo	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—	2
Montreal	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—	1

Hits—Buffalo, 9; Montreal, 6. Errors—Buffalo, 1; Montreal, 2. Batteries—Vowhkle and Ryan; Herbst and Clark.

First game—Buffalo, 1, 8, 2, Milligan. Montreal, 0, 6, 1, Stanley.

At Rochester—

										R.
Rochester	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	—	3
Toronto	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	2

Hits—Rochester, 6; Toronto, 5. Errors—Rochester, 1; Toronto, 1. Batteries—McLean and Higgins; Hesterday and Hurley.

First game—Rochester, 4, 7, 1, Henley. Toronto, 10, 12, 0, Mitchell.

At Baltimore—

										R.
Baltimore	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—	3
Jersey City	1	0	0	2	1	1	2	0	—	10

Hits—Baltimore, 6; Jersey City, 13. Errors—Baltimore, 3; Jersey City, 2. Batteries—Hardy and Beyers; Mason and Vandegrift.

At Providence—

										R.
Providence	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	—	4
Newark	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—	2

Hits—Providence, 9; Newark, 3. Errors—Providence, 3; Newark, 1. Batteries—Harris and Donovan; McCarthy and Shea.

First game — Providence, 5, 7, 1, Mack. Newark, 0, 2, 5, Labell.

State League.

At Wilkes-Barre—

										R.
Wilkes-Barre	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	4	—	9
A., J. & G.	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	2

Hits—Wilkes-Barre, 8; A., J. & G., 8. Errors—Wilkes-Barre, 2; A., J. & G., 4. Batteries—Graney and McCauley; Purcell and McCarty.

At Scranton—Scranton, 1; Utica, 0.

Weather Indications.

Partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday; light to fresh winds, mostly north to northeast.

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For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

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Week Kidneys, strengthen bladder, regulate urine, stop pain in back, loins or kidneys, make you strong, vigorous and strong as a man should be. Dr. Shoop's Restorative makes weak kidneys strong and gives back the strengthening nerves. To doctor the kidneys without the stomach is a waste of time and of money as well.

If your back aches or is weak, if the urine scalds, or is dark and strong, if you have symptoms of dropsy, if you are distressing or dangerous kidney disease, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative a month. Tablets or liquid—and see what it can and will do for you. Druggists recommend and sell it.

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Will make the SEASON OF 1907 at the farm of B. W. CONLEY, Allegany County, N. Y.
Fee Ten Dollars
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ALCEDO is a Bay Horse, standing close to 16 hands, and will weigh close to 1,100 pounds. Alcedo was a brilliant race horse, winning the Suburban Handicap and many other races. The dozen of his foals are now 2 years old, and of great promise.
ALCEDO mating with general mares should endow their produce with increased quality, stamina and intelligence. The produce should also mature earlier than if sired by a coarse or inferior horse.
ALCEDO is the property of The Jockey Club, and is making the season of 1907 under the auspices of The Jockey Club's Breeding Bureau. The Jockey Club will give in 1908 at the Allegany County Fair three cash premiums, $20 to first, $15 to 2d and $10 to 3d for the best stallion foal foaled by Alcedo, and sired from mares bred to him at B. W. Conley's farm.
Applications should be made to
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Andover, Allegany County, N. Y.

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J. B. DAGON wishes to announce to the people of this village and vicinity that he has opened his new store at 175 Main Street, Hornell, with a full and complete line of up-to-date furniture.

He will be pleased to meet all old friends and customers. Also leading Funeral Director and Embalmer.
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WASHINGTON LETTER

(Special Correspondence.)

Small pay is the main reason for desertion from the army, according to the annual report of Major General A. W. Greely, commanding the northern division, which includes the departments of the lakes, the Dakotas and Missouri.

This factor, General Greely says, is seconded by the lack of the content, resultant trouble in dives surrounding the army posts, and "the low standard and general worthlessness of recruits." The moral deterioration of the recruits is characterized as a corollary of the small pay.

The Pay of Soldiers.

General Greely urges increase of pay of officers and men, a five year term of enlistment, a material increase in strength of the infantry and restoration of the canteen privileges to the extent of selling beer. He recommends that the pay proper to all enlisted men, except recruits of less than one year's service, be increased from 20 to 50 per cent, and that the minimum punishment for desertion should never be less than the unexpired term of enlistment.

General Greely urges the necessity of materially increasing the pay of officers and declares that unless it is contemplated the army shall be officered from an aristocracy of wealth, for an officer's position is fast becoming impossible for a man without private income, increased pay should be given him. He says the minimum infantry strength should be fifteen regiments, but if duty in Cuba and on the isthmus is to be part of the army work it should be twenty regiments.

Army Ration Criticised.

General Greely holds that the army ration, while excellent in quality and doubtless of sufficient nutritive value, in quantity and variety does not satisfy the American soldier.

He suggests that various edibles found on every American table, even of the poorest people, are entirely lacking in the army ration, although they appear on the naval list.

May Change Army Uniform.

The plan to provide the enlisted men of the army with a more serviceable uniform is engaging the attention of officials of the war department. This subject has been agitated for some time, and the need of a uniform more practical for everyday service purposes is gradually becoming more apparent.

Various recommendations are made by officials of the department as to the style to be adopted. Colonel L. M. Maus, who has had much experience with soldiers in the field, believes that the present regulation felt hat is not adapted for campaigning purposes in a hot or tropical climate. The infantry marching trousers, he declares, should be made full around the knees and the cuff extended down the leg far enough to be inclosed by the top of the marching shoe, thus doing away with the legging.

Government Workers Organize.

The Government Employees' Mutual Relief and Co-operative association has been launched by employees of the national government in this city, and plans are now being perfected for the permanent organization of the association.

Only employees of the United States government and of the government of the District of Columbia, employed within the District, are entitled to membership. It is proposed to establish an insurance department, whereby a member can obtain insurance protection based upon the plan of "old line" life insurance companies without having to pay the charge of those companies for agents' commissions, maintenance, etc. The policies will have great cash surrender and loan values and will offer all of the advantages of the policy of a regular insurance company—insurance protection to be extended to life, health, accident and old age insurance.

To Establish Savings Bank.

It is also proposed to establish a savings bank building association, in which the reserve necessary to protect the insurance policies in force will be invested and which will be required to earn 4 per cent interest. It is proposed to lend money to members of the association on proper security at a rate in excess of the required earnings as will pay the operating expenses of the bank.

Other features will be added from time to time as good business methods direct. A two-thirds vote of the total membership is necessary for the election of officers, all of whom are to be bonded.

Homage to the President.

The new union railroad station here will be supplied with a unique feature—a special entrance and reception room for the president of the United States. The president's entrance is an archway of marble thirty feet in width.

On alighting from his carriage beneath it the foremost citizen of the nation will step into a vestibule of noble proportions—of the same width as the archway and twenty feet in depth. In this vestibule the persons who accompany him will be waited upon by trained attendants, while the president himself will seek privacy in a room set apart for his exclusive use on the right hand adjoining.

The president's room, as it is called, will be most beautifully and luxuriously furnished. Costly oriental rugs will cover the floor. The ceiling will be done in gold and color, and the walls will be paneled in blue silk. In the middle will be a table suitable for writing, provided with a solid silver inkstand and other appurtenances to match, this and all the other articles of furniture being of mahogany. All of this luxury will not cost the chief executive a penny, but will be paid for out of the pockets of the railroad companies.

CARL SCHOFIELD.

HOOSIERS FAVOR HUGHES.

Indiana Republicans Like His Even Kept and Firm Stand For Fairness.

Indianapolis, Sept. 4.—Republicans of prominence who are keeping tab on political conditions throughout Indiana say that there is a strong feeling of friendliness toward Governor Hughes of New York and that there is every indication that he will be second choice of the Indiana delegation in the national convention.

They say that the governor's recent speeches have been so temperate, but withal so firm, as to leave no question as to where he would stand if elected to the presidency, and that the belief is growing that he would so order his administration as to encourage present prosperous conditions and at the same time provide ample safeguards for the people against corporate aggression.

No attempt, they say, has been made to learn the exact extent of this sentiment, but it is found among factory owners, business men and heads of corporations who, while believing that certain restraints are necessary in the case of corporations, are not in sympathy with "national war" upon them or such a policy as will create unrest in business circles and result in depression and consequent loss to honest investors.

While conceding to Mr. Fairbanks the delegation to the national convention there is a feeling that a compromise candidate will be named and that Governor Hughes will be the strongest man that can be nominated.

GOVERNOR AT JOHNSTOWN.

Made the Trip from Albany and Return in Private Trolley Car.

Johnstown, Sept. 4.—In spite of a downpour that did not cease all day, Governor Hughes journeyed from the state capital to this city, where at the annual fair of the Fulton County Agricultural society he addressed a gathering, naturally small because of the weather.

Previous to attending the fair Governor Hughes, who was accompanied by his son, Charles E. Hughes, Jr., his military secretary, Colonel Treadwell, Congressman Drury, former Congressman Littauer, Senator Wemple and Assemblyman Mills, visited Gloversville, had luncheon at the Kingsborough and made a brief inspection of the state armory in that city.

Following his departure from the fair grounds the governor and party drove to Johnston hall, the baronial mansion of Sir William Johnson, which recently passed into the possession of the state. Governor Hughes made the trip from Albany to Gloversville and return by trolley, occupying a private car.

In his speech the governor had much to say concerning political integrity and honorable, fair methods in the administration of the affairs of the state and nation.

Platform of Reciprocity.

Toronto, Sept. 4.—H. M. Whitney of Boston addressed the exhibition directorate. Mr. Whitney is the Democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts and reciprocity is his platform. Discussing the tariff problem, Mr. Whitney said that both parties in the United States favored a modification of the Dingley tariff. There were many people who wanted free trade in raw materials, in food and in many partly manufactured articles such as steel billets, pig iron and coal. Negotiations for reciprocity must, however, come from the states, as Canada has done her part. "The contest for the governorship of Massachusetts will be between the reciprocity party and the high tariff party at the elections which come off this fall," said Mr. Whitney. "I only lost the fight for lieutenant governor of the state by 2,000 votes two years ago and I believe the feeling in favor of reciprocity is very much stronger this year than then."

Leaves Policyholders' Committee.

New York, Sept. 4.—Leopold Mabilleau, a French member of the international policyholders' committee, has resigned from that committee. Mr. Mabilleau in announcing his resignation says that he became a member of the committee solely in the interest of the French policyholders and that he retired therefrom in view of the fact that the policyholders by vote had indorsed the administration tickets of the Mutual Life insurance company and the New York Life Insurance company and that the latter had complied with the French law requiring a deposit of the reserve on French policies with the government.

Hawkins—Oh, well, Bjenks isn't such an awfully bad fellow, after all. Dawkins—What makes you say that? Hawkins—Well, he wouldn't lend me the last I asked him for, but he didn't take advantage of the opportunity to give me good advice.

FIREMEN'S DAY IN BUFFALO.

Parade Was the Greatest of its Kind in History of the City.

Buffalo, Sept. 4.—More than 100,000 persons witnessed the firemen's parade held yesterday afternoon as one of the events of Old Home Week, and every one of these thousands will testify without reservation that it was one of the finest parades ever seen in this city.

It was impossible to make an accurate estimate of the number of firemen who turned out, but there were representatives from every part of Western New York and nearby Canada.

The ordinary review of the Buffalo fire department always has attracted thousands of spectators, but the annual parade of the Buffalo fire department, when compared to yesterday's parade, was as a volume of music produced by a single band compared to that emanating from a massing of many bands. And the number of spectators attracted by the event was proportionately greater.

There was one feature of the parade which impressed itself upon some of the older spectators. This feature of relative to fashions in firemen's clothes. It seems that the red shirt has seen its best days, and no longer is the one predominating emblem of a volunteer firefighter.

True, there were red shirts in the parade, plenty of them, and a bright inspiring touch they gave to the turnout, but the majority of the firefight ers from the nearby volunteer companies didn't wear red shirts at all. Some of them wore dress uniforms of fine broadcloth, others had garments of purple and some were garbed in sober gray. It seemed as if any color was preferable to red so far as the marchers themselves were concerned, yet the perverse public seemed to prefer the red, and whenever a company of scarlet-garbed ones appeared, it was accorded an ovation.

CAUGHT IN QUICKSAND.

Bodies of Three Men Found Standing Upright in Illinois River.

Peoria, Ill, Sept. 4.—Standing upright in the Illinois river, their feet imbedded in quicksand, and with water reaching only to their necks, the bodies of Keeling Wilson and William Stinger of Lacon, Ill., were found yesterday. Lying near by, covered by water, was the body of Charles McEntee, their companion.

What caused the deaths of the two men whose bodies were found standing is a mystery. Apparently, they were not drowned, and, as the water was warm, it is thought hardly possible that they could have died of exposure. Evidently they had become caught in the quicksand, and it is supposed that their struggles to free themselves so exhausted them that they died, perhaps after hours of suffering.

All three of the victims were unmarried men, under 30 years of age. They had attended a chicken fry given by the business men of Lacon on Sunday, and about sundown started home in a skiff.

When they failed to appear at their homes it was feared they had been drowned, and a searching party was sent out. Their boat, overturned and entangled in the willows, first attracted the attention of the searchers, and led to the discovery of the bodies.

The water where the men met their death was only about four feet deep. It is supposed that when the skiff was overturned they attempted to walk to shore, a task which would have been easy had it not been for the quicksand.

Strangely Worded.

Some of the applications for relief sent to the local committees by sufferers from bush fires are strangely worded, says the Melbourne Argus. Here is an extract from one by a widow: "I have lost in family four dairy cows, two pigs, a horse and three children, all these being by my first husband, and two goats in full milk and a baby by my second husband. All of the animals was lost in the fire."

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Commercial Treaty With Holland.

Washington, Sept. 4.—A commercial agreement with the Netherlands has been signed which will be of great benefit to American agricultural interests. It will be submitted to the states general of Holland for approval. It is drawn under section 3 of the tariff act, which authorizes the president to make certain concessions, and will therefore be effective without the approval of congress. American products are to receive under the agreement the lowest rates. Modifications are to be made in our administrative regulations which will be of value to the producers of the Netherlands.

DEFLECTION HAD BEEN NOTICED.

Reported to Consulting Engineer and Bridge Company.

STATEMENT OF MR. PARENT.

Report of Chief Engineer Hoar That the Piers Were Undisturbed and the Accident Was Confined to the Steel Work — $163,000 Due Bridge Company on Completed Work.

Quebec, Sept. 4.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Quebec Bridge company was held yesterday afternoon under the presidency of Hon. Mr. Parent and was largely attended. According to the treasurer's reports $2,116,000 has already been paid the Phoenix Bridge company and there is still due them $163,000 on work so far completed.

The annual report of directors had been prepared last week but since the accident a later report had been added. This latter report is accompanied by a statement of Chief Engineer Hoar, who states that after an examination of the bridge since the disaster he had ascertained that the piers were undisturbed, the coping levels being unchanged; the accident was therefore confined to the steel work alone.

"On the evening of the 27th inst.," remarks Mr. Hoar, "Mr. McClure, the resident inspecting engineer, came to see me with a sketch showing that the ribs in one of the lower chords of the west truss anchor arm showed an inward side deflection. The matter was reported the same day to the consulting engineer and the Phoenix Bridge company, but in order to avoid the delays and any misunderstanding that might arise from transmission of messages Mr. McClure left the next morning for New York and Phoenixville to discuss the question.

"Soon after these interviews took place the structure very suddenly collapsed. Whether the chord in question was the cause of the accident or not is at present undetermined. Personally I did not see immediate danger, at the same time I considered the question of sufficient importance to send Mr. McClure to explain the situation to the consulting engineer and the Phoenix Bridge company.

"Before Mr. McClure left he satisfied me as to the pier levels and the line of main posts. A few days previously the levels were taken for deflection, which agreed with the theoretic calculations, showing that everything was working out as it should do. If results had been otherwise the conclusions would have been that something should be done."

SMITH MUST STAND TRIAL

On Charge of Manslaughter Growing Out of Wreck of Electric Train.

New York, Sept. 4. — Alfred H. Smith, vice president and general manager of the New York Central railroad, must stand trial on a charge of manslaughter in the second degree, growing out of the wreck of an electric train on the Harlem railroad at Woodlawn on Feb. 16 last, according to a decision handed down yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Giegerich.

The decision overrules a demurrer made by Mr. Smith to an indictment charging him with being responsible for the death of Clara L. Hudson, who was one of more than a score of passengers killed in the wreck.

Smith contended that as general manager he could not take personal supervision of the road, but Justice Giegerich holds otherwise.

"I am asked," says the justice, "to take judicial notice of the obligations imposed on the defendant as general manager of the great railroad system of which he was in charge, and of the fact that by reason of their magnitude the defendant would not have been charged with the personal performance of the duties the indictment alleges were imposed upon him.

"It is said the courts would not entertain the idea that it is everyone's personal duty to do that which is impossible for him to do personally."

Justice Giegerich says it was possible for Mr. Smith to ascertain what measure could be devised to regulate speed and other matters, and therefore the responsibility rests with him.

John D. Hires Tree Doctors.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Half a dozen "tree doctors" are at work at John D. Rockefeller's place at Pocantico Hills, grafting trees for the purpose of preventing decay. Many of the trees that indicate an age of 200 years or more Mr. Rockefeller is especially anxious to preserve. He learned that there were such individuals as "tree doctors," and he immediately sent for them.

Arizona May Join Nevada.

Washington, Sept. 4. — Arizonians are looking about for an avenue to enter the Union. Unwilling to come in with New Mexico as a state, the people of Arizona realize that they are doomed to a long tutelage if they wait for congress to admit them separately. The latest suggestion which seems to meet with favor is that the territory be made a part of the state of Nevada.

TIME TABLE

N. Y. & P. R. R. CO.

Taking Effect Sept. 26, 1905.

WEST.

No 2, Mail. Leave Erie Junction at 8.00 a. m. arriving at Canisteo 9.02, Greenwood 9.20, Rexville 9.26, Whitesville 9.36, Genesee 10.10, Millsburg 10.35, Oswayo 10.46, Millport 11.00, Shingle House at 11.11, P. S. & N. Junction 11.20, Ceres 11.40.

No. 4, Mail. Leave Erie Junction at 5.30 p. m., arriving at Canisteo at 6.55, Greenwood 6.19, Rexville 6.29, Whitesville 6.47, Genesee 7.00, Millsburg 7.13, Oswayo 7.34, Millport 7.49, and at Shingle House 8 00.

No. 6, Way Freight and Accommodation. Leave Corning at 11 00 a. m., arriving at Greenwood at 7.10, Rexville 8.14, Whitesville 8.44, Genesee 9.20, Oswayo 10.40.

No. 8, Way Freight and Accommodation Leave Oswayo at 11.15 a. m., arriving at Shingle House at 12.35.

No. 14, Way freight and accommodate leaves Shingle House 6.45 a. m., arriving a Ceres at 7.00 a. m.

EAST

No. 1, Mail. Leave Shingle House at 6.40 a. m. arriving at Millport 6.51, Oswayo 7.07, Millsburg 7.39, Genesee 7.47, Whitesville 8.4, Rexville 8.14, Greenwood 8.33, Canisteo 8.45, Erie Junction 9.45.

No. 3, Mail. Leave Ceres 1.02 p. m. arriving at P. S. & N. Junction at 1.05, Shingle House 1.18, Millport at 1.27, Oswayo 1.43, Millsburg 2.05, Genesee 2.18, Whitesville 2.30, Rexville 2.50, Greenwood 2.59, Canisteo 3.31, Erie Junction 5.45.

No. 5, Way freight and Accommodation. Leave Oswayo at 11.20 a. m., Millsburg 12.02, Genesee 12.35, Whitesville 12.47, Rexville 1.00, Greenwood 1.11, Canisteo 2.05, arriving a Erie junction at 5.10.

No. 7, Way Freight and Accommodation. Leave Ceres at 1.17 a. m., arriving at Oswayo at 9.00 a. m.

Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad

Passenger Schedule

Effective Sunday June 9th 1907

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