ANDOVER NEWS.
Andover, N. Y., March 18, 1909.

OUR KEYNOTE:
"Truth is not what we want, but what we may."

Subscription rate, $1.00 per year in advance; or, if not paid in advance, $1.50 per year.

Notice of the change of display advertisements should be in the office by Tuesday noon to insure change in the current number.

The publisher of the ANDOVER NEWS is not responsible for any statement made in an ad. unless over his or her own signature.

One dollar will be charged for a card of thanks.

Rates for space advertising made known on application at this office.

Five cents a line each issue, will be charged for resolutions that business notices.

A Correction.

The Post-Standard and other papers in a recent issue published a short notice stating that the Tompkins County Co-Operative Fire Insurance Company which has a large number of policy holders in this county had levied an assessment of over $32,000 upon its policy holders to cover losses of the year 1908.

It is found upon investigation that this statement is not only misleading but entirely untrue and unjust to the company; that no such assessment had been levied or contemplated by the company; that its last assessment for $30,000 issued September 1, 1908, upon policies that had not paid fees in advance was sufficient to pay up all obligations to that date and that at the close of the year the company had in its treasury over one hundred thousand dollars, every dollar of which belonged to the company, none of it being borrowed money.

From information furnished it appears that this company is in a sound financial condition and worthy of the confidence of the general public. This company is now organized in twenty-seven counties of the state and its total insurance amounts to $41,000,000. It is regretted that the article found a place in the Post-Standard columns and this correction is made as a matter of justice to the company.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS

All gas bills are now due and payable on or before the 20th of the month. Bills that are not paid on the 20th positively no discount will be allowed thereafter.

MUTUAL GAS CO. L't'd.

Tonsorial Parlors

Drop into our new shop and let us "fix you up" with an easy shave or stylish hair trim. Shop newly refitted and furnished with the idea of giving our patrons anything possible for their comforts.

Leo Stephens
At Gilder's Old Stand

NOTICE

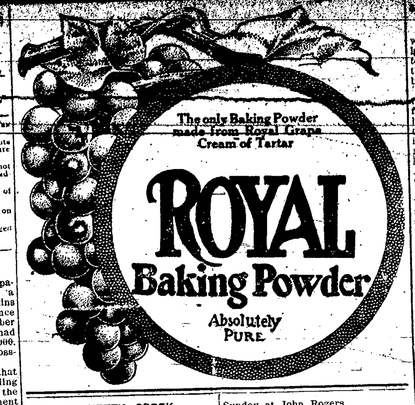
On April 5 I will open the Everett Gallery every week day.

J. G. WILLARD, Photographer

206 Acre Dairy Farm With 35 Head Stock, Tools and Machinery For Only $7,500

We offer for sale a farm of 206 acres, located on main road from Portville to Cuba N. Y., 4 1-2 miles from Portville N. Y., where there are two railroads and a trolley line, 125 acres level valley land, balance rolling. All under cultivation or in pasture except 35 acres maple and beech timber, over 600 big sugar maples. Two sets buildings, one good set, one in fair condition. Two houses two barns, two granaries, two hog houses, two hen houses. Orchard 40 trees. Six living springs, land is loam, free from stone, 3 acres black muck that raises the finest of celery. This farm is on R. F. D., 1-4 mile from school, ¾ mile from cheese factory. With the farm we offer 3 horses, harness, wagons, farm tools and machinery, 28 cows, 3 2-year-olds, 9 yearlings, 5 hogs. Stock mostly Holstein and Ayrshires. Cows paid over $30 each from factory last season. We offer this entire property with fodder to carry stock to grass for only $7,500. Terms $2,000 cash, balance $150 a year and interest at 5 per cent. Possession at once. House plumbed for gas and you can burn all you want in the best farm house for $30 a year. This farm won't be in our hands long, so act quick if it looks good to you.

Herrick Agency,
BOLIVAR, N. Y.



BENNETT'S CREEK.

A number of cases of measles in this vincinity.

Glee Cheesman has nearly recovered from the measles.

Mrs. Merrill Cheesman is quite ill with measles.

Mrs. Joe Moore was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Atkins returned from a visit on West Hill, Sunday.

Roy Bassett commenced work for Ezra Stephens the 1st of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon VanKuren have returned from the East.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Stephens were visitors at A. Crusens of Hartsville, Tuesday.

Miss Jess Kine is spending some time in Almond guests of E. Crusen of that place.

Jean Gleason and wife have returned home from a few weeks visit with his relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Miner Streeter were visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Porter Thompson has been on the sick list for the past week.

Wm. Buck was in Canisteo, Saturday.

Perry Stephens was in West Union Wednesday, on business.

John Rogers is having a quanity of hay pressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Stephens were in Hornell Saturday.

Truman Banks of West Hill spent Sunday at John Rogers.

Leon Drake of Jasper was visiting relatives in town Monday.

Mrs. P. Marshall is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Davenport who is quite seriously ill.

R. F. D. NO. 1.

The robins are here.

Have you tapped your sugar bush?

Miss Jennie Pease of Hornell is visiting her sister Mrs. S. P. Taylor.

W. J. Lamphere has moved on the Walter Lamphere farm.

F. J. Witter has moved from the Lamphere farm back to his own farm.

Floyd Miller, of Howard, is visiting at J. E. Redmonds.

Florence Redmond, who has been sick, is improving.

Miss Olive Miller is visiting in Canisteo and Hornell.

A. R. Mead and family were in Andover Tuesday.

Mr. John Swartz was a caller in Greenwood Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Margaret Hurst who has been at the Mercy hospital at Hornell the past few weeks, has returned home, and is improving slowly.

Doc. Cannon says he saw a flock of wild geese the other day. He says we are sure to have an early spring.

James Madison of Coudersport is visiting his sister Mrs. Loyd Henry.

HOME, SCHOOL AND CHURCHES.

(Concluded from First page.)

we consider the great age to which he lived,) to reach a conclusion, as to what his age might have been, at the time, when he could make his best jump.

At the present time the age of the best jumper would probably range from twenty to twenty-eight years, but when we consider the great age to which Mathusalah lived, we must inevitably, put his age, at about one hundred and forty-seven years, when he could do his best, however, we have no record of his best jump or when he made it.

There are some things we cannot very well achieve, even by perseverance and, quite often, the exercise of a little common sense, will tell us to "let well enough alone."

Some say: "Look before you leap." Others: "Take time by the forelock." But: To the finish it is usually like this:

Every tub must stand on its own bottom."

(To be continued.)

New type just added to our job room

Some Prices

WE HAVE BEEN TELLING YOU WE COULD SAVE YOU MONEY ON YOUR DRUGS AND MEDICINES. WE HAVE PROVED IT TO YOU ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS, AND WE ARE GOING TO DO IT ONCE MORE. WE OFFER COLGATE'S GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES AS FOLLOWS:—

COLGATE'S Violet Talcum Tins, was 25c., ... Now 15c
COLGATE'S Cash Boquet Talcum Tins, was 25c., ... Now 15c
COLGATE'S Cash Boquet Talcum in glass, ... Now 25c
COLGATE'S Violet Talcum, in glass, ... Now 25c
COLGATE'S Unscented Talcum in Tins, was 25c., ... Now 15c
COLGATE'S Dental Cream (Tooth Paste) the kind that "comes out like a ribbon, lies flat on the brush", was 25c., ... Now 20c
COLGATE'S Tooth Powder in tin, was 25c., ... Now 15c
COLGATE'S Tooth Powder, in glass, large, was 25c., ... Now 24c
COLGATE'S Tooth Powder, in glass, small, was 25c., ... Now 15c
COLGATE'S Shaving Stick, large, was 25c., ... Now 18c
COLGATE'S Shaving Stick, small, ... Now 10 ct.
COLGATE'S Shaving Soap, round cakes, was 8c., ... Now 5c
COLGATE'S Cash, Boquet Soap, large, was 25c., ... Now 24c
COLGATE'S Cash, Boquet Soap, small, ... Now 15c

THE ABOVE PRICES WILL GIVE YOU AN IDEA OF WHAT WE ARE DOING IN REDUCING PRICES ON COLGATE'S GOODS. THEIR ENTIRE LINE WILL BE CUT BY US IN PROPORTION.

Central Drug Store
Both 'Phones—Wellsville, N. Y.

AWNINGS
C. T SCOTT
Dealer in
Store and Window Curtains
Porch Curtains, Wagon Covers, Tents, &c.
7 Depot Street, Wellsville, N. Y.

Rollins & Conley
FEED
Oyster Shells
Grit and
Feed of all Kinds
Warehouse on Centre St.
Office at Conley's Scale Office

Saturday is Co... AT CALHOUN'S CA...
The largest line of Fresh Con... dies ever shown in Andover
The "Delicious" Brand
It will pay you to call and inspect the good things to eat. You can buy the best hand-dipped Chocolate Drops at 20 cents per pound. Box Goods Fresh from the Factory
Try our Coupon Cigars Hoefler's Ice Cream
Drop in our Restaurant---it is pleasant.

The Old Reliable
Tompkins County Co-Operative
Fire Insurance Company
STRONGER THAN EVER

Annual report,	1905,		Amount in treasury	$ 54,301
" "	1906,		" "	72,435
" "	1907,		" "	90,309
" "	1908,		" "	107,385
Policies written in	1905	12090	Amount insured	14,264,429
" "	1906	13900	" "	17,145,142
" "	1907	19909	" "	18,438,461
Policies in force Jan. 1, 1908		28003	Amount in force	37,598,792
			" " 1906	28,373,760
Increase in amount in force in two years				9,225,032

Paid Losses 1905 $ 65,198
Paid Losses 1906 92,491
Paid Losses 1907 103,717
} the Annual Payment of the patrons reduced 20% in 1908

Paid only $6603.42 for Manager's and Assistants' Salaries in 1907.

For further information address

E. O. REYNOLDS
ALFRED, N. Y.

Notice of Annual Election

Notice is hereby given that the annual election will be held in and for the Village of Andover, N. Y., on the **16th day of March,** 1909, at **Village Hall,** in said village. The polls will be opened at **1 o'clock p. m.,** and close at **5 o'clock p. m.** The following officers are to be chosen:

President in place of W. F. Snyder, Term 1 year.
Trustee in place of B. S. Brundage, Term 2 years.
Treasurer in place of Frank S. Clark, Term 1 year.
Collector in place of Calvin Slocum, Term 1 year.

The following is a true and correct list of all nominations of candidates for offices to be filled at the Village Election, filed with me pursuant to the provisions of chapter 99, Law of 1896 and amendments thereto.

TITLE OF OFFICE	NAME OF CANDIDATE	PARTY NAME	RESIDENCE	EMBLEM OF PARTY
President	Benjamin S Brundage	Union	Andover	
Trustee	Uriah W. Stratton	Union	Andover	
Treasurer	Frank S. Clark	Union	Andover	
Collector	Thomas Comstock	Union	Andover	

J. HARVEY BACKUS, Village Clerk.

...Y. Williams has sold his farm of 100 acres, last south of this village to Miss Ella, Charles, William and Augustus Lynch for $13,000.00. The deal includes stock, tools and farming implements. Possession of farm given in thirty days with the right of the house retained by Mr. Richardson for six months.

...ve. Have ...ed ...ce ...ce will be a ...ce. It is your duty to instill thrift and ...ve. Consider the great joy of your boy or girl just as ...ve. It is your duty to send them to school. The man who ...ve rarely makes a success in life. The child who learns ...ve lesson early will always thank you for his education. We ...ve a plan that will help every boy and girl in Andover to learn the lesson of economy and thrift.

If you are interested in the future success of your boy or girl call and let us explain our plan to you.

Burrows National Bank
New York State Depository

Town Gossip.

President Taft.

St. Patrick's Day, Wednesday, March 17th.

"Miss Petticoats" at the Auditorium March 25th.

Mrs. Scott Prest is ill at her home on Elm street.

Bolivar Odd Fellows netted $700 from their fair.

United States never had a more substantial president, 325 lbs.

Robert Hall of Scio is working in the Baker Brothers Hardware store.

House painters and novelists are responsible for some highly-colored stories.

Frank Wilkinson has sold his Andover property and will move his family to Cuba.

James Hammond has purchased of F. S. Wilkinson his cottage and boats at the pond.

A baby and dynamite are two little mites that cause a lot of excitement in any home.

Several car loads of ice from the Andover ponds were shipped to Almond last week.

Henry and Michael Garvin have purchased Frank Wilkinson's house on Center Street.

Davis D. Ormsby died at his home near Alfred Station, February 25th, aged sixty years.

The present out look does not favor maple sugar crop. Looks as if it might be short but sweet.

Rev. John Crosby of Braddock, Pa., is the new Pastor at the Broad Street church of Christ in Wellsville.

The young people will have a dancing party at the Auditorium Wednesday evening March 17th. The bill 75c.

Mrs. Charles Tracy who has been seriously ill at their home on Pleasant Avenue is reported slightly better.

Excelsior Band presented their leader, F. S. Bloss a beautiful music cabinet at their meeting Monday evening.

Bridget Reddy died suddenly of heart disease Sunday morning, at Scio. She was sixty-six years of age.

Fred Smith has moved his family from the Belle Rice house on Chestnut street to the Abram Slocum house on Second Street.

Andrew Daily has rented the new house being completed by Jerry Updyke on Greenwood Street and will take possession April 1st.

The liabilities of the Wellsville Improvement Co. are $150,000 with assets at $100,00, so claimed. An settlement has been made by the Company.

The body of Mrs. Alice Miller who died at the home of her daughter Mrs Fay, at Franklinville, last week, was brought to Friendship for funeral service and burial.

Ontario county has taken a step forward in voting $15,000 for the establishment of a special sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis patients of that county.

Push! If you can't push pull, if you can't pull, please get out of the way." Practical Printer. In other words get hold somewhere and do something. If you don't you'll get pushed out of the way and be left behind.

Two weeks of Lent gone.

It's a poor artist who is unable to draws his own conclusions.

Sixty-four gamecocks, valued at about $800.00 as fighting cocks, have just been destroyed by the society

The village of Fillmore have contracted to have their streets electric lighted.

Mrs. William Murray died at her home in Cuba last week, aged twenty six years.

One of those pleasant events, building a new school house is on at Cuba, just now.

Mr and Mrs. Warren Ives of Riverside welcomed a son at their home March 1st.

We can generally forgive those who have affended us after we have sufficiently punished them.

Ex-President Roosevelt announces that he expects to sail for Africa, March 23rd. by the steamer, Hamburg

Marie S. Wilson has been granted an absolute divorce from Clayton Wilson, both parties live at Friendship.

Clark Bro's and Co of Belmont have received an order for a $150,000 saw mill to be erected by them at Gray Cross, Ga.

Miss Elizabeth James and Nicholas Trenkel and Miss Margaret James and Stanley Brown all of Portville were married March 3rd. The brides are sisters.

There are over 500 cases of scarlet fever under quarantine in Buffalo and the epidemic is spreading so rapidly throughout the city as to cause considerable alarm.

Harry Long has moved his goods into the larger store just finished next to Harmony Hall. This will give him more space and opportunity to display his stock of novelty goods.

Charles, the eleven months old son of Editor and Mrs. E. Bristol of Belfast passed away, February 23rd, at the general hospital in Buffalo where the little one had been operated on February 15th for spinal trouble.

B. Franklin Burdick, a life long resident of Little Genesee died at the Willard State Hospital, February 23rd, aged eighty-eight years. Mr. Burdick had been an inmate of the hospital only a few days.

Randolph Mascho, of Shingle House aged 35 years, an oil well worker, lost his life by falling from a derrick on the C. A. Wolcott lease, February 26th. He fell a distance of 50 feet, striking on his head, crushing his skull and breaking nearly every bone in his body.

Cyrus E. LeSeur, of Bolivar, an aged farmer and oil producer and former supervisor of his town, suffered the fracture of his right leg above the ankle last week, as the result of some heavy pipe falling upon him. The freight crew of a trolley car were un-loading the pipe at the LeSuer farm where the accident occured.

Considerable excitement is astir in Troupsburg over the alleged disappearance of Supervisor Henry M. Rogers. In a letter mailed at New York he tenders his resignation of the office. There are outstanding debts which figure up to a heavy total against Rogers in Troupsburg, West Union and adjacent towns which the creditors would feel less anxious about if they had the cash.

Edward Murden, for several years superintendent of the Merrill Silk Company's big plant at Hornell and designer of the machines used in the mill, has sued the company for $17,000 damages.

Mr. Murden was recently discharged by the company and sues to recover on a five year contract.

A grouchy editor says: "When a man finishes making a call, he puts on his hat and goes, but when a woman finishes one, she will stand in the hall and tell everything she knows." You and I'll bet a cookie.

OUR CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH.

J. W. Wright, Pastor

The usual Sunday morning and evening services may be expected. Preaching at 10:30 and at 7:00. Theme of morning sermon: "God's Reserve Goodness."

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

Dr. McCartney, a returned missionary from China, will give an illustrated lecture on China, Sunday evening, March 21st. Remember the date. Do not fail to hear him.

BAPTIST.

Rev. A. L. Boynton, Pastor.

Regular Sunday Morning Service at 10:30

Bible School at 11:30.

Christian Endeavor Service at 6:00

Preaching in the evening at 7:00

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30

The annual Roll Call of the church will be held Wednesday March 17 at 2:00, p. m. Dinner will be served at noon, to which all are invited. An offering will be taken at this time for the home and foreign missions.

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST.

Albert E. Webster, Pastor.

At the regular service—ten thirty—the pastor will preach on "Salvation; from what; by what; for whom?"

The Bible School convenes at once after the morning service. The lesson this week, "Aeneas and Dorcas". Next week the regular review will be held. Some special reviews are being planned. The roll of honor system began last week, to last six months.

Miss Adah Bell Bassett will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting at two o'clock. The topic is "What are our liquor laws and how are they enforced." Regular offering will be taken after this service.

The Friday evening meetings are of a helpful nature and all are urged to attend when possible. The service begin at half past seven.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Hiram D. Bacon, Pastor.

Sunday Morning Service at 10.30; Sunday School and Young People's Bible Class after morning service.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7:30.

The Boy's Club meets on Friday night at 7 o'clock. The fathers and mothers of the boys who are members are invited to be present to-night.

The committee in charge of Benevolences desires to get the money in the treasurer's hands as soon as possible. Those who have not yet paid their pledges are urged to do so as soon as they can. Mr. Rosebush is treasurer of the fund.

The membership assessment is now due and members of the church are urged to pay the same promptly.

Andover Lodge, No. 558, F.&A.M., and Anna McArthur Chapter, No. 242, O.E.S. will be our guests next Sunday night. This will be the seventh annual service which they have attended on the second Sunday night in March. The Methodist and Baptist congregations will unite with us in the service.

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MUTUAL GAS CO. L't'd.

Lucy Stone Club.

The Lucy Stone Club will meet with Mrs. F. S. Clark, Tuesday evening, March 16th.

Subject: The Education of our Boys and Girls.

The Advantages of Manual Training, Principal Richard Bartlett.

Paper, Parent's day, Miss Lynch.

Reading, Miss Hincher.

Roll Call, Bright sayings of children.

Director, Mrs. Ruger.

Hostess, Mrs. Norris.

Music, Mrs. Boynton.

Entertainment, Mrs. Stillwell, Mrs Rogers.

Eye Glasses.

When you are fitted with a glass you naturally expect to get the best results. Glasses that not only look right but are of the greatest aid to vision. And that is what you get when I fit you. Richmond, the Optometerist. At Swink Hotel, Andover March 16th and 17th. Whitesville, March 19th.

Birthday Party.

The little friends and playmates of Freda Updyke, enjoyed a birthday party at her home on Greenwood St. last Saturday, as a surprise to the little hostess, on her eighth birthday. Refreshments were served and a pleasant afternoon enjoyed.

Dining Chairs 90c.

Strong, handsome dining chairs set (of six) for $5.40. March sale.

Rockwell Bros. & Co.
Wellsville, N. Y.

NORTH SIDE NEWS.

Wait for me, watermelon!

John Armstrong is still in the hospital at Hornell. He is improving slowly.

The gas engine at the cutlery plant was balky, Tuesday morning. When it got ready it started off as though there was nothing wrong with it. Just like a mule.

We are sorry that Mr. Jennings did not stay among us.

High rents for the working people is keeping the town back. If the property owners would place their rent at a figure to compare with the wages paid they would do more to boom the town than anything else.

Art., what is the matter with the grocery store deal.

The silk mill is calling for more help.

Ladies' Spring Suits.

A fine showing of the new Spring models, including the latest coloring and best fabrics, priced $15.00 to $24. (first floor).

Rockwell Bros. & Co.
Wellsville, N. Y.

Hawthorne Club.

The Hawthorne Club will meet Monday March 15th at 7.30 p. m. in the library.

The following lession is laid out:

Roll Call—Helps.
Fact—Masterlinck or Ibsen
Fact—Required Reading
Current Event, Foreign.
Review, European Literature, Miss Brundage
Reading—Seen in Germany, Mrs. Pease

Get up-to-date Sanitary Work at ...

...Allegany County, Pomona Grange was voted to purchase a ... in the county the section ... ety in making a uniform ... 5c cents for the first tooth ... for each succeeding tooth ...

Allegany County Pomona Grange
W. W. Case, Sec.

First Showing of New Models for Spring

We have just received and have now ready for your inspection the finest line of new spring models we have ever shown in Suits, Topcoats and Raincoats. Every garment bearing the celebrated trade mark **"Hermanwile"** is guaranteed to be not only satisfactory in quality, but to have a STYLE and FIT superior to all other clothing sold at its price. Come in and see it now while the line is complete. You'll see nothing else this season half so good for such little money.

Rain Coats

We have the new "Auto" Model Raincoat. It buttons snugly around the neck and is built on graceful lines throughout. Something entirely new and very popular this year. A raincoat is one of the most useful garments because it takes the place of a light-weight coat when one is needed in fair weather, and is a rain proof coat in stormy weather.

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Have you tried a Home Journal Pattern? The guide chart furnished with each pattern makes their use a very simple matter. We carry a large stock of these patterns and they are becoming very popular in this community. Give them a trial.

New Wash Goods for Spring

We are showing a very attractive line of new patterns in Ginghams, Percales, etc., and have nearly doubled our Ribbon stock this spring. You'll find here all the shades and different widths in both staple and fancy ribbons. Something new with us this spring are the striped Linenes, suitable for children's dresses or women's suits. The price is only 15c the yard and there are some handsome patterns among them

A. M. Burrows' Sons

Oysters and Oyster Stew Served Every Saturday Evening
FRESH BAKED BREAD, COOKIES, CAKES, PIES, ETC.
and a full line of Baked Stuff usually found in an up-to-date Bakery
The Bennett Bakery
Lunch Counter in Connection Ice Cream and Soda Water
Bakery closed every evening at 9:30 excepting Saturday.

Furniture Fire Sale
At Fowler's Furniture Store
Having all my old furniture burned, I now have a clean new stock that I am going to offer to the people of Andover and vicinity at fire sale prices.
Special Every Day Until Jan. 1, 1910
Everything in my line will suit you. Come in and we will talk it over.
Don't forget Mrs. Fowler's part of the store.
MR. and MRS. S. J. FOWLER
Furniture and Undertaking

Central Drug Store
BLUE VITRIOL
It may seem early to buy your Blue Vitriol, but the price is lower now than it will be later. We make the price 5½c per pound and would advise buying at this price. Leave your order and we will guarantee the price.
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PERFUMERY, COMBS, BRUSHES, FINE TOILET SOAPS, BOOKS, STATIONERY, DYE STUFF, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, PUTTY, VARNISH, &C.
We have our new line of Wall Paper and Mouldings—the largest line ever and all the new patterns. We are sure we can please you. Give us a call before you make your purchase and be convinced that we have the goods and at prices that are right.
Prescriptions Carefully Compounded
BRUNDAGE DRUG CO.