Press Association

A special meeting of the Allegany County Press Association convened in the parlors of Hotel Fancott, Wellsville, Oct. 15, 1909, upon the call of the President, presiding.

The roll call was responded to as follows: A. W. Barnes, of the Wellsville Reporter; A. E. Cowles and Chas. Tharp, of the Allegany Courier; Democrat; J. P. Herrick, Bolivar Breeze; L. H. Thornton and A. A. Norton, Belmont Dispatch; F. S. Miller Canaseraga Times; W. D. Fisk of the Whitesville News; and J. H. Backus, of the Andover News.

Minutes of the meeting held Nov. 12, 1908, read and upon motion adopted.

A. E. Cowles presented the name of H. F. Dornow of the Allegany County Democrat for membership in the association and L. H. Thornton that of John W. Stickle, of the Cuba Patrolt.

Upon motion the two gentlemen were unanimously elected to membership, and were welcomed to the meeting.

A communication full of cheer and encouragement from Editor F. A. Crumb, of the Alfred Sun, was read by the Secretary in which Mr. Crumi expressed regrets for not being able to attend the meeting, and urged the association to resolve to make the Allegany County Press Association the very best in the state. The communication was received with hearty applause, and ordered placed on file.

A bill from W. F. Yewdall for flowers was presented and ordered paid.

Upon motion an assessment of $1, upon each old member of the association was order levied, and unanimously passed.

This being the first meeting of the association since the death of our former friend and fellow publisher, Mr. Frank S. Whitford, L. H. Thornton moved that J. P. Herrick and J. H. Backus be a committee to draw suitable resolutions in the memory of our departed brother and have them presented to Mrs. Whitford, and embodied in the minutes of this meeting.

J. P. Herrick and A. E. Cowles were appointed a committee to draw resolutions expressing our appreciation and hearty endorsement of the movement in behalf of a fund to erect a monument in memory of the late Major Keenan of Scio, and were empowered to take such other action as they deemed wise.

An informal "shop talk," was enjoyed by those present, nearly every member present taking part and contributing valuable suggestions.

Upon motion unanimously carried the association then proceeded to the election of officers, with the following result.

President—J. P. Herrick

Vice President—A. A. Norton

Secy-Treas.—J. H. Backus.

The Secretary was instructed to write each publisher in the county, who was not all ready a member of the association and urge him to affiliate with the association.

The Secretary was also requested to issue slips with the minutes of the meeting and send 1 to each member.

Meeting adjourned to the call of the President.

J. H. Backus
Secy.

In Memory of Frank S. Whitford..

WHEREAS, In the transition of our beloved and esteemed fellow craftsman and brother, editor Frank S. Whitford, from his earthly home to the "Land 'O the Leal," the Allegany County Press Association recognizes the loss of one of its consistent and conscientious members who was a faithful worker and an active and wise counsellor. Therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the amiable character, modest and unassuming life of our departed brother is worthy of emulation, and that the association with such a life has been one of the esteemed privileges of this Association.

Resolved, That we tender the sorrowing family of our departed brother our sincere sympathy and condolence, and that they be sent a copy of these resolutions, and that these resolutions be made a part of the minutes of this meeting.

John P. Herrick,
J. H. Backus, Committee,
Money Comes in Bunches

to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now His reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes, "I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c. at

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Summons

State of New York.
COUNTY COURT.
COUNTY OF ALLEGANY

John Feeley,
Plaintiff,
—VS—
Frank Dailey, Anna Carmody,
Dennis Dailey & Nionte Crance,
Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and, in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the County of Allegany.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1909.

Crayton L. Earley,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Office & P. O. address,
Andover, N. Y.

To Frank Dailey; The foregoing Summons is served upon you, by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds, Allegany County Judge, dated the 20th day of July, 1909, and filed with the complaint, in the office of the Clerk of Allegany county at Belmont, N. Y.

Crayton L. Earley,
Plaintiff's Attorney
Office & P. O. Address,
Andover, N. Y.

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Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad

Passenger Schedule

Effective Thursday, Aug. 19, 1909.

Train No. 340 leaves Genesee at 7:51 a. m., Wellsville 8.22 a.m., daily except Sunday, for all points North, arriving at Buffalo at 11:50.

Train No. 342 leaves Genesee daily at 3:12 p. m., for points north, arriving at Wellsville 3:38 p. m., Buffalo at 7:10 P. M.

Train No. 343 leaves Buffalo at 8:40 A. M. Wellsville 12:32 P. M., Genesee 12:42 p. m., daily, for Galeton, Austin, Cross Forks, Ansonia, Addison and intermediate points.

Train No. 345 leaves Buffalo 3:15 P. M., Wellsville 6:47 P. M., Genesee 7:14 P. M., daily except Sunday for Galeton and Intermediate points.

Train No. 342, connects at Crystal Lake with B. R. & P. train No. 6 arriving in Rochester at 7:40 P. M., daily

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Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds, Surrogate of Allegany County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Francis M. Lanphear late of the Town of Andover, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present same with the vouchers thereof to the undersigned, Grace L. Carpenter and Minnie Meeks, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, at the office of J. S. Phillips, Andover, N. Y., on or before March 3, 1910.

Dated Sept. 1, 1909.

Grace L. Carpenter
Minnie Meeks.
Executors.

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Fall Fashions Show Wide Variation and Great Progress of The Tailoring Art

A decline in church attendance invariably proves a decline in economic interest. Where there are no economic motives acting, failure to be moved towards more be due to a strengthening of the negative motives, without a weakening and even in spite of a less increase, of the positive.

The conditions of life have been more changed since the application of steam and electricity to manufacture and transportation than in all the millenniums which preceded. Men work harder; need more rest and relaxation; find it less easy to secure them without leaving their own neighborhood or availing themselves of the arts of popular entertainment, while they find the means both of travel and of amusement rendered easy and inexpensive by the same civilization that taxes their energy in toil.

And the remedy? Not in vain lament at changed conditions; not in denying the attractiveness of the varied possibilities developed by civilization, but, as Dr. Crooker tells us in "The Church of To-day," in raising and demonstrating that the church also is permanent because it too, meets a genuine human need and is highest of all; because that need is the deepest, and is "the supreme element which all other institutions need in order to render their greatest worth and highest efficiency."

Just because the motives to worldliness have been strengthened, it is not enough for the church to do as well to-day as it did in the past "What is needed is a church as far ahead of its predecessor as the railroad is swifter than the stage-coach. Shall a people who have quintupled their rate of travel over the earth be satisfied to proceed toward the heavenly kingdom no faster than their fathers? —Edward Tallmadge Root in The Delineator for November.

Hubby Thought Wife Was Well, Too, Regardless Of Her Suffering

"Yes, the Reputation Mr. Lisse has gotten for being a good husband and this is the way he goes about it is the way he gets that reputation. The other day my wife and slaved in the kitchen for about ten hours making jelly. It was my first attempt, so I had considerable trouble and burned my fingers about seventeen times. It turned out pretty good, however, and of course I was proud and delighted. That night I put some on the table for dinner, and husband got enthusiastic.

"Next day he was visiting a sick friend of his, a man, by the way, quite able to buy anything he might want and whose wife never lifts her finger. On leaving, Mr. Generous Husband says: 'Wife made some pretty good jelly the other day. You might like some. I'll send you up half a dozen jars.'

"Now, wouldn't that frost you, or rasp you, or whatever they say? Half a dozen jars! After all my work, to hand that jelly over to a man whose wife is too lazy to weave a basket exactly eight jars, so we will have no one more, unless he has already promised it to somebody else."

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Louis Boon, a leading merchant of Norway, Mich., writes: "Three bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar absolutely cured my boy of a severe cough, and a neighbor's boy, who was so ill with a cold that the doctors gave him up, was cured by taking Foley's Honey and Tar." Nothing else is as safe and certain in results.

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Ability Is Not Supplanted by Mere Talk

Not infrequently a man who has no talent is being devoted to the invention of a wheel for vehicles which shall have all the virtues of one provided with a hollow rubber tire and yet be much less expensive, one provided with a hollow rubber tire and yet be much less expensive. One set of inventors employs coiled steel springs in the rim of the wheel. Scores of others place them where the spokes usually are. A third class puts the elasticity in the hub, still relying as do the others on steel springs for the purchase. Chicago man has been experimenting with the last mentioned plan. He incloses his coiled spring in a case between the inner surface of the hub and the axle, the latter remaining stationary. As no report of his tests has yet been made public it is hard to judge the value of his device. Sooner or later a way may be found to substitute springs for rubber, but up to date prefect success seems to be lacking.

Mr. F. G. Fritz, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative, and I think it is the best medicine for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is mild, pleasant and effective, and cures habitual constipation.

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Notice to Persons Having Claims Against the County of Allegany.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the county of Allegany, State of New York, will hold its annual session at the Court House in the Village of Belmont, in said county of Allegany, beginning Monday the 8th day of November, 1909, and notice is also hereby further given to all persons having claims against the said county of Allegany, in State of New York, to present the same to the said Board of Supervisors, duly verified, on or before the third day of said session.

45 CHARLES STILLMAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
Dated, Alfred, N. Y., Oct. 15, 1909.

Wisdom Is Required in Taking Cure for Evil Habits

Some wisdom is required in taking cure of evil habits. It should not be taken whole. The great thing, as we believe, is to take none which is out of character. To do so is to regret it. If we are naturally slow of decision, we shall be hurried into precipitate action. If we are by nature placable and polite, we must not take advice to be arbitrary even in the best cause, says a writer in the London Spectator. If we are impulsive, we should take counsel with a man of the same temperament and stronger mind; but not with the phlegmatic, though he be the wisest slowcoach on earth. We all know our own defects, and if we are decent people at all our moral constitution has set up certain compensations. To disturb these is to court failure. So far as the isolated act is concerned, rashly accepted advice may be good enough—and successful enough—but how are we to go on? We have started on a course which is out of character, and we shall stumble until we get back into our stride.

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BOSS MURPHY GETS GAYNOR.

The Former Anti-Tammany Judge Falls Into Wigwam Cesspool.

New York, Oct. 11.—Judge Gaynor has formally accepted the Tammany nomination for mayor. He made no specific pledge that he would not be a candidate for governor next year and did not touch upon the subject, except in a general way to say that the position was one which called for four years of hard service. In spite of this, the talk that Gaynor will be the Murphy candidate for governor next year if he is elected this year is general. Everybody knows it would suit Murphy, and Gaynor is so consumed with a political ambition that few believe he would not jump at the chance of a nomination for governor if it came within sight.

A Rank Lot.

The ticket nominated by Murphy for the other offices in New York city is made up of such a rank Tammany lot that decent people are turning from it in disgust. Among those selected by Murphy whom he hopes the strength of Judge Gaynor will pull through are several notorious Tammany men. One of them is former Senator George F. Roesch, whom Murphy has nominated as candidate for judge of the city court. Judge Roesch was before the Lexow investigating committee when it sat in New York some years ago. Augusta Thurow, who was one of the witnesses, swore that she had for several years been keeping a disorderly house and that she once sent her husband to Mr. Roesch and asked him to exercise his "pull" to protect her from the exorbitant demands made by representatives of the police department for protection. She had been threatened with a raid unless she paid more tribute. She swore that she had paid Roesch $100 for his influence in preventing any further annoyances of this sort. Roesch went before the committee and swore that he had received the money, but claimed that he was acting as the attorney of Mrs. Thurow.

Murphy has nominated James J. Hagen, leader of the Fifteenth district, as candidate for county clerk at $15,000 per year. Hagen has been for many years an east side Tammany leader, and at least a dozen election crooks who have been doing work for him have been sent to prison for it. He has been charged with protecting criminals and has used his influence in preventing interference with pool rooms. Murphy's candidate for sheriff is Christy Sullivan, who belongs to one of the Bowery tribe of that name. He owns a racing stable, which is managed by Trainer Fitzsimmons, and he is said to have an interest in a house formerly occupied by Gussie McKee, "the pool room queen."

Gaynor With Tammany.

Gaynor himself has evidently ceased his hostility to Tammany Hall since he received the nomination. In the course of his speech he said, when speaking of some of his associates, "We met before we were nominated and are prepared to work together." This was accepted at the Fourteenth street wigwam as a satisfactory promise that Gaynor will not attempt to break up the Tammany organization if he should be elected mayor. Up to the time that Gaynor made his acceptance speech Mr. Hearst had declined to be a candidate. He has since decided to enter the field. Tammany stole his organization at the recent primaries, so that he cannot be officially nominated by a convention, and his name must be placed on the ticket as the result of petition. This will give a very interesting campaign and will make possible the election of Mr. Bannard.

Hearst and Gaynor Alike.

This year, with Hearst in the field, there will be two radicals and one conservative candidate. Hearst and Gaynor are "off the same piece" in their views or, at any rate, in their expressions. Both appeal to the passions of the people as against reason. Both thrive on discontent and do their level best to increase it, and with both of them in the field it will be inevitable that a large body of conservatives who fear for the results of the election of either will flock to Mr. Bannard, who is a sound, prudent, level headed business man.

Three months ago Gaynor was one of the most violent men in the city in his denunciation of Murphy and Tammany government generally. His attitude now that the dry canker of political ambition has begun to work is mildness itself, and with the possibility of a nomination for governor and, if successful at the polls, a subsequent nomination for the presidency dangling before his eyes it is manifest that he would make good on his declaration that he is prepared to work together with his associates. Seldom in so short a space has a man who has stood so high suffered such a fall.

BATTLE IS ON FOR ASSEMBLY

Importance of Electing Republicans Heads to That Body.

New York, Oct. 18.—Candidates for assembly have been nominated in all districts of the state, and the campaign is in progress as actively as ever in years when no state ticket is to be elected. In many counties, owing to the peculiar situation which obtains, there is more activity in the canvass than is usual in such years.

Republicans Confident.

Republican leaders throughout the state feel confident that a substantial Republican majority will be elected, but they have taken occasion to impress upon people in their respective localities the importance of supporting regularly nominated Republican candidates with the full party strength. Under the state constitution elections for mayor are to occur in all the principal cities, and the power of both parties to elect their candidates for these offices will naturally bring out a pretty full vote in these centers. The activity on behalf of mayoralty candidates will have some effect upon the candidates for assembly, because the assembly nominees and the mayoralty nominees are in many cases bound together by the expedients of those who are hoping to gain advantage temporarily by such unions. While the confidence of Republicans that a majority of the next assembly will be of their party is strong, the Democrats talk loudly of electing their candidates in some counties which have heretofore returned Republicans. Their party leaders, with the impetus given by the Saratoga conference in September and by consistently and continually calling attention to Republican division, have laid the foundation for this confidence. They hope that Republican party lines may be broken to such an extent that they may rush the outposts and by control of the assembly secure advantageous fighting ground for the great battle of next year.

Significant Nominations.

They have nominated in Oswego county former Recorder Charles N. Bulger, who has been prominent for years in the state councils of their party, and in Dutchess county no less a person than former Lieutenant Governor Chanler for the assembly.

Should they be elected they will bring the prestige of their former experience, which their party leaders hope will enable the assembly to embarrass Governor Hughes and the Republican senate to such an extent that they may be in a much stronger position next year for the state fight than they have been in a decade. In some counties fusions have been effected between Republicans and Democrats as a part of the Democratic scheme. Candidates who have been known to be opposed to the Republican organization have been indorsed by Democrats for the assembly in return for such indorsements of Democratic city candidates by these so called independent Republicans.

The Direct Primary Issue.

The direct primary issue has been the principal one in several counties of the state in the selection of candidates. Some members of assembly will be chosen who have been instructed to vote in favor of any direct primary measure which may be introduced. In some counties attempts have been made to so instruct candidates, and the sentiment of the voters has been such that the attempt has failed. Taking advantage of dissatisfaction growing out of these attempts, the Democrats have deliberately plotted to capture Republican votes and weaken the Republican organization either by indorsing independent Republican candidacies or attempting to secure indorsements for their own candidates from these Republicans, who are temporarily dissatisfied.

Other Important Questions.

Those Republicans who regard the issue of direct primaries as the only thing of consequence to come before the next legislature may take a second thought between now and election. Many matters of Republican policy will be prominently before the legislature. Some of these are measures advocated by Governor Hughes which are of great consequence. Should Democrats control the assembly there would be little hope for them, because, having nothing to lose and everything to gain from a party standpoint, by blocking the entire Republican program Democrats could add greatly to the dissatisfaction among the people at large by their nullification of any Republican activity. Consequently, it has been pointed out in many sections, there was never greater importance to the Republicans of standing squarely together and electing Republican candidates than this year.

There has been no time when the performance of supporting regularly nominated Republican candidates for assembly by all Republicans has been more vital.

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The items priced here are not the best the sale offers you---there are many better values. This is your buying opportunity. The supremacy of this store as a bargain-giving institution is recognized when you shop elsewhere.

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Suits that are absolutely style perfect in every detail. Fashioned from the best materials in shades which are the leading favorites for Fall and Winter Wear. We mention one of the many.

Suit made from all wool French Serge, lined with good satin, Coat is one of the newest long models. Skirt made with pleats from the knee down. Just such a Suit as you would expect to pay $25.00 for. Sizes 34 to 46.

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36-inch Sable Coney Coat $24.75, worth $35.00
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Also special prices on Coats made from very fine Pony Skins, Mink, Hudson Seal, Marmot, Caracul and Blended Squirrel.

This sale offers you exceptional buying opportunities at nearly a 50 per cent. saving and all Furs sold here are of a strictly reliable character.

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Child's Coats made from best quality Curly Bearskin—colors are Red, White and Champagne—sizes 1 to 5 years. Value $2.75.

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Here's a chance for every woman to procure a Rain Coat. No better rain-proof cloth in the world than Priestley's, and that's what every Coat in this sale is made from. Some are worth $10.00, some $12.50 and some $15.00—at this sale all are at the same price.

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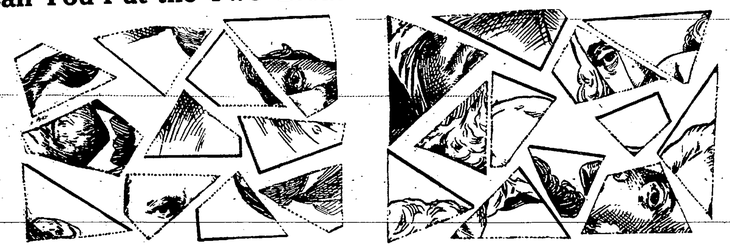

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Puzzle pictures for "grown-ups" as well as the children as a source of great pleasure and nearly everywhere you will find some one at fascinating pastime in their spare moments. But now we have a puzzle picture contest with more than the mere fun of putting it together, and free distribution of over $3,500 worth of prizes, all absolutely free.

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There is no catch. Everyone has an equal opportunity. We are making this extraordinary offer direct to piano buyers instead of spending the $3,500 in magazine advertising, as by this method we will introduce our pianos and fair prices to a great many possible buyers. We want everyone interested in pianos to enter, as we want the piano and prize certificates to go where they will be appreciated. Be sure and enter. There is no excuse for not striving for one of these prizes. Send your answer in early.

THE PRIZES—First prize—A fine new paino valued at $335; Second prize—A certificate or credit for $125; Third prize—A certificate of credit for $110. The next six best answers will be given a credit certificate for $90. Following these in groups of 6 or more, each contestant sending in the next best answer will be given a credit certificate for $1 less than those previous—that is, six at $89, six at $88, etc.,—until the amount has been awarded.

Special Advertising Proposition. In addition to the above prizes Claude Buckpitt will voluntarily issue to each of the remaining contestants a special certificate of credit, of not less than $25, as an award for their effort in this contest.

These certificates are good on the purchase of any new Kimball, Conway, Hallet & Davis, Sonway, Bowen, Hinze, or any other new pianos that we have in our store at regular retail prices.

Time of certificates is limited. Certificates cannot be applied on any purchase made previous to October 18, 1909. Only one certificate may be applied on the purchase of one piano.

THE JUDGING—Disinterested Judges will be chosen who will select the winner, and the decision of the judges will be final. All prize winners will be notified. Judges' names will be announced.

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Cut out the pieces and paste together, thus making two American Generals, write the name of the General under each picture. Free to anyone excepting the employees of Claude Buckpitt, and those who now own a new upright piano. Only one answer allowed from each family.

Send in your coupon or exact written copy with your answer, as no answer will be accepted unless this is done.

The most artistic will be awarded first prize, others in accordance to their worth.

In case the judges find two or more answers of equal merit duplicates of the prize offered will be given to each.

All answers must be in before 6 p. m., October 27th., 1909. Copies of this advertisement will be furnished free on application at this office.

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